

Table 9.3A Settings Where Mental Health Services Were Received in Past Year: Among People Aged 12 to 17; by Geographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics, Numbers in Thousands, 2019 and 2020

Geographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	SPECIALTY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE SETTING ¹						NONSPECIALTY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE SETTING ²									
	Total ¹		Outpatient		Inpatient or Residential		Total ²		Education ³		General Medicine		Juvenile Justice		Child Welfare	
	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020
TOTAL	4,088	<i>4,246</i>	3,747	<i>4,088</i>	701	<i>510</i>	4,371	<i>3,651</i>	3,727	<i>3,136</i>	902	<i>762</i>	49	<i>22</i>	97	<i>66</i>
GEOGRAPHIC REGION																
Northeast	683	<i>680</i>	635	<i>627</i>	108	<i>126</i>	751	<i>704</i>	613	<i>619</i>	190	<i>133</i>	2	<i>*</i>	25	<i>11</i>
Midwest	941	<i>1,015</i>	866	<i>957</i>	186	<i>144</i>	997	<i>896</i>	856	<i>785</i>	201	<i>173</i>	20	<i>5</i>	18	<i>18</i>
South	1,381	<i>1,571</i>	1,241	<i>1,531</i>	249	<i>145</i>	1,575	<i>1,295</i>	1,352	<i>1,088</i>	304	<i>289</i>	14	<i>6</i>	33	<i>12</i>
West	1,084	<i>980</i>	1,005	<i>974</i>	159	<i>95</i>	1,048	<i>756</i>	906	<i>643</i>	208	<i>166</i>	12	<i>11</i>	21	<i>25</i>
COUNTY TYPE																
Large Metro	2,234	<i>2,404</i>	2,088	<i>2,320</i>	344	<i>260</i>	2,457	<i>2,101</i>	2,129	<i>1,829</i>	479	<i>411</i>	20	<i>8</i>	62	<i>42</i>
Small Metro	1,286	<i>1,328</i>	1,156	<i>1,274</i>	232	<i>185</i>	1,340	<i>1,085</i>	1,124	<i>919</i>	290	<i>242</i>	24	<i>7</i>	26	<i>19</i>
Nonmetro	569	<i>514</i>	503	<i>494</i>	126	<i>65</i>	574	<i>465</i>	474	<i>387</i>	132	<i>109</i>	5	<i>6</i>	9	<i>5</i>
Urbanized	260	<i>285</i>	226	<i>270</i>	61	<i>40</i>	237	<i>207</i>	187	<i>173</i>	62	<i>52</i>	3	<i>*</i>	4	<i>3</i>
Less Urbanized	254	<i>185</i>	229	<i>180</i>	49	<i>17</i>	262	<i>213</i>	224	<i>178</i>	56	<i>48</i>	2	<i>*</i>	5	<i>1</i>
Completely Rural	55	<i>*</i>	49	<i>*</i>	16	<i>*</i>	75	<i>*</i>	63	<i>*</i>	14	<i>*</i>	1	<i>*</i>	0	<i>0</i>
POVERTY LEVEL																
Less Than 100%	775	<i>490</i>	650	<i>439</i>	223	<i>144</i>	1,040	<i>645</i>	935	<i>588</i>	169	<i>108</i>	23	<i>9</i>	40	<i>16</i>
100-199%	824	<i>769</i>	736	<i>749</i>	185	<i>96</i>	878	<i>724</i>	744	<i>652</i>	184	<i>98</i>	8	<i>5</i>	23	<i>39</i>
200% or More	2,490	<i>2,987</i>	2,362	<i>2,901</i>	294	<i>271</i>	2,453	<i>2,283</i>	2,048	<i>1,896</i>	549	<i>556</i>	18	<i>8</i>	34	<i>12</i>

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NOTE: Estimates in the 2020 column are italicized to indicate caution should be used when comparing estimates between 2020 and prior years because of methodological changes for 2020. Due to these changes, significance testing between 2020 and prior years was not performed. See the *2020 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: Methodological Summary and Definitions* for details.

NOTE: Mental health services for people aged 12 to 17 includes treatment/counseling for emotional or behavioral problems not caused by drug or alcohol use. Respondents with unknown mental health service information were excluded. Questions on virtual services were added in Quarter 4 of 2020. Estimates in this table do not include data from these questions. Data on virtual services are included at the end of this section. See the *2020 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: Methodological Summary and Definitions* for details.

NOTE: Respondents could indicate multiple service settings; thus, the response categories are not mutually exclusive.

¹ Includes treatment/counseling received as outpatient care (e.g., care from a private therapist, psychologist, psychiatrist, social worker, or counselor; mental health clinic or center; partial day hospital or day treatment program; or in-home therapist, counselor, or family preservation worker) or inpatient or residential care (e.g., an overnight care in a hospital or residential treatment center).

