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Overweight by Race-Ethnicity, for Hawai'i Public High Schools: 2005, 2007, 2009, 2011

Hawai'i Public High Schools: 2005			
Race-Ethnicity	Overweight ( $\geq$ 85 Percentile & $<$ 95 Percentile BMI for Age & Sex)		
	No.	%	C.I. (95%)
Caucasian	800	9.3%	5.9-12.6
Native Hawaiian	1,300	12.1%	7.8-16.5
Chinese	n/r	n/r	n/r
Filipino	2,200	18.0%	13.5-22.6
Japanese	800	10.0%	6.7-13.4
Black	n/r	n/r	n/r
Native Alaskan/ American Indian	n/r	n/r	n/r
Other Asian	n/r	n/r	n/r
Other Pacific Islander	n/r	n/r	n/r
Other	700	14.1%	6.1-22.1

Hawai'i Public High Schools: 2007			
Race-Ethnicity	Overweight ( $\geq$ 85 Percentile & $<$ 95 Percentile BMI for Age & Sex)		
	No.	%	C.I. (95%)
Caucasian	n/r	n/r	n/r
Native Hawaiian	2,300	16.7%	10.5-22.9
Chinese	n/r	n/r	n/r
Filipino	1,500	14.4%	9.9-18.9
Japanese	700	13.8%	6.9-20.6
Black	n/r	n/r	n/r
Native Alaskan/ American Indian	n/r	n/r	n/r
Other Asian	n/r	n/r	n/r
Other Pacific Islander	n/r	n/r	n/r
Other	1,700	16.9%	13.2-20.6

Hawai'i Public High Schools: 2009			
Race-Ethnicity	Overweight ( $\geq$ 85 Percentile & $<$ 95 Percentile BMI for Age & Sex)		
	No.	%	C.I. (95%)
Caucasian	600	9.3%	4.6-14.0
Native Hawaiian	1,900	16.6%	8.1-25.1
Chinese	n/r	n/r	n/r
Filipino	1,300	12.3%	7.8-16.8
Japanese	800	16.7%	9.0-24.4
Black	n/r	n/r	n/r
Native Alaskan/ American Indian	n/r	n/r	n/r
Other Asian	200	10.5%	3.5-17.5
Other Pacific Islander	n/r	n/r	n/r
Other	1,200	14.1%	10.3-17.8

Hawai'i Public High Schools: 2011			
Race-Ethnicity	Overweight ( $\geq$ 85 Percentile & $<$ 95 Percentile BMI for Age & Sex)		
	No.	%	C.I. (95%)
Caucasian	500	8.0%	3.8-12.3
Native Hawaiian	1,500	15.5%	12.9-18.2
Chinese	n/r	n/r	n/r
Filipino	1,500	14.4%	10.7-18.2
Japanese	300	15.2%	8.1-22.3
Black	n/r	n/r	n/r
Native Alaskan/ American Indian	n/r	n/r	n/r
Other Asian	200	7.2%	4.2-10.2
Other Pacific Islander	300	20.4%	14.5-26.2
Other	1,300	14.3%	11.8-16.8

Note: Weighted counts rounded to nearest 100, weighted percentages, positive responses only, 95% confidence interval;  
n/r (Not Reportable)-Total unweighted responses less than 100.

BMI-Body Mass Index, BMI is a measure that adjusts bodyweight for height. It is calculated as weight in kilograms divided by height in meters squared. Overweight for children and adolescents is defined as BMI at or above the sex- and age-specific 95th percentile.

**Source:** Hawai'i State, Department of Health, Hawai'i School Health Survey.