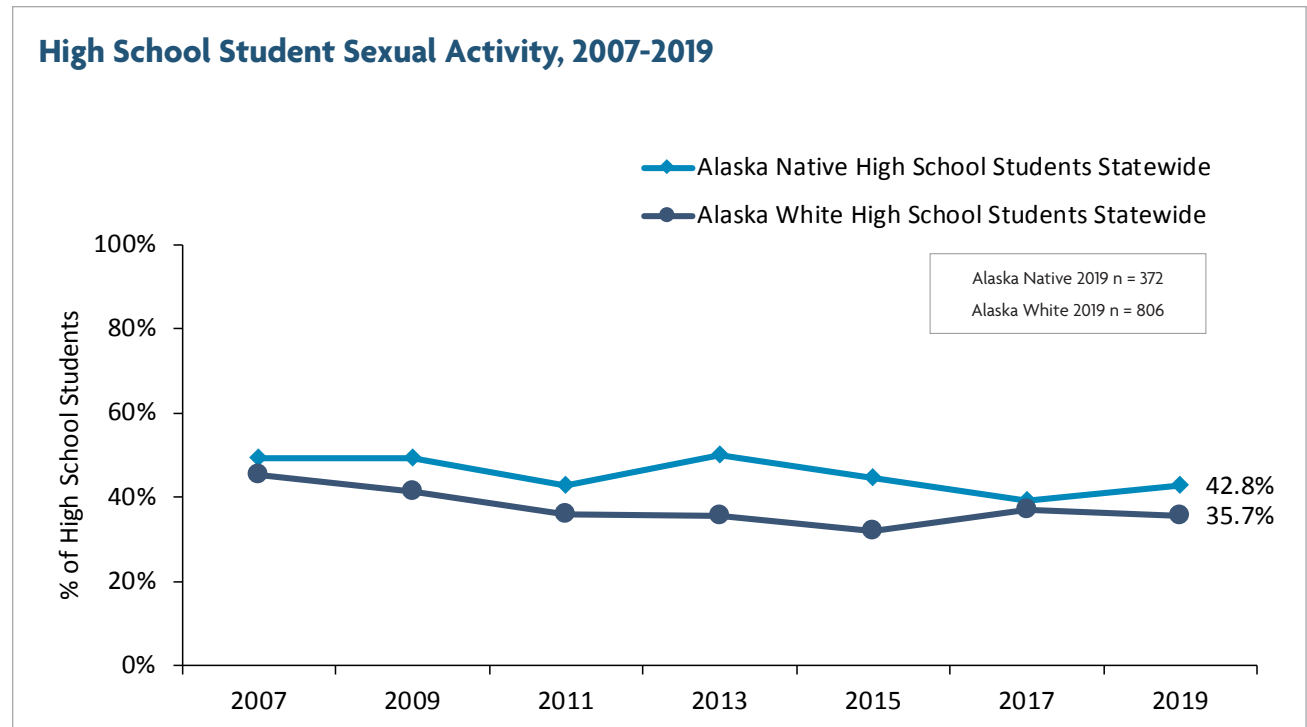


Sexual Activity



Data Sources: Alaska Division of Public Health, Alaska Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System
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Definition

Adolescent sexual activity is defined as the estimated percentage of high school students (grades 9-12) who have ever engaged in sexual intercourse.

Related Objectives

Increase the proportion of adolescents who have never had sex to 80.8%. - *HEALTHY PEOPLE 2030, OBJECTIVE FP-04*

Summary

- » In 2019, less than half (42.8%) of Alaska Native high school students reported having ever engaged in sexual intercourse.
- » In 2019, there was no statistically significant difference in sexual activity between Alaska Native and Alaska White high school students.
- » Sexual activity among Alaska Native high school students has remained relatively stable between 2007 and 2019.

Sexual Activity

Table C-97: High School Student Sexual Activity, 2007-2019

Data Source: Alaska Division of Public Health, Alaska Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System

		Alaska Native Students Statewide	Alaska White Students Statewide
2007	n	238	704
	%	49.3%	45.2%
	Confidence Interval	(43.6%-55.1%)	(40.3%-50.2%)
2009	n	268	582
	%	49.4%	41.3%
	Confidence Interval	(42.3%-56.5%)	(35.8%-47.0%)
2011	n	275	614
	%	42.6%	35.9%
	Confidence Interval	(34.6%-50.9%)	(30.3%-41.9%)
2013	n	250	551
	%	50.0%	35.7%
	Confidence Interval	(44.3%-55.7%)	(30.3%-41.5%)
2015	n	306	625
	%	44.4%	31.8%
	Confidence Interval	(40.2%-48.7%)	(27.3%-36.6%)
2017	n	301	538
	%	39.2%	37.1%
	Confidence Interval	(32.4%-46.4%)	(30.7%-44.0%)
2019	n	372	806
	%	42.8%	35.7%
	Confidence Interval	(37.1%-48.7%)	(31.1%-40.5%)