

## 2019 State Profile — Florida

### 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). The N-SSATS collects data on the location, characteristics, services offered, and number of clients (collected every other year) in treatment at alcohol and drug abuse treatment facilities (public and private) throughout the 50 states, the District of Columbia, U.S. territories, and other jurisdictions.

More information on the methodology used is available in the 2019 N-SSATS report:

<https://www.samhsa.gov/data/data-we-collect/n-ssats-national-survey-substance-abuse-treatment-services>

In Florida, 725 substance abuse treatment facilities were included in the 2019 N-SSATS report, which reported a total of 57,335 clients in substance abuse treatment on March 29, 2019. The survey response rate in Florida was 87.5 percent.

#### Facility operation, by number and percent

	Clients in treatment on March 29, 2019					
	Facilities		All clients		Clients under the age of 18 years	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Private non-profit	295	40.7	25,450	44.4	3,110	89.2
Private for-profit	397	54.8	27,328	47.7	374	10.7
Local, county, or community government	15	2.1	1,757	3.1	2	0.1
State government	3	0.4	—	—	—	—
Federal government	15	2.1	2,800	4.9	—	—
Tribal government	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>57,335</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,486</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 percent due to rounding.

#### Substance abuse problem treated, by number and percent

	Clients in treatment on March 29, 2019				
	Facilities <sup>1</sup>		Clients <sup>2</sup>		Clients <sup>2</sup> per 100,000 pop. aged 18 years or older
	No.	%	No.	%	
Clients with both alcohol and drug abuse	464	90.1	19,521	35.6	105
Clients with drug abuse only	436	84.7	27,949	51.0	154
Clients with alcohol abuse only	411	79.8	7,306	13.3	39
<b>Total</b>			<b>54,777</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>297</b>

<sup>1</sup> Numbers of facilities may sum to more than the total, and percentages may sum to more than 100 percent, because facilities may be included in more than one category.

<sup>2</sup> States report *substance abuse problem treated* in terms of percentages of clients, from which the numbers of clients in this table are derived; their sum may not agree with the total due to rounding.

#### Facility capacity and utilization rate<sup>1</sup>

	Residential	Hospital inpatient
Number of facilities	144	44
Number of clients <sup>2</sup>	5,271	775
Number of designated beds	4,989	1,097
Utilization rate <sup>3</sup>	105.7	70.6
Average number of designated beds per facility	35	25

<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 29, 2019.

<sup>3</sup> Because substance abuse treatment clients may also occupy non-designated beds, utilization rates may be more than 100 percent.

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## Type of care, by number and percent

	Clients in treatment on March 29, 2019							
	Facilities		All clients				Clients under the age of 18 years	
	No.	%	No.	%	Median no. of	Median no. of	No.	%
					clients per	clients per		
				OTP facility	non-OTP facility			
<b>Outpatient</b>	<b>594</b>	<b>81.9</b>	<b>50,808</b>	<b>88.6</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>3,029</b>	<b>86.9</b>
Regular	542	74.8	23,053	40.2	37	24		
Intensive	300	41.4	2,898	5.1	24	9		
Day treatment or partial hospitalization	180	24.8	1,897	3.3	26	10		
Detoxification	84	11.6	667	1.2	4	5		
Methadone/buprenorphine maintenance or naltrexone treatment	232	32.0	22,293	38.9	340	6		
<b>Residential (non-hospital)</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>5,562</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>11.3</b>
Short term (≤ 30 days)	132	18.2	2,044	3.6	29	15		
Long term (> 30 days)	143	19.7	2,241	3.9	—	19		
Detoxification	94	13.0	1,277	2.2	10	8		
<b>Hospital inpatient</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>965</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>1.8</b>
Treatment	58	8.0	304	0.5	17	6		
Detoxification	71	9.8	661	1.2	17	9		
<b>Total</b>	<b>725</b>		<b>57,335</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>3,486</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Note: Facilities may provide more than one type of care.

