



PATH

Projects for Assistance in Transition from Homelessness

2002 State Profile

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FY 2003 Federal PATH Allocation: \$300,000

FY 2003 State Match: \$100,000

FY 2002 Federal PATH Allocation: \$300,000

FY 2002 State Match: \$100,000

PATH-funded Provider Organizations: 5

- 32 Staff (9 fulltime equivalent positions)

Statewide Program Data*

Persons Enrolled: N=414

- 34% Male
- 66% Female

Race/Ethnicity:

- 36% Black or African American
- 60% White
- 3% Hispanic or Latino
- 1% Other

Age:

- 0% Under age 18
- 38% Age 18 to 34
- 40% Age 35 to 49
- 19% Age 50 to 64
- 2% Age 65 and older

Housing Status at First Contact:

- 39% Outdoors/shelters
- 37% Private/subsidized housing
- 10% Residential treatment programs
- 1% Institutions
- 10% Jails
- 3% Other

Length of Time Homeless at First Contact:

- 83% 30 days or less
- 8% 31-90 days
- 6% 91 days to one year
- 3% More than one year

Principal Diagnosis:

- 30% Schizophrenia and other psychotic disorders
- 56% Affective disorders such as depression
- 9% Personality disorders
- 6% Other serious mental illnesses

Dual Diagnosis:

- 52% Co-occurring substance use and mental health disorders

* Based on FY 2002 data provided by the U.S. States and Territories per annual Federal requirement.

The PATH program is administered by the Center for Mental Health Services within the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

PATH Provider Profile for Arkansas

Organization	Federal PATH Funds	Persons Enrolled	Contact Person
Counseling Services of Eastern Arkansas 1825 East Broadway Forrest City, AR 72335	\$60,550	105	Teresa Martin Phone: (870) 633-0124 Fax: (870) 633-0172 Email: tmartin@mshs.org
Little Rock Community Mental Health Center 4400 Shuffield Drive P.O. Box 250337 Little Rock, AR 72205-4096	\$60,750	127	Veronica Goodloe Phone: (501) 686-9210 Fax: (501) 686-9618 Email: veronica.goodloe@lrcmhc.com
Mid-South Health Systems, Inc. 2707 Browns Lane Jonesboro, AR 72401	\$60,717	83	Michael Harris Phone: (870) 972-4095 Fax: (870) 972-4905 Email: mharris@mshs.org
Ozark Guidance, Inc. 2400 South 48th Street P.O. Box 6430 Springdale, AR 72766	\$60,400	68	Pamela Little Phone: (479) 750-2020 Fax: (479) 872-1335 Email: pam.little@ozarkguidance.org
Counseling Associates, Inc. #8 Hospital Drive Morrliton, AR 72110	\$60,298	31	Brynda Lilley Phone: (501) 354-1561 Fax: (501) 354-1564 Email: brynda@caiinc.org

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