

# **EAST BAY REGIONAL NEEDS ASSESSMENT**

Bristol Chart Book June 2017

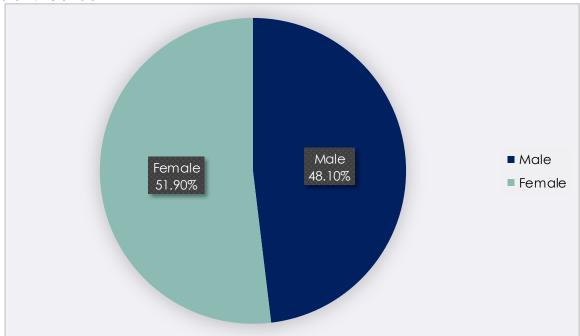
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### **DEMOGRAPHICS**

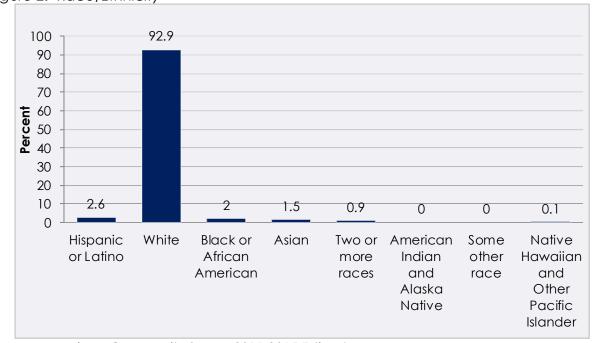
Total Population: 22364

Figure 1. Gender



Source: American Community Survey 2011-2015 Estimates

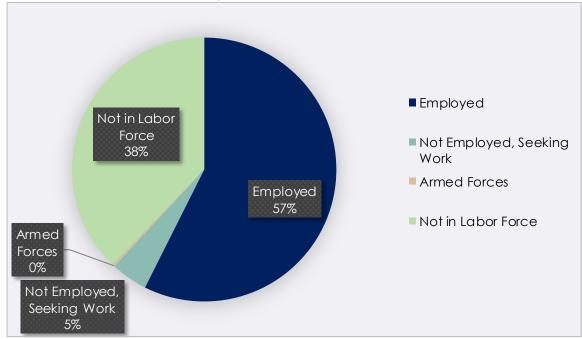
Figure 2. Race/Ethnicity



Source: American Community Survey 2011-2015 Estimates

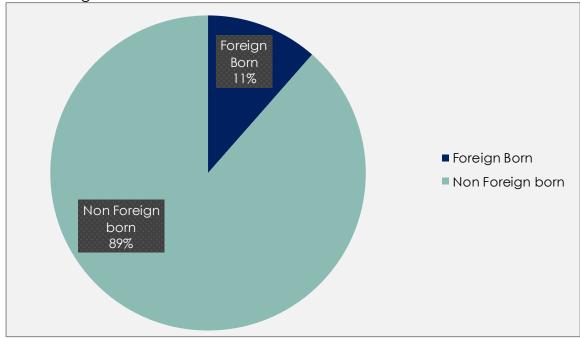
Unemployment Rate, 2016: 4.9%

Figure 3. Labor Force Breakdown, 2011-2015



Source: American Community Survey 2011-2015 Estimates

Figure 4. Foreign Born Rate

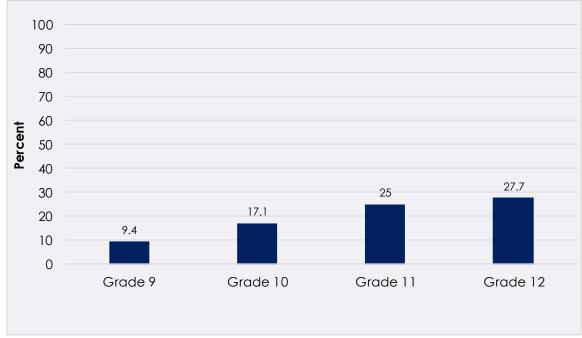


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## **SUBSTANCE MISUSE**

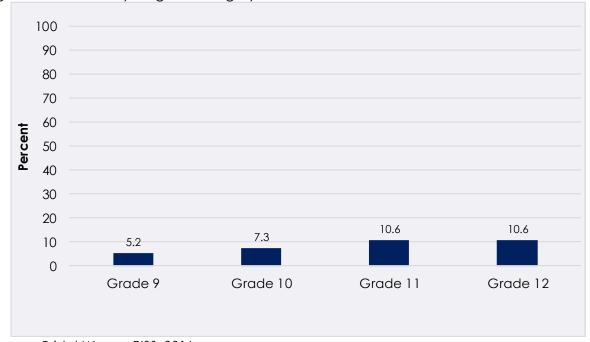
# **Alcohol**

Figure 5. Past 30 Day Alcohol Use by Grade



Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

Figure 6. Past 30 Day Binge Drinking by Grade



Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

Table 1. Alcohol Risk Factors in Bristol-Warren

Measure	Percent
Five or More Drinks Once/Twice per Week:	68.2
Great or Moderate Risk	
Parents Think Wrong/Very Wrong Have 1 or	93
2 Drinks Nearly Every Day	
Friends Think Wrong/Very Wrong Have 1 or	76
2 Drinks Nearly Every Day	
Easy/Very Easy get Alcohol	62

Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

Table 2. Alcohol Indicators in Bristol

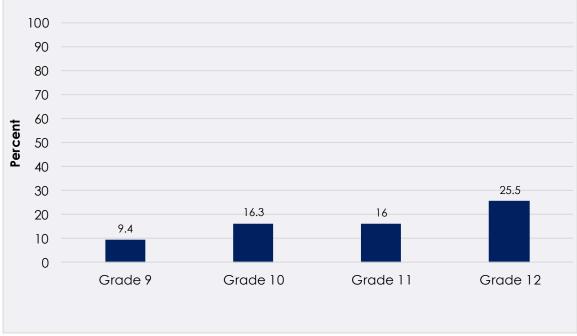
Indicator	Estimate
Arrests for Liquor Law Violations (2015)	19#
Adults 60+ Who Were Excessive Drinkers*	11%

Source: Bristol Police Department (Arrests) and Tufts Health Plan Foundation, Rhode Island Healthy Aging Community Profile (Excessive Drinkers)

<sup>\*</sup>Pooled community estimate for Bristol, Bristol, Warren

# Marijuana

Figure 7. Past 30 Day Use



Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

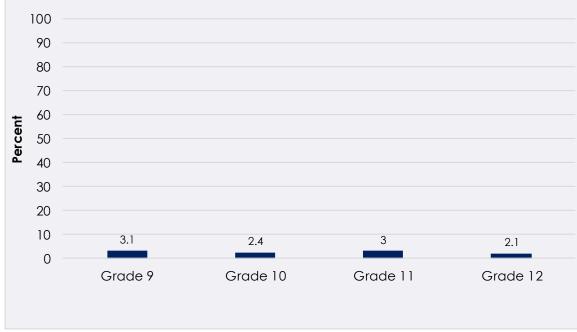
Table 3. Marijuana Risk Factors in Bristol-Warren

Measure	Percent
Smoke Marijuana Once/Twice per Week:	39
Great or Moderate Risk	
Parents Tthink Wrong/Very Wrong Smoke	87
Marijuana	
Friends Tthink Wrong/Very Wrong Smoke	53
Marijuana	
Easy/Very Easy get Marijuana	60

Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

# **Other Drugs**

Figure 8. Past 30 Day Non-Medical Use of Prescription Drugs



Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

Table 4. Other Drugs Risk Factors in Bristol-Warren

Measure	Percent
Use Prescription Drugs not Prescribed to	84.1
Them: Great or Moderate Risk	
Parents Think Wrong/Very Wrong use	98
Prescription Drugs not Prescribed to you	
Friends Think Wrong/Very Wrong use	88
Prescription Drugs not Prescribed to you	

Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

Table 5. Drug Related Indicators in Bristol

Drug Related Indicators	Number
Drug-Related Arrests - (2015)	21
Drug-Related Arrests – Equipment (2015)	0
New Needle Exchange Clients (2015)	N/A
All Needle Exchange Clients (2015)	N/A
Overdose Deaths (2016)	5
ED Visits for Drug Overdoses (Feb 2016-March 2017)	17
Doses of Naloxone Administered (2016)	15
Pounds of Prescription Medication Collected (April 2017)	179

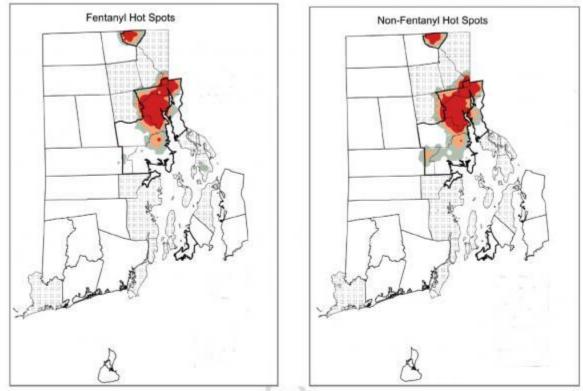
Sources: RI Uniform Crime Reports (Arrests), RI Department of Health (Needle Exchange), preventoverdoseri.org (Overdoses, ED Visits, Naloxone), Rhode Island Drug Take Back (Rx medication collected)

Table 6. Overdose Deaths in Bristol

	2014	2015	2016
Number of Deaths	<5	6	5

Source: Preventoverdoseri.org

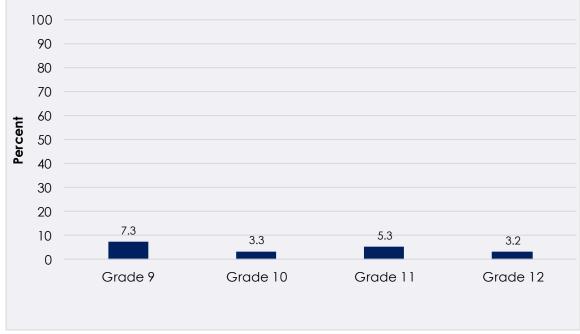
Figure 9. Fentanyl and Non-Fentanyl Overdose Deaths in Rhode Island



Source: Brown University study by Marshall et al. (2017)

### **Tobacco**

Figure 10. Past 30 Day Cigarette Use



Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

Table 7. Smoking Risk Factors in Bristol-Warren

Measure	Percent
Smoke one or More Packs of Cigarettes	82.3
per day: Great or Moderate Risk	
Parents Tthink Wrong/Very Wrong Smoke	95
Tobacco	
Friends Tthink Wrong/Very Wrong Smoke	77
Tobacco	
Easy/Very Easy get Cigarettes	56

Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

Table 8. Tobacco Indicators

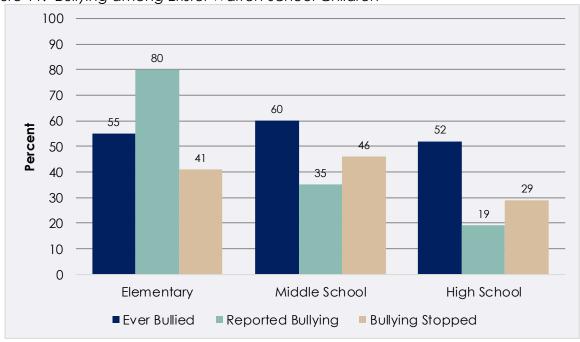
Indicator	Percentage
Elderly (60+) Who Smoke	5.8%

Source: Derived from BRFSS data by Tufts Health Plan Foundation, Rhode Island Healthy Aging Community Profile. Pooled estimate for Bristol, Bristol, and Warren.

