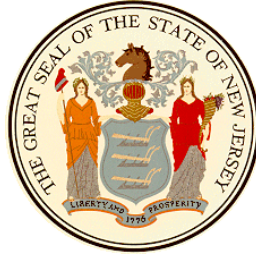


New Jersey Drug and Alcohol Use Treatment

Substance Use Overview 2024 Essex County



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The statewide ***Substance Use Overview*** provides statistics on substance use disorder treatment in New Jersey for calendar year 2024. In 2024, there were 81,217 treatment admissions and 78,797 discharges reported to the New Jersey Department of Human Services, Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services by substance use disorder treatment providers. These data were submitted through the web-based New Jersey Substance Abuse Monitoring System (NJSAMS). This report is based on the information provided in the March 2025 NJSAMS download data.

The Statewide Overview includes:

- State Totals for Substance Use Treatment Admissions
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- Estimate of Treatment Need for Alcohol and Drug Addiction

Reports for individual counties can be found by clicking on the county names.

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CY2024 Substance Use Treatment Admissions Substance Abuse Monitoring System (NJ-SAMS)

Essex County Residents

New Jersey

Primary Drug

Alcohol	2,487	31%
Heroin	3,349	42%
Other Opiates	575	7%
Cocaine	650	8%
Marijuana/Synthetic cannabinoids	653	8%
Methamphetamines/Other Stimulants	89	1%
Other Drugs	207	3%

Intravenous Drug Users

726 9%

Level of Care

Outpatient Care (OP)	1,717	21%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	1,502	19%
Partial Hospitalization	58	1%
Opioid Maintenance OP	1,149	14%
Opioid Maintenance IOP	217	3%
Extended Care	1	0%
Halfway House	269	3%
Long-Term Residential	666	8%
Short-Term Residential	1,159	14%
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%
Detox Residential	1,243	15%
Detox Hospital	5	0%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	28	0%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	2	0%
Early Intervention	10	0%
Interim Services	1	0%

Medication Assisted Therapy Planned in Treatment

Methadone	1,946	24%	Buprenorphine	642	8%
Vivitrol	97	1%	Psychotropic	846	11%

Sex

Male	5,271	66%	Female	2,745	34%
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Race/Ethnicity

White (non-Hispanic)	1,592	20%
Black (non-Hispanic)	5,010	62%
Hispanic Origin	1,352	17%
Other	73	1%

Primary Language

English	7,682	96%	Spanish	320	4%
Other	25	0%			

Age

Under 18	42	1%	30-34	942	12%
18-21	106	1%	35-44	1,890	24%
22-24	241	3%	45-54	1,931	24%
25-29	640	8%	55 and over	2,235	28%

Marital Status

Single/Divorced	6,925	86%	Widowed	163	2%
Married/Civil Union	619	8%	Separated	254	3%

Pregnant Women (Yes)**

33 0%

Veteran (Yes)**

89 1%

Referral Source

Self-referral	4,889	61%
Family/Friend	125	2%
Addiction Services Program	629	8%
Welfare/Social Service Agency	13	0%
Child Protection Substance Abuse Initiative	65	1%
Mental Health	15	0%
Corrections Related Programs	1,342	17%
Intoxicated Drivers Resource Center	206	3%
Reach NJ	91	1%
Other	726	9%

Employment Status

Unemployed	1,855	23%
Student	59	1%
Not in Labor Force	4,961	62%
Employed Full/Part Time	1,139	14%

Living Arrangement

Homeless	2,260	28%
Dependent Living/Supervised Living	1,307	16%
Independent Living	4,448	55%

Highest School Grade Completed

Completed High School	4,867	61%
Some College	1,219	15%

Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**

4,982 62%

Gambling Problem

166 2%

Legal Problem*

None	5,375	67%
Case Pending	492	6%
Probation/Parole	1,341	17%
Driving Under the Influence	230	3%
Recovery Court	331	4%
Child Protection/Family Court	138	2%
Other	204	3%

