

# State Profile - New Mexico

## 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 Mexico**, 120 substance abuse treatment facilities responded to the 2004 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 11,517 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 31, 2004. The survey response rate in **New Mexico** was 97%.

<b>Facility Ownership/Operation</b>			<b>Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2004</b>					
	<b>Facilities</b>		<b>All Clients</b>		<b>Clients Under Age 18</b>			
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>		
Private non-profit	68	57%	6,146	53%	489	50%		
Private for-profit	22	18%	2,890	25%	36	4%		
Local government	4	3%	114	1%	4	<1%		
State government	3	3%	67	1%	-	-		
Federal government	9	8%	762	7%	76	8%		
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	2	2%	172	2%	-	-		
Dept. of Defense	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Indian Health Service	7	6%	590	5%	76	8%		
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Tribal government	14	12%	1,538	13%	369	38%		
<b>Total</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11,517</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>974</b>	<b>100%</b>		

<b>Primary Focus of Facility</b>			<b>Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2004</b>					
	<b>Facilities</b>		<b>All Clients</b>		<b>Clients Under Age 18</b>			
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>		
Substance abuse treatment services	45	38%	4,157	36%	294	30%		
Mental health services	10	8%	677	6%	141	15%		
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	60	50%	6,384	55%	529	54%		
General health care	3	3%	180	2%	6	1%		
Other/unknown	2	2%	119	1%	4	<1%		
<b>Total</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11,517</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>974</b>	<b>100%</b>		

<b>Substance Abuse Problem Treated</b>			<b>Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2004</b>					
	<b>Facilities<sup>1</sup></b>		<b>Clients</b>		<b>Clients per 100,000 Pop.</b>			
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>Aged 18 and Over</b>			
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	108	97%	5,057	44%	4,546			
Clients with drug abuse only	86	78%	2,751	24%	2,412			
Clients with alcohol abuse only	95	86%	3,709	32%	3,235			
<b>Total<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>111</b>		<b>11,517</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>693</b>			

<sup>1</sup> Facilities may be included in more than one category.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes 9 facilities that were not asked or did not respond to this question.

## Type of Care

	Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2004						
	Facilities <sup>1</sup>		All Clients		Median No. of Clients Per Facility	Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%		No.	%
<b>Outpatient</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>87%</b>	<b>10,802</b>	<b>94%</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>913</b>	<b>94%</b>
Regular outpatient	97	81%	7,518	65%	45		
Intensive outpatient	49	41%	830	7%	13		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	13	11%	165	1%	4		
Detoxification	19	16%	144	1%	2		
Methadone	10	8%	2,145	19%	240		
<b>Residential</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>24%</b>	<b>622</b>	<b>5%</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>5%</b>
Short term	13	11%	141	1%	11		
Long term	22	18%	367	3%	10		
Detoxification	12	10%	114	1%	6		
<b>Hospital Inpatient</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8%</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>1%</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1%</b>
Rehabilitation	7	6%	70	1%	6		
Detoxification	7	6%	23	<1%	3		
<b>Total</b>	<b>120</b>		<b>11,517</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>974</b>	<b>100%</b>

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## Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)

	No.	%
<b>Facilities with OTPs</b>		
Maintenance only	3	30%
Detoxification only	–	–
Both maintenance and detoxification	7	70%
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100%</b>
<b>Clients in Facilities with OTPs</b>	<b>2,206</b>	
Methadone	2,195	
Buprenorphine	11	

## Type of Payment Accepted

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	90	75%
Private health insurance	71	59%
Medicare	46	38%
Medicaid	71	59%
Other State-financed health insurance	51	43%
Federal military insurance	52	43%
No payment accepted	14	12%
Other type of payment	12	10%
Sliding fee scale	66	55%
Treatment at no charge for clients who cannot pay	84	70%

## Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate

	Residential	Hospital Inpatient
No. of facilities <sup>1</sup>	23	4
No. of clients	545	62
Designated beds	565	76
Utilization rate	97%	87%
Designated beds per facility (average)	25	19

<sup>1</sup> 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	90	75%
State substance abuse agency	56	47%
State mental health department	51	43%
State public health department/board of health	42	35%
Hospital licensing authority	14	12%
JCAHO (Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations)	22	18%
CARF (Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission)	12	10%
NCQA (National Committee for Quality Assurance)	1	1%
COA (Council for Accreditation for Children and Family Services)	3	3%
Other State/Local Agency/Organization	30	25%

## Facility Administrative and Funding Characteristics

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Has agreements or contracts with managed care organizations for provision of substance abuse treatment services	58	48%
Receives Federal, State, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	99	83%

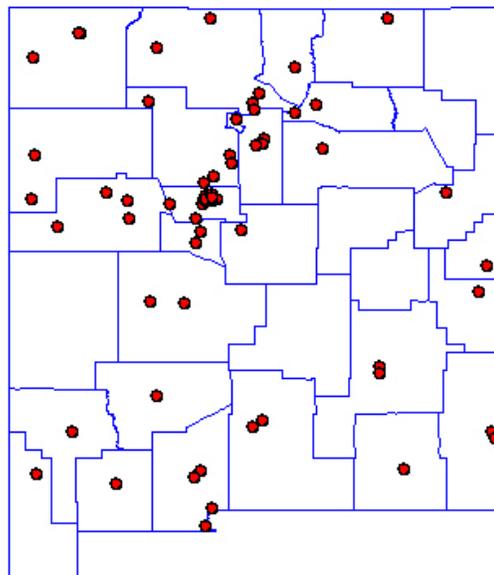
## Programs for Special Groups

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Any program or group	101	84%
Adolescents	47	39%
Co-occurring disorders	52	43%
Criminal justice clients	31	26%
Persons with HIV or AIDS	9	8%
Gays and lesbians	6	5%
Seniors or older adults	9	8%
Women	45	38%
Pregnant or postpartum women	7	6%
Men	34	28%
DUI/DWI offenders	44	37%
Other groups	19	16%

## Types of Services Offered

	Facilities	
	No.	%
<b>Assessment Services</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>98%</b>
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment or diagnosis	116	97%
Comprehensive mental health assessment or diagnosis	77	64%
<b>Substance Abuse Therapy and Counseling</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>100%</b>
Family counseling	104	87%
Group therapy	103	87%
Individual therapy	116	97%
Relapse prevention	96	80%
Aftercare counseling	96	80%
<b>Pharmacotherapies</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>25%</b>
Antabuse	24	20%
Naltrexone	22	18%
Buprenorphine	14	12%
Methadone	10	8%
<b>Testing</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>63%</b>
Breathalyzer or blood alcohol testing	50	42%
Drug or alcohol urine screening	74	62%
Screening for Hepatitis B	34	28%
Screening for Hepatitis C	35	29%
HIV testing	31	26%
STD testing	28	33%
TB screening	38	32%
<b>Transitional Services</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>96%</b>
Assistance with obtaining social services	88	73%
Discharge planning	106	88%
Employment counseling or training	61	51%
Assistance in locating housing	71	59%
<b>Other Services</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>94%</b>
Case management services	106	88%
Child care	8	7%
Domestic violence	68	57%
HIV or AIDS education, counseling or support	63	53%
Outcome follow-up after discharge	68	57%
Transportation assistance to treatment	50	42%
Acupuncture	11	9%
Residential beds for clients' children	9	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.	%
Hearing impaired/sign language	22	18%
Any language other than English	93	76%
Staff counselor	72	77%
On-call interpreter	7	8%
Both staff counselor and on-call interpreter	14	15%
Spanish	65	54%
American Indian/Alaska Native languages	28	23%
Other	8	7%

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

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