

# VERNON COUNTY



<b>DBH REGION</b>	Southwest
<b>DBH SERVICE AREAS</b>	
Substance Abuse	8
Adult Psychiatric	8B
<b>POPULATION</b>	
Census 2010	21,159
2013 Estimate	20,949

<b>EMPLOYMENT</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>
Labor Force	10,074	9,514	9,669
Employed	9,524	8,956	8,970
Unemployed	550	558	699
Unemployment Rate	5.5%	5.9%	7.2%

<b>SCHOOL REPORTS</b>	<b>2012-2013</b>	<b>2011-2012</b>	<b>2010-2011</b>
Enrollment Grades 9-12	977	958	980
Drop-outs	24	41	38
Drop-out Rate	2.5%	4.3%	3.9%
School Suspensions:			
Alcohol Incidents	1	1	4
Drug Incidents	6	17	8
Tobacco Incidents	0	0	0

<b>BIRTH RISK</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>
Resident Births--Total	263	253	218
Mother Reported Smoking while Pregnant	72	53	51

<b>DISEASE INCIDENCE</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>
HIV/AIDS Cases	2	0	0
Hepatitis B Chronic, Acute, Prenatal	1	0	0
Hepatitis C Chronic and Acute	1	22	16
Tuberculosis Infection Cases	1	6	0

<b>DEATHS and INJURIES</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>
Resident Deaths--Total	234	265	243
Suicides	2	3	7
Self-inflicted Injuries	27	53	45
Homicides	0	1	1
Assault Injuries	81	70	76
Alcohol Induced Deaths	3	3	2
Drug Induced Deaths	2	2	4
Smoking Attributable Deaths	43	48	46

<b>HOSPITAL EPISODES</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>
Hospitalization, no Emergency Room:			
Mental Illness Primary Diagnosis	2	183	230
Alcohol Primary Diagnosis	2	11	9
Drug Primary Diagnosis	2	7	7
Alcohol Related Diagnosis		56	76
Drug Related Diagnosis		56	80
Emergency Room + Hospitalization:			
Mental Illness Primary Diagnosis	2	233	128
Alcohol Primary Diagnosis	2	16	8
Drug Primary Diagnosis	2	14	10
Alcohol Related Diagnosis		86	65
Drug Related Diagnosis		98	56
Emergency Room, no Hospitalization:			
Mental Illness Primary Diagnosis	2	217	237
Alcohol Primary Diagnosis	2	42	32
Drug Primary Diagnosis	2	32	25
Alcohol Related Diagnosis		110	94
Drug Related Diagnosis		108	70

<b>TRAFFIC: IMPAIRED DRIVER</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>
Alcohol Involved Crashes--Total	25	23	13
Fatal Crashes	0	3	1
Injury Crashes	9	10	6
Property Damage Crashes	16	10	6
Crash Fatalities	0	4	1
Crash Injuries	10	17	7
Drug Involved Crashes--Total	6	1	4
Fatal Crashes	0	0	0
Injury Crashes	3	1	0
Property Damage Crashes	3	0	4
Crash Fatalities	0	0	0
Crash Injuries	4	0	0

<b>POLICE REPORTS</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>
DUI Arrests, DWI Tracking System	144	253	238
Liquor Law Arrests	34	37	59
Drug Arrests	72	56	107
Methamphetamine Lab Incidents	0	2	2
Violent Offenses	86	94	93
Property Offenses	1,192	847	734
Domestic Violence Reports	155	176	178

<b>JUVENILE COURT REFERRALS</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>
Juvenile Law Violations--Total	314	222	186
Violent Offenses	78	63	68
Alcohol Offenses	9	19	8
Drug Offenses	15	10	10
Status Offenses--Total	125	151	131
Truancy	41	79	62
Beyond Parental Control	52	41	40
Habitually Absent from Home	29	27	21
Injurious Behavior	3	4	8
Abuse/Neglect/Custody--Total	117	122	149
Abuse	27	20	25
Neglect	85	100	124
Custody Disputes	5	2	0

