



# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**





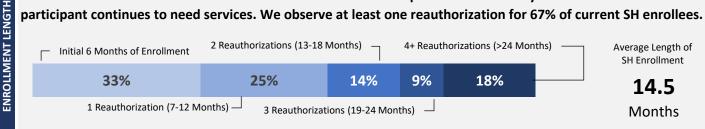
# **Washington State's Foundational Community Supports Programs**

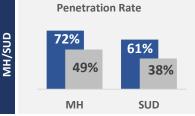
#### SUPPORTIVE HOUSING

April 15, 2024



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 67% of current SH enrollees.





COVID-19 IMPACT

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



Due to COVID-19 related challenges, the number of participants newly enrolling to receive Supportive Housing services decreased slightly during the first half of 2020, after having peaked in January 2020. 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

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**ELIGIBILITY NOTES** 









# Washington State's Foundational Community Supports Program SUPPORTIVE HOUSING

April 15, 2024

This report provides a month-by-month look at Medicaid clients enrolled in the Foundational Community Supports (FCS) Supportive Housing program, which began (along with the FCS Supported Employment 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 for Supportive Housing.** Medicaid clients age 18 years or older who: 1) have a mental health or substance use treatment need, 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:

- Chronically homeless, as defined by the U.S. Housing and Urban Development.
- Had more than one contact with, or a stay longer than 90 days in, a correctional facility, inpatient treatment setting, hospital, skilled nursing facility, or other institutional setting in the past 12 months.
- Have a history of frequent or lengthy adult residential care facility stays.
- Had three or more different in-home caregiver providers in the last 12 months.
- Have a PRISM Risk Score of 1.5 or above.

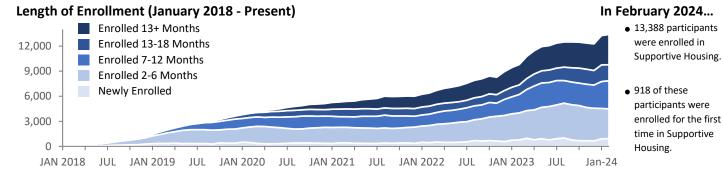
#### FCS SUPPORTIVE HOUSING ENROLLMENT SUMMARY

#### **Length of Enrollment (Previous 12 Months)**

Previous		Enrolled in Month	Newly Enrolled <sup>1</sup>		Enrolled for 2-6 Months <sup>2</sup>		Enrolled for 7-12 Months <sup>2</sup>		Enrolled for 13-18 Months <sup>2</sup>		Enrolled for 19+ Months <sup>2</sup>		Avg. Months Enrolled <sup>2</sup>
12 N	/lonths	NUMBER	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
	MAR	10,741	965	9%	3,311	31%	2,523	23%	1,308	12%	2,634	25%	12.9
	APR	11,447	792	7%	3,587	31%	2,845	25%	1,440	13%	2,783	24%	13.1
	MAY	11,941	928	8%	3,741	31%	2,926	25%	1,443	12%	2,903	24%	13.1
	JUN	12,043	761	6%	4,005	33%	2,876	24%	1,489	12%	2,912	24%	13.2
	JUL	12,353	918	7%	4,048	33%	2,919	24%	1,486	12%	2,982	24%	13.2
	AUG	12,497	992	8%	4,179	33%	2,706	22%	1,614	13%	3,006	24%	13.1
	SEP	12,489	761	6%	4,226	34%	2,721	22%	1,707	14%	3,074	25%	13.3
	OCT	12,473	676	5%	4,220	34%	2,673	21%	1,793	14%	3,111	25%	13.6
	NOV	12,365	672	5%	3,993	32%	2,762	22%	1,803	15%	3,135	25%	13.9
	DEC	12,268	653	5%	3,908	32%	2,777	23%	1,740	14%	3,190	26%	14.2
2024	1 JAN	13,265	912	7%	3,635	27%	3,219	24%	1,990	15%	3,509	26%	14.4
	FEB	13,388	918	7%	3,561	27%	3,378	25%	1,919	14%	3,612	27%	14.5

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Only includes participants enrolled in Supportive Housing for the very first time.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Results are based on the total number of months over the life of the participant (and are not necessarily consecutive).



