

# 1 Social-ecological Predictors of Opioid Use among Adolescents with 2 Histories of Substance Use Disorders

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## 14 Abstract

15 Adolescent opioid misuse is a public health crisis, particularly among clinical populations of youth  
16 with substance misuse histories. Given the negative and often lethal consequences associated with  
17 opioid misuse among adolescents, it is essential to identify the risk and protective factors underlying  
18 early opioid misuse to inform targeted prevention efforts. Understanding the role of parental risk and  
19 protective factors is particularly paramount during the developmental stage of adolescence. Using a  
20 social-ecological framework, this study explored the associations between individual, peer, family,  
21 community, and school-level risk and protective factors and opioid use among adolescents with  
22 histories of substance use disorders (SUDs). Further, we explored the potential moderating role of  
23 poor parental monitoring in the associations between the aforementioned risk and protective factors  
24 and adolescent opioid use. Participants included 294 adolescents ( $M_{age} = 16$  years; 45% female) who  
25 were recently discharged from substance use treatment, and their parents ( $n = 323$ ). Results indicated  
26 that lifetime opioid use was significantly more likely among adolescents endorsing antisocial traits  
27 and those whose parents reported histories of substance abuse. Additionally, adolescents reporting  
28 more perceived availability of substances were significantly more likely to report lifetime opioid use  
29 compared to those reporting lower perceived availability of substances. Results did not indicate any  
30 significant moderation effects of parental monitoring on any associations between risk factors and  
31 lifetime opioid use. Findings generally did not support social-ecological indicators of opioid use in  
32 this high-risk population of adolescents, signaling that the social-ecological variables tested may not  
33 be salient risk factors among adolescents with SUD histories. We discuss these findings in terms of  
34 continuing care options for adolescents with SUD histories that target adolescents' antisocial traits,  
35 perceived availability of substances, and parent histories of substance abuse, including practical  
36 implications for working with families of adolescents with SUD histories.

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40 **1 Introduction**

41 Opioid misuse, broadly defined as the intentional use of opioids not directed by a prescriber, is a  
42 major public health concern in the United States, particularly among adolescents. In 2018, an  
43 estimated 699,000 (2.8%) of U.S. adolescents aged 12-17 reported past year opioid misuse and  
44 169,000 reported past month misuse (Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration  
45 [SAMHSA], 2019). In 2019, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's 2017 Youth Risk  
46 Behavior Surveillance Survey - a nationally representative survey that provides data of 9th through  
47 12th grade students in public and private schools in the United States - found that approximately 14%  
48 of U.S. adolescents reported ever misusing opioids (Bhatia et al., 2020). Although U.S. adolescents  
49 aged 12-17 are less likely to report opioid use compared to older age groups (Back et al., 2010),  
50 adolescence represents a critical developmental stage for initiation of drug use, characterized by  
51 increased risk-taking as well as novelty and sensation seeking behaviors. Adolescents are at increased  
52 susceptibility to drug use and drug-related risks due in part to the salient influence of peers in  
53 conjunction with critical cortical development that occurs during this developmental period (Crews et  
54 al., 2007; Dayan et al., 2010; Romer, 2010; Winters & Arria, 2011). Further, early initiation of  
55 substance use and related risk behavior patterns increases risk for more progressive forms of  
56 substance use into adulthood (Chassin et al., 1999; DuRant et al., 1999; Lynne-Landsman et al.,  
57 2010; Van Ryzen et al., 2012). Thus, understanding salient risk factors associated with opioid use  
58 during this critical developmental period is paramount.

59 Adolescent opioid misuse has been associated with increased risk for negative outcomes into  
60 adulthood, including subsequent substance use disorders (SUDs) and more severe forms of drug  
61 misuse, including use of more potent opioids, such as heroin (Cerdá et al., 2015; McCabe et al.,  
62 2019; Miech et al., 2015; Muhuri et al., 2013; Palamar, Shearston, Dawson, et al., 2016). Compared  
63 to adolescents with cannabis or alcohol use disorders, those with opioid use disorders may also  
64 exhibit poorer long-term prognoses, including higher rates of school drop-out and multiple SUDs  
65 (Godley et al., 2017; Subramaniam et al., 2009). Among U.S. high school students, nonmedical  
66 prescription opioid use is associated with increased odds of engaging in concurrent risky behaviors,  
67 including risky driving behaviors, violent behaviors, risky sexual behaviors, substance use, and  
68 suicide attempts (Bhatia et al., 2020). Given the wide-ranging short- and long-term consequences of  
69 adolescent opioid use, it is essential to identify the malleable risk and protective factors underlying  
70 early opioid misuse to develop more effective preventive interventions.

71 Adolescents with longstanding histories of excessive substance use or SUDs are considered a  
72 high-risk subpopulation who are particularly vulnerable to developing opioid use disorders and  
73 experiencing subsequent consequences. For instance, adolescents with histories of SUDs report high  
74 rates of comorbid mental health problems (Tanner-Smith et al., 2019) and high risk of relapse  
75 following SUD treatment (Chung & Maisto, 2006; Cornelius et al., 2003). Few existing studies have  
76 explored opioid-specific outcomes in this high-risk subpopulation, but there is some evidence that  
77 youth with SUDs who have received SUD treatment in the United States report high rates of opioid  
78 misuse (e.g., Osgood et al., 2012). Opioid misuse has been shown to be prevalent among adolescents  
79 in substance use treatment and was associated with an increased likelihood of having three or more  
80 co-occurring SUDs (Al-Tayyib et al., 2018). And among students who attended a recovery high  
81 school (RHS)—a form of continuing care for youth discharged from SUD treatment—78% reported  
82 ever using opioids/narcotics, compared to 13% in a national sample of students who received SUD  
83 treatment in the United States who were not enrolled in an RHS (Tanner-Smith et al., 2018). Further,  
84 prior research on youth with SUDs attending RHSs reported that among those who use heroin, 80%  
85 identified prescription opioid misuse as a precursor to heroin use (Vosburg et al., 2015). These  
86 findings demonstrate the unique risk profiles of adolescents with SUD histories and underscore the

87 importance of identifying social-ecological risk and protective factors for opioid misuse specifically  
 88 for this vulnerable subpopulation.

