

HB 4002 Data Update

*Criminal Justice System Impact
and Deflection Program Enrollment/Details*



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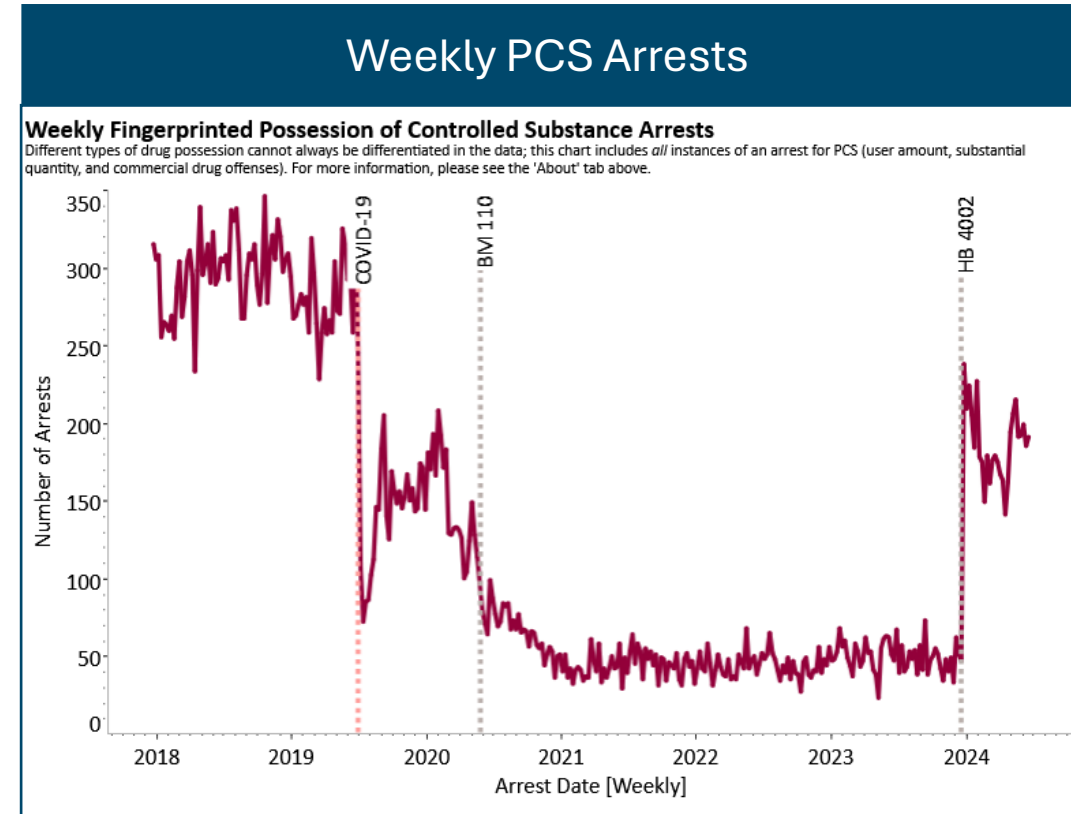
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ARRESTS

PCS Arrest Trends

- Between 9/1/2024 and 3/5/2025, 5,009 arrests have been logged in LEDS for PCS of *all types* (i.e., drug enforcement misdo, A misdo, and felony).
- Pre-COVID, arrests averaged 300 per week. After an initial peak in Sep 2024 of 218 arrests per week, weekly averages have fallen to ~170.
- Consistently, around 25% of PCS arrests do not include any other charges.
- The most common co-occurring crimes are for Crim Trespass II (422), FTA II (318), Theft II (320), Felon in Possession (274), and Parole Violation (276).



