EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Washington State's Foundational Community Supports Programs
SUPPORTIVE HOUSING

March 30, 2022

FCS ENROLLMENT

As of January 2022, 71% of all Foundational Community Supports (FCS) participants were enrolled to receive Supportive Housing (SH) services only or both SH and Supported Employment (SE) services.

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

- **Supportive Housing Only**
- **Both (SH and SE)**
- **Supported Employment Only**

JAN 2022: 51%, 29%, 20%
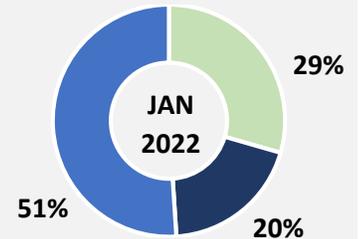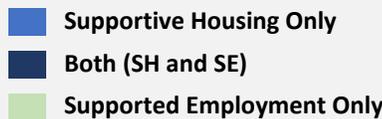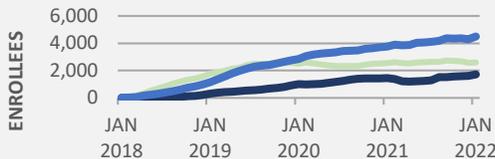
ENROLLMENT LENGTH

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 61% of current SH enrollees.

Initial 6 Months of Enrollment: **39%**
1 Reauthorization (7-12 Months): **22%**
2 Reauthorizations (13-18 Months): **15%**
3 Reauthorizations (19-24 Months): **9%**
4+ Reauthorizations (>24 Months): **15%**

Average Length of SH Enrollment
12.2 Months
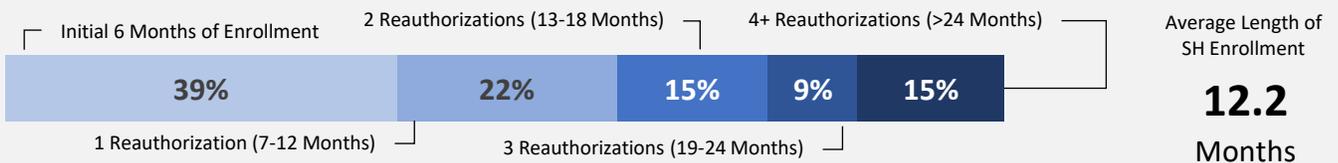
MH/SUD

Penetration Rate

MH: 73% / 50%
SUD: 60% / 40%

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.

- Medicaid-Only SH Enrollees November 2021
- All Medicaid Adults (18-64) CY2020
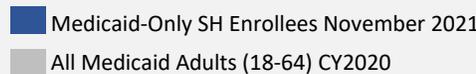
COVID-19 IMPACT

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.

New SH Enrollees by Quarter

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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Washington State's Foundational Community Supports Program
SUPPORTIVE HOUSING

March 30, 2022

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 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	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
FEB	5,270	425	8%	1,864	35%	1,230	23%	920	17%	831	16%	10.0
MAR	5,077	425	8%	1,685	33%	1,208	24%	914	18%	845	17%	10.4
APR	5,092	361	7%	1,675	33%	1,243	24%	888	17%	925	18%	10.7
MAY	5,242	357	7%	1,651	31%	1,338	26%	864	16%	1,032	20%	11.0
JUN	5,316	355	7%	1,636	31%	1,363	26%	879	17%	1,083	20%	11.3
JUL	5,402	351	6%	1,617	30%	1,418	26%	810	15%	1,206	22%	11.6
AUG	5,704	400	7%	1,766	31%	1,417	25%	805	14%	1,316	23%	11.7
SEP	5,895	375	6%	1,779	30%	1,490	25%	864	15%	1,387	24%	11.9
OCT	5,907	397	7%	1,803	31%	1,431	24%	873	15%	1,403	24%	12.0
NOV	5,946	425	7%	1,857	31%	1,352	23%	911	15%	1,401	24%	12.0
DEC	5,916	373	6%	1,940	33%	1,288	22%	899	15%	1,416	24%	12.2
2022 JAN	6,214	470	8%	1,967	32%	1,367	22%	941	15%	1,469	24%	12.2

[1]Only includes participants enrolled in Supportive Housing for the very first time.

