# Adolescent OTC Drug Product Use: A Public Workshop

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# Agenda

Overview of IRI Panel

### Survey Collection Methodology

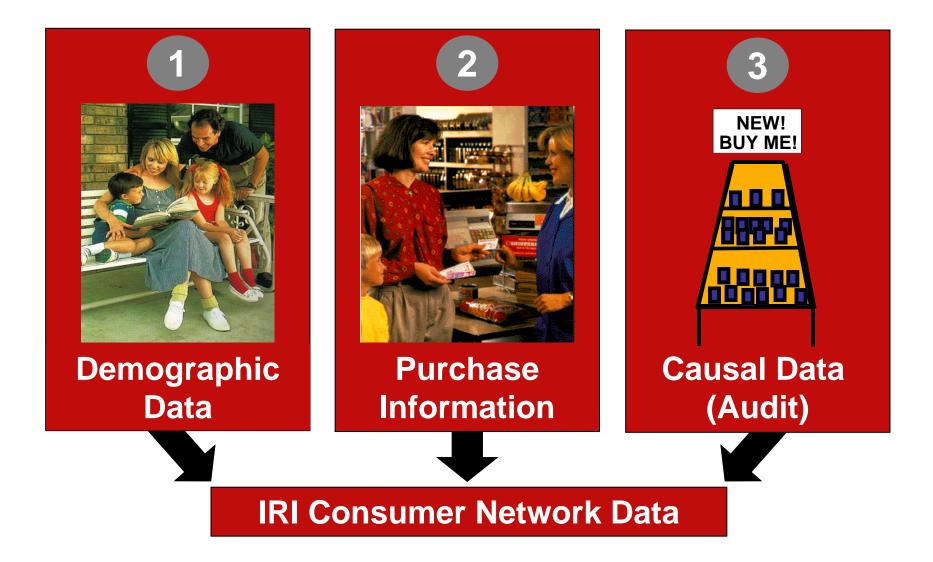
### Household Survey Data by Category

- Acne Products
- Allergy Product
- Internal Analgesics
- Menstrual Pain Product

## Summary & Conclusions

# IRI's Panel Database

Integrates key datasets at the household level



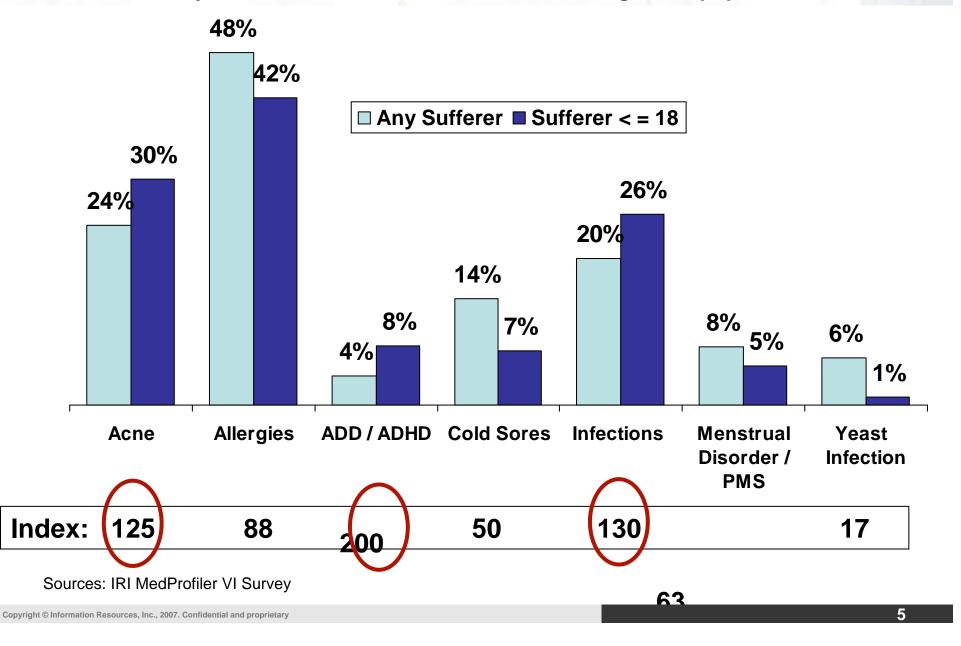
# **Methodology: IRI's Individual User Survey** Provides usage information by household member