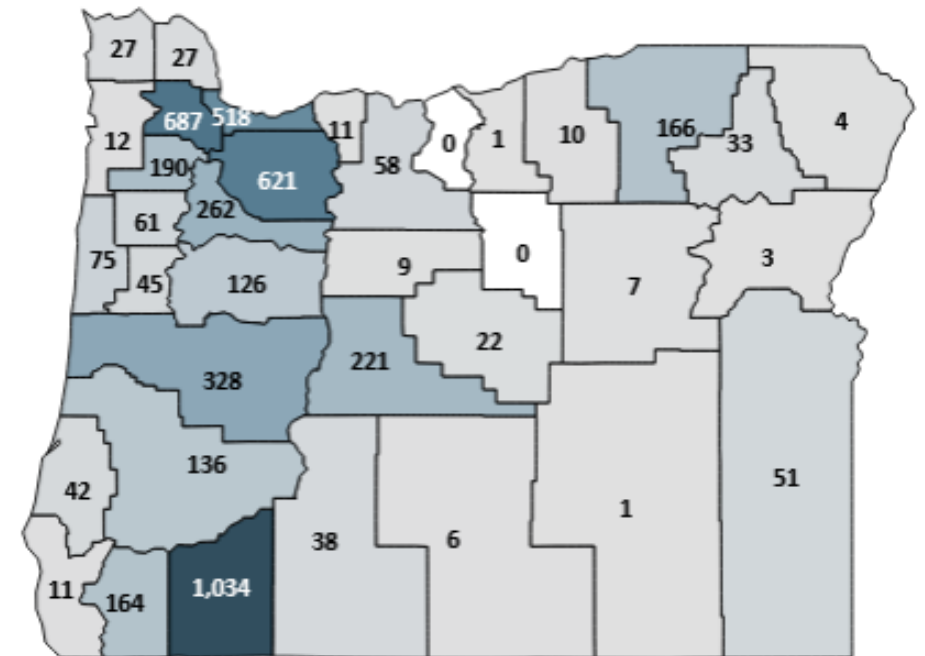
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ARRESTS

PCS Arrest Trends

- The most active county for arrests has been Jackson County, with the City of Medford accounting for most of those arrests.
- Arrest volume has also been high in the Portland metro region as well.

Distribution of Arrests by County



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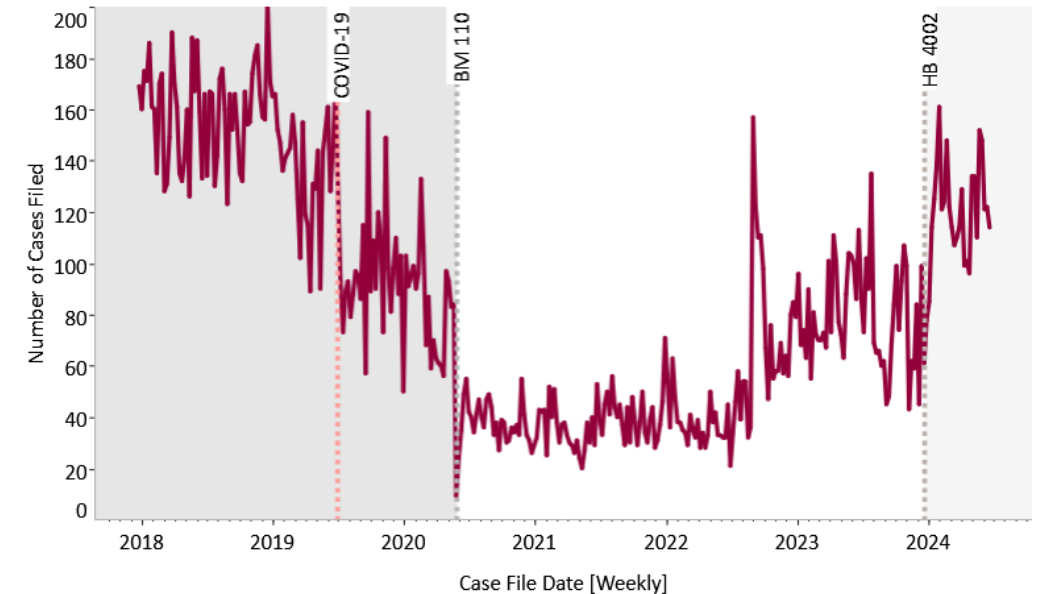
CASES

PCS Circuit Court Case Trends

- Between 9/1/2024 and 3/3/2025, 3,151 **DEM cases** have been filed in Oregon Circuit Courts.
- Like arrests, case volume has been similar to the COVID-19 period before the passage of BM110.
- 1,670 (~53%) cases are for a standalone PCS charge.
- The most common co-occurring charges are for Crim Trespass II (296), Theft II (221), Theft III (165), ID Theft (116), and Giving False Info to LEO (116).

