

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

## **Substance Abuse Overview 2017 Essex County**



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This statewide ***Substance Abuse Overview*** provides statistics on substance abuse treatment in New Jersey for calendar year 2017. In 2017, there were 82,644 treatment admissions and 79,326 discharges reported to the New Jersey Department of Health, Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services by substance abuse 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 May 2018 NJSAMS download data.

The Statewide Overview includes:

- State Totals for Substance Abuse Treatment Admissions
- Substance Abuse Admissions by County and Primary Drug
- Substance Abuse Admissions by Primary Drug within County
- Substance Abuse Admission Rates by County and Primary Drug
- Map for Number of Substance Abuse 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 Abuse Treatment Discharges
- Length of Stay by Level of Care
- Detox Continuing Care Status and Detox Continuing Care by Level of Care
- Substance Abuse Treatment Demand Estimate

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

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**New Jersey Substance Abuse Monitoring System (NJ-SAMS)  
Substance Abuse Treatment Admissions 1/1/2017-12/31/2017  
Essex County Residents**

<b>Primary Drug**</b>			<b>Highest School Grade Completed</b>		
Alcohol	1,666	23%	Completed High School	3,730	51%
Heroin	3,218	44%	Some College	1,182	16%
Other Opiates	350	5%	<b>Employment Status</b>		
Cocaine	429	6%	Unemployed	1,597	22%
Marijuana	1,345	18%	Student	106	1%
Other Drugs	290	4%	Not in Labor Force	3,828	52%
<b>Intravenous Drug Users</b>	1,366	19%	Employed Full/Part Time	1,774	24%
<b>Smoke Tobacco (Yes)**</b>	4,688	64%	<b>Living Arrangement</b>		
<b>Level of Care</b>			Homeless	708	10%
Outpatient Care (OP)	2,378	33%	Dependent Living/Institution	1,279	17%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	1,821	25%	Independent Living	5,316	73%
Partial Hospitalization	240	3%	<b>Marital Status</b>		
Opioid Maintenance OP	1,038	14%	Single/Divorced	6,165	84%
Opioid Maintenance IOP	458	6%	Married/Civil Union	732	10%
Extended Care	0	0%	Widowed	135	2%
Halfway House	179	2%	Separated	282	4%
Long-Term Residential	302	4%	<b>Legal Problem*</b>		
Short-Term Residential	431	6%	None	3,601	49%
Hospital Based Residential	1	0%	Case Pending	447	6%
Detox Residential	441	6%	Probation/Parole	1,420	19%
Detox Hospital	0	0%	DWI License Suspension	426	6%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	6	0%	Drug Court	590	8%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	2	0%	DCPP/Family Court	613	8%
Non-traditional Program	0	0%	Other	170	2%
Early Intervention	17	0%	<b>Arrest in the Last 30 Days (Yes)</b>	257	4%
<b>Medication Assisted Therapy Planned in Treatment</b>			<b>Special Population*</b>		
Methadone	1,590	22%	DCPP/CPSAI	799	11%
Suboxone	187	3%	DWI/DUI	702	10%
<b>Referral Source</b>			Developmental Disability	46	1%
Self-referral	2,452	34%	Blind and Visually Impaired	25	0%
Family/Friend	176	2%	Deaf and Hard of Hearing	25	0%
Addiction Services Program	671	9%	<b>Federal Poverty Level (0-133%)**</b>	5,873	87%
Workforce NJ SAI	539	7%	<b>Health Insurance*</b>		
DCPP/CPSAI	388	5%	No Insurance	2,077	28%
Mental Health	53	1%	Medicaid	4,911	67%
Criminal Justice	1,974	27%	Medicare	123	2%
Interim Managing Entity (IME)	38	1%	Private Insurance	685	9%
IDRC	379	5%	Other Insurance	65	1%
Other	682	9%	<b>Treated in County of Residence</b>	5,398	74%
<b>Sex</b>			<b>County Where Patient Was Treated</b>		
Male	4,494	61%	Atlantic	33	0%
Female	2,816	39%	Bergen	28	0%
<b>Pregnant Women (Yes)**</b>	95	1%	Burlington	14	0%
<b>Age</b>			Camden	18	0%
Under 18	50	1%	Cape May	0	0%
18-21	312	4%	Cumberland	6	0%
22-24	526	7%	Essex	5,398	74%
25-29	1,091	15%	Gloucester	94	1%
30-34	923	13%	Hudson	273	4%
35-44	1,500	21%	Hunterdon	12	0%
45-54	1,931	26%	Mercer	36	0%
55 and over	981	13%	Middlesex	47	1%
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>			Monmouth	130	2%
White (non-Hispanic)	1,772	24%	Morris	165	2%
Black (non-Hispanic)	4,106	56%	Ocean	10	0%
Hispanic Origin	1,361	19%	Passaic	632	9%
Other	75	1%	Salem	0	0%
			Somerset	4	0%
			Sussex	47	1%
			Union	361	5%
			Warren	1	0%
			Other	0	0%
			<b>Fee For Service Admissions</b>	1,820	25%
			<b>Fee For Service Unique Clients</b>	950	17%
			<b>Total Admissions =</b>	<b>7,314</b>	
			<b>Unduplicated Clients Admitted =</b>	<b>5,561</b>	

