

**Q47:** During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have five or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?

Some students reported binge drinking.

- No significant differences were observed in the overall percentage of students had five or more drinks in a row at least once in the past 30 days between 1993 and 2005.
- A significant decrease in students who had five or more drinks in a row at least once in the past 30 days was observed for students in the ninth grade between 1993 and 2005.

	1993	1997	1999	2003	2005
<b>Total</b>	30.3%	30.3%	37.4%	26.6%	26.1%
<b>Male</b>	32.0%	33.6%	40.1%	30.4%	26.0%
<b>Female</b>	28.3%	27.1%	34.8%	22.5%	26.3%