Weekly PCS Circuit Court Cases

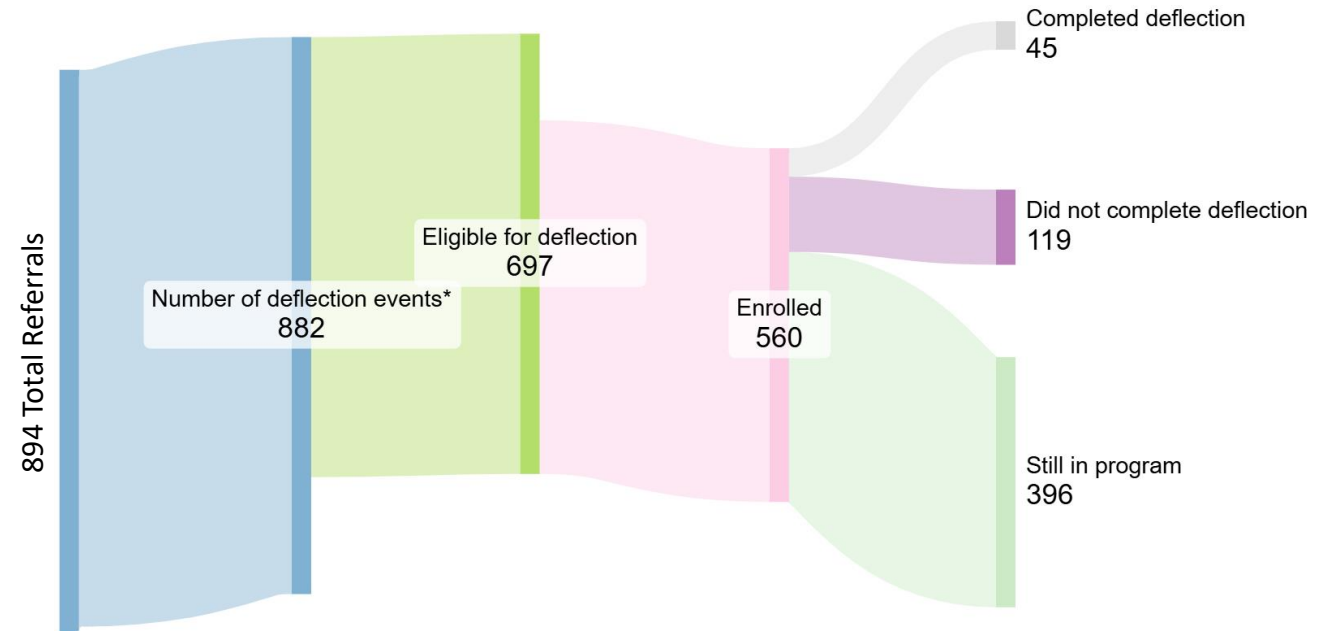
Weekly Cases Filed for User-Quantity Possession of Controlled Substances
Data includes class A misdemeanors prior to BM110, class E violations prior to HB4002, and drug-enforcement misdemeanors (DEM) after HB4002 implementation.



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DEFLECTION

- Deflection counties must report deflection data to the CJC via the REDCap data system.
 - REDCap is maintained by OHSU/PSU SPH
 - Grantees are expected to report monthly.
 - It is important to note that programs have different start dates.
- 894 referrals have been made to deflection statewide for 841 people.
 - 809 people have one referral
 - 25 people with two referrals
 - 5 people with three referrals
 - 2 with four referrals