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

\*\*Percentage calculations excluded missing values.

**New Jersey Substance Abuse Monitoring System (NJ-SAMS)  
Substance Abuse Treatment Admissions 1/1/2017-12/31/2017  
Essex County Treatment Sites**

<b>Primary Drug**</b>			<b>Highest School Grade Completed</b>		
Alcohol	1,602	21%	Completed High School	3,767	50%
Heroin	3,402	45%	Some College	1,220	16%
Other Opiates	328	4%	<b>Employment Status</b>		
Cocaine	463	6%	Unemployed	1,579	21%
Marijuana	1,405	19%	Student	72	1%
Other Drugs	280	4%	Not in Labor Force	4,238	57%
<b>Intravenous Drug Users</b>	1,743	23%	Employed Full/Part Time	1,597	21%
<b>Smoke Tobacco (Yes)**</b>	4,924	66%	<b>Living Arrangement</b>		
<b>Level of Care</b>			Homeless	730	10%
Outpatient Care (OP)	2,604	35%	Dependent Living/Institution	1,718	23%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	1,885	25%	Independent Living	5,037	67%
Partial Hospitalization	164	2%	<b>Marital Status</b>		
Opioid Maintenance OP	1,277	17%	Single/Divorced	6,420	86%
Opioid Maintenance IOP	402	5%	Married/Civil Union	643	9%
Extended Care	0	0%	Widowed	129	2%
Halfway House	309	4%	Separated	299	4%
Long-Term Residential	648	9%	<b>Legal Problem*</b>		
Short-Term Residential	184	2%	None	3,150	42%
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%	Case Pending	447	6%
Detox Residential	1	0%	Probation/Parole	1,517	20%
Detox Hospital	0	0%	DWI License Suspension	451	6%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	2	0%	Drug Court	1,062	14%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	2	0%	DCPP/Family Court	624	8%
Non-traditional Program	0	0%	Other	181	2%
Early Intervention	13	0%	<b>Arrest in the Last 30 Days (Yes)</b>	291	4%
<b>Medication Assisted Therapy Planned in Treatment</b>			<b>Special Population*</b>		
Methadone	1,777	24%	DCPP/CPSAI	824	11%
Suboxone	84	1%	DWI/DUI	718	10%
<b>Referral Source</b>			Developmental Disability	49	1%
Self-referral	2,149	29%	Blind and Visually Impaired	23	0%
Family/Friend	134	2%	Deaf and Hard of Hearing	21	0%
Addiction Services Program	461	6%	<b>Federal Poverty Level (0-133%)**</b>	6,377	87%
Workforce NJ SAI	541	7%	<b>Health Insurance*</b>		
DCPP/CPSAI	411	5%	No Insurance	2,236	30%
Mental Health	40	1%	Medicaid	5,305	71%
Criminal Justice	2,584	34%	Medicare	137	2%
IDRC	397	5%	Private Insurance	333	4%
Interim Managing Entity (IME)	13	0%	Other Insurance	47	1%
Other	774	10%	<b>Treated in County of Residence</b>	5,398	72%
<b>Sex</b>			<b>County of Residence</b>		
Male	4,561	61%	Atlantic	93	1%
Female	2,926	39%	Bergen	135	2%
<b>Pregnant Women (Yes)**</b>	107	1%	Burlington	43	1%
<b>Age</b>			Camden	114	2%
Under 18	23	0%	Cape May	62	1%
18-21	327	4%	Cumberland	61	1%
22-24	593	8%	Essex	5,398	72%
25-29	1,179	16%	Gloucester	56	1%
30-34	1,048	14%	Hudson	318	4%
35-44	1,604	21%	Hunterdon	30	0%
45-54	1,795	24%	Mercer	57	1%
55 and over	922	12%	Middlesex	175	2%
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>			Monmouth	58	1%
White (non-Hispanic)	2,028	27%	Morris	117	2%
Black (non-Hispanic)	3,835	51%	Ocean	94	1%
Hispanic Origin	1,547	21%	Passaic	193	3%
Other	81	1%	Salem	10	0%
			Somerset	34	0%
			Sussex	33	0%
			Union	373	5%
			Warren	32	0%
			Other	0	0%
			<b>Fee For Service Admissions</b>	1,994	27%
			<b>Fee For Service Unique Client</b>	833	14%
			<b>Total Admissions =</b>	<b>7,491</b>	
			<b>Unduplicated Clients Admitted =</b>	<b>5,972</b>	

