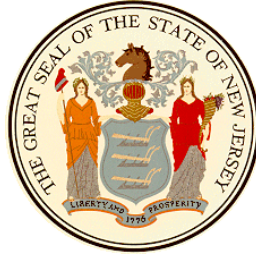


New Jersey Drug and Alcohol Use Treatment

Substance Use Overview 2024 Union 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:

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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)

Union County Residents

New Jersey

Primary Drug

Alcohol	1,449	42%
Heroin	1,116	32%
Other Opiates	236	7%
Cocaine	263	8%
Marijuana/Synthetic cannabinoids	258	7%
Methamphetamines/Other Stimulants	44	1%
Other Drugs	84	2%

Intravenous Drug Users

311 9%

Level of Care

Outpatient Care (OP)	677	20%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	838	24%
Partial Hospitalization	58	2%
Opioid Maintenance OP	393	11%
Opioid Maintenance IOP	50	1%
Extended Care	1	0%
Halfway House	207	6%
Long-Term Residential	299	9%
Short-Term Residential	395	11%
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%
Detox Residential	522	15%
Detox Hospital	2	0%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	1	0%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	0	0%
Early Intervention	9	0%
Interim Services	2	0%

Medication Assisted Therapy Planned in Treatment

Methadone	623	18%	Buprenorphine	298	9%
Vivitrol	58	2%	Psychotropic	558	16%

Sex

Male	2,610	76%	Female	839	24%
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Race/Ethnicity

White (non-Hispanic)	1,111	32%
Black (non-Hispanic)	1,314	38%
Hispanic Origin	985	29%
Other	44	1%

Primary Language

English	3,129	91%	Spanish	300	9%
Other	25	1%			

Age

Under 18	13	0%	30-34	547	16%
18-21	73	2%	35-44	876	25%
22-24	127	4%	45-54	709	21%
25-29	372	11%	55 and over	737	21%

Marital Status

Single/Divorced	2,853	83%	Widowed	55	2%
Married/Civil Union	396	11%	Separated	127	4%

Pregnant Women (Yes)**

10 0%

Veteran (Yes)**

59 2%

Referral Source

Self-referral	1,777	51%
Family/Friend	33	1%
Addiction Services Program	366	11%
Welfare/Social Service Agency	38	1%
Child Protection Substance Abuse Initiative	27	1%
Mental Health	24	1%
Corrections Related Programs	645	19%
Intoxicated Drivers Resource Center	312	9%
Reach NJ	56	2%
Other	218	6%

Employment Status

Unemployed	665	19%
Student	23	1%
Not in Labor Force	1,869	54%
Employed Full/Part Time	894	26%

Living Arrangement

Homeless	560	16%
Dependent Living/Supervised Living	703	20%
Independent Living	2,189	63%

Highest School Grade Completed

Completed High School	2,113	61%
Some College	697	20%

Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**

1,721 50%

Gambling Problem

87 3%

Legal Problem*

None	1,983	57%
Case Pending	317	9%
Probation/Parole	511	15%
Driving Under the Influence	313	9%
Recovery Court	233	7%
Child Protection/Family Court	91	3%
Other	81	2%

Special Population*

Child Protection/Child Welfare Program	83	2%
Driving Under the Influence	472	14%
Developmental Disability	4	0%
Blind and Visually Impaired	9	0%
Deaf and Hard of Hearing	8	0%

Health Insurance*

No Insurance	680	20%
Medicaid	2,427	70%
Medicare	99	3%
Private Insurance	487	14%
Other Insurance	303	9%

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

Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	289	8%
Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	305	9%

Arrest in the Last 30 Days (Yes)

75 2%

Federal Poverty Level (0-133%)**

2,903 93%

Treated in County of Residence

1,335 39%

Treated in County of Residence

Atlantic	205	6%	Middlesex	494	14%
Bergen	16	0%	Monmouth	292	8%
Burlington	47	1%	Morris	24	1%
Camden	12	0%	Ocean	5	0%
Cape May	0	0%	Passaic	166	5%
Cumberland	39	1%	Salem	0	0%
Essex	620	18%	Somerset	6	0%
Gloucester	21	1%	Sussex	27	1%
Hudson	118	3%	Union	1,335	39%
Hunterdon	20	1%	Warren	1	0%
Mercer	6	0%	Other	0	0%