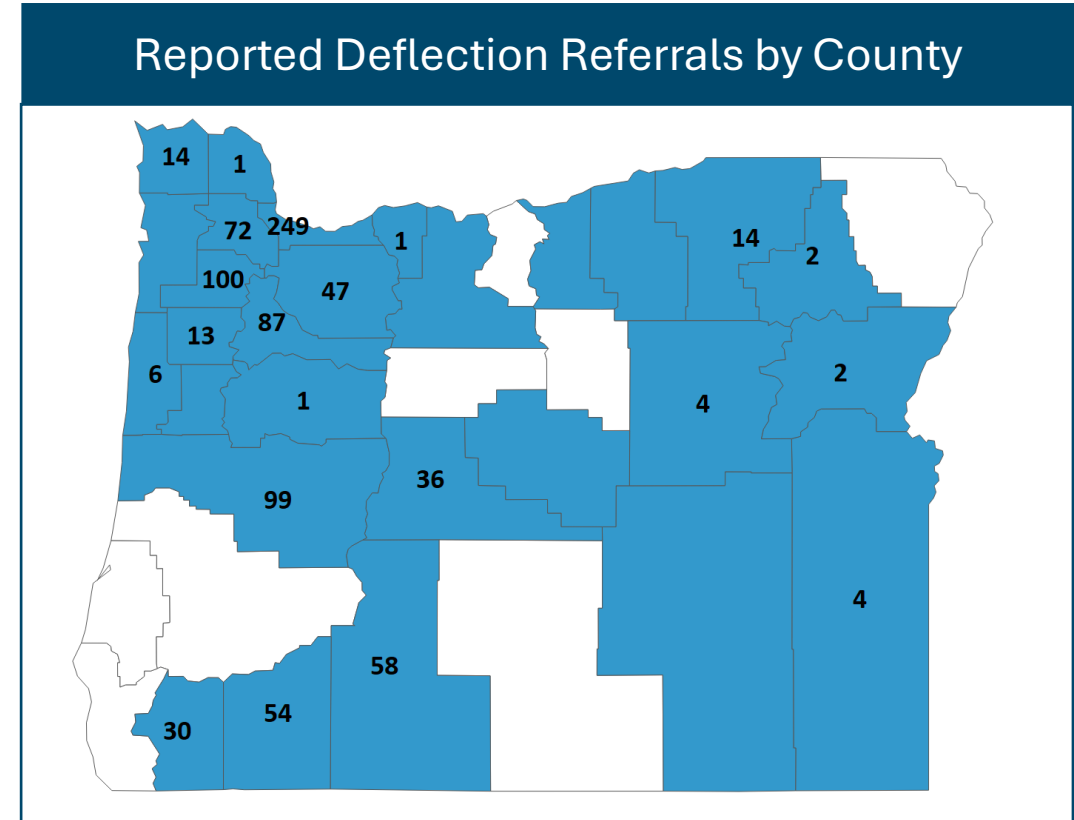


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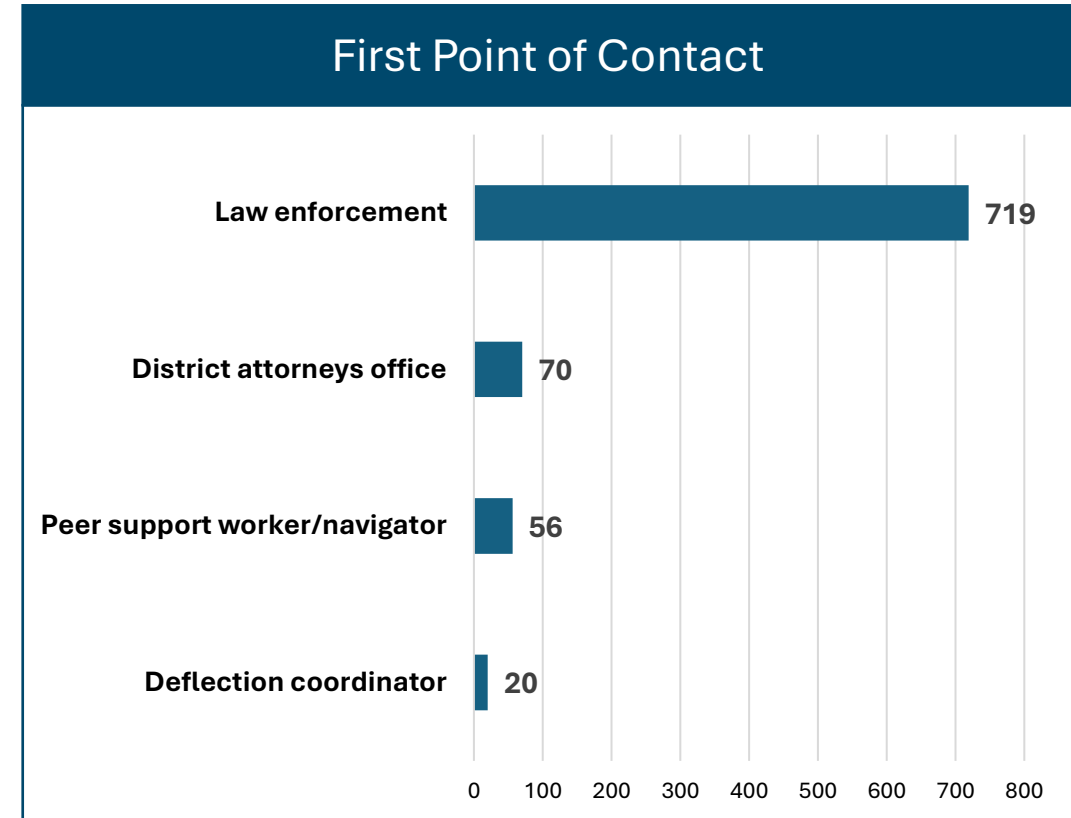
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HOW DO PEOPLE GET REFERRED TO DEFLECTION PROGRAMS?