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## Substance Abuse Admissions by Municipality and Primary Drug 2017 NJ Resident Admissions

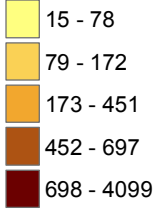
Essex County	Primary Drug														Total	
	Alcohol		Cocaine/ Crack		Heroin		Other Opiates		Marijuana/ Hashish		Other Drugs		Unknown		N	%
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		
BELLEVILLE TWP	52	3	20	5	118	4	16	5	37	3	18	6			261	4
BLOOMFIELD TWP	100	6	21	5	180	6	14	4	39	3	12	4			366	5
CALDWELL BORO TWP	21	1	2	0	8	0			4	0					35	0
CEDAR GROVE TWP	25	2	1	0	33	1			5	0	1	0			65	1
EAST ORANGE CITY	163	10	42	10	277	9	30	9	155	11	28	10	2	13	697	10
ESSEX FELLS TWP	1	0			16	0	1	0	1	0					19	0
FAIRFIELD TWP	14	1			33	1	2	1	4	0	2	1			55	1
GLEN RIDGE BORO TWP	9	1	1	0	4	0			1	0					15	0
IRVINGTON TWP	104	6	27	6	189	6	21	6	93	7	17	6			451	6
LIVINGSTON TWP	22	1	1	0	32	1	8	2	11	1	4	1			78	1
MAPLEWOOD TWP	34	2	2	0	17	1	1	0	10	1	1	0			65	1
MILLBURN TWP	8	0	1	0	10	0	2	1	1	0	1	0			23	0
MONTCLAIR TWP	103	6	13	3	110	3	8	2	31	2	3	1			268	4
NEWARK CITY	782	47	263	61	1840	57	201	57	839	62	166	58	8	50	4099	56
NORTH CALDWELL BORO	7	0			12	0	2	1	2	0					23	0
NUTLEY TWP	42	3	7	2	69	2	17	5	9	1	9	3			153	2
ORANGE CITY TWP	45	3	8	2	58	2	6	2	46	3	8	3	1	6	172	2
ROSELAND BORO	8	0			5	0	2	1	1	0					16	0
SOUTH ORANGE VILLAGE TWP	10	1	3	1	16	0			8	1			1	6	38	1
VERONA TWP	26	2	1	0	26	1	3	1	4	0			1	6	61	1
WEST CALDWELL TWP	10	1	2	0	14	0	2	1	4	0	3	1			35	0
WEST ORANGE TWP	54	3	8	2	65	2	8	2	19	1	6	2	2	13	162	2
Not Stated	26	2	6	1	86	3	6	2	25	2	7	2	1	6	157	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>1666</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>3218</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>1349</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>7314</b>	<b>100</b>

