



EXECUTIVE SUMMARY



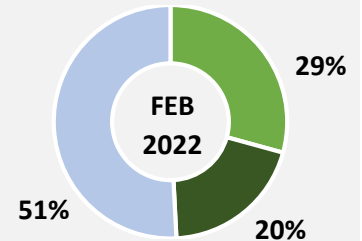
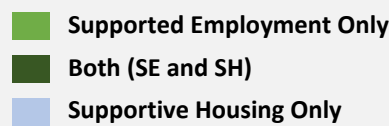
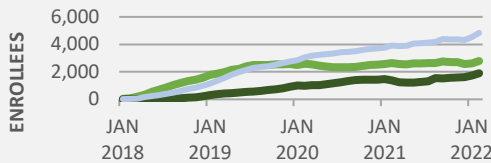
Washington State's Foundational Community Supports Programs SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT

April 29, 2022

FCS ENROLLMENT

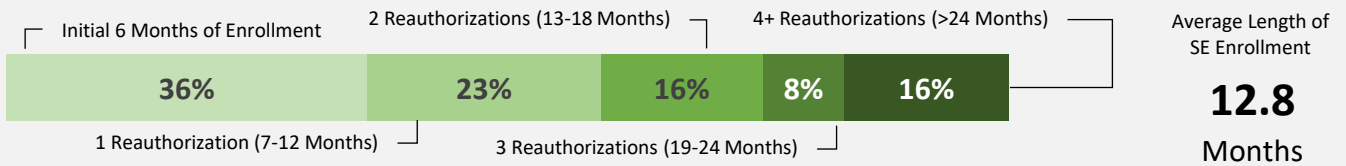
As of February 2022, 49% of all Foundational Community Supports (FCS) participants were enrolled to receive Supported Employment (SE) services only or both SE and Supportive Housing (SH) services.

Participants enrolled to receive SE services were a larger share of FCS enrollees through the first two years of the program (in part due to the lag in available SH providers).



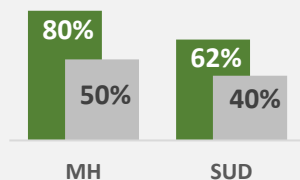
ENROLLMENT LENGTH

FCS enrollees are authorized to receive services for a six-month period. Services may be reauthorized if a participant continues to need services. We observe at least one reauthorization for 64% of current SE enrollees.

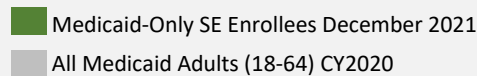


MH/SUD

Penetration Rate



While the FCS program does not provide Mental Health (MH) or Substance Use Disorder (SUD) services, Supported Employment FCS Enrollees have a higher use of MH and SUD services than the general Medicaid population.



COVID-19 IMPACT

Due to COVID-19 related challenges, the number of participants newly enrolling to receive Supported Employment services decreased during the first half of 2020. By the end of 2020 the number of new enrollees had returned to previous levels. The Health Care Authority has strongly encouraged shifting from in-person services to virtual telehealth services by providers, including assessments, which was allowed under the waiver prior to the pandemic.



Follow the link below to make a referral to the Foundational Community Supports program:

https://provider.amerigroup.com/docs/gpp/WAWA_CAID_TPA_ReferralForm.pdf?v=202005221954

PROGRAM CONTACT: Matt Christie (Matt.Christie@hca.wa.gov)
DATA QUESTIONS: Matthew Pavelle (Matthew.Pavelle@dshs.wa.gov)

[This page is left intentionally blank]



Washington State's Foundational Community Supports Program SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT

April 29, 2022

This report provides a month-by-month look at Medicaid clients enrolled in the Foundational Community Supports (FCS) Supported Employment program, which began (along with the FCS Supportive Housing program) in January 2018.

Note: This report describes the enrolled population for a given month and is not intended to be used for evaluation purposes.

