

Global Youth Tobacco Survey 2008

Ministry of Health

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Identification

SURVEY ID NUMBER
LBR_2008_GYTS_v01_M

TITLE
Global Youth Tobacco Survey 2008

SUBTITLE
Monrovia

COUNTRY

Name	Country code
Liberia	LBR

STUDY TYPE
Other Household Survey [hh/oth]

SERIES INFORMATION
This is the first GYTS conducted by Liberia.

ABSTRACT
The GYTS is a school-based survey which uses a self-administered questionnaire to monitor tobacco use among youth and to guide the implementation and evaluation of tobacco prevention and control programmes.

KIND OF DATA
Sample survey data [ssd]

UNIT OF ANALYSIS
Individuals

Version

VERSION DESCRIPTION
Public-use dataset

VERSION DATE
2018-08-22

Scope

NOTES
GYTS is composed of 56 "core" questions designed to gather data on the following seven domains:

1. Knowledge and attitudes of young people towards cigarette smoking
2. Prevalence of cigarette smoking and other tobacco use among young people
3. Role of the media and advertising in young people's use of cigarettes
4. Access to cigarettes
5. Tobacco-related school curriculum
6. Environmental tobacco smoke (ETS)
7. Cessation of cigarette smoking

Countries may add additional optional questions, such as on shisha use, smokeless tobacco use or e-cigarettes, or country-specific questions.

TOPICS

Topic	Vocabulary
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Global Youth Tobacco Survey (GYTS)	Survey
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KEYWORDS

Keyword
adolescents
noncommunicable diseases
risk factors
health surveys
tobacco

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

Monrovia region

UNIVERSE

School-going adolescents aged 13-15 years.

Producers and sponsors

PRIMARY INVESTIGATORS

Name
Ministry of Health

FUNDING AGENCY/SPONSOR

Name	Abbreviation
World Health Organization	WHO
US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	CDC

Sampling

SAMPLING PROCEDURE

GYTS uses a global standardized methodology that includes a two-stage sample design with schools selected with a probability proportional to enrollment size. The classes within selected schools are chosen randomly and all students in selected classes are eligible to participate in the survey.

Eligible students in grades 6, 7, 8, and 9 completed the survey, of which 660 were aged 13-15 years.

RESPONSE RATE

The school response rate was 88.0%, the class response rate was 100.0%, the student response rate was 81.0% and the overall response rate was 71.2%.

WEIGHTING

The weighting formula used is:

$$W=W1 * W2 * f1 * f2 * f3*f4$$

The list below shows what each variable in the formula represents.

W1 - The inverse of the probability of selecting the school

W2 - The inverse of the probability of selecting the class within the school

f1 - a school-level nonresponse adjustment factor calculated by school size category (small, medium, large)

f2 - a class adjustment factor calculated by school

f3 - a student-level nonresponse adjustment factor calculated by class
 f4 - a post stratification adjustment factor calculated by gender and grade

data_collection

DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start	End
2008	2008

DATA COLLECTION MODE

self-administered

data_processing

DATA EDITING

All data processing (scanning, cleaning, editing, and weighting) was conducted at the US Centers for Disease Control.

Access policy

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ACCESS CONDITIONS

The user undertakes:

- (1) to acknowledge the data source.
- (2) to share any planned publications with WHO prior to publication.
- (3) to offer co-authorship of any reports or publications using the survey results to the coordinator of the survey.
- (4) to use the data for non-commercial, not-for-profit public health purposes only.

CITATION REQUIREMENTS

Publications based on GYTS data should use the following acknowledgement:
 "This paper uses data from the Global Youth Tobacco Survey (GYTS). GYTS is supported by the World Health Organization and the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention."