## Substance Abuse Admissions by Primary Drug within Municipality 2017 NJ Resident Admissions

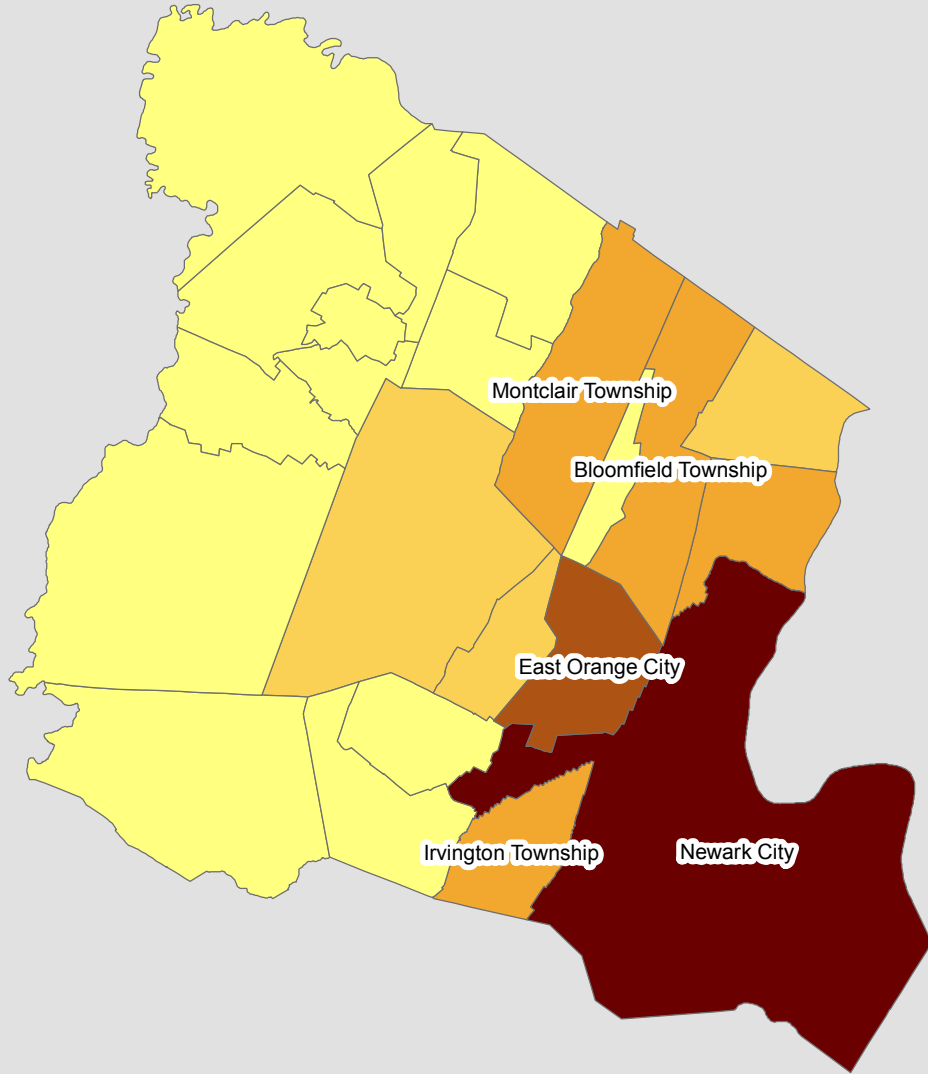
Essex County	Primary Drug														Total	
	Alcohol		Cocaine/ Crack		Heroin		Other Opiates		Marijuana/ Hashish		Other Drugs		Unknown		N	%
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%		
BELLEVILLE TWP	52	20	20	8	118	45	16	6	37	14	18	7			261	100
BLOOMFIELD TWP	100	27	21	6	180	49	14	4	39	11	12	3			366	100
CALDWELL BORO TWP	21	60	2	6	8	23			4	11					35	100
CEDAR GROVE TWP	25	38	1	2	33	51			5	8	1	2			65	100
EAST ORANGE CITY	163	23	42	6	277	40	30	4	155	22	28	4	2	0	697	100
ESSEX FELS TWP	1	5			16	84	1	5	1	5					19	100
FAIRFIELD TWP	14	25			33	60	2	4	4	7	2	4			55	100
GLEN RIDGE BORO TWP	9	60	1	7	4	27			1	7					15	100
IRVINGTON TWP	104	23	27	6	189	42	21	5	93	21	17	4			451	100
LIVINGSTON TWP	22	28	1	1	32	41	8	10	11	14	4	5			78	100
MAPLEWOOD TWP	34	52	2	3	17	26	1	2	10	15	1	2			65	100
MILLBURN TWP	8	35	1	4	10	43	2	9	1	4	1	4			23	100
MONTCLAIR TWP	103	38	13	5	110	41	8	3	31	12	3	1			268	100
NEWARK CITY	782	19	263	6	1840	45	201	5	839	20	166	4	8	0	4099	100
NORTH CALDWELL BORO	7	30			12	52	2	9	2	9					23	100
NUTLEY TWP	42	27	7	5	69	45	17	11	9	6	9	6			153	100
ORANGE CITY TWP	45	26	8	5	58	34	6	3	46	27	8	5	1	1	172	100
ROSELAND BORO	8	50			5	31	2	13	1	6					16	100
SOUTH ORANGE VILLAGE TWP	10	26	3	8	16	42			8	21			1	3	38	100
VERONA TWP	26	43	1	2	26	43	3	5	4	7			1	2	61	100
WEST CALDWELL TWP	10	29	2	6	14	40	2	6	4	11	3	9			35	100
WEST ORANGE TWP	54	33	8	5	65	40	8	5	19	12	6	4	2	1	162	100
NOT Stated	26	17	6	4	86	55	6	4	25	16	7	4	1	1	157	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>1666</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3218</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1349</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7314</b>	<b>100</b>

