Table 1.3.5: Prevalence Trend in Most Frequently Reported Medical Conditions for Persons Age 18 and Over, United States 2005-2015

Medical Condition	Prevalence per 100 Persons			
	2005	2008	2012	<u>2015</u>
Musculoskeletal [1, 2]	48.3	48.0	53.9	50.1
Chronic [2] Joint Pain	26.4	26.8	26.9	29.3
Lower Back Pain (Lumbar Back Pain)	27.8	26.8	28.0	29.2
Arthritis	21.1	22.3	22.1	22.4
Neck Pain (Cervical Back Pain)	14.5	13.7	14.3	15.7
Lower Back Pain Spreading Below Knee	9.1	8.7	9.7	10.8
Circulatory	27.8	29.9	30.7	41.9
Chronic Hypertension [2]	21.9	24.4	25.5	29.9
Chronic High Cholesterol [2]	NA	NA	NA	26.8
Coronary or Heart Condition [3]	11.5	11.6	11.3	11.5
Stroke	2.3	2.8	2.7	2.6
Respiratory	23.6	23.8	28.2	23.6
Sinusitis	13.2	13.3	12.1	11.9
Hay Fever	8.4	7.8	7.5	8.0
Chronic [2] Asthma	7.0	7.1	8.0	7.4
Chronic [2] Bronchitis	4.0	4.3	3.7	3.7
Emphysema	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.4

^[1] Specific conditions are not mutually exclusive in overall condition category.

Source: National Health Interview Survey (NHIS)_Adult sample, 2005, 2008, 2012, 2015. http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis/data-questionnaires-documentation.htm July 23, 2016.

^[2] Symptoms lasting 3 months or longer.

^[3] Includes heart attack, angina pectoris, and other heart disease.