

Resource Summary Report

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Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System

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Resource Information

URL: <http://www.cdc.gov/brfss>

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Description: The Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) is a state-based system of health surveys that collects information on health risk behaviors, preventive health practices, and health care access primarily related to chronic disease and injury. For many states, the BRFSS is the only available source of timely, accurate data on health-related behaviors. BRFSS was established in 1984 by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC); currently data are collected monthly in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and Guam. More than 350,000 adults are interviewed each year, making the BRFSS the largest telephone health survey in the world. States use BRFSS data to identify emerging health problems, establish and track health objectives, and develop and evaluate public health policies and programs. Many states also use BRFSS data to support health-related legislative efforts. Sponsors: This resource is supported by the Center for Disease Control. Keywords: Behavioral, Risk, Factor, Surveillance, System, Health, Disease, Chronic, Injury, Health, Behavior, Health,

Synonyms: BRFSS

Resource Type: data or information resource, topical portal, portal, disease-related portal, research forum portal

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System.

No alerts have been found for Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 327 mentions in open access literature.

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