- Each member of the household is listed by gender and age
- For each member, how much of the product did they use:
  - A Little
  - Some
  - Most
  - All

		COLD/ALLRGY/SINUS LIQ MOTRIN				COLD/ALLRGY/SINUS LIQ TYLENOL FLU			
		AListe	Some	MOSt	P	PLIM	Some	Most	All
Male	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Female	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Female	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Female	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

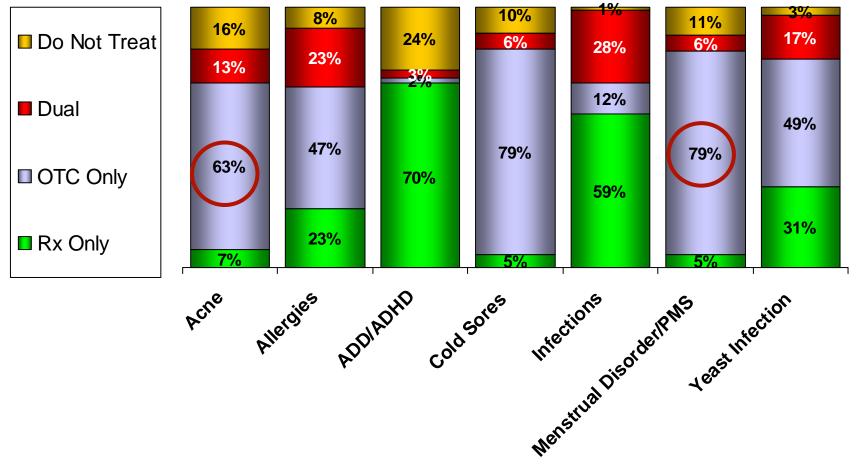
# **Condition Incidence: Teens vs. General Population**

Teens more likely to suffer from Acne and Infections than general population



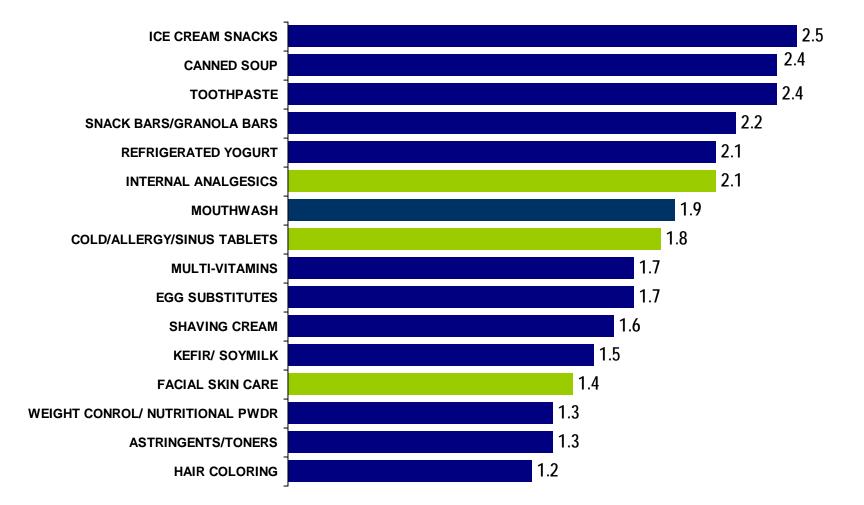
# **Condition Treatment Choices for Individuals ≤18**

Acne and Menstrual Disorders are typically treated with OTC products; dual Rx/OTC treatments most common among Allergy and Infections.