First Point of Contact

- The vast majority of referrals come via law enforcement.
- Grantees are exploring other methods of referral, including community referrals. The structure of some local programs makes incorporating these referrals somewhat complex.



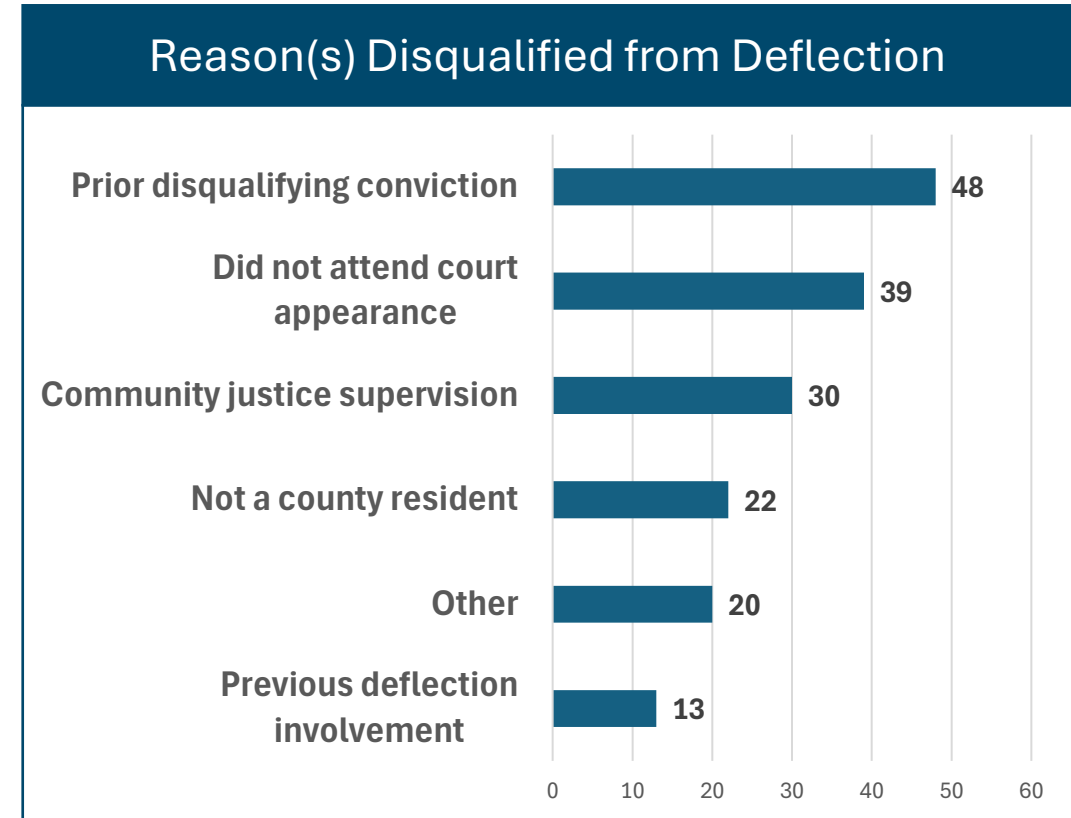
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WHO ENTERS DEFLECTION FOLLOWING REFERRAL?

Deflection Disqualification

- Approximately 1 in 5 referrals are determined to be ineligible for deflection services.
- While some individuals fail to follow through on their deflection referral, most ineligible referrals are due to program eligibility requirements (e.g., must be a county resident, can't be on supervision)



