

Table 8.35A Needed and Received Treatment for a Substance Use Problem in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older: Numbers in Thousands, 2002-2008

Substance/Substance Treatment Status	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
NEEDED TREATMENT FOR ILLICIT DRUGS¹	7,748	7,333	8,053	7,550	7,756	7,528	7,559
Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility	1,412	1,103	1,427	1,280	1,576 ^a	1,343	1,209
Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility	6,335	6,230	6,626	6,269	6,180	6,185	6,351
NEEDED TREATMENT FOR ALCOHOL	18,638	18,215	19,360	19,378	19,520	19,301	18,951
Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility	1,549	1,298	1,535	1,626	1,557	1,567	1,560
Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility	17,089	16,917	17,824	17,752	17,963	17,734	17,391
NEEDED TREATMENT FOR ILLICIT DRUGS OR ALCOHOL¹	22,811	22,165	23,476	23,172	23,591	23,202	23,051
Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility	2,346	1,874 ^a	2,327	2,308	2,537	2,412	2,287
Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility	20,465	20,290	21,149	20,864	21,054	20,790	20,764

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Respondents were classified as needing treatment for a substance use problem if they met at least one of three criteria during the past year: (1) dependent on the substance; (2) abuse of the substance; or (3) received treatment for substance use at a specialty facility (i.e., drug and alcohol rehabilitation facility [inpatient or outpatient], hospital [inpatient], or mental health center).

^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically, based on data from original questions not including methamphetamine items added in 2005 and 2006.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, and 2008.

Table 8.35B Needed and Received Treatment for a Substance Use Problem in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older: Percentages, 2002-2008

Substance/Substance Treatment Status	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
NEEDED TREATMENT FOR ILLICIT DRUGS¹	3.3 ^a	3.1	3.3 ^a	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.0
Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6 ^a	0.5	0.5
Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5
NEEDED TREATMENT FOR ALCOHOL	7.9	7.7	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.6
Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6
Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility	7.3	7.1	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.0
NEEDED TREATMENT FOR ILLICIT DRUGS OR ALCOHOL¹	9.7	9.3	9.8 ^a	9.5	9.6	9.4	9.2
Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9
Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility	8.7	8.5	8.8 ^a	8.6	8.6	8.4	8.3

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