

May 2020 MONTHLY HAPPENINGS

SCDDO

Total Individuals Eligible	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2020	2598	2593	2598	2600	2599								2598
2019	2534	2530	2540	2549	2543	2547	2554	2562	2564	2573	2571	2588	2558
2018	2525	2514	2517	2520	2523	2529	2543	2543	2544	2532	2533	2535	2530
Individuals Waiting for Services	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2020	994	989	983	985	985								987
2019	935	932	946	955	946	952	954	958	955	967	968	978	954
2018	949	916	919	924	918	866	904	928	930	932	937	936	922
Options Counseling Transactions	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2020	181	93	235	68	44								124
2019	36	83	66	74	60	52	68	60	66	74	58	85	65
2018	106	70	65	70	60	99	94	53	56	73	39	39	69
Intakes Completed	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2020	8	10	11	2	2								7
2019	11	7	11	9	15	4	4	8	8	11	10	3	8
2018	16	9	10	9	7	8	11	17	8	10	10	6	10
Functional Assessments Completed	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2020	168	167	138	151	144								154
2019	164	138	155	148	136	162	169	162	174	162	160	156	157
2018	163	135	154	148	168	149	150	163	163	166	165	162	157

- During the month of May, Quality Assurance staff have adapted reporting of incidents to include COVID-19 testing. Tracking began March 23, 2020 which has allowed for trending of data to shape conversations with providers and our local health department. Quality oversight continues by engaging around complaints/concerns from guardian and other stakeholders during program closures and continued shelter in place.
- The SCDDO Network Reopening Workgroup continued to meet in May. The objective was to develop standard guidance on policies and procedures for safely providing IDD services as the community begins to reopen after the stay at home order expired. This guidance was consolidated into the Safe Start Transition Plan Recommendations for Affiliates. All affiliated providers are required to submit their Safe Start Transitions Plans to the SCDDO for review and acceptance. Providers began submitting their plans to the SCDDO in mid-May.
- While the SCDDO was working on its Safe Start Transition Plan process, the State of Kansas issued guidance requiring any provider of day supports which closed due to the pandemic to develop a plan to restart services consistent with the Governor's Ad Astra Plan to Reopen Kansas. Sedgwick County's Safe Start Transition Plan process met the requirements and fit well with state's intent for providers to utilize public health guidance as they consider restarting services.
- SCDDO collaborated with Sunflower Health Plan and the Sedgwick County Department on Aging to distribute face masks to HCBS providers to use with persons served in Sedgwick, Butler, Cowley and Sumner Counties.
- SCDDO staff continue to work with Medisked to implement a new electronic medical record software system. The project is scheduled to be complete by the end of calendar year 2020.