Delaware

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 **Delaware,** 42 substance abuse treatment facilities responded to the 2002 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 4,106 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 29, 2002. The survey response rate in **Delaware** was 100%.

Facility Ownership/Operation

	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002			
			All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Private non-profit	26	62%	2,954	72%	87	41%
Private for-profit	12	29%	1,025	25%	123	59%
Local government	–	–	–	–	–	–
State government	2	5%	8	<1%	–	–
Federal government	2	5%	119	3%	–	–
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	1	2%	113	3%	–	–
Dept. of Defense	1	2%	6	<1%	–	–
Indian Health Service	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tribal government	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	**42**	**100%**	**4,106**	**100%**	**210**	**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	28	67%	3,543	86%	150	71%
Mental health services	3	7%	33	1%	5	2%
General health care	1	2%	113	3%	–	–
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	8	19%	398	10%	55	26%
Other/unknown	2	5%	19	1%	–	–
Total	**42**	**100%**	**4,106**	**100%**	**210**	**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	34	94%	3,097	76%	486
Clients with drug abuse only	27	75%	585	14%	86
Clients with alcohol abuse only	27	75%	396	10%	59
Total[2]	**36**		**4,078**	**100%**	**630**

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

[2] Excludes 6 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	**30**	**71%**	**3,896**	**95%**	**48**	**208**	**99%**
Regular outpatient	27	64%	2,423	59%	17		
Intensive outpatient	18	43%	336	8%	12		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	6	14%	85	2%	12		
Detoxification	6	14%	8	<1%	0		
Methadone/LAAM maintenance	5	12%	1,044	25%	122		
Residential	**12**	**29%**	**187**	**5%**	**14**	**1**	**1%**
Rehabilitation	11	26%	159	4%	11		
Detoxification	2	5%	28	1%	28		
Hospital Inpatient	**3**	**7%**	**23**	**1%**	**8**	**1**	**1%**
Rehabilitation	2	5%	6	<1%	3		
Detoxification	3	7%	17	<1%	5		
Total	**42**		**4,106**	**100%**	**20**	**210**	**100%**

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Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)

	No.	%
Facilities with OTPs		
Maintenance only	1	20%
Detoxification only	–	–
Both maintenance and detoxification	4	80%
Total	**5**	**100%**
Clients in Facilities with OTPs	**1,044**	
Methadone	1,044	
LAAM	–	

Type of Payment Accepted

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	36	86%
Private health insurance	27	64%
Medicare	13	31%
Medicaid	25	60%
Other State-financed health insurance	14	33%
Federal military insurance	10	24%
Other type of payment	6	14%
Sliding fee scale	26	62%
Other payment assistance	15	36%

Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate

	Residential	Hospital Inpatient
No. of facilities[1]	10	2
No. of clients	179	15
Designated beds	195	19
Utilization rate	92%	79%
Designated beds per facility (average)	20	10

[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	39	93%
State Substance Abuse Agency	36	86%
State Mental Health Department	10	24%
State Public Health Department/Board of Health	9	21%
Hospital licensing authority	3	7%
JCAHO (Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations)	22	52%
CARF (Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission)	2	5%
NCQA (National Committee for Quality Assurance)	–	–
COA (Council for Accreditation for Children and Family Services)	2	5%
Other State/Local Agency/Organization	4	10%

Facility Administrative and Funding Characteristics

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Is part of organization with multiple facilities or sites	27	64%
Has agreements or contracts with managed care organizations for provision of substance abuse treatment services	26	62%
Receives Federal, State, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	28	67%

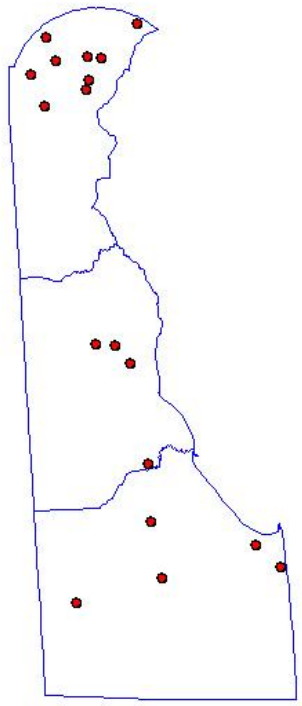
Programs for Special Groups

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Dually-diagnosed	22	52%
Adolescents	9	21%
Persons with HIV/AIDS	9	21%
Gays and lesbians	6	14%
Pregnant/postpartum women	5	12%
Women only	14	33%
Men only	14	33%
Seniors/older adults	3	7%
Criminal justice clients	7	17%
DUI/DWI offenders	11	26%
Other groups	4	10%

Types of Services Offered

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Assessment Services	**39**	**93%**
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment/diagnosis	39	93%
Comprehensive mental health assessment/diagnosis	19	45%
Substance Abuse Therapy and Counseling	**42**	**100%**
Family counseling	32	76%
Group therapy	36	86%
Individual therapy	40	95%
Relapse prevention groups	35	83%
Aftercare counseling	34	81%
Pharmacotherapies	**9**	**21%**
Antabuse	7	17%
Naltrexone	9	21%
Testing	**39**	**93%**
Blood alcohol testing	24	57%
Drug/alcohol urine screening	36	86%
Hepatitis testing	10	24%
HIV testing	13	31%
STD testing	13	31%
TB screening	16	38%
Transitional Services	**39**	**93%**
Assistance with obtaining social services	24	57%
Discharge planning	36	86%
Employment counseling/training	15	36%
Housing assistance	13	31%
Referral to other transitional services	36	86%
Other Services	**38**	**91%**
Case management services	32	76%
Child care	4	10%
Domestic violence or family/partner violence services	13	31%
HIV/AIDS education/counseling/support	29	69%
Outcome follow-up (post-discharge)	21	50%
Transportation assistance to treatment	16	38%
Acupuncture	2	5%

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.	%
Hearing impaired	8	19%
Spanish	19	45%
American Indian/Alaska Native languages	–	–
Other	–	–

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