

SYRINGE ACCESS PROGRAM (SAP) POINT-IN-TIME SURVEY RESULTS: PARTICIPANT DEMOGRAPHICS & PRACTICES

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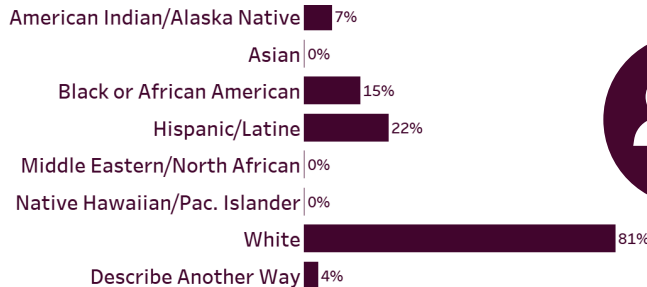
GENDER IDENTITY

Man **50%**

Woman **43%**

Trans or nonbinary **7%**

RACE & ETHNICITY



Average age of participants:

40

3 in 5

reported their housing status as **homeless**

INJECTION PRACTICES

In the past 30 days



1 in 10

participants used a syringe that may have been **used by someone else**

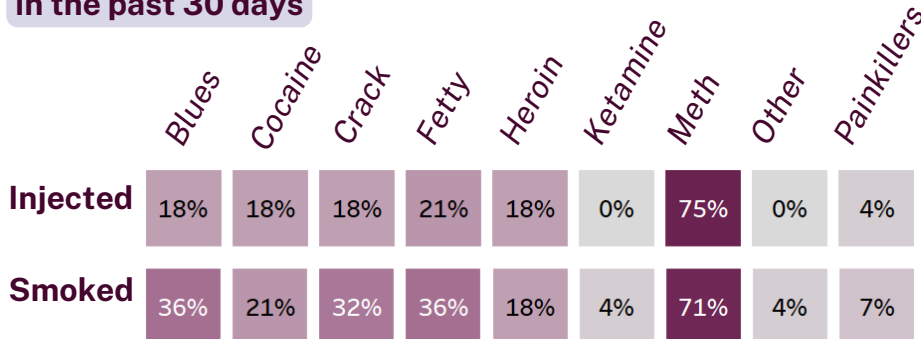


5 in 10

participants used a syringe that they had **already used on themselves**

DRUGS USED

In the past 30 days



86% reported **injecting** at least one drug listed

86% reported **smoking** at least one drug listed

Infographics & Data Details:



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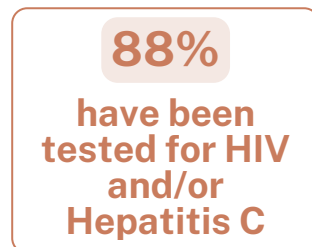
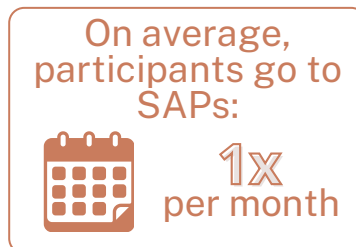
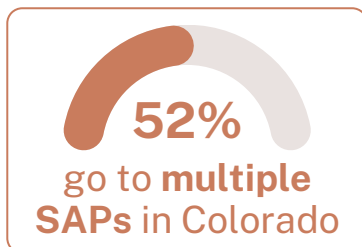
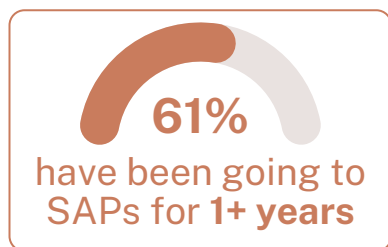
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SAP Services

Top services that people receive at SAPs



- 1 Safe drug use supplies
- 2 Syringe disposal
- 3 Fentanyl test strips
- 4 Naloxone

Other common services: condoms/lubes, xylazine test strips, wound care, food or clothing, hepatitis C testing, HIV testing, and vein care

Referrals

Top services that SAPs help people get connected to



- 1 Food/nutrition assistance
- 2 Shelter/housing assistance
- 3 HIV testing
- 4 Syphilis testing

Other common referrals: Mental/behavioral health, gonorrhea/chlamydia testing, hepatitis C testing, and substance use treatment

What type of support would you want at a SAP?

13 people wrote in a response, including:

“Housing, vouchers, showers”

“Getting clean”

“Moving/getting around and housing”

“Smoking bubbles access please”

“Homeless transportation”

“Just keep it up <3”

Infographic & Data Details:

