FIGURE 15
Alcohol: Trends in Binge Drinking, Risk, Disapproval, and Availability
Eighth, Tenth, and Twelfth Graders

Use
% who had 5+ drinks in a row in previous two weeks

Risk
% seeing “great risk” in having 5+ drinks in a row once or twice each weekend

Disapproval
% disapproving of having 5+ drinks in a row once or twice each weekend

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

*Due to a coding error, previous versions of this figure contained values that were slightly off for the measure of five or more drinks in a row for 2005 and 2006. These have been corrected here.

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