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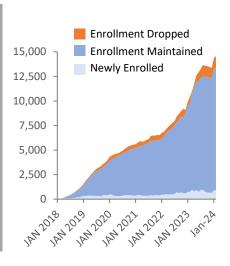


#### **Supportive Housing Enrollment Notes.**

- 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**

Pı	revious	Enrolled in Month	Newly En	rolled <sup>1</sup>		lment ained <sup>2</sup>	Enrollment	t Dropped <sup>3</sup>
12	Months	NUMBER	NUMBER	PERCENT <sup>4</sup>	NUMBER	PERCENT <sup>4</sup>	NUMBER	PERCENT <sup>5</sup>
	MAR	10,741	965	9%	9,776	91%	256	3%
	APR	11,447	792	7%	10,655	93%	303	3%
	MAY	11,941	928	8%	11,013	92%	680	6%
	JUN	12,043	761	6%	11,282	94%	887	7%
	JUL	12,353	918	7%	11,435	93%	895	7%
	AUG	12,497	992	8%	11,505	92%	1,162	9%
	SEP	12,489	761	6%	11,728	94%	1,098	9%
	ОСТ	12,473	676	5%	11,797	95%	1,058	8%
	NOV	12,365	672	5%	11,693	95%	1,107	9%
	DEC	12,268	653	5%	11,615	95%	1,084	9%
202	24 JAN	13,265	912	7%	12,353	93%	1,054	9%
	FEB	13,388	918	7%	12,470	93%	1,188	9%



# **Enrollment History of Participants No Longer Enrolled**

Previous		No Longer Enrolled <sup>6</sup>	Enrolled for 1	-6 Months <sup>7</sup>	Enrolled for 6-12 Months <sup>7</sup>		Enrolled Mor	for 13-18 nths <sup>7</sup>	Enrolled for 19+ Months <sup>7</sup>		Avg. Months Enrolled <sup>7</sup>
12	Months	NUMBER	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
	MAR	11,941	2,109	18%	6,216	52%	1,999	17%	1,617	14%	10.5
	APR	12,147	2,157	18%	6,325	52%	2,011	17%	1,654	14%	10.5
	MAY	12,642	2,222	18%	6,558	52%	2,114	17%	1,748	14%	10.6
	JUN	13,261	2,326	18%	6,843	52%	2,206	17%	1,886	14%	10.7
	JUL	13,895	2,412	17%	7,121	51%	2,323	17%	2,039	15%	10.9
	AUG	14,725	2,547	17%	7,488	51%	2,463	17%	2,227	15%	11.0
	SEP	15,519	2,680	17%	7,831	50%	2,637	17%	2,371	15%	11.1
	ОСТ	16,045	2,776	17%	8,130	51%	2,703	17%	2,436	15%	11.1
	NOV	16,580	2,924	18%	8,392	51%	2,763	17%	2,501	15%	11.1
	DEC	17,469	3,038	17%	8,814	50%	2,958	17%	2,659	15%	11.1
202	24 JAN	18,394	3,178	17%	9,222	50%	3,129	17%	2,865	16%	11.3
	FEB	19,582	3,395	17%	9,712	50%	3,343	17%	3,132	16%	11.4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup>Cumulative 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.





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Only includes participants enrolled in Supportive Housing for the very first time.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Includes participants who continue enrollment from the previous month, as well as participants who return after a 1+ month gap in enrollment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Disenrollments from FCS programs are reported retroactively. Recent enrollment counts will decrease slightly as program data matures.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Denominator is the current month's Enrollee Total.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>Denominator is the previous month's Enrollee Total.

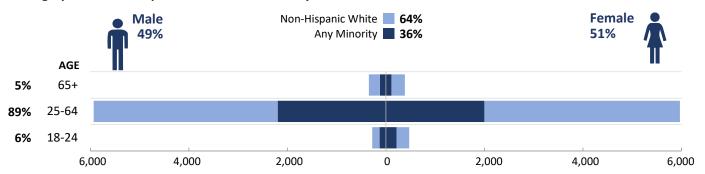
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>Results are based on the total number of months over the life of the participant (and are not necessarily consecutive).



#### **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 2024**



#### **SUPPORTIVE HOUSING - 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.

Pi	revious	Enrolled in Month	CARE Assess	ital Disability ment in Last onths	Aging CARE Assessment in Last 15 Months		
12	Months	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	
	MAR	10,741	88	1%	1,586	15%	
	APR	11,447	96	1%	1,663	15%	
	MAY	11,941	97	1%	1,705	14%	
	JUN	12,043	98	1%	1,739	14%	
	JUL	12,353	103	1%	1,754	14%	
	AUG	12,497	105	1%	1,765	14%	
	SEP	12,489	103	1%	1,733	14%	
	ОСТ	12,473	109	1%	1,737	14%	
	NOV	12,365	103	1%	1,735	14%	
	DEC	12,268	109	1%	1,725	14%	
202	24 JAN	13,265	106	1%	1,838	14%	
	FEB	13,388	106	1%	1,864	14%	





#### For those enrolled in February 2024...

- Enrollees' Medicaid eligibility is predominately obtained through either the ACA expansion adult (Non-Presumptive) program (35%) or the Categorically Needy Blind/Disabled program (28%).
- 14% of the Supportive Housing enrollees are dually eligible for Medicaid and Medicare.

