

HOWARD COUNTY



DBH REGION	Central
DBH SERVICE AREAS	
Substance Abuse	12
Adult Psychiatric	12
POPULATION	
Census 2010	10,144
2014 Estimate	10,159

BIRTH RISK	2013	2012	2011
Resident Births--Total	124	115	123
Mother Reported Smoking while Pregnant	35	30	25

DISEASE INCIDENCE ¹	2013	2012	2011
HIV/AIDS Cases	0	1	0
Hepatitis B Chronic, Acute, Prenatal	0	0	0
Hepatitis C Chronic and Acute	0	2	3
Tuberculosis Infection Cases	3	0	0

DEATHS and INJURIES	2013	2012	2011
Resident Deaths--Total	110	81	107
Suicides	1	2	0
Self-inflicted Injuries	6	10	8
Homicides	0	0	1
Assault Injuries	18	20	24
Alcohol Induced Deaths	0	1	0
Drug Induced Deaths	1	1	0
Smoking Attributable Deaths	16	11	19

HOSPITAL EPISODES ²	2012	2011	2010
Hospitalization, no Emergency Room:			
Mental Illness Principal Diagnosis	20	35	31
Mental Illness Secondary Diagnosis	161	141	168
Alcohol Principal Diagnosis	2	1	2
Alcohol Secondary Diagnosis	11	7	20
Drug Principal Diagnosis	1	1	2
Drug Secondary Diagnosis	5	4	9
Emergency Room + Hospitalization:			
Mental Illness Principal Diagnosis	40	41	46
Mental Illness Secondary Diagnosis	87	72	62
Alcohol Principal Diagnosis	10	3	4
Alcohol Secondary Diagnosis	17	8	9
Drug Principal Diagnosis	1	1	2
Drug Secondary Diagnosis	6	1	4
Emergency Room, no Hospitalization:			
Mental Illness Principal Diagnosis	50	45	39
Mental Illness Secondary Diagnosis	121	108	127
Alcohol Principal Diagnosis	8	9	7
Alcohol Secondary Diagnosis	11	21	13
Drug Principal Diagnosis	8	1	5
Drug Secondary Diagnosis	9	5	2

ALCOHOL OUTLETS	2014	2013	2012
Alcohol On-Premise Drink Licenses	14	10	11
Alcohol Package Carry-out Licenses	10	11	13

EMPLOYMENT	2014	2013	2012
Labor Force	4,978	5,155	5,193
Employed	4,709	4,865	4,878
Unemployed	269	290	315
Unemployment Rate	5.4%	5.6%	6.1%

IMPAIRED DRIVING	2013	2012	2011
Alcohol Involved Crashes--Total	7	13	8
Fatal Crashes	0	2	0
Injury Crashes	3	6	3
Property Damage Crashes	4	5	5
Crash Fatalities	0	2	0
Crash Injuries	5	11	3
Drug Involved Crashes--Total	2	2	1
Fatal Crashes	0	0	0
Injury Crashes	2	2	0
Property Damage Crashes	0	0	1
Crash Fatalities	0	0	0
Crash Injuries	2	3	0

POLICE REPORTS	2013	2012	2011
DUI Arrests, DWI Tracking System	40	68	64
Liquor Law Arrests	12	47	32
Drug Arrests	51	45	37
Violent Offenses	13	14	16
Property Offenses	92	71	74
Domestic Violence Reports	24	27	26

	2014	2013	2012
Methamphetamine Lab Seizures	5	0	2

SCHOOL REPORTS	2013-14	2012-13	2011-12
Enrollment Grades 9-12	408	418	425
Drop-outs	9	10	11
Drop-out Rate	2.2%	2.4%	2.6%
School Discipline Involving Alcohol	1	0	0
School Discipline Involving Drugs	5	3	0
School Discipline Involving Tobacco	0	0	0

JUVENILE COURT REFERRALS ³	2013	2012	2011
Juvenile Violent Offenses	9	16	4
Juvenile Alcohol Offenses	2	2	1
Juvenile Drug Offenses	6	3	2
School Truancy Status Offense	18	19	14
Absent from Home Status Offense	0	1	1
Beyond Parental Control Status Offense	4	6	4
Injurious Behavior Status Offense	20	35	11
Child Abuse	17	9	4
Child Neglect	24	23	10
Child Custody Issues	0	0	0

JUVENILE COURT PLACEMENTS	2013	2012	2011
Out-of-Home Placements--Total	26	22	9
Parental Alcohol Use Related	1	2	0
Parental Drug Use Related	5	8	1
Parental Alcohol and Drug Use	0	0	0

CRIMINAL JUSTICE	FY2014	FY2013	FY2012
Drug Court Participants	0	0	0
Probation/Parole Admissions--Drug	31	20	23
Probation/Parole Admissions--DWI	5	5	1
Prison Admissions--Drug	14	12	17
Prison Admissions--DWI	3	3	6

¹ All Kansas City hepatitis and TB case reports are included in Jackson County totals and all Joplin case reports are included in Jasper County totals.

² Beginning with 2010 data, diagnosis counts for hospital and ER services are based on codes developed by the Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project.

³ Beginning in 2013, juvenile municipal violations, infractions, and violations of court orders are categorized as status offenses instead of law violations.