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90 **1.1 Social-ecological Predictors of Adolescent Opioid Misuse**

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92 The social-ecological model (Bronfenbrenner, 1979; Bronfenbrenner, 1994) is a comprehensive  
 93 conceptual framework for understanding human development and is uniquely suited for  
 94 understanding risk and protective factors for adolescent opioid misuse (Jalali et al., 2020; Twombly  
 95 & Holtz, 2008). The social-ecological model posits that human development and behavior are shaped  
 96 by bidirectional relationships and interactions between an individual and five different environmental  
 97 systems (microsystem, mesosystem, exosystem, macrosystem, and chronosystem). Particularly  
 98 salient to identifying actionable mechanisms of adolescent substance use are those more proximal  
 99 ecological systems, including individual characteristics (e.g., mental health, substance use history);  
 100 microsystemic (e.g., peer/family substance use history, influence of family/peers); and exosystemic  
 101 relationships (e.g., access and availability to illicit substances, school). Given the influence and  
 102 importance of social contexts in adolescents' lives (e.g., school, parents, peers), as well as  
 103 bidirectional influences of these factors, the current study uses this guiding framework to examine a  
 104 range of social-ecological predictors of adolescent opioid use and their interactions with parenting  
 105 behaviors.

106 Extending from the social-ecological model, prior empirical research has found strong  
 107 evidence for diverse ecological factors predictive of substance use and other related behaviors in  
 108 adolescence across diverse populations (Arthur et al., 2002; Bränström et al., 2008; Cleveland et al.,  
 109 2008; Hemphill et al., 2011). Among individual-level predictors, prior tobacco, marijuana, and  
 110 alcohol use have been consistently identified as salient indicators for subsequent opioid misuse  
 111 among the general adolescent population (Back et al., 2010; Barnett et al., 2019; Bhatia et al., 2020;  
 112 Bonar et al., 2020; Griesler et al., 2019; Palamar et al., 2015; Sung et al., 2005; Vaughn et al., 2016).  
 113 Specifically, the odds of reporting having ever misused opioids were three times higher among  
 114 adolescents with histories of alcohol use (vs. those without), and two times higher among those with  
 115 histories of cigarette and marijuana use (vs. those without; Barnett et al., 2019). Additionally,  
 116 specific mental health concerns, such as depression and anxiety (Bonar et al., 2020; Chan &  
 117 Marsack-Topolewski, 2019; Edlund et al., 2015; Griesler et al., 2019; Monnat & Rigg, 2016; Schepis  
 118 & Krishnan-Sarin, 2008; Young, Glover et al., 2012 ); post-traumatic stress (Mackesy-Amiti et al.,  
 119 2015; McCauley et al., 2010); and antisocial behavior (Bonar et al., 2020; Edlund et al., 2015;  
 120 McCabe et al., 2012; McCauley et al., 2010; Nargiso et al., 2015; Sung et al., 2005; Vaughn et al.,  
 121 2016; Young, Glover et al., 2012) were associated with increased likelihood of adolescent self-  
 122 reports of opioid misuse.

123 Within the microsystem, peers and parents are critical agents of socialization and influence in  
 124 adolescents' lives. The peer context contains some of the most robust predictors of adolescent  
 125 substance use (Bauman & Ennett, 1994). Specifically, peer attitudes favorable toward substances are  
 126 a consistent predictor of opioid misuse in the general adolescent population (Conn & Marks, 2014;  
 127 Conn & Marks, 2017; Ford, 2008; Ford & Rigg, 2015; Nargiso et al., 2015; Schaefer & Petkovsek,  
 128 2017; Vaughn et al., 2016). In a nationally representative sample of youth ages 12 to 17, adolescents  
 129 who associated with peers that use drugs or had attitudes favorable of drug use were approximately  
 130 1.4 times more likely to endorse nonmedical prescription drug use compared to peers without these  
 131 peer associations (Ford, 2008). Although the influence of peers on substance use increases during  
 132 adolescence, the role of parenting continues to serve as a salient factor in predicting adolescent  
 133 substance use involvement. Parenting factors, including poor parental monitoring, lack of parental  
 134 involvement, parental histories of substance use, and tolerant parental attitudes toward substance use  
 135 are associated with adolescent substance use, including opioid misuse (Bonar et al. 2020; Donaldson

136 et al., 2015; Edlund et al., 2015; Gilson & Kreis, 2009; Griesler et al., 2019; Nargiso et al., 2015;  
 137 Sung et al., 2005; Vaughn et al., 2016). Although peers and parents serve as important risk and  
 138 protective factors, prior research has documented complex interactions between peer associations and  
 139 parental monitoring, such that the substance use risk associated with peers may be magnified when  
 140 adolescents experience low levels of parental monitoring (Kiesner et al., 2010).

141 Prior research has also identified several influential school and community-level (i.e.,  
 142 exosystem) risk factors for adolescent opioid misuse. Relevant school-level risk factors include  
 143 academic achievement (Barnett et al., 2019; Bonar et al., 2020; Nargiso et al., 2015; Vaughn et al.,  
 144 2016; Veliz et al., 2013; Schepis et al., 2018; Young, Glover et al., 2012) as well as school bonding  
 145 and negative attitudes toward school (Ford, 2009; Ford & Rigg, 2015; Nargiso et al., 2015;  
 146 Nicholson et al., 2016; Young, Glover et al., 2012). In a systematic review of studies on youth  
 147 nonmedical prescription drug use, five of six studies assessing low academic performance, school  
 148 dropout, or lack of school-bonding found a significantly higher prevalence of prescription drug use  
 149 among youth with these risks (Young, Glover et al., 2012). Relevant community level risk factors for  
 150 adolescent opioid misuse include (perceived) availability and access to drugs in the community  
 151 (Monnat & Rigg, 2016; Nargiso et al., 2015). In a nationally representative study of adolescents,  
 152 perceived ease of access to illicit drugs was associated with 1.03 times greater odds of prescription  
 153 opioid misuse (Monnat & Rigg, 2016). This body of literature thus demonstrates how diverse social-  
 154 ecological systems can contribute to adolescent opioid use outcomes.

155 Parental monitoring is perhaps the most widely studied family risk factors for adolescent  
 156 substance use. Prior research has found that low levels of parental monitoring moderate the  
 157 associations between some community level risk factors (e.g., exposure to violence; Burlew et al.,  
 158 2009; Udell et al., 2017), peer risk factors (e.g., substance using with peers; Kiesner et al., 2010), and  
 159 individual characteristics (e.g., impulsivity; Haas et al., 2018). Low levels of parental monitoring  
 160 may thus exacerbate the relation between relevant social-ecological risk factors and substance use  
 161 among adolescents. However, no research to date has examined parental monitoring as a moderator  
 162 of the relationship between ecological risk and protective factors and opioid misuse among  
 163 adolescents with SUD histories.