Fee For Service Admissions

1,013 29%

Fee For Service Unique Clients

618 31%

Number of Admissions for Unique Clients

1 Admission	1,097	54%	2 Admissions	401	20%
3+ Admissions	518	26%			

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

Unduplicated Clients Admitted = 2,016

***Percentage calculation exluded missing values.*

Total Admissions = 3,454

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

Primary Drug						Employment Status					
Alcohol				829	32%	Unemployed			496	19%	
Heroin				1,069	41%	Student			11	0%	
Other Opiates				204	8%	Not in Labor Force			1,285	49%	
Cocaine/Crack				174	7%	Employed Full/Part Time			814	31%	
Marijuana/Synthetic cannabinoids				239	9%	Living Arrangement					
Methamphetamines/other Stimulants				43	2%	Homeless			204	8%	
Other Drugs				47	2%	Dependent Living/Supervised Living			587	22%	
Intravenous Drug Users						Independent Living			1,817	69%	
				300	11%	Highest School Grade Completed					
Level of Care						Completed High School			1,492	57%	
Outpatient Care (OP)				645	25%	Some College			610	23%	
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)				694	27%	Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**					
Partial Hospitalization				22	1%				1,214	47%	
Opioid Maintenance OP				760	29%	Gambling Problem					
Opioid Maintenance IOP				29	1%				106	4%	
Extended Care				0	0%	Legal Problem*					
Halfway House				160	6%	None			1,504	57%	
Long-Term Residential				294	11%	Case Pending			175	7%	
Short-Term Residential				0	0%	Probation/Parole			443	17%	
Hospital Based Residential				3	0%	Driving Under the Influence			228	9%	
Detox Residential				0	0%	Recovery Court			138	5%	
Detox Hospital				2	0%	Child Protection/Family Court			58	2%	
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone				1	0%	Other			119	5%	
Detox Outpatient Methadone				0	0%	Special Population*					
Early Intervention				7	0%	Child Protection/Child Welfare Program			55	2%	
Interim Services				1	0%	Driving Under the Influence			345	13%	
Medication Assisted Therapy Planned in Treatment						Developmental Disability			6	0%	
Methadone	972	37%	Buprenorphine	129	5%	Blind and Visually Impaired			5	0%	
Vivitrol	30	1%	Psychotropic	233	9%	Deaf and Hard of Hearing			4	0%	
Sex						Health Insurance*					
Male	1,840	70%	Female	771	29%	No Insurance			487	19%	
Race/Ethnicity						Medicaid			1,687	64%	
White (non-Hispanic)				837	32%	Medicare			98	4%	
Black (non-Hispanic)				1,088	42%	Private Insurance			495	19%	
Hispanic Origin				665	25%	Other Insurance			191	7%	
Other				28	1%	Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)					
Primary Language						Narcotic Anonymous (NA)			409	16%	
English	2,433	93%	Spanish	162	6%	Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)			397	15%	
Other	23	1%	Arrest in the Last 30 Days (Yes)						34	1%	
Age						Federal Poverty Level (0-133%)**					
Under 18	1	0%	30-34	346	13%				2,034	90%	
18-21	59	2%	35-44	641	24%	Treated in County of Residence					
22-24	112	4%	45-54	580	22%				1,335	51%	
25-29	234	9%	55 and over	645	25%	County of Residence					
Marital Status						Atlantic	2	0%	Middlesex	137	5%
Single/Divorced	2,036	78%	Widowed	66	3%	Bergen	35	1%	Monmouth	15	1%
Married/Civil Union	386	15%	Separated	109	4%	Burlington	7	0%	Morris	27	1%
Pregnant Women (Yes)**						Camden	6	0%	Ocean	12	0%
				9	0%	Cape May	1	0%	Passaic	18	1%
Veteran (Yes)**						Cumberland	0	0%	Salem	0	0%
				63	2%	Essex	612	23%	Somerset	92	4%
Referral Source						Gloucester	3	0%	Sussex	2	0%
Self-referral				1,226	47%	Hudson	110	4%	Union	1,335	51%
Family/Friend				40	2%	Hunterdon	14	1%	Warren	2	0%
Addiction Services Program				328	13%	Mercer	3	0%	Other	185	7%
Welfare/Social Service Agency				26	1%	Fee For Service Admissions					
Child Protection Substance Abuse Initiative				11	0%				575	22%	
Mental Health				28	1%	Fee For Service Unique Clients					
Corrections Related Programs				475	18%				413	19%	
Intoxicated Drivers Resource Center				242	9%	Number of Admissions for Unique Clients					
Reach NJ				13	0%	1 Admission	1,233	58%	2 Admissions	381	18%
Other				236	9%	3+ Admissions	526	25%			