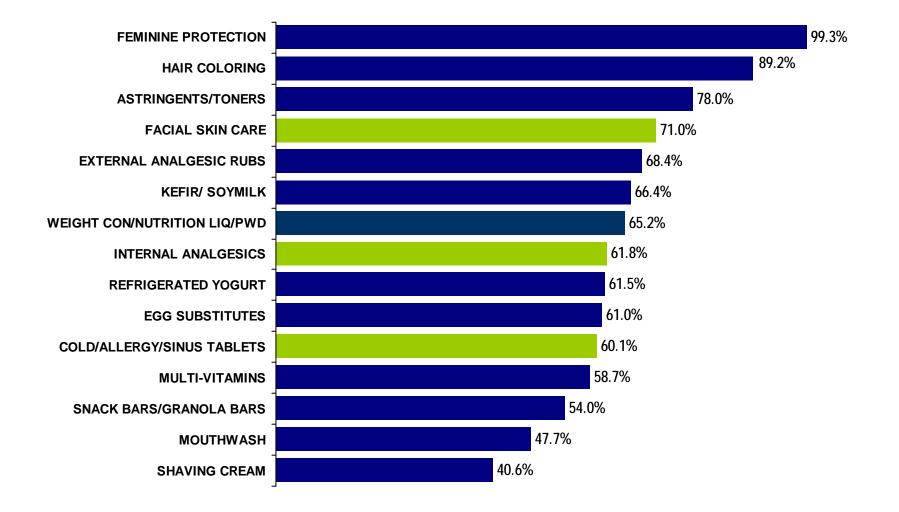
Sources: IRI MedProfiler VI Survey

# **Average Number of Category Users per Household** (Across All Age Groups; US National Average = 2.3)



Time Period = Various '02-'05

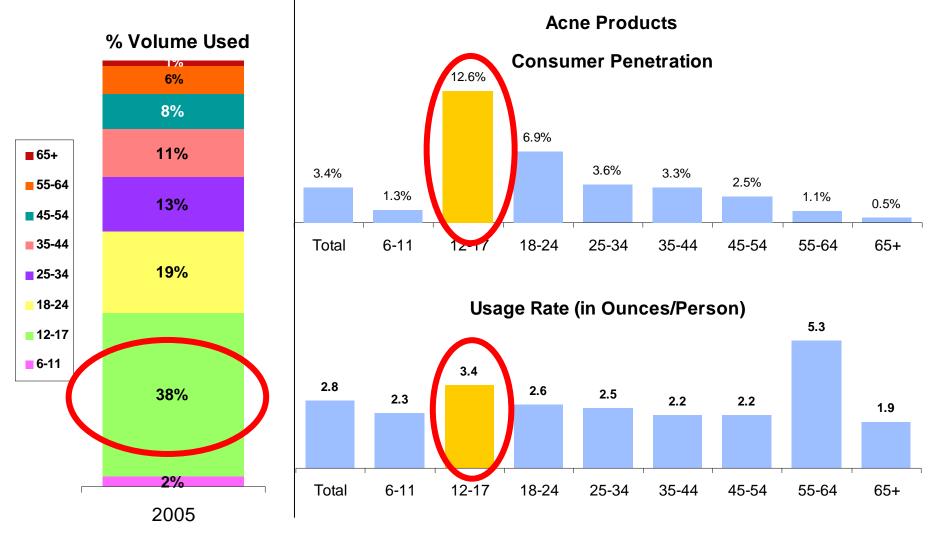
## Category Norms: % Category Volume Accounted for by Females (Across All Age Groups)