164 Despite the extensive body of evidence on risk and protective factors for adolescent opioid  
 165 misuse, to date there has been limited evidence examining these associations in clinical samples of  
 166 adolescents who may be at particularly high risk for opioid misuse (Bonar et al., 2020). Most prior  
 167 research on this topic has analyzed data from large national surveys of U.S. adolescents, which can  
 168 yield valuable insights on patterns in the general adolescent population; however, these findings may  
 169 not be generalizable to high-risk adolescent subpopulations, such as those with SUDs. Among  
 170 adolescents with SUD histories, the family environment, parental support, and involvement may be  
 171 uniquely important for sustaining recovery and abstinence (Botzet et al., 2019; Godley et al., 2005;  
 172 Sussman, 2011; White et al., 2009; Winters et al., 2018). Given the important role of parents in  
 173 adolescents' recovery from SUDs, further research is warranted to better understand parental risk and  
 174 protective factors, as well as their interaction with other relevant social-ecological risk factors (e.g.,  
 175 peer and community factors). Identifying the contexts in which opioid misuse is likely to arise among  
 176 adolescents with SUDs can inform targeted prevention efforts for this population.

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178 **1.2 Study Aims and Hypotheses**

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180 The current study examined risk and protective factors for opioid use in a sample of adolescents with  
 181 histories of SUDs. Guided by ecological systems theory and prior research, we first examined  
 182 associations between individual (mental health and substance use), microsystemic (peer perceptions  
 183 of use, parent drug history, parenting behaviors), and exosystemic (academic performance, attitudes  
 184 toward school, and perceived availability) risk factors and adolescent opioid use. We explored each

185 risk and protective factor by assessing its unique association with opioid use within the broader  
 186 social-ecology (individual, microsystem, exosystemic domains). Second, to gain a better  
 187 understanding of the role of parenting behaviors, we examined whether parental monitoring  
 188 moderates any of the associations between these risk and protective factors and adolescent opioid  
 189 use.

190 In line with these study aims, we hypothesized that each individual, microsystemic, and  
 191 exosystemic risk factor would predict lifetime adolescent opioid use among a clinical sample of  
 192 adolescents with SUD histories. We also hypothesized that parental monitoring would significantly  
 193 moderate the associations between ecological risk factors and opioid use, such that greater levels of  
 194 parental monitoring would buffer the relations between ecological risk factors and opioid use.

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 196 **2 Methods**

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 198 **2.1 Participants and Procedure**

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 200 We analyzed existing data from a longitudinal study that used a quasi-experimental design to  
 201 examine the effects of post-SUD treatment schooling attendance on student outcomes (Finch et al.,  
 202 2018). Adolescents and their families were recruited upon adolescents’ discharge from SUD  
 203 treatment programs (baseline assessment); a total of 294 adolescents and 323 parents enrolled in the  
 204 study at baseline. Although the larger parent study included longitudinal follow-up assessments, the  
 205 current manuscript analyzes data collected during only the baseline assessment to isolate study  
 206 findings apart from any intervention effects. Adolescent participants identified as predominantly non-  
 207 Hispanic white (74.9%) with ages ranging from 13-19 ( $M = 16.3$  years,  $SD = 1.09$ ) and were  
 208 approximately equal in distribution by sex (50.2% male). For more information on sample  
 209 characteristics, see Finch et al. (2018) and Tanner-Smith et al. (2018). All procedures followed were  
 210 in accordance with the ethical standards of the University of Minnesota Institutional Review Board  
 211 and with the Helsinki Declaration of 1975, as revised in 2000.

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 214 **2.2 Measures**

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 216 **2.2.1 Primary Outcome**

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 218 **2.2.1.1 Opioid Use**

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 220 The outcome of interest in this study was measured using a single self-reported dichotomous item  
 221 about adolescents’ lifetime opioid misuse at baseline– “Have you ever used any of these drugs:  
 222 Opioids/Narcotics (heroin, smack, morphine, codeine, Demerol, methadone, opium, Vicodin,  
 223 Oxycontin, oxycodone)?” This outcome item was coded as *yes* (1) or *no* (0).

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 225 **2.2.2 Individual-Level Predictors**

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 227 **2.2.2.1 Mental Health**

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 229 Several mental health constructs were assessed as individual-level risk factors for the current study.  
 230 We used the M.I.N.I. Structured Clinical Interview (M.I.N.I.-SCID), a brief structured diagnostic  
 231 interview for major psychiatric disorders derived from the symptomology defined by the DSM-IV  
 232 and ICD-10, to examine adolescents’ self-reported mental health symptoms of major depressive  
 233 disorder (MDD), generalized anxiety disorder (GAD), and posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD), as

234 well as antisocial traits (Sheehan et al., 1999). This measure assessed whether adolescents  
 235 experienced any symptoms of each diagnosis in the 12 months prior to enrolling in the substance use  
 236 treatment program (*yes/no*). Antisocial traits were assessed by whether adolescents met the point-in-  
 237 time clinical threshold of DSM-IV symptoms of antisocial personality disorder (*yes/no*). These  
 238 measures do not represent a formal clinical diagnosis; rather, they assessed whether adolescents self-  
 239 reported any symptoms for MDD, GAD, and PTSD, and whether adolescents reported antisocial  
 240 traits at or above a clinically indicated threshold (i.e., at least three antisocial traits based on DSM-IV  
 241 criteria).

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243 **2.2.2.2 Substance Use**

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245 Tobacco, marijuana, and alcohol use were examined as individual-level risk factors. Tobacco use was  
 246 assessed through a single binary item (*yes/no*) asking, “in the past 12 months, have you used tobacco  
 247 products, including cigarettes, cigars, a pipe, or chewing tobacco/snuff?” Marijuana and alcohol use  
 248 were also measured with two binary items (*yes/no*) indicating whether adolescents reported using  
 249 marijuana in the past year or using alcohol to the point of intoxication in the past year, respectively.

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251 **2.2.3 Familial- and Peer-Level Predictors**

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253 **2.2.3.1 Parenting Practices**

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255 Parenting practices were measured using a shortened version (15 items) of the original 42-item  
 256 parent-reported Alabama Parenting Questionnaire (PAPQ; Frick, 1991). The PAPQ includes  
 257 measures of three subscales of parenting practices: positive parenting (six items), poor parental  
 258 monitoring (five items), and inconsistent discipline (4 items). Response options used a five-point  
 259 Likert scale ranging from *Never* (1) to *Always* (5), where parents rated the frequency of parenting in  
 260 the past 12 months. An example item for poor parental monitoring was, “Your child fails to leave a  
 261 note or let you know where he/she is going.” Scores for the three subscales were determined by  
 262 calculating the mean for each subscale. Higher mean scores on each subscale indicate higher levels of  
 263 each parenting construct. The PAPQ subscales have shown strong concurrent and predictive validity  
 264 in a prior study with this sample (Nichols et al., under review). The current sample showed adequate  
 265 internal consistency in the three subscales: positive parenting ( $\alpha = 0.78$ ), inconsistent discipline ( $\alpha =$   
 266  $0.70$ ), and poor parental monitoring ( $\alpha = 0.74$ ).

