The Virginia Acute Psychiatric and CSB Bed Registry

Psychiatric Bed Registry stakeholders meet periodically to discuss enhancements, feedback, and the utility of the registry.

A feedback survey is being sent out to all users.

Cleopatra Booker, Psy.D. was hired as the Psychiatric Bed Registry Consultant on June 25, 2014.

70 facilities update the registry and over 1,800 mental health professionals in Virginia have access to the registry.

The website can be used to search for beds and update psychiatric bed census using a laptop, Smartphone, tablet, etc.
Average Daily Updates

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If a facility has not updated their registry in 24 hours they are notified by VHI and DBHDS.

**House Bill 2118 and Senate Bill 1265**

Effective July 1, 2015: an update to the psychiatric bed registry is required whenever there is a change in bed availability, or, if no change in bed availability has occurred, at least daily.

The Psychiatric Bed Registry is used on average more than 2,500 times a month for possible bed searches or for general information gathering purposes. The Psychiatric Bed Registry reflects updated information immediately.

Benefits

- Assists emergency services clinicians by targeting hospitals/CSUs to consider contacting first based on availability of beds.

- Over 35,000 searches since March 2014.

- Captures information that monitors, measure, and evaluate usage of the registry and bed availability.
Limitations

• The accuracy, credibility and reliability of the bed registry system depends on the frequency of its updates;

• Having an “available bed” is necessary information but not sufficient to actually access a bed for needed care;

• The registry does not replace the need to communicate clinical information; and

• The data relies heavily upon the users and does not account for all of the searches for psychiatric beds.

VA Psych Bed Registry Login Page

www.vhi.org/pbr/
Updating Beds:

DBHDS #801999
Psychiatric Bed Census

Click here to update Payer Types and PBR Comments

Once finished making changes, please click: Save your changes

No beds available at this time

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Example: Bed Registry Dashboard

PBR Statewide Dashboard

Virginia Department of Behavioral Health & Developmental Services
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