ELIGIBILITY NOTES

Eligibility for Supported Employment. Medicaid clients age 16 years or older who: 1) have a mental health or substance use treatment need, or 2) are receiving long-term services, or 3) have a complex physical health need and/or physical impairment AND meet one of the following criteria at the time of referral:

- Are enrolled in the Housing and Essential Needs or Aged, Blind and Disabled program.
- Experienced multiple episodes of inpatient substance use treatment over the past two years.
- Engage in behaviors attributed to a behavioral health condition that may result in expulsion from school or termination from employment.
- Are unable to find and maintain employment due to age, physical disability, or traumatic brain injury.

FCS SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT ENROLLMENT SUMMARY

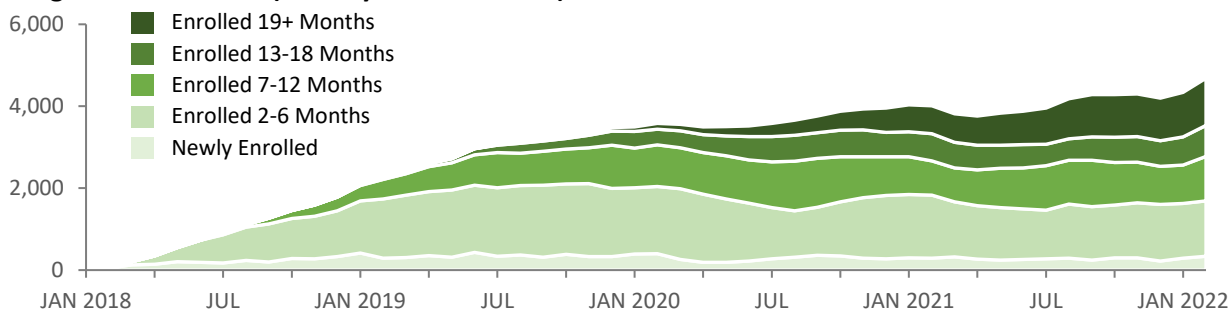
Length of Enrollment (Previous 12 Months)

Previous 12 Months	Enrolled in Month		Newly Enrolled ¹		Enrolled for 2-6 Months ²		Enrolled for 7-12 Months ²		Enrolled for 13-18 Months ²		Enrolled for 19+ Months ²		Avg. Months Enrolled ²
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
MAR	3,812		326	9%	1,342	35%	823	22%	625	16%	696	18%	10.4
APR	3,759		265	7%	1,310	35%	870	23%	606	16%	708	19%	10.7
MAY	3,828		247	6%	1,276	33%	967	25%	558	15%	780	20%	11.0
JUN	3,881		261	7%	1,230	32%	1,003	26%	572	15%	815	21%	11.4
JUL	3,959		276	7%	1,191	30%	1,079	27%	530	13%	883	22%	11.5
AUG	4,180		294	7%	1,318	32%	1,071	26%	523	13%	974	23%	11.7
SEP	4,281		248	6%	1,303	30%	1,128	26%	571	13%	1,031	24%	12.0
OCT	4,287		296	7%	1,295	30%	1,040	24%	616	14%	1,040	24%	12.2
NOV	4,296		303	7%	1,339	31%	992	23%	623	15%	1,039	24%	12.3
DEC	4,199		218	5%	1,387	33%	926	22%	624	15%	1,044	25%	12.6
2022 JAN	4,337		288	7%	1,343	31%	937	22%	688	16%	1,081	25%	12.7
FEB	4,684		336	7%	1,351	29%	1,089	23%	755	16%	1,153	25%	12.8

¹Only includes participants enrolled in Supported Employment for the very first time.

²Results are based on the total number of months over the life of the participant (and are not necessarily consecutive).

Length of Enrollment (January 2018 - Present)



In February 2022...

- 4,684 participants were enrolled in Supported Employment.
- 336 of these participants were enrolled for the first time in Supported Employment.