## **Medicaid Eligibility Categories**

Previous 12 Months		Enrolled in Month	,	/Disabled d-Only & Eligibles)	· '	Medicaid- Full Dual ples)	& Pregnant Woman  Adults (Moman Presumption)		ACA Expansion ACA Exp Adults (Non-Adults Presumptive) Presum		s (SSI	CN Chi	ildren <sup>1</sup>	
12 I	Months	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
	MAR	10,741	3,205	30%	545	5%	1,296	12%	3,904	36%	1,677	16%	109	1%
	APR	11,447	3,363	29%	560	5%	1,389	12%	4,275	37%	1,739	15%	115	1%
	MAY	11,941	3,444	29%	587	5%	1,483	12%	4,471	37%	1,823	15%	126	1%
	JUN	12,043	3,468	29%	613	5%	1,522	13%	4,401	37%	1,912	16%	121	1%
	JUL	12,353	3,542	29%	623	5%	1,620	13%	4,505	36%	1,934	16%	111	1%
	AUG	12,497	3,541	28%	650	5%	1,673	13%	4,563	37%	1,947	16%	103	1%
	SEP	12,489	3,508	28%	656	5%	1,685	13%	4,540	36%	1,978	16%	103	1%
	0CT	12,473	3,516	28%	663	5%	1,673	13%	4,540	36%	1,959	16%	101	1%
	NOV	12,365	3,458	28%	662	5%	1,651	13%	4,487	36%	1,994	16%	94	1%
	DEC	12,268	3,406	28%	685	6%	1,606	13%	4,449	36%	1,999	16%	97	1%
202	4 JAN	13,265	3,677	28%	727	5%	1,738	13%	4,785	36%	2,211	17%	97	1%
	FEB	13,388	3,708	28%	732	5%	1,749	13%	4,745	35%	2,333	17%	91	1%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Includes 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.

		Enrolled in and Essential Needs		Housing and Urban Development (HUD)  Chronic Homelessness Criteria							
Pr	evious	Month		tial Needs EN)		D Chronic essness	HUD Chronic Homelessness: Lengthy		HUD Chronic Homelessness: Frequent		
12	Months	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	
	MAR	10,741	4,099	38%	2,282	21%	2,261	21%	40	0%	
	APR	11,447	4,377	38%	2,444	21%	2,422	21%	47	0%	
	MAY	11,941	4,589	38%	2,511	21%	2,485	21%	42	0%	
	JUN	12,043	4,636	38%	2,454	20%	2,431	20%	38	0%	
	JUL	12,353	4,739	38%	2,508	20%	2,485	20%	47	0%	
	AUG	12,497	4,826	39%	2,500	20%	2,482	20%	46	0%	
	SEP	12,489	4,820	39%	2,463	20%	2,441	20%	51	0%	
	ОСТ	12,473	4,823	39%	2,491	20%	2,466	20%	50	0%	
	NOV	12,365	4,833	39%	2,413	20%	2,394	19%	46	0%	
	DEC	12,268	4,838	39%	2,425	20%	2,408	20%	40	0%	
202	24 JAN	13,265	5,357	40%	2,687	20%	2,666	20%	50	0%	
	FEB	13,388	5,489	41%	2,744	20%	2,722	20%	54	0%	

REFERNCES

• 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

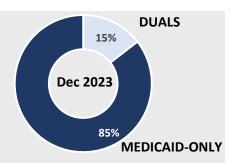




# NOTES

#### 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.
- In December 2023, 85% of Supportive Housing enrollees were eligible for Medicaid only.
- MH and SUD source data is only shown through December 2023 when it is more complete.
- See the bottom of page SH6 for Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder references



#### MENTAL HEALTH

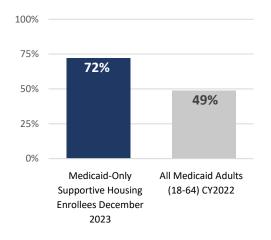
# Mental Health Treatment Need and Service Use Overlap Summary (for Medicaid-Only Enrollees)

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

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Pı	revious	Medicaid- Only Enrollees	Indicated	Freatment Need dicated in Last 24 Months		Services Received in Last 12 Months		
12	Months	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	PERCENT	
	MAR	8,993	8,080	90%	5,871	65%	73%	
	APR	9,615	8,602	89%	6,181	64%	72%	
	MAY	10,052	9,014	90%	6,472	64%	72%	
	JUN	10,160	9,125	90%	6,580	65%	72%	
	JUL	10,511	9,436	90%	6,800	65%	72%	
	AUG	10,669	9,609	90%	6,916	65%	72%	
	SEP	10,668	9,598	90%	6,916	65%	72%	
	ОСТ	10,641	9,559	90%	6,906	65%	72%	
	NOV	10,568	9,530	90%	6,870	65%	72%	
	DEC	10,485	9,442	90%	6,820	65%	72%	
202	24 JAN	11,398	pending		pending		-	
	FEB	11,505	pending	-	pending	-	-	