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Metadata production

DDI DOCUMENT ID

DDI_LBR_2008_GYTS_v01_M

PRODUCERS

Name	Abbreviation	Affiliation	Role
Yue Wu		World Health Organization	Documentation of data

Melanie Cowan		World Health Organization	Supervision and review of metadata and documentation of study
Development Economics Data Group	DECDG	The World Bank	Metadata adapted for World Bank Microdata Library

DATE OF METADATA PRODUCTION

2018-08-22

DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

Identical to a metadata (LBR_2008_GYTS_v01) published on WHO NCD microdata repository (<http://extranet.who.int/ncdsmicrodata/index.php/catalog>). Some of the metadata fields have been edited.

data_dictionary

Data file	Cases	variables
LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS Monrovia public-use dataset	1739	57

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Monrovia public-use dataset

Cases: 1739

variables: 57

variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V1	FinalWgt	FinalWgt	
V2	CR1	Tried smoking	Have you ever tried or experimented with cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?
V3	CR2	Age first cigarette	How old were you when you first tried a cigarette?
V4	CR3	Smoked past 30 days	During the past 30 days (one month), on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?
V5	CR4	Cigarettes per day	During the past 30 days (one month), on the days you smoked, how many cigarettes did you usually smoke?
V6	CR5	Obtain cigarettes past 30 days	During the past 30 days (one month), how did you usually get your own cigarettes? (SELECT ONLY ONE ANSWER)
V59	LRR6	Cigarette brand past 30 days	During the past 30 days (one month), what type of cigarettes did you usually smoke? (SELECT ONLY ONE ANSWER)
V8	CR7	Refuse to sell cigarettes due to age	During the past 30 days (one month), did anyone ever refuse to sell you cigarettes because of your age?
V9	CR8	Smoked tobacco products past 30 days	During the past 30 days (one month), did you use any form of smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes (e.g. cigars, water pipes, cigarillos, little cigars, pipes)?
V10	CR9	Smokeless tobacco products past 30 days	During the past 30 days (one month), did you use any form of smokeless tobacco products (e.g. chewing tobacco, snuff, dip)?
V11	CR10	Usual smoking location	Where do you usually smoke (SELECT ONLY ONE RESPONSE)
V12	CR11	Smoke first thing morning	Do you ever have a cigarette or feel like having a cigarette first thing in the morning?
V13	CR12	Parents smoke	Do your parents smoke?
V61	LRR13	Best friends offer cigarette	If one of your best friends gives you a cigarette, would you smoke it?
V15	CR14	Family discuss harmful effects smoking	Has anyone in your family discussed the harmful effects of smoking with you?
V16	LRR15	Use cigarette next 12 months	At any time during the next 12 months do you think you will smoke a cigarette?
V17	LRR16	Smoke in 5 years	Do you think you will be smoking cigarettes 5 years from now?
V18	LRR17	Difficult to quit smoking	Once someone has started smoking, do you think it would be hard to stop?
V19	CR18	Boys smoke friends	Do you think boys who smoke cigarettes have more or less friends?
V20	CR19	Girls smoke friends	Do you think girls who smoke cigarettes have more or less friends?
V21	CR20	Smoking helps feel comfortable socially	Does smoking cigarettes help people feel more or less comfortable at celebrations, parties, or in social gatherings?
V22	CR21	Boys smoking attractive	Do you think smoking cigarettes makes boys look more or less attractive?
V23	CR22	Girls smoking attractive	Do you think smoking cigarettes makes girls look more or less attractive?
V24	CR23	Smoking weight gain/loss	Do you think that smoking cigarettes makes you gain or lose weight?
V25	LRR24	Smoking harmful to health	Do you think cigarette smoking is harmful to your health?
V26	CR25	Closest friends smoke	Do any of your closest friends smoke cigarettes?