Special Population*

Child Protection/Child Welfare Program	161	2%
Driving Under the Influence	420	5%
Developmental Disability	18	0%
Blind and Visually Impaired	23	0%
Deaf and Hard of Hearing	19	0%

Health Insurance*

No Insurance	928	12%
Medicaid	6,812	85%
Medicare	210	3%
Private Insurance	465	6%
Other Insurance	426	5%

Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)

Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	584	7%
Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	544	7%

Arrest in the Last 30 Days (Yes)

145 2%

Federal Poverty Level (0-133%)**

7,347 95%

Treated in County of Residence

5,189 65%

Treated in County of Residence

Atlantic	312	4%	Middlesex	238	3%
Bergen	61	1%	Monmouth	411	5%
Burlington	57	1%	Morris	65	1%
Camden	11	0%	Ocean	7	0%
Cape May	0	0%	Passaic	543	7%
Cumberland	83	1%	Salem	0	0%
Essex	5,189	65%	Somerset	0	0%
Gloucester	23	0%	Sussex	11	0%
Hudson	342	4%	Union	612	8%
Hunterdon	45	1%	Warren	4	0%
Mercer	10	0%	Other	3	0%

Fee For Service Admissions

1,253 16%

Fee For Service Unique Clients

841 18%

Number of Admissions for Unique Clients

1 Admission	2,761	58%	2 Admissions	915	19%
3+ Admissions	1,054	22%			

*Totals may be greater than 100% because of multiple responses.

Unduplicated Clients Admitted = 4,730

***Percentage calculation exluded missing values.*

Total Admissions = 8,027

CY2024 Substance Use Treatment Admissions Treatment Site in Essex County New Jersey Substance Abuse Monitoring System (NJ-SAMS)

