

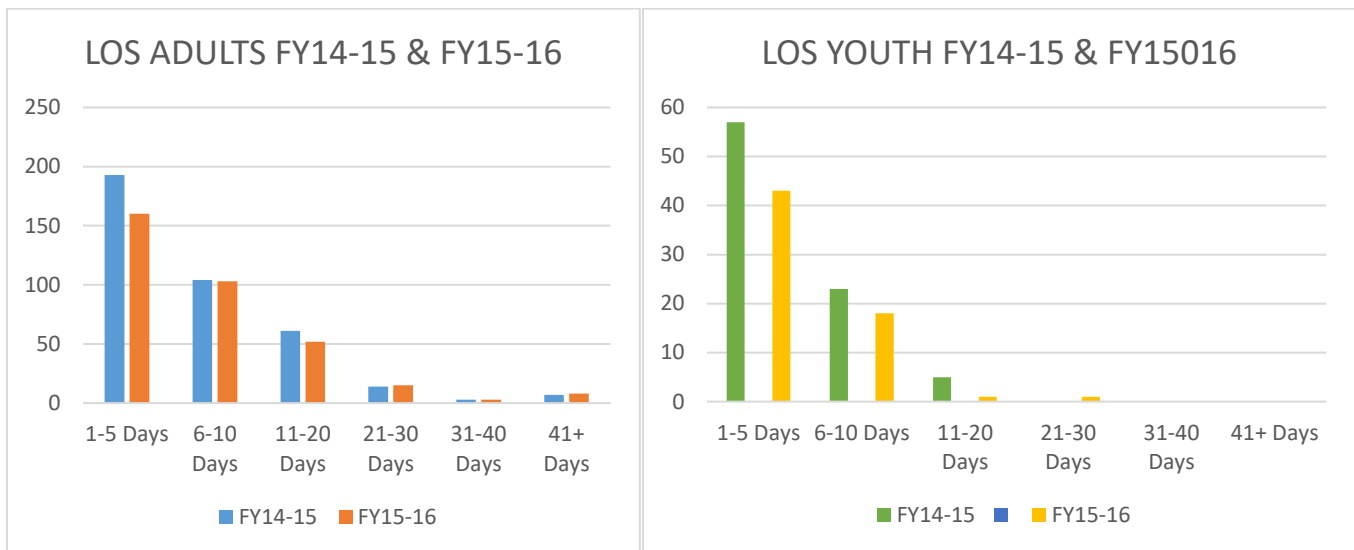
Hospital Length of Stay Rates

Introduction

County MHP monitors length of stay rates of psychiatric hospitalizations for adults & youth.

- The County monitors lengths of inpatient psychiatric stays of Medi-Cal beneficiaries.
- The County tracks LOS for 1-5, 6-10, 11-20, 21-30, 31-40 and 41+ days of stay for psychiatric hospitalizations.
- The County Tracks the total number of hospitalizations per beneficiary and average length of stay per fiscal year.

Results for FY14-15 & FY15-16



Description: The MHP tracks the length of stay for each psychiatric hospitalization.

Frequency: Reported annually available approximately 4 weeks after the end of each quarter. Goal is to have LOS no longer than 5 days.

Calculation: Numerator: Number of Medi-Cal hospitalizations with LOS of 5 days or less.

 Denominator: Number of Medi-Cal hospitalizations.

FY14-15 Youth met goal 68% FY15-16 Youth met goal 67%

FY14-15 Adults met goal 50% FY15-16 Adults met goal 47%

(Data Source: TARS in Avatar and Hospital Data Base)