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

Unduplicated Clients Admitted = 2,140

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Total Admissions = 2,618

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

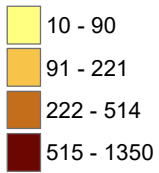
UNION	PRIMARY DRUG														TOTAL	
	Alcohol		Cocaine/ Crack		Heroin		Other Opiates		Marijuana/ Hashish		Methamph etamines		Other Drugs& Unknown			
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	8	1	0	0	6	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	16	0
CLARK TWP	40	3	5	2	25	2	4	2	2	1	0	0	3	3	79	2
CRANFORD TWP	27	2	1	0	18	2	4	2	2	1	1	3	3	3	56	2
ELIZABETH CITY	438	30	122	46	520	47	98	42	123	48	12	41	37	37	1350	39
FANWOOD BORO	3	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	0	0	10	0
GARWOOD BORO	21	1	0	0	4	0	3	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	29	1
HILLSIDE TWP	41	3	8	3	23	2	5	2	10	4	0	0	3	3	90	3
KENILWORTH BORO	41	3	4	2	1	0	6	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	55	2
LINDEN CITY	98	7	17	6	53	5	23	10	22	9	2	7	6	6	221	6
MOUNTAINSIDE BORO	11	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	16	0
NEW PROVIDENCE BORO	6	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	12	0
PLAINFIELD CITY	214	15	33	12	200	18	21	9	32	12	3	10	11	11	514	15
RAHWAY CITY	96	7	23	9	60	5	16	7	14	5	2	7	6	6	217	6
ROSELLE BORO	58	4	6	2	45	4	17	7	14	5	1	3	3	3	144	4
ROSELLE PARK BORO	33	2	1	0	8	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	46	1
SCOTCH PLAINS TWP	54	4	3	1	13	1	4	2	3	1	4	14	1	1	82	2
SPRINGFIELD TWP	11	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3	3	21	1
SUMMIT CITY	25	2	2	1	7	1	5	2	3	1	0	0	1	1	43	1
UNION TWP	92	6	16	6	50	4	18	8	13	5	1	3	10	10	200	6
WESTFIELD TWP	29	2	1	0	12	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	45	1
WINFIELD TWP	7	0	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	15	0
NOT Stated	96	7	18	7	55	5	11	5	4	2	0	0	9	9	193	6
Total	1449	100	266	100	1116	100	236	100	258	100	29	100	100	100	3454	100

