

Supported Housing and Residential Services



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DBHDD Crisis Respite Apartments (CRA)

- Brief periods of crisis respite, support services, linkage to treatment and other community services
- Prevention of CSU, ER re-admission/re-hospitalization
- Transition from a higher level of care into the community
- Total capacity statewide: 41

Region	Provider
1	Cobb-Douglas CSB, Avita Community Partners
2	Advantage Behavioral Health Systems
3	View Point Health
4	Aspire Behavioral Health and Developmental Disability Services, Behavioral Health Services of South Georgia, Georgia Pines Community Service Board
5	Gateway Behavioral Health Services, Pineland CSB
6	McIntosh Trail CSB

DBHDD Crisis Respite Apartments (CRA)

- FY 2017 referrals
- Total served in CRA
 - FY 2017 Quarter 1 and Quarter 2: 231

Referral Source	%
DBHDD Core Providers	35%
CSU/Inpatient Hospitals	50%
Homelessness	10%
Other: (jails, prisons, mobile crisis, ER	5%

DBHDD Community Residential Rehabilitation

DBHDD Residential Services:

- Staff support and supervision in residential settings
- Skills training, community integration activities, and personal support services/activities to restore and develop skills in functional areas that interfere with the individual's ability to safely live in the community, continue with recovery, and increase self-sufficiency
- 32 providers of residential support services
- 1,921 statewide capacity for residential rehabilitation
- Residential levels of care:
 - 22% intensive: 24-hour/on-site supervised; 5 hours of skills training
 - 29% semi-independent: 36-hour/on-site supervised; 3 hours of skills training
 - 49% independent: minimum of one contact per week; 1 hour of skills training

DBHDD Supported Housing

- Since signing of the settlement agreement with the U.S. Department of Justice, DBHDD has assisted approximately 3,951 people with housing through the Georgia Housing Voucher Program.
- Of those 3,951, the majority were previously homeless.
- DBHDD prioritizes creating access to supported housing options that are integrated into the community for people with a serious and persistent mental illness.

DBHDD Supported Housing

Funding for transition into the community and rental assistance for the **target population**:

- **Georgia Housing Voucher**

- Assists eligible individuals with attaining and maintaining safe and affordable housing and supporting their integration into the community

- **Bridge Funding**

- Provides security and utility deposits, household necessities, accessibility modifications, and other start-up expenses and or supports needed for eligible individuals to transition into community supported housing.

Georgia Housing Voucher and Bridge Funding Programs

As of January 1, 2017:

- 87% of total supported housing units are scattered site (vs. congregate site) locations

Supported Housing

- Long-term housing stability includes those receiving GHVP assistance, those transferred to the Department of Community Affairs' Section 8 program, and those who left the program under positive circumstances

Fiscal Year	Remaining Housed	Percent
2011	76 out of 114	67%
2012	299 out of 463	65%
2013	236 out of 340	69%
2014	448 out of 606	74%
2015	663 out of 870	76%
2016	692 out of 795	87%
2017	415 out of 423	98%
Total housed >6 months	2,738	94%

Supported Housing Referral Sources

Prior living status of individuals currently receiving the GHV

Homeless	2,362	55%
Other Residential	599	14%
Hospital	458	11%
Jail/Prison	214	5%
Other	657	15%

Supported Housing Settlement Extension Targets

Georgia Housing Voucher and Bridge Funding

Target:	Status:
By June 30, 2017, an additional 300 individuals served (2,400 total) via bridge funding	3,886 people have received bridge funding (162% of goal)
By June 30, 2017, an additional 275 (2,633 total) individuals will receive the GHV	3,611 people have received the GHV (137% of goal)

DBHDD Housing Need and Choice Survey

- Settlement Extension targets:
 - Determination of Need for Supported Housing
 - ❖ Housing need and Choice Survey

Phase I total completed surveys: 2,706	649 (24%) in need of supported housing
Phase II total completed surveys: 818	309 (38%) in need of supported housing

Supported Housing Capacity Building

- Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA) to increase capacity for target population to access supported housing options
 - 811 Program
 - Shelter Plus Care
 - Housing Choice Voucher Program/Section 8