



Adolescents who participate in extracurricular activities are less susceptible to misusing opioids.

The relationship between different types of structured activities (i.e., supervised, non-academic, prosocial community activities) and their protective effect against opioid misuse ( ) among justice-involved adolescents ( ) has yet to be tested.

### We hypothesize that:

- : JIAs involved in any type of structured activity will have lower odds of opioid misuse.
- : As the number of structured activities JIAs are involved in increases, the odds of opioid misuse will decrease.

# % % % No structured activity 45,062 57.9 1,417 66.3

## Logistic Regression Estimating OM in Controls

Sex (reference=male)	-	_
Female	1.67***	[1.51,1.82]
Age at First Offense (reference=12 & under)	_	<del>-</del>
13 to 14	1.27***	[1.12,1.43]
15	1.33***	[1.16,1.52]
16	1.20*	[1.03,1.39]
Over 16	1.04	[0.87,1.25]
95% confidence intervals (CI)	* < 0.05, ***	< 0.001

- Female JIAs had 1.67 higher odds of meeting the criteria for past 30-day opioid misuse than male JIA.
- JIAs between the ages of 13 and 16 at their first offense had higher odds of meeting the past 30-day opioid misuse criteria than those 12 and younger.
- JIAs at age 15 had the highest odds for OM.

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## Logistic Regression Estimating OM in Structured Activities

No structured activity involvemen	nt		_	<del>-</del>
Community/cultural group			0.68**	[0.53,0.90]
Hobby group/club			0.77*	[0.60,0.99]
Athletics			0.56***	[0.46,0.67]
Religious/church group			0.80**	[0.69,0.93]
Volunteer organization			0.85	[0.56,1.29]
Two structured activities			0.66***	[0.57, 0.77]
Three structured activities			0.63***	[0.49,0.81]
95% confidence intervals (CI)	*	< 0.05, **	< 0.01, ***	< 0.001

- JIAs involved in one of any structured activities were statistically significantly less likely to have past 30-day opioid misuse than those who had not been involved in any activities, except for those involved in volunteer organizations.
- JIAs involved in two or three structured activities had lower odds.