2005 State Profile - Nebraska

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 **Nebraska,** 111 substance abuse treatment facilities responded to the 2005 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 4,952 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 31, 2005. The survey response rate in **Nebraska** was 99%.

Facility Ownership/Operation

	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2005			
			All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Private non-profit	74	67%	3,251	66%	466	67%
Private for-profit	19	17%	598	12%	197	29%
Local government	6	5%	476	10%	23	3%
State government	2	2%	271	6%	--	--
Federal government	5	5%	301	6%	1	<1%
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	3	3%	268	5%	--	--
Dept. of Defense	1	1%	15	<1%	--	--
Indian Health Service	1	1%	18	<1%	1	<1%
Other	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tribal government	5	5%	55	1%	5	1%
Total	**111**	**100%**	**4,952**	**100%**	**692**	**100%**

Primary Focus of Facility

	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2005			
			All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Substance abuse treatment services	46	41%	1,635	33%	306	44%
Mental health services	8	7%	319	6%	71	10%
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	49	44%	2,701	55%	315	46%
General health care	5	5%	254	5%	--	--
Other/unknown	3	3%	43	1%	--	--
Total	**111**	**100%**	**4,952**	**100%**	**692**	**100%**

Substance Abuse Problem Treated

	Facilities[1]		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2005		
			Clients		Clients per 100,000 Pop.
	No.	%	No.	%	Aged 18 and Over
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	106	98%	3,033	61%	191
Clients with drug abuse only	76	70%	928	19%	64
Clients with alcohol abuse only	90	83%	991	20%	68
Total [2]	**108**		**4,952**	**100%**	**323**

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

[2] Excludes 3 facilities that were not asked or did not respond to this question.

Type of Care

	Facilities[1]		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2005				
			All Clients			Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	Median No. of Clients Per Facility	No.	%
Outpatient	**86**	**78%**	**4,133**	**84%**	**21**	**601**	**86%**
Regular outpatient	82	74%	2,923	59%	17		
Intensive outpatient	41	37%	923	19%	12		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	10	9%	69	1%	4		
Detoxification	7	6%	10	<1%	--		
Methadone	3	3%	208	4%	--		
Residential	**39**	**35%**	**737**	**15%**	**16**	**90**	**13%**
Short term	14	13%	171	4%	15		
Long term	32	29%	501	10%	14		
Detoxification	10	9%	65	1%	3		
Hospital Inpatient	**6**	**5%**	**82**	**2%**	**4**	**1**	**<1%**
Treatment	4	4%	72	1%	11		
Detoxification	5	5%	10	<1%	1		
Total	**111**		**4,952**	**100%**	**22**	**692**	**100%**

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Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)

	No.	%
Facilities with OTPs		
Maintenance only	--	--
Detoxification only	--	--
Both maintenance and detoxification	1	100%
Total	1	100%
Clients in Facilities with OTPs	216	
Methadone	215	
Buprenorphine	1	

Type of Payment Accepted

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	100	90%
Private health insurance	89	80%
Medicare	45	41%
Medicaid	86	78%
Other State-financed health insurance	50	45%
Federal military insurance	57	51%
No payment accepted	6	5%
Other type of payment	6	5%
Sliding fee scale	74	67%
Treatment at no charge for clients who cannot pay	54	49%

Facility Capacity and Utilization[1]

	Residential	Hospital Inpatient
No. of facilities	35	2
No. of clients	732	7
Designated beds	861	7
Utilization rate	85%	100%
Designated beds per facility (average)	25	4

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

Facility Licensing, Approval, Certification, or Accreditation

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Any listed agency/organization	96	87%
State substance abuse agency	72	65%
State mental health department	33	30%
State public health department/board of health	50	45%
Hospital licensing authority	6	5%
JCAHO (Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations)	31	28%
CARF (Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission)	21	19%
NCQA (National Committee for Quality Assurance)	2	2%
COA (Council for Accreditation for Children and Family Services)	17	15%
Other State/Local Agency/Organization	8	7%

Facility Administrative and Funding Characteristics

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Has agreements or contracts with managed care organizations for provision of substance abuse treatment services	64	58%
Receives Federal, State, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	81	73%

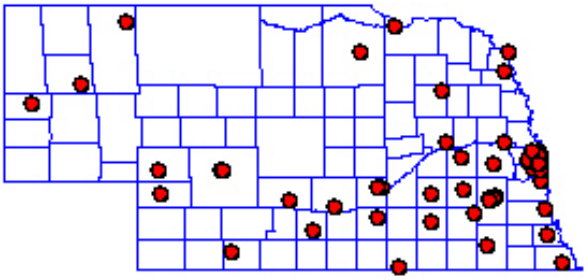
Programs for Special Groups

	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Any program or group	86	78%
Co-occuring disorders	39	35%
Adult women	26	23%
Adolescents	50	45%
DUI/DWI offenders	29	26%
Criminal justice clients	12	11%
Adult men	19	17%
Pregnant or postpartum women	10	9%
Persons with HIV or AIDS	1	1%
Seniors or Older Adults	6	5%
Gays or lesbians	1	1%
Other groups	12	11%

Types of Services Offered

	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Assessment Services	**100**	**90%**
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment or diagnosis	97	87%
Comprehensive mental health assessment or diagnosis	60	54%
Substance Abuse Therapy and Counseling	**110**	**99%**
Individual therapy	109	98%
Group therapy	94	85%
Relapse prevention	75	68%
Aftercare counseling	92	83%
Family counseling	87	78%
Pharmocotherapies	**18**	**16%**
Antabuse	14	13%
Buprenorphine (Subutex)	2	2%
Buprenorphine (Suboxone)	4	4%
Naltrexone	10	9%
Methadone	3	3%
Campral	6	5%
Testing	**74**	**67%**
Drug or alcohol urine screening	67	60%
Breathalyzer or blood alcohol testing	52	47%
TB screening	29	26%
HIV testing	16	14%
Screening for Hepatitis C	15	14%
Screening for Hepatitis B	16	14%
STD testing	12	11%
Transitional Services	**100**	**90%**
Discharge planning	96	86%
Assistance with obtaining social services	61	55%
Assistance in locating housing	51	46%
Employment counseling or training	37	33%
Other Services	**100**	**90%**
Case manangement services	80	72%
HIV or AIDS education, counseling, or support	37	33%
Outcome follow-up after discharge	55	50%
Transportation assistance to treatment	38	34%
Domestic violence	44	40%
Child care	5	5%
Acupuncture	6	5%
Residential beds for clients' children	5	5%

Location of Treatment Facilities



- Access N-SSATS profiles for individual States at: http://wwwdasis.samhsa.gov/webt/NewMapv1.htm
- For information on individual facilities, access SAMHSA's Treatment Facility Locator at: http://findtreatment.samhsa.gov

Services for the Hearing Impaired or in Languages Other than English

	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Sign language	33	30%
Any language other than English	40	36%
Staff counselor	5	13%
On-call interpreter	26	65%
Both staff counselor and on-call interpreter	9	23%
Spanish	13	12%
American Indian/Alaska Native languages	1	1%
Other	--	--

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Access the latest N-SSATS public use files at:
http://webapp.icpsr.umich.edu/cocoon/SAMHDA-SERIES/00058.xml

Other substance abuse reports are available at:
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