ID	Name	Label	Question
V63	LRR26	Man smoking opinions	When you see a man smoking what do you think of him? (SELECT ONLY ONE ANSWER)
V65	LRR27	Woman smoking opinions	When you see a women smoking, what do you think of her? (SELECT ONLY ONE ANSWER)
V29	LRR28	Smoking safe one/two years	Do you think it is safe to smoke for only a year or two as long as you stop after that?
V30	LRR29	Think other people smoking harmful	Do you think the smoke from other people's cigarettes is harmful to you?
V31	CR30	Smoked inside home in your presence	During the past 7 days, on how many days have people smoked in your home, in your presence
V32	CR31	Smoked outside home in your presence	During the past 7 days, on how many days have people smoked in your presence, in places other than in your home?
V33	CR32	Banning smoking public places	Are you in favor of banning smoking in public places (such as in restaurants, in buses, taxis, and trains and airplanes, in schools, in hospitals, on playgrounds, airport waiting halls, and sports arenas and in clubs)?
V34	CR33	Want to stop smoking now	Do you want to stop smoking now?
V35	CR34	Try stop smoking past 12 months	During the past year, have you ever tried to stop smoking cigarettes?
V36	CR35	How long ago did you stop smoking	How long ago did you stop smoking?
V37	CR36	Main reason stop smoking	What was the main reason you decided to stop smoking? (SELECT ONE ANSWER ONLY)
V38	CR37	Stop smoking if wanted to	Do you think you would be able to stop smoking if you wanted to?
V39	CR38	Received help/advice stop smoking	Have you ever received help or advice to help you stop smoking? (Select only one response)
V40	CR39	Anti-smoking media	During the past 30 days (one month), how many anti-smoking media messages (e.g. television, radio, billboards, posters, newspapers, magazines, movies) have you seen or heard?
V41	CR40	Anti-smoking messages events	When you go to sports events, fairs, concerts, community events, or social gatherings, how often do you see anti-smoking messages?
V42	CR41	See smoking on screen	When you watch TV, videos, or movies, how often do you see actors smoking?
V43	CR42	Own cigarette product brand logo	Do you have something (t-shirt, pen, backpack, etc.) with a cigarette brand logo on it?
V44	CR43	See cigarette brand watch TV	During the past 30 days (one month), when you watched sports events or other programs on TV how often did you see cigarette brand names?
V45	CR44	Cigarette advertisements billboards/point of sale	During the past 30 days (one month), how many advertisements for cigarettes have you seen on billboards or points of sale?
V46	CR45	Cigarette advertisement newspapers	During the past 30 days (one month), how many advertisements or promotions for cigarettes have you seen in newspapers or magazines?
V47	CR46	Cigarette advertisement events	When you go to sports events, fairs, concerts, or community events, how often do you see advertisements for cigarettes?
V48	CR47	Offered free cigarette	Has a (cigarette representative) ever offered you a free cigarette?
V49	CR48	Taught dangers of smoking	During this school year, were you taught in any of your classes about the dangers of smoking?
V50	CR49	In school discuss smoking	During this school year, did you discuss in any of your classes the reasons why people your age smoke?
V51	CR50	Taught effects of smoking	During this school year, were you taught in any of your classes about the effects of smoking, like it makes your teeth yellow, causes wrinkles, or makes you smell bad?
V52	CR51	Last lesson discuss smoking	How long ago did you last discuss smoking and health as part of a lesson?
V53	CR52	Custom age	How old are you?
V54	CR53	Sex	What is your sex?

ID	Name	Label	Question
V67	LRR54	In what grade are you	In what grade/form are you?
V56	Stratum	Stratum	
V57	PSU	PSU	

total: 57

FINALWGT: FinalWgt**Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS****Overview**

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Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

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0.2%

CR9: Smokeless tobacco products past 30 days**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1695 Invalid: 44

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), did you use any form of smokeless tobacco products (e.g. chewing tobacco, snuff, dip)?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	191	11.3%
2	No	1504	88.7%
Sysmiss		44	

CR1: Tried smoking**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1608 Invalid: 131

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Have you ever tried or experimented with cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	184	11.4%
2	No	1424	88.6%
Sysmiss		131	

CR2: Age first cigarette**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1652 Invalid: 87
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 7 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How old were you when you first tried a cigarette?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I have never smoked cigarettes	1584	95.9%
2	7 years old or younger	32	1.9%
3	8 or 9 years old	9	0.5%
4	10 or 11 years old	8	0.5%
5	12 or 13 years old	2	0.1%
6	14 or 15 years old	8	0.5%
7	16 years old or older	9	0.5%
Sysmiss		87	

CR3: Smoked past 30 days

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1615 Invalid: 124
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 7 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	0 days	1573	97.4%
2	1 or 2 days	21	1.3%
3	3 to 5 days	12	0.7%
4	6 to 9 days	3	0.2%
5	10 to 19 days	0	0%
6	20 to 29 days	1	0.1%
7	All 30 days	5	0.3%
Sysmiss		124	

CR4: Cigarettes per day**Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS****Overview**

