

Bloomsburg University: Department of Psychology
Adolescence
Final Exam Study Guide: Dr. Leitzel

This exam consists of 50 multiple choice questions (25 from Chapter II and material discussed related to the Rind et al Meta Analysis and 22 from the first 10 chapters), plus one from each of the three presentations that have been done since the third exam. Areas from Chapters II that will be covered on the exam include, but are not limited to, the following. This listing is fairly comprehensive, though not exhaustive.

- Ψ Shifts from preadolescence to adolescence in consequences of sexual behavior
- Ψ Societal attitudes toward sexuality
- Ψ Sequencing of sexual behaviors among adolescents
- Ψ Trends in sexual intercourse initiation
- Ψ Racial/Ethnic differences in sexual activity initiation
- Ψ Correlates of early sexual activity
- Ψ Environmental factors making early sexual activity most likely
- Ψ Gender differences in sexual socialization and behavior
- Ψ Early adolescent sex play – consequences
- Ψ Sexual preference and sex role behaviors
- Ψ Consequences of sexual activity
- Ψ Patterns of contraception use (and disuse)
- Ψ US compared with other countries in sexual activity and pregnancies among adolescents
- Ψ Adolescent pregnancy statistics
- Ψ Adolescent pregnancy consequences
- Ψ Adolescent pregnancy prevention
- Ψ Child sexual abuse meta-analysis (Rind et al study)

See the prior study guides for topics for the comprehensive portion of the exam.