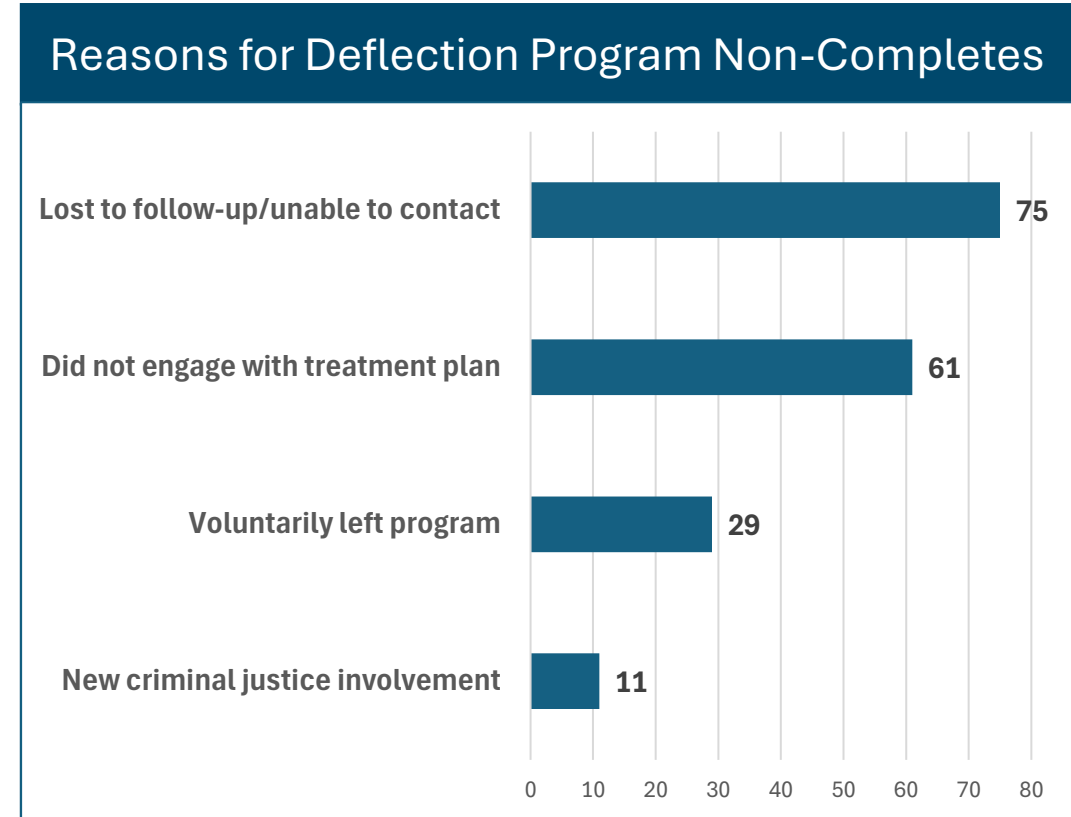
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WHY DON'T SOME PEOPLE COMPLETE THE PROGRAM?

Deflection Program Failure

- There can be multiple ways an individual can fail to complete deflection. Sometimes, more than one reason is cited.
- Many failures occur at program initiation when folks fail to engage immediately after referral.
- A smaller proportion engage in new criminal activity or leave the program sometime after starting.