<b>JUVENILE COURT PLACEMENTS</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2010</b>
Out-of-Home Placements--Total	17	14	22
Parental Alcohol Use Related	4	0	0
Parental Drug Use Related	5	4	7
Parental Alcohol and Drug Use	1	0	0
Child Removed for Other Reason	7	10	15

<b>CRIMINAL JUSTICE</b>	<b>FY2013</b>	<b>FY2012</b>	<b>FY2011</b>
Drug Court Participants	31	29	29
Probation/Parole Admissions--Total	135	162	131
Probation/Parole Admissions--Drug	45	45	50
Probation/Parole Admissions--DWI	16	17	15
Prison Admissions--Total	66	63	56
Prison Admissions--Drug	18	20	14
Prison Admissions--DWI	3	3	5

<b>RETAIL ALCOHOL OUTLETS</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2011</b>
Alcohol On-Premise Drink Licenses	16	18	18
Alcohol Package Carry-out Licenses	22	21	24

- 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 Primary diagnosis counts for hospital and emergency room services are based on codes developed by the Healthcare Cost and Utilization Project.

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## DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH: SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND COMPULSIVE GAMBLING ADMISSIONS

Some individuals were admitted to more than one category of substance abuse treatment and are counted once in each treatment category they accessed during the fiscal year:

TREATMENT CATEGORY	FY2013	FY2012	FY2011
Detoxification	13	7	11
CSTAR Adolescent	9	7	*
CSTAR Women and Children	9	6	*
CSTAR General Adult	177	170	133
CSTAR Opioid	0	0	0
Primary Recovery Treatment	*	8	48
Clinical SATOP (CIP, YCIP, SROP)	22	21	12
Other Substance Abuse Treatment	0	*	0

SUBSTANCE ABUSE TRAFFIC OFFENDER PROGRAM (SATOP)	FY2013	FY2012	FY2011
Offender Management Unit	94	105	102
- Adolescent Diversion Education Program	0	0	0
- Offender Education Program	45	43	59
- Weekend Intervention Program	23	19	27
<i>(See also Clinical SATOP at left)</i>			
<b>OTHER SERVICES PROVIDED</b>			
Co-Dependency	9	9	9
Compulsive Gambling	0	0	0
Recovery Supports	*	*	6
Early Intervention	*	*	*

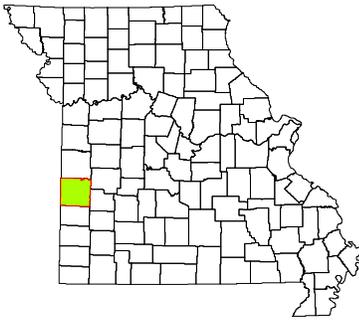
The profiles below summarize individuals admitted to Division of Behavioral Health substance abuse treatment programs. Individuals are counted only once, regardless of their number of admissions within the fiscal year. Individuals admitted only to non-substance abuse treatment categories listed in the box above-right are not included below. An asterisk (\*) in a data cell indicates the count was fewer than 5 and suppressed to avoid disclosure of identifying information:

NUMBER ADMITTED	FY2013	FY2012	FY2011
Total Individuals	217	209	182
<b>AGE</b>			
Under 18	10	8	6
18 to 24	40	41	35
25 to 29	32	43	34
30 to 34	40	31	25
35 to 39	29	17	22
40 to 44	13	17	25
45 to 54	42	45	30
55 and Over	11	7	5
<b>GENDER</b>			
Male	140	130	115
Female	77	79	67
<b>RACE / ETHNICITY</b>			
Caucasian	208	204	174
African American	*	*	*
Native American / Alaskan	0	0	*
Asian / Pacific Islander	0	0	*
Hispanic	*	*	*
Other Race / Two or More Races	*	*	*
<b>EDUCATION</b>			
Less than High School Diploma	71	66	62
High School Graduate or G.E.D.	106	107	77
Associate Degree or Some College	40	34	40
Bachelor or Advanced Degree	0	*	*
<b>EMPLOYMENT</b>			
Employed	51	57	45
Unemployed	63	52	56
Not in Labor Force	103	100	81
<b>HOUSING / LIVING ARRANGEMENT</b>			
Independent Living	189	178	157
Dependent Living	16	12	11
Homeless	6	6	9
<b>MARITAL / FAMILY STATUS</b>			
Never Married	94	104	71
Married / Cohabiting	69	55	68
Previously Married	54	50	43