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268 **2.2.3.2 Parent with Drug or Alcohol Abuse History**

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270 One dichotomous (*yes/no*) adolescent-reported item was used to measure parents’ alcohol or drug  
 271 abuse history: “Do either of your biological parents have a history of an AOD abuse problem?”

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273 **2.2.3.3 Peer Attitudes Scale**

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275 Substance approving peer attitudes were assessed using 13 items from the Personal Experiences  
 276 Inventory (Winters et al., 1989). Response options were measured on a four-point Likert scale, with  
 277 responses ranging from *Strongly disagree* (1) to *Strongly agree* (4), where responses were anchored  
 278 to the time in the adolescent’s life when they were using drugs at their heaviest level. An example  
 279 item was, “My friends think it’s wrong for people to get drunk or high.” A mean score for peer  
 280 attitudes was determined by calculating the mean of the 13 items, with higher scores indicating  
 281 higher peer approval of substance use. This measure demonstrated good internal consistency in the  
 282 analytic sample ( $\alpha = 0.87$ ).

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**2.2.4 School-/Community-Level Predictors**

**2.2.4.1 Academic Performance**

Grade point average (GPA) was used to assess adolescents’ academic performance. One continuous adolescent-reported item measured adolescents’ most recent GPA, on a scale ranging from 0 to 4.

**2.2.4.2 Perceived Availability of Substances**

Perceived availability of alcohol, marijuana, prescription drugs, other illicit drugs, and over-the-counter drugs was measured using a modified version of Monitoring the Future’s Perceived Availability of Drugs Scale (Bachman et al., 2001). Survey questions began with one question “How difficult do you think it would be for you to get each of the following drugs, if you wanted some?” and listed multiple substance types. Response options were measured on a five-point Likert scale ranging from *Probably impossible* (1) to *Very easy* (5). A mean score was computed for each participant, where higher values represent greater overall perceived availability of drugs and alcohol. This measure demonstrated adequate internal consistency in the current sample ( $\alpha = 0.67$ ).

**2.2.4.3 Attitudes Toward School**

Adolescents’ attitudes toward school were measured using 10 items from the Behavior Assessment System for Children (BASC; Reynolds & Kamphaus, 1992). Response options were *True/False* with the following prompt: “Thinking back to before you were in treatment, when you were using drugs the heaviest, click on the “True” option if you agree with the sentence or click on “False” if you don’t agree.” An example item was, “I can hardly wait to quit school.” The 10 items were added together to create a sum score, with higher scores representing higher negative attitudes toward school. The BASC demonstrated adequate internal consistency among the current sample ( $\alpha = 0.75$ ).

**2.3 Analytic Plan**

To address the current study’s aims, we estimated a series of logistic regression models to examine the magnitude of associations between the individual, interpersonal, and school/community risk and protective factors and the odds of adolescent opioid use. All models adjusted for adolescent’s sex, race/ethnicity, whether they lived in a two-parent household, and whether they were enrolled in a recovery high school (RHS) versus a more traditional, non-recovery high school. First, a hierarchical logistic regression was conducted to examine the association between risk and protective factors of all the domains and adolescent opioid use. The first step of the hierarchical model examined associations between covariates and lifetime opioid use. The following step included all individual-level variables as predictors of adolescent opioid use. The third step in the model examined peer and parental risk and protective factors on opioid use while adjusting for individual-level predictors and covariates. The final step of the model examined the associations between school-/community-level predictors and adolescent opioid use, while adjusting for covariates and individual-, peer-, and parental-level risk and protective factors.

To address the second study aim, we added a multiplicative interaction term to test whether poor parental monitoring moderated the effect of each risk and protective factor on the odds of adolescent opioid use. When an interaction was tested (e.g., MDD symptoms and poor parental monitoring), all risk and protective factors were included in the model, as well as covariates. Results are presented as logit coefficients (*b*) from the logistic regression models, alongside corresponding

332 odds ratio (*OR*) effect sizes and their 95% confidence intervals. Model fit for each logistic regression  
 333 tested was assessed using the Akaike Information Criterion (AIC).

334 There was a modest amount of missing data due to participant non-response and study  
 335 attrition; missingness ranged from 5-24% among the variables of interest. Missing data were  
 336 addressed using multiple imputation by chained equations (van Buuren & Groothuis-Oudshoorn,  
 337 2010) to create 30 multiply imputed datasets with 30 iterations. All reported model estimates were  
 338 obtained by pooling results across the imputed datasets using Rubin’s rules (1987). All analyses were  
 339 conducted using R 4.0.3 (R Core Team, 2020).

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341 **3 Results**

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343 Table 1 shows the descriptive statistics for study variables included in the analyses. About 50%  
 344 identified as male and approximately 75% identified as white. Less than one-half of the sample  
 345 (47.4%) stated that they were enrolled in an RHS and approximately 36% of the adolescents in the  
 346 sample stated they lived in a two-parent household. Approximately 67% of adolescents reported  
 347 lifetime opioid use. Regarding mental health symptoms in the past 12 months, 31.6% of adolescents  
 348 reported experiencing symptoms of MDD, 28.5% and 10.8% of adolescents reported experiencing  
 349 symptoms of GAD and PTSD respectively, and 39% of adolescents endorsed antisocial traits. Most  
 350 adolescents reported at least some use of tobacco (84.2%), alcohol (69%), and marijuana (77.4%) in  
 351 the past year. Approximately 57% of the sample reported a parent with past drug or alcohol abuse.