Primary Drug						Employment Status					
Alcohol	2,261	28%				Unemployed	1,682	21%			
Heroin	3,637	45%				Student	81	1%			
Other Opiates	515	6%				Not in Labor Force	5,439	67%			
Cocaine/Crack	722	9%				Employed Full/Part Time	950	12%			
Marijuana/Synthetic cannabinoids	704	9%									
Methamphetamines/other Stimulants	122	1%									
Other Drugs	188	2%									
Intravenous Drug Users						1,017	12%				
Level of Care						Living Arrangement					
Outpatient Care (OP)	1,879	23%				Homeless	2,450	30%			
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	1,467	18%				Dependent Living/Supervised Living	1,494	18%			
Partial Hospitalization	14	0%				Independent Living	4,208	52%			
Opioid Maintenance OP	1,216	15%									
Opioid Maintenance IOP	256	3%									
Extended Care	0	0%									
Halfway House	317	4%									
Long-Term Residential	756	9%									
Short-Term Residential	1,194	15%									
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%									
Detox Residential	1,010	12%									
Detox Hospital	0	0%									
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	30	0%									
Detox Outpatient Methadone	2	0%									
Early Intervention	15	0%									
Interim Services	0	0%									
Medication Assisted Therapy Planned in Treatment						Highest School Grade Completed					
Methadone	2,194	27%	Buprenorphine	671	8%	Completed High School	4,804	59%			
Vivitrol	74	1%	Psychotropic	740	9%	Some College	1,142	14%			
Sex						Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**					
Male	5,520	68%	Female	2,631	32%		5,337	65%			
Race/Ethnicity						Gambling Problem					
White (non-Hispanic)	1,854	23%					163	2%			
Black (non-Hispanic)	4,567	56%				Legal Problem*					
Hispanic Origin	1,662	20%				None	5,183	64%			
Other	73	1%				Case Pending	482	6%			
Primary Language						Probation/Parole	1,495	18%			
English	7,658	94%	Spanish	473	6%	Driving Under the Influence	253	3%			
Other	25	0%				Recovery Court	591	7%			
Age						Child Protection/Family Court	146	2%			
Under 18	72	1%	30-34	1,021	13%	Other	154	2%			
18-21	99	1%	35-44	2,016	25%	Special Population*					
22-24	195	2%	45-54	1,970	24%	Child Protection/Child Welfare Program	168	2%			
25-29	652	8%	55 and over	2,131	26%	Driving Under the Influence	397	5%			
Marital Status						Developmental Disability	23	0%			
Single/Divorced	7,204	88%	Widowed	136	2%	Blind and Visually Impaired	23	0%			
Married/Civil Union	522	6%	Separated	228	3%	Deaf and Hard of Hearing	20	0%			
Pregnant Women (Yes)**						Health Insurance*					
	43	1%				No Insurance	808	10%			
Veteran (Yes)**						Medicaid	7,272	89%			
	76	1%				Medicare	208	3%			
Referral Source						Private Insurance	195	2%			
Self-referral	4,881	60%				Other Insurance	554	7%			
Family/Friend	92	1%				Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)					
Addiction Services Program	540	7%				Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	430	5%			
Welfare/Social Service Agency	25	0%				Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	393	5%			
Child Protection Substance Abuse Initiative	74	1%				Arrest in the Last 30 Days (Yes)					
Mental Health	17	0%					192	2%			
Corrections Related Programs	1,622	20%				Federal Poverty Level (0-133%)**					
Intoxicated Drivers Resource Center	219	3%					7,770	96%			
Reach NJ	49	1%				Treated in County of Residence					
Other	678	8%					5,189	64%			
						County of Residence					
						Atlantic	102	1%	Middlesex	202	2%
						Bergen	174	2%	Monmouth	85	1%
						Burlington	47	1%	Morris	107	1%
						Camden	131	2%	Ocean	131	2%
						Cape May	64	1%	Passaic	489	6%
						Cumberland	20	0%	Salem	12	0%
						Essex	5,189	64%	Somerset	55	1%
						Gloucester	30	0%	Sussex	24	0%
						Hudson	470	6%	Union	620	8%
						Hunterdon	9	0%	Warren	26	0%
						Mercer	166	2%	Other	3	0%
						Fee For Service Admissions					
							1,493	18%			
						Fee For Service Unique Clients					
							832	16%			
						Number of Admissions for Unique Clients					
						1 Admission	2,558	49%	2 Admissions	982	19%
						3+ Admissions	1,656	32%			

*Totals may be greater than 100% because of multiple responses.

Unduplicated Clients Admitted = 5,196

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Total Admissions = 8,156

Substance Use Admissions by Municipality and Primary Drug 2024 NJ Resident Admissions

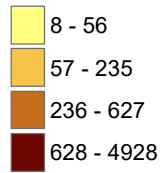
ESSEX	PRIMARY DRUG														TOTAL	
	Alcohol		Cocaine/ Crack		Heroin		Other Opiates		Marijuana/ Hashish		Methamphet amines		Other Drugs& Unknown			
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
BELLEVILLE TWP	92	4	21	3	67	2	16	3	21	3	1	2	0	0	218	3
BLOOMFIELD TWP	149	6	60	9	140	4	29	5	33	5	12	22	15	6	438	5
CALDWELL BORO TWP	26	1	3	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	0
CEDAR GROVE TWP	18	1	2	0	17	1	3	1	0	0	1	2	4	2	45	1
CITY OF ORANGE TWP	95	4	18	3	65	2	22	4	19	3	2	4	14	5	235	3
EAST ORANGE CITY	177	7	39	6	264	8	56	10	71	11	7	13	13	5	627	8
ESSEX FELS TWP	7	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	17	0
FAIRFIELD TWP	16	1	1	0	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	32	0
GLEN RIDGE BORO TWP	4	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0
IRVINGTON TWP	153	6	41	6	211	6	41	7	30	5	1	2	21	8	498	6
LIVINGSTON TWP	5	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	12	0
MAPLEWOOD TWP	30	1	3	0	4	0	3	1	12	2	0	0	4	2	56	1
MILLBURN TWP	5	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	9	0
MONTCLAIR TWP	84	3	25	4	53	2	13	2	19	3	0	0	2	1	196	2
NEWARK CITY	1356	55	378	58	2253	67	360	63	408	62	29	53	144	56	4928	61
NORTH CALDWELL BORO	13	1	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	19	0
NUTLEY TWP	55	2	8	1	48	1	5	1	3	0	0	0	9	4	128	2
ROSELAND BORO	6	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	0
SOUTH ORANGE VILLAGE TWP	15	1	7	1	9	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	36	0
UNKNOWN	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
VERONA TWP	15	1	2	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	4	2	27	0
WEST CALDWELL TWP	10	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	14	0
WEST ORANGE TWP	56	2	7	1	22	1	9	2	9	1	0	0	6	2	109	1
NOT Stated	99	4	34	5	150	4	13	2	13	2	1	2	15	6	325	4
Total	2487	100	653	100	3349	100	575	100	653	100	55	100	255	100	8027	100

Substance Use Admissions by Primary Drug within Municipality 2024 NJ Resident Admissions

ESSEX	PRIMARY DRUG														TOTAL	
	Alcohol		Cocaine/ Crack		Heroin		Other Opiates		Marijuana/ Hashish		Methamphet amines		Other Drugs& Unknown			
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
BELLEVILLE TWP	92	42	21	10	67	31	16	7	21	10	1	0	0	0	218	100
BLOOMFIELD TWP	149	34	60	14	140	32	29	7	33	8	12	3	15	3	438	100
CALDWELL BORO TWP	26	68	3	8	9	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	100
CEDAR GROVE TWP	18	40	2	4	17	38	3	7	0	0	1	2	4	9	45	100
CITY OF ORANGE TWP	95	40	18	8	65	28	22	9	19	8	2	1	14	6	235	100
EAST ORANGE CITY	177	28	39	6	264	42	56	9	71	11	7	1	13	2	627	100
ESSEX FELS TWP	7	41	1	6	6	35	0	0	2	12	1	6	0	0	17	100
FAIRFIELD TWP	16	50	1	3	13	41	1	3	0	0	0	0	1	3	32	100
GLEN RIDGE BORO TWP	4	50	0	0	4	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	100
IRVINGTON TWP	153	31	41	8	211	42	41	8	30	6	1	0	21	4	498	100
LIVINGSTON TWP	5	42	2	17	2	17	0	0	1	8	0	0	2	17	12	100
MAPLEWOOD TWP	30	54	3	5	4	7	3	5	12	21	0	0	4	7	56	100
MILLBURN TWP	5	56	1	11	1	11	0	0	1	11	0	0	1	11	9	100
MONTCLAIR TWP	84	43	25	13	53	27	13	7	19	10	0	0	2	1	196	100
NEWARK CITY	1356	28	378	8	2253	46	360	7	408	8	29	1	144	3	4928	100
NORTH CALDWELL BORO	13	68	0	0	3	16	2	11	1	5	0	0	0	0	19	100
NUTLEY TWP	55	43	8	6	48	38	5	4	3	2	0	0	9	7	128	100
ROSELAND BORO	6	55	0	0	3	27	1	9	1	9	0	0	0	0	11	100
SOUTH ORANGE VILLAGE TWP	15	42	7	19	9	25	0	0	5	14	0	0	0	0	36	100
UNKNOWN	1	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100
VERONA TWP	15	56	2	7	3	11	0	0	3	11	0	0	4	15	27	100
WEST CALDWELL TWP	10	71	0	0	2	14	1	7	1	7	0	0	0	0	14	100
WEST ORANGE TWP	56	51	7	6	22	20	9	8	9	8	0	0	6	6	109	100
NOT Stated	99	30	34	10	150	46	13	4	13	4	1	0	15	5	325	100
Total	2487	31	653	8	3349	42	575	7	653	8	55	1	255	3	8027	100

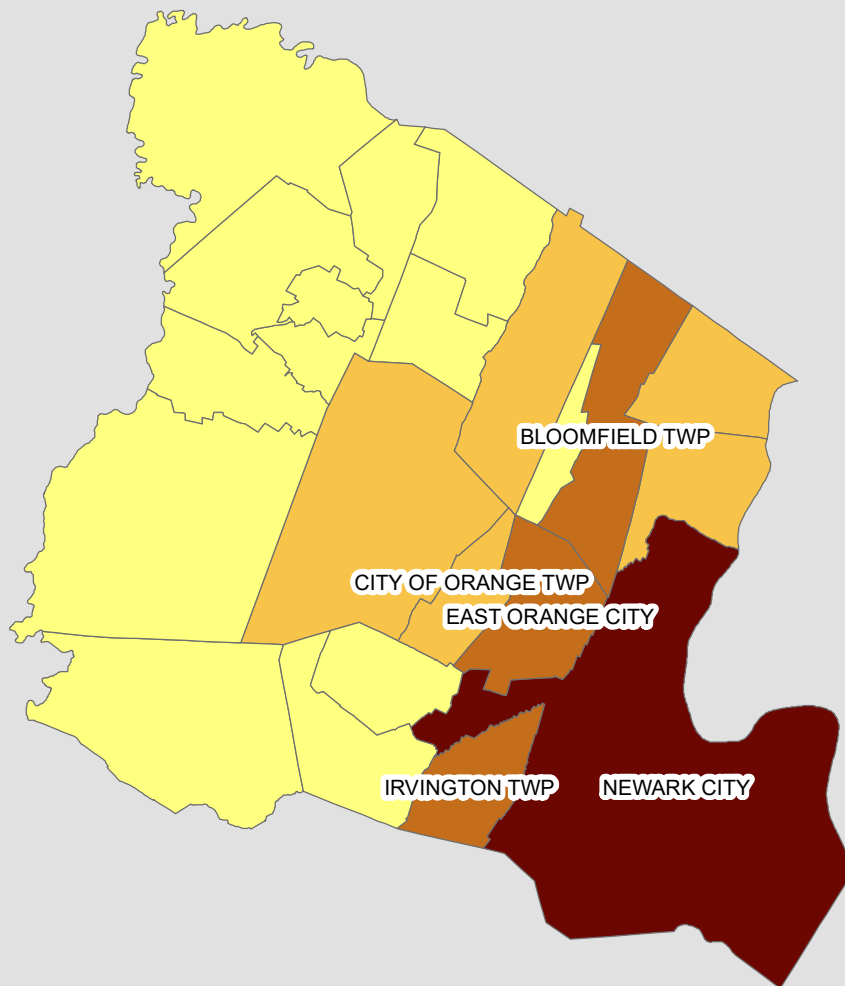
2024 Essex County Substance Use Admissions by Municipality of Residence

Admission Counts



Top Five Municipalities

1	Newark City	4928
2	East Orange City	627
3	Irvington Township	498
4	Bloomfield Township	438
5	City of Orange Township	235



Admissions by Municipality of Residence, Age Group and Primary Drug 2024 NJ Resident Admissions

