

New Hampshire

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 **New Hampshire**, 64 substance abuse treatment facilities responded to the 2002 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 3,160 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 29, 2002. The survey response rate in **New Hampshire** was 96%.

Facility Ownership/Operation			Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002					
	Facilities		All Clients		Clients Under Age 18			
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		
Private non-profit	50	78%	2,542	80%	147	80%		
Private for-profit	10	16%	537	17%	21	11%		
Local government	1	2%	15	1%	15	8%		
State government	2	3%	27	1%	2	1%		
Federal government	1	2%	39	1%	–	–		
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	1	2%	39	1%	–	–		
Dept. of Defense	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Indian Health Service	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Other	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Tribal government	–	–	–	–	–	–		
Total	64	100%	3,160	100%	185	100%		

Primary Focus of Facility			Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002					
	Facilities		All Clients		Clients Under Age 18			
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		
Substance abuse treatment services	27	42%	1,182	37%	29	16%		
Mental health services	23	36%	1,599	51%	55	30%		
General health care	2	3%	43	1%	–	–		
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	11	17%	321	10%	86	47%		
Other/unknown	1	2%	15	1%	15	8%		
Total	64	100%	3,160	100%	185	100%		

Substance Abuse Problem Treated			Clients in Treatment on March 29, 2002					
	Facilities¹		Clients		Clients per 100,000 Pop.			
	No.	%	No.	%	Aged 18 and Over			
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	54	93%	1,460	47%	132			
Clients with drug abuse only	44	76%	449	14%	45			
Clients with alcohol abuse only	49	85%	1,221	39%	118			
Total²	58		3,130	100%	295			

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				
	No.	%	All Clients			Clients Under Age 18	
			No.	%	Median No. of Clients Per Facility	No.	%
Outpatient	49	77%	2,861	91%	38	151	82%
Regular outpatient	45	70%	2,420	77%	30		
Intensive outpatient	7	11%	125	4%	9		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	–	–	–	–	–		
Detoxification	8	13%	106	3%	10		
Methadone/LAAM maintenance	2	3%	210	7%	105		
Residential	19	30%	254	8%	13	32	17%
Rehabilitation	17	27%	220	7%	13		
Detoxification	9	14%	34	1%	4		
Hospital Inpatient	6	9%	45	1%	7	2	1%
Rehabilitation	2	3%	20	1%	10		
Detoxification	5	8%	25	1%	5		
Total	64		3,160	100%	20	185	100%

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Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)

	No.	%
Facilities with OTPs		
Maintenance only	–	–
Detoxification only	–	–
Both maintenance and detoxification	2	100%
Total	2	100%
Clients in Facilities with OTPs	281	
Methadone	279	
LAAM	2	

Type of Payment Accepted

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	58	91%
Private health insurance	47	73%
Medicare	33	52%
Medicaid	43	67%
Other State-financed health insurance	15	23%
Federal military insurance	22	34%
Other type of payment	6	9%
Sliding fee scale	47	73%
Other payment assistance	19	30%

Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate

	Hospital	
	Residential	Inpatient
No. of facilities ¹	18	6
No. of clients	254	45
Designated beds	222	10
Utilization rate	114%	450%
Designated beds per facility (average)	12	2

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	58	91%
State Substance Abuse Agency	41	64%
State Mental Health Department	25	39%
State Public Health Department/Board of Health	19	30%
Hospital licensing authority	6	9%
JCAHO (Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations)	7	11%
CARF (Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission)	3	5%
NCQA (National Committee for Quality Assurance)	1	2%
COA (Council for Accreditation for Children and Family Services)	2	3%
Other State/Local Agency/Organization	8	13%

Facility Administrative and Funding Characteristics

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Is part of organization with multiple facilities or sites	45	70%
Has agreements or contracts with managed care organizations for provision of substance abuse treatment services	31	48%
Receives Federal, State, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	42	66%

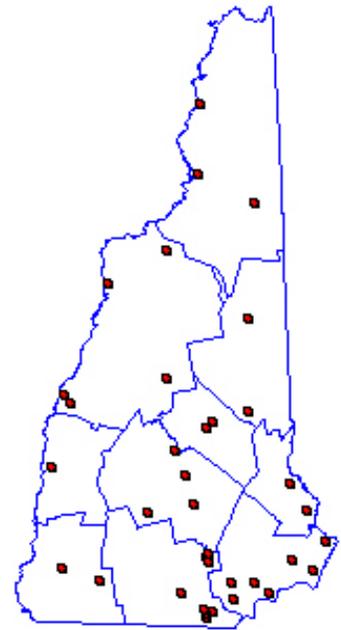
Programs for Special Groups

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Dually-diagnosed	35	55%
Adolescents	21	33%
Persons with HIV/AIDS	10	16%
Gays and lesbians	8	13%
Pregnant/postpartum women	11	17%
Women only	17	27%
Men only	13	20%
Seniors/older adults	15	23%
Criminal justice clients	9	14%
DUI/DWI offenders	14	22%
Other groups	5	8%

Types of Services Offered

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Assessment Services	63	98%
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment/diagnosis	59	92%
Comprehensive mental health assessment/diagnosis	35	55%
Substance Abuse Therapy and Counseling	64	100%
Family counseling	38	59%
Group therapy	49	77%
Individual therapy	58	91%
Relapse prevention groups	40	63%
Aftercare counseling	48	75%
Pharmacotherapies	16	25%
Antabuse	15	23%
Naltrexone	12	19%
Testing	37	58%
Blood alcohol testing	23	36%
Drug/alcohol urine screening	35	55%
Hepatitis testing	14	22%
HIV testing	17	27%
STD testing	13	20%
TB screening	18	28%
Transitional Services	53	83%
Assistance with obtaining social services	33	52%
Discharge planning	45	70%
Employment counseling/training	22	34%
Housing assistance	21	33%
Referral to other transitional services	45	70%
Other Services	54	84%
Case management services	45	70%
Child care	1	2%
Domestic violence or family/partner violence services	14	22%
HIV/AIDS education/counseling/support	27	42%
Outcome follow-up (post-discharge)	28	44%
Transportation assistance to treatment	15	23%
Acupuncture	—	—

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	10	16%
Spanish	10	16%
American Indian/Alaska Native languages	3	5%
Other	11	17%

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<http://webapp.icpsr.umich.edu/cocoon/SAMHDA-SERIES/00058.xml>

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