Time Period = Various '02-'05

### Acne Products - Usage Dynamics by Age

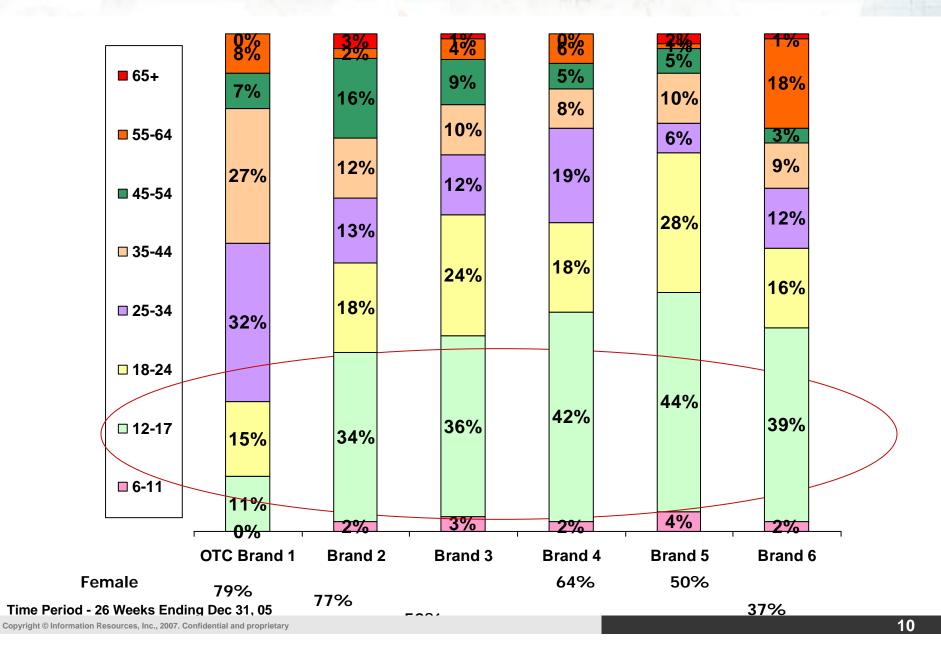
38% of Acne Product volume comes from consumers aged 12-17. Penetration rates are highest among this group; usage rates are second highest.



Time Period: 26 Weeks Ending Dec 31, 2005

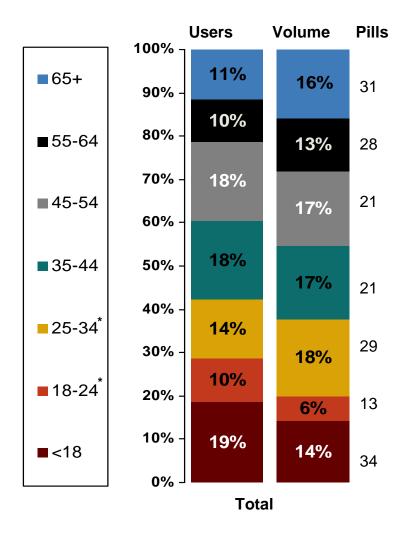
#### **Branded Acne Products: Distribution of Vol by Age/Gender**

Heavily reliant on the under-18 female consumer



## Branded Allergy Remedy - % of Users/Volume by Age/Gender

Males <18 represent the single largest user group for Claritin.



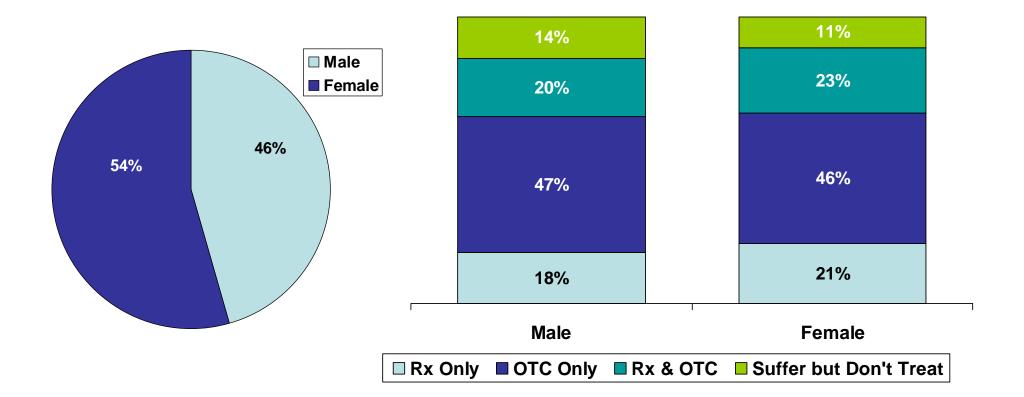
Time Period = 26 Weeks Ending 06/27/2004