ESSEX	ALCOHOL						DRUGS						TOTAL					
	18 & Over		Under 18		Total		18 & Over		Under 18		Total		18 & Over		Under 18		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
BELLEVILLE TWP	92	100	0	0	92	100	118	94	8	6	126	100	210	96	8	4	218	100
BLOOMFIELD TWP	149	100	0	0	149	100	272	94	16	6	288	100	421	96	16	4	437	100
CALDWELL BORO TWP	26	100	0	0	26	100	12	100	0	0	12	100	38	100	0	0	38	100
CEDAR GROVE TWP	18	100	0	0	18	100	27	100	0	0	27	100	45	100	0	0	45	100
CITY OF ORANGE TWP	95	100	0	0	95	100	139	99	1	1	140	100	234	100	1	0	235	100
EAST ORANGE CITY	177	100	0	0	177	100	450	100	0	0	450	100	627	100	0	0	627	100
ESSEX FELS TWP	7	100	0	0	7	100	8	80	2	20	10	100	15	88	2	12	17	100
FAIRFIELD TWP	16	100	0	0	16	100	15	100	0	0	15	100	31	100	0	0	31	100
GLEN RIDGE BORO TWP	4	100	0	0	4	100	4	100	0	0	4	100	8	100	0	0	8	100
IRVINGTON TWP	153	100	0	0	153	100	343	100	0	0	343	100	496	100	0	0	496	100
LIVINGSTON TWP	5	100	0	0	5	100	6	86	1	14	7	100	11	92	1	8	12	100
MAPLEWOOD TWP	30	100	0	0	30	100	24	96	1	4	25	100	54	98	1	2	55	100
MILLBURN TWP	5	100	0	0	5	100	4	100	0	0	4	100	9	100	0	0	9	100
MONTCLAIR TWP	84	100	0	0	84	100	106	95	6	5	112	100	190	97	6	3	196	100
NEWARK CITY	1355	100	1	0	1356	100	3560	100	3	0	3563	100	4915	100	4	0	4919	100
NORTH CALDWELL BORO	13	100	0	0	13	100	6	100	0	0	6	100	19	100	0	0	19	100
NUTLEY TWP	55	100	0	0	55	100	72	99	1	1	73	100	127	99	1	1	128	100
ROSELAND BORO	6	100	0	0	6	100	5	100	0	0	5	100	11	100	0	0	11	100
SOUTH ORANGE VILLAGE TWP	15	100	0	0	15	100	21	100	0	0	21	100	36	100	0	0	36	100
UNKNOWN	1	100	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	1	100
VERONA TWP	15	100	0	0	15	100	11	100	0	0	11	100	26	100	0	0	26	100
WEST CALDWELL TWP	10	100	0	0	10	100	4	100	0	0	4	100	14	100	0	0	14	100
WEST ORANGE TWP	56	100	0	0	56	100	50	96	2	4	52	100	106	98	2	2	108	100
NOT Stated	99	100	0	0	99	100	225	100	0	0	225	100	324	100	0	0	324	100
Total	2486	100	1	0	2487	100	5482	99	41	1	5523	100	7968	99	42	1	8010	100

* Missing primary drug or age admissions are not included.

Admissions by Age Group, Gender and Primary Drug 2024 NJ Resident Admissions

Essex		Gender				Total	
		Female		Male			
		N	%	N	%	N	%
0-17	Alcohol	1	100			1	100
	Marijuana/Hashish	12	29	29	71	41	100
	Total	13	31	29	69	42	100
18-24	Alcohol	25	25	75	75	100	100
	Heroin	12	33	24	67	36	100
	Other Opiates	10	17	48	83	58	100
	Marijuana/Hashish	29	27	80	73	109	100
	Methamphetamines			4	100	4	100
	Other Drugs& Unknown	17	44	22	56	39	100
	Total	93	27	253	73	346	100
25-59	Alcohol	701	33	1417	67	2118	100
	Heroin	988	38	1603	62	2591	100
	Other Opiates	153	31	345	69	498	100
	Marijuana/Hashish	114	23	378	77	492	100
	Methamphetamines	16	32	34	68	50	100
	Other Drugs& Unknown	290	39	452	61	742	100
	Total	2262	35	4229	65	6491	100
60&Over	Alcohol	71	27	190	73	261	100
	Heroin	257	36	463	64	720	100
	Other Opiates	11	61	7	39	18	100
	Marijuana/Hashish	1	10	9	90	10	100
	Methamphetamines			1	100	1	100
	Other Drugs& Unknown	37	29	90	71	127	100
	Total	377	33	760	67	1137	100
Total	Alcohol	798	32	1682	68	2480	100
	Heroin	1257	38	2090	62	3347	100
	Other Opiates	174	30	400	70	574	100
	Marijuana/Hashish	156	24	496	76	652	100
	Methamphetamines	16	29	39	71	55	100
	Other Drugs& Unknown	344	38	564	62	908	100
	Total	2745	34	5271	66	8016	100