### **VIOLENCE**

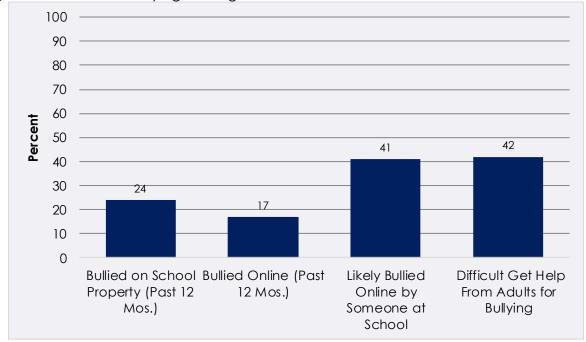
# **Bullying**

Figure 11. Bullying among Bristol-Warren School Children



Source: RI Kids Count, 2017

Figure 12. Past Year Bullying among Bristol-Warren School Children



Source: SurveyWorks, 2016-2017

### **Assaults and Other Violence**

Table 9. Dating Violence among Bristol-Warren Middle and High School Students

School District	Percent Reporting Dating Violence
Bristol-Warren	7%

Source: SurveyWorks, 2016-2017

Table 10. Students who Worry about Violence at Their School

District	Percent
Bristol-Warren	42%

Source: SurveyWorks, 2016-2017

Table 11. Assaults in Bristol

Measure	Estimate
In a Physical Fight (Mount Hope High)	11%
Arrests for Assault Offenses (Juveniles)	4#

Source: RI Kids Count, 2017

Table 12. Weapons in Bristol

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Measure	Estimate
Saw Another Student Bring a Weapon to School (Mount Hope High)	12%
Arrests for Weapons Offenses (Juveniles)	0#

Source: RI Kids Count, 2017

Table 13. Involvement in the Criminal Justice System in Bristol

Measure	Estimate
Youth at the Rhode Island Training School	0#
Incarcerated Parents	10#
Children of Incarcerated Parents	19#

Source: RI Kids Count, 2017

Table 14. Abuse and Neglect in Bristol

Measure	Estimate
Arrests for Non-Violent Family Offenses	1
Children Present During Domestic Violence Arrests	21#
Abused/Neglected Children	28#

Source: RI Kids Count, 2017

### **MENTAL HEALTH**

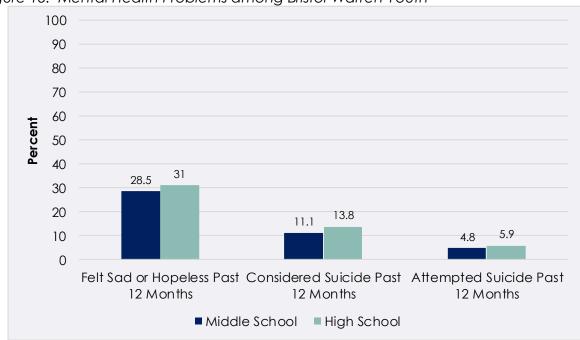


Figure 13. Mental Health Problems among Bristol-Warren Youth

Source: SurveyWorks, 2013-2014

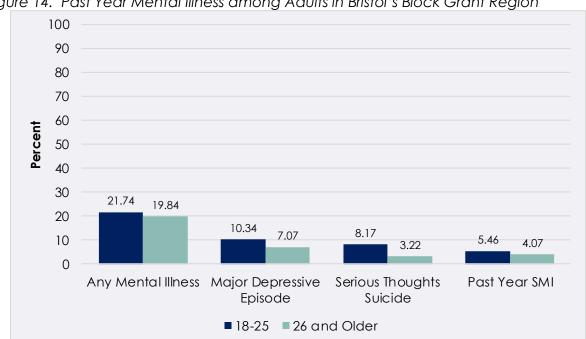


Figure 14. Past Year Mental Illness among Adults in Bristol's Block Grant Region

Source: National Survey on Drug Use and Health Substate Estimates: 2012-2014

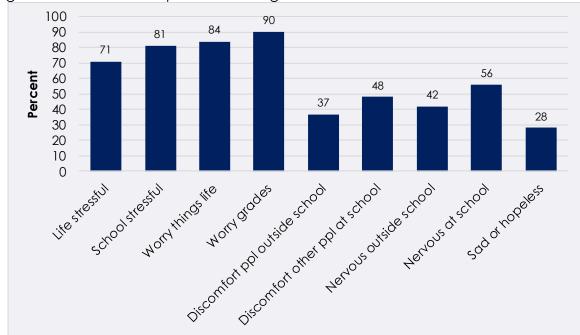


Figure 15. Stress and Depression among Bristol-Warren Public School District Students