## Facility licensing, certification, or accreditation, by number and percent

	No.	%
Any listed agency/organization	687	94.8
State substance abuse agency	573	79.0
State mental health department	196	27.0
State department of health	299	41.2
Hospital licensing authority	44	6.1
The Joint Commission	272	37.5
Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF)	254	35.0
National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA)	13	1.8
Council on Accreditation (COA)	31	4.3
Healthcare Facilities Accreditation Program (HFAP)	6	0.8
Other national organization or federal, state, or local agency	60	8.3

Note: Facilities may be licensed, certified, or accredited by more than one agency/organization.

## Facility payment options, by number and percent

	No.	%
Cash or self-payment	693	95.6
Private health insurance	537	74.1
Medicare	187	25.8
Medicaid	296	40.8
State-financed health insurance plan other than Medicaid	215	29.7
Federal military insurance	274	37.8
No payment accepted (free treatment for all clients)	12	1.7
IHS/Tribal/Urban (ITU) funds	63	8.7
Other	5	0.7
Sliding fee scale	429	59.2
Treatment at no charge or minimal payment for clients who can't pay	270	37.2

Note: Facilities may accept more than one type of payment.

## Types of services offered, by number and percent

	Facilities	
	No.	%
<b>Assessment and pre-treatment services</b>		
Screening for substance abuse	704	97.1
Screening for mental health disorders	588	81.1
Comprehensive substance abuse assessment or diagnosis	687	94.8
Comprehensive mental health assessment or diagnosis	459	63.3
Screening for tobacco use	487	67.2
Outreach to persons in the community who may need treatment	444	61.2
Interim services for clients when immediate admission is not possible	335	46.2
Professional interventionist/educational consultant	151	20.8
None of these assessment and pre-treatment services offered	4	0.6
<b>Testing</b>		
Drug and alcohol oral fluid testing	158	21.8
Breathalyzer or other blood alcohol testing	535	73.8
Drug or alcohol urine screening	675	93.1
Testing for hepatitis B	259	35.7
Testing for hepatitis C	287	39.6
HIV testing	361	49.8
STD testing	265	36.6
TB screening	364	50.2
Testing for metabolic syndrome	56	7.7
None of these testing services offered	38	5.2
<b>Medical services</b>		
Hepatitis A (HAV) vaccination	81	11.2
Hepatitis B (HBV) vaccination	70	9.7
None of these medical services offered	639	88.1
<b>Transitional services</b>		
Discharge planning	702	96.8
Aftercare/continuing care	602	83.0
Naloxone and overdose education	350	48.3
Outcome follow-up after discharge	533	73.5
None of these transitional services offered	7	1.0
<b>Recovery support services</b>		
Mentoring/peer support	433	59.7
Self-help groups (for example, AA, NA, SMART Recovery)	409	56.4
Assistance in locating housing for clients	423	58.3
Employment counseling or training for clients	306	42.2
Assistance with obtaining social services (for example, Medicaid, WIC, SSI, SSDI)	410	56.6
Recovery coach	138	19.0
None of these recovery support services offered	115	15.9
<b>Education and counseling services</b>		
HIV or AIDS education, counseling, or support	555	76.6
Hepatitis education, counseling, or support	396	54.6
Health education other than HIV/AIDS or hepatitis	430	59.3
Substance abuse education	707	97.5
Smoking/ tobacco cessation counseling	401	55.3
Individual counseling	710	97.9

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**Types of services offered, by number and percent (continued)**

