Maryland

National Survey of Substance Abuse Treatment Services (N-SSATS)

The National Survey of Substance Abuse Treatment Services (N-SSATS) is an annual survey of facilities providing substance abuse treatment, and is conducted by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). The N-SSATS is designed to collect data on the location, characteristics, services offered, and number of clients in treatment at alcohol and drug abuse facilities (both public and private) throughout the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and other U.S. jurisdictions. For more information on N-SSATS methodology, click here.

In **Maryland,** 345 substance abuse treatment facilities responded to the 2002 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 36,114 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 29, 2002. The survey response rate in **Maryland** was 96%.

Facility Ownership/Operation

	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002			
			All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Private non-profit	143	41%	11,696	32%	1,147	41%
Private for-profit	129	37%	14,198	39%	520	18%
Local government	24	7%	2,912	8%	282	10%
State government	42	12%	6,182	17%	848	30%
Federal government	7	2%	1,126	3%	38	1%
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	3	1%	855	2%	38	1%
Dept. of Defense	3	1%	113	<1%	–	–
Indian Health Service	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other	1	<1%	158	<1%	–	–
Tribal government	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	**345**	**100%**	**36,114**	**100%**	**2,835**	**100%**

Primary Focus of Facility

	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002			
			All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Substance abuse treatment services	267	77%	31,151	86%	2,262	80%
Mental health services	21	6%	744	2%	175	6%
General health care	9	3%	575	2%	16	1%
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	43	13%	3,072	9%	367	13%
Other/unknown	5	1%	572	2%	15	1%
Total	**345**	**100%**	**36,114**	**100%**	**2,835**	**100%**

Substance Abuse Problem Treated

	Facilities[1]		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002		
			Clients		Clients per 100,000 Pop.
	No.	%	No.	%	Aged 18 and Over
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	300	94%	14,520	40%	319
Clients with drug abuse only	250	78%	14,684	41%	352
Clients with alcohol abuse only	242	76%	6,827	19%	154
Total[2]	**320**		**36,031**	**100%**	**825**

[1] Facilities may be included in more than one category.

[2] Excludes 25 facilities that were not asked or did not respond to this question.

Type of Care

	Facilities[1]		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002				
			All Clients			Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	Median No. of Clients Per Facility	No.	%
Outpatient	**289**	**84%**	**33,936**	**94%**	**65**	**2,629**	**93%**
Regular outpatient	262	76%	16,768	46%	31		
Intensive outpatient	151	44%	4,472	12%	10		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	28	8%	330	1%	6		
Detoxification	53	15%	746	2%	5		
Methadone/LAAM maintenance	50	15%	11,620	32%	165		
Residential	**75**	**22%**	**2,043**	**6%**	**16**	**182**	**6%**
Rehabilitation	74	21%	1,804	5%	16		
Detoxification	25	7%	239	1%	5		
Hospital Inpatient	**12**	**4%**	**135**	**<1%**	**6**	**24**	**1%**
Rehabilitation	6	2%	47	<1%	8		
Detoxification	11	3%	88	<1%	6		
Total	**345**		**36,114**	**100%**	**53**	**2,835**	**100%**

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Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)

	No.	%
Facilities with OTPs		
Maintenance only	25	51%
Detoxification only	1	2%
Both maintenance and detoxification	23	47%
Total	**49**	**100%**
Clients in Facilities with OTPs	**11,959**	
Methadone	11,722	
LAAM	237	

Type of Payment Accepted

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	321	93%
Private health insurance	235	68%
Medicare	112	33%
Medicaid	198	57%
Other State-financed health insurance	80	23%
Federal military insurance	96	28%
Other type of payment	28	8%
Sliding fee scale	240	70%
Other payment assistance	100	29%

Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate

	Residential	Hospital Inpatient
No. of facilities[1]	68	10
No. of clients	1,995	126
Designated beds	2,132	67
Utilization rate	94%	188%
Designated beds per facility (average)	31	7

[1] Excludes facilities not reporting both clients counts and number of beds, facilities whose client counts were reported by another facility, and facilities that included client counts from other facilities.

Facility Licensing, Approval, Certification, or Accreditation

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Any listed agency/organization	339	98%
State Substance Abuse Agency	306	89%
State Mental Health Department	145	42%
State Public Health Department/Board of Health	122	35%
Hospital licensing authority	16	5%
JCAHO (Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations)	81	24%
CARF (Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission)	24	7%
NCQA (National Committee for Quality Assurance)	5	1%
COA (Council for Accreditation for Children and Family Services)	4	1%
Other State/Local Agency/Organization	41	12%

Facility Administrative and Funding Characteristics

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Is part of organization with multiple facilities or sites	198	57%
Has agreements or contracts with managed care organizations for provision of substance abuse treatment services	190	55%
Receives Federal, State, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	211	61%

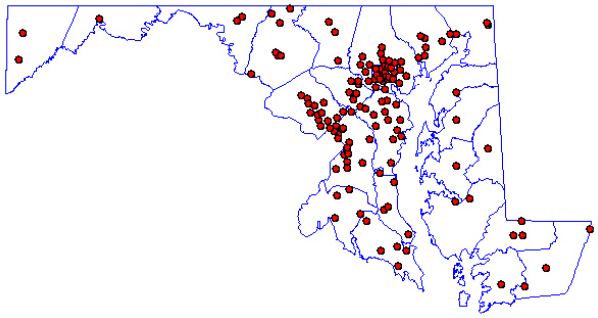
Programs for Special Groups

	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Dually-diagnosed	173	50%
Adolescents	106	31%
Persons with HIV/AIDS	72	21%
Gays and lesbians	34	10%
Pregnant/postpartum women	65	19%
Women only	176	51%
Men only	125	36%
Seniors/older adults	40	12%
Criminal justice clients	137	40%
DUI/DWI offenders	174	50%
Other groups	30	9%

Types of Services Offered

	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Assessment Services	**334**	**97%**
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment/diagnosis	333	97%
Comprehensive mental health assessment/diagnosis	131	38%
Substance Abuse Therapy and Counseling	**343**	**99%**
Family counseling	255	74%
Group therapy	322	93%
Individual therapy	329	95%
Relapse prevention groups	277	80%
Aftercare counseling	287	83%
Pharmacotherapies	**83**	**24%**
Antabuse	81	24%
Naltrexone	39	11%
Testing	**332**	**96%**
Blood alcohol testing	246	71%
Drug/alcohol urine screening	323	94%
Hepatitis testing	85	25%
HIV testing	104	30%
STD testing	91	26%
TB screening	137	40%
Transitional Services	**317**	**92%**
Assistance with obtaining social services	142	41%
Discharge planning	290	84%
Employment counseling/training	126	37%
Housing assistance	92	27%
Referral to other transitional services	290	84%
Other Services	**300**	**87%**
Case management services	216	63%
Child care	35	10%
Domestic violence or family/partner violence services	99	29%
HIV/AIDS education/counseling/support	202	59%
Outcome follow-up (post-discharge)	159	46%
Transportation assistance to treatment	98	28%
Acupuncture	29	8%

Location of Treatment Facilities



Use SAMHSA's Treatment Facility Locator to find the address and characteristics of specific facilities:
http://findtreatment.samhsa.gov

Services for the Hearing Impaired or in Languages Other than English

	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Hearing impaired	69	20%
Spanish	60	17%
American Indian/Alaska Native languages	1	<1%
Other	27	8%

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