

Table 5 Factors encouraging smoking initiation.

Factor	Category	Smokers (n=953) N (%)	Non-smokers (n=1,044) N (%)	OR* (95%CI)	P-value
<i>Smoker father</i>	No	417 (43.9)	593 (57.4)	1	<0.001
	Yes	532 (56.1)	440 (42.6)	1.8 (1.5-2.3)	
<i>Smoker mother</i>	No	851 (89.9)	949 (92.5)	1	0.039
	Yes	96 (10.1)	77 (7.5)	3.3 (2.4-4.9)	
<i>Smoker brother</i>	No	493 (52.3)	666 (56.6)	1	<0.001
	Yes	450 (47.7)	349 (34.4)	1.7 (1.4-2.1)	
<i>Smoker sister</i>	No	848 (92.1)	966 (97.1)	1	<0.001
	Yes	73 (7.9)	29 (2.9)	6.5 (3.9-11.1)	
<i>Number of smoker friends</i>	< 3	112 (12.0)	373 (48.0)	1	<0.001
	3-6	120 (12.8)	113 (14.5)	3.5 (2.5-4.9)	
	7-10	145 (15.5)	76 (9.8)	6.4 (4.5-9.0)	
	> 10	559 (59.7)	215 (27.7)	8.7 (6.7-11.3)	
<i>High school certificate grade average (%)</i>	>95	91 (11.9)	194 (27.3)	1	<0.001
	90-95	136 (17.8)	167 (23.5)	1.8 (1.3-2.6)	
	80-89	257 (33.6)	192 (27.0)	2.6 (1.8-3.7)	
	70-79	215 (28.1)	100 (14.1)	3.1 (2.1-4.6)	
	< 70	65 (8.5)	57 (8.0)	1.6 (0.9-2.5)	
<i>University cumulative average (%)</i>	≥90	32 (4.2)	55 (7.8)	1	<0.001
	80-89	178 (23.5)	260 (36.8)	1.0 (0.6-1.8)	
	70-79	398 (52.6)	315 (44.6)	1.5 (0.9-2.4)	
	< 70	148 (19.6)	76 (10.8)	1.9 (1.1-3.5)	

*Odds Ratios were age, sex and family income adjusted