

State Profile - South Dakota

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 **South Dakota**, 50 substance abuse treatment facilities responded to the 2004 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 1,991 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 31, 2004. The survey response rate in **South Dakota** was 93%.

Facility Ownership/Operation			Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2004			
	Facilities		All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Private non-profit	30	60%	1,407	71%	275	69%
Private for-profit	7	14%	207	10%	34	8%
Local government	2	4%	152	7%	61	15%
State government	3	6%	88	4%	20	5%
Federal government	5	40%	82	4%	6	2%
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	3	6%	74	4%	-	-
Dept. of Defense	1	2%	2	<1%	-	-
Indian Health Service	1	2%	6	<1%	6	2%
Other	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tribal government	3	6%	55	3%	2	1
Total	50	100%	1,991	100%	398	100%

Primary Focus of Facility			Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2004			
	Facilities		All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Substance abuse treatment services	32	64%	1,105	56%	238	60%
Mental health services	2	4%	129	7%	16	4%
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	13	26%	683	34%	144	36%
General health care	3	6%	74	4%	-	-
Other/unknown	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	50	100%	1,991	100%	398	100%

Substance Abuse Problem Treated			Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2004			
	Facilities¹		Clients		Clients per 100,000 Pop. Aged 18 and Over	
	No.	%	No.	%		
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	46	98%	1,084	54%	773	
Clients with drug abuse only	39	83%	256	13%	225	
Clients with alcohol abuse only	43	92%	651	33%	595	
Total²	47		1,991	100%	268	

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

	Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2004						
	Facilities ¹		All Clients			Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	Median No. of Clients Per Facility	No.	%
Outpatient	40	80%	1,495	75%	23	273	69%
Regular outpatient	37	74%	1,026	52%	15		
Intensive outpatient	35	70%	402	20%	13		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	9	18%	51	3%	5		
Detoxification	2	4%	16	1%	8		
Methadone	–	–	–	–	–		
Residential	19	38%	452	23%	15	107	27%
Short term	12	24%	139	7%	8		
Long term	13	26%	253	13%	15		
Detoxification	5	10%	60	3%	8		
Hospital Inpatient	6	12%	44	2%	–	18	5%
Rehabilitation	2	4%	44	2%	22		
Detoxification	4	8%	–	–	–		
Total	50		1,991	100%	23	398	100%

¹ Facilities may be included in more than one category.

Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)

	No.	%
Facilities with OTPs		
Maintenance only	–	–
Detoxification only	–	–
Both maintenance and detoxification	–	–
Total	–	–
Clients in Facilities with OTPs	–	–
Methadone	–	–
Buprenorphine	–	–

Type of Payment Accepted

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	45	90%
Private health insurance	41	82%
Medicare	7	14%
Medicaid	22	44%
Other State-financed health insurance	15	30%
Federal military insurance	25	50%
No payment accepted	1	2%
Other type of payment	3	6%
Sliding fee scale	29	68%
Treatment at no charge for clients who cannot pay	31	62%

Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate

	Residential	Hospital Inpatient
No. of facilities ¹	15	2
No. of clients	368	44
Designated beds	417	52
Utilization rate	88%	85%
Designated beds per facility (average)	28	26

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	49	98%
State substance abuse agency	43	86%
State mental health department	10	20%
State public health department/board of health	18	36%
Hospital licensing authority	3	6%
JCAHO (Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations)	9	18%
CARF (Rehabilitation Accreditation Commission)	2	4%
NCQA (National Committee for Quality Assurance)	1	2%
COA (Council for Accreditation for Children and Family Services)	1	2%
Other State/Local Agency/Organization	6	12%

Facility Administrative and Funding Characteristics

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Has agreements or contracts with managed care organizations for provision of substance abuse treatment services	25	50%
Receives Federal, State, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	41	82%

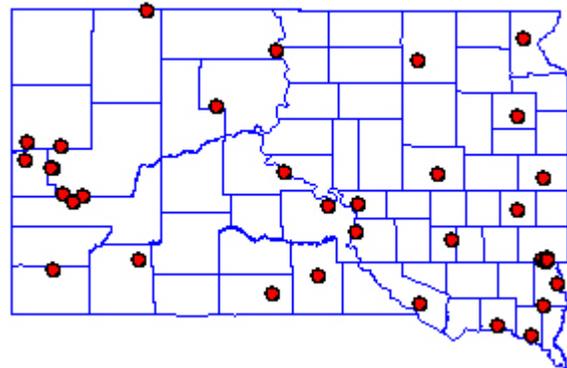
Programs for Special Groups

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Any program or group	40	80%
Adolescents	20	40%
Co-occurring disorders	10	20%
Criminal justice clients	9	18%
Persons with HIV or AIDS	2	4%
Gays and lesbians	—	—
Seniors or older adults	2	4%
Women	9	18%
Pregnant or postpartum women	4	8%
Men	6	12%
DUI/DWI offenders	24	48%
Other groups	6	12%

Types of Services Offered

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Assessment Services	49	98%
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment or diagnosis	49	98%
Comprehensive mental health assessment or diagnosis	18	36%
Substance Abuse Therapy and Counseling	50	100%
Family counseling	45	90%
Group therapy	45	90%
Individual therapy	50	100%
Relapse prevention	39	78%
Aftercare counseling	43	86%
Pharmacotherapies	7	14%
Antabuse	6	12%
Naltrexone	3	6%
Buprenorphine	1	2%
Methadone	—	—
Testing	31	82%
Breathalyzer or blood alcohol testing	28	56%
Drug or alcohol urine screening	38	76%
Screening for Hepatitis B	6	12%
Screening for Hepatitis C	6	12%
HIV testing	10	20%
STD testing	9	18%
TB screening	18	36%
Transitional Services	41	82%
Assistance with obtaining social services	24	48%
Discharge planning	41	82%
Employment counseling or training	16	32%
Assistance in locating housing	17	34%
Other Services	36	72%
Case management services	31	62%
Child care	—	—
Domestic violence	8	16%
HIV or AIDS education, counseling or support	18	36%
Outcome follow-up after discharge	27	54%
Transportation assistance to treatment	16	32%
Acupuncture	—	—
Residential beds for clients' children	3	6%

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	19	38%
Any language other than English	24	48%
Staff counselor	1	4%
On-call interpreter	20	83%
Both staff counselor and on-call interpreter	3	13%
Spanish	2	4%
American Indian/Alaska Native languages	3	6%
Other	1	2%

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

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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