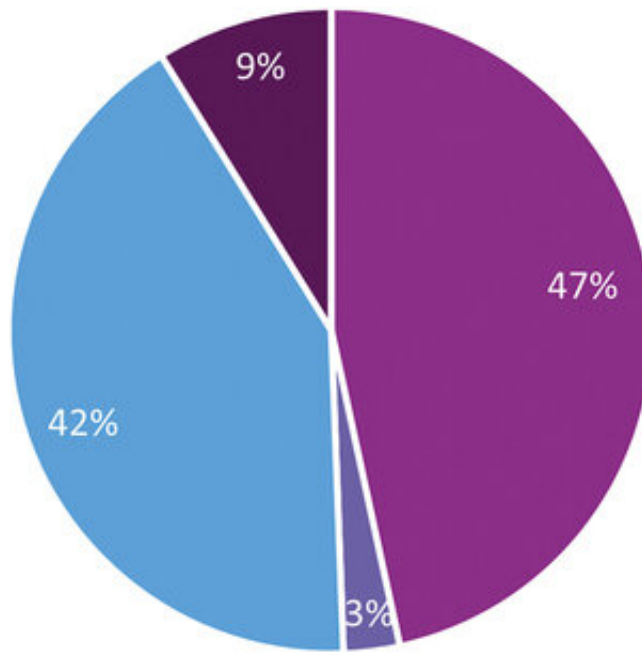


# Hair analysis shows child drug use could be twice as high as previously thought

March 6 2023



-  High-Risk Hair
-  Low-Risk Hair
-  Self-Report
-  Both

Pie chart depicting substance use by detection method and grouping. Percentage represents number of cases in each category of the total (n=249). “High-Risk Hair” indicates cases positive for hair testing and whose hair was selected due to scoring relatively high on the hair selection risk algorithm; “Low-Risk Hair” indicates cases that scored low on the hair selection algorithm and were randomly selected for hair analysis; “Self-Report” indicates cases that reported any substance use; “Both” indicates cases with positive hair results and self-report of any substance use. As per NIDA and ABCD Study reporting

requirements, cell sizes

Citation: Hair analysis shows child drug use could be twice as high as previously thought (2023, March 6) retrieved 30 January 2024 from <https://medicalxpress.com/news/2023-03-hair-analysis-child-drug-high.html>

This document is subject to copyright. Apart from any fair dealing for the purpose of private study or research, no part may be reproduced without the written permission. The content is provided for information purposes only.