



By the numbers

9.4% of children **ages 2 to 17** (1 in 11) have been diagnosed with ADHD.

4.4% of adults **ages 18 to 44** (1 in 23) have been diagnosed with ADHD.

The average age of ADHD diagnosis is **7 years old**.

Boys are **2 to 3 times more likely** to be diagnosed than girls.

A child with ADHD has a **1 in 4** chance of having a parent who also has ADHD.

According to a national 2016 survey, **6 in 10** children with ADHD had at least one other mental, emotional, or behavioral disorder:

- About **half** of the children with ADHD also had a behavior or conduct problem.
- About **3 in 10** children with ADHD also had anxiety.
- Other conditions included depression, autism spectrum disorder, and Tourette syndrome.