# 2012 State Profile — Rhode Island 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://www.samhsa.gov/data/2k3/NSSATS/NSSATS.pdf

In Rhode Island, 63 substance abuse treatment facilities were included in the 2012 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 8,499 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 30, 2012. The survey response rate in Rhode Island was 90.0%.

#### Facility Operation

			Clients in Treatment on March 30, 2012				
	Facilities		All Clie	All Clients		ler Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
Private non-profit	47	74.6	5,217	61.4	250	77.4	
Private for-profit	14	22.2	2,648	31.2	73	22.6	
Local, county, or community government							
State government							
Federal government	2	3.2	634	7.5			
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	1	1.6	604	7.1			
Dept. of Defense	1	1.6	30	0.4			
Indian Health Service							
Other							
Tribal government							
Total	63	100.0	8,499	100.0	323	100.0	

#### Primary Focus of Facility

	Clients in Trea				nt on March 30,	2012
	Facili	ties	All Clients		Clients Under Age	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Substance abuse treatment services	37	58.7	4,799	56.5	181	56.0
Mental health services	5	7.9	166	2.0	8	2.5
Mix of mental health and substance abuse treatment services	18	28.6	3,321	39.1	94	29.1
General health care	2	3.2	200	2.4	40	12.4
Other	1	1.6	13	0.2		
Total	63	100.0	8,499	100.0	323	100.0

#### **Substance Abuse Problem Treated**

			Clients in Treatment on March 30, 2012				
	Facilities <sup>1,2</sup>		All Clients <sup>3</sup>		Clients <sup>3</sup> per 100,000		
	No.	%	No.	%	Pop. Aged 18 or Older		
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	58	95.1	3,617	42.6	414		
Clients with drug abuse only	54	88.5	3,546	41.7	414		
Clients with alcohol abuse only	52	85.2	1,336	15.7	152		
Total	61		8,499	100.0	981		

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

<sup>2</sup> Facilities excluded because they were not asked or did not respond to this question: 2.

<sup>3</sup> Sum of individual items may not agree with the total due to rounding.

For symbol definitions, see the symbol key on the last page of this profile.

Type of Care							
			Clients in Treatment on March 30, 2012				
	Facilit	ties1		All Clients	S	Clients Under Age 18	
		•		•	Median No. of Clients		
	No.	%	No.	%	per Facility	No.	%
Outpatient	56	88.9	8,148	95.9	80	287	88. <b>9</b>
Regular	52	82.5	4,934	58.1	49		
Intensive	31	49.2	523	6.2	1		
Day treatment/partial hospitalization	9	14.3	107	1.3			
Detoxification	16	25.4	106	1.2	1		
Methadone maintenance	15	23.8	2,478	29.2	110		
Residential (non-hospital)	16	25.4	319	3.8	16	36	11.1
Short term (<30 days)	8	12.7	82	1.0	9		
Long term (30+ days)	15	23.8	233	2.7	13		
Detoxification	2	3.2	4	*	2		
Hospital Inpatient	4	6.3	32	0.4	9		
Treatment	4	6.3	4	*	1		
Detoxification	3	4.8	28	0.3	10		
Total	63		8,499		67	323	100.0

<sup>1</sup> Facilities may provide more than one type of care.

Opioid Treatment Programs (OTPs)					
	No.	%			
Facilities with OTPs <sup>1</sup>	13	1.1			
Clients in Facilities with OTPs					
Methadone	2,358	76.4			
Buprenorphine	91	2.9			
Clients in Facilities without OTPs					
Buprenorphine	636	20.6			
Total	3,085	100.0			

<sup>1</sup> Percentage of all OTP facilities that are in the United States.

### **Facility Payment Options**

Facilities <sup>1</sup>	
No.	%
61	96.8
54	85.7
24	38.1
57	90.5
46	73.0
33	52.4
46	73.0
4	6.3
28	44.4
41	65.1
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<sup>1</sup> Facilities may accept more than one type of payment.
<sup>2</sup> Available in AK, AR, AZ, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, HI, IA, ID, IL, IN, LA, MA, MD, MI, MO, MT, NH, NJ, NM, NY, OH, OK, OR, PA, RI, SD, TN, TX, UT, WA, WI, and WY.

### Facility Licensing, Certification, or Accreditation

	Facilities <sup>1</sup>	
	No.	%
Any listed agency/organization	63	100.0
State substance abuse agency	54	85.7
State mental health department	49	77.8
State department of health	33	52.4
Hospital licensing authority	6	9.5
The Joint Commission	25	39.7
Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities	31	49.2
National Committee for Quality		
Assurance	4	6.3
Council on Accreditation	6	9.5
Other state/local agency/organization	5	7.9

<sup>1</sup> Facilities may be licensed by more than one agency/organization.