# 2017 Essex Substance Abuse Admissions by Municipality of Residence

## Admission Counts



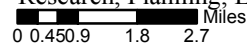
Top Five Municipalities		
1	Newark City	4099
2	East Orange City	697
3	Irvington Twp	451
4	Bloomfield Twp	366
5	Montclair Twp	268



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## Admissions by Municipality of Residence, Age Group and Primary Drug 2017 NJ Resident Admissions

Essex County	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	52	100			52	100	202	97	7	3	209	100	254	97	7	3	261	100
BLOOMFIELD TWP	100	100			100	100	265	100	1	0	266	100	365	100	1	0	366	100
CALDWELL BORO TWP	21	100			21	100	13	93	1	7	14	100	34	97	1	3	35	100
CEDAR GROVE TWP	25	100			25	100	39	98	1	3	40	100	64	98	1	2	65	100
EAST ORANGE CITY	163	100			163	100	528	99	4	1	532	100	691	99	4	1	695	100
ESSEX FELLS TWP	1	100			1	100	18	100			18	100	19	100			19	100
FAIRFIELD TWP	13	93	1	7	14	100	41	100			41	100	54	98	1	2	55	100
GLEN RIDGE BORO TWP	9	100			9	100	6	100			6	100	15	100			15	100
IRVINGTON TWP	104	100			104	100	347	100			347	100	451	100			451	100
LIVINGSTON TWP	21	95	1	5	22	100	53	95	3	5	56	100	74	95	4	5	78	100
MAPLEWOOD TWP	34	100			34	100	31	100			31	100	65	100			65	100
MILLBURN TWP	7	88	1	13	8	100	15	100			15	100	22	96	1	4	23	100
MONTCLAIR TWP	101	98	2	2	103	100	162	98	3	2	165	100	263	98	5	2	268	100
NEWARK CITY	782	100			782	100	3297	100	12	0	3309	100	4079	100	12	0	4091	100
NORTH CALDWELL BORO	7	100			7	100	15	94	1	6	16	100	22	96	1	4	23	100
NUTLEY TWP	41	98	1	2	42	100	110	99	1	1	111	100	151	99	2	1	153	100
ORANGE CITY TWP	45	100			45	100	125	99	1	1	126	100	170	99	1	1	171	100
ROSELAND BORO	8	100			8	100	8	100			8	100	16	100			16	100
SOUTH ORANGE VILLAGE TWP	10	100			10	100	26	96	1	4	27	100	36	97	1	3	37	100
VERONA TWP	26	100			26	100	33	97	1	3	34	100	59	98	1	2	60	100
WEST CALDWELL TWP	9	90	1	10	10	100	23	92	2	8	25	100	32	91	3	9	35	100
WEST ORANGE TWP	54	100			54	100	104	98	2	2	106	100	158	99	2	1	160	100
NOT Stated	26	100			26	100	128	98	2	2	130	100	154	99	2	1	156	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>1659</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1666</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>5589</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5632</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>7248</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7298</b>	<b>100</b>

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



## Admissions by Age Group, Gender and Primary Drug 2017 NJ Resident Admissions

ESSEX		GENDER				TOTAL	
		Female		Male		N	%
		N	%	N	%		
0-17	Alcohol	5	71	2	29	7	100
	Other Opiates						
	Marijuana/Hashish	6	15	34	85	40	100
	Other Drugs	1	50	1	50	2	100
	Unknown						
	<b>Total</b>	12	24	37	76	49	100
18-24	Alcohol	59	41	84	59	143	100
	Heroin	83	48	90	52	173	100
	Other Opiates	14	21	54	79	68	100
	Marijuana/Hashish	148	38	237	62	385	100
	Other Drugs	17	27	46	73	63	100
	Unknown			5	100	5	100
	<b>Total</b>	321	38	516	62	837	100
25-59	Alcohol	510	36	912	64	1422	100
	Heroin	1168	42	1629	58	2797	100
	Other Opiates	84	30	192	70	276	100
	Marijuana/Hashish	331	36	584	64	915	100
	Other Drugs	262	42	357	58	619	100
	Unknown	4	36	7	64	11	100
	<b>Total</b>	2359	39	3681	61	6040	100
60&Over	Alcohol	24	26	70	74	94	100
	Heroin	91	37	157	63	248	100
	Other Opiates	3	50	3	50	6	100
	Marijuana/Hashish			5	100	5	100
	Other Drugs	6	19	25	81	31	100
	<b>Total</b>	124	32	260	68	384	100
<b>Total</b>	Alcohol	598	36	1068	64	1666	100
	Heroin	1342	42	1876	58	3218	100
	Other Opiates	101	29	249	71	350	100
	Marijuana/Hashish	485	36	860	64	1345	100
	Other Drugs	286	40	429	60	715	100
	Unknown	4	25	12	75	16	100
	<b>Total</b>	2816	39	4494	61	7310	100

\* Unknown age or gender admissions are not included.

