AASM Sleep Prioritization Survey Tired After Traveling

American Academy of SLEEP MEDICINE

Sleep Prioritization Survey

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

When I return home from traveling, I feel:

- More tired
- The same
- More refreshed

Results

 More than half (57%) of respondents (N=1787) said they feel more tired when returning home from traveling.

Overall Tired After Traveling Results

	Rank
Total	1,787 (100%)
More tired	1,020 (57%)
The same	498 (28%)
More refreshed	269 (15%)

Only 15% of respondents reported feeling more refreshed after traveling.

Tired After Traveling by Gender

	Male	Female	
Total	906	881	
More tired	469 (52%)	551 (63%)	
The same	286 (32%)	212 (24%)	
More refreshed	151 (17%)	118 (13%)	

Women (63%) are more likely to be more tired after traveling than men (52%).

Tired After Traveling by Age Group

	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Total	221	352	413	320	209	272
More tired	126 (57%)	213 (61%)	246 (60%)	188 (59%)	117 (56%)	130 (48%)
The same	51 (23%)	95 (27%)	107 (26%)	84 (26%)	58 (28%)	103 (38%)
More refreshed	44 (20%)	44 (13%)	60 (15%)	48 (15%)	34 (16%)	39 (14%)

Tired After Traveling by Generation

	Gen Z (18-22)	Millennial (23-38)	Gen X (39-54)	Baby Boomer (55-73)	Silent Generation (74+)
Total	161	580	565	422	59
More tired	90 (56%)	349 (60%)	334 (59%)	217 (51%)	30 (51%)
The same	35 (22%)	156 (27%)	146 (26%)	141 (33%)	20 (34%)
More refreshed	36 (22%)	75 (13%)	85 (15%)	64 (15%)	9 (15%)

Millennials (60%) are the most likely to be more tired after traveling.



Tired After Traveling by Region

	Northeast	South	Midwest	West	
Total	313	670	408	396	
More tired	169 (54%)	383 (57%)	244 (60%)	224 (57%)	
The same	95 (30%)	192 (29%)	99 (24%)	112 (28%)	
More refreshed	49 (16%)	95 (14%)	65 (16%)	60 (15%)	

Respondents in the Midwest (60%) are the most likely to feel more tired after traveling.

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