

**Table 5.51A Needed and Received Treatment for an Illicit Drug or Alcohol Problem in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2006 and 2007**

Demographic Characteristic	NEEDED TREATMENT FOR AN ILLICIT DRUG OR ALCOHOL PROBLEM IN THE PAST YEAR						Percentage Who Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility among Persons Who Needed Treatment	
	Total		Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility		Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility			
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
<b>TOTAL</b>	23,591	23,202	2,537	2,412	21,054	20,790	10.8	10.4
<b>AGE</b>								
12-17	2,086	1,982	181	150	1,906	1,832	8.7	7.6
18-25	7,143	6,917	503	482	6,640	6,435	7.0	7.0
26 or Older	14,361	14,303	1,853	1,780	12,508	12,523	12.9	12.4
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	15,208	15,575	1,625	1,703	13,584	13,871	10.7	10.9
Female	8,382 <sup>a</sup>	7,627	913	709	7,470	6,919	10.9	9.3
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	20,023	20,269	2,026	2,235	17,996	18,033	10.1	11.0
White	16,081	16,460	1,540	1,626	14,541	14,834	9.6	9.9
Black or African American	2,794	2,715	395	494	2,398	2,221	14.2	18.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	249	184	28	43	221	141	*	*
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	116	70	7	0	108	70	*	*
Asian	457	520	28	22	429	498	6.2	*
Two or More Races	326	319	28	50	298	269	8.6	*
Hispanic or Latino	3,568 <sup>a</sup>	2,933	511 <sup>b</sup>	177	3,057	2,756	14.3 <sup>b</sup>	6.0

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Respondents were classified as needing treatment for an illicit drug or alcohol problem if they met at least one of three criteria during the past year: (1) dependent on illicit drugs or alcohol; (2) abuse of illicit drugs or alcohol; or (3) received treatment for an illicit drug or alcohol problem at a specialty facility (i.e., drug and alcohol rehabilitation facilities [inpatient or outpatient], hospitals [inpatient only], and mental health centers). 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 use items added in 2005 and 2006.

<sup>a</sup> Difference between estimate and 2007 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

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	Total		Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility		Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility			
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
<b>TOTAL</b>	9.6	9.4	1.0	1.0	8.6	8.4	10.8	10.4
<b>AGE</b>								
12-17	8.2	7.9	0.7	0.6	7.5	7.3	8.7	7.6
18-25	21.8	21.1	1.5	1.5	20.3	19.7	7.0	7.0
26 or Older	7.6	7.5	1.0	0.9	6.7	6.6	12.9	12.4
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	12.7	13.0	1.4	1.4	11.4	11.5	10.7	10.9
Female	6.6 <sup>a</sup>	6.0	0.7	0.6	5.9	5.4	10.9	9.3
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	9.4	9.5	1.0	1.0	8.5	8.4	10.1	11.0
White	9.5	9.7	0.9	1.0	8.6	8.8	9.6	9.9
Black or African American	9.6	9.3	1.4	1.7	8.2	7.6	14.2	18.2
American Indian or Alaska Native	20.2	14.5	2.3	3.4	18.0	11.1	*	*
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12.3	9.9	0.8	0.1	11.5	9.9	*	*
Asian	4.4	4.9	0.3	0.2	4.2	4.7	6.2	*
Two or More Races	12.4	11.7	1.1	1.8	11.3	9.8	8.6	*
Hispanic or Latino	10.7 <sup>b</sup>	8.6	1.5 <sup>b</sup>	0.5	9.1	8.0	14.3 <sup>b</sup>	6.0

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Demographic Characteristic	NEEDED TREATMENT FOR AN ILLICIT DRUG OR ALCOHOL PROBLEM IN THE PAST YEAR						Percentage Who Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility among Persons Who Needed Treatment	
	Total		Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility		Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility			
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
<b>TOTAL</b>	21,504	21,220	2,356	2,262	19,148	18,958	11.0	10.7
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	14,144	14,552	1,534	1,614	12,609	12,937	10.8	11.1
Female	7,361 <sup>a</sup>	6,668	822	647	6,539	6,021	11.2	9.7
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	18,296	18,640	1,870	2,102	16,426	16,538	10.2	11.3
White	14,700	15,121	1,414	1,518	13,286	13,603	9.6	10.0
Black or African American	2,561	2,529	387	477	2,174	2,051	15.1	18.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	229	152	19	41	210 <sup>a</sup>	111	*	*
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	111	67	7	0	104	67	*	*
Asian	407	486	19	19	389	467	*	*
Two or More Races	289	284	25	45	264	239	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	3,208 <sup>a</sup>	2,580	486 <sup>b</sup>	160	2,722	2,420	15.2 <sup>b</sup>	6.2
<b>EDUCATION</b>								
< High School	4,157	3,831	819	600	3,337	3,231	19.7	15.7
High School Graduate	6,820	6,605	745	885	6,075	5,720	10.9	13.4
Some College	6,132	6,154	608	557	5,525	5,598	9.9	9.0
College Graduate	4,395	4,630	184	220	4,211	4,410	4.2	4.7
<b>CURRENT EMPLOYMENT</b>								
Full-Time	13,068	12,724	1,032	1,005	12,036	11,719	7.9	7.9
Part-Time	3,072	3,179	294	212	2,778	2,967	9.6	6.7
Unemployed	1,458	1,466	251	220	1,207	1,246	17.2	15.0
Other <sup>f</sup>	3,907	3,850	780	824	3,127	3,026	20.0	21.4

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<sup>1</sup> The Other Employment category includes retired persons, disabled persons, homemakers, students, or other persons not in the labor force.