PROGRAM CONTACT: Matt Christie (Matt.Christie@hca.wa.gov)
DATA QUESTIONS: Matthew Pavelle (Matthew.Pavelle@dshs.wa.gov)

SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT - ENROLLMENT CHURN

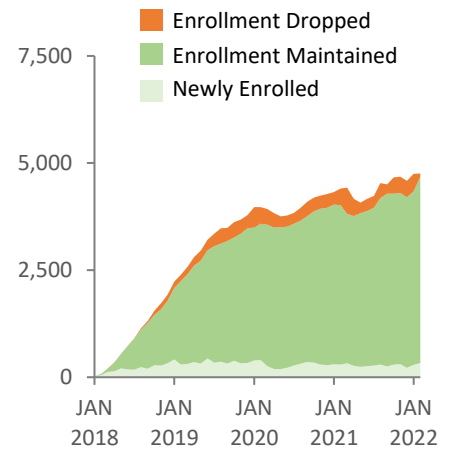
NOTES

Supported Employment Enrollment Notes.

- Enrollees are authorized for the program in six month segments. If more time or services are needed, FCS providers may submit an Exception to Rule (ETR) for additional time or services.
- Enrollment in the month does not necessarily indicate that any services were received by the enrollee in that month.

Monthly Enrollment Churn

Previous 12 Months	Enrolled in Month	Newly Enrolled ¹		Enrollment Maintained ²		Enrollment Dropped ³	
	NUMBER	NUMBER	PERCENT ⁴	NUMBER	PERCENT ⁴	NUMBER	PERCENT ⁵
MAR	3,812	326	9%	3,486	91%	616	15%
APR	3,759	265	7%	3,494	93%	409	11%
MAY	3,828	247	6%	3,581	94%	251	7%
JUN	3,881	261	7%	3,620	93%	282	7%
JUL	3,959	276	7%	3,683	93%	271	7%
AUG	4,180	294	7%	3,886	93%	352	9%
SEP	4,281	248	6%	4,033	94%	221	5%
OCT	4,287	296	7%	3,991	93%	381	9%
NOV	4,296	303	7%	3,993	93%	386	9%
DEC	4,199	218	5%	3,981	95%	387	9%
2022 JAN	4,337	288	7%	4,049	93%	413	10%
FEB	4,684	336	7%	4,348	93%	<i>pending</i>	-



¹Only includes participants enrolled in Supported Employment for the very first time.

²Includes participants who continue enrollment from the previous month, as well as participants who return after a 1+ month gap in enrollment.

³Disenrollments from FCS programs are reported retroactively. Recent enrollment counts will decrease slightly as program data matures.

⁴Denominator is the current month's Enrollee Total.

⁵Denominator is the previous month's Enrollee Total.

Enrollment History of Participants No Longer Enrolled

Previous 12 Months	No Longer Enrolled ⁶	Enrolled for 1-6 Months ⁷		Enrolled for 7-12 Months ⁷		Enrolled for 13-18 Months ⁷		Enrolled for 19+ Months ⁷		Avg. Months Enrolled ⁷
	NUMBER	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
MAR	6,250	1,231	20%	3,885	62%	844	14%	290	5%	8.4
APR	6,601	1,305	20%	4,053	61%	904	14%	339	5%	8.5
MAY	6,812	1,331	20%	4,176	61%	948	14%	357	5%	8.5
JUN	7,036	1,369	19%	4,301	61%	976	14%	390	6%	8.6
JUL	7,270	1,385	19%	4,436	61%	1,026	14%	423	6%	8.6
AUG	7,561	1,414	19%	4,590	61%	1,087	14%	470	6%	8.7
SEP	7,711	1,436	19%	4,649	60%	1,123	15%	503	7%	8.8
OCT	8,048	1,479	18%	4,816	60%	1,190	15%	563	7%	8.9
NOV	8,396	1,521	18%	4,977	59%	1,275	15%	623	7%	9.1
DEC	8,754	1,569	18%	5,154	59%	1,341	15%	690	8%	9.2
2022 JAN	9,143	1,603	18%	5,346	58%	1,431	16%	763	8%	9.3
FEB	9,216	1,625	18%	5,369	58%	1,441	16%	781	8%	9.3

⁶Cumulative count of participants who are no longer enrolled in Supported Employment as of the most recent enrollment month. Participants will be removed from this table entirely if they return to the program after a 1+ month gap.

