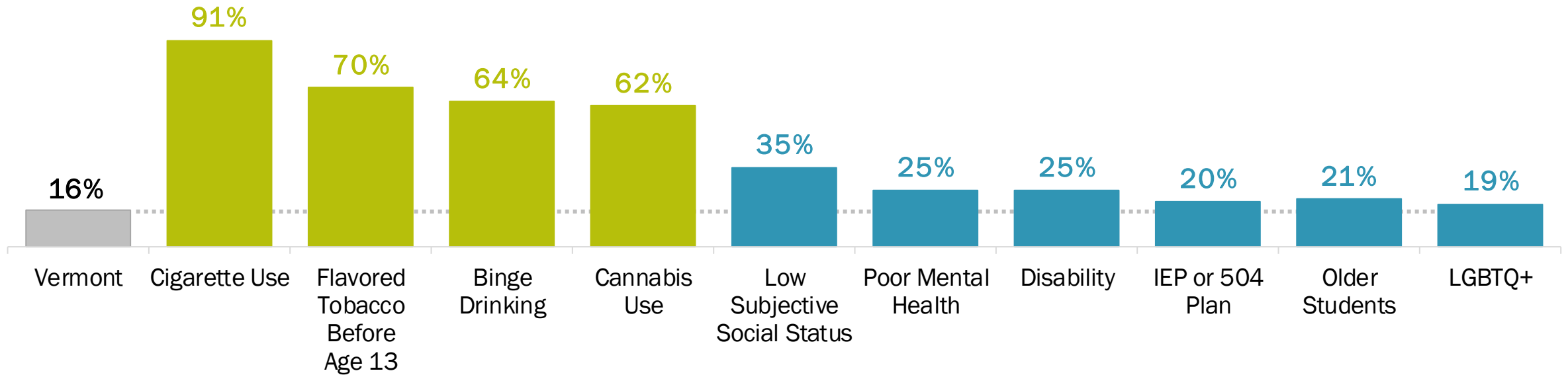




High School Students Who Vape at Higher Rates Than the Statewide Rate (2021 YRBS)

Students who smoke cigarettes, tried flavored tobacco before age 13, binge drink or use cannabis vape at the highest rates.

Current Vaping Prevalence (%)



Concurrent Substance Use and Initiation

Mental Health and Demographics

Graph Interpretation: Gray bar shows the VT estimate. Colored bars show vaping prevalence within each sub-population. *E.g.*, 91% of youth who currently smoke cigarettes also currently vape while 25% of students with poor mental health currently vape.

Data Source: Vermont High School YRBS 2021.

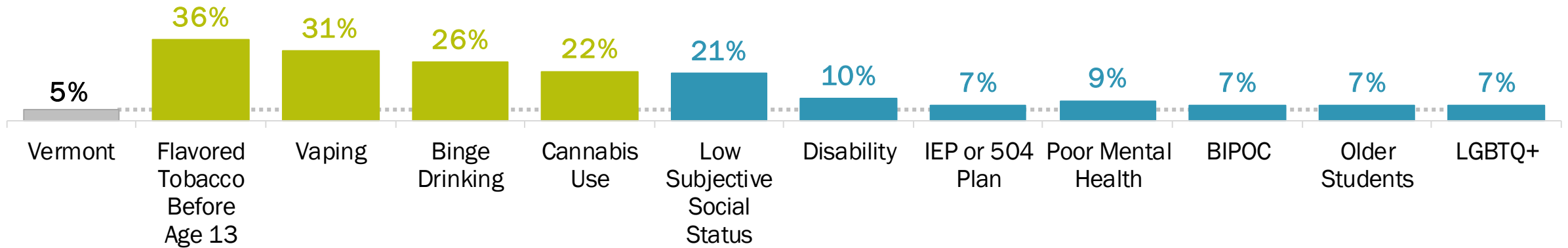
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High School Students Who Smoke Cigarettes at Higher Rates Than the Statewide Rate (2021 YRBS)

Students who tried flavored tobacco before age 13, vape, binge drink or use cannabis smoke cigarettes at the highest rates.

Current Smoking Prevalence (%)



Concurrent Substance Use and Initiation

Mental Health and Demographics

Graph Interpretation: Gray bar shows the VT estimate. Colored bars show smoking prevalence within each sub-population. *E.g.*, 36% of youth who tried flavored tobacco before age 13 currently smoke cigarettes while 10% of students with a disability currently smoke cigarettes.

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Data Notes:

- **Vaping** refers to electronic vapor products used in the past 30 days including: e-cigarettes, vapes, vape pens, e-cigars, e-hookahs, hookah pens & mods.
- **Cigarette** and **Cannabis Use** are in the past 30 days.
- **Binge Drinking** = five or more drinks on an occasion (men), four or more for women in the past 30 days.
- **Subjective Social Status** is a proxy measure for socioeconomic status.
- **Poor Mental Health** includes stress, anxiety and depression, and youth who felt their mental health was not good at least most of the time in the past 30 days.
- **Disability** includes those with a long-term health problem.
- **IEP or 504 Plan** = Individualized Education Plan or supports and services for students with disabilities.
- **BIPOC** = Black, Indigenous and people of color.
- **Older Students** = those in 11th or 12th grades.
- **LGBTQ+** = Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and other sexual orientations, or those questioning or unsure of their sexual orientation or gender identity.