Oslo: 10th graders, age 15/16 yrs in 2001.
Number on class lists and invited: N = 4273

Total number of participants:
N = 3811 (89.2%) SAMPLE 1

Oslo: School-based: 13th graders aged 18/19 yrs in 2004 (based on class lists)
Received invitation: N= 3659

New individuals:
n = 2466

Oslo: Postal–based: age 18/19 yrs in 2004 (were not on class lists; with consent to be invited to a follow-up; and known address)
Received invitation: N = 1084

Oslo: Postal–based: age 18/19 yrs in 2004 (with consent to be invited to a follow-up; and known address)
Received invitation: N = 1683

Hedmark: 10th graders, age 15/16 yrs in 2001
On class lists and invited: N = 2197

Total number of participants:
N = 1939 (88.3%) SAMPLE 2

Hedmark: Postal–based, age 18/19 yrs in 2004 (with consent to be invited to a follow-up; and known address)
Received invitation: N = 1683

SAMPLE 3
Participants in cross-sectional, school-based:
n = 3308 (90.4%)

Oslo total:
n = 2489 (65.3%) with consent to link with baseline data
SAMPLE 4

Non-responders:
n = 154

Participants in follow-up, school-based:
n = 2105 with consent to link with baseline data

Non-responders:
n = 197

Responded:
n = 2269, of whom 164 lack consent to link with baseline data

Non-responders:
n = 618

Responded:
n = 466, of whom 82 lack consent to link with baseline data

Oslo: Postal–based: age 18/19 yrs in 2004 (were not on class lists; with consent to be invited to a follow-up; and known address)
Received invitation: N = 1084

Non-responders:
n = 197

Non-responders:
n = 154

Non-responders:
n = 750

Responded:
n = 933, of whom 106 lack consent to link with baseline data

Participants in follow-up:
n = 827 (42.7%) with consent to link with baseline data
SAMPLE 5