Valid: 1648 Invalid: 91
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), on the days you smoked, how many cigarettes did you usually smoke?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days (one month)	1582	96%
2	Less than 1 cigarette per day	24	1.5%
3	1 cigarette per day	18	1.1%
4	2 to 5 cigarettes per day	17	1%
5	6 to 10 cigarettes per day	4	0.2%
6	11 to 20 cigarettes per day	2	0.1%
7	More than 20 cigarettes per day	1	0.1%
Sysmiss		91	

LRR6: Cigarette brand past 30 days**Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS****Overview**

Valid: 1725 Invalid: 14
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), what type of cigarettes did you usually smoke? (SELECT ONLY ONE ANSWER)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days	1612	93.4%
2	No usual brand	52	3%
3	Special	37	2.1%
4	Bond	9	0.5%
5	Delta	5	0.3%

6	Marlboro	2	0.1%
7	King Size	1	0.1%
8	Other	7	0.4%
Sysmiss		14	

CR5: Obtain cigarettes past 30 days

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1727 Invalid: 12
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), how did you usually get your own cigarettes? (SELECT ONLY ONE ANSWER)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days (one month)	1609	93.2%
2	I bought them in a store, shop, or from a street vendor	51	3%
3	I bought them from a vending machine	21	1.2%
4	I gave someone else money to buy them for me	17	1%
5	I borrowed them from someone else	5	0.3%
6	I stole them	7	0.4%
7	An older person gave them to me	13	0.8%
8	I got them some other way	4	0.2%
Sysmiss		12	

CR7: Refuse to sell cigarettes due to age

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1720 Invalid: 19
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), did anyone ever refuse to sell you cigarettes because of your age?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I did not try to buy cigarettes during the past 30 days (one month)	1470	85.5%
2	Yes, someone refused to sell me cigarettes because of my age	159	9.2%
3	No, my age did not keep me from buying cigarettes	91	5.3%
Sysmiss		19	

CR8: Smoked tobacco products past 30 days

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), did you use any form of smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes (e.g. cigars, water pipes cigarillos, little cigars, pipes)?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	196	11.5%
2	No	1509	88.5%
Sysmiss		34	

CR10: Usual smoking location

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you usually smoke (SELECT ONLY ONE RESPONSE)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I have never smoked cigarettes	1594	92.1%
2	At home	60	3.5%
3	At school	21	1.2%
4	At work	7	0.4%

5	At friends' houses	18	1%
6	At social events	9	0.5%
7	In public spaces (e.g. parks, shopping centres, street corners)	13	0.8%
8	Other	8	0.5%
Sysmiss		9	

CR11: Smoke first thing morning

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1723 Invalid: 16

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you ever have a cigarette or feel like having a cigarette first thing in the morning?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I have never smoked cigarettes	1306	75.8%
2	I no longer smoke cigarettes	95	5.5%
3	No, I don't have or feel like having a cigarette first thing in the morning	289	16.8%
4	Yes, I sometimes have or feel like having a cigarette first thing in the morning	25	1.5%
5	Yes, I always have or feel like having a cigarette first thing in the morning	8	0.5%
Sysmiss		16	

CR12: Parents smoke

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1719 Invalid: 20

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do your parents smoke?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	None	1464	85.2%

2	Both	33	1.9%
3	Father only	93	5.4%
4	Mother only	8	0.5%
5	I don't know	121	7%
Sysmiss		20	

CR14: Family discuss harmful effects smoking

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1708 Invalid: 31

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Has anyone in your family discussed the harmful effects of smoking with you?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	991	58%
2	No	717	42%
Sysmiss		31	

LRR15: Use cigarette next 12 months

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1721 Invalid: 18

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

At any time during the next 12 months do you think you will smoke a cigarette?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No	1593	92.6%
2	Yes	56	3.3%
3	Maybe	21	1.2%
4	I don't know	51	3%

Sysmiss		18	
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LRR16: Smoke in 5 years

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1725 Invalid: 14
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think you will be smoking cigarettes 5 years from now?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No	1592	92.3%
2	Yes	39	2.3%
3	Maybe	29	1.7%
4	I don't know	65	3.8%
Sysmiss		14	

LRR17: Difficult to quit smoking

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1721 Invalid: 18
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Once someone has started smoking, do you think it would be hard to stop?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No	543	31.6%
2	Yes	817	47.5%
3	Maybe	122	7.1%
4	I don't know	239	13.9%
Sysmiss		18	

