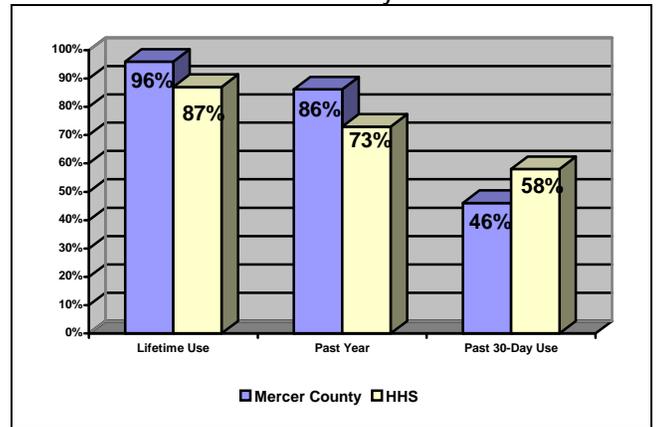


There were 723 Mercer County residents who went through the IDRC Education and Evaluation program in 2006. The following tables and graphs give demographic information about these clients. Clients' reported alcohol and other drug use characteristics are also described. Information was gathered from a mandatory self-administered questionnaire given during the IDRC classes and the counselors' screening/evaluation scoring forms.

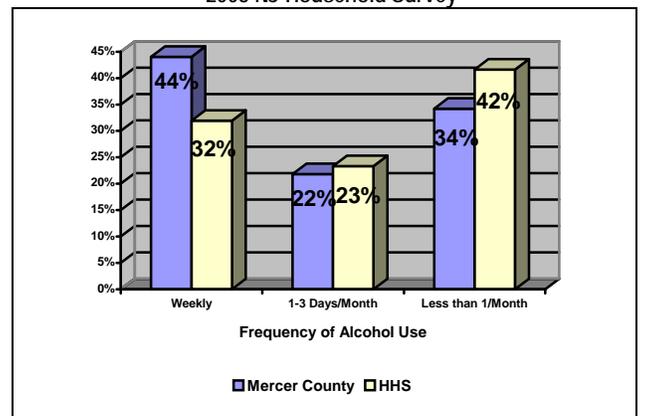
Mercer County IDRC Client Demographics

	N	%
Gender		
Male	554	76.6
Female	169	23.4
Age		
<21 (16-20)	72	10.0
21-24	121	16.8
25-34	196	27.3
35-49	220	30.6
50 and Over	110	15.3
Race/Ethnicity		
White (non-Hispanic)	452	65.8
Black (non-Hispanic)	87	12.7
Hispanic	122	17.8
Other	26	3.8
Education		
Less than High School	115	16.7
High School Graduate	261	38.0
Some College	150	21.8
College Graduate or Higher	161	23.4
Marital Status		
Single	366	53.5
Married	165	24.1
Divorced/Separated/Other	153	22.4
Household Income		
Under \$25,000	239	34.7
\$25,000-34,999	94	13.7
\$35,000-49,999	108	15.7
Over \$50,000	247	35.9
Employment Status		
Full-Time	478	68.8
Part-Time	80	11.5
Unemployed/Other	137	19.7

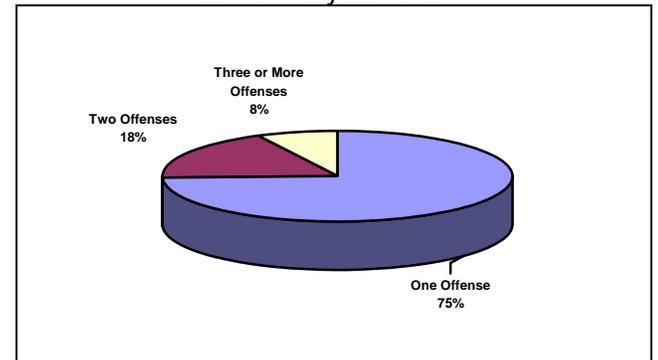
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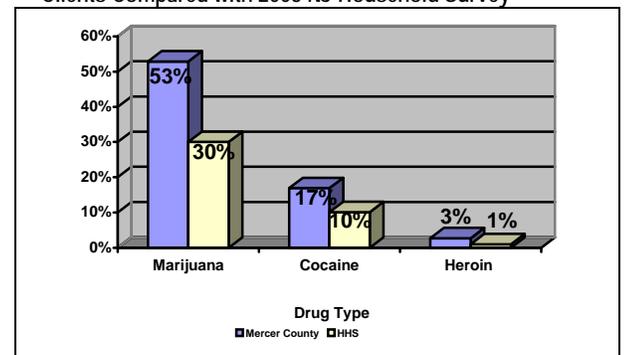
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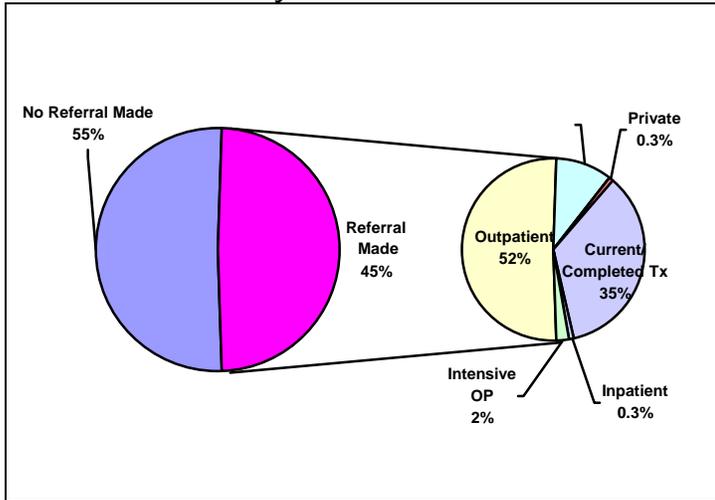
Number of Alcohol-Related Offenses on DMV Records of Mercer County IDRC Clients



