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Client Profile 2014



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The purpose of this brief is to present current information on the youth and young adults being served in the Crossings Program operated by St. Jude's Ranch. A file review of the current 13 clients and prior 29 graduates from the program was conducted. Specifically coded were both outcomes (i.e., job placement, housing, GED completion, financial literacy). In addition the special needs of the young adults were considered (i.e., delinguency or criminal history, mental health issues,

Note: Hispanic represents White Hispanic.

addiction issues, history with child protective services and commercial sexual exploitation (CSEC)).

Demographics:

The Program housed 42 clients in the past 9 months (e.g., current residents or graduates since December 15, 2013). The demographics of these young adults are presented below.

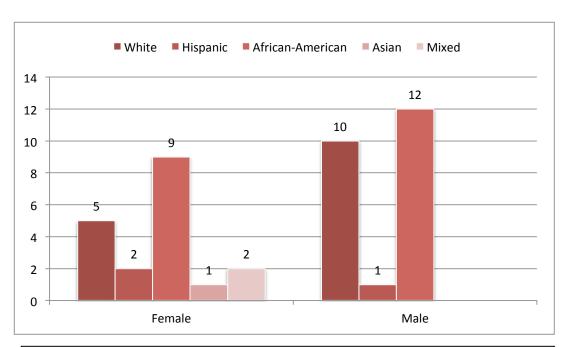
Ethnicity is presented below.

Gender: Female: 19 Male: 22

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The average age was 20.2 (7 18 year olds, 10 - 19, 5 - 20, 9 - 21, 7 - 22, 2 - 23, and 1 23 year old).

The average length of stay was 129 days with a range from 3 days to almost a year.



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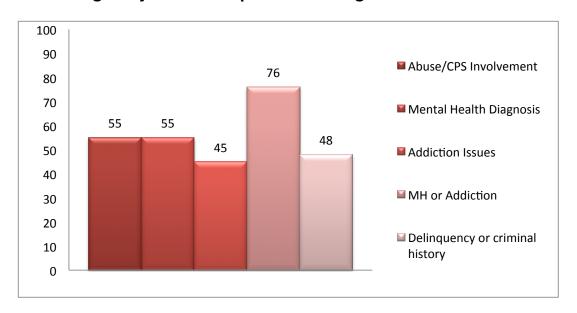
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Most recent graduates

Among the most recent 29 graduates, high rates of special needs were reported that makes serving these young adults harder to help. The high rates of abuse history, mental health diagnoses, and involvement with the criminal justice system are presented below. Among the 11 female graduates over the past 9 months, 2 (18%) were victims of commercial sexual exploitation.

Percentage of youth with special challenges



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