

Mott Poll Questions



Alcohol & Special Events

The following questions were answered by parents of children age 0-9 years.

Q1. Do you ever drink alcoholic beverages during special events and celebrations?

1. Often
2. Sometimes
3. Rarely
4. Never

Q2. When you have a special event or celebration that might include alcohol, how likely are you to make plans or think in advance about the following?

- a. How much you will drink/whether to limit the amount
 1. Very likely
 2. Somewhat likely
 3. Not likely
- b. Transportation for yourself (e.g., designated driver)
 1. Very likely
 2. Somewhat likely
 3. Not likely
- c. Someone to watch your child(ren) during the event
 1. Very likely
 2. Somewhat likely
 3. Not likely
- d. Whether you'll be able to take care of your child(ren) the next day
 1. Very likely
 2. Somewhat likely
 3. Not likely

Q3. Do you know an adult who might have caused an unsafe situation for their child due to drinking alcohol on a special occasion?

1. Yes
2. No

Q4. What unsafe situation did that adult cause? Select all that apply.

1. Got violent or out of control in front of child
2. Was too impaired/hungover to supervise child
3. Injured child because of being too impaired
4. Was too impaired to handle a possible emergency
5. Drove with child while impaired

Q5. Have you ever felt you were too impaired from alcohol to take care of your parenting responsibilities?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Maybe

Q6. Did you make any changes as a result of that situation?

1. Limit your alcohol consumption in the future
2. Plan ahead for someone to watch your children
3. Stop drinking entirely
4. Other
5. No changes

Participants were also asked demographic questions on gender, race/ethnicity, annual household income, education and insurance status.

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