CR18: Boys smoke friends**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1711 Invalid: 28
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think boys who smoke cigarettes have more or less friends?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	More friends	618	36.1%
2	Less friends	806	47.1%
3	No difference from non-smokers	287	16.8%
Sysmiss		28	

CR19: Girls smoke friends**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1717 Invalid: 22
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think girls who smoke cigarettes have more or less friends?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	More friends	513	29.9%
2	Less friends	925	53.9%
3	No difference from non-smokers	279	16.2%
Sysmiss		22	

LRR13: Best friends offer cigarette**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1729 Invalid: 10
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

If one of your best friends gives you a cigarette, would you smoke it?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No	1644	95.1%
2	Yes	51	2.9%
3	Maybe	19	1.1%
4	I don't know	15	0.9%
Sysmiss		10	

CR20: Smoking helps feel comfortable socially

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1712 Invalid: 27

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Does smoking cigarettes help people feel more or less comfortable at celebrations, parties, or in social gatherings?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	More comfortable	466	27.2%
2	Less comfortable	995	58.1%
3	No difference from non-smokers	251	14.7%
Sysmiss		27	

CR21: Boys smoking attractive

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1704 Invalid: 35

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think smoking cigarettes makes boys look more or less attractive?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	More attractive	446	26.2%
2	Less attractive	1028	60.3%
3	No difference from non-smokers	230	13.5%
Sysmiss		35	

CR22: Girls smoking attractive

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1716 Invalid: 23

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think smoking cigarettes makes girls look more or less attractive?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	More attractive	443	25.8%
2	Less attractive	1064	62%
3	No difference from non-smokers	209	12.2%
Sysmiss		23	

CR23: Smoking weight gain/loss

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1715 Invalid: 24

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think that smoking cigarettes makes you gain or lose weight?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Gain weight	155	9%
2	Lose weight	1406	82%
3	No difference	154	9%

Sysmiss		24	
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LRR24: Smoking harmful to health

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1718 Invalid: 21
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think cigarette smoking is harmful to your health?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No	492	28.6%
2	Yes	1156	67.3%
3	Maybe	23	1.3%
4	I don't know	47	2.7%
Sysmiss		21	

CR25: Closest friends smoke

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1726 Invalid: 13
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do any of your closest friends smoke cigarettes?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	None of them	1434	83.1%
2	Some of them	258	14.9%
3	Most of them	20	1.2%
4	All of them	14	0.8%
Sysmiss		13	

LRR28: Smoking safe one/two years**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1716 Invalid: 23
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think it is safe to smoke for only a year or two as long as you stop after that?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No	1173	68.4%
2	Yes	168	9.8%
3	Maybe	75	4.4%
4	I don't know	300	17.5%
Sysmiss		23	

LRR29: Think other people smoking harmful**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1719 Invalid: 20
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 4 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think the smoke from other people's cigarettes is harmful to you?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No	519	30.2%
2	Yes	1122	65.3%
3	Maybe	19	1.1%
4	I don't know	59	3.4%
Sysmiss		20	

LRR26: Man smoking opinions**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1722 Invalid: 17

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

When you see a man smoking what do you think of him? (SELECT ONLY ONE ANSWER)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Hopeless	1078	62.6%
2	Stupid	424	24.6%
3	Loser	164	9.5%
4	Successful	20	1.2%
5	Intelligent	19	1.1%
6	Body Man	17	1%
Sysmiss		17	

LRR27: Woman smoking opinions

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1719 Invalid: 20

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

When you see a women smoking, what do you think of her? (SELECT ONLY ONE ANSWER)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Hopeless	1069	62.2%
2	Stupid	369	21.5%
3	Loser	149	8.7%
4	Successful	26	1.5%
5	Intelligent	17	1%
6	Big time	89	5.2%
Sysmiss		20	

CR30: Smoked inside home in your presence**Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS****Overview**

Valid: 1712 Invalid: 27
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 7 days, on how many days have people smoked in your home, in your presence

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	0	1269	74.1%
2	1 to 2	200	11.7%
3	3 to 4	77	4.5%
4	5 to 6	66	3.9%
5	7	100	5.8%
Sysmiss		27	

CR31: Smoked outside home in your presence**Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS****Overview**

