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policy were added in 2011, and questions about outpatient facility operating capacity were added in 2012.

There have also been changes within content areas. For example, in response to concerns about over-reporting of programs or groups for specific client types, the survey question was revised in 2003 to distinguish between those facilities that accepted specific client types and those facilities that offered specially designed programs or groups for that client type. As a result, the number and proportion of facilities offering programs or groups for each of the specified client types decreased. Surveys from 2003 and later are believed to more accurately represent the number and proportions of facilities providing programs or groups for the specified client types. In addition, over time more categories have been added to the specific client types (e.g., persons who have experienced trauma, active duty military, and members of military families in 2012).