Source: SurveyWorks, 2016-2017

Table 15. Stress and Anxiety among Adults in the Northeast

Mental Health Issue	Percent of Adults
Felt Nervous all or Most of the Time	4.8%
Felt Nervous Some of the Time	13.8%
Felt Restless all or Most of the Time	5.6%
Felt Restless Some of the Time	12.4%
Serious Psychological Distress	3.0%

Source: 2015 National Health Interview Survey

Table 16. Mental Health among Local Seniors Aged 60 and Over

Mental Health Issue	Percent of Seniors
Poor Mental Health Last Month	5.4%
Ever Diagnosed with Depression	28.6%

Source: Tufts Health Plan Foundation, Rhode Island Healthy Aging Community Profile. Pooled estimate for Bristol, Bristol, Warren.

### **RISK AND PROTECTIVE FACTORS**

# **Poverty**

Table 17. Poverty in Bristol

Item	Number with Risk Factor	Percent of Relevant Population
Children in Poverty	252	7.30%
Children Identified as Homeless by School Personnel (Bristol-Warren)	17	0.53%
Births to Mothers with Only a High School Diploma	141	19%
Births to Mothers with No Diploma	31	4%
Children Receiving SNAP	421	12%
Children Eligible for Free or Reduced-Price Lunch (Bristol-Warren)	1048	33%

Source: RI Kids Count, 2017

Table 18. Service Underutilization in Bristol-Warren

Item	Percent of Relevant Population
Potentially Eligible Populations not Receiving WIC	56%
Low Income Children Skipping Free School Breakfast	84%

Source: RI Kids Count, 2017

# **Transitions and Mobility**

During the 2015-2016 school year, 11% of children in the Bristol-Warren public school system changed schools (RI Kids Count, 2017).

### **Poor Academic Performance**

Table 19. Indicators of Academic Problems in Bristol-Warren

Item	Percent of Relevant Population
Reading	
Third Graders not Meeting Reading Expectations	52%
Seventh Graders not Meeting Reading Expectations	48%
Math	
Third Graders not Meeting Expectations in Math	44%
Fourth Graders not Meeting Expectations in Math	53%
Fifth Graders not Meeting Expectations in Math	53%
Sixth Graders not Meeting Expectations in Math	72%
Seventh Graders not Meeting Expectations in Math	60%

Source: RI Kids Count, 2017

<sup>\*</sup>Population Derived from American Community Survey

### **Lack of Commitment to School**

Table 20. Indicators of Low Commitment to School in Bristol-Warren

Item	Percent of Relevant Population
K-3 Grade Students Who Were Chronically Absent	8%
Middle School Students Who Were Chronically Absent	17%
High School Students Who Were Chronically Absent	27%
High Students Who Did Not Graduate in Four Years	10%
Students Who Dropped Out After First Year of College	48%

Source: RI Kids Count, 2017

### **Anti-Social Behavior**

During the 2015-2106 school year there were 1,032 disciplinary actions in the Bristol-Warren public schools (RI Kids Count, 2017).

## **Positive School Climate**

Table 21. School Climate Indicators in Bristol-Warren

School	Percent Reporting "Favorable Response"
School Has Positive Energy	46%
At Least One Teacher or Adult Can Talk to	88%
about Problems	

Source: SurveyWorks, 2016-2017

# **Family Environment**

Table 22. Family Indicators in Bristol-Warren

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Indicator	Percent
Talked with at Least one Parent about Dangers of	39.5%
ATOD use in Last 12 Months	
Familly has Clear Rules about Alcohol and Drug use:	18.6%
Strongly Agree or Disagree	

Source: Bristol-Warren RISS, 2016

# **COMMUNITY CONTEXT**

Table 23. Contextual Factors in Bristol-Warren that Inform Intervention Selection

Item	Percent of Relevant Population
English Language Learners	2%
Students Receiving Special Education Services	10%
Schools Identified for Intervention	0%

Source: RI Kids Count, 2017