2009 State Profile — Virgin Islands
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. It is conducted by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). N-SSATS is designed to collect data on the location, characteristics, services offered, and number of clients in treatment at alcohol and drug abuse treatment facilities (both public and private) throughout the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and other U.S. jurisdictions.

More information on N-SSATS methodology is available at the following URL: http://oas.samhsa.gov/2k3/NSSATS/NSSATS.pdf

In the Virgin Islands, 3 substance abuse treatment facilities were included in the 2009 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 83 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 31, 2009. The survey response rate in the Virgin Islands was 100.0%.

Facility Operation

	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2009			
			All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Private non-profit	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Private for-profit	1	33.3	23	27.7	0	0.0
Local government	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
State government	2	66.7	60	72.3	0	0.0
Federal government	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Dept. of Defense	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Indian Health Service	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Tribal government	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	**3**	**100.0**	**83**	**100.0**	**0**	**0.0**

Primary Focus of Facility

	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2009			
			All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Substance abuse treatment services	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mental health services	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	3	100.0	83	100.0	0	0.0
General health care	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other/unknown	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	**3**	**100.0**	**83**	**100.0**	**0**	**0.0**

Substance Abuse Problem Treated

	Facilities[1, 2]		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2009		
			Clients[3]		Clients per 100,000 Pop. Aged 18 and Over
	No.	%	No.	%	
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	2	66.7	24	28.9	N/A
Clients with drug abuse only	3	100.0	41	49.4	N/A
Clients with alcohol abuse only	3	100.0	18	21.7	N/A
Total[2]	**3**		**83**	**100.0**	**N/A**

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

[2] Facilities excluded because they were not asked or did not respond to this question: 0

[3] Sum of individual items may not agree with the total due to rounding.

Type of Care	Facilities[1]		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2009				
			All Clients			Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	Median No. of Clients Per Facility	No.	%
Outpatient	**2**	**66.7**	**60**	**72.3**	**30**	**0**	
Regular outpatient	1	33.3	36	43.4	36		
Intensive outpatient	0	0.0	0	0.0	0		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	0	0.0	0	0.0	0		
Detoxification	0	0.0	0	0.0	0		
Methadone/buprenorphine	1	33.3	24	28.9	24		
Residential	**1**	**33.3**	**23**	**27.7**	**23**	**0**	
Short term	1	33.3	0	0.0	0		
Long term	1	33.3	23	27.7	23		
Detoxification	0	0.0	0	0.0	0		
Hospital Inpatient	**0**	**0.0**	**0**	**0.0**	**0**		
Rehabilitation	0	0.0	0	0.0	0		
Detoxification	0	0.0	0	0.0	0		
Total	**3**		**83**	**100.0**	**24**	**0**	

[1]Facilities may provide more than one type of care.

Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)

	No.	%[1]
Facilities with OTPs	**1**	**0.1**
Clients in Facilities with OTPs		
Methadone	24	100.0
Buprenorphine	0	0.0
Total	**24**	**100.0**

[1] Percentage of all OTP facilities that are in this state.

Facility Payment Options

	Facilities[1]	
	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	3	100.0
Private health insurance	2	66.7
Medicare	2	66.7
Medicaid	2	66.7
Other State-financed health insurance	1	33.3
Federal military insurance	2	66.7
Access to Recovery (ATR) vouchers[2]	N/A	N/A
No payment accepted	0	0.0
Accepts other payments	0	0.0
Sliding fee scale	3	100.0
Treatment at no charge for clients who cannot pay	3	100.0

[1] Facilities may accept more than one type of payment.

[2] Available only in AK, AZ, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, HI, IA, ID, IL, IN, LA, MI, MO, MT, NJ, NM, OH, OK, RI, TN, TX, WA, WI, WY .

Facility Licensing, Approval, Certification, or Accreditation

	Facilities[1]	
	No.	%
Any listed agency/organization	2	66.7
State substance abuse agency	0	0.0
State mental health department	0	0.0
State department of health	1	33.3
Hospital licensing authority	0	0.0
The Joint Commision	1	33.3
CARF[2]	0	0.0
NCQA[3]	0	0.0
COA[4]	0	0.0
Other State/Local Agency/Org	0	0.0

[1] Facilities may be licensed by more than one agency/organization.