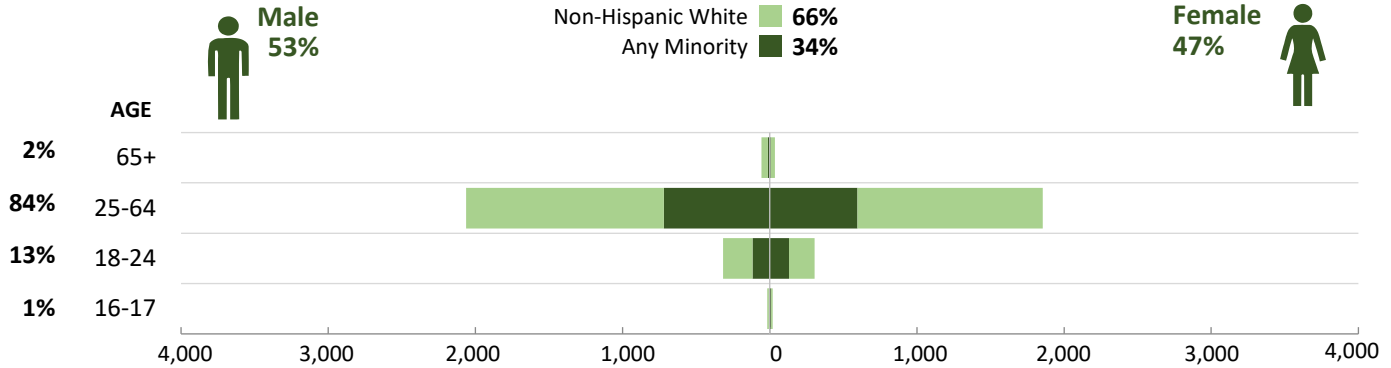
⁷Results are based on the total number of months over the life of the participant (and are not necessarily consecutive).

SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT - DEMOGRAPHICS

Demographic Notes.

- "Any Minority" includes enrollees whose race/ethnicity is not recorded as "white"/"non-Hispanic" (including when missing or not provided).

Demographics of Participants Enrolled in February 2022



SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT - CARE ASSESSMENT

CARE Assessment Notes.

- Comprehensive Assessment Reporting Evaluation (CARE) is the tool used by case managers to document a participant's functional ability, determine eligibility for long-term care services, evaluate what and how much assistance a participant will receive, and develop a plan of care.

CARE Assessment Detail

Note: month to month changes are due to participant enrollment mix, not program impact.

Previous 12 Months	Enrolled in Month	Developmental Disability CARE Assessment in Last 15 Months		Aging CARE Assessment in Last 15 Months	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
MAR	3,812	84	2%	574	15%
APR	3,759	80	2%	583	16%
MAY	3,828	82	2%	602	16%
JUN	3,881	85	2%	593	15%
JUL	3,959	90	2%	599	15%
AUG	4,180	88	2%	631	15%
SEP	4,281	94	2%	659	15%
OCT	4,287	98	2%	669	16%
NOV	4,296	95	2%	677	16%
DEC	4,199	97	2%	695	17%
2022 JAN	4,337	104	2%	712	16%
FEB	4,684	109	2%	768	16%

SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT - OTHER PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

For those enrolled in February 2022...

- Enrollees' Medicaid eligibility is predominately obtained through either the ACA expansion adult (Non-Presumptive) program (45%) or the Categorically Needy Blind/Disabled program (30%).
- 16% of the Supported Employment enrollees are dually eligible for Medicaid and Medicare.

