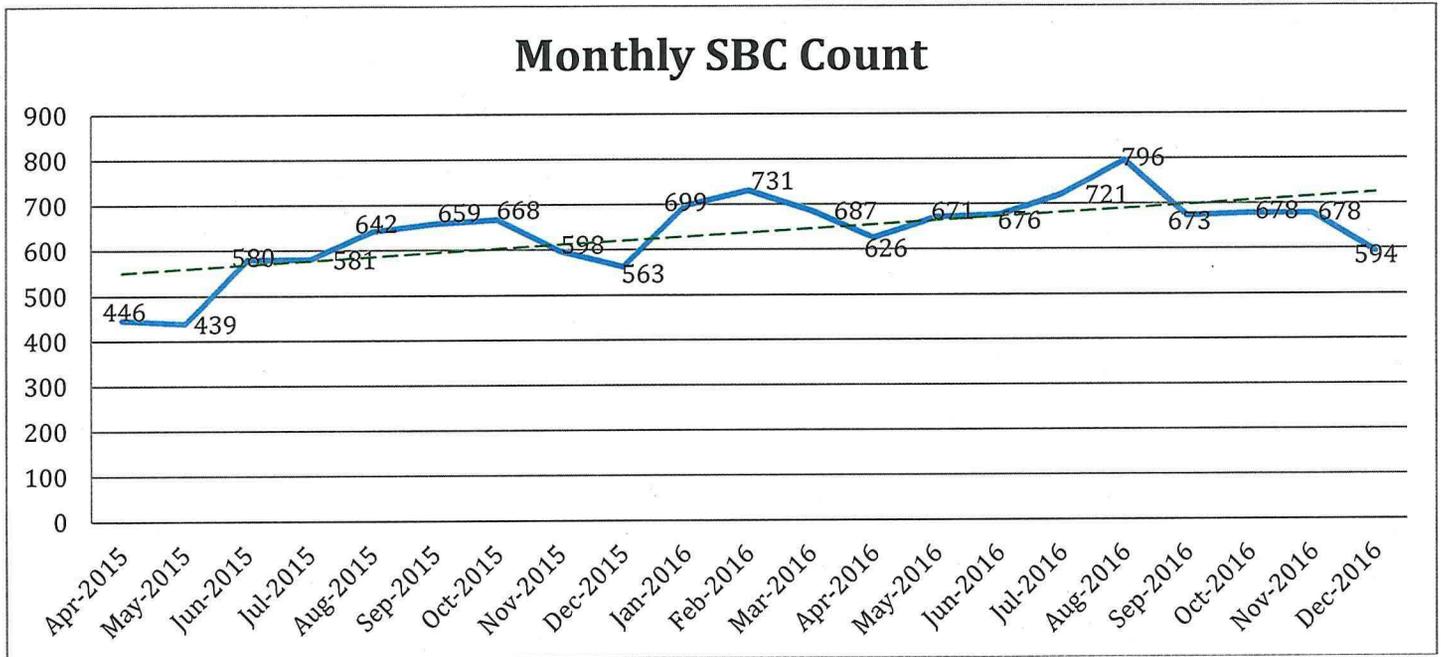


Single Bed Certification Quarterly Update

January 2017

A Single Bed Certification (SBC) allows a person to be detained under the Involuntary Treatment Act when there are no available certified Evaluation and Treatment facility beds. The detained person is able to temporarily receive involuntary inpatient mental health treatment services from a licensed facility that is not currently certified as an Evaluation and Treatment facility, under WAC 388-865-0500. The Behavioral Health Organization or its designee (Designated Mental Health Professional) must submit a written request for the SBC to the local State Hospital. The SBC requires that the facility named in the SBC be willing and able to provide timely and appropriate mental health treatment in order to not be considered boarding which was found to be a violation of a person's civil liberties in the Supreme Court decision *In re detention DW*.



Source DSHS report ran 1/12/17

Since April 2016 there have been 6113 SBCs authorized by the State Hospitals with an average of 679 a month with a high of 796 and low of 594.



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As reflected in previous reports, the greatest use of Single Bed Certifications continues to occur in King County BHO, North Sound BHO and Spokane County Regional BHO. Of note is the decrease in the use of Single Bed Certifications by Facilities in the last 3 months.

SBC by BHO by Month									
BHO	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
NS BHO	114	105	115	115	122	106	103	94	83
KC BHO	199	229	267	281	346	254	270	268	213
Optum/Pierce BHO	42	22	26	37	33	17	27	38	22
Sa BHO	22	26	23	24	28	16	29	32	27
TM BHO	20	43	23	36	35	40	34	36	34
GR BHO	3	6	4	10	11	5	6	8	3
SW WA	7	7	5	13	16	6	6	10	10
GC BHO	0	3	4	3	3	0	3	3	0
NC BHO	5	13	10	10	12	3	8	7	8
SCR BHO	107	112	98	80	113	101	110	96	115
Facilities (14, 90, 180 356)	166	157	117	172	111	125	82	84	79
TOTALs	626	671	676	721	796	673	678	678	594

Source: DSHS report ran 1/12/17



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Statewide SBC for Minors and Adults by Month			
Month	Adults	Minors	Total
April	587	39	626
May	636	36	672
June	653	20	673
July	698	23	721
August	775	21	796
Sept	658	15	673
Oct	654	24	678
Nov	643	35	678
Dec	573	21	594

Source: DSHS report ran 1/12/17

On average approximately 4% of the total Single Bed Certifications are for minors.