Valid: 1719 Invalid: 20
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 7 days, on how many days have people smoked in your presence, in places other than in your home?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	0	941	54.7%
2	1 to 2	378	22%
3	3 to 4	144	8.4%
4	5 to 6	101	5.9%
5	7	155	9%
Sysmiss		20	

CR32: Banning smoking public places**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1687 Invalid: 52

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Are you in favor of banning smoking in public places (such as in restaurants, in buses, taxis, and trains and airplanes, in schools, in hospitals, on playgrounds, airport waiting halls, and sports arenas and in clubs)?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	1	1297	76.9%
2	2	390	23.1%
Sysmiss		52	

CR33: Want to stop smoking now**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1713 Invalid: 26

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you want to stop smoking now?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I have never smoked cigarettes	1430	83.5%
2	I do not smoke now	86	5%
3	Yes	153	8.9%
4	No	44	2.6%
Sysmiss		26	

CR34: Try stop smoking past 12 months**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1724 Invalid: 15

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past year, have you ever tried to stop smoking cigarettes?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I have never smoked cigarettes	1454	84.3%
2	I did not smoke during the past year	140	8.1%
3	Yes	65	3.8%
4	No	65	3.8%
Sysmiss		15	

CR35: How long ago did you stop smoking

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1725 Invalid: 14

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How long ago did you stop smoking?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I have never smoked cigarettes	1597	92.6%
2	I have not stopped smoking	49	2.8%
3	1-3 months	32	1.9%
4	4-11 months	8	0.5%
5	One year	10	0.6%
6	2 years	3	0.2%
7	3 years or longer	26	1.5%
Sysmiss		14	

CR36: Main reason stop smoking

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1723 Invalid: 16
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What was the main reason you decided to stop smoking? (SELECT ONE ANSWER ONLY)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I have never smoked cigarettes	1508	87.5%
2	I have not stopped smoking	44	2.6%
3	To improve my health	104	6%
4	To save money	20	1.2%
5	Because my family does not like it	40	2.3%
6	Because my friends don't like it	3	0.2%
7	Other	4	0.2%
Sysmiss		16	

CR37: Stop smoking if wanted to

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1724 Invalid: 15
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you think you would be able to stop smoking if you wanted to?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I have never smoked cigarettes	1479	85.8%
2	I have already stopped smoking cigarettes	73	4.2%
3	Yes	133	7.7%
4	No	39	2.3%
Sysmiss		15	

CR38: Received help/advice stop smoking

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1722 Invalid: 17
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Have you ever received help or advice to help you stop smoking? (Select only one response)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I have never smoked cigarettes	1460	84.8%
2	Yes, from a program or professional	85	4.9%
3	Yes, from a friend	42	2.4%
4	Yes, from a family member	42	2.4%
5	Yes, from both programs or professionals and from friends or family members	59	3.4%
6	No	34	2%
Sysmiss		17	

CR39: Anti-smoking media

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1682 Invalid: 57
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), how many anti-smoking media messages (e.g. television, radio, billboards, posters, newspapers, magazines, movies) have you seen or heard?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	A lot	856	50.9%
2	A few	337	20%
3	None	489	29.1%
Sysmiss		57	

CR40: Anti-smoking messages events

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1717 Invalid: 22
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

When you go to sports events, fairs, concerts, community events, or social gatherings, how often do you see anti-smoking messages?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I never go to sports events, fairs, concerts, community events, or social gatherings	670	39%
2	A lot	336	19.6%
3	Sometimes	404	23.5%
4	Never	307	17.9%
Sysmiss		22	

CR41: See smoking on screen

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1713 Invalid: 26
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

When you watch TV, videos, or movies, how often do you see actors smoking?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I never watch TV, videos, or movies	225	13.1%
2	A lot	694	40.5%
3	Sometimes	687	40.1%
4	Never	107	6.2%
Sysmiss		26	

CR42: Own cigarette product brand logo

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1654 Invalid: 85

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you have something (t-shirt, pen, backpack, etc.) with a cigarette brand logo on it?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	288	17.4%
2	No	1366	82.6%
Sysmiss		85	

CR43: See cigarette brand watch TV

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1720 Invalid: 19

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), when you watched sports events or other programs on TV how often did you see cigarette brand names?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I never watch TV	289	16.8%
2	A lot	387	22.5%
3	Sometimes	601	34.9%
4	Never	443	25.8%
Sysmiss		19	