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

UNION	PRIMARY DRUG														TOTAL	
	Alcohol		Cocaine/ Crack		Heroin		Other Opiates		Marijuana/ Hashish		Methamphet amines		Other Drugs& Unknown			
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	8	50	0	0	6	38	0	0	2	13	0	0	0	0	16	100
CLARK TWP	40	51	5	6	25	32	4	5	2	3	0	0	3	4	79	100
CRANFORD TWP	27	48	1	2	18	32	4	7	2	4	1	2	3	5	56	100
ELIZABETH CITY	438	32	122	9	520	39	98	7	123	9	12	1	37	3	1350	100
FANWOOD BORO	3	30	1	10	4	40	0	0	0	0	2	20	0	0	10	100
GARWOOD BORO	21	72	0	0	4	14	3	10	0	0	1	3	0	0	29	100
HILLSIDE TWP	41	46	8	9	23	26	5	6	10	11	0	0	3	3	90	100
KENILWORTH BORO	41	75	4	7	1	2	6	11	3	5	0	0	0	0	55	100
LINDEN CITY	98	44	17	8	53	24	23	10	22	10	2	1	6	3	221	100
MOUNTAINSIDE BORO	11	69	2	13	0	0	0	0	2	13	0	0	1	6	16	100
NEW PROVIDENCE BORO	6	50	2	17	1	8	0	0	3	25	0	0	0	0	12	100
PLAINFIELD CITY	214	42	33	6	200	39	21	4	32	6	3	1	11	2	514	100
RAHWAY CITY	96	44	23	11	60	28	16	7	14	6	2	1	6	3	217	100
ROSELLE BORO	58	40	6	4	45	31	17	12	14	10	1	1	3	2	144	100
ROSELLE PARK BORO	33	72	1	2	8	17	1	2	1	2	0	0	2	4	46	100
SCOTCH PLAINS TWP	54	66	3	4	13	16	4	5	3	4	4	5	1	1	82	100
SPRINGFIELD TWP	11	52	1	5	4	19	0	0	2	10	0	0	3	14	21	100
SUMMIT CITY	25	58	2	5	7	16	5	12	3	7	0	0	1	2	43	100
UNION TWP	92	46	16	8	50	25	18	9	13	7	1	1	10	5	200	100
WESTFIELD TWP	29	64	1	2	12	27	0	0	3	7	0	0	0	0	45	100
WINFIELD TWP	7	47	0	0	7	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	15	100
NOT Stated	96	50	18	9	55	28	11	6	4	2	0	0	9	5	193	100
Total	1449	42	266	8	1116	32	236	7	258	7	29	1	100	3	3454	100

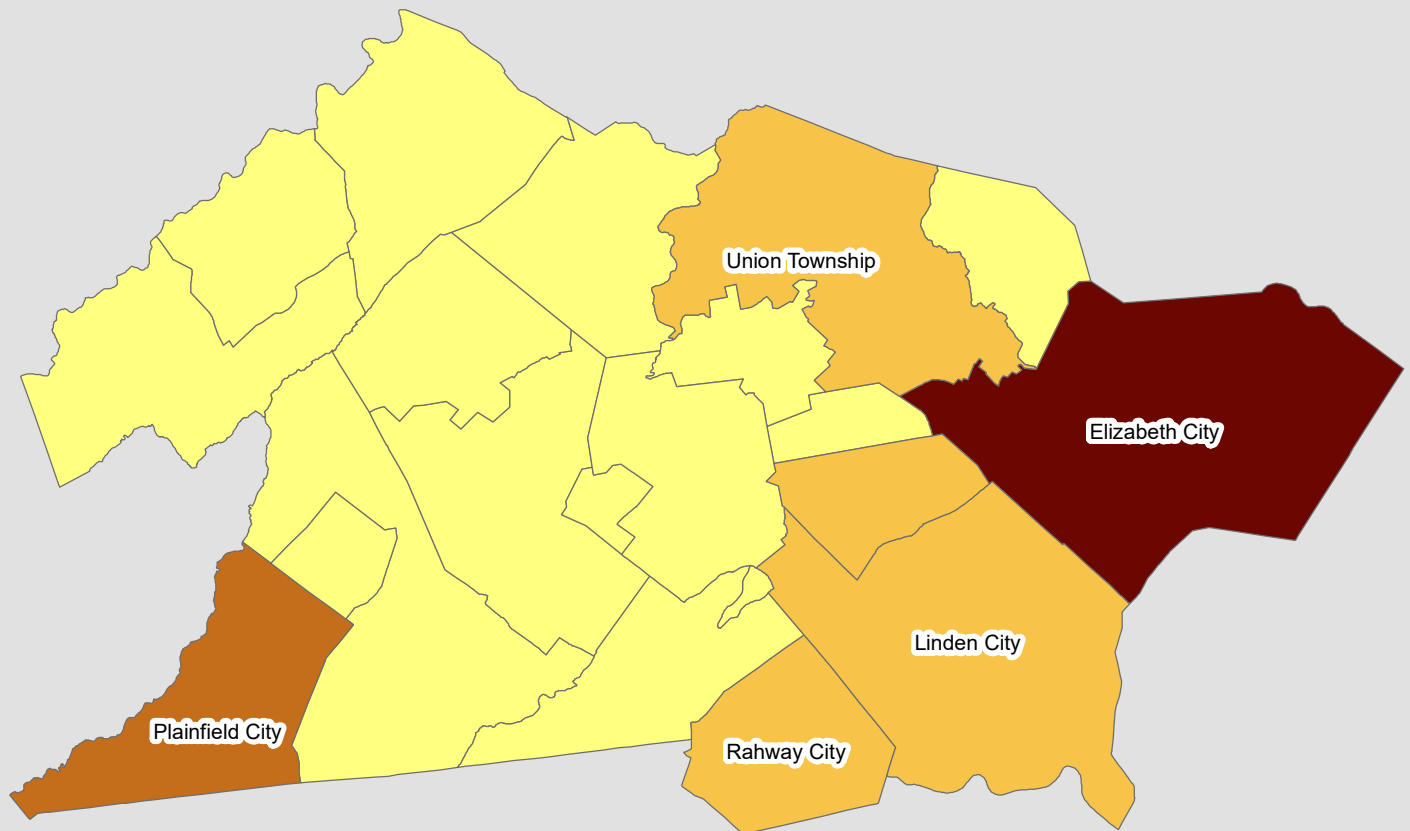
2024 Union County Substance Use Admissions by Municipality of Residence