Facility Funding		
	Facil	ities
	No.	%
Receives federal, state, county, or local government funds for substance abuse treatment programs	41	65.1

	Facilities	
—	No.	%
Assessment and Pre-Treatment Services	63	100.0
Screening for substance abuse	61	96.8
Screening for mental health disorders	46	73.0
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment or diagnosis	63	100.0
Comprehensive mental health assessment or diagnosis	35	55.6
Screening for tobacco use	38	60.3
Outreach to persons in the community who may need treatment	39	61.9
Interim services for clients when immediate admission is not possible	31	49.2
Testing	63	100.0
Breathalyzer or other blood alcohol testing	50	79.4
Drug or alcohol urine screening	63	100.0
Screening for Hepatitis B	19	30.2
Screening for Hepatitis C	20	31.7
HIV testing	18	28.6
STD testing	15	23.8
TB screening	20	31.7
Counseling	63	100.0
Individual counseling	63	100.0
Group counseling	62	98.4
Family counseling	55	87.3
Marital/couples counseling	48	76.2
Transitional Services	61	96.8
Discharge planning	61	96.8
Aftercare/continuing care	57	90.5
Pharmacotherapies	44	69.8
Antabuse®	22	34.9
Naltrexone (oral)	20	31.7
Vivitrol® (injectable Naltrexone)	9	14.3
Campral®	16	25.4
Nicotine replacement	17	27.0
Non-nicotine smoking/tobacco cessation medications	16	25.4
Medications for psychiatric disorders	32	50.8
Methadone	18	28.6
Buprenorphine with naloxone (Suboxone®)	22	34.9
Buprenorphine without naloxone	14	22.2
Ancillary Services	63	100.0
Case management services	54	85.7
Social skills development	48	76.2
Mentoring/peer support	28	44.4
Child care for clients' children	5	7.9
Assistance with obtaining social services	43	68.3
Employment counseling or training for clients	28	44.4
Assistance in locating housing for clients	39	61.9
Domestic violence services	27	42.9
Early intervention for HIV	18	28.6
HIV or AIDS education, counseling, or support	36	57.1
Hepatitis education, counseling, or support	33	52.4
Continued.		

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Types of Services Offered (continued)		
	Facilities	
	No.	%
Health education other than HIV/AIDS or hepatitis	33	52.4
Substance abuse education	60	95.2
Transportation assistance to treatment	26	41.3
Mental health services	47	74.6
Acupuncture		
Residential beds for clients' children	1	1.6
Self-help groups	28	44.4
Smoking cessation counseling	27	42.9

Clinical/Therapeutic Approaches Used Always or Often or Sometimes					
	Facilities				
	No.	%			
Substance abuse counseling	61	96.8			
Relapse prevention	61	96.8			
Cognitive-behavioral therapy	63	100.0			
Motivational interviewing	59	93.7			
Anger management	57	90.5			
Brief intervention	55	87.3			
12-step facilitation	42	66.7			
Trauma-related counseling	45	71.4			
Contingency management/motivational incentives	36	57.1			
Rational emotive behavioral therapy (REBT)	27	42.9			
Matrix Model	18	28.6			
Computerized substance abuse treatment	8	12.7			
Community reinforcement plus vouchers	10	15.9			
Other treatment approaches	7	11.1			

### Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate<sup>1</sup>

	Residential	Hospital Inpatient
Number of facilities	16	2
Number of clients <sup>2</sup>	319	26
Number of designated beds	339	33
Utilization rate <sup>3</sup>	94.1	78.8
Average number of designated beds per facility	21	17

<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.

<sup>2</sup> Number of clients on March 30, 2012.

<sup>3</sup> Because substance abuse treatment clients may also occupy non-designated beds, utilization rates may be more than 100 percent.

## Programs for Special Groups

	Essilities	
	Facilities	
	No.	%
Any program or group	52	82.5
Clients with co-occurring disorders	28	44.4
Adult women	18	28.6
DUI/DWI offenders	18	28.6
Adolescents	13	20.6
Adult men	12	19.0
Criminal justice clients	13	20.6
Persons who have experienced trauma	13	20.6
Pregnant or postpartum women	10	15.9
Persons with HIV or AIDS	4	6.3
Veterans	6	9.5
Seniors or older adults	2	3.2
LGBTQ <sup>1</sup> clients	3	4.8
Active duty military	3	4.8
Members of military families	4	6.3
Other groups	10	15.9

<sup>1</sup> Lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or questioning clients.

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#### Services in Sign Language for the Hearing Impaired and in Languages Other than English

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Sign language	17	27.0
Any language other than English	37	58.7
Non-English Language Provided by:		
On-call interpreter only	10	27.0
Staff counselor only	18	48.6
Both staff counselor and on-call		
interpreter	9	24.3
Languages Provided by Staff Counselor:1		
Spanish	24	88.9
American Indian/Alaska Native		
languages		
Other	19	70.4





<sup>1</sup> Percentages based on the number of facilities reporting that they provided substance abuse treatment in a language other than English by a staff counselor only or by both staff counselors and on-call interpreters.

Symbol key: -- Quantity is zero. \* Less than 0.05 percent. *n/a* Not applicable.

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Access the latest N-SSATS public use files at: http://www.datafiles.samhsa.gov

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



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