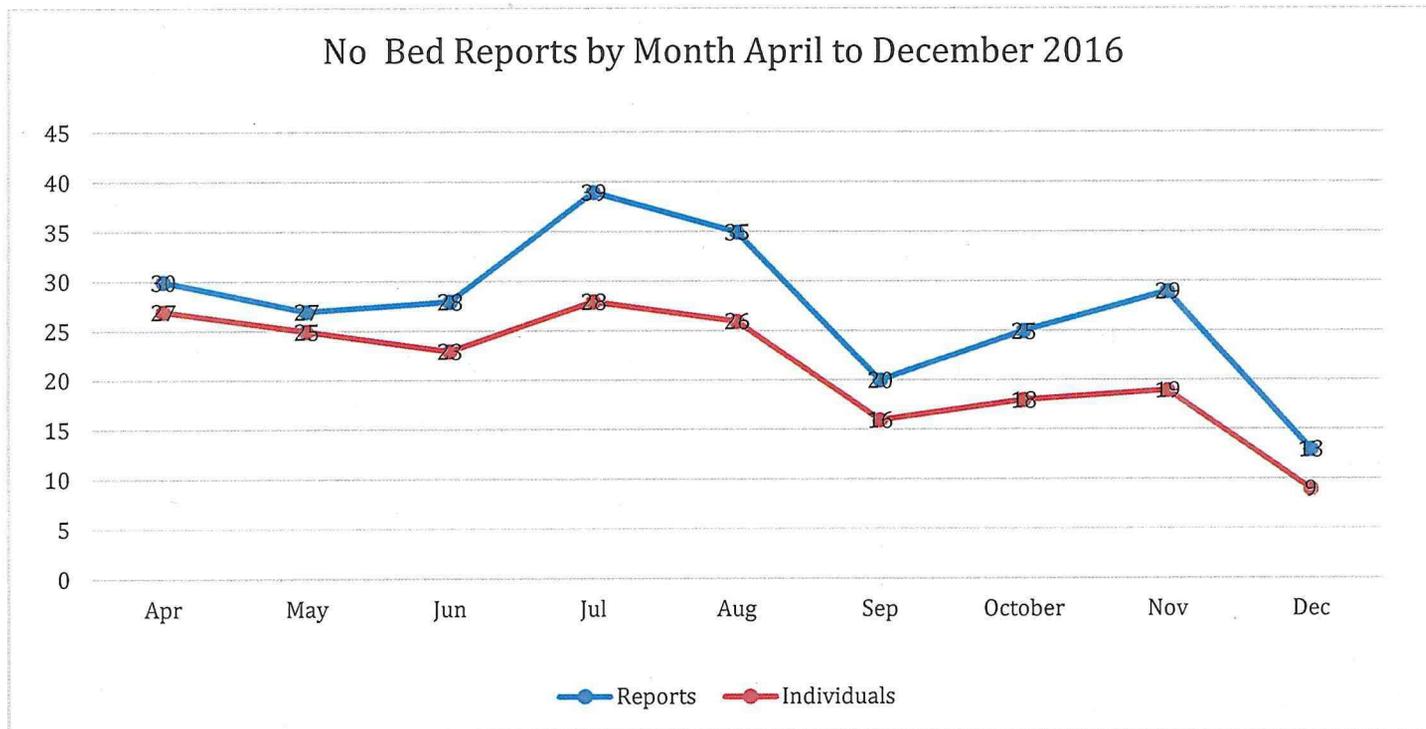
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Unavailable Detention Facilities Reports (No Bed Available Reports)

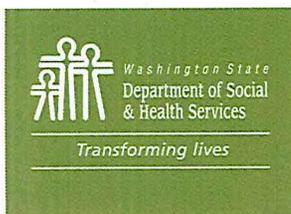
When a Designated Mental Health Professional determines a person meets criteria for involuntary inpatient treatment, but is unable to detain the person at risk due to the lack of an available bed at an Evaluation and Treatment facility or the person cannot be served by the use of a Single Bed Certification, the Designated Mental Health Professional is required to make a report to the Department within 24 hours that they were unable to detain the person due to the lack of an certified E&T bed.

No Bed Reports by Month April to December 2016



Source DSHS report ran 1/4/17

There has been a 41% decline in the number of No Bed Reports since the high of 39 in July 2016.



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No Available E&T Bed Reports by RSN and Month																			
E2SSB 5649 – Effective May 14, 2015																			
RSN	16-Apr		16-May		16-Jun		16-Jul		16-Aug		16-Sep		16-Oct		16-Nov		16-Dec		Total N Indiv
	N Rpts	N Indiv	N Rpts	N Indiv															
GCBHO	2	2	6	6	7	5	11	7	8	5	6	4	1	1	4	4	0	0	34
Great Rivers	14	11	12	11	3	3	8	8	7	6	6	5	8	8	6	6	5	4	62
King	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Central	1	1	3	3	7	5	5	2	6	4	3	3	1	1	5	1	1	1	21
NSBHO	5	5	1	1	0	0	2	2	2	2	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	12
Optum-Pierce	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Salish	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWWASO	2	2	0	0	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	2	1	0	0	11
Spokane	6	6	5	4	8	7	12	8	11	8	4	3	11	5	10	6	7	4	51
Thurston-Mason	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total*	30	27	27	25	28	23	39	28	35	26	20	16	25	18	29	19	13	9	191

Source: DSHS report ran 1/4/17

Since the beginning of the BHO/FIMCOs on April 1, 2016, Great Rivers BHO DMHPs have been unable to detain the most individuals due to the lack of beds at 62. Spokane BHP DMHPs follow with 51 individuals. Thurston Mason BHO, Salish BHO, Optum-Pierce BHO and King BHO were able to detain everyone the DMHPs found detainable due in the most part to the availability of Single Bed Certification accepting local hospitals.

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