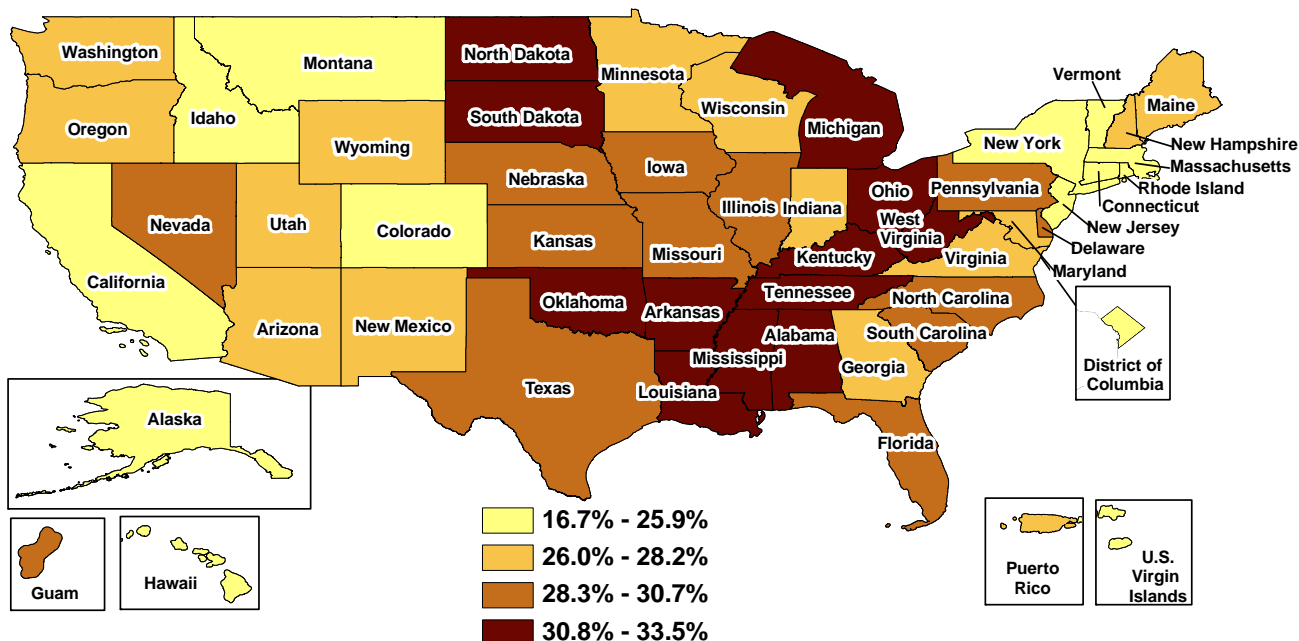


2008 Percent of Males who are Obese*, by State, Age-Adjusted



State	Percent of Males who are Obese				State	Percent of Males who are Obese			
	2002	2004	2006	2008		2002	2004	2006	2008
ALABAMA	26.5	28.7	32.4	33.5	NEVADA	23.6	23.2	26.8	28.8
ALASKA	25.5	22.3	25.6	25.5	NEW HAMPSHIRE	19.2	23.7	23.9	27.5
ARIZONA	22.7	22.7	23.7	28.2	NEW JERSEY	19.6	22.9	24.8	25.2
ARKANSAS	23.8	27.3	27.4	32.1	NEW MEXICO	20.3	21.0	23.1	26.7
CALIFORNIA	19.2	22.5	23.8	24.5	NEW YORK	18.8	22.5	23.1	25.9
COLORADO	18.1	17.7	19.7	20.3	NORTH CAROLINA	24.0	24.3	26.6	30.2
CONNECTICUT	20.2	20.7	21.8	23.7	NORTH DAKOTA	25.9	27.3	29.1	32.1
DELAWARE	25.9	22.3	28.2	29.1	OHIO	23.8	28.8	27.4	31.0
DIST. OF COLUMBIA	19.7	20.2	20.8	16.7	OKLAHOMA	23.3	25.5	31.0	33.0
FLORIDA	20.7	24.1	25.2	29.9	OREGON	20.4	22.4	24.7	26.4
GEORGIA	24.1	25.3	29.7	28.1	PENNSYLVANIA	25.8	24.5	25.1	30.3
HAWAII	20.2	**	22.2	25.8	RHODE ISLAND	19.9	20.0	22.2	23.6
IDAHO	22.1	22.0	24.4	25.9	SOUTH CAROLINA	26.5	24.3	30.2	30.6
ILLINOIS	22.1	24.1	26.0	28.8	SOUTH DAKOTA	23.3	25.3	28.0	31.0
INDIANA	25.0	26.2	28.1	26.3	TENNESSEE	25.3	27.4	29.9	32.1
IOWA	23.1	25.6	27.3	29.1	TEXAS	26.7	26.7	27.4	30.1
KANSAS	23.9	23.7	26.6	30.6	UTAH	22.0	22.0	24.8	26.0
KENTUCKY	24.7	25.7	28.5	31.2	VERMONT	18.9	19.4	23.1	23.7
LOUISIANA	26.0	27.2	28.0	31.4	VIRGINIA	25.2	23.3	25.7	26.1
MAINE	20.8	23.7	25.0	27.4	WASHINGTON	21.4	22.9	25.0	26.6
MARYLAND	19.4	24.4	26.2	26.3	WEST VIRGINIA	29.5	28.9	33.4	32.8
MASSACHUSETTS	19.5	19.7	22.4	23.5	WISCONSIN	23.1	26.1	29.5	28.2
MICHIGAN	25.3	24.9	30.7	31.4	WYOMING	20.0	22.1	25.2	26.5
MINNESOTA	24.8	23.7	27.3	26.8	GUAM	27.7	**	**	30.7
MISSISSIPPI	25.8	29.1	29.9	32.4	PUERTO RICO	22.9	24.9	25.8	27.5
MISSOURI	24.9	26.7	28.7	29.5	VIRGIN ISLANDS	19.3	17.7	21.2	20.8
MONTANA	20.6	20.4	23.3	25.6					
NEBRASKA	26.4	25.2	27.7	30.0	UNITED STATES	22.6	24.3	26.1	28.1

Source: CDC Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, 2002-2008; Data are age-adjusted to year 2000 population
 * Percent of persons age 20+ identified as obese according to their reported weight and height (body mass index ≥ 30.0).
 Body Mass Index = (Weight in Kg) / ((Height in Meters)*(Height in Meters))
 ** 2004 and 2006 data may not be available for these states



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