PRIMARY DRUG PROBLEM	FY2013	FY2012	FY2011
Alcohol	86	87	79
Marijuana / Hashish	51	45	45
Cocaine (total)	0	*	*
- Crack	0	0	0
Stimulant (total)	58	53	33
- Methamphetamine	56	50	33
Heroin	*	5	*
Analgesic except Heroin	14	17	17
- Non-Prescription Methadone	0	0	0
PCP, LSD, other Hallucinogen	*	0	*
Tranquilizer	0	*	*
Inhalant	*	0	*
Sedative	*	0	*
Other Medication or Illicit Drug	*	0	*
Average Age at First Use of Drug	16.5	16.6	16.6
<b>INJECTION DRUG USE</b>			
Any Injection Use at Admission	27	29	16
- Daily Injection Use	*	*	*
- Weekly Injection Use	5	7	*
- Less than Weekly Injection Use	19	19	12
<b>LIFETIME DUI / DWI ARRESTS</b>			
0	124	127	108
1 or 2	54	55	47
3 or More	39	27	27
<b>TREATMENT REFERRAL SOURCE</b>			
Self / Family / Friend	91	64	66
School	0	0	0
Mental Health Provider	*	6	5
Health Care Provider	16	10	*
Court / Criminal Justice	89	108	88
Other Referral Source	18	21	19
<b>TREATMENT ACCOMMODATION</b>			
Pregnant when Admitted to any Episode	*	*	0
Military Veteran	10	7	8
Special Education Services Needed	18	23	20
Co-Occurring Psychological Problem	93	49	80
Co-Occurring Developmental Problem	16	7	7

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## DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH: PSYCHIATRIC SERVICES



**DBH REGION** Southwest  
**PSYCHIATRIC SERVICE AREA** 8B  
**CENSUS 2010** 21,159  
**2013 POPULATION ESTIMATE** 20,949

Individuals who received psychiatric services had the following types of disorders. The total number of diagnoses is larger than the number served because some individuals had more than one type of disorder.

<b>DIAGNOSIS CATEGORY</b>	<b>FY2013</b>	<b>FY2012</b>	<b>FY2011</b>
Adjustment Disorder	*	*	*
Anxiety Disorder	103	90	76
Dementia	*	*	*
Developmental Disorder	*	5	*
Impulse Control Disorder	26	39	37
Mood Disorder	167	162	161
Personality Disorder	22	17	14
Psychotic Disorder	57	61	46
Sexual Disorder	*	*	*
Other Diagnosis	6	9	6
Diagnosis Unknown	25	18	35

The profiles below summarize individuals who received clinical services from the Division of Behavioral Health psychiatric programs. Individuals are counted only once based on their first treatment episode of the fiscal year. Information that was not reported is listed as unknown. An asterisk (\*) in a data cell indicates the count was fewer than five (5) and suppressed to avoid disclosing identifying information.

