

Healthy People 2010 Operational Definition

18-8. Increase the proportion of juvenile residential facilities that screen admissions for mental health problems.

National Data Source	Juveniles in Residential Facilities Census (JRFC), National Center for Juvenile Justice.
State Data Source	Not identified
Healthy People 2000 Objective	Not applicable.
Changes since the 2000 Publication	None.
Measure	Percent.
Baseline (Year)	50 (2000)
Target	55
Target-Setting Method	10 percent improvement. For a discussion of target-setting methods, see Part A, section 4.
Numerator	Number of facilities for which all young persons are evaluated or appraised by a mental health professional at a location inside the facility.
Denominator	Number of facilities reporting in the JRFC.
Population Targeted	Residential facilities
Questions Used To Obtain the National Baseline Data	Not applicable.
Expected Periodicity	Biennial.
Comments	This objective moved from developmental to measurable during the Healthy People 2010 Midcourse Review. See Appendix A for focus area contact information.