Medicaid Eligibility Categories

Previous 12 Months	Enrolled in Month	CN Blind/Disabled (Medicaid-Only & Full Dual Eligibles)		CN Aged (Medicaid-Only & Full Dual Eligibles)		CN Family Medical & Pregnant Woman		ACA Expansion Adults (Non-Presumptive)		ACA Expansion Adults (SSI Presumptive)		CN Children ¹	
		TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
MAR	3,812	1,085	28%	69	2%	430	11%	1,682	44%	448	12%	98	3%
APR	3,759	1,082	29%	77	2%	409	11%	1,665	44%	436	12%	90	2%
MAY	3,828	1,114	29%	75	2%	417	11%	1,670	44%	455	12%	97	3%
JUN	3,881	1,121	29%	81	2%	419	11%	1,726	44%	440	11%	94	2%
JUL	3,959	1,137	29%	83	2%	433	11%	1,771	45%	436	11%	99	3%
AUG	4,180	1,184	28%	85	2%	478	11%	1,886	45%	451	11%	96	2%
SEP	4,281	1,222	29%	87	2%	473	11%	1,931	45%	464	11%	104	2%
OCT	4,287	1,249	29%	85	2%	460	11%	1,929	45%	457	11%	107	2%
NOV	4,296	1,264	29%	75	2%	465	11%	1,943	45%	436	10%	113	3%
DEC	4,199	1,255	30%	74	2%	447	11%	1,911	46%	407	10%	105	3%
2022 JAN	4,337	1,294	30%	79	2%	459	11%	1,942	45%	444	10%	119	3%
FEB	4,684	1,400	30%	87	2%	495	11%	2,097	45%	478	10%	127	3%

¹Includes coverage of Foster Care clients between the age of 18-26.

Other Housing Assistance Program Eligibility

Note: month to month changes are due to participant enrollment mix, not program impact.

Previous 12 Months	Enrolled in Month	Referral for Housing and Essential Needs (HEN)		Housing and Urban Development (HUD) Chronic Homelessness Criteria					
				Total HUD Chronic Homelessness		HUD Chronic Homelessness: Lengthy		HUD Chronic Homelessness: Frequent	
				NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
MAR	3,812	1,123	29%	592	16%	584	15%	32	1%
APR	3,759	1,127	30%	571	15%	565	15%	29	1%
MAY	3,828	1,148	30%	571	15%	565	15%	29	1%
JUN	3,881	1,174	30%	578	15%	569	15%	33	1%
JUL	3,959	1,180	30%	573	14%	562	14%	32	1%
AUG	4,180	1,249	30%	610	15%	594	14%	38	1%
SEP	4,281	1,269	30%	605	14%	589	14%	36	1%
OCT	4,287	1,268	30%	616	14%	600	14%	33	1%
NOV	4,296	1,260	29%	596	14%	583	14%	29	1%
DEC	4,199	1,241	30%	549	13%	540	13%	23	1%
2022 JAN	4,337	1,282	30%	553	13%	544	13%	21	0%
FEB	4,684	1,372	29%	585	12%	577	12%	20	0%

REFERENCES

- **HUD Chronic Homelessness Criteria.** Criteria can be met in two ways. For the **Lengthy criteria** an enrollee is determined to be experiencing 12 continuous months of homelessness within the past year. For the **Frequent criteria** an enrollee is determined to have experienced 4 episodes of homelessness over the past 3 years, which equal 12+ total months spent homeless. The Lengthy and Frequent criteria are not mutually exclusive. Note that the results are a proxy for the HUD criteria based on ACES data, and not Homeless Management Information System (HMIS).

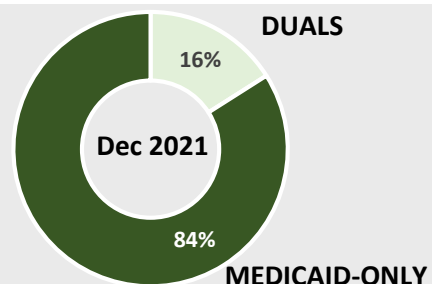
ACA = Affordable Care Act | CN = Categorically Needy | HEN = Housing and Essential Needs | HUD = Housing & Urban Development

SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT - MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER

NOTES

Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Notes.

- Mental Health (MH) and Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Treatment Need Indication and Service Use are based on Medicaid data only. Therefore, the MH and SUD results that follow are show only for enrollees eligible for Medicaid only.
- In December 2021, 84% of Supportive Housing enrollees were eligible for Medicaid only.
- MH and SUD source data is only shown through December 2021 when it is more complete.
- See the bottom of page SE6 for Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder references



