

2005 California Children's Healthy Eating and Exercise Practices Survey

Table 46: Frequency of Eating in a Fast Food Restaurant during the Past Week (Phone Sample)

In the past week, about how many times did you eat a meal or snack from a fast food restaurant such as McDonald's, Pizza Hut, Taco Bell, Burger King, KFC, Wendy's, and so on?

	Times Eating Fast Food in the Past Week, Percent of Children		
	0	1	2+
Total	27	31	42
Gender			
Males	29	30	42
Females	26	32	42
Ethnicity			
White	28	37	35
African American	46	21	33
Latino	27	26	46
Asian/Other	13	36	51
Income			
<\$15,000	25	17	58
\$15,000 - \$24,999	27	22	51
\$25,000 - \$34,999	24	26	50
\$35,000 - \$49,999	24	35	40
\$50,000 - \$74,999	27	33	40
≥\$75,000	30	35	35
Food Stamps			
Yes	27	27	46
No	27	32	41
Food Stamp Eligible			
FS and/or ≤130% FPL	25	23	52
No FS or >130% FPL	28	33	39
Food Stamp/FPL			
Food Stamp Participant	27	27	46
No FS/ ≤130% FPL	21	21	58
No FS/ >130%-≤185% FPL	28	35	37
No FS/ >185% FPL	28	33	39
Federal Poverty Level			
≤ 185% FPL	26	26	48
> 185% FPL	28	34	39
Overweight Status			
Not at Risk	28	30	42
At Risk/Overweight	26	33	41
Physical Activity			
≥60 minutes	27	34	39
<60 minutes	28	29	44
School Breakfast			
Yes	34	26	40
No	26	32	42
School Lunch			
Yes	25	28	47
No	30	36	33
Nutrition Lesson			
Yes	23	33	44
No	32	29	39
Exercise Lesson			
Yes	25	30	45
No	32	34	34

Excludes those reporting "don't know."

Reported mean times eating fast food in the past week was 1.5 times.

Rows may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

A box around a group of numbers signifies that differences observed within this group are statistically significant.

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* p<.05