

Substance / Drug Abuse

Vermilion County



Vermilion County Youth Facts



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- **29%** reported alcohol use within the past 30 days.
- **15.5%** reported binge drinking in the last 2 weeks.
- **9%** report they took prescription drugs that were not prescribed to them.
- **11.3%** reported they drank and drove within the past 12 months.
- **28.5%** of teens have been to or hosted a party where alcohol was served with a parents' knowledge or consent.

Vermilion County Adult Facts

- Vermilion County has seen an increase of **122%** in total deaths due to any type of drug between 2013 and 2016.
- Heroin deaths have seen an increase of **300%** between 2013 and 2016.
- **18%** of adults self-report excessive alcohol use.
- **18%** of adults self-report they use tobacco.