[2]Results 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)

Legend:
- Enrolled 13+ Months
- Enrolled 13-18 Months
- Enrolled 7-12 Months
- Enrolled 2-6 Months
- Newly Enrolled
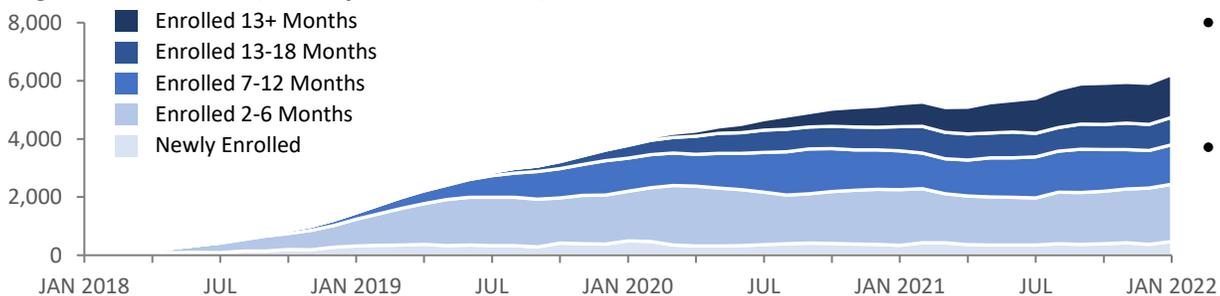
In January 2022…

- 6,214 participants were enrolled in Supportive Housing.

- 470 of these participants were enrolled for the first time in Supportive Housing.

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NOTES

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

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]
FEB	5,270	425	8%	4,845	92%	468	9%
MAR	5,077	425	8%	4,652	92%	771	15%
APR	5,092	361	7%	4,731	93%	465	9%
MAY	5,242	357	7%	4,885	93%	312	6%
JUN	5,316	355	7%	4,961	93%	379	7%
JUL	5,402	351	6%	5,051	94%	365	7%
AUG	5,704	400	7%	5,304	93%	448	8%
SEP	5,895	375	6%	5,520	94%	279	5%
OCT	5,907	397	7%	5,510	93%	506	9%
NOV	5,946	425	7%	5,521	93%	520	9%
DEC	5,916	373	6%	5,543	94%	518	9%
2022 JAN	6,214	470	8%	5,744	92%	537	9%

Legend: Enrollment Dropped, Enrollment Maintained, Newly Enrolled. X-axis: JAN 2018, JAN 2019, JAN 2020, JAN 2021, JAN 2022. Y-axis: 0 to 9,000.
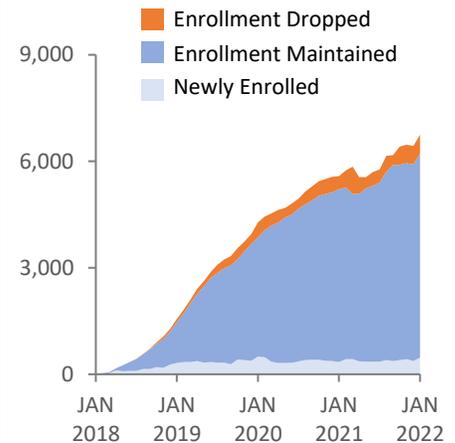
[1] Only includes participants enrolled in Supportive Housing for the very first time.

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

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

[4] Denominator is the current month's Enrollee Total.

