



THE CHAMPION PLAN

City of Brockton, MA

Mayor Bill Carpenter



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Type of Treatment Received & Wait Time

Type of Treatment	Number (Percentage)
Detox	340 (87%)
Hospital	16 (4%)
Out-Patient	14 (4%)
CSS	4 (1%)
Refused Treatment	12 (3%)

There were 347 responses provided in the database for the wait time.

The **average wait time for a client** in the six month period was 109 minutes or approximately **1.8 hours**. Wait time is defined as being the time the client arrived at Gandara Center to the time a treatment bed is located for that client.

Age Range at First Intake

Age	Number (Percentage)
17 & under	0 (0%)
18-24	33 (12%)
25-29	75 (27%)
30-34	49 (18%)
35-39	41 (15%)
40-44	29 (10%)
45-49	23 (8%)
50-60	25 (9%)
61+	1(1%)
Unknown	3 (1%)

The average age for male clients was 35.8 and the average age of female clients was 33.4

Race & City of Residence

Race	Number (Percentage)
White	145 (81%)
Cape Verdean	12 (7%)
Hispanic	11 (6%)
African-American	7 (4%)
Other	3 (2%)

City of Residence	Number (Percentage)
Brockton	44 (45%)

Unique Client Risk Factors

Homeless as of Latest Intake

- Yes 181 (65%)
- No 98 (35%)

Homelessness is a major risk factor for this population. **Almost two-thirds (181)** of the clients were homeless as of the latest intake on file with the program.

City Homeless Spent Last Night

- Brockton 141 (78%)

More than three-quarters of the homeless clients spent the last night before coming to the Champion Plan program somewhere in the **City of Brockton**.

Unique Client Risk Factors

Witnessed an Overdose	Number (Percentage)
Yes	208 (75%)
No	68 (24%)
No Answer	3(1%)

Unique Client Risk Factors

Client Has Children

- Yes 162 (58%)
- No 108 (39%)
- No Answer 9 (3%)

Client Has Mental Health Diagnosis

- Yes 171 (61%)
- No 103 (37%)
- No Answer 5 (2%)

Type of Substance Last Used

Type of Last Used Substance

○ Heroin	146 (40%)
○ Alcohol	80 (23%)
○ Percocet	13 (5%)
○ Fentanyl	11 (3%)
○ Cocaine	8 (13%)
○ Xanax	4 (4%)
○ Suboxone	3 (2%)
○ Benzos	2 (2%)
○ Methadone	2 (1%)
○ Klonopin	2 (1%)
○ Other	5 (1%)
○ No Response	3 (2%)

Almost 50% of the responses to this question were some form of opiate including Heroin, Percocet, and Fentanyl. Heroin, 40% (146) was the most widely stated last used substance followed by alcohol at 23% (80). The other category included one instance involving Subutex, one involving marijuana, one involving K2, one involving Adderall, and one involving Coricidin.

Follow up Data

1. For the 392 unique clients served by the Champion Plan in 2016, program staff conducted at least 1 follow-up with 387 clients. Program staff have conducted **1,364 follow-up contacts for those 387 clients;**
2. In those instances where Champion Staff were able to reach clients or third parties such as treatment specialists or family/friends, evidence indicates many clients maintain **some connection to treatment. For example, there were 505 (50%) reports of clients being in "in-patient" treatment;**
3. Those contacted during follow-ups also reported maintaining additional supports. For example, there were **658 reports (66%) of clients working with recovery coaches.**

Client Exit Survey

- Over 90% of individuals report that the police cared and respected them
- 99% on individuals reported that Champion Plan staff cared and respected them.
- 99% of individuals reported that they will get the help they needed

Brockton Police Intake Data

- There was a total of 428 program intakes completed at the Brockton Police Station between 2/29/16 and 12/31/16.
- 7 (2%) individuals were arrested or told to go to the court to clear up outstanding warrants. These individuals were also told they could return once the warrant situation was resolved and enter the Champion Plan at that time.

It is very interesting to note that all seven of the individuals that were arrested or told to go to court to clear an active warrant actually did return to the police station to enter the Champion Plan program at some point. Two returned the same day, three returned within three days, and two returned at a later date. All of these individuals are also still active clients with the Champion Plan.

Current Statistics

- Total Unique Clients: 321
- Total Placements: 450



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