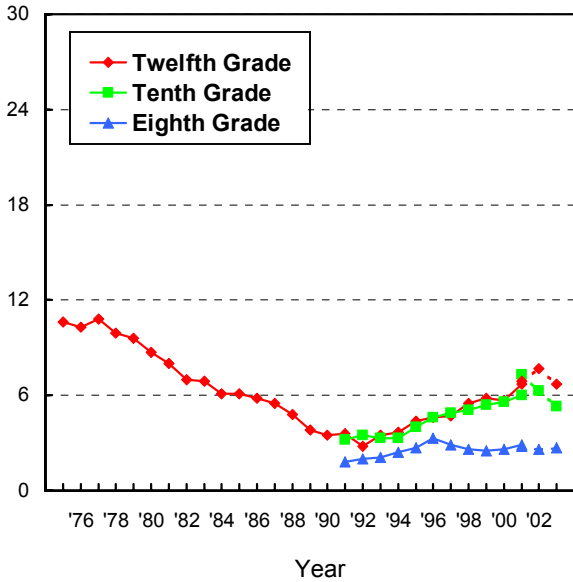


FIGURE 6
Tranquilizers: Trends in Annual Use, Risk, Disapproval, and Availability
 Eighth, Tenth, Twelfth Graders

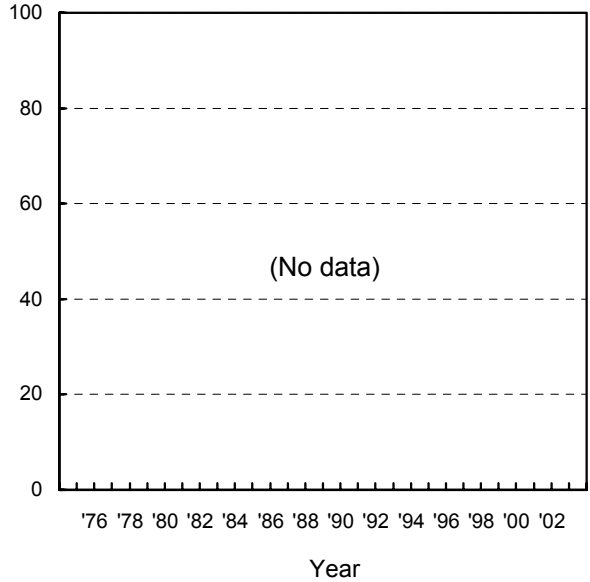
Use

% who used in last twelve months*



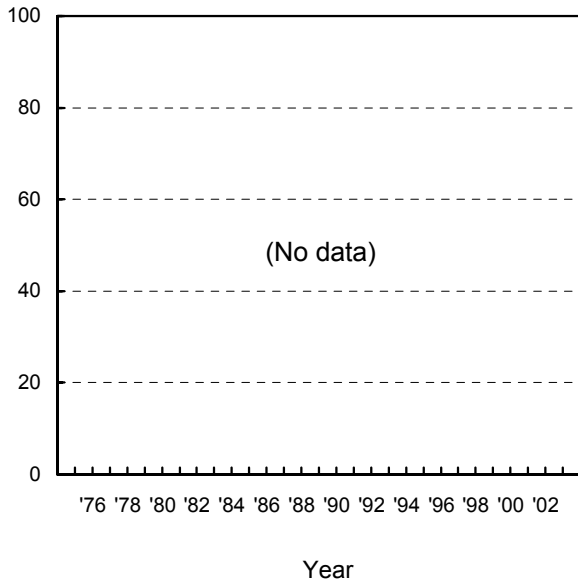
Risk

% seeing "great risk" in using once or twice



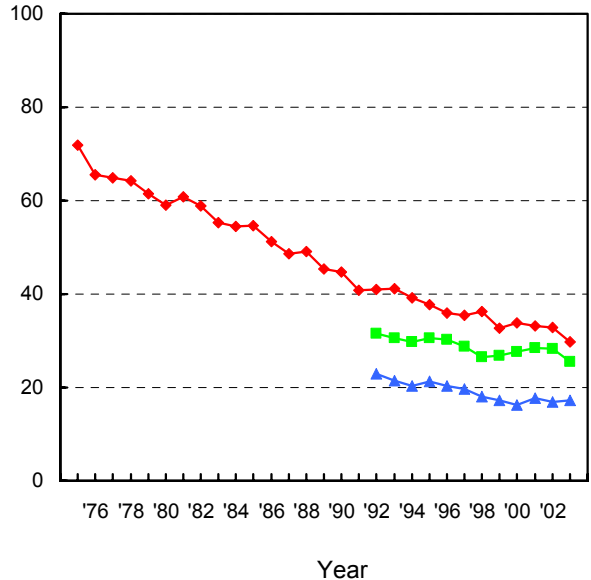
Disapproval

% disapproving of using once or twice



Availability

% saying "fairly easy" or "very easy" to get



*Beginning in 2001 a revised set of questions on tranquilizer use was introduced, in which "Xanax" replaced "Miltown" in the list of examples. The dotted lines connect percentages which are based on data from the revised questions.