

**Table 3-2  
Standard Errors\* for Current Asthma Population Estimates  
by Age, United States: National Health Interview Survey, 2004**

	Age (years)										
	All ages	Children	Adults	15 - 34							
	Total	Age <18	Age 18+	0 - 4	5 - 14	15 - 34	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 64	65 +
<b>Total:</b>	467,500	225,400	368,700	89,000	165,700	227,400	149,300	129,900	144,400	274,900	148,600
Male	294,900	171,400	225,600	64,500	140,700	158,200	115,600	83,900	94,300	156,200	85,200
Female	340,300	144,300	297,400	60,700	100,000	176,700	92,900	102,700	112,600	223,900	115,500
<b>White Non-Hispanic:</b>	401,700	174,100	339,800	73,100	124,300	200,700	123,400	116,000	129,600	249,800	142,400
Male	239,600	132,100	196,700	47,400	105,000	125,200	89,400	70,900	81,500	138,800	82,500
Female	305,300	118,100	274,000	53,200	78,000	159,700	82,600	94,000	101,200	202,900	112,100
<b>Black Non-Hispanic:</b>	190,900	115,900	134,900	41,700	90,100	111,200	67,500	52,600	55,100	91,300	36,700
Male	125,400	90,000	81,700	34,300	71,800	79,900	57,900	35,000	32,000	49,200	23,400
Female	116,700	60,500	97,200	26,900	50,200	71,300	32,000	39,300	41,900	67,100	27,300
<b>Other Races Non-Hispanic:</b>	82,400	42,700	65,400	11,800	34,300	33,200	17,100	10,900	26,300	54,300	16,700
Male	52,300	29,600	34,800	11,400	24,200	19,400	8,400	0	17,500	29,700	4,600
Female	59,500	28,800	52,800	3,300	24,400	27,000	14,900	10,900	19,600	43,600	16,100
<b>Hispanic:</b>	120,100	70,200	92,200	32,700	59,700	68,100	47,600	35,800	41,500	53,600	25,400
Male	88,200	57,700	59,800	30,000	48,000	54,600	43,300	23,200	28,300	34,600	12,800
Female	77,000	45,600	65,400	17,100	35,400	41,800	22,500	27,500	32,500	37,900	21,900
<b>Puerto Rican:</b>	65,600	42,200	46,900	24,100	32,900	37,500	34,300	11,200	13,700	29,900	13,300
Male	53,100	36,500	34,300	23,800	28,000	32,300	31,500	3,700	6,300	17,900	8,500
Female	38,800	22,400	31,500	3,500	18,600	19,000	13,700	10,600	12,200	23,400	10,200
<b>Mexican/Mexican-American:</b>	82,500	46,900	62,400	18,200	42,700	49,400	27,900	29,200	32,900	35,000	14,400
Male	58,800	40,000	37,700	16,200	36,300	36,300	20,900	15,000	24,600	25,300	7,300
Female	53,900	32,000	49,500	13,000	22,900	34,300	17,500	25,400	26,900	24,400	11,600
<b>Region:</b>											
Northeast	218,100	90,900	189,500	37,100	71,600	110,700	55,600	73,000	69,700	126,700	64,100
Midwest	226,500	121,800	162,000	45,800	89,400	116,500	98,000	57,300	68,500	117,900	73,100
South	262,900	146,000	194,700	54,600	104,800	108,400	68,100	58,800	77,200	155,300	97,500
West	220,100	75,700	189,200	38,200	54,400	118,600	69,900	69,200	73,700	145,200	56,600
<b>Ratio of Family Income to Poverty Threshold:</b>											
0 - 0.99	160,700	88,900	119,200	40,100	72,400	88,100	47,400	56,500	40,100	75,000	34,800
1.00 - 2.49	215,500	116,500	168,200	50,800	89,700	123,500	59,300	71,700	82,500	107,900	69,800
2.50 - 4.49	208,800	96,100	173,900	32,700	77,600	108,000	60,300	56,900	66,000	119,500	79,300
4.50 and above	215,800	93,100	186,600	29,800	62,100	117,100	64,900	56,400	76,700	156,500	38,900

Source: National Health Interview Survey, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

compiled 1/19/2006

\* See the "Methods" section of the documentation found at "<http://www.cdc.gov/asthma/NHIS/default.htm>" for information regarding standard errors.

Air Pollution and Respiratory Health Branch, National Center for Environmental Health  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention