

# **New Jersey Drug and Alcohol Use Treatment**

## **Substance Use Overview 2024 Mercer County**



**Department of Human Services  
Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services  
Office of Planning, Research, Evaluation, Prevention and Olmstead  
Trenton, New Jersey**

**January 2026**



## State of New Jersey

Phil Murphy  
*Governor*

Tahesha L. Way  
*Lt. Governor*

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES  
DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH AND ADDICTION SERVICES  
PO Box 362  
TRENTON, NJ 08625

Sarah Adelman  
*Commissioner*

VALERIE L. MIELKE  
Deputy Commissioner of  
Health Services

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
- Substance Use Treatment Trend Charts for Admission, Primary Drug, Level of Care and Age Group
- Substance Use Admissions by County and Primary Drug
- Substance Use Admissions by Primary Drug within County
- Substance Use Admission Rates by County and Primary Drug
- Map for Number of Substance Use Admissions by County of Residence
- First Time Clients by County of Residence and Primary Drug
- Admissions by Age Group, Gender, and Primary Drug
- State Totals for Substance Use Treatment Discharges
- Length of Stay by Level of Care
- Waiting Time to Treatment Admission
- Reasons for Waiting Time over 3 Days to Treatment Admission
- Time to First Readmission
- Detox Continuing Care Status at Discharge
- Detox Continuing Care within 90 days by Level of Care
- Substance Use Treatment Demand Estimate
- Estimate of Treatment Need for Alcohol and Drug Addiction

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

If you have any questions about this report, you may contact us by email at:  
[Suzanne.Borys@dhs.nj.gov](mailto:Suzanne.Borys@dhs.nj.gov), [Limei.Zhu@dhs.nj.gov](mailto:Limei.Zhu@dhs.nj.gov)

Sincerely,

*Suzanne Borys*

Suzanne Borys, Ed. D., Assistant Division Director  
Office of Planning, Research, Evaluation, Prevention and Olmstead

**CY2024 Substance Use Treatment Admissions    Mercer County Residents    New Jersey**  
**Substance Abuse Monitoring System (NJ-SAMS)**

<b>Primary Drug</b>		<b>Employment Status</b>	
Alcohol	1,330	Unemployed	960 26%
Heroin	1,290	Student	20 1%
Other Opiates	345	Not in Labor Force	2,085 56%
Cocaine	418	Employed Full/Part Time	688 18%
Marijuana/Synthetic cannabinoids	217		
Methamphetamines/Other Stimulants	70		
Other Drugs	84		
<b>Intravenous Drug Users</b>	658	<b>Living Arrangement</b>	
	18%	Homeless	785 21%
		Dependent Living/Supervised Living	710 19%
		Independent Living	2,258 60%
<b>Level of Care</b>		<b>Highest School Grade Completed</b>	
Outpatient Care (OP)	551	Completed High School	2,492 66%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	721	Some College	528 14%
Partial Hospitalization	35		
Opioid Maintenance OP	658	<b>Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**</b>	2,081 55%
Opioid Maintenance IOP	136		
Extended Care	0	<b>Gambling Problem</b>	50 1%
Halfway House	207		
Long-Term Residential	264	<b>Legal Problem*</b>	
Short-Term Residential	521	None	2,255 60%
Hospital Based Residential	0	Case Pending	284 8%
Detox Residential	613	Probation/Parole	672 18%
Detox Hospital	2	Driving Under the Influence	193 5%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	46	Recovery Court	353 9%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	0	Child Protection/Family Court	80 2%
Early Intervention	2	Other	85 2%
Interim Services	0		
<b>Medication Assisted Therapy Planned in Treatment</b>		<b>Special Population*</b>	
Methadone	811	Child Protection/Child Welfare Program	96 3%
Vivitrol	43	Driving Under the Influence	321 9%
	22%	Developmental Disability	13 0%
	1%	Blind and Visually Impaired	20 1%
		Deaf and Hard of Hearing	7 0%
<b>Sex</b>		<b>Health Insurance*</b>	
Male	2,785	No Insurance	642 17%
	74%	Medicaid	2,931 78%
		Medicare	103 3%
		Private Insurance	353 9%
		Other Insurance	61 2%
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>		<b>Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)</b>	
White (non-Hispanic)	1,545	Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	270 7%
Black (non-Hispanic)	1,576	Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	270 7%
Hispanic Origin	594		
Other	41		
<b>Primary Language</b>		<b>Arrest in the Last 30 Days (Yes)</b>	
English	3,590		142 4%
Other	17		
	96%		
	0%	<b>Federal Poverty Level (0-133%)**</b>	3,368 95%
		<b>Treated in County of Residence</b>	2,124 57%
<b>Age</b>		<b>Treated in County of Residence</b>	
Under 18	9	Atlantic	333 9%
18-21	56	Bergen	3 0%
22-24	176	Burlington	144 4%
25-29	346	Camden	31 1%
	0%	Cape May	0 0%
	1%	Cumberland	81 2%
	5%	Essex	166 4%
	9%	Gloucester	105 3%
		Hudson	49 1%
		Hunterdon	24 1%
		Mercer	2,124 57%
		Middlesex	108 3%
		Monmouth	412 11%
		Morris	3 0%
		Ocean	11 0%
		Passaic	155 4%
		Salem	0 0%
		Somerset	2 0%
		Sussex	1 0%
		Union	3 0%
		Warren	1 0%
		Other	0 0%
<b>Marital Status</b>		<b>Fee For Service Admissions</b>	927 25%
Single/Divorced	3,196	<b>Fee For Service Unique Clients</b>	588 28%
Married/Civil Union	298		
	85%	<b>Number of Admissions for Unique Clients</b>	
	8%	1 Admission	1,080 52%
		2 Admissions	424 20%
		3+ Admissions	588 28%
<b>Pregnant Women (Yes)**</b>	39		
<b>Veteran (Yes)**</b>	60		
<b>Referral Source</b>			
Self-referral	2,251		
Family/Friend	70		
Addiction Services Program	183		
Welfare/Social Service Agency	11		
Child Protection Substance Abuse Initiative	54		
Mental Health	6		
Corrections Related Programs	754		
Intoxicated Drivers Resource Center	156		
Reach NJ	73		
Other	263		

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

**Unduplicated Clients Admitted = 2,092**

*\*\*Percentage calculation excluded missing values.*

**Total Admissions = 3,756**

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

<b>Primary Drug</b>			<b>Employment Status</b>		
Alcohol	691	27%	Unemployed	819	32%
Heroin	923	37%	Student	16	1%
Other Opiates	280	11%	Not in Labor Force	1,086	43%
Cocaine/Crack	314	12%	Employed Full/Part Time	602	24%
Marijuana/Synthetic cannabinoids	207	8%			
Methamphetamines/other Stimulants	64	3%			
Other Drugs	44	2%			
<b>Intravenous Drug Users</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>22%</b>	<b>Living Arrangement</b>		
			Homeless	255	10%
			Dependent Living/Supervised Living	536	21%
			Independent Living	1,733	69%
<b>Level of Care</b>			<b>Highest School Grade Completed</b>		
Outpatient Care (OP)	544	22%	Completed High School	1,532	61%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	740	29%	Some College	427	17%
Partial Hospitalization	12	0%			
Opioid Maintenance OP	716	28%			
Opioid Maintenance IOP	144	6%	<b>Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**</b>	<b>1,233</b>	<b>49%</b>
Extended Care	0	0%			
Halfway House	187	7%	<b>Gambling Problem</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>2%</b>
Long-Term Residential	133	5%			
Short-Term Residential	0	0%	<b>Legal Problem*</b>		
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%	None	1,252	50%
Detox Residential	0	0%	Case Pending	145	6%
Detox Hospital	0	0%	Probation/Parole	625	25%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	49	2%	Driving Under the Influence	182	7%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	0	0%	Recovery Court	332	13%
Early Intervention	2	0%	Child Protection/Family Court	59	2%
Interim Services	0	0%	Other	66	3%
<b>Medication Assisted Therapy Planned in Treatment</b>			<b>Special Population*</b>		
Methadone	790	31%	Child Protection/Child Welfare Program	73	3%
Vivitrol	20	1%	Driving Under the Influence	268	11%
			Developmental Disability	16	1%
			Blind and Visually Impaired	15	1%
			Deaf and Hard of Hearing	8	0%
<b>Sex</b>			<b>Health Insurance*</b>		
Male	1,855	73%	No Insurance	529	21%
			Medicaid	1,887	75%
			Medicare	90	4%
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>			Private Insurance	243	10%
White (non-Hispanic)	990	39%	Other Insurance	52	2%
Black (non-Hispanic)	1,044	41%			
Hispanic Origin	453	18%			
Other	40	2%			
<b>Primary Language</b>			<b>Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)</b>		
English	2,383	94%	Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	153	6%
Other	15	1%	Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	149	6%
<b>Age</b>			<b>Arrest in the Last 30 Days (Yes)</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>3%</b>
Under 18	4	0%			
18-21	53	2%	<b>Federal Poverty Level (0-133%)**</b>	<b>2,294</b>	<b>94%</b>
22-24	101	4%			
25-29	245	10%	<b>Treated in County of Residence</b>	<b>2,124</b>	<b>84%</b>
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Single/Divorced	2,130	84%	<b>County of Residence</b>		
Married/Civil Union	225	9%	Atlantic	14	1%
			Bergen	4	0%
			Burlington	127	5%
			Camden	31	1%
			Cape May	3	0%
			Cumberland	12	0%
			Essex	10	0%
			Gloucester	17	1%
			Hudson	2	0%
			Hunterdon	12	0%
			Mercer	2,124	84%
<b>Pregnant Women (Yes)**</b>			Middlesex	41	2%
<b>Veteran (Yes)**</b>			Monmouth	19	1%
<b>Referral Source</b>			Morris	8	0%
Self-referral	1,152	46%	Ocean	26	1%
Family/Friend	64	3%	Passaic	12	0%
Addiction Services Program	85	3%	Salem	5	0%
Welfare/Social Service Agency	9	0%	Somerset	3	0%
Child Protection Substance Abuse Initiative	51	2%	Sussex	0	0%
Mental Health	5	0%	Union	6	0%
Corrections Related Programs	734	29%	Warren	3	0%
Intoxicated Drivers Resource Center	164	6%	Other	48	2%
Reach NJ	13	1%			
Other	256	10%			
			<b>Fee For Service Admissions</b>	<b>759</b>	<b>30%</b>
			<b>Fee For Service Unique Clients</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>27%</b>
			<b>Number of Admissions for Unique Clients</b>		
			1 Admission	1,041	57%
			2 Admissions	342	19%
			3+ Admissions	456	25%
			<b>Unduplicated Clients Admitted =</b>	<b>1,839</b>	

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

*\*\*Percentage calculation excluded missing values.*

**Total Admissions = 2,527**

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

MERCER	PRIMARY DRUG														TOTAL	
	Alcohol		Cocaine/ Crack		Heroin		Other Opiates		Marijuana/ Hashish		Methampheta- mines		Other Drugs& Unknown			
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
EAST WINDSOR TWP	29	2	10	2	19	1	17	5	5	2	6	11	5	5	91	2
EWING TWP	94	7	23	6	66	5	23	7	12	6	3	6	3	3	224	6
HAMILTON TWP	252	19	30	7	216	17	74	21	18	8	5	9	20	20	615	16
HIGHTSTOWN BORO	21	2	2	0	11	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	37	1
HOPEWELL BORO	6	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0
HOPEWELL TWP	7	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0
LAWRENCE TWP	42	3	5	1	39	3	12	3	9	4	2	4	1	1	110	3
PENNINGTON BORO	4	0	0	0	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	11	0
PRINCETON BORO	10	1	0	0	5	0	6	2	3	1	2	4	4	4	30	1
PRINCETON TWP	19	1	4	1	7	1	2	1	3	1	1	2	1	1	37	1
ROBBINSVILLE TWP	6	0	1	0	7	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	4	20	1
TRENTON CITY	666	50	264	63	679	53	153	44	126	58	15	28	48	47	1951	52
WEST WINDSOR TWP	17	1	1	0	5	0	2	1	3	1	2	4	0	0	30	1
NOT Stated	157	12	76	18	231	18	49	14	35	16	18	33	14	14	580	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>1330</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>1290</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>3756</b>	<b>100</b>

## Substance Use Admissions by Primary Drug within Municipality

### 2024 NJ Resident Admissions

MERCER	PRIMARY DRUG												TOTAL			
	Alcohol		Cocaine/ Crack		Heroin		Other Opiates		Marijuana/ Hashish		Methamphe tamines		Other Drugs& Unknown			
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		
EAST WINDSOR TWP	29	32	10	11	19	21	17	19	5	5	6	7	5	5	91	100
EWING TWP	94	42	23	10	66	29	23	10	12	5	3	1	3	1	224	100
HAMILTON TWP	252	41	30	5	216	35	74	12	18	3	5	1	20	3	615	100
HIGHTSTOWN BORO	21	57	2	5	11	30	1	3	2	5	0	0	0	0	37	100
HOPEWELL BORO	6	67	1	11	0	0	2	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	100
HOPEWELL TWP	7	64	1	9	2	18	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	100
LAWRENCE TWP	42	38	5	5	39	35	12	11	9	8	2	2	1	1	110	100
PENNINGTON BORO	4	36	0	0	3	27	2	18	0	0	0	0	2	18	11	100
PRINCETON BORO	10	33	0	0	5	17	6	20	3	10	2	7	4	13	30	100
PRINCETON TWP	19	51	4	11	7	19	2	5	3	8	1	3	1	3	37	100
ROBBINSVILLE TWP	6	30	1	5	7	35	1	5	1	5	0	0	4	20	20	100
TRENTON CITY	666	34	264	14	679	35	153	8	126	6	15	1	48	2	1951	100
WEST WINDSOR TWP																
	17	57	1	3	5	17	2	7	3	10	2	7	0	0	30	100
NOT Stated	157	27	76	13	231	40	49	8	35	6	18	3	14	2	580	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>1330</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1290</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3756</b>	<b>100</b>

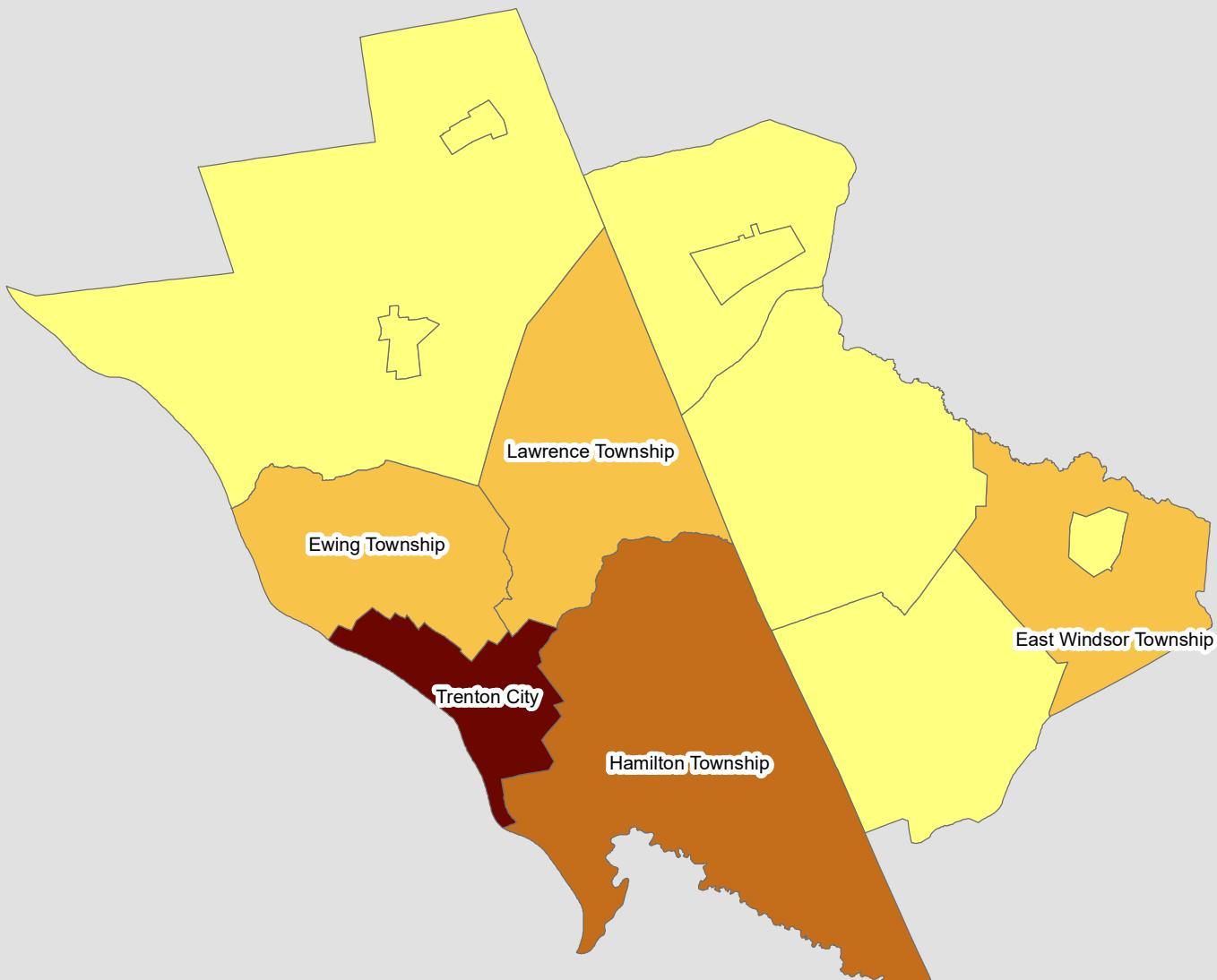
## 2024 Mercer County Substance Use Admissions by Municipality of Residence

### Admission Counts

- 9 - 37
- 38 - 224
- 225 - 615
- 616 - 1951

### Top Five Municipalities

	Municipality	Admission Count
1	Trenton City	1951
2	Hamilton Township	615
3	Ewing Township	224
4	Lawrence Township	110
5	East Windsor Township	91



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

MERCER	ALCOHOL				DRUGS				TOTAL							
	18 & Over		Total		18 & Over		Under 18		Total		18 & Over		Under 18		Total	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
EAST WINDSOR TWP	29	100	29	100	61	100	0	0	61	100	90	100	0	0	90	100
EWING TWP	94	100	94	100	129	99	1	1	130	100	223	100	1	0	224	100
HAMILTON TWP	252	100	252	100	357	99	5	1	362	100	609	99	5	1	614	100
HIGHTSTOWN BORO	21	100	21	100	16	100	0	0	16	100	37	100	0	0	37	100
HOPEWELL BORO	6	100	6	100	3	100	0	0	3	100	9	100	0	0	9	100
HOPEWELL TWP	7	100	7	100	4	100	0	0	4	100	11	100	0	0	11	100
LAWRENCE TWP	42	100	42	100	67	99	1	1	68	100	109	99	1	1	110	100
PENNINGTON BORO	4	100	4	100	7	100	0	0	7	100	11	100	0	0	11	100
PRINCETON BORO	10	100	10	100	20	100	0	0	20	100	30	100	0	0	30	100
PRINCETON TWP	19	100	19	100	18	100	0	0	18	100	37	100	0	0	37	100
ROBBINSVILLE TWP	6	100	6	100	13	93	1	7	14	100	19	95	1	5	20	100
TRENTON CITY	666	100	666	100	1285	100	0	0	1285	100	1951	100	0	0	1951	100
WEST WINDSOR TWP	17	100	17	100	13	100	0	0	13	100	30	100	0	0	30	100
NOT Stated	157	100	157	100	422	100	1	0	423	100	579	100	1	0	580	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>1330</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>1330</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2415</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2424</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>3745</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3754</b>	<b>100</b>

\* Missing primary drug or age admissions are not included.

