

Table 10.24A Receipt of Mental Health Services in Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older with a Perceived Unmet Need for Mental Health Services in Past Year, by Age Group: Numbers in Thousands, 2002-2019

Receipt of Mental Health Services/Age Group	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
RECEIVED MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	5,228 ^a	5,296 ^a	5,227 ^a	5,468 ^a	5,636 ^a	5,536 ^a	5,408 ^a	5,959 ^a	5,942 ^a	5,865 ^a	6,067 ^a	5,882 ^a	6,451 ^a	6,037 ^a	6,219 ^a	6,991 ^a	7,349 ^a	8,573
18-25	1,032 ^a	1,035 ^a	1,144 ^a	1,057 ^a	1,028 ^a	948 ^a	1,031 ^a	1,020 ^a	1,071 ^a	1,076 ^a	1,082 ^a	1,094 ^a	1,228 ^a	1,269 ^a	1,402 ^a	1,776 ^a	1,763 ^a	2,193
26 or Older	4,196 ^a	4,261 ^a	4,083 ^a	4,411 ^a	4,608 ^a	4,588 ^a	4,378 ^a	4,939 ^a	4,870 ^a	4,789 ^a	4,985 ^a	4,788 ^a	5,223 ^a	4,769 ^a	4,818 ^a	5,215 ^a	5,586 ^a	6,380
26-49	3,302 ^a	3,203 ^a	3,180 ^a	3,023 ^a	3,174 ^a	3,401 ^a	3,210 ^a	3,486 ^a	3,252 ^a	3,258 ^a	3,182 ^a	3,222 ^a	3,022 ^a	3,146 ^a	3,174 ^a	3,414 ^a	3,654 ^a	4,522
50 or Older	895 ^a	1,059 ^a	903 ^a	1,388	1,434	1,187 ^a	1,168 ^a	1,453	1,618	1,532	1,803	1,567	2,201	1,623	1,644	1,801	1,931	1,858
DID NOT RECEIVE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	5,998 ^a	5,451 ^a	5,649 ^a	5,655 ^a	4,830 ^a	5,395 ^a	5,168 ^a	6,077 ^a	5,192 ^a	4,879 ^a	5,403 ^a	5,072 ^a	5,312 ^a	5,167 ^a	5,502 ^a	6,451 ^a	6,845 ^a	7,997
18-25	1,577 ^a	1,581 ^a	1,460 ^a	1,612 ^a	1,401 ^a	1,520 ^a	1,575 ^a	1,604 ^a	1,485 ^a	1,496 ^a	1,477 ^a	1,476 ^a	1,561 ^a	1,638 ^a	1,811 ^a	2,103 ^a	2,489 ^a	2,883
26 or Older	4,421 ^a	3,870 ^a	4,189 ^a	4,043 ^a	3,429 ^a	3,875 ^a	3,592 ^a	4,473	3,707 ^a	3,383 ^a	3,925 ^a	3,597 ^a	3,751 ^a	3,529 ^a	3,691 ^a	4,348 ^a	4,356 ^a	5,114
26-49	3,448 ^a	3,135 ^a	3,370 ^a	3,002 ^a	2,638 ^a	3,022 ^a	2,804 ^a	3,139 ^a	2,538 ^a	2,701 ^a	2,921 ^a	2,678 ^a	2,767 ^a	2,548 ^a	2,725 ^a	3,095 ^a	3,445 ^a	3,933
50 or Older	973	735 ^a	819	1,041	791 ^a	854	788 ^a	1,334	1,169	682 ^a	1,004	918	984	981	966	1,253	911	1,181

* = low precision; -- = not available; da = does not apply; nc = not comparable due to methodological changes; nr = not reported due to measurement issues.

NOTE: Some 2006 to 2010 estimates may differ from previously published estimates due to updates (see Section 3.3.5 in Chapter 3 of the *2019 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: Methodological Summary and Definitions*).

NOTE: Mental Health Services for adults includes inpatient treatment/counseling, outpatient treatment/counseling, or use of prescription medication for problems with emotions, nerves, or mental health. Respondents with unknown mental health service information were excluded.

NOTE: Perception of unmet need was asked of all respondents regardless of their mental health. Respondents with unknown perception of unmet need information were excluded.

NOTE: Because of revisions in 2004 to the logical editing of the outpatient mental health services data, these 2002 and 2003 estimates may differ from estimates published prior to the 2004 NSDUH.

^a The difference between this estimate and the 2019 estimate is statistically significant at the .05 level. Rounding may make the estimates appear identical.

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, 2002-2019.

Table 10.24B Receipt of Mental Health Services in Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older with a Perceived Unmet Need for Mental Health Services in Past Year, by Age Group: Percentages, 2002-2019

Receipt of Mental Health Services/Age Group	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
RECEIVED MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	46.6 ^a	49.3	48.1 ^a	49.2	53.9	50.6	51.1	49.5	53.4	54.6	52.9	53.7	54.8	53.9	53.1	52.0	51.8	51.7
18-25	39.6	39.6	43.9	39.6	42.3	38.4 ^a	39.5	38.9 ^a	41.9	41.8	42.3	42.6	44.0	43.7	43.6	45.8	41.5	43.2
26 or Older	48.7 ^a	52.4	49.4 ^a	52.2	57.3	54.2	54.9	52.5	56.8	58.6	55.9	57.1	58.2	57.5	56.6	54.5	56.2	55.5
26-49	48.9 ^a	50.5	48.5 ^a	50.2	54.6	53.0	53.4	52.6	56.2	54.7	52.1	54.6	52.2	55.2	53.8	52.5	51.5	53.5
50 or Older	47.9 ^a	59.0	52.4	57.1	64.4	58.2	59.7	52.1	58.1	69.2	64.2	63.0	69.1	62.3	63.0	59.0	67.9	61.2
DID NOT RECEIVE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES	53.4 ^a	50.7	51.9 ^a	50.8	46.1	49.4	48.9	50.5	46.6	45.4	47.1	46.3	45.2	46.1	46.9	48.0	48.2	48.3
18-25	60.4	60.4	56.1	60.4	57.7	61.6 ^a	60.5	61.1 ^a	58.1	58.2	57.7	57.4	56.0	56.3	56.4	54.2	58.5	56.8
26 or Older	51.3 ^a	47.6	50.6 ^a	47.8	42.7	45.8	45.1	47.5	43.2	41.4	44.1	42.9	41.8	42.5	43.4	45.5	43.8	44.5
26-49	51.1 ^a	49.5	51.5 ^a	49.8	45.4	47.0	46.6	47.4	43.8	45.3	47.9	45.4	47.8	44.8	46.2	47.5	48.5	46.5
50 or Older	52.1 ^a	41.0	47.6	42.9	35.6	41.8	40.3	47.9	41.9	30.8	35.8	37.0	30.9	37.7	37.0	41.0	32.1	38.8

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