Admission Counts



Top Five Municipalities

1	Elizabeth City	1350
2	Plainfield City	514
3	Linden City	221
4	Rahway City	217
5	Union Township	200



Data: NJSAMS 2025 March Download



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

UNION	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	%
BERKELEY HEIGHTS TWP	8	100	0	0	8	100	8	100	0	0	8	100	16	100	0	0	16	100
CLARK TWP	40	100	0	0	40	100	38	97	1	3	39	100	78	99	1	1	79	100
CRANFORD TWP	27	100	0	0	27	100	29	100	0	0	29	100	56	100	0	0	56	100
ELIZABETH CITY	438	100	0	0	438	100	910	100	1	0	911	100	1348	100	1	0	1349	100
FANWOOD BORO	3	100	0	0	3	100	7	100	0	0	7	100	10	100	0	0	10	100
GARWOOD BORO	21	100	0	0	21	100	8	100	0	0	8	100	29	100	0	0	29	100
HILLSIDE TWP	41	100	0	0	41	100	49	100	0	0	49	100	90	100	0	0	90	100
KENILWORTH BORO	41	100	0	0	41	100	14	100	0	0	14	100	55	100	0	0	55	100
LINDEN CITY	98	100	0	0	98	100	122	100	0	0	122	100	220	100	0	0	220	100
MOUNTAINSIDE BORO	11	100	0	0	11	100	5	100	0	0	5	100	16	100	0	0	16	100
NEW PROVIDENCE BORO	6	100	0	0	6	100	6	100	0	0	6	100	12	100	0	0	12	100
PLAINFIELD CITY	214	100	0	0	214	100	293	98	6	2	299	100	507	99	6	1	513	100
RAHWAY CITY	96	100	0	0	96	100	120	100	0	0	120	100	216	100	0	0	216	100
ROSELLE BORO	58	100	0	0	58	100	86	100	0	0	86	100	144	100	0	0	144	100
ROSELLE PARK BORO	33	100	0	0	33	100	13	100	0	0	13	100	46	100	0	0	46	100
SCOTCH PLAINS TWP	52	96	2	4	54	100	26	93	2	7	28	100	78	95	4	5	82	100
SPRINGFIELD TWP	11	100	0	0	11	100	10	100	0	0	10	100	21	100	0	0	21	100
SUMMIT CITY	25	100	0	0	25	100	17	94	1	6	18	100	42	98	1	2	43	100
UNION TWP	92	100	0	0	92	100	108	100	0	0	108	100	200	100	0	0	200	100
WESTFIELD TWP	29	100	0	0	29	100	16	100	0	0	16	100	45	100	0	0	45	100
WINFIELD TWP	7	100	0	0	7	100	8	100	0	0	8	100	15	100	0	0	15	100
NOT Stated	96	100	0	0	96	100	97	100	0	0	97	100	193	100	0	0	193	100
Total	1447	100	2	0	1449	100	1990	99	11	1	2001	100	3437	100	13	0	3450	100

* Missing primary drug or age admissions are not included.