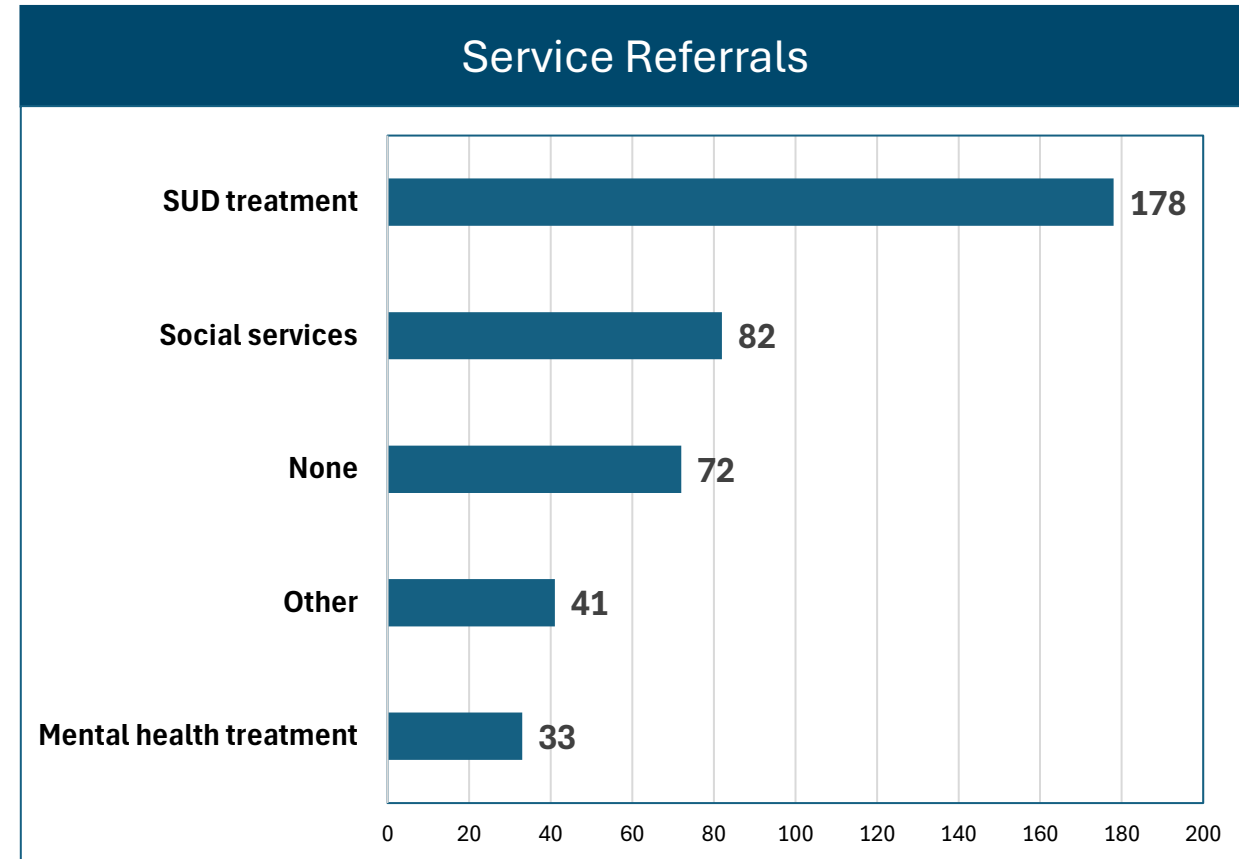
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SERVICE REFERRALS

Referrals

- Many individuals engaged in deflection have needs that cut across multiple service types and providers.
- SUD treatment referrals happened the most often, both alone and combined with other referrals.

