MIDD 2024 Summary Report

Regional Policy Committee

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MIDD 2 Policy Goals

King County Code 4A.500.309

- **Divert** individuals with behavioral health needs from costly interventions, such as jail, emergency rooms and hospitals.
- Reduce the number, length, and frequency of behavioral health crisis events.
- Increase culturally appropriate, trauma-informed behavioral health services.
- Improve health and wellness of individuals living with behavioral health conditions.
- Explicit **linkage** with, and **furthering** the work of King County and community initiatives.



54 Initiatives Spread Across Five Strategy Areas

- 1. Prevention and Early Intervention
- 2. Crisis Diversion
- 3. Recovery and Reentry
- 4. Systems Improvement
- 5. Therapeutic Courts



2024 Key MIDD Accomplishments



Long-term decrease in psychiatric inpatient admissions



Long-term decrease in emergency department visits



Long-term decrease in jail bookings among adults



Long-term decrease in crisis service episodes among adults



Percent of youth with no additional crisis service episodes



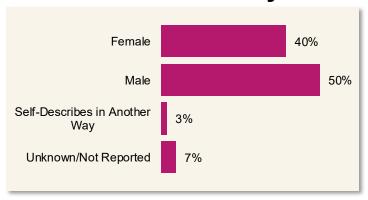
Participants linked to publicly funded behavioral health treatment



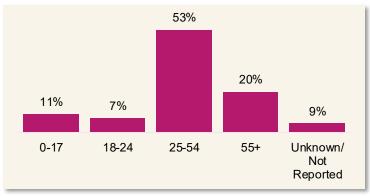
Who MIDD Served in 2024

TOTAL SERVED: 28,113

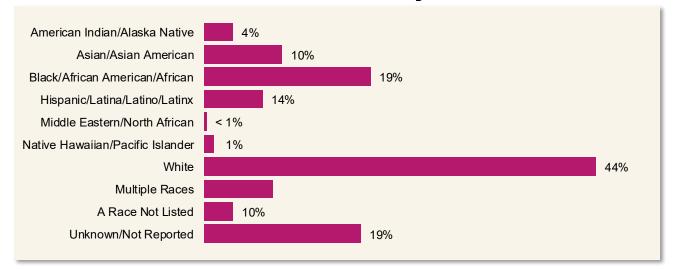
Gender Identity



Age Group (Years)

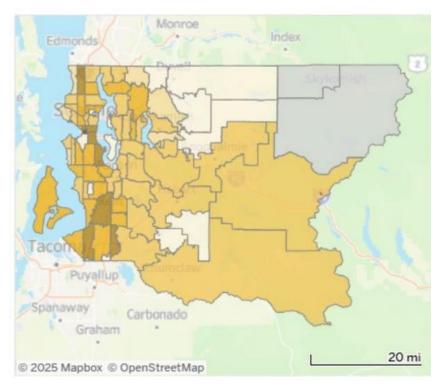


Race/Ethnicity



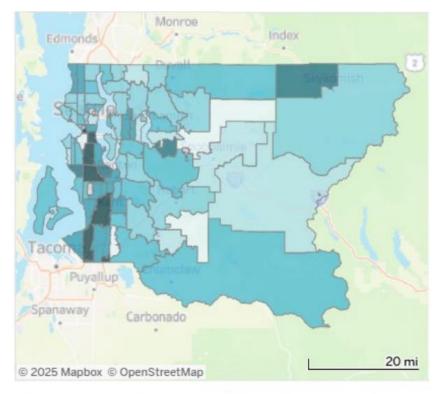


Where MIDD Participants Live

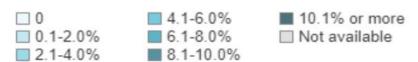


Number of MIDD participants in each ZIP Code based on last known residence. Darker-shaded ZIP Codes contain more MIDD participants.





Percentage of families in each ZIP Code whose household income is below the Federal Poverty Line (FPL). Darker-shaded ZIP Codes have a higher percentage of families living below the





2024 Areas of Focus

- Workforce: Growing and sustaining a diverse behavioral health workforce
- Substance Use: Addressing fentanyl surge and eliminating barriers to lifesaving medications for opioid use
- Access: Reducing barriers and increasing access to care
- Youth Wellbeing: Increasing youth access to behavioral health treatment
- Transitions to Care: Improving transitions between care settings to keep people engaged in treatment and services



Addressing opioid use disorder and overdose, reducing barriers to lifesaving medications for opioid use, and increasing mobile care responses

- Provided low barrier buprenorphine coordination and outreach to 1,300 individuals
- Distributed 199,960 naloxone kits and 123,858 fentanyl test strips
- 477 people received on-demand SUD care
- Over 1,700 people who called 911 in a crisis received a response by a mental health professional



Reducing Barriers and Increasing Access to Care

- Be Heard Community Listening Session
 Project partnered with 14 culturally centered community organizations to improve programming
- Community Driven and Rural Behavioral
 Health Grants provided tailored interventions to
 break down barriers to care
- Over 3,400 people not eligible for Medicaid received outpatient care
- 13,850 individuals received outreach and assistance to reconnect to outpatient behavioral health services



Presentation of findings from the Be Heard Listening Sessions: Community Voices on Mental Health and Wellness, funded through SI-01: Community Driven Behavioral Health Grants.



Increasing Youth Access to Behavioral Health Treatment

- More than 800 youth and their families received crisis stabilization service
 - 90% maintained stable housing
 - 85% avoided crises in the following year
- 14,400 youth were screened through School-Based Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT).
 - Participation among 13 of 19 King County Public School Districts
 - 160 School staff attested to completing training
- Seattle Public Schools launched district-wide opioid prevention and overdose response effort focused on teachers, students, and caregivers



2023-2024 Biennium Financial Report

STRATEGY AREA	2023-2024	2023-2024	Percent
	Budget	Actuals	Spent
Prevention & Early Intervention	\$51,245,320	\$43,787,640	85%
Crisis Diversion	\$65,520,595	\$59,308,695	91%
Recovery & Reentry	\$45,452,920	\$31,839,255	70%
System Improvement	\$14,143,362	\$12,052,970	85%
Therapeutic Courts	\$27,393,829	\$25,544,138	93%
Special Projects	\$20,779,000	\$17,020,695	82%
Administration & Evaluation	\$9,758,763	\$9,004,322	92%
Total	\$234,293,789	\$198,557,715	85%



2024 Data Dashboard

To fully explore MIDD's overall results, visit: 2024 MIDD Data Dashboard
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Who do we serve? Where do those served live? How are we performing? What are our long-term outcomes? How are we improving? How much do we invest? Evaluation Methods & Notes

2024 KEY HIGHLIGHTS

MIDD invests in the community broadly.





Questions?

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