<b>NUMBER SERVED</b>	<b>FY2013</b>	<b>FY2012</b>	<b>FY2011</b>	<b>EDUCATION</b>	<b>FY2013</b>	<b>FY2012</b>	<b>FY2011</b>
Total Individuals	267	268	266	Less than High School Diploma	84	52	33
<b>AGE</b>				High School Grad or G.E.D.	0	60	62
Under 6	0	*	*	Associate Degree or Some College	0	14	14
6 to 9	9	14	15	Bachelor or Advanced Degree	0	*	*
10 to 13	8	14	15	Education Level Unknown	183	138	156
14 to 17	12	16	14	<b>EMPLOYMENT</b>			
18 to 24	28	22	26	Employed	6	11	14
25 to 29	32	37	32	Unemployed	24	106	92
30 to 34	33	27	26	Not in Labor Force	160	34	5
35 to 39	27	29	26	Employment Status Unknown	77	117	155
40 to 44	23	29	26	<b>HOUSING / LIVING ARRANGEMENT</b>			
45 to 49	30	20	33	Independent Living	115	115	91
50 to 54	38	34	24	Dependent Living	62	28	39
55 to 59	13	12	14	Homeless	*	*	*
60 and Over	14	12	12	Other	0	*	7
Age Unknown	0	0	0	Housing Unknown	86	117	128
<b>GENDER</b>				<b>TREATMENT REFERRAL SOURCE</b>			
Male	117	128	117	Self / Family / Friend	167	159	168
Female	150	140	149	School	*	*	*
Gender Unknown	0	0	0	Mental Health Provider	21	35	36
<b>RACE / ETHNICITY</b>				Health Care Provider	49	38	23
Caucasian	256	257	257	Court / Criminal Justice	10	13	9
African American	*	*	*	Other	19	22	26
Native American / Alaskan	0	*	0	Referral Source Unknown	0	0	*
Asian / Pacific Islander	0	0	0	<b>TYPE OF COMMITMENT</b>			
Hispanic	*	*	*	Voluntary	257	254	252
Other Race	6	*	*	Civil	5	10	6
Race/Ethnicity Unknown	0	0	0	Criminal	*	*	*
<b>TREATMENT ACCOMMODATION</b>				Sexual Predatory	*	*	*
Hearing Impaired	9	9	8	Commitment Type Unknown	0	0	*
Past or Current Military Service	8	10	7				