## Admissions by Age Group, Gender and Primary Drug

### 2024 NJ Resident Admissions

Mercer		Gender				Total			
		Female		Male					
		N	%	N	%				
0-17	Heroin			3	100	3	100		
	Marijuana/Hashish	3	60	2	40	5	100		
	Other Drugs& Unknown	1	100			1	100		
	Total	4	44	5	56	9	100		
18-24	Alcohol	25	36	44	64	69	100		
	Heroin	12	19	50	81	62	100		
	Other Opiates	8	18	36	82	44	100		
	Marijuana/Hashish	11	26	31	74	42	100		
	Methamphetamines			1	100	1	100		
	Other Drugs& Unknown	2	14	12	86	14	100		
	Total	58	25	174	75	232	100		
25-59	Alcohol	276	25	837	75	1113	100		
	Heroin	345	32	740	68	1085	100		
	Other Opiates	87	30	200	70	287	100		
	Marijuana/Hashish	28	17	136	83	164	100		
	Methamphetamines	8	15	45	85	53	100		
	Other Drugs& Unknown	91	21	342	79	433	100		
	Total	835	27	2300	73	3135	100		
60&Over	Alcohol	29	20	119	80	148	100		
	Heroin	24	17	116	83	140	100		
	Other Opiates	6	43	8	57	14	100		
	Marijuana/Hashish			5	100	5	100		
	Other Drugs& Unknown	14	19	58	81	72	100		
	Total	73	19	306	81	379	100		
Total	Alcohol	330	25	1000	75	1330	100		
	Heroin	381	30	909	70	1290	100		
	Other Opiates	101	29	244	71	345	100		
	Marijuana/Hashish	42	19	174	81	216	100		
	Methamphetamines	8	15	46	85	54	100		
	Other Drugs& Unknown	108	21	412	79	520	100		
	Total	970	26	2785	74	3755	100		

Note: Unknown age or gender admissions are not included.

## CY2024 Substance Use Treatment Discharges    Mercer County Resident

<b>Level of Care</b>		<b>Living Arrangement</b>			
Outpatient Care (OP)	499	14%	Homeless	519	14%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	688	19%	Dependent Living/Institution	643	18%
Partial Hospitalization	30	1%	Independent Living	2,357	66%
Opioid Maintenance OP	602	17%			
Opioid Maintenance IOP	143	4%			
Extended Care	0	0%			
Halfway House	199	6%			
Long-Term Residential	262	7%			
Short-Term Residential	510	14%			
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%			
Detox Residential	615	17%			
Detox Hospital	2	0%			
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	46	1%			
Detox Outpatient Methadone	1	0%			
Non-Traditional Program	0	0%			
Early Intervention	1	0%			
Interim Services	0	0%			
<b>Medication Prescribed to Treat Substance Use</b>		<b>Reasons for Discharge or Treatment Not Completed</b>			
Methadone	777	22%	Completed at This Level of Care	1,756	49%
Buprenorphine	416	12%	Quit or Dropped Out	1,084	30%
Vivitrol	37	1%	Needs Different Level of Care	248	7%
Psychotropic	229	6%	Administrative Discharge	178	5%
<b>Sex</b>		<b>Medical Discharge</b>			
Male	2,691	75%	Deceased	49	1%
Female	903	25%	NJSAMS System Discharge	13	0%
<b>Age</b>		<b>Other</b>			
Under 18	10	0%		109	3%
18-21	47	1%		161	4%
22-24	160	4%			
25-29	319	9%			
30-34	555	15%			
35-44	1,030	29%			
45-54	778	22%			
55 and over	699	19%			
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>		<b>Continuing Care</b>			
White	1,478	41%	No Continuing Care Needed	547	15%
Black	1,504	42%	Refused or Unable to Continue	429	12%
Hispanic	581	16%	Continue Care	1,318	37%
Other	35	1%	Not Assessed	1,304	36%
<b>Drug and Alcohol Use</b>		<b>Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)</b>			
Not Using Alcohol or Drugs	2,169	60%	Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	896	25%
Using Alcohol	210	6%	Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	772	21%
Using Drugs	675	19%			
Unknown	538	15%			
<b>Mental Illness/Co-Occurring Disorder</b>		<b>Client Goal Achieved *</b>			
	2,090	58%	Alcohol or Drug Problem	1,609	51%
<b>Arrest in the Last 30 days (Yes)</b>			Educational	638	54%
	70	2%	Employment or Vocational	720	45%
<b>Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**</b>			Legal	697	47%
	1,572	45%	Family Situation/Social	791	46%
			Psychological or Mental Health	869	45%
			Physical Health	772	52%
			Gambling	443	55%
			Tobacco	470	38%
			Financial	561	39%
			Housing	735	48%
<b>County Where Patient Was Treated</b>					
Atlantic	334	9%	Middlesex	117	3%
Bergen	3	0%	Monmouth	407	11%
Burlington	146	4%	Morris	2	0%
Camden	29	1%	Ocean	11	0%
Cape May	0	0%	Passaic	151	4%
Cumberland	80	2%	Salem	0	0%
Essex	160	4%	Somerset	2	0%
Gloucester	100	3%	Sussex	1	0%
Hudson	52	1%	Union	1	0%
Hunterdon	19	1%	Warren	1	0%
Mercer	1,982	55%	Other	0	0%