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Essex County Residents**

**Level of Care**

Outpatient Care (OP)	2,051	31%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	1,660	25%
Partial Hospitalization	197	3%
Opioid Maintenance OP	1,024	15%
Opioid Maintenance IOP	432	6%
Extended Care	2	0%
Halfway House	181	3%
Long-Term Residential	272	4%
Short-Term Residential	419	6%
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%
Detox Residential	384	6%
Detox Hospital	1	0%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	5	0%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	6	0%
Non-Traditional Program	0	0%
Early Intervention	17	0%

**Sex**

Male	4,060	61%
Female	2,589	39%

**Age**

Under 18	50	1%
18-21	276	4%
22-24	433	7%
25-29	954	14%
30-34	837	13%
35-44	1,383	21%
45-54	1,803	27%
55 and over	915	14%

**Race/Ethnicity**

White	1,600	24%
Black	3,744	56%
Hispanic	1,232	19%
Other	71	1%

**Mental Illness/Co-Occurring Disorder**

4,312	65%
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**Client Goal Achieved/Partially Achieved \***

Alcohol or Drug Problem	3,246	51%
Educational	1,107	49%
Employment or Vocational	1,436	48%
Family Situation	1,891	53%
Psychological or Mental Health	1,754	53%
Physical Health	1,435	55%
Legal	1,623	52%

**Drug and Alcohol Use**

Not Using Alcohol or Drugs	3,009	45%
Using Alcohol	450	7%
Using Drugs	1,855	28%
Unknown	1,427	21%

**Living Arrangements**

Homeless	441	7%
Dependent Living/Institution	1,149	17%
Independent Living	4,899	74%

**Employment Status**

Unemployed	1,407	21%
Student	85	1%
Not in Labor Force	3,071	46%
Employed Full/Part Time	1,926	29%

**Reasons for Discharge or Treatment not Completed**

Treatment Plan Completed	2,697	41%
Quit or Dropped Out	2,272	34%
Needs Different Level of Care	574	9%
Unable to Meet Client's Other Needs	23	0%
Administrative Discharge	296	4%
Exhaustion of Payment Source	27	0%
Incarcerated	191	3%
Medical Discharge/Deceased	79	1%
Other	245	4%

**Continuing Care**

No Continuing Care Needed	1,240	19%
Refused or Unable to Continue	936	14%
Continue Care	1,800	27%
Not Assessed	2,675	40%

**Significant Problems or Conditions**

Mental Health Problem	1,578	24%
Compulsive Gambling	20	0%
Physical Disability or Handicap	146	2%
Victim of Physical Abuse or Neglect	317	5%
Victim of Sexual Abuse	263	4%
Pregnancy	44	1%
Suicide Attempt	58	1%
Runaway Behavior	238	4%
Neglect or Abuse of Own Children	203	3%
Child of Substance Abuser	264	4%
Batterer	39	1%
Criminal Activity	1,267	19%
Other	336	5%

**Arrested in the Last 30 days (Yes)**

243	4%
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**County Where Patient Was Treated**

Atlantic	26	0%	Middlesex	50	1%
Bergen	23	0%	Monmouth	97	1%
Burlington	14	0%	Morris	151	2%
Camden	15	0%	Ocean	5	0%
Cape May	0	0%	Passaic	620	9%
Cumberland	5	0%	Salem	0	0%
Essex	4,874	73%	Somerset	5	0%
Gloucester	81	1%	Sussex	46	1%
Hudson	222	3%	Union	374	6%
Hunterdon	13	0%	Warren	0	0%
Mercer	26	0%	Other	4	0%

**Total Discharges = 6,651  
Unduplicated Clients Discharged = 5,047**

\* Percentage for goal achievement based on total clients for whom goal was applicable.  
All other percentages are based on total discharges.