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Group counseling	683	94.2
Family counseling	613	84.6
Marital/couples counseling	485	66.9
Vocational training or educational support	107	14.8
None of these education and counseling services offered	1	0.1
<b>Pharmacotherapies</b>		
Disulfiram (Antabuse®)	172	23.7
Naltrexone (oral)	299	41.2
Naltrexone (extended-release, injectable, for example, Vivitrol®)	313	43.2
Acamprosate (Campral®)	191	26.3
Nicotine replacement	289	39.9
Non-nicotine smoking/tobacco cessation medications (for example, bupropion, varenicline)	202	27.9
Medications for psychiatric disorders	397	54.8
Methadone <sup>1</sup>	51	7.0
Buprenorphine with naloxone (for example, Suboxone®, Bunavail®, Zubsolv®, Cassipa®)	298	41.1
Buprenorphine without naloxone	240	33.1
Buprenorphine sub-dermal implant (Probuphine®)	25	3.4
Buprenorphine (extended-release, injectable, for example, Sublocade®)	84	11.6
Medications for HIV treatment (for example, antiretroviral medications such as tenofovir, efavirenz, emtricitabine, atazanavir, and lamivudine)	85	11.7
Medications for hepatitis C (HCV) treatment (for example, sofosbuvir, ledipasvir, interferon, peginterferon, ribavirin)	88	12.1
Lofexidine	38	5.2
Clonidine	231	31.9
None of these pharmacotherapy services offered	227	31.3
<b>Ancillary services</b>		
Case management services	594	81.9
Social skills development	542	74.8
Child care for clients' children	15	2.1
Domestic violence—family or partner violence services (physical, sexual, and emotional abuse)	311	42.9
Early intervention for HIV	255	35.2
Transportation assistance to treatment	296	40.8
Mental health services	542	74.8
Acupuncture	72	9.9
Residential beds for clients' children	13	1.8
None of these ancillary services offered	13	1.8
<b>Other services</b>		
Treatment for gambling disorder	182	25.1
Treatment for Internet use disorder	171	23.6
Treatment for other addiction disorder (non-substance abuse)	304	41.9
None of these 'other' services offered	409	56.4

<sup>1</sup> Methadone is available only at OTP facilities that are certified by SAMHSA's Center for Substance Abuse Treatment.

### Clinical/therapeutic approaches used frequently, by number and percent

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Substance abuse counseling	712	98.2
12-step facilitation	531	73.2
Brief intervention	612	84.4
Cognitive behavioral therapy	688	94.9
Dialectical behavior therapy	434	59.9
Contingency management/motivational incentives	423	58.3
Motivational interviewing	659	90.9
Trauma-related counseling	605	83.4
Anger management	634	87.4
Matrix model	298	41.1
Community reinforcement plus vouchers	90	12.4
Rational emotive behavioral therapy (REBT)	392	54.1
Relapse prevention	695	95.9
Telemedicine/telehealth	219	30.2
Other treatment approaches	118	16.3
We do not use any of these clinical/therapeutic approaches	3	0.4

### Specifically tailored programs or groups, by number and percent

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Any program or group	603	83.2
Adolescents	150	20.7
Young adults	235	32.4
Adult women	359	49.5
Pregnant or postpartum women	198	27.3
Adult men	358	49.4
Seniors or older adults	216	29.8
LGBT clients	199	27.4
Veterans	226	31.2
Active duty military	147	20.3
Members of military families	156	21.5
Criminal justice clients (other than DUI/DWI)	282	38.9
Clients with co-occurring mental and substance use disorders	407	56.1
Clients with co-occurring pain and substance use	192	26.5
Clients with HIV or AIDS	209	28.8
Clients who have experienced sexual abuse	253	34.9
Clients who have experienced intimate partner violence, domestic violence	238	32.8
Clients who have experienced trauma	347	47.9
DUI/DWI clients	161	22.2
Other	46	6.3
No specifically tailored programs or groups are offered	122	16.8

DUI/DWI = driving under the influence/driving while intoxicated or impaired; LGBT = lesbian, gay, bisexual, or transgender.