Note: Unknown age or gender admissions are not included.

CY2024 Substance Use Treatment Discharges Essex County Resident

Level of Care

Outpatient Care (OP)	1,597	21%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	1,437	19%
Partial Hospitalization	65	1%
Opioid Maintenance OP	991	13%
Opioid Maintenance IOP	236	3%
Extended Care	1	0%
Halfway House	273	4%
Long-Term Residential	602	8%
Short-Term Residential	1,143	15%
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%
Detox Residential	1,246	16%
Detox Hospital	5	0%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	31	0%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	1	0%
Non-Traditional Program	0	0%
Early Intervention	8	0%
Interim Services	1	0%

Medication Prescribed to Treat Substance Use

Methadone	1,703	22%
Buprenorphine	612	8%
Vivitrol	94	1%
Psychotropic	646	8%

Sex

Male	5,028	66%
Female	2,598	34%

Age

Under 18	47	1%
18-21	87	1%
22-24	221	3%
25-29	599	8%
30-34	908	12%
35-44	1,802	24%
45-54	1,791	23%
55 and over	2,182	29%

Race/Ethnicity

White	1,513	20%
Black	4,760	62%
Hispanic	1,300	17%
Other	64	1%

Drug and Alcohol Use

Not Using Alcohol or Drugs	4,607	60%
Using Alcohol	338	4%
Using Drugs	1,408	18%
Unknown	1,265	17%

Mental Illness/Co-Occurring Disorder

4,504 59%

Arrest in the Last 30 days (Yes)

132 2%

Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**

3,583 48%

Living Arrangement

Homeless	1,622	21%
Dependent Living/Institution	1,114	15%
Independent Living	4,737	62%

Employment Status

Unemployed	1,735	23%
Student	66	1%
Not in Labor Force	4,161	54%
Employed Full/Part Time	1,511	20%

Reasons for Discharge or Treatment Not Completed

Completed at This Level of Care	3,627	47%
Quit or Dropped Out	2,427	32%
Needs Different Level of Care	506	7%
Administrative Discharge	362	5%
Medical Discharge	106	1%
Deceased	34	0%
NJSAMS System Discharge	281	4%
Other	294	4%

Continuing Care

No Continuing Care Needed	1,171	15%
Refused or Unable to Continue	991	13%
Continue Care	2,595	34%
Not Assessed	2,880	38%

Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)

Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	2,426	32%
Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	2,111	28%

Client Goal Achieved *

Alcohol or Drug Problem	3,273	48%
Educational	891	42%
Employment or Vocational	1,105	36%
Legal	975	39%
Family Situation/Social	1,321	41%
Psychological or Mental Health	1,454	43%
Physical Health	1,354	49%
Gambling	451	41%
Tobacco	519	22%
Financial	881	32%
Housing	1,265	42%

County Where Patient Was Treated

Atlantic	302	4%	Middlesex	230	3%
Bergen	59	1%	Monmouth	404	5%
Burlington	61	1%	Morris	62	1%
Camden	12	0%	Ocean	6	0%
Cape May	0	0%	Passaic	529	7%
Cumberland	78	1%	Salem	0	0%
Essex	5,009	66%	Somerset	0	0%
Gloucester	19	0%	Sussex	13	0%
Hudson	334	4%	Union	460	6%
Hunterdon	45	1%	Warren	2	0%
Mercer	9	0%	Other	3	0%

Total Discharges = 7,637
Unduplicated Clients Discharged = 4,535

* Totals may be greater than 100% because of multiple responses. Percentage for goal achievement based on total clients for whom goal was applicable.

