AASM Sleep Prioritization Survey Sleep While Traveling

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Sleep Prioritization Survey 2019

Survey Methodology

American Academy of Sleep Medicine (AASM) commissioned an online survey of 2,003 adults in the United States. The margin of error is +/- 2 percentage points with a confidence interval of 95 percent. The fieldwork was performed Sept. 17-20, 2019 by Atomik Research, an independent creative market research agency.

Question

How much sleep do you usually get while traveling?

Results

 More than half (54%) of respondents reported that they sleep less than usual while traveling.

Overall Sleep While Traveling Results

	Rank
Total	2,003 (100%)
Sleep less than usual	1,074 (54%)
Sleep the same as usual	564 (28%)
Sleep more than usual	149 (7%)
I don't travel	216 (11%)

Only 28% of respondents reported sleeping the same as usual while traveling.

Sleep While Traveling by Gender

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	Male	Female				
Total	1,002	1,001				
Sleep less than usual	498 (50%)	576 (58%)				
Sleep the same as usual	320 (32%)	244 (24%)				
Sleep more than usual	88 (9%)	61 (6%)				
I don't travel	96 (10%)	120 (12%)				

Women (58%) are more likely to sleep less than usual while traveling than men (50%).

Sleep While Traveling by Age Group

	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Total	251	387	440	365	242	318
Sleep less than usual	131 (52%)	205 (53%)	246 (56%)	209 (57%)	128 (53%)	155 (49%)
Sleep the same as usual	61 (24%)	117 (30%)	128 (29%)	89 (24%)	64 (26%)	105 (33%)
Sleep more than usual	29 (12%)	30 (8%)	39 (9%)	22 (6%)	17 (7%)	12 (4%)
I don't travel	30 (12%)	35 (9%)	27 (6%)	45 (12%)	33 (14%)	46 (14%)

Those aged 45-54 (57%) are more likely to sleep less while traveling.



Sleep While Traveling by Generation

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	Gen Z (18-22)	Millennial (23-38)	Gen X (39-54)	Baby Boomer (55-73)	Silent Generation (74+)	
Total	179	637	627	487	73	
Sleep less than usual	92 (51%)	333 (52%)	366 (58%)	248 (51%)	35 (48%)	
Sleep the same as usual	46 (26%)	192 (30%)	157 (25%)	150 (31%)	19 (26%)	
Sleep more than usual	23 (13%)	55 (9%)	42 (7%)	24 (5%)	5 (7%)	
I don't travel	18 (10%)	57 (9%)	62 (10%)	65 (13%)	14 (19%)	

The Silent Generation (48%) is the least likely to sleep less while traveling.

Sleep While Traveling by Region

	Northeast	South	Midwest	West
Total	357	753	460	433
Sleep less than usual	184 (52%)	393 (52%)	262 (57%)	235 (54%)
Sleep the same as usual	105 (29%)	223 (30%)	116 (25%)	120 (28%)
Sleep more than usual	24 (7%)	54 (7%)	30 (7%)	41 (9%)
I don't travel	44 (12%)	83 (11%)	52 (11%)	37 (9%)

Respondents in the Midwest (57%) are more likely to sleep less than usual while traveling.

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