**Total Discharges = 3,598**  
**Unduplicated Clients Discharged = 1,993**

\* 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**  
**Mercer County Treatment Sites**

<b>Level of Care</b>		<b>Living Arrangement</b>			
Outpatient Care (OP)	489	21%	Homeless	294	12%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	670	28%	Dependent Living/Institution	305	13%
Partial Hospitalization	20	1%	Independent Living	1,675	71%
Opioid Maintenance OP	661	28%			
Opioid Maintenance IOP	148	6%			
Extended Care	0	0%	<b>Employment Status</b>		
Halfway House	184	8%	Unemployed	571	24%
Long-Term Residential	130	6%	Student	9	0%
Short-Term Residential	5	0%	Not in Labor Force	1,029	44%
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%	Employed Full/Part Time	665	28%
Detox Residential	0	0%			
Detox Hospital	0	0%			
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	49	2%	<b>Reasons for Discharge or Treatment Not Completed</b>		
Detox Outpatient Methadone	1	0%	Completed at This Level of Care	766	32%
Non-Traditional Program	0	0%	Quit or Dropped Out	901	38%
Early Intervention	2	0%	Needs Different Level of Care	245	10%
Interim Services	0	0%	Administrative Discharge	137	6%
<b>Medication Prescribed to Treat Substance Use</b>		<b>Other</b>			
Methadone	767	33%	Medical Discharge	22	1%
Buprenorphine	266	11%	Deceased	15	1%
Vivitrol	9	0%	NJSAMS System Discharge	105	4%
Psychotropic	129	5%	Other	168	7%
<b>Sex</b>		<b>Continuing Care</b>			
Male	1,738	74%	No Continuing Care Needed	473	20%
Female	617	26%	Refused or Unable to Continue	172	7%
<b>Age</b>		<b>Continue Care</b>			
Under 18	2	0%	585	25%	
18-21	40	2%	Not Assessed	1,129	48%
22-24	93	4%			
25-29	210	9%			
30-34	378	16%	<b>Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)</b>		
35-44	717	30%	Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	355	15%
45-54	473	20%	Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	211	9%
55 and over	446	19%	<b>Client Goal Achieved *</b>		
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>					
White	925	39%	Alcohol or Drug Problem	785	37%
Black	962	41%	Educational	234	42%
Hispanic	439	19%	Employment or Vocational	344	33%
Other	33	1%	Legal	303	33%
<b>Drug and Alcohol Use</b>					
Not Using Alcohol or Drugs	908	38%	Family Situation/Social	323	32%
Using Alcohol	209	9%	Psychological or Mental Health	324	28%
Using Drugs	714	30%	Physical Health	251	34%
Unknown	519	22%	Gambling	100	35%
<b>Mental Illness/Co-Occurring Disorder</b>					
	1,231	52%	Tobacco	126	20%
<b>Arrest in the Last 30 days (Yes)</b>					
	63	3%	Financial	179	21%
<b>Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**</b>					
	864	38%	Housing	263	32%
<b>County of Residence</b>					
Atlantic	10	0%	Middlesex	34	1%
Bergen	6	0%	Monmouth	19	1%
Burlington	134	6%	Morris	8	0%
Camden	31	1%	Ocean	31	1%
Cape May	3	0%	Passaic	13	1%
Cumberland	11	0%	Salem	6	0%
Essex	9	0%	Somerset	5	0%
Gloucester	11	0%	Sussex	0	0%
Hudson	2	0%	Union	2	0%
Hunterdon	10	0%	Warren	3	0%
Mercer	1,982	84%	Other	29	1%

**Total Discharges = 2,359**  
**Unduplicated Clients Discharged = 1,709**

\* 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.