FIGURE 14  
Tranquilizers: Trends in Annual Use and Availability  
Grades 8, 10, and 12

% who used in last 12 months

% seeing "great risk" in using once or twice

% disapproving of using once or twice

% saying “fairly easy” or “very easy” to get

Source. The Monitoring the Future study, the University of Michigan.

*Beginning in 2001, a revised set of questions on tranquilizer use was introduced in which “Xanax” replaced “Miltown” in the list of examples.