



Bureau of Substance Abuse Services

Substance Abuse Treatment Fact Sheet - FY 2010



This fact sheet contains information on admissions to Substance abuse treatment reporting Westfield as their city of residence. Admission data presented here were reported to the Bureau of Substance Abuse Services (BSAS) Substance Abuse Management Information System in FY 2010.

Residents of the City of Westfield

Characteristics of Admissions

In FY 2010, there were 106,301 admissions to substance abuse treatment programs statewide; 0.64% (676) of these admissions reported being from the City of Westfield. 0.46% (12) of admissions from the City of Westfield were under 18 years of age. **Please note that these statistics represent admissions to treatment and not distinct individuals.** In FY 2010, admissions to substance abuse treatment services from the City of Westfield reported the following characteristics:

- 69% were male and 31% were female.
- 67% were between the ages of 21-39.
- 94% were white non-Latino, 2% were black non-Latino, 6% were Latino and 5% were other racial categories.
- 72% were never married, 13% were married, and 15% reported not to be married now.
- 4% had less than high school education, 52% completed high school, and 44% had more than high school education.
- 26% were employed.
- 6% were homeless.
- 43% had prior mental health treatment.

Primary Substance of Use

At admission clients identify a “primary drug” of use which is the substance for which they seek treatment. Table 1 compares the proportional distribution of reported primary drugs statewide with that for the City of Westfield.

Table 1 Primary Drug by District and State FY 2010					
	Alcohol	Heroin	Marijuana	Cocaine	Crack
City	54%	26%	4%	3%	4%
State	43%	38%	5%	4%	4%

Substances Used in Past Year

Upon entering treatment, each client is asked to report ALL substances used in the year (12 months) prior to admission. Admissions can report using more than one substance within the year. Therefore the sum of each cell may not equal the total.

Table 2 shows the frequency at which past year use was reported for all substances as well as that for intravenous drug use (IDU).

Table 2							
Number of admissions Reporting Substance Used: FY 2001 – FY 2010							
City of Westfield							
	Total	Alcohol	Marijuana	Cocaine	Crack	Heroin	IDU
FY '01	520	436	129	92	93	145	88
FY '02	562	451	128	85	76	169	112
FY '03	482	388	130	88	83	145	90
FY '04	455	357	139	130	90	154	106
FY '05	531	436	168	169	129	190	136
FY '06	498	399	147	154	112	162	112
FY '07	475	376	122	128	92	135	106
FY '08	523	397	152	129	108	147	111
FY '09	486	358	164	125	90	176	127
FY '10	603	436	204	168	125	226	187