352 Table 2 presents the findings from the hierarchical logistic regression models. In the covariate  
 353 model, there was no evidence of significant associations between being male, white, enrolled in RHS,  
 354 and living in a two-parent household with engaging in opioid use. <sup>1</sup>The inclusion of individual-level  
 355 risk factors in the subsequent model indicated that adolescents who endorsed antisocial traits had  
 356 three times the odds of engaging in opioid use than adolescents who did not (AOR = 3.01,  $p < .001$ ,  
 357 95% CI [1.55, 5.86]). Experiencing MDD symptoms, GAD symptoms, or PTSD symptoms in the last  
 358 12 months were not significantly associated with engagement in opioid use. Use of tobacco, alcohol,  
 359 and marijuana in the past year were also not significantly associated with engagement in opioid use.  
 360 After adding parent and peer risk and protective factors, the model showed that having a parent with  
 361 past alcohol or drug abuse was associated with an 87% increase in the odds of engaging in opioid use  
 362 (AOR = 1.87,  $p = .04$ , 95% CI [1.04, 3.39]) when adjusted for other individual, parent, and peer  
 363 predictors. Other parental dimensions, including poor parental monitoring, inconsistent discipline,  
 364 and positive parenting, were not significantly associated with engagement in opioid use. Similarly,  
 365 peer attitudes did not show evidence of a significant association with engagement in opioid use. In  
 366 the final model, including school-level and community-level predictors, the community-level  
 367 predictor (perceived availability of substances) was significantly associated with ever using opioids  
 368 (AOR = 1.90,  $p = .02$ , 95% CI [1.12, 3.20]). School-level predictors, including GPA and negative  
 369 attitudes toward school, however, were not significantly associated with engagement in opioid use. A  
 370 significant association was found for adolescents with a two-parent household having higher odds of  
 371 engaging in engaging in opioid use (AOR = 2.09,  $p = .038$ , 95% CI [1.04, 4.20]) when including the  
 372 school- and community-level predictors. As seen in Table 2, both parent with a past drug or alcohol  
 373 abuse and antisocial traits remained significantly associated with engaging in opioid use when  
 374 including additional ecological predictors in subsequent models.

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<sup>1</sup> Post hoc analyses excluding non-significant covariates were conducted to increase statistical power. Results of these post hoc analyses yielded no substantial or meaningful changes in model fit, statistical significance, or conclusions.



376 **3.1 Potential Moderating Effect of Poor Parental Monitoring with Individual-level**  
 377 **Predictors**  
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379 As shown in Table 3, there was no evidence that poor parental monitoring significantly moderated  
 380 the association between the individual-level predictors and opioid use. Indeed, the interaction  
 381 between MDD symptoms and poor parental monitoring was not significantly associated with odds of  
 382 adolescents ever using opioids (AOR = 1.25,  $p = .60$ , 95% CI [ 0.54, 2.90]). Similarly, there was no  
 383 evidence that poor parental monitoring moderated the associations between other mental health  
 384 constructs, including GAD symptoms (AOR = 2.24,  $p = .12$ , 95% CI [ 0.81, 6.20]), PTSD symptoms  
 385 (AOR = 1.23,  $p = .74$ , 95% CI [ 0.35, 4.27]), and antisocial traits (AOR = 1.16,  $p = .69$ , 95% CI [  
 386 0.55, 2.45]), with using opioids. Finally, there was no evidence that poor parental monitoring  
 387 moderated the associations between other individual-level predictors and adolescents' opioid use:  
 388 tobacco use (AOR = 0.82,  $p = .90$ , 95% CI [ 0.04, 15.60]), alcohol use (AOR = 1.17,  $p = .75$ , 95% CI  
 389 [ 0.45, 3.02]), marijuana use (AOR = 1.92,  $p = .18$ , 95% CI [ 0.73, 5.05]).  
 390

391 **3.2 Potential Moderating Effect of Poor Parental Monitoring with Parental-/Peer-level**  
 392 **Predictors**  
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394 Table 4 shows that there was no evidence that poor parental monitoring significantly moderated the  
 395 association between parental- and peer-level predictors and adolescent opioid use. Specifically, there  
 396 was no evidence of a significant association between the interaction of positive parenting and poor  
 397 parental monitoring with adolescents ever using opioids (AOR = 1.09,  $p = .77$ , 95% CI [ 0.61, 1.94]).  
 398 Similarly, there was no evidence that poor parental monitoring moderated the associations between  
 399 the other parental constructs, including inconsistent discipline (AOR = 1.18,  $p = .46$ , 95% CI [ 0.76,  
 400 1.81]) and having parents with histories of drug or alcohol abuse (AOR = 0.94,  $p = .87$ , 95% CI  
 401 [0.45, 1.97]) with opioid use. Lastly, the interaction between peer attitudes and poor parental  
 402 monitoring was not significantly associated with odds of adolescents ever using opioids (AOR =  
 403 1.30,  $p = .48$ , 95% CI [ 0.62, 2.76]).  
 404

405 **3.3 Potential Moderating Effect of Poor Parental Monitoring with School-/Community-level**  
 406 **Predictors**  
 407

408 Table 5 shows the interaction findings between school-/community-level predictors and poor parental  
 409 monitoring with adolescents ever using opioids. There was no evidence that poor parental monitoring  
 410 significantly moderated the associations between GPA, negative attitudes towards school, and  
 411 perceived availability with ever engaging in opioids. Specifically, there was no evidence that poor  
 412 parental monitoring significantly moderated the association between GPA and adolescents ever using  
 413 opioids (AOR = 0.95,  $p = .86$ , 95% CI [ 0.56, 1.62]), nor between negative attitudes toward school  
 414 and opioid use (AOR = 1.14,  $p = .07$ , 95% CI [ 0.99, 1.32]). Finally, there was no evidence of a  
 415 significant association between the interaction of perceived availability and poor parental monitoring  
 416 with adolescents ever using opioids (AOR = 1.53,  $p = .18$ , 95% CI [ 0.82, 2.85]).  
 417

418 **4 Discussion**  
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420 This study examined several social-ecological risk and protective factors associated with lifetime  
 421 opioid use among a sample of adolescents with histories of SUDs. Our results suggest that opioids  
 422 are a commonly used illicit substance among this clinical adolescent sample, evidenced by the 67%  
 423 of adolescents reporting lifetime opioid use. This prevalence rate is comparable to previous findings  
 424 of opioid use rates among adolescents in recovery from SUDs (Tanner-Smith et al., 2018; Vosburg et

425 al., 2015), highlighting the generalizability of opioid use characteristics among high-risk clinical  
 426 populations of adolescents. Our hypothesis that risk factors at each social-ecological level would  
 427 significantly predict lifetime opioid use was partially supported. Regarding the role of family and  
 428 parenting contexts, our results demonstrated that adolescents whose parents have a history of alcohol  
 429 or drug abuse were more likely to report ever using opioids compared to those who did not report a  
 430 parental substance use history. As hypothesized, adolescents who endorsed antisocial traits also had  
 431 greater odds of reporting lifetime opioid use compared to adolescents who did not meet this  
 432 threshold. This finding is consistent with prior research linking antisocial behavior to adolescent  
 433 opioid misuse (Griesler et al., 2019; Nargiso et al., 2015; Sung et al., 2005; Vaughn et al., 2016).  
 434 Additionally, adolescents who reported greater perceived availability of substances had greater odds  
 435 of reporting lifetime opioid use compared to adolescents with lower perceived availability of  
 436 substances. We found no evidence that adolescents' past year substance use (tobacco, marijuana, or  
 437 alcohol) was associated with their lifetime opioid use, nor any evidence that adolescents' prior mental  
 438 health symptoms of MDD, GAD, or PTSD, nor peer attitudes favorable toward drugs, were  
 439 predictive of lifetime opioid use. Given that previous studies have consistently reported significant  
 440 associations between substance use and mental health histories and subsequent opioid use outcomes  
 441 (Barnett et al 2019; Bhatia et al., 2020; Bonar et al., 2020; Griesler et al., 2019), further research is  
 442 warranted to replicate the null findings reported herein.