² Includes treatment/counseling from a school or juvenile justice mental health service provider, a medical doctor, or services received in foster care.

³ Respondents who did not report their school enrollment status, who reported not being enrolled in school in the past 12 months, or who reported being home-schooled were not asked about receipt of mental health services from this setting; however, respondents who reported not being enrolled in school in the past 12 months were classified as not having received mental health services from this setting.

Definitions: Measures and terms are defined in Appendix A.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2019 and Quarters 1 and 4, 2020.

Table 9.3B Settings Where Mental Health Services Were Received in Past Year: Among People Aged 12 to 17; by Geographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics, Percentages, 2019 and 2020

Geographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	SPECIALTY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE SETTING ¹						NONSPECIALTY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE SETTING ²									
	Total ¹		Outpatient		Inpatient or Residential		Total ²		Education ³		General Medicine		Juvenile Justice		Child Welfare	
	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020
TOTAL	16.7	<i>17.3</i>	15.3	<i>16.6</i>	2.9	<i>2.1</i>	18.1	<i>15.0</i>	15.4	<i>12.8</i>	3.7	<i>3.1</i>	0.2	<i>0.1</i>	0.4	<i>0.3</i>
GEOGRAPHIC REGION																
Northeast	17.5	<i>17.7</i>	16.3	<i>16.3</i>	2.8	<i>3.3</i>	19.6	<i>18.7</i>	15.9	<i>16.4</i>	4.9	<i>3.5</i>	0.1	*	0.6	<i>0.3</i>
Midwest	18.2	<i>19.7</i>	16.7	<i>18.6</i>	3.6	<i>2.8</i>	19.5	<i>17.4</i>	16.7	<i>15.2</i>	3.9	<i>3.4</i>	0.4	<i>0.1</i>	0.4	<i>0.4</i>
South	14.5	<i>16.3</i>	13.1	<i>15.9</i>	2.6	<i>1.5</i>	16.8	<i>13.6</i>	14.4	<i>11.3</i>	3.2	<i>3.0</i>	0.1	<i>0.1</i>	0.3	<i>0.1</i>
West	18.4	<i>16.5</i>	17.0	<i>16.3</i>	2.7	<i>1.6</i>	18.0	<i>12.7</i>	15.6	<i>10.7</i>	3.5	<i>2.8</i>	0.2	<i>0.2</i>	0.4	<i>0.4</i>
COUNTY TYPE																
Large Metro	16.8	<i>17.4</i>	15.6	<i>16.7</i>	2.6	<i>1.9</i>	18.7	<i>15.3</i>	16.1	<i>13.2</i>	3.6	<i>3.0</i>	0.1	<i>0.1</i>	0.5	<i>0.3</i>
Small Metro	16.9	<i>17.5</i>	15.2	<i>16.8</i>	3.0	<i>2.4</i>	17.9	<i>14.5</i>	14.9	<i>12.2</i>	3.8	<i>3.2</i>	0.3	<i>0.1</i>	0.3	<i>0.3</i>
Nonmetro	16.1	<i>16.3</i>	14.3	<i>15.6</i>	3.5	<i>2.1</i>	16.5	<i>14.8</i>	13.5	<i>12.3</i>	3.8	<i>3.4</i>	0.2	<i>0.2</i>	0.3	<i>0.2</i>
Urbanized	17.3	<i>21.9</i>	15.1	<i>20.7</i>	4.0	<i>3.1</i>	16.1	<i>16.1</i>	12.6	<i>13.4</i>	4.2	<i>4.0</i>	0.2	*	0.3	<i>0.3</i>
Less Urbanized	15.6	<i>11.6</i>	14.1	<i>11.2</i>	3.0	<i>1.0</i>	16.3	<i>13.3</i>	13.9	<i>11.1</i>	3.5	<i>3.0</i>	0.1	*	0.3	<i>0.1</i>
Completely Rural	13.6	*	12.2	*	4.0	*	18.9	*	15.9	*	3.4	*	0.2	*	0.1	<i>0.0</i>
POVERTY LEVEL																
Less Than 100%	15.7	<i>10.9</i>	13.2	<i>9.7</i>	4.5	<i>3.2</i>	21.6	<i>14.4</i>	19.3	<i>13.0</i>	3.4	<i>2.4</i>	0.5	<i>0.2</i>	0.8	<i>0.3</i>
100-199%	15.7	<i>17.3</i>	14.0	<i>16.9</i>	3.5	<i>2.1</i>	17.1	<i>16.5</i>	14.4	<i>14.7</i>	3.5	<i>2.2</i>	0.1	<i>0.1</i>	0.4	<i>0.9</i>
200% or More	17.4	<i>19.1</i>	16.5	<i>18.5</i>	2.0	<i>1.7</i>	17.3	<i>14.7</i>	14.4	<i>12.2</i>	3.8	<i>3.6</i>	0.1	<i>0.0</i>	0.2	<i>0.1</i>

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