### Facility funding, by number and percent

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Receives federal, state, county, or local government funds or grants for substance use treatment programs	302	41.7

### Services in sign language for the deaf and hard-of-hearing and in languages other than English, by number and percent

	Facilities	
	No.	%
Sign language	291	40.1
Any language other than English	464	64.0

### Non-English language provided by

Staff counselor only	170	36.6
On-call interpreter only	143	30.8
Both staff counselor and on-call interpreter	151	32.5

### Languages provided by staff counselor<sup>1</sup>

Spanish	313	97.5
American Indian/Alaska Native languages	—	—
Other	80	24.9

<sup>1</sup> Numbers and percentages are based on facilities that provide language services through a staff counselor, either exclusively or in conjunction with on-call interpreters.

### Symbol key (where applicable)

— Quantity is zero; \* Less than 0.05 percent;  
 † Less than 1 per 100,000; ‡ No facilities in this category.

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

For information on individual facilities, access SAMHSA's Behavioral Health Treatment Services Locator at: <https://findtreatment.samhsa.gov/>



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### Clients receiving medication-assisted opioid therapy (MAOT) at facilities with opioid treatment programs (OTPs) and non-OTP facilities, by number and percent

	No.	%
<b>Facilities with OTPs<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>66</b>	<b>3.9</b>
<b>Clients in facilities with OTPs<sup>2</sup></b>		
Any MAT <sup>3</sup>	19,436	4.3
Methadone	18,079	4.4
Buprenorphine	1,159	3.3
Naltrexone	198	6.6
<b>Clients in facilities without OTPs<sup>4</sup></b>		
Any MAT <sup>5</sup>	6,188	3.9
Buprenorphine	3,927	3.0
Naltrexone	2,261	8.2

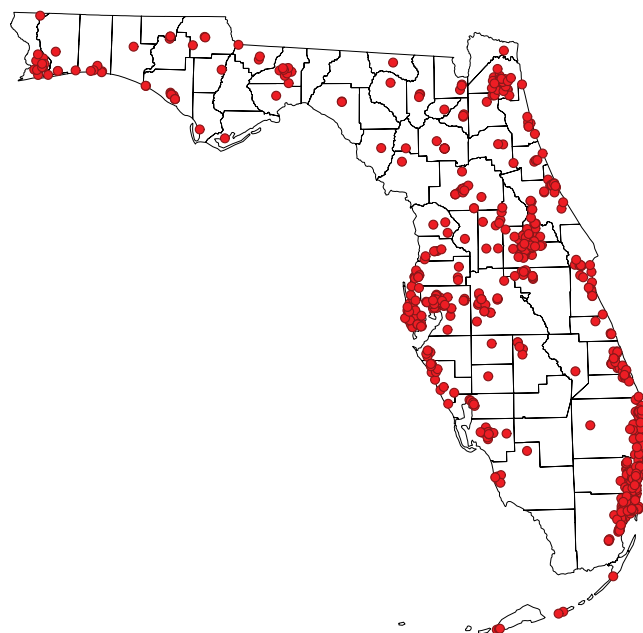
<sup>1</sup> Percentage of all facilities with OTPs in the U.S. <sup>2</sup> Percentage of all clients receiving methadone, buprenorphine, or naltrexone at facilities with OTPs in the U.S.; see 2019 N-SSATS report for details. <sup>3</sup> Consists of clients receiving methadone, buprenorphine, or naltrexone. <sup>4</sup> Percentage of all clients receiving buprenorphine or naltrexone at non-OTP facilities in the U.S.; see 2019 N-SSATS report for details. <sup>5</sup> Consists of clients receiving buprenorphine or naltrexone.

### Clients per 100,000 population receiving MAOT in OTP facilities on March 29, 2019

	No.
Any type of medication-assisted therapy <sup>1</sup>	90
Methadone	84
Buprenorphine	5
Naltrexone	†

<sup>1</sup> Includes clients receiving methadone, buprenorphine, or naltrexone.

### Location of treatment facilities



<https://www.samhsa.gov/data/quick-statistics>