443 These results highlight the potentially impactful role of parental substance use histories on  
 444 adolescent opioid use. The family context is incredibly influential during the developmental stage of  
 445 adolescence, underlying the significance of understanding the development and progression of SUDs  
 446 among adolescents, particularly among those with parents who have existing substance use-related  
 447 concerns and histories (Chassin & Handley, 2006). Prior research has documented that parental  
 448 SUDs increase the likelihood that their children will develop SUDs (Biederman et al., 2000).  
 449 Moreover, effects of protective parenting behaviors on children's outcomes might be diminished  
 450 among parents with SUDs compared to parents without substance use problems (Arria et al., 2012).  
 451 Family and parenting characteristics therefore affect adolescents' behaviors both directly and  
 452 indirectly, highlighting the complex nature of parenting when substance use is a factor within the  
 453 family context. Growing behavior genetic research suggests that substance use during adolescence is  
 454 heavily influenced by environmentally mediated factors, including parent-child relationship  
 455 problems and peer deviance, which influence adolescent phenotypes, over and beyond heritable  
 456 biological influences alone (Walden et al., 2004). Although parental substance abuse was examined  
 457 as a microsystemic predictor of opioid use, future research should consider examining this variable as  
 458 a possible proxy of biological vulnerability for addiction or substance use among adolescents. Such  
 459 an investigation may provide more context and nuance to the complex nature of substance use in the  
 460 context of family and parents.

461 The hypothesis that level of parental monitoring would moderate associations between social-  
 462 ecological risk factors and opioid use was not supported in the current study. We found no evidence  
 463 that parental monitoring levels significantly moderated associations between social-ecological risk  
 464 factors and adolescents' lifetime opioid use. These null results could be due to limited statistical  
 465 power using our analytic sample of 294 adolescents. Future research should thus attempt to replicate  
 466 this effect in larger samples of adolescents with SUD histories and similar risk profiles as the current  
 467 sample. These null findings might also reflect a lack of nuance and sensitivity in our measure of  
 468 parental monitoring (see Kerr & Stattin, 2000; Kerr et al., 2010; Stattin & Kerr, 2000), despite its  
 469 demonstrated predictive validity among other samples of adolescents (Elgar et al., 2007; Gross et al.,  
 470 2017; Zlomke et al., 2014; Zlomke et al., 2015). Historically, parental monitoring has been  
 471 conceptualized as an active attempt by parents to monitor and follow the whereabouts of their  
 472 children. However, this parental management strategy has been found to be most effective in the  
 473 context of positive parent-adolescent relationships that would evoke adolescent self-disclosure of

474 information and risk behaviors (Fletcher et al., 2004; Keijsers et al., 2009; Rusby et al., 2018; Stattin  
 475 & Kerr, 2000). Indeed, adolescent self-disclosure is an important component of parental monitoring  
 476 (Kerr & Stattin, 2000; Rusby et al., 2018; Stattin & Kerr, 2000), supporting the need to understand  
 477 the relationship quality alongside factors such as conflict and communication. Thus, family-focused  
 478 interventions of adolescents with SUD histories may need to consider the way in which parental  
 479 monitoring is being assessed, especially in the context of adolescent attitudes toward school. This  
 480 may be an important area for prevention among adolescents with histories of SUDs.

481 Our results demonstrate the applicability of studying adolescents' perceived availability of  
 482 substances (at the exosystem level), parent's substance use (microsystem level), and antisocial traits  
 483 (individual level) among students in recovery from SUDs. Some theoretical frameworks, such as the  
 484 recovery capital framework (Granfield & Cloud, 1999; Hennessy, 2017), highlight how access to and  
 485 accumulation of resources across multiple ecological levels can aid the substance use recovery  
 486 process. Continuing care options that address the multiple social-ecological needs of youth in  
 487 recovery, are therefore likely to successfully support youths' recovery needs. For example, RHSs,  
 488 which aim to support students' social and community capital by fostering social connectedness with  
 489 sober peers, supportive school staff, and family members, have shown positive effects in prolonging  
 490 abstinence from substance use during recovery (Finch & Karakos, 2014; Finch et al., 2018; Tanner-  
 491 Smith et al., 2019; Tanner-Smith et al., 2020). Other approaches drawing on integrated and holistic  
 492 care models providing tailored therapeutic services to adolescents in recovery from SUDs (e.g.,  
 493 Latimer et al., 2000) may thus be similarly effective in addressing the numerous issues facing these  
 494 adolescents.

495  
 496 **4.1 Limitations**

497 The findings from the current study should be considered alongside several study limitations. First,  
 498 because we relied on existing data, we were only able to study the outcome of interest – opioid use –  
 499 using one binary item. This item inherently limited our ability to examine predictors of the frequency  
 500 or severity of adolescent opioid use. Future research studies in samples of adolescents with SUDs  
 501 should collect more nuanced data about opioid misuse to better understand predictors of both the  
 502 likelihood and extent of opioid use (e.g., Boyd et al., 2006). There were additional limitations due to  
 503 measures used in the current study that are important to note. It is possible that there was insensitive  
 504 measurement bias if the measures were not developmentally appropriate for this sample of  
 505 adolescents. Additionally, it is possible that opioid use was under-reported in the present sample, as  
 506 well as other national samples of adolescents (Palamar, Shearston, & Cleland, 2016); a possible  
 507 source of attention bias. Given that adolescents had recently been discharged from SUD treatment, it  
 508 is possible that some participants felt pressure to respond favorably to the questionnaire items  
 509 regarding drug use. Second, given the small and relatively homogenous sample (in terms of  
 510 race/ethnicity and socioeconomic status), future research should aim to study these ecological risk  
 511 and protective factors in larger clinical samples of adolescents from more diverse backgrounds.  
 512 Finally, given our reliance on previously collected data, there were several potential confounding  
 513 variables highlighted in the literature that were not included in our final analytic models, such as  
 514 adolescents' sensation-seeking and self-medication motives (Boyd et al., 2006; Boyd et al., 2009;  
 515 Khantzian, 1997; Romer et al., 2017; Young, McCabe et al., 2012). Similarly, the scope of this study  
 516 did not include examining potential mediators; however, prior research suggests these associations  
 517 may hold additional complexity that should be further explored. For instance, prior studies have  
 518 demonstrated that positive parental involvement may act as a mediator between parent characteristics  
 519 such as SUD history on youth psychosocial outcomes, which may include adolescent opioid and  
 520 other substance use (Bijttebier et al., 2006; Burstein et al., 2006). Future research is thus warranted to  
 521 examine possible differences in motivations for opioid use among adolescents with SUD histories as  
 522