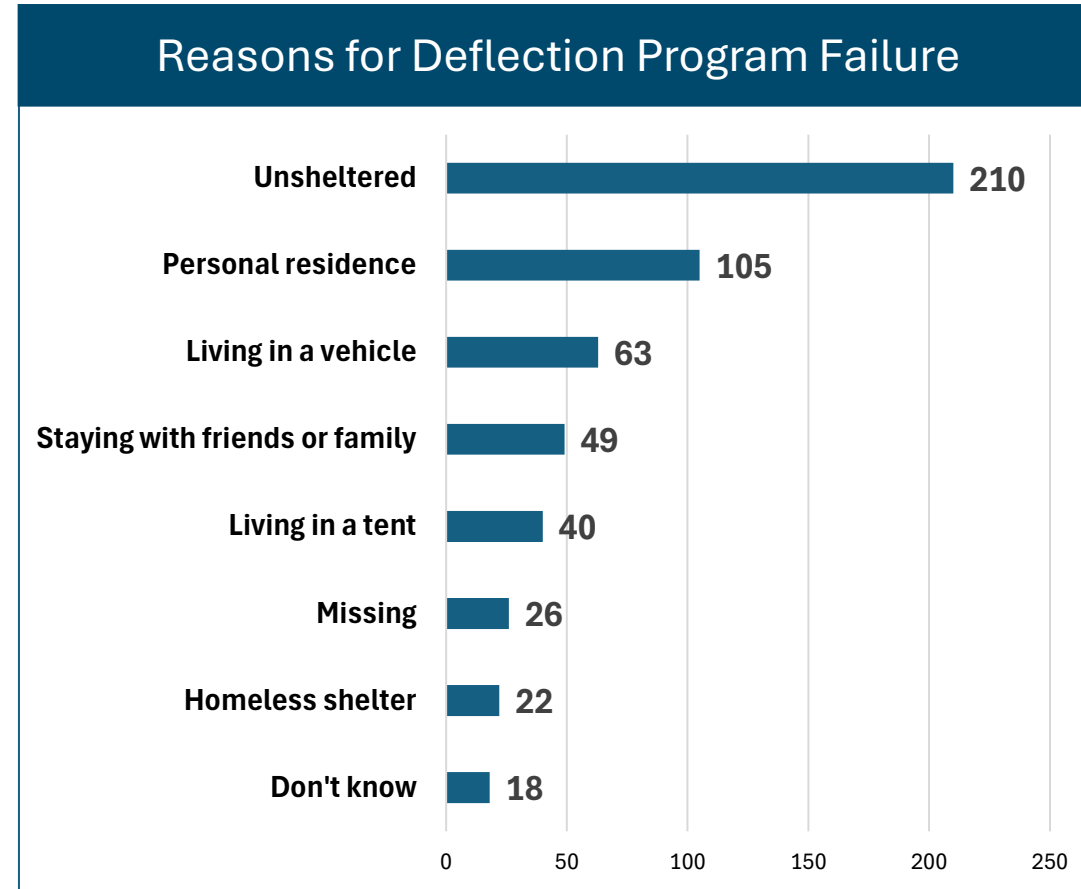


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OTHER TAKEAWAYS

- Of those individuals referred to deflection:
 - Over 64% of referred individuals did not have stable housing at baseline.
 - Over 59% of referred individuals were unemployed.
 - Over 35% required basic food assistance.
- Of those who were given an assessment:
 - 87% had an identified substance use disorder (meth and fentanyl were the two most common).
 - 28.4% had an identified mental health disorder (depression and anxiety were the two most common).



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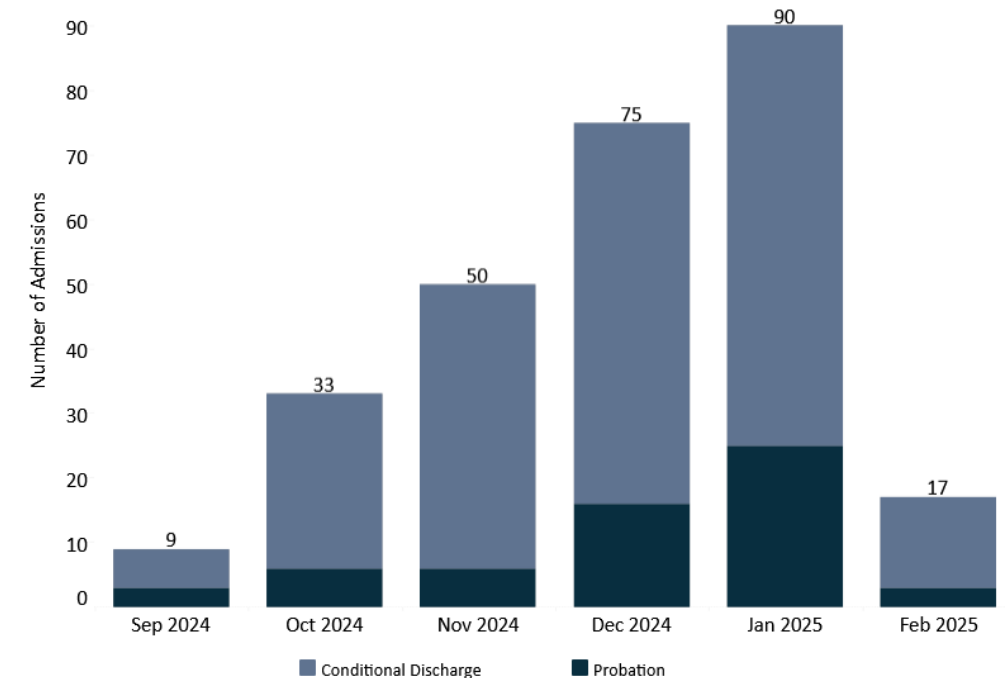
DOC Admissions for DEM Charges

- Between 1 Sept and 12 February 2025, 274 admissions to supervision have been recorded by the Oregon DOC.
- 201 (73%) of those admissions have been for conditional discharge supervision and the remainder have been for traditional probation.

DOC Admissions (9/1/2024 – 1/9/2025)

Monthly Doc-Funded Admissions to Supervision for Drug Enforcement Misdemeanor

The data below include new admissions to supervision primarily for DEM charges. This excludes admissions with a co-occurring felony or class A misdemeanor for a person crime, and admissions to a new custody status for people already on community supervision. Admissions may include convictions for lesser misdemeanors or violations co-occurring with a DEM conviction.



Questions



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