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## MISSOURI STUDENT SURVEY

	2014	2012	2010		2014	2012	2010
<i>Percent of students who have ever used:</i>				<i>Percent who believe they risk harm if they use:</i>			
Alcohol	35.4	45.9	46.1	Alcohol (1 or 2 drinks daily)	49.1		
Cigarettes	22.0	31.4	28.8	Alcohol (Binge: 5+ drinks once or twice a week)	68.0		
Chewing Tobacco	10.3	19.3	21.1	Alcohol (any use)		61.5	80.8
Marijuana	5.6	15.7	9.9	Cigarettes (1+ packs per day)	80.6		
Inhalants	2.6	4.5	5.3	Cigarettes (any use)		75.8	83.9
Prescription medications not prescribed for student	3.7	10.6	8.9	Marijuana (once or twice a week)	78.0		
Over-the-counter medications for non-medical use	5.6	6.2	6.1	Marijuana (any use)		71.1	69.9
Methamphetamine	0.0	1.1	0.6	Other: Cocaine, LSD, Meth, Club Drug (any use)	91.8	91.8	93.5
Cocaine	0.0	0.9	1.5	<i>Percent of students who, in past 30 days:</i>			
Heroin	0.0	0.6	0.6	Were very sad	12.0	20.2	22.7
Hallucinogens	0.0	2.2	1.1	Were grouchy, irritable, or in a bad mood	25.1	31.7	28.5
Club drugs (Ecstasy, GHB, roofie, Special K, etc)	0.0	1.1	1.5	Felt hopeless about the future	7.7	10.6	14.3
Steroids not prescribed for student	0.8	1.4	1.5	Felt like not eating or eating more than usual	17.8	21.4	19.0
Synthetic drugs (K2, bath salts, Spice, etc)	3.4	11.2		Slept a lot more or a lot less than usual	8.8	22.1	25.7
<i>Average age of students' first use of:</i>				Had difficulty concentrating on school work	20.4	26.7	33.9
Alcohol	12.31	12.52	12.18	<i>Percent of students who, in past 12 months:</i>			
Cigarettes	13.00	13.01	11.93	Seriously considered attempting suicide	5.5	12.5	11.2
Marijuana	13.50	13.29	13.64	Made plan about how they would attempt suicide	4.0	10.5	8.7
Inhalants	13.15	13.77	11.63	Attempted suicide	2.2	3.9	5.4
<i>Percent of students who, in past 30 days, used:</i>				Attempted suicide and resulting injury, poisoning, or overdose had to be treated by doctor or nurse	0.4	1.2	1.5
Alcohol	17.2	24.6	22.6	<i>Percent of students who, in past 12 months:</i>			
Alcohol (Binge: 5+ drinks on one occasion)		19.8	15.5	Were threatened/injured with weapon at school	4.0	7.6	12.1
Cigarettes	11.6	18.2	11.7	Were in a physical fight	16.6	21.3	23.4
Chewing Tobacco	6.6	11.2	13.7	Were in a fight and had to be treated by a doctor or nurse	1.5	2.5	5.0
Marijuana	3.0	7.0	2.7	<i>Percent of students who, in past 3 months:</i>			
Inhalants	0.4	1.1	2.3	Were victims of mean rumors or lies spread at school	44.4	54.9	59.3
Prescription medications not prescribed for student	2.2	8.7	4.9	Were made fun of by others	60.8	64.3	71.4
Over-the-counter medications for non-medical use	3.0	4.2	3.6	Were victims of an embarrassing or hurtful text message or something posted on the Internet	13.3	27.1	20.1
<i>Percent of students who, in past 2 weeks, used:</i>				Spread mean rumors or lies about other kids at school	15.7	40.3	31.5
Alcohol (Binge: 5+ drinks on one occasion)	8.2			Made fun of other people	56.7	68.5	71.4
<i>Percent whose friends used in past 12 months:</i>				Posted something on the internet or sent a text that might embarrass or hurt another student	6.2	22.0	15.7
Alcohol	33.5	58.3	59.5	<i>Percent of students who agree that:</i>			
Cigarettes	33.0	49.9	45.2	Teachers notice and comment on student's good work	75.6	64.4	69.6
Marijuana	12.0	29.3	25.6	School provides feedback to parents on positive student performance	47.8	31.7	42.7
Other Illicit (Cocaine, LSD, Meth, Club Drug, etc)	6.2	15.2	13.3	Rules are enforced fairly	78.5	52.8	57.3
<i>Percent who would likely use, if offered by a best friend:</i>				Students of all races/ethnicities are treated equal	88.7	72.5	76.0
Alcohol	25.9	43.0	36.5	<i>Percent of students who agree that:</i>			
Cigarettes	10.6	20.7	13.0	Parents notice and comment on student's good work	86.0	78.4	84.7
Marijuana	6.3	11.2	6.1	Parents involve student in making family decisions	70.8	64.4	71.9
<i>Percent who say it would be wrong to use:</i>				It is important to be honest with parents regardless of consequences	88.4	85.1	83.1
Alcohol	61.0	52.2	58.6	Student could ask parent for help with a personal problem	82.8	74.9	80.7
Cigarettes	85.9	68.3	77.1	<i>Page Notes:</i>			
Marijuana	91.8	79.2	87.3	Similar affirmative response choices for individual questions are combined.			
Other Illicit (Cocaine, LSD, Meth, Club Drug, etc)	98.9	94.7	95.6	Blank data cells indicate estimates are not available for item or geographic area.			
<i>Percent whose parents would disapprove if they use:</i>				Survey is not conducted in every school district nor reported for every county.			
Alcohol	80.3	73.3	79.2	Estimates are not available for counties with small numbers of respondents.			
Cigarettes	90.6	86.6	90.9	Percentages are estimates based on weighted data.			
Marijuana	97.3	94.6	96.4	Some year-to-year differences in percentages are not statistically significant.			
<i>Percent who say it would be easy to obtain:</i>				<i>Data source: Missouri Institute of Mental Health, 2010-2014 Missouri Student Surveys</i>			
Alcohol	45.5	60.8	59.2				
Cigarettes	50.5	57.7	58.7				
Marijuana	15.7	36.9	31.0				
Other Illicit (Cocaine, LSD, Meth, Club Drug, etc)	5.6	20.7	21.3				