Lifetime Marijuana, Cocaine and Heroin Use by Mercer County IDRC Clients Compared with 2003 NJ Household Survey



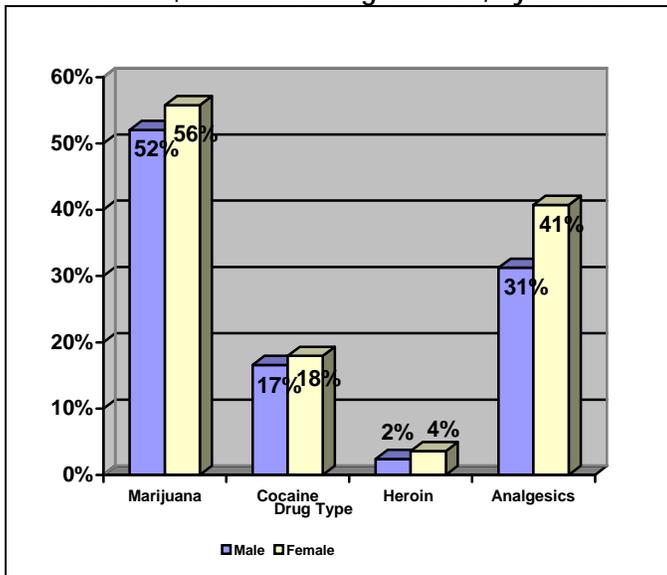
2006 Mercer County Resident Referrals from IDRC



Clients' Treatment/Self-Help History by Screening Score and Referral Status

Treatment/Self-Help History	N	% Clients with Treatment History who Scored 9 or more*	% Clients with Treatment History who had Referral Made
AA in Lifetime	277	62.8	79.4
Currently in AA	147	70.8	85.7
NA Lifetime	80	83.8	73.8
Currently in NA	19	84.2	84.2
Treatment in Lifetime	178	69.1	83.2
Currently in Treatment	68	64.7	72.1

Mercer County IDRC Clients' Lifetime Marijuana, Cocaine, Heroin & Analgesic Use, by Gender



Alcohol & Drug Abuse/Dependence by Demographics

	% Alcohol Abuse	% Alcohol Dependence	% Drug Abuse	% Drug Dependence
GENDER Male	59.2	19.5	9.8	3.1
Female	66.3	17.8	8.9	4.7
AGE <21	77.8	13.9	22.2	6.9
21-24	63.6	21.5	17.4	5.0
25-34	64.8	18.9	7.1	3.6
35-49	49.6	22.3	5.0	1.8
50 and Over	61.8	14.6	6.4	2.7
EDUCATION Less than high school	48.7	22.6	10.4	4.4
High school graduate	63.6	15.7	11.1	3.8
Some college	58.0	26.0	10.7	3.3
College graduate or higher	72.1	16.8	5.0	2.5
RACE/ETHNICITY White	65.0	19.7	10.8	4.2
Black	50.6	19.5	4.6	2.3
Hispanic	57.4	21.3	9.8	2.5
Other	73.1	7.7	3.9	0.0
EMPLOYMENT STATUS Employed Full-time	63.4	18.0	8.0	1.7
Employed part-time	60.0	21.3	11.3	6.3
Unemployed/other	58.4	23.4	15.3	8.8
INCOME Under \$10,000	52.3	26.1	11.4	9.1
\$10,000-24,999	55.6	18.5	11.9	2.0
\$25,000-34,999	60.6	22.3	4.3	3.2
\$35,000-49,999	63.9	20.4	9.3	4.6
\$50,000 +	68.8	17.0	10.1	2.4
OFFENSES 1 Lifetime Alcohol Offense on DMV Record	64.1	18.4	9.9	3.4
2 Lifetime Alcohol Offenses on DMV Record	53.5	19.4	9.3	3.1
3 or More Lifetime Alcohol Offenses on DMV Record	45.5	25.5	7.3	5.5

Mercer County IDRC Clients' Self-Reported Illicit Drug Use

	Lifetime	Past Year	Past 30 days
Marijuana	52.9	13.8	3.7
Cocaine	16.9	3.8	0.5
Heroin	2.7	0.8	0.0
Analgesic	33.5	18.4	7.7
Hallucinogen	8.5	0.8	0.2
Club Drugs	6.9	1.3	0.2
Tranquilizer	8.1	3.7	1.8
Sedative	14.4	8.4	4.3
Stimulant	6.7	1.8	0.8
Inhalant	3.4	0.3	0.0
Methamphetamine	5.3	0.5	0.0
Anabolic Steroids	1.1	0.2	0.0

* RIASI Screening Score (Research Institute on Addictions Self Inventory): A DUI offender screening instrument created for and used by the State of New York in its Stop DWI Programs. Included are 41 True/False questions and 8 multiple response questions, each worth 1 point each. The questions cover several factors of substance dependence: classic symptoms, family history, risk-taking behavior, psychological factors, interpersonal competence, health, and alcohol beliefs. It was considered a positive screen if the client scores a 9 or above.