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

		Gender				Total	
		Female		Male			
		N	%	N	%	N	%
0-17	Alcohol			2	20	2	15
	Heroin	1	33			1	8
	Marijuana/Hashish	2	67	8	80	10	77
	Total	3	100	10	100	13	100
18-24	Alcohol	22	44	54	36	76	38
	Heroin	6	12	7	5	13	7
	Other Opiates	6	12	24	16	30	15
	Marijuana/Hashish	16	32	45	30	61	31
	Other Drugs & Unknown			19	13	19	10
	Total	50	100	149	100	199	100
25-59	Alcohol	307	43	919	43	1226	43
	Heroin	251	35	648	30	899	32
	Other Opiates	39	5	154	7	193	7
	Marijuana/Hashish	28	4	156	7	184	6
	Methamphetamines	6	1	21	1	27	1
	Other Drugs & Unknown	80	11	232	11	312	11
	Total	711	100	2130	100	2841	100
60&Over	Alcohol	29	39	114	36	143	36
	Heroin	42	56	160	50	202	51
	Other Opiates			13	4	13	3
	Marijuana/Hashish			2	1	2	1
	Methamphetamines			2	1	2	1
	Other Drugs & Unknown	4	5	30	9	34	9
	Total	75	100	321	100	396	100
Total	Alcohol	358	43	1089	42	1447	42
	Heroin	300	36	815	31	1115	32
	Other Opiates	45	5	191	7	236	7
	Marijuana/Hashish	46	5	211	8	257	7
	Methamphetamines	6	1	23	1	29	1
	Other Drugs & Unknown	84	10	281	11	365	11
	Total	839	100	2610	100	3449	100

Note: Unknown age or gender admissions are not included.

CY2024 Substance Use Treatment Discharges Union County Resident

Level of Care

Outpatient Care (OP)	674	20%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	806	24%
Partial Hospitalization	54	2%
Opioid Maintenance OP	385	11%
Opioid Maintenance IOP	52	2%
Extended Care	1	0%
Halfway House	204	6%
Long-Term Residential	281	8%
Short-Term Residential	388	11%
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%
Detox Residential	522	15%
Detox Hospital	2	0%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	1	0%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	0	0%
Non-Traditional Program	0	0%
Early Intervention	8	0%
Interim Services	2	0%

Medication Prescribed to Treat Substance Use

Methadone	589	17%
Buprenorphine	235	7%
Vivitrol	59	2%
Psychotropic	347	10%

Sex

Male	2,531	75%
Female	844	25%

Age

Under 18	18	1%
18-21	68	2%
22-24	120	4%
25-29	353	10%
30-34	506	15%
35-44	891	26%
45-54	697	21%
55 and over	727	22%

Race/Ethnicity

White	1,078	32%
Black	1,312	39%
Hispanic	944	28%
Other	46	1%

Drug and Alcohol Use

Not Using Alcohol or Drugs	2,135	63%
Using Alcohol	200	6%
Using Drugs	559	17%
Unknown	516	15%

Mental Illness/Co-Occurring Disorder

1,971 58%

Arrest in the Last 30 days (Yes)

39 1%

Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**

1,345 40%

Living Arrangement

Homeless	433	13%
Dependent Living/Institution	518	15%
Independent Living	2,394	71%

Employment Status

Unemployed	771	23%
Student	31	1%
Not in Labor Force	1,399	41%
Employed Full/Part Time	1,144	34%

Reasons for Discharge or Treatment Not Completed

Completed at This Level of Care	1,717	51%
Quit or Dropped Out	964	29%
Needs Different Level of Care	261	8%
Administrative Discharge	180	5%
Medical Discharge	44	1%
Deceased	12	0%
NJSAMS System Discharge	61	2%
Other	141	4%

Continuing Care

No Continuing Care Needed	605	18%
Refused or Unable to Continue	454	13%
Continue Care	1,209	36%
Not Assessed	1,112	33%

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

Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	1,035	31%
Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	909	27%

Client Goal Achieved *

Alcohol or Drug Problem	1,590	52%
Educational	579	52%
Employment or Vocational	676	49%
Legal	594	46%
Family Situation/Social	804	53%
Psychological or Mental Health	823	50%
Physical Health	723	59%
Gambling	275	50%
Tobacco	292	30%
Financial	504	45%
Housing	646	53%