523 well as potential mediators that may elucidate the mechanisms underlying the link between various  
524 risk factors and adolescent opioid misuse.

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#### 526 **4.2 Conclusions**

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528 This study adds to the empirical evidence base on adolescent opioid misuse in several important  
529 ways. First, this is the first study to our knowledge that uses a social-ecological framework to study  
530 risk and protective factors of opioid use among adolescents with a history of SUDs. Examining these  
531 associations in this understudied clinical population is critical for promoting positive outcomes  
532 among adolescents after they are discharged from formal substance use treatment. High school  
533 students with histories of SUDs represent a high-risk clinical subpopulation for problematic  
534 substance use and relapse. More research is needed on the social epidemiology of substance use –  
535 and opioid use, more specifically – in this population, which can be used to inform efficacious and  
536 targeted preventive and continuing care interventions for these adolescents. Continuing care  
537 programs that offer individualized treatment plans should concentrate on the important roles that  
538 families, peers, and school environment have in promoting positive outcomes among adolescents  
539 with histories of SUDs and opioid misuse.

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870 **10 Tables**

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872 **10.1 Table 1**

873 *Descriptive Statistics for Covariates, Individual-, Peer-, Parental-, School-/Community-level*

874 *Domains, and Opioid Use (N = 294)*

Variable	<i>M (SD)</i>	Range	<i>n (%)</i>
Ever used opioids (1 = yes)			216 (66.9%)
Male (1 = yes)			162 (50.2%)
White (1 = yes)			242 (74.9%)
RHS enrollment (1 = yes)			153 (47.4%)
Two-parent household (1 = yes)			116 (35.9%)
MDD symptoms (1 = yes)			102 (31.6%)
GAD symptoms (1 = yes)			92 (28.5%)
PTSD symptoms (1 = yes)			35 (10.8%)
Antisocial traits (1 = yes)			126 (39%)
PY Tobacco use (1 = yes)			272 (84.2%)
PY Alcohol use (1 = yes)			223 (69%)
PY Marijuana use (1 = yes)			250 (77.4%)
Positive parenting	3.96 (0.59)	(1-5)	
Inconsistent discipline	2.70 (0.76)	(1-5)	
Poor parental monitoring	2.58 (0.81)	(1-5)	
Parent with past AOD abuse (1 = yes)			183 (56.7%)
Peer attitudes	3.05 (0.52)	(1-4)	
GPA	2.56 (0.87)	(0-4)	
Negative attitudes toward school	5.69 (2.60)	(0-10)	
Perceived availability	4.33 (0.59)	(1-5)	

875 *Note.* RHS = Recovery High School; MDD = Major Depressive Disorder; GAD = Generalized

876 Anxiety Disorder; PTSD = Posttraumatic Stress Disorder; PY = Past year; AOD = alcohol or drug;

877 GPA = Grade point average; *M*= mean; *SD* = Standard Deviation; *n* = number of observations.

878 Standard deviations are in parentheses. Percentages of adolescents that stated yes for each variable is

879 reported in parentheses.

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**10.2 Table 2**

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*Hierarchical Logistic Regression of Individual-, Parent- and Peer, School-/Community-level Predictors of Opioid Use*

Variable	Covariates		Individual		Parent/Peer		School/Community	
	<i>b</i> ( <i>SE</i> )	OR [95% CI]	<i>b</i> ( <i>SE</i> )	OR [95% CI]	<i>b</i> ( <i>SE</i> )	OR [95% CI]	<i>b</i> ( <i>SE</i> )	OR [95% CI]
Male	0.15 (0.30)	1.16 [0.64, 2.11]	0.21 (0.30)	1.23 [0.68, 2.23]	0.18 (0.31)	1.20 [0.65, 2.20]	0.11 (0.32)	1.12 [0.60, 2.09]
White	0.55 (0.41)	1.74 [0.76, 3.96]	0.68 (0.40)	1.97 [0.90, 4.31]	0.60 (0.40)	1.82 [0.82, 4.03]	0.64 (0.41)	1.89 [0.84, 4.27]
RHS enrollment	0.47 (0.28)	1.59 [0.81, 2.78]	0.39 (0.32)	1.48 [0.79, 2.77]	0.45 (0.32)	1.57 [0.83, 2.96]	0.33 (0.33)	1.38 [0.73, 2.63]
Two-parent household	0.52 (0.30)	1.69 [0.93, 3.05]	0.48 (0.32)	1.62 [0.87, 3.03]	0.62 (0.34)	1.86 [0.95, 3.63]	0.74 (0.35)*	2.09 [1.04, 4.20]
MDD symptoms			0.00 (0.35)	1.00 [0.50, 2.00]	0.02 (0.36)	1.02 [0.50, 2.07]	0.03 (0.37)	1.03 [0.50, 2.13]
GAD symptoms			0.48 (0.338)	1.62 [0.77, 3.41]	0.52 (0.39)	1.68 [0.78, 3.61]	0.51 (0.39)	1.67 [0.77, 3.63]
PTSD symptoms			0.27 (0.53)	1.31 [0.46, 3.71]	0.22 (0.53)	1.24 [0.43, 3.56]	0.09 (0.54)	1.10 [0.38, 3.18]
Antisocial traits			1.10 (0.34)**	3.01 [1.55, 5.86]	1.12 (0.35)**	3.05 [1.54, 6.04]	0.98 (0.35)*	2.65 [1.32, 5.32]
PY Tobacco use			0.47 (1.10)	1.61 [0.17, 15.20]	0.42 (0.35)	1.52 [0.14, 16.20]	0.27 (1.19)	1.31 [0.12, 14.9]
PY Alcohol use			0.27 (0.42)	1.31 [0.58, 2.99]	0.28 (0.42)	1.32 [0.57, 3.04]	0.15 (0.44)	1.17 [0.49, 2.76]
PY Marijuana use			0.08 (0.50)	1.08 [0.40, 2.91]	0.18 (0.50)	1.19 [0.44, 3.22]	0.24 (0.52)	1.27 [0.45, 3.54]
Positive parenting					0.09 (0.26)	1.09 [0.66, 1.81]	0.10 (0.26)	1.11 [0.66, 1.85]
Inconsistent discipline					0.10 (0.21)	1.11 [0.74, 1.66]	0.08 (0.21)	1.08 [0.72, 1.64]
Poor parental monitoring					-0.05 (0.20)	0.96 [0.65, 1.40]	0.03 (0.20)	1.03 [0.69, 1.54]
Parent with past AOD abuse					0.63 (0.30)*	1.87 [1.04, 3.39]	0.67 (0.31)*	1.95 [1.05, 3.59]
Peer attitudes					-0.09 (0.29)	0.91 [0.51, 1.63]	-0.30 (0.32)	0.74 [0.39, 1.40]
GPA							0.12 (0.20)	1.13 [0.76, 1.69]
Negative attitudes toward school							0.06 (0.06)	1.06 [0.94, 1.21]
Perceived availability							0.64 (0.27)*	1.90 [1.12, 3.20]
Likelihood ratio test statistic			$\chi^2 = 1.45$		$\chi^2 = 0.92$		$\chi^2 = 2.10$	
AIC	376.24		366.91		370.59		366.76	