[2] Commission on Accreditation of Rehailitation Facilities

[3] National Committee for Quality Assurance

[4] Council for Accreditation

Facility Funding

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Receives Federal, State, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	3	100.0

Types of Services Offered	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Assessment and Pre-Treatment Services	**3**	**100.0**
Screening for substance abuse	3	100.0
Screening for mental health disorders	3	100.0
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment/diagnosis	3	100.0
Comprehensive mental health assessment/diagnosis	3	100.0
Outreach to persons in the community who may need treatment	3	100.0
Interim services for clients when immediate admission is not possible	3	100.0
Testing	**3**	**100.0**
Breathalyzer/blood alcohol testing	3	100.0
Drug or alcohol urine screening	3	100.0
Screening for Hepatitis B	1	33.3
Screening for Hepatitis C	2	66.7
HIV testing	1	33.3
STD testing	1	33.3
TB screening	2	66.7
Counseling	**3**	**100.0**
Individual counseling	3	100.0
Group counseling	3	100.0
Family counseling	2	66.7
Marital/couples counseling	1	33.3
Transitional Services	**3**	**100.0**
Discharge planning	3	100.0
Aftercare/continuing care	3	100.0
Pharmocotherapies	**2**	**66.7**
Medications for psychiatric disorders	1	33.3
Nicotine replacement	1	33.3
Campral®	0	0.0
Antabuse®	0	0.0
Naltrexone	0	0.0
Buprenorphine	0	0.0
Subutex®	0	0.0
Suboxone®	0	0.0
Methadone	1	33.3
Ancillary Services	**3**	**100.0**
Case management services	3	100.0
Social skills development	3	100.0
Mentoring/peer support	2	66.7
Child care for clients' children	0	0.0
Assistance with obtaining social services	3	100.0
Employment counseling or training for clients	1	33.3
Assistance in locating housing for clients	2	66.7
Domestic violence	1	33.3
Early intervention for HIV	2	66.7
HIV or AIDS education, counseling, or support	2	66.7
Health education other than HIV/AIDS	2	66.7
Substance abuse education	3	100.0
Transportation assistance to treatment	2	66.7
Mental health services	3	100.0
Acupuncture	0	0.0
Residential beds for clients' children	0	0.0
Self-help groups	2	66.7

Clinical/Therapeutic Approaches Used Often or Sometimes	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Substance abuse counseling	3	100.0
Relapse prevention	3	100.0
Cognitive-behavioral therapy	3	100.0
12-step facilitation	2	66.7
Motivational interviewing	3	100.0
Anger management	3	100.0

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Clinical/Therapeutic Approaches Used Often or Sometimes (cont.)	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Brief intervention	1	33.3
Contingency management	2	66.7
Trauma-related counseling	3	100.0
Rational emotive behavioral therapy	1	33.3
Matrix model	1	33.3
Community reinforcement plus vouchers	0	0.0
Other treatment approaches	0	0.0

Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate[1]

	Residential	Hospital Inpatient
Number of facilities	1	0
Number of clients	23	0
Number of designated beds	30	0
Utilization rate (%)	76.7	0.0
No. of designated beds/facility (avg.)	30	0

[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

Programs for Special Groups

	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Any program or group	2	66.7
Co-occurring disorders	2	66.7
Adult women	1	33.3
Adolescents	1	33.3
DUI/DWI offenders	1	33.3
Criminal justice clients	1	33.3
Adult men	1	33.3
Pregnant or postpartum women	0	0.0
Persons with HIV or AIDS	0	0.0
Seniors or older adults	0	0.0
Gays or lesbians	0	0.0
Other groups	0	0.0

Services for the Hearing Impaired and in Languages Other than English

	Facilities No.	Facilities %
Hearing impaired/sign language	0	0.0
Any language other than English	1	33.3
Services Provided by:		
On-call interpreter	1	100.0
Staff counselor	1	100.0
Both staff counselor and on-call interpreter	0	0.0
Languages Provided by Staff Counselor:[1]		
Spanish	0	0.0
American Indian/Alaska Native languages		
Other		

[1] Percentages based on the number of facilities providing substance abuse treatment in a language other than English by a staff counselor.

Location of Treatment Facilities

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http://www.oas.samhsa.gov/dasis.htm#Reports

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

Other substance abuse reports are available at:
http://www.oas.samhsa.gov/

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- 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/