[5] Denominator 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 6-12 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
FEB	4,780	1,055	22%	2,797	59%	683	14%	245	5%	8.5
MAR	5,353	1,286	24%	2,993	56%	784	15%	290	5%	8.4
APR	5,735	1,373	24%	3,166	55%	859	15%	337	6%	8.5
MAY	5,990	1,405	23%	3,301	55%	909	15%	375	6%	8.6
JUN	6,296	1,455	23%	3,452	55%	961	15%	428	7%	8.7
JUL	6,602	1,493	23%	3,611	55%	1,037	16%	461	7%	8.8
AUG	6,974	1,537	22%	3,793	54%	1,115	16%	529	8%	8.9
SEP	7,165	1,566	22%	3,868	54%	1,161	16%	570	8%	9.0
OCT	7,593	1,615	21%	4,056	53%	1,264	17%	658	9%	9.2
NOV	8,065	1,665	21%	4,280	53%	1,360	17%	760	9%	9.4
DEC	8,556	1,726	20%	4,511	53%	1,464	17%	855	10%	9.6
2022 JAN	9,093	1,791	20%	4,745	52%	1,578	17%	979	11%	9.8

[6] 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.

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

SUPPORTIVE HOUSING - DEMOGRAPHICS

NOTES

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 January 2022

Male 48%

Non-Hispanic White **66%**
Any Minority **34%**

Female 52%

AGE	
4%	65+
81%	25-64
6%	18-24

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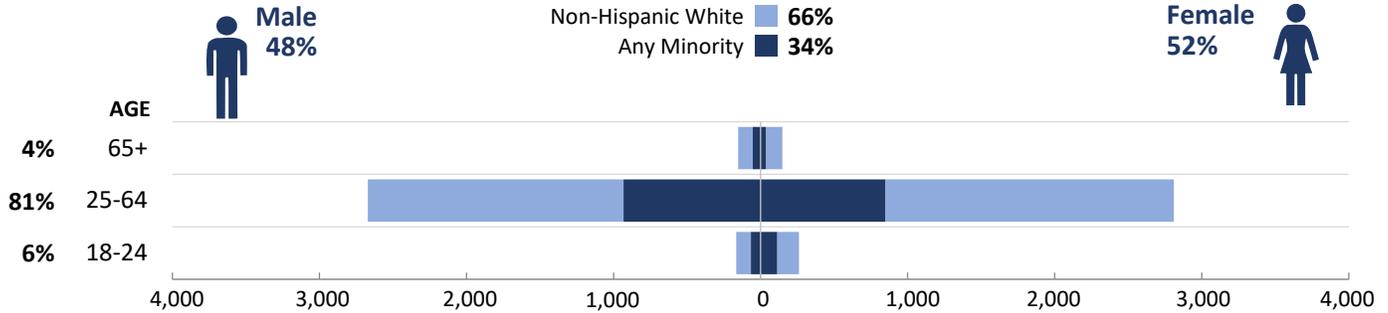
SUPPORTIVE HOUSING - CARE ASSESSMENT

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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
FEB	5,270	58	1%	983	19%
MAR	5,077	58	1%	980	19%
APR	5,092	54	1%	990	19%
MAY	5,242	53	1%	995	19%
JUN	5,316	58	1%	1,005	19%
JUL	5,402	60	1%	1,003	19%
AUG	5,704	59	1%	1,034	18%
SEP	5,895	59	1%	1,059	18%
OCT	5,907	59	1%	1,037	18%
NOV	5,946	58	1%	1,028	17%
DEC	5,916	56	1%	1,036	18%
2022 JAN	6,214	58	1%	1,076	17%

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SUPPORTIVE HOUSING - OTHER PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

For those enrolled in January 2022...

