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Numbers Served – Substance Abuse Treatment: In FY2013/2014, 22,427 Wisconsin residents were admitted into substance abuse treatment. This data includes detoxification treatment (24 hour care), rehabilitation/residential treatment, ambulatory (outpatient), and opioid replacement therapy. In State fiscal year 2013, DMHSAS funded 88 treatment organizations providing services throughout Wisconsin.

Wisconsin treatment admissions by primary substance of abuse (TEDS, 2012):

- Alcohol: 49.5%
- Alcohol with secondary drug: 18.6%
- Marijuana: 9.3%
- Heroin: 7.2%
- Other opiates (prescription pain relievers): 6.8%

Numbers Served – Substance Abuse Prevention: In FY 2013/2014, 2,878,884 Wisconsin residents received preventive services. Of this, 448,161 persons received preventive services from individual-based programs and strategies, and 2,430,723 received preventive services from population-based programs and strategies

Examples of Prevention Programs in Wisconsin: DMHSAS, as part of the federal Prevention for Success grant program, is funding 8 high-need counties and 1 high-need tribe to reduce access to prescription drugs to young people ages 12-25. The funded activities will focus on raising awareness, building bridges between prevention efforts and law enforcement, increasing data availability, and enhancing collaboration between State and local prevention partners. As part of the initiative, Wisconsin will also launch an extensive public outreach and education campaign, provide education for health care professionals, develop opioid prescribing best practices for urgent care and emergency departments, develop a community early warning and monitoring system that tracks prescription drug use, and establish a coordinated local system for safe medication disposal.

Federal Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment (SAPT) Block Grant: The SAPT Block Grant serves as the cornerstone of each State's substance abuse prevention, treatment, and recovery system. The grant is allotted to States by a formula based on the overall level set by Congress each year. The allotments for the SAPT Block Grant for Wisconsin are included below:

- FY 2016: \$27,197,983
- FY 2015: \$27,023,026
- FY 2014: \$27,005,484
- FY 2013: \$26,401,184

Opioid Overdose Deaths:

Opioid overdose deaths have been on the rise nationally and in Wisconsin.

- 2011 Heroin Deaths: 135 (2.4 per 100,000)
- 2014 Heroin Deaths: 271 (4.7 per 100,000)
- 2011 Prescription Opioid Deaths: 237 (4.1 per 100,000)
- 2014 Prescription Opioid Deaths: 288 (5.0 per 100,000)