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Building Better Lives in Recovery

Houses of Hope was founded in 1962, and provides services to help individuals whose lives have been impacted by substance use and mental health issues. Houses of Hope programs outlined below offer individuals a chance and a choice—and the opportunity for integration back into the community.

HALFWAY HOUSE

Halfway house program admissions were up slightly for the past reporting period and the average waiting list time was reduced by 5 days (to an average of 26 days). We are seeing a younger population in this setting. In this peer-supportive and substancefree environment men integrate back into the workforce, strengthen their sober support networks and adaptively cope with life stressors. Unemployment dropped from 87% at admission to 27% at discharge. 84% of individuals made progress while in treatment and 48% of individuals experienced a decrease in homelessness. Professional and direct service staff are committed to assist individuals in "building better lives in recovery."

TOUCHSTONE

This year Touchstone admitted the highest number of consumers in three years. We had a higher number of consumers who left against our advice (67 consumers). Those consumers were in significant withdrawal or had significant mental health diagnoses impacting their stay in treatment.

Touchstone had 32 individuals that were set for admission that did not show for treatment. We continue to see mental health board commitments but it was lower this year at 24. We had 26 drug court referrals this year. 119 consumers successfully graduated from the program. *Touchstone is a collaboration between Houses of Hope and Center Pointe.*

TASC

The TASC Program continues to evolve to meet the needs of consumers and our community's emergency behavioral health system. TASC programs have maintained a consistent case load. Consumers are requiring higher levels of care. The crisis response teams have been consistent and diverted 81% of all crisis calls responded to. TASC has a compassionate staff that makes a difference in consumer's lives each and every day. TASC is a collaboration between Houses of Hope, Lutheran Family Services, Blue Valley Behavioral Health, The Bridge Behavioral Health and Region V Systems.

INCOME BY PROGRAM

٨% 2% 2% HALFWAY HOUSE REVENUE

72% - Region V Systems

4% - Region II Human Services

12% - Client Fees 4% - JBC 2% - NHAP

2% - Contributions 2% - Investment Income



67% - Region V Systems

17% - Region II Human Services

12% - Medicaid 2% - Client Fees 1% - SAAS

1% - Private Insurance



100% - Region V Systems

FUNDING SOURCES

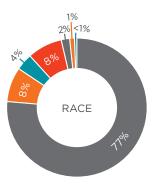
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CLIENT DEMOGRAPHICS



77% - White/Caucasian

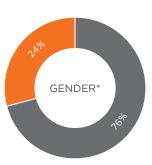
8% - Black/African American

4% - Native American

8% - Hispanic 2% - Other Race

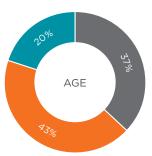
1% - Asian

<1% - Pacific Island

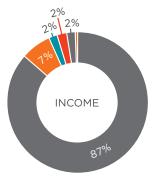


76% - Male 24% - Female

* The Halfway House program is male genderspecific which skews agency gender totals.



37% - 18-29 43% - 30-49 20% - 50-69



87% - Less than \$10,000

7% - \$10,000-\$15,000

2% - \$15.000-\$19.000

2% - \$19,000-\$26,000 2% - \$26.000-\$38.000

<1% - \$38,000+

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