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	Total		Received Treatment at a Specialty Facility		Did Not Receive Treatment at a Specialty Facility			
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
TOTAL	9.7	9.5	1.1	1.0	8.7	8.5	11.0	10.7
GENDER								
Male	13.3	13.6	1.4	1.5	11.9	12.0	10.8	11.1
Female	6.4 <sup>a</sup>	5.8	0.7	0.6	5.7	5.2	11.2	9.7
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE								
Not Hispanic or Latino	9.5	9.7	1.0	1.1	8.6	8.6	10.2	11.3
White	9.6	9.8	0.9	1.0	8.7	8.8	9.6	10.0
Black or African American	10.2	10.0	1.5	1.9	8.6	8.1	15.1	18.9
American Indian or Alaska Native	20.9	13.8	1.8	3.7	19.1 <sup>a</sup>	10.1	*	*
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	13.5	10.6	0.9	0.1	12.6	10.5	*	*
Asian	4.4	5.1	0.2	0.2	4.2	4.9	*	*
Two or More Races	13.0	12.3	1.1	2.0	11.9	10.3	*	*
Hispanic or Latino	11.1 <sup>b</sup>	8.7	1.7 <sup>b</sup>	0.5	9.4	8.2	15.2 <sup>b</sup>	6.2
EDUCATION								
< High School	11.3	10.5	2.2	1.7	9.1	8.9	19.7	15.7
High School Graduate	9.9	9.7	1.1	1.3	8.8	8.4	10.9	13.4
Some College	11.1	10.7	1.1	1.0	10.0	9.7	9.9	9.0
College Graduate	7.4	7.6	0.3	0.4	7.1	7.3	4.2	4.7
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT								
Full-Time	10.7	10.5	0.8	0.8	9.9	9.6	7.9	7.9
Part-Time	10.6	10.8	1.0	0.7	9.6	10.1	9.6	6.7
Unemployed	20.7	20.6	3.6	3.1	17.1	17.5	17.2	15.0
Other <sup>1</sup>	6.2	6.0	1.2	1.3	5.0	4.7	20.0	21.4

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**Table 5.53A Perceived Need for Illicit Drug or Alcohol Treatment and Whether Made an Effort to Get Treatment in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older Classified as Needing But Not Receiving Treatment for an Illicit Drug or Alcohol Problem, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2006 and 2007**

Demographic Characteristic	Total Needing But Not Receiving Treatment <sup>1</sup>		FELT NEED FOR TREATMENT <sup>2</sup>						Did Not Feel Need for Treatment <sup>2</sup>	
			Total		Made Effort		Made No Effort			
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
TOTAL	21,054	20,790	940 <sup>a</sup>	1,335	314	380	625 <sup>a</sup>	955	20,114	19,455
AGE										
12-17	1,906	1,832	55	55	16	15	39	40	1,851	1,776
18-25	6,640	6,435	249	255	49	82	200	173	6,391	6,180
26 or Older	12,508	12,523	636 <sup>a</sup>	1,025	249	283	386 <sup>a</sup>	742	11,872	11,498
GENDER										
Male	13,584	13,871	633	898	216	262	418	636	12,950	12,973
Female	7,470	6,919	306	437	99	118	207	319	7,163 <sup>a</sup>	6,482

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<sup>1</sup> Needing But Not Receiving Treatment refers to respondents classified as needing treatment for illicit drugs or alcohol, but have not received treatment for an illicit drug or alcohol problem at a specialty facility (i.e., drug and alcohol rehabilitation facilities [inpatient or outpatient], hospitals [inpatient only], and mental health centers). 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 use items added in 2005 and 2006.

<sup>2</sup> Felt Need for Treatment includes persons who did not receive but felt they needed treatment for an illicit drug or alcohol problem, as well as persons who received treatment at a location other than a specialty facility but felt they needed additional treatment.

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			Total		Made Effort		Made No Effort			
	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007	2006	2007
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	4.5 <sup>a</sup>	6.4	1.5	1.8	3.0 <sup>a</sup>	4.6	95.5 <sup>a</sup>	93.6
AGE										
12-17	100.0	100.0	2.9	3.0	0.8	0.8	2.0	2.2	97.1	97.0
18-25	100.0	100.0	3.8	4.0	0.7	1.3	3.0	2.7	96.2	96.0
26 or Older	100.0	100.0	5.1 <sup>a</sup>	8.2	2.0	2.3	3.1 <sup>a</sup>	5.9	94.9 <sup>a</sup>	91.8
GENDER										
Male	100.0	100.0	4.7	6.5	1.6	1.9	3.1	4.6	95.3	93.5
Female	100.0	100.0	4.1 <sup>a</sup>	6.3	1.3	1.7	2.8 <sup>a</sup>	4.6	95.9 <sup>a</sup>	93.7

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