**New Jersey Substance Abuse Monitoring System (NJ-SAMS)  
Substance Abuse Treatment Discharges 1/1/2017- 12/31/2017  
Essex County Treatment Sites**

**Level of Care**

Outpatient Care (OP)	2,306	33%
Intensive Outpatient (IOP)	1,724	25%
Partial Hospitalization	162	2%
Opioid Maintenance OP	1,235	18%
Opioid Maintenance IOP	359	5%
Extended Care	1	0%
Halfway House	311	4%
Long-Term Residential	628	9%
Short-Term Residential	179	3%
Hospital Based Residential	0	0%
Detox Residential	1	0%
Detox Hospital	2	0%
Detox Outpatient Non-Methadone	2	0%
Detox Outpatient Methadone	6	0%
Non-Traditional Program	0	0%
Early Intervention	11	0%

**Sex**

Male	4,198	61%
Female	2,729	39%

**Age**

Under 18	23	0%
18-21	287	4%
22-24	518	7%
25-29	1,055	15%
30-34	993	14%
35-44	1,480	21%
45-54	1,696	24%
55 and over	875	13%

**Race/Ethnicity**

White	1,915	28%
Black	3,511	51%
Hispanic	1,419	20%
Other	74	1%

**Mental Illness/Co-Occurring Disorder**

4,669	67%
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**Client Goal Achieved/Partially Achieved\***

Alcohol or Drug Problem	3,402	51%
Educational	1,040	45%
Employment or Vocational	1,803	52%
Family Situation	2,212	54%
Psychological or Mental Health	1,906	54%
Physical Health	1,422	54%
Legal	2,078	55%

**Drug and Alcohol Use**

Not Using Alcohol or Drugs	3,121	45%
Using Alcohol	487	7%
Using Drugs	2,082	30%
Unknown	1,369	20%

**Living Arrangements**

Homeless	483	7%
Dependent Living/Institution	1,392	20%
Independent Living	4,898	71%

**Employment Status**

Unemployed	1,396	20%
Student	67	1%
Not in Labor Force	3,294	48%
Employed Full/Part Time	2,016	29%

**Reasons for Discharge or Treatment not Completed**

Treatment Plan Completed	2,774	40%
Quit or Dropped Out	2,370	34%
Needs Different Level of Care	590	9%
Unable to Meet Client's Other Needs	23	0%
Administrative Discharge	341	5%
Exhaustion of Payment Source	24	0%
Incarcerated	209	3%
Medical Discharge/Deceased	69	1%
Other	293	4%

**Continuing Care**

No Continuing Care Needed	1,413	20%
Refused or Unable to Continue	908	13%
Continue Care	1,816	26%
Not Assessed	2,790	40%

**Significant Problems or Conditions**

Mental Health Problem	1,598	23%
Compulsive Gambling	17	0%
Physical Disability or Handicap	144	2%
Victim of Physical Abuse or Neglect	307	4%
Victim of Sexual Abuse	265	4%
Pregnancy	56	1%
Suicide Attempt	58	1%
Runaway Behavior	272	4%
Neglect or Abuse of Own Children	200	3%
Child of Substance Abuser	234	3%
Batterer	38	1%
Criminal Activity	1,395	20%
Other	356	5%

**Arrested in the Last 30 days (Yes)**

252	4%
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**County of Residence**

Atlantic	100	1%	Middlesex	190	3%
Bergen	106	2%	Monmouth	65	1%
Burlington	40	1%	Morris	105	2%
Camden	112	2%	Ocean	99	1%
Cape May	54	1%	Passaic	185	3%
Cumberland	61	1%	Salem	10	0%
Essex	4,874	70%	Somerset	37	1%
Gloucester	52	1%	Sussex	37	1%
Hudson	330	5%	Union	356	5%
Hunterdon	29	0%	Warren	28	0%
Mercer	52	1%	Other	5	0%

**Total Discharges = 6,927  
Unduplicated Clients Discharged = 5,484**

\* Percentage for goal achievement based on total clients for whom goal was applicable.  
All other percentages are based on total discharges.