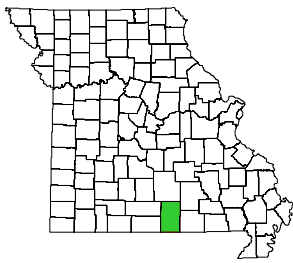


HOWELL COUNTY



DBH REGION	Southeast
DBH SERVICE AREAS	
Substance Use	18
Adult Psychiatric	18
POPULATION	
Census 2010	40,400
2016 Estimate	40,210

BIRTH RISK	2015	2014	2013
Resident Births	509	503	508
Mother Reported Smoking while Pregnant	135	125	162

DISEASE INCIDENCE ¹	2016	2015	2014
HIV/AIDS Cases	1	0	1
Hepatitis B Chronic, Acute, Prenatal	2	2	1
Hepatitis C Chronic and Acute	63	77	54
Tuberculosis Infection Cases	12	5	8

DEATHS and INJURIES	2015	2014	2013
Resident Deaths	535	497	547
Suicide	11	11	14
Homicide	0	2	2
Alcohol Induced Deaths	3	3	2
Drug Induced Deaths	3	6	7
Smoking Attributable Deaths	99	85	103
Self-inflicted Injuries *	51	99	82
Assault Injuries *	73	123	121

HOSPITAL EPISODES ²	2015	2014	2013
Hospitalization, no Emergency Room:			
Mental Illness Principal Diagnosis	592	532	573
Mental Illness Secondary Diagnosis	856	1,106	1,140
Alcohol Principal Diagnosis	72	81	81
Alcohol Secondary Diagnosis	86	66	83
Drug Principal Diagnosis	81	99	98
Drug Secondary Diagnosis	94	71	63
Emergency Room + Hospitalization:			
Mental Illness Principal Diagnosis	21	37	29
Mental Illness Secondary Diagnosis	133	162	144
Alcohol Principal Diagnosis	12	7	3
Alcohol Secondary Diagnosis	13	14	20
Drug Principal Diagnosis	1	4	5
Drug Secondary Diagnosis	15	29	12
Emergency Room, no Hospitalization:			
Mental Illness Principal Diagnosis	314	489	435
Mental Illness Secondary Diagnosis	1,196	2,554	2,936
Alcohol Principal Diagnosis	60	85	55
Alcohol Secondary Diagnosis	62	87	104
Drug Principal Diagnosis	71	63	59
Drug Secondary Diagnosis	98	112	87

ALCOHOL OUTLETS	2016	2015	2014
Alcohol On-Premise Drink Licenses	36	31	31
Alcohol Package Carry-out Licenses	45	47	50

EMPLOYMENT	2016	2015	2014
Labor Force	16,265	16,543	16,169
Employed	15,238	15,480	15,026
Unemployed	1,027	1,063	1,143
Unemployment Rate	6.3%	6.4%	7.1%

IMPAIRED DRIVING	2016	2015	2014
Alcohol Involved Crashes	32	30	42
Fatal Crashes	2	1	0
Injury Crashes	13	13	20
Property Damage Crashes	17	16	36
Crash Fatalities	2	1	0
Crash Injuries	16	16	27
Drug Involved Crashes	13	17	12
Fatal Crashes	1	1	0
Injury Crashes	7	10	8
Property Damage Crashes	5	6	4
Crash Fatalities	1	1	0
Crash Injuries	12	12	9

POLICE REPORTS	2016	2015	2014
DUI Arrests, DWI Tracking System	186	203	183
Liquor Law Arrests	19	33	26
Drug Arrests	435	429	376
Methamphetamine Lab Seizures	1	5	11
Violent Offenses	123	96	88
Domestic Violence Reports	242	507	511
Property Offenses	905	1,003	1,251

SCHOOL REPORTS	2015-16	2014-15	2013-14
Enrollment Grades 9-12	1,819	1,863	1,911
Drop-outs	17	24	16
Drop-out Rate	0.9%	1.3%	0.8%
School Discipline Involving Alcohol	0	4	0
School Discipline Involving Drugs	5	4	12
School Discipline Involving Tobacco	1	0	0

JUVENILE COURT REFERRALS	2016	2015	2014
Juvenile Violent Offenses	27	19	12
Juvenile Alcohol Offenses	8	17	10
Juvenile Drug Offenses	7	9	8
School Truancy Status Offense	100	137	100
Absent from Home Status Offense	28	28	17
Beyond Parental Control Status Offense	56	72	80
Injurious Behavior Status Offense	39	54	76
Child Abuse	4	17	33
Child Neglect	113	77	101
Child Custody Issues	49	27	24

JUVENILE COURT PLACEMENTS	2016	2015	2014
Out-of-Home Placements--Total	51	40	47
Parental Alcohol Use Related	0	0	1
Parental Drug Use Related	19	14	21
Parental Alcohol and Drug Use	2	0	0

CRIMINAL JUSTICE	FY2017	FY2016	FY2015
Drug Court Participants	11	13	14
Probation/Parole Admissions--Drug	108	122	105
Probation/Parole Admissions--DWI	6	11	17
Prison Admissions--Drug	28	33	36
Prison Admissions--DWI	2	1	4

* A value of less than 5 for this indicator is suppressed and displayed with a zero (0) to prevent the disclosure of identifying information.

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 Hospital counts for alcohol, drug, and mental disorders are based on ICD-9 and ICD-10 diagnosis codes selected by the Healthcare Cost and Utilization Program. Due to implementation of ICD-10 coding in October 2015, hospital and E.R. counts beginning in 2015 may not be comparable to prior years.