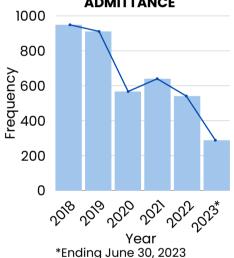
TRENDS IN ALCOHOL-RELATED HEALTH CARE VISITS AMONG YOUNG ADULTS AGED 18-24

This infographic describes alcohol-related inpatient, outpatient, and ED visits for young adults in Nassau County from <u>January 1, 2018, to June 30, 2023</u>.

- Nassau County had 3,917 alcohol-related visits between January 1, 2018 and June 30, 2023 for those aged 18-24 years.
- 2 out of 3 visits occurred on Friday, Saturday, or Sunday.
- The majority of visits were to the Emergency Department.
- Fifty-nine percent of alcohol-related visits were male.
- Twenty-four-year-olds experienced the highest rate of alcohol-related visits.
- The majority of visits identified as White (62%) or non-Hispanic/Latino (68%).
- Alcohol use, mental disorders, and use of other drugs commonly co-occur.
 - o 17% of alcohol-related visits were diagnosed with at least one psychiatric disorder.
 - 13% of alcohol-related visits also consumed cannabis or other substances.

ALCOHOL-RELATED VISITS FOR YOUNG ADULTS (AGED 18-24) BY YEAR OF ADMITTANCE

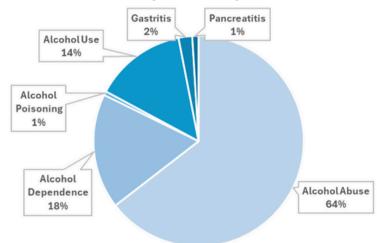


dependence as a chronic disease characterized by a strong desire to drink alcohol, difficulty controlling its use, increased tolerance, and repeated substance use despite harmful consequences. Alcohol abuse is defined as a pattern of drinking that contributes to physical and psychological harm. Alcohol use refers to occasional drinking. (Data Source:

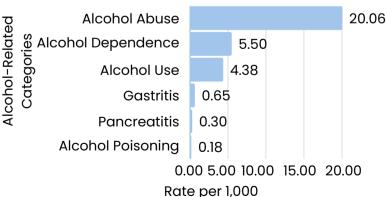
World Health Organization, 1992).

The ICD-10 defines alcohol

CUMULATIVE ALCOHOL-RELATED VISITS FOR YOUNG ADULTS (AGED 18-24) BY DIAGNOSIS



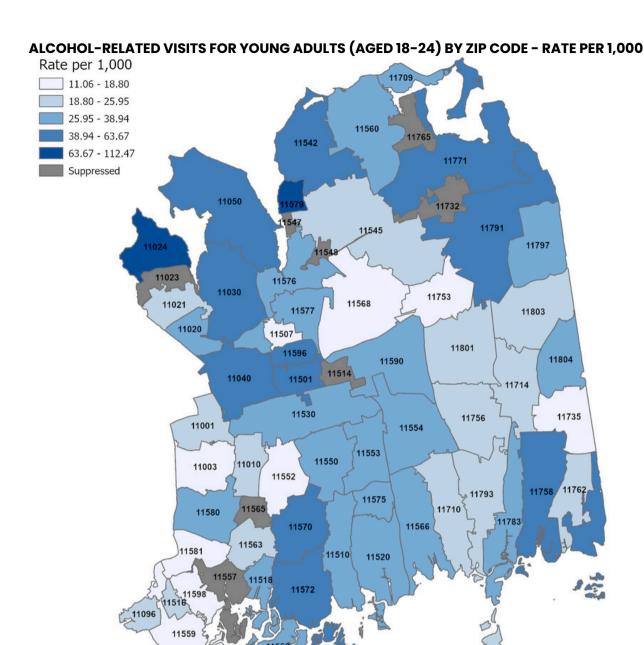
CUMULATIVE ALCOHOL-RELATED VISITS FOR YOUNG ADULTS (AGED 18-24) BY DIAGNOSIS - RATE PER 1,000



The data from this infographic is described in greater detail in Nassau County's Alcohol and Youth Report. Refer to this document for more detailed analysis.







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