#### **Mental Health Penetration Rate**

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



#### SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER

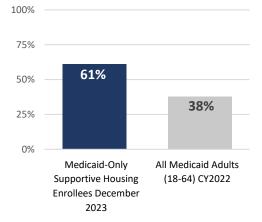
### Substance Use Disorder Treatment Need and Service Use Overlap Summary (for Medicaid-Only Enrollees)

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

		Medicaid-		Substa	ance Use	Disorder	
Pı	evious	Only Enrollees	Treatme Indicated Mor		Services R Last 12	Penetration Rate	
12	Months	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	PERCENT
	MAR	8,993	6,529	73%	3,988	44%	61%
	APR	9,615	6,960	72%	4,224	44%	61%
	MAY	10,052	7,247	72%	4,449	44%	61%
	JUN	10,160	7,316	72%	4,499	44%	61%
	JUL	10,511	7,539	72%	4,633	44%	61%
	AUG	10,669	7,614	71%	4,690	44%	62%
	SEP	10,668	7,629	72%	4,697	44%	62%
	ОСТ	10,641	7,619	72%	4,696	44%	62%
	NOV	10,568	7,570	72%	4,650	44%	61%
	DEC	10,485	7,533	72%	4,617	44%	61%
202	24 JAN	11,398	pending	-	pending	-	-
	FEB	11,505	pending	-	pending	-	-

#### **Substance Use Disorder Penetration Rate**

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







#### Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Notes.

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#### TREATMENT NEED

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

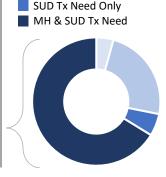
Note: month to month changes are due to participant enrollment mix, not program impact.

Previous		Medicaid- Only Enrollees	No MH or SUD Treatment Need Indicated in Last 24 Months		MH Treatment Need Only Indicated in Last 24 Months				Co-occurring MH and SUD Treatment Need Indicated in Last 24 Months	
12	Months	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
	MAR	8,993	379	4%	2,085	23%	534	6%	5,995	67%
	APR	9,615	443	5%	2,212	23%	570	6%	6,390	66%
	MAY	10,052	478	5%	2,327	23%	560	6%	6,687	67%
	JUN	10,160	475	5%	2,369	23%	560	6%	6,756	66%
	JUL	10,511	488	5%	2,484	24%	587	6%	6,952	66%
	AUG	10,669	482	5%	2,573	24%	578	5%	7,036	66%
	SEP	10,668	485	5%	2,554	24%	585	5%	7,044	66%
	ОСТ	10,641	485	5%	2,537	24%	597	6%	7,022	66%
	NOV	10,568	462	4%	2,536	24%	576	5%	6,994	66%
	DEC	10,485	455	4%	2,497	24%	588	6%	6,945	66%
202	24 JAN	11,398	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-
	FEB	11,505	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-

 In December 2023, 66% of Medicaid-Only SH enrollees have indicated a co-occuring MH and SUD treatment need in the last 24 months.

No Tx Need

MH Tx Need Only



# **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.

		Medicaid- Only Enrollees	Service Use	No MH or SUD rvice Use in Last 12 Months		MH Service Use Only in Last 12 Months		e Use Only ! Months	Both MH and SUD Service Use in Last 12 Months	
12 M	onths	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
	MAR	8,993	2,000	22%	3,005	33%	1,122	12%	2,866	32%
	APR	9,615	2,227	23%	3,164	33%	1,207	13%	3,017	31%
	MAY	10,052	2,338	23%	3,265	32%	1,242	12%	3,207	32%
	JUN	10,160	2,309	23%	3,352	33%	1,271	13%	3,228	32%
	JUL	10,511	2,401	23%	3,477	33%	1,310	12%	3,323	32%
	AUG	10,669	2,422	23%	3,557	33%	1,331	12%	3,359	31%
	SEP	10,668	2,409	23%	3,562	33%	1,343	13%	3,354	31%
	OCT	10,641	2,385	22%	3,560	33%	1,350	13%	3,346	31%
	NOV	10,568	2,351	22%	3,567	34%	1,347	13%	3,303	31%
	DEC	10,485	2,337	22%	3,531	34%	1,328	13%	3,289	31%
2024	JAN	11,398	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-
	FEB	11,505	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-	pending	-

 In December 2023, 31% of Medicaid-Only SH enrollees have received both MH and SUD services in the last 12 months.





- 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.



REFERENCES