\* Small sample size

# **Allergy Products: Treatment Choice by Gender**

Women report at a slightly higher incidence level than men; however, treatment

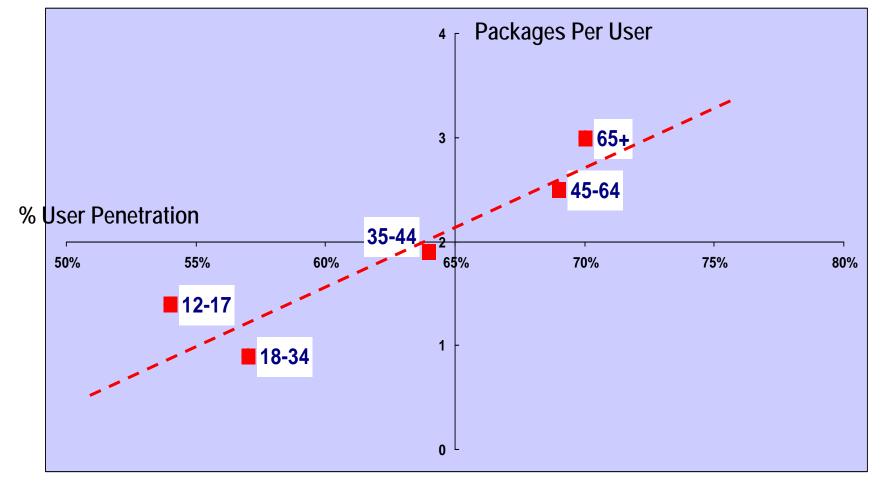
options are similar between the sexes.



#### Sources: IRI MedProfiler VI Survey

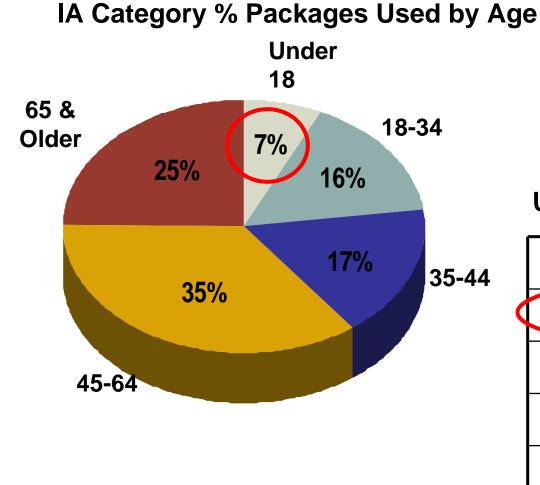
### Internal Analgesics: As consumers age, usage increases.