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Note. RHS = Recovery High School; MDD = Major Depressive Disorder; GAD = Generalized Anxiety Disorder; PTSD = Posttraumatic Stress Disorder;

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PY = Past year; AOD = alcohol or drug; GPA = Grade point average; *b* = Unstandardized logit coefficient; *SE* = Standard errors; OR = Odds ratio; CI =

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Confidence interval; AIC = Akaike Information Criterion. Standard errors are in parentheses.

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**10.3 Table 3**

*Moderation Analyses of Individual-level Predictors and Poor Parental Monitoring on Opioid Use*

	MDD symptoms		GAD symptoms		PTSD Symptoms		Antisocial Traits	
Effect	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]
Main effect	0.04 (0.37)	1.04 [0.50, 2.16]	0.60 (0.42)	1.82 [0.80, 4.14]	0.11 (0.54)	1.12 [0.38, 3.27]	0.98 (0.35)*	2.66 [1.32, 5.33]
Poor parental monitoring	-0.05 (0.24)	0.95 [0.59, 1.53]	-0.13 (0.22)	0.88 [0.56, 1.36]	0.01 (0.21)	1.01 [0.67, 1.53]	-0.03 (0.26)	0.97 [0.58, 1.61]
Interaction	0.22 (0.43)	1.25 [0.54, 2.90]	0.81 (0.51)	2.24 [0.81, 6.20]	0.21 (0.63)	1.23 [0.35, 4.27]	0.15 (0.38)	1.16 [0.55, 2.45]
AIC	368.13		365.00		368.41		368.47	
	Past Year Tobacco Use		Past Year Alcohol Use		Past Year Marijuana Use			
Effect	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]		
Main effect	0.09 (1.97)	1.09 [0.02, 58.90]	0.16 (0.44)	1.18 [0.49, 2.81]	0.34 (0.54)	1.41 [0.49, 4.06]		
Poor parental monitoring	0.10 (0.26)	1.11 [0.66, 1.85]	0.10 (0.26)	1.11 [0.66, 1.86]	0.12 (0.26)	1.13 [0.68, 1.89]		
Interaction	-0.20 (1.47)	0.82 [0.04, 15.60]	0.15 (0.48)	1.17 [0.45, 3.02]	0.65 (0.49)	1.92 [0.73, 5.05]		
AIC	367.86		368.22		366.37			

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*Note.* MDD = Major Depressive Disorder; GAD = Generalized Anxiety Disorder; PTSD = Posttraumatic Stress Disorder; *b* = Unstandardized logit coefficient; *SE* = Standard errors; AIC = Akaike Information Criterion.

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**10.4 Table 4**

*Moderation Analyses of Parental- and Peer-level Predictors and Poor Parental Monitoring on Opioid Use*

Effect	Positive Parenting		Inconsistent Discipline		Parent with Past AOD Abuse		Peer Attitudes	
	<i>b</i> ( <i>SE</i> )	OR [95% CI]	<i>b</i> ( <i>SE</i> )	OR [95% CI]	<i>b</i> ( <i>SE</i> )	OR [95% CI]	<i>b</i> ( <i>SE</i> )	OR [95% CI]
Main effect	0.10 (0.26)	1.11 [0.66, 1.86]	0.05 (0.21)	1.06 [0.69, 1.61]	0.66 (0.31)*	1.94 [1.05, 3.59]	-0.29 (0.32)	0.75 [0.40, 1.42]
Poor parental monitoring	0.03 (0.20)	1.03 [0.69, 1.54]	0.03 (0.20)	1.03 [0.69, 1.54]	0.07 (0.31)	1.07 [0.58, 1.98]	0.04 (0.21)	1.05 [0.70, 1.57]
Interaction	0.09 (0.29)	1.09 [0.61, 1.94]	0.16 (0.22)	1.18 [0.76, 1.81]	-0.06 (0.38)	0.94 [.045, 1.97]	0.27 (0.38)	1.30 [0.62, 2.76]
AIC	368.47		368.07		368.58		368.04	

*Note.* *b* = Unstandardized logit coefficient; *SE* = Standard errors; Standard errors are in parentheses; AOD = alcohol or drug; AIC = Akaike Information Criterion.

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**10.5 Table 5**

*Moderation Analyses of School-/Community-level Predictors and Poor Parental Monitoring on Opioid Use*

	GPA		Perceived Availability		Negative Attitudes Toward School	
Effect	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]	<i>b (SE)</i>	OR [95% CI]
Main effect	0.13 (0.20)	1.14 [0.76, 1.70]	0.61 (0.27)*	1.84 [1.08, 3.13]	0.07 (0.07)	1.07 [0.94, 1.22]
Poor parental monitoring	0.03 (0.20)	1.03 [0.69, 1.54]	0.06 (0.21)	1.07 [0.70, 1.61]	0.04 (0.21)	1.04 [0.68, 1.58]
Interaction	-0.05 (0.27)	0.95 [0.56, 1.62]	0.42 (0.32)	1.53 [0.82, 2.85]	0.13 (0.07)	1.14 [0.99, 1.32]
AIC	368.17		366.33		364.65	

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