

# MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS CENTER OF LANCASTER COUNTY

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RE: Annual Report FY 19-20

The Crisis Center received 711 admissions during Fiscal Year 2019-2020, which reflects data from 616 different persons. A total of 4080 patient days were logged during this time period with an average length of stay of 5.74 days, versus 7.74 & 5.74 days the last two last FYs.

The percentage, this year, of persons dually diagnosed with substance abuse and mental illness was 43%, those with only a diagnosis of mental illness was 43%, while those with only a substance abuse diagnosis was 13%.

One hundred sixty four individuals (22%) attended a Mental Health Board Hearing. Forty two admissions resulted in commitment to an inpatient setting (5.9%) and stayed at the CC an average of 21.7 days vs 28.5 & 17 days the previous year. Those persons were placed as follows:

Placement	LRC	Mary Lanning	Lasting Hope	Richard Young	VA	Faith Regional	NRC	Fremont	Immanuel	Change to Out Patient & discharged	Not Yet Placed
2019-20	7	21	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	7	4
2018-19	14	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	0
2017-18	8	38	0	6	1	1	0	4	1	3	2

One hundred thirteen were placed on an outpatient commitment (16%) and stayed an average of 11.5 days. Eight were placed on a 90 day suspension. Five hundred forty two (76%) were released to community services with referral but no hold, and stayed on average 3.33 days. There were no board discharges.

The Crisis Center accumulated 939 post commitment bed days this fiscal year, 1403 last year.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

Scott Etherton

Mental Health Crisis Center

CC: Sanat Roy, Daniel Leggiadro,  
Mikayla Johnson, Chris Seifert, Lancaster County Commissioners.

LANCASTER COUNTY CRISIS CENTER  
DATA SUMMARY

07/01/19 - 06/30/20

Emergency Protective Custody & Mental Health Board Warrant

Number of Admissions	711
Number of Different Persons	616
Sex	
Female	255
Male	361
Race	
Caucasian	516
Black	59
Native American	16
Hispanic	2
Asian	13
Other	10
Age	
0-12	0
13-18	21
19-29	272
30-39	185
40-49	131
50-64	87
65-74	12
75 and over	3
Reason for EPC/MHB hold	
Danger to self	539
Danger to others	36
Danger to self & others	136
County of Admission	
Butler	12
Fillmore	6
Gage	34
Jefferson	14

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Emergency Protective Custody & Mental Health Board Warrant

Johnson	6
Lancaster	498
Nemaha	9
Otoe	36
Pawnee	1
Polk	4
Richardson	7
Saline	27
Saunders	20
Seward	17
Thayer	2
York	18
Employment Status	
Employed	178
Unemployed	438
Emergency Protective Custody	668
Mental Health Board Warrant	42
Diagnostic Categories	
Mental Illness	304
Chemical Dependency	97
Dually diagnosed (MICA)	304
Length of stay	
1 day	90
2 days	181
3 days	126
4 days	67
5 days	40
6 days	37
7 days	35
8 or more days	135
Average LOS (days)	6

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No. of client days	4182
Release Mechanism	
Committed Inpatient	42
Committed Outpatient	113
Board Discharged	0
Discharged with no hold	542
90 day suspension	8
Transferred prior to legal disposition	0
Destination at Discharge	
Residential Alcohol & Drug Treatment	24
Inpatient Psych Treatment	50
Community Services	592
Other (Jail or Medical)	39
Discharge Pending	6