#### Category Usage Dynamics by Age



#### Time Period - 52 Weeks Ending 9/15/02

# Internal Analgesics Category: Only 7% of packages used by consumers <18.



#### **US Population Comparisons**

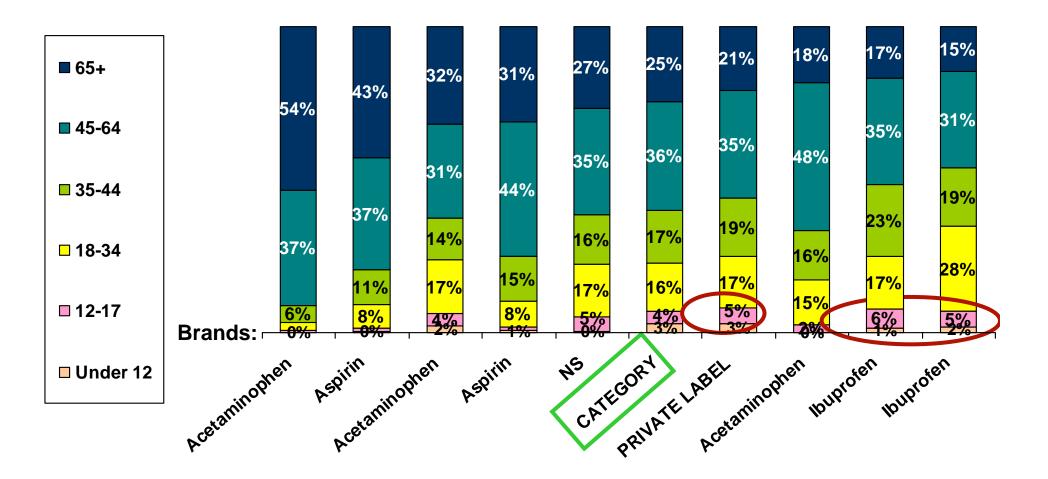
	Census	Index
<18	25%	28
18-44	38%	87
45-64	24%	146
65+	13%	192

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# **Internal Analgesics Brands: Distribution by Age**

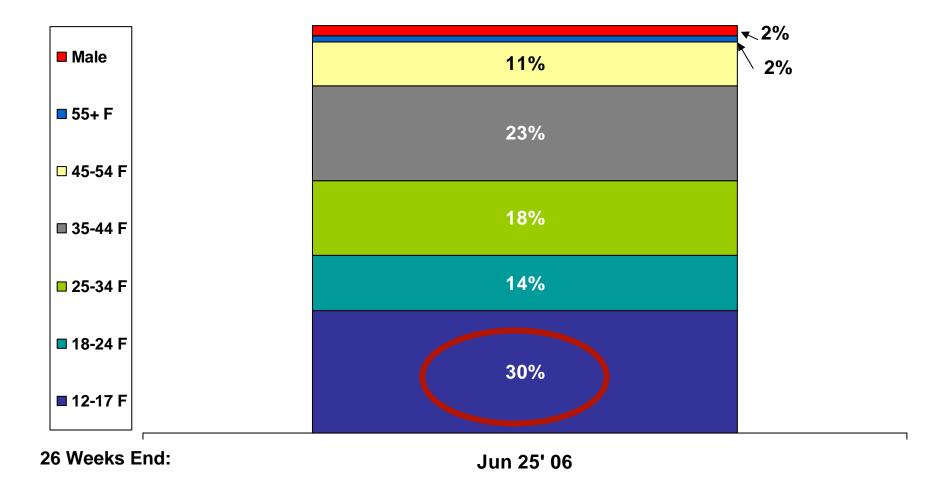
Private Label and Ibuprofen brands have the youngest user profiles

#### **Distribution of Packages Used by Age**



#### **Branded Menstrual Pain Product: Distribution of Users**

30% of users are Females 12-17



# **Summary & Conclusions**

- ► ≤ 18 overindexes for Acne but underindexes for Allergies & Menstrual Pain. For all of these conditions, ≤ 18 is most likely to choose an OTC remedy.
- Teens 12-17 account for 38% of Acne Remedies volume and have the highest penetration and usage rate. different age group usage profiles.
- Males ≤ 18 are the single largest user group for one Branded remedy, but have one of the lowest pills/user rates.
- ► ≤ 18 account for only 7% of the total Internal Analgesics category volume, at an volume to population index of 28 and most brands are no exception. However, a top Menstrual Branded product nets 30% of its volume from Females 12-17.
- →Preference for OTC remedies, and affinities for particular brands within a category (although not necessarily for a category), show that the teen market is a viable one, in some cases without even direct targeting.



# Thank you!

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