

Table 5.35A Perceived Need for Illicit Drug Use Treatment and Whether Made an Effort to Get Treatment in Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older Classified as Needing But Not Receiving Illicit Drug Use Treatment at a Specialty Facility, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2017 and 2018

Demographic Characteristic	Classified as Needing Treatment (Tx) but Did Not Receive Tx at a Specialty Facility (2017)	Classified as Needing Treatment (Tx) but Did Not Receive Tx at a Specialty Facility (2018)	Perceived Need for Tx ¹ (2017)	Perceived Need for Tx ¹ (2018)	Perceived Need and Made Effort to Get Tx ¹ (2017)	Perceived Need and Made Effort to Get Tx ¹ (2018)	Perceived Need and Made No Effort to Get Tx ¹ (2017)	Perceived Need and Made No Effort to Get Tx ¹ (2018)	Did Not Perceive Need for Tx ¹ (2017)	Did Not Perceive Need for Tx ¹ (2018)
TOTAL	6,566 ^a	7,351	537	469	218	218	319	251	6,029 ^a	6,881
AGE GROUP										
12-17	710	631	7	13	4	2	4	11	703	618
18 or Older	5,856 ^a	6,720	530	456	214	216	316	240	5,326 ^a	6,263
18-25	2,268	2,463	120	105	54	48	66	57	2,148	2,358
26 or Older	3,588 ^a	4,257	410	351	160	169	249	183	3,178 ^a	3,906
GENDER										
Male	4,153	4,519	326	282	110	126	216	157	3,826	4,237
Female	2,413 ^a	2,832	211	187	108	92	103	95	2,202 ^a	2,645

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TOTAL	100.0	100.0	8.2	6.4	3.3	3.0	4.9	3.4	91.8	93.6
AGE GROUP										
12-17	100.0	100.0	1.0	2.1	0.5	0.3	0.5	1.8	99.0	97.9
18 or Older	100.0	100.0	9.0	6.8	3.7	3.2	5.4 ^a	3.6	91.0	93.2
18-25	100.0	100.0	5.3	4.3	2.4	1.9	2.9	2.3	94.7	95.7
26 or Older	100.0	100.0	11.4	8.3	4.5	4.0	6.9	4.3	88.6	91.7
GENDER										
Male	100.0	100.0	7.9	6.2	2.7	2.8	5.2	3.5	92.1	93.8
Female	100.0	100.0	8.7	6.6	4.5	3.3	4.3	3.3	91.3	93.4

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Table 5.37A Perceived Need for Alcohol Use Treatment and Whether Made an Effort to Get Treatment in Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older Classified as Needing But Not Receiving Alcohol Use Treatment at a Specialty Facility, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2017 and 2018

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TOTAL	13,892	14,132	611	552	307	225	304	327	13,281	13,580
AGE GROUP										
12-17	429	396	9	4	3	3	6	1	420	393
18 or Older	13,462	13,736	602	548	304	222	298	325	12,861	13,188
18-25	3,308	3,322	63	71	13	23	50	47	3,246	3,251
26 or Older	10,154	10,414	539	477	291	199	248	278	9,615	9,937
GENDER										
Male	8,784	8,867	347	380	157	141	191	239	8,436	8,486
Female	5,108	5,265	264	171	150	83	113	88	4,844	5,094

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TOTAL	100.0	100.0	4.4	3.9	2.2	1.6	2.2	2.3	95.6	96.1
AGE GROUP										
12-17	100.0	100.0	2.2	1.0	0.8	0.7	1.4	0.3	97.8	99.0
18 or Older	100.0	100.0	4.5	4.0	2.3	1.6	2.2	2.4	95.5	96.0
18-25	100.0	100.0	1.9	2.1	0.4	0.7	1.5	1.4	98.1	97.9
26 or Older	100.0	100.0	5.3	4.6	2.9	1.9	2.4	2.7	94.7	95.4
GENDER										
Male	100.0	100.0	4.0	4.3	1.8	1.6	2.2	2.7	96.0	95.7
Female	100.0	100.0	5.2	3.3	2.9	1.6	2.2	1.7	94.8	96.7

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TOTAL	18,176	18,885	1,033	964	495	392	538	573	17,143	17,921
AGE GROUP										
12-17	942	863	18	15	8	3	11	13	924	848
18 or Older	17,234	18,022	1,015	949	488	389	527	560	16,219	17,073
18-25	4,730	4,885	181	169	69	64	112	105	4,549	4,716
26 or Older	12,504	13,137	834	780	418	325	416	455	11,670	12,357
GENDER										
Male	11,469	11,772	593	610	253	236	341	373	10,876	11,162
Female	6,707	7,114	440	355	243	155	197	199	6,267	6,759

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TOTAL	100.0	100.0	5.7	5.1	2.7	2.1	3.0	3.0	94.3	94.9
AGE GROUP										
12-17	100.0	100.0	1.9	1.8	0.8	0.3	1.1	1.5	98.1	98.2
18 or Older	100.0	100.0	5.9	5.3	2.8	2.2	3.1	3.1	94.1	94.7
18-25	100.0	100.0	3.8	3.5	1.5	1.3	2.4	2.1	96.2	96.5
26 or Older	100.0	100.0	6.7	5.9	3.3	2.5	3.3	3.5	93.3	94.1
GENDER										
Male	100.0	100.0	5.2	5.2	2.2	2.0	3.0	3.2	94.8	94.8
Female	100.0	100.0	6.6	5.0	3.6	2.2	2.9	2.8	93.4	95.0

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