CR44: Cigarette advertisements billboards/point of sale

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1673 Invalid: 66

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), how many advertisements for cigarettes have you seen on billboards or points of sale?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	A lot	421	25.2%
2	A few	552	33%
3	None	700	41.8%
Sysmiss		66	

CR45: Cigarette advertisement newspapers

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1685 Invalid: 54

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 3 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During the past 30 days (one month), how many advertisements or promotions for cigarettes have you seen in newspapers or magazines?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	A lot	363	21.5%
2	A few	482	28.6%
3	None	840	49.9%
Sysmiss		54	

CR46: Cigarette advertisement events

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1716 Invalid: 23

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

When you go to sports events, fairs, concerts, or community events, how often do you see advertisements for cigarettes?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	I never attend sports events, fairs, concerts, or community events	621	36.2%

2	A lot	236	13.8%
3	Sometimes	442	25.8%
4	Never	417	24.3%
Sysmiss		23	

CR47: Offered free cigarette

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1653 Invalid: 86
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Has a (cigarette representative) ever offered you a free cigarette?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	341	20.6%
2	No	1312	79.4%
Sysmiss		86	

CR48: Taught dangers of smoking

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1690 Invalid: 49
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During this school year, were you taught in any of your classes about the dangers of smoking?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	791	46.8%
2	No	739	43.7%
3	Not sure	160	9.5%
Sysmiss		49	

CR49: In school discuss smoking**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1697 Invalid: 42
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During this school year, did you discuss in any of your classes the reasons why people your age smoke?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	610	35.9%
2	No	993	58.5%
3	Not sure	94	5.5%
Sysmiss		42	

CR50: Taught effects of smoking**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1688 Invalid: 51
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

During this school year, were you taught in any of your classes about the effects of smoking, like it makes your teeth yellow, causes wrinkles, or makes you smell bad?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	841	49.8%
2	No	742	44%
3	Not sure	105	6.2%
Sysmiss		51	

CR51: Last lesson discuss smoking**Data file:** LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS**Overview**

Valid: 1687 Invalid: 52

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How long ago did you last discuss smoking and health as part of a lesson?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Never	848	50.3%
2	This term	249	14.8%
3	Last term	181	10.7%
4	2 terms ago	111	6.6%
5	3 terms ago	43	2.5%
6	More than a year ago	255	15.1%
Sysmiss		52	

CR52: Custom age

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1679 Invalid: 60

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How old are you?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	11 years old or younger	113	6.7%
2	12 years old	120	7.1%
3	13 years old	157	9.4%
4	14 years old	206	12.3%
5	15 years old	297	17.7%
6	16 years old	296	17.6%
7	17 years old or older	490	29.2%
Sysmiss		60	

CR53: Sex

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1660 Invalid: 79
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What is your sex?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Male	840	50.6%
2	Female	820	49.4%
Sysmiss		79	

STRATUM: Stratum

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1739 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 200801001 - 200801025 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
200801001		236	13.6%
200801002		80	4.6%
200801003		90	5.2%
200801004		199	11.4%
200801005		150	8.6%
200801006		123	7.1%
200801007		147	8.5%
200801008		213	12.2%
200801009		228	13.1%
200801010		242	13.9%
200801011		31	1.8%

PSU: PSU

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1739 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: 1 - 50 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1		166	9.5%
2		70	4%
3		21	1.2%
4		59	3.4%
5		37	2.1%
6		53	3%
7		112	6.4%
8		87	5%
9		82	4.7%
10		68	3.9%
11		27	1.6%
12		96	5.5%
13		95	5.5%
14		52	3%
15		128	7.4%
16		85	4.9%
17		140	8.1%
18		88	5.1%
19		231	13.3%
20		11	0.6%
21		13	0.7%
22		18	1%

LRR54: In what grade are you

Data file: LIBERIA_08_Monrovia_GYTS

Overview

Valid: 1671 Invalid: 68
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Range: - Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In what grade/form are you?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	6 grade	429	25.7%
2	7 grade	372	22.3%
3	8 grade	610	36.5%
4	9 grade	260	15.6%
Sysmiss		68	

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