

Estimates of Admissions by Broad Categories of Drugs Abused (2026 Q1)

Type of drug treatment programme	Admission in 2025 Q1				Admission in 2026 Q1				% Change (Compare 2026 Q1 with 2025 Q1)			
	Estimates by broad category of drugs abused [@]			Total Admissions	Estimates by broad category of drugs abused [@]			Total Admissions	Estimates by broad category of drugs abused [@]			Total Admissions
	Narcotics Analgesics Only	Psychotropic Substances Only	Both		Narcotics Analgesics Only	Psychotropic Substances Only	Both		Narcotics Analgesics Only	Psychotropic Substances Only	Both	
Methadone Treatment Programme *	387	1	62	450	318	2	88	408	-17.8%	+100.0%	+41.9%	-9.3%
Drug Addiction Treatment Centres Programme ⁺	4	56	1	61	3	94	6	103	-25.0%	+67.9%	+500.0%	+68.9%
Substance Abuse Clinics [#]	0	159	18	177	0	186	21	207	N.A.	+17.0%	+16.7%	+16.9%
Voluntary Residential Drug Treatment & Rehabilitation Programmes ⁺	119	172	42	333	67	186	36	289	-43.7%	+8.1%	-14.3%	-13.2%
Community-based Counselling Programmes for Drug Abusers (including counselling centres for psychotropic substance abusers and centre for drug counselling) ⁺	5	302	4	311	4	257	4	265	-20.0%	-14.9%	0.0%	-14.8%
Overall	515 (39%)	690 (52%)	127 (10%)	1 332 (100%)	392 (31%)	725 (57%)	155 (12%)	1 272 (100%)	-23.9%	+5.1%	+22.0%	-4.5%

Notes: [@] Estimated based on programme-specific drug abuser statistics collated by the CRDA.

* The figures include new admissions and re-admissions. Re-admission refers to the numbers of patients who had not attended methadone clinics for consecutive 28 days or more and subsequently came back to use the services during the reporting period.

+ The figures denote the combination of new admissions and re-admissions during the period.

New case / first attendance (include alcoholic abusers)