MENTAL HEALTH

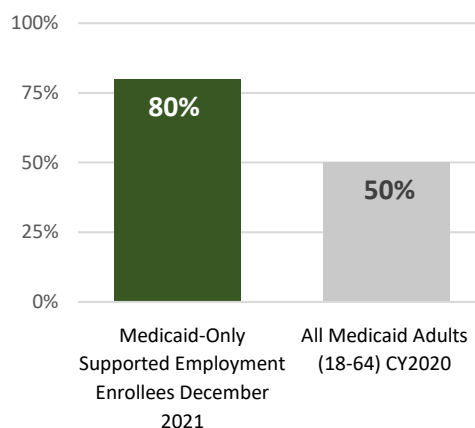
Mental Health Treatment Need and Service Use Overlap Summary (for Medicaid-Only Enrollees)

Note: month to month changes are due to participant enrollment mix, not program impact.

Previous 12 Months	Medicaid-Only Enrollees	Mental Health				
		Treatment Need Indicated in Last 24 Months		Services Received in Last 12 Months		Penetration Rate
		TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
MAR	3,254	3,090	95%	2,577	79%	83%
APR	3,186	3,033	95%	2,523	79%	83%
MAY	3,242	3,087	95%	2,578	80%	84%
JUN	3,286	3,131	95%	2,596	79%	83%
JUL	3,356	3,196	95%	2,661	79%	83%
AUG	3,548	3,356	95%	2,757	78%	82%
SEP	3,622	3,417	94%	2,804	77%	82%
OCT	3,612	3,394	94%	2,765	77%	81%
NOV	3,627	3,398	94%	2,739	76%	81%
DEC	3,527	3,293	93%	2,632	75%	80%
2022 JAN	3,633	pending	-	pending	-	-
FEB	3,932	pending	-	pending	-	-

Mental Health Penetration Rate

Medicaid-Only clients enrolled in the FCS Supported Employment program are more likely to be receiving Mental Health services than the state-wide adult Medicaid population.



SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER

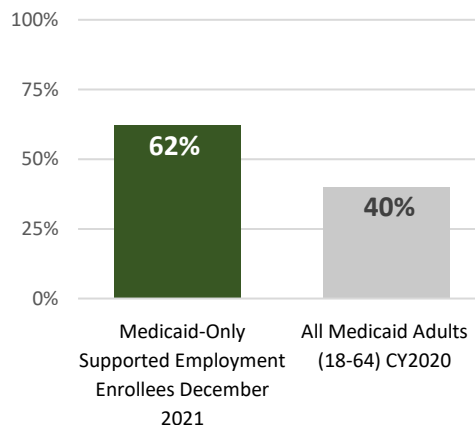
Substance Use Disorder Treatment Need and Service Use Overlap Summary (for Medicaid-Only Enrollees)

Note: month to month changes are due to participant enrollment mix, not program impact.

Previous 12 Months	Medicaid-Only Enrollees	Substance Use Disorder				
		Treatment Need Indicated in Last 24 Months		Services Received in Last 12 Months		Penetration Rate
		TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
MAR	3,254	2,017	62%	1,282	39%	64%
APR	3,186	1,957	61%	1,238	39%	63%
MAY	3,242	1,998	62%	1,267	39%	63%
JUN	3,286	2,040	62%	1,281	39%	63%
JUL	3,356	2,084	62%	1,322	39%	63%
AUG	3,548	2,227	63%	1,406	40%	63%
SEP	3,622	2,240	62%	1,396	39%	62%
OCT	3,612	2,231	62%	1,405	39%	63%
NOV	3,627	2,243	62%	1,398	39%	62%
DEC	3,527	2,155	61%	1,340	38%	62%
2022 JAN	3,633	pending	-	pending	-	-
FEB	3,932	pending	-	pending	-	-

Substance Use Disorder Penetration Rate

Medicaid-Only clients enrolled in the FCS Supported Employment program are more likely to be receiving SUD services than the state-wide adult Medicaid population.



SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT - MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER

NOTES

Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Notes.

- Mental Health (MH) and Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Treatment Need Indication and Service Use are based on Medicaid data only. Therefor, the MH and SUD results that follow are show only for enrollees eligible for Medicaid only.
- MH and SUD source data is only shown through December 2021 when it is more complete.

