

## 2010 State Profile — South Carolina National Survey of Substance Abuse Treatment Services (N-SSATS)

The National Survey of Substance Abuse Treatment Services (N-SSATS) is an annual survey of facilities providing substance abuse treatment. It is conducted by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). N-SSATS is designed to collect data on the location, characteristics, services offered, and number of clients in treatment at alcohol and drug abuse treatment facilities (both public and private) throughout the 50 States, the District of Columbia, and other U.S. jurisdictions.

More information on N-SSATS methodology is available at the following URL: <http://www.samhsa.gov/data/2k3/NSSATS/NSSATS.pdf>

In South Carolina, 103 substance abuse treatment facilities were included in the 2010 N-SSATS, reporting that there were 14,490 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 31, 2010. The survey response rate in South Carolina was 87.3%.

### Facility Operation

	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2010			
			All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Private non-profit	31	30.1	3,498	24.1	617	44.2
Private for-profit	31	30.1	4,579	31.6	81	5.8
Local, county, or community government	26	25.2	4,582	31.6	609	43.7
State government	11	10.7	1,319	9.1	88	6.3
Federal government	4	3.9	512	3.5	0	0.0
Dept. of Veterans Affairs	2	1.9	414	2.9	0	0.0
Dept. of Defense	2	1.9	98	0.7	0	0.0
Indian Health Service	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Tribal government	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>14,490</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,395</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Primary Focus of Facility

	Facilities		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2010			
			All Clients		Clients Under Age 18	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Substance abuse treatment services	80	77.7	13,085	90.3	1,346	96.5
Mental health services	5	4.9	84	0.6	4	0.3
Mix of mental health & substance abuse treatment services	15	14.6	1,090	7.5	44	3.2
General health care	2	1.9	147	1.0	0	0.0
Other/unknown	1	1.0	84	0.6	1	0.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>14,490</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,395</b>	<b>100.0</b>

### Substance Abuse Problem Treated

	Facilities <sup>1, 2, 3</sup>		Clients in Treatment on March 31, 2010		
			Clients <sup>3</sup>		Clients per 100,000 Pop. Aged 18 and Over
	No.	%	No.	%	
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	81	83.5	4,903	34.2	126
Clients with drug abuse only	87	89.7	6,297	44.0	168
Clients with alcohol abuse only	77	79.4	3,120	21.8	77
<b>Total<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>97</b>		<b>14,320</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>371</b>

<sup>1</sup> Facilities may be included in more than one category.

<sup>3</sup> Sum of individual items may not agree with the total due to rounding.

<sup>2</sup> Facilities excluded because they were not asked or did not respond to this question:





<b>Clinical/Therapeutic Approaches Used Often or Sometimes (cont.)</b>	<b>Facilities</b>	
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>
Brief intervention	86	83.5
Contingency management/motivational incentives	70	68.0
Trauma-related counseling	61	59.2
Rational emotive behavioral therapy	46	44.7
Matrix model	49	47.6
Community reinforcement plus vouchers	14	13.6
Other treatment approaches	12	11.7

<b>Facility Capacity and Utilization Rate<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Hospital</b>	
	<b>Residential</b>	<b>Inpatient</b>
Number of facilities	13	16
Number of clients <sup>2</sup>	374	219
Number of designated beds	443	231
Utilization rate (%)	84.4	94.8
No. of designated beds/facility (avg.)	34	14

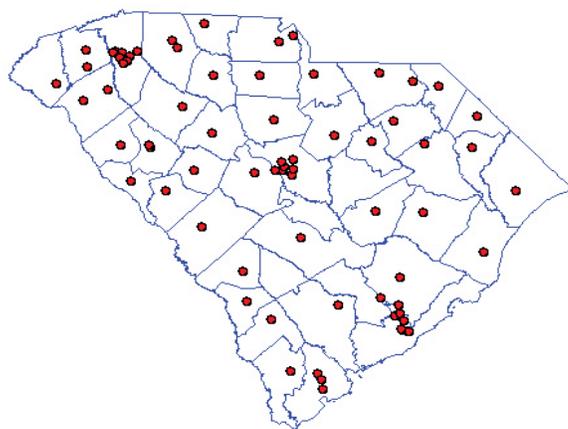
<sup>1</sup> Excludes facilities not reporting both client counts and number of beds, facilities whose client counts were reported by another facility, facilities that included client counts from other facilities, and facilities that did not respond to this question.  
<sup>2</sup> Number of clients on March 31, 2010.

<b>Programs for Special Groups</b>	<b>Facilities</b>	
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>
Any program or group	79	76.7
Co-occurring disorders	23	22.3
Adult women	32	31.1
Adolescents	40	38.8
DUI/DWI offenders	47	45.6
Criminal justice clients	41	39.8
Adult men	19	18.4
Pregnant or postpartum women	14	13.6
Persons with HIV or AIDS	7	6.8
Seniors or older adults	4	3.9
Lesbian, gay, bisexual, or transgender clients	4	3.9
Other groups	9	8.7

<b>Services in Sign Language for the Hearing Impaired and in Languages Other than English</b>	<b>Facilities</b>	
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>
Hearing impaired/sign language	48	46.6
Any language other than English	63	61.2
<b>Services Provided by:</b>		
On-call interpreter	36	57.1
Staff counselor	12	19.0
Both staff counselor and on-call interpreter	15	23.8
<b>Languages Provided by Staff Counselor:<sup>1</sup></b>		
Spanish	26	96.3
American Indian/Alaska Native	0	0.0
Other	0	0.0

<sup>1</sup> Percentages based on the number of facilities reporting that they provided substance abuse treatment in a language other than English by a staff counselor only or by both staff counselors and on-call interpreters.

**Location of Treatment Facilities**



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<http://www.samhsa.gov/data/DASIS.aspx#N-SSATS>

Access the latest N-SSATS public use files at:  
<http://www.datafiles.samhsa.gov>

Other substance abuse reports are available at:  
<http://www.samhsa.gov/data/>



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[www.samhsa.gov/data/](http://www.samhsa.gov/data/)

- Access N-SSATS profiles for individual States at:  
<http://www.dasis.samhsa.gov/webt/NewMapv1.htm>
- For information on individual facilities, access SAMHSA's Treatment Facility Locator at:  
<http://findtreatment.samhsa.gov/>