- Enrollees' Medicaid eligibility is predominately obtained through either the ACA expansion adult (Non-Presumptive) program (34%) or the Categorically Needy Blind/Disabled program (33%).
- 17% of the Supportive Housing 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	PERCENT
FEB	5,270	1,725	33%	236	4%	701	13%	1,718	33%	842	16%	48	1%
MAR	5,077	1,687	33%	226	4%	633	12%	1,676	33%	801	16%	54	1%
APR	5,092	1,703	33%	230	5%	631	12%	1,660	33%	813	16%	55	1%
MAY	5,242	1,767	34%	228	4%	639	12%	1,707	33%	843	16%	58	1%
JUN	5,316	1,791	34%	227	4%	650	12%	1,752	33%	835	16%	61	1%
JUL	5,402	1,815	34%	247	5%	658	12%	1,786	33%	837	15%	59	1%
AUG	5,704	1,910	33%	260	5%	709	12%	1,915	34%	854	15%	56	1%
SEP	5,895	1,990	34%	267	5%	730	12%	1,948	33%	903	15%	57	1%
OCT	5,907	2,015	34%	270	5%	739	13%	1,956	33%	871	15%	56	1%
NOV	5,946	2,000	34%	274	5%	749	13%	2,001	34%	863	15%	59	1%
DEC	5,916	1,989	34%	279	5%	740	13%	2,019	34%	827	14%	62	1%
2022 JAN	6,214	2,047	33%	297	5%	767	12%	2,106	34%	925	15%	72	1%

[1]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.

| 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	
	TOTAL	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT
FEB	5,270	1,928	37%	1,388	26%	1,355	26%	93	2%
MAR	5,077	1,856	37%	1,313	26%	1,286	25%	82	2%
APR	5,092	1,895	37%	1,316	26%	1,289	25%	80	2%
MAY	5,242	1,973	38%	1,326	25%	1,292	25%	79	2%
JUN	5,316	1,998	38%	1,348	25%	1,310	25%	80	2%
JUL	5,402	2,009	37%	1,330	25%	1,291	24%	77	1%
AUG	5,704	2,136	37%	1,381	24%	1,339	23%	79	1%
SEP	5,895	2,195	37%	1,400	24%	1,369	23%	63	1%
OCT	5,907	2,167	37%	1,413	24%	1,382	23%	63	1%
NOV	5,946	2,166	36%	1,365	23%	1,335	22%	58	1%
DEC	5,916	2,154	36%	1,343	23%	1,318	22%	60	1%
2022 JAN	6,214	2,257	36%	1,366	22%	1,345	22%	57	1%

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 November 2021, 82% of Supportive Housing enrollees were eligible for Medicaid only.
- MH and SUD source data is only shown through November 2021 when it is more complete.
- See the bottom of page SH6 for Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder references

DUALS 18%

Nov 2021

82% **MEDICAID-ONLY**

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	PERCENT
FEB	4,429	4,144	94%	3,144	71%	76%
MAR	4,265	3,986	93%	3,008	71%	75%
APR	4,275	3,991	93%	2,985	70%	75%
MAY	4,406	4,111	93%	3,067	70%	75%
JUN	4,449	4,149	93%	3,086	69%	74%
JUL	4,510	4,196	93%	3,118	69%	74%
AUG	4,742	4,403	93%	3,273	69%	74%
SEP	4,884	4,532	93%	3,372	69%	74%
OCT	4,887	4,518	92%	3,358	69%	74%
NOV	4,903	4,508	92%	3,271	67%	73%
DEC	4,871	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	-
2022 JAN	5,142	*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.

73% — Medicaid-Only Supportive Housing Enrollees November 2021

50% — All Medicaid Adults (18-64) CY2020
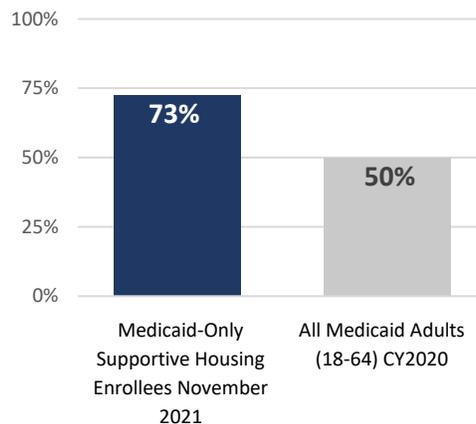
SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER

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	PERCENT
FEB	4,429	3,328	75%	2,027	46%	61%
MAR	4,265	3,181	75%	1,895	44%	60%
APR	4,275	3,171	74%	1,864	44%	59%
MAY	4,406	3,281	74%	1,947	44%	59%
JUN	4,449	3,294	74%	1,961	44%	60%
JUL	4,510	3,333	74%	2,018	45%	61%
AUG	4,742	3,535	75%	2,121	45%	60%
SEP	4,884	3,616	74%	2,147	44%	59%
OCT	4,887	3,627	74%	2,191	45%	60%
NOV	4,903	3,623	74%	2,171	44%	60%
DEC	4,871	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	-
2022 JAN	5,142	*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.
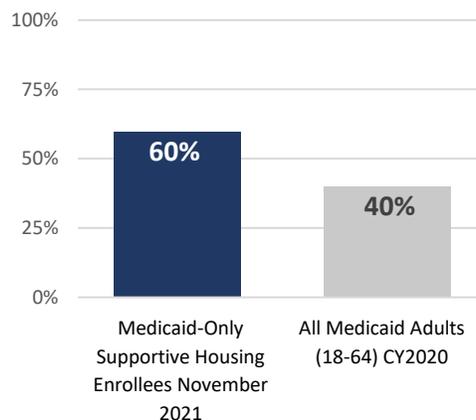
60% — Medicaid-Only Supportive Housing Enrollees November 2021

40% — All Medicaid Adults (18-64) CY2020

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 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
FEB	4,429	108	2%	993	22%	177	4%	3,151	71%
MAR	4,265	106	2%	978	23%	173	4%	3,008	71%
APR	4,275	116	3%	988	23%	168	4%	3,003	70%
MAY	4,406	117	3%	1,008	23%	178	4%	3,103	70%
JUN	4,449	120	3%	1,035	23%	180	4%	3,114	70%
JUL	4,510	130	3%	1,047	23%	184	4%	3,149	70%
AUG	4,742	148	3%	1,059	22%	191	4%	3,344	71%
SEP	4,884	153	3%	1,115	23%	199	4%	3,417	70%
OCT	4,887	155	3%	1,105	23%	214	4%	3,413	70%
NOV	4,903	175	4%	1,105	23%	220	4%	3,403	69%
DEC	4,871	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	*pending*	-
2022 JAN	5,142	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	*pending*	-

- In November 2021, 69% 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
- SUD Tx Need Only
- MH & SUD Tx Need
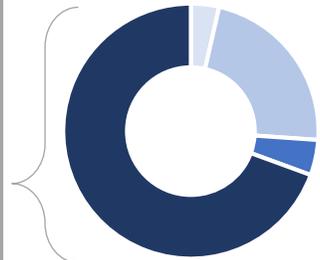
SERVICE USE

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
FEB	4,429	816	18%	1,586	36%	469	11%	1,558	35%
MAR	4,265	819	19%	1,551	36%	438	10%	1,457	34%
APR	4,275	845	20%	1,566	37%	445	10%	1,419	33%
MAY	4,406	861	20%	1,598	36%	478	11%	1,469	33%
JUN	4,449	880	20%	1,608	36%	483	11%	1,478	33%
JUL	4,510	900	20%	1,592	35%	492	11%	1,526	34%
AUG	4,742	957	20%	1,664	35%	512	11%	1,609	34%
SEP	4,884	1,003	21%	1,734	36%	509	10%	1,638	34%
OCT	4,887	985	20%	1,711	35%	544	11%	1,647	34%
NOV	4,903	1,052	21%	1,680	34%	580	12%	1,591	32%
DEC	4,871	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	*pending*	-
2022 JAN	5,142	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	*pending*	-	*pending*	-

- In November 2021, 32% of Medicaid-Only SH 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
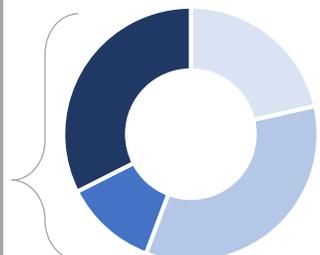
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- **Mental Health Treatment Need Flag.** Indication based on any MH diagnosis, prescription or service recorded in administrative data.
- **Mental Health Services.** Received inpatient or outpatient mental health services in the past 12 months.
- **Substance 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.

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