



## Health Statistics Available for KwaZulu-Natal

### Risk factors among children 11 to 20 years

	%
<b>Ever smokers<sup>1</sup></b>	18.2%
<b>Current smokers<sup>2</sup></b>	13.7%
<b>Ever used alcohol</b>	38.8%
<b>Overweight (25kg/m<sup>2</sup> by age 18)</b>	22.9%
<b>Obesity (30kg/ m<sup>2</sup> by age 18)</b>	2.2%

Reference: [Epi – V-25](#) - The first South African National Youth Risk Behaviour Survey, 2002.  
MRC and National Department of Health

1. ever tried smoking cigarette  
smoked cigarette on one or more days preceding the survey

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