TREATMENT NEED

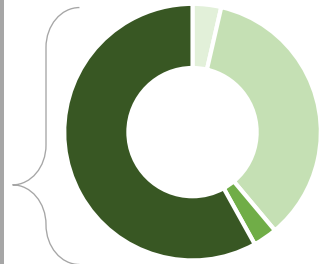
Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Treatment Need Overlap Detail (for Medicaid-Only Enrollees)

Note: month to month changes are due to participant enrollment mix, not program impact.

Previous 12 Months	Medicaid-Only Enrollees	No MH or SUD Treatment Need Indicated in Last 24 Months		MH Treatment Need Only Indicated in Last 24 Months		SUD Treatment Need Only Indicated in Last 24 Months		Co-occurring MH and SUD Treatment Need Indicated in Last 24 Months	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
MAR	3,254	84	3%	1,153	35%	80	2%	1,937	60%
APR	3,186	80	3%	1,149	36%	73	2%	1,884	59%
MAY	3,242	79	2%	1,165	36%	76	2%	1,922	59%
JUN	3,286	81	2%	1,165	35%	74	2%	1,966	60%
JUL	3,356	79	2%	1,193	36%	81	2%	2,003	60%
AUG	3,548	97	3%	1,224	34%	95	3%	2,132	60%
SEP	3,622	108	3%	1,274	35%	97	3%	2,143	59%
OCT	3,612	107	3%	1,274	35%	111	3%	2,120	59%
NOV	3,627	121	3%	1,263	35%	108	3%	2,135	59%
DEC	3,527	127	4%	1,245	35%	107	3%	2,048	58%
2022 JAN	3,633	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-
FEB	3,932	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-

- In December 2021, 58% of Medicaid-Only SE enrollees have indicated a co-occurring MH and SUD treatment need in the last 24 months.

- No Tx Need
- MH Tx Need Only
- SUD Tx Need Only
- MH & SUD Tx Need



SERVICE USE

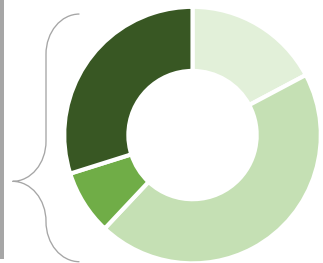
Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Service Use Overlap Detail (for Medicaid-Only Enrollees)

Note: month to month changes are due to participant enrollment mix, not program impact.

Previous 12 Months	Medicaid-Only Enrollees	No MH or SUD Service Use in Last 12 Months		MH Service Use Only in Last 12 Months		SUD Service Use Only in Last 12 Months		Both MH and SUD Service Use in Last 12 Months	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
MAR	3,254	457	14%	1,515	47%	220	7%	1,062	33%
APR	3,186	454	14%	1,494	47%	209	7%	1,029	32%
MAY	3,242	452	14%	1,523	47%	212	7%	1,055	33%
JUN	3,286	478	15%	1,527	46%	212	6%	1,069	33%
JUL	3,356	475	14%	1,559	46%	220	7%	1,102	33%
AUG	3,548	534	15%	1,608	45%	257	7%	1,149	32%
SEP	3,622	557	15%	1,669	46%	261	7%	1,135	31%
OCT	3,612	562	16%	1,645	46%	285	8%	1,120	31%
NOV	3,627	590	16%	1,639	45%	298	8%	1,100	30%
DEC	3,527	608	17%	1,579	45%	287	8%	1,053	30%
2022 JAN	3,633	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-
FEB	3,932	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-

- In December 2021, 30% of Medicaid-Only SE enrollees have received both MH and SUD services in the last 12 months.

- No Service Use
- MH Service Use Only
- SUD Service Use Only
- MH & SUD Service Use



REFERENCES

- Mental Health Treatment Need Flag.** Indication based on any MH diagnosis, prescription or service recorded in administrative data.
- Mental Health Services.** Received inpatient or outpatient mental health services in the past 12 months.
- Substance Use Disorder Treatment Need Flag.** Indication based on at least one substance-related diagnosis, procedure, prescription, treatment or arrest.
- Substance Use Disorder Services.** Received substance use disorder services (including inpatient, outpatient or opiate substitution) in the past 12 months.