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Within the Literature Review I will be writing about the socioeconomic and prevalence of Binge Eating. I will specifically go into the differences of sex, racial, ethnic, economic, patient population, and demographic characteristics of this disorder and explain the effects of Binge Eating. Within the prevalence, I will compare which of each subtopic has the highest statistics and effect rates and go into detail explaining why and how. One source that was found and will be used is the “Gender and Racial/Ethnic Differences in Binge Eating Symptoms in a Nationally Representative Sample of Adolescents in the United States”.

ee-Winn, Reinblatt, S. P., Mojtabai, R., & Mendelson, T. (2016). Gender and racial/ethnic differences in binge eating symptoms in a nationally representative sample of adolescents in the United States. *Eating Behaviors : an International Journal*, 22, 27–33. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.eatbeh.2016.03.021>

This article discusses the statistics of Binge eating amongst not only adolescents but between men and women and racial backgrounds within a younger age population. Studies and trials were done of those with Binge eating disorder to narrow down the cause and effects of each subgroup. This article will be used to support my research in the demographics of Binge Eating across the country in children and adolescents.