County Where Patient Was Treated

Atlantic	202	6%	Middlesex	472	14%
Bergen	12	0%	Monmouth	297	9%
Burlington	53	2%	Morris	21	1%
Camden	12	0%	Ocean	3	0%
Cape May	0	0%	Passaic	169	5%
Cumberland	39	1%	Salem	0	0%
Essex	605	18%	Somerset	9	0%
Gloucester	21	1%	Sussex	54	2%
Hudson	106	3%	Union	1,285	38%
Hunterdon	16	0%	Warren	2	0%
Mercer	2	0%	Other	0	0%

Total Discharges = 3,380
Unduplicated Clients Discharged = 1,989

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**Percentage calculation excluded missing values.

CY2024 Substance Use Treatment Discharges

Union County Treatment Sites

Level of Care			Living Arrangement		
Outpatient Care (OP)	610	26%	Homeless	209	9%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	626	26%	Dependent Living/Institution	408	17%
Partial Hospitalization	22	1%	Independent Living	1,728	73%
Opioid Maintenance OP	623	26%	Employment Status		
Opioid Maintenance IOP	34	1%	Unemployed	432	18%
Extended Care	0	0%	Student	20	1%
Halfway House	159	7%	Not in Labor Force	953	40%
Long-Term Residential	290	12%	Employed Full/Part Time	940	39%
Short-Term Residential	0	0%	Reasons for Discharge or Treatment Not Completed		
Hospital Based Residential	4	0%	Completed at This Level of Care	926	39%
Detox Residential	2	0%	Quit or Dropped Out	837	35%
Detox Hospital	0	0%	Needs Different Level of Care	259	11%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	1	0%	Administrative Discharge	121	5%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	0	0%	Medical Discharge	18	1%
Non-Traditional Program	0	0%	Deceased	15	1%
Early Intervention	9	0%	NJSAMS System Discharge	68	3%
Interim Services	1	0%	Other	137	6%
Medication Prescribed to Treat Substance Use			Continuing Care		
Methadone	806	34%	No Continuing Care Needed	467	20%
Buprenorphine	107	4%	Refused or Unable to Continue	230	10%
Vivitrol	23	1%	Continue Care	675	28%
Psychotropic	170	7%	Not Assessed	1,009	42%
Sex			Attendance Self-Help group in past 30 Days (Yes)		
Male	1,667	70%	Narcotic Anonymous (NA)	491	21%
Female	704	30%	Alcoholic Anonymous (AA)	399	17%
Age			Client Goal Achieved *		
Under 18	8	0%	Alcohol or Drug Problem	894	40%
18-21	55	2%	Educational	130	30%
22-24	105	4%	Employment or Vocational	245	36%
25-29	222	9%	Legal	191	28%
30-34	292	12%	Family Situation/Social	215	29%
35-44	607	25%	Psychological or Mental Health	192	26%
45-54	513	22%	Physical Health	128	28%
55 and over	579	24%	Gambling	15	10%
Race/Ethnicity			Tobacco	33	8%
White	779	33%	Financial	145	27%
Black	969	41%	Housing	193	39%
Hispanic	607	25%	County of Residence		
Other	26	1%	Atlantic	2	0%
Drug and Alcohol Use			Bergen	30	1%
Not Using Alcohol or Drugs	1,030	43%	Burlington	6	0%
Using Alcohol	163	7%	Camden	4	0%
Using Drugs	692	29%	Cape May	2	0%
Unknown	520	22%	Cumberland	0	0%
Mental Illness/Co-Occurring Disorder			Essex	460	19%
	1,199	50%	Gloucester	2	0%
Arrest in the Last 30 days (Yes)			Hudson	81	3%
	21	1%	Hunterdon	14	1%
Tobacco Products Used (Yes)**			Mercer	1	0%
	854	36%	Middlesex	142	6%
			Monmouth	14	1%
			Morris	24	1%
			Ocean	8	0%
			Passaic	15	1%
			Salem	0	0%
			Somerset	106	4%
			Sussex	1	0%
			Union	1,285	54%
			Warren	3	0%
			Other	181	8%

Total Discharges = 2,381
Unduplicated Clients Discharged = 1,944

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