**Percentage calculation excluded missing values.

CY2024 Substance Use Treatment Discharges

Essex County Treatment Sites

Level of Care			Living Arrangement		
Outpatient Care (OP)	1,732	22%	Homeless	2,083	27%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	1,431	18%	Dependent Living/Institution	990	13%
Partial Hospitalization	15	0%	Independent Living	4,596	59%
Opioid Maintenance OP	1,141	15%	Employment Status		
Opioid Maintenance IOP	286	4%	Unemployed	1,842	24%
Extended Care	0	0%	Student	91	1%
Halfway House	321	4%	Not in Labor Force	4,165	53%
Long-Term Residential	675	9%	Employed Full/Part Time	1,571	20%
Short-Term Residential	1,169	15%	Reasons for Discharge or Treatment Not Completed		
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%	Completed at This Level of Care	3,621	46%
Detox Residential	1,005	13%	Quit or Dropped Out	2,665	34%
Detox Hospital	0	0%	Needs Different Level of Care	504	6%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	33	0%	Administrative Discharge	324	4%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	1	0%	Medical Discharge	85	1%
Non-Traditional Program	0	0%	Deceased	34	0%
Early Intervention	14	0%	NJSAMS System Discharge	285	4%
Interim Services	0	0%	Other	305	4%
Medication Prescribed to Treat Substance Use			Continuing Care		
Methadone	2,009	26%	No Continuing Care Needed	1,230	16%
Buprenorphine	677	9%	Refused or Unable to Continue	813	10%
Vivitrol	65	1%	Continue Care	2,640	34%
Psychotropic	719	9%	Not Assessed	3,140	40%
Sex			Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)		
Male	5,300	68%	Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	2,620	33%
Female	2,520	32%	Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	2,058	26%
Age			Client Goal Achieved *		
Under 18	75	1%	Alcohol or Drug Problem	3,496	49%
18-21	78	1%	Educational	801	37%
22-24	178	2%	Employment or Vocational	1,029	33%
25-29	591	8%	Legal	898	36%
30-34	967	12%	Family Situation/Social	1,396	42%
35-44	1,933	25%	Psychological or Mental Health	1,556	44%
45-54	1,865	24%	Physical Health	1,553	52%
55 and over	2,136	27%	Gambling	270	30%
Race/Ethnicity			Tobacco	322	14%
White	1,741	22%	Financial	833	30%
Black	4,437	57%	Housing	1,239	40%
Hispanic	1,579	20%	County of Residence		
Other	65	1%	Atlantic	93	1%
Drug and Alcohol Use			Bergen	157	2%
Not Using Alcohol or Drugs	4,654	59%	Burlington	43	1%
Using Alcohol	330	4%	Camden	123	2%
Using Drugs	1,538	20%	Cape May	49	1%
Unknown	1,290	16%	Cumberland	18	0%
Mental Illness/Co-Occurring Disorder			Essex	5,009	64%
	4,547	58%	Gloucester	33	0%
Arrest in the Last 30 days (Yes)			Hudson	438	6%
	126	2%	Hunterdon	11	0%
Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**			Mercer	160	2%
	4,028	53%	Middlesex	185	2%
			Monmouth	95	1%
			Morris	99	1%
			Ocean	126	2%
			Passaic	463	6%
			Salem	14	0%
			Somerset	49	1%
			Sussex	21	0%
			Union	605	8%
			Warren	28	0%
			Other	4	0%

Total Discharges = 7,823
Unduplicated Clients Discharged = 5,047

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**Percentage calculation excluded missing values.