CALL CENTER: 2-1-1 Helpline

COUNTIES COVERED: 37 counties in Eastern Oklahoma

Tulsa County

Northeastern Oklahoma Counties: ADAIR, CHEROKEE, CRAIG, CREEK, DELAWARE, JUNEES, MUSKOGEE, NOWATA, OKMULGEE, OSAGE, OTTAWA, ROGERS, WAGONER, WASHINGTON

Southeastern Oklahoma Counties: ATOKA ,BRYAN, CARTER, CHOCTAW, COAL, GARVIN, HASKELL, HUGHES, JOHNSTON, LATIMER, LEFLORE, LOVE, MARSHALL, MCCURTAIN, MCINTOSH, MURRAY, OKFUSKEE, PITTSBURG, PONTOTOC, PUSHMATAHA, SEMINOLE, SEQUOYAH,

CALL VOLUME BY AREA (Number & Percentage of Total Calls):

| | # of | |
|--------------|-------|------|
| County | Calls | % |
| Tulsa | 9371 | 72% |
| Northeast OK | 1564 | 12% |
| Southeast OK | 783 | 6% |
| Other OK/211 | | |
| Heartline | 256 | 2% |
| Not OK | 111 | 1% |
| Unknown | | |
| Location | 957 | 7% |
| Total | 13042 | 100% |

TOTAL NUMBER OF CONNECTED CALLS THIS MONTH by Service Level

| Service Level Provided to Caller | # of Calls | % of Total |
|--|------------|------------|
| Advocacy /At-Risk(Connects caller to additional assistance) | 10 | <1% |
| Assessment of Caller Need (Includes assessment of caller need with referral and assistance options) | 7608 | 58% |
| Crisis (Mental health or life threatening intervention and connection to emergency services) | 5 | <1% |
| Information Only (Information about specified agency or program in response to a direct inquiry by caller) | 4434 | 34% |
| Total Caller Contacts | 12057 | 92% |
| Admin/Other | 991 | 8% |
| Total Calls Records | 13042 | 100% |

CALL VOLUME BY HOUR AND PERCENT

| Time | # of Calls | Percent |
|-------------|------------|---------|
| Midnight | 50 | <1% |
| 1am | 38 | <1% |
| 2am | 36 | <1% |
| 3am | 43 | <1% |
| 4am | 35 | <1% |
| 5am | 41 | <1% |
| 6am | 118 | 1% |
| 7am | 328 | 3% |
| 8am | 1057 | 8% |
| 9am | 1456 | 11% |
| 10am | 1496 | 11% |
| 11am | 1380 | 11% |
| Noon | 1298 | 10% |
| 1pm | 1298 | 10% |
| 2pm | 1249 | 10% |
| 3pm | 1033 | 8% |
| 4pm | 704 | 5% |
| 5pm | 413 | 3% |
| 6pm | 297 | 2% |
| 7pm | 180 | 1% |
| 8pm | 149 | 1% |
| 9pm | 124 | 1% |
| 10pm | 123 | 1% |
| 11pm | 96 | 1% |
| Total Calls | 13042 | 100% |

CALL MANAGEMENT-

NOTE: NOT AVAILABLE FOR AUGUST DUE TO REPORTING SYSTEM MALFUNCTION

| Category | Standard | Actual |
|--|--------------|--------------|
| Average Speed of Answering Calls: Average | | ≤ 45 seconds |
| time that caller is in message queue prior to | | |
| connection to a call specialist | 1 min 27 sec | |
| Percent of Abandoned Calls: Callers | | ≤ 10% |
| responding to auto attendant message and | | |
| abandoning call without a connection to a call | | |
| specialist | 19% | |
| Average Time a Caller is in Queue before | | |
| Abandoning Call: Average time callers | | |
| responding to auto attendant are in message | | |
| queue prior to abandoning | 2 min 43 sec | |
| Average Length of Incoming Calls: Average | | |
| talk time for all connected calls not including | | |
| call record data entry time after call has ended | 3 min 44 sec | |

NON ENGLISH SPEAKING CALLS AND DEAF TRANSLATION CALLS

| Language and Translation & Percent of Contacts | # | | % of Contact |
|---|-----|------------|--------------|
| Non-English Calls Total | 137 | % of 13042 | 1% |
| Spanish Language Calls | 135 | % of 13042 | 1% |
| Other Non-English Calls or Deaf Translation | 2 | % of 13042 | 0% |
| % Non English Calls Taken by Bilingual Call Specialists | 31 | % of 137 | 23% |
| % Non English Calls Translated by Tele-Interpreter | 113 | % of 137 | 82% |
| % Non English Calls Translated by 3rd Party on Call | 0 | % of 137 | <1% |
| Deaf Translation Calls Using 7-1-1 Relay Service | 1 | % of 137 | 1% |

FOLLOW-UP CALLS REPORT

<u>Service Quality Follow Up:</u> Service Quality Follow-up services provided to a random sampling of caller contacts receiving Assessment of call need assistance. Calls are made within 15 days of original contact date.

| Quality Service Follow-Up | # | % | | Goal |
|--|------|------|-----------|------|
| Number of Callers Receiving Assessment Services | 7608 | | | |
| Number of Calls Flagged For QS Follow Up | 249 | 3% | % of 7608 | |
| Number of Outgoing Calls Made for QS Follow Up | 331 | | | |
| Callers Contacted For QS Follow Up | 117 | 2% | % of 7608 | 2% |
| Results of Quality Service Follow Up | | | | Goal |
| First Time to Call 211 | 44 | 38% | % of 117 | |
| Callers Expressing Satisfaction with 211 Services | 117 | 100% | % of 117 | 85% |
| Callers Who Plan to Use 211 again | 116 | 99% | % of 117 | |
| Callers Who Did Not Contact Referral Agency | 14 | 12% | % of 117 | <20% |
| Callers Who Contacted One or More Referral Agencies | 103 | 88% | % of 117 | 80% |
| Callers Contacting Referral Agency Receiving Services | | | | |
| Including Those with Applications Pending | 85 | 83% | % of 103 | 70% |
| Callers Contacting Agency Not Receiving Desired Services | 18 | 17% | % of 103 | <30% |

<u>Enhanced Service Crisis Call Follow Up</u>: *Verification of connection to crisis and/or emergency services within 24 hours of providing crisis intervention assistance to caller.*

| Results of Crisis Service Follow Up | # | % | | Goal |
|---|---|-----|--------|------|
| Number of Callers Receiving Crisis Intervention Assessments | 5 | | | |
| Successful Verification of Connection to Crisis Services | 4 | 80% | % of 5 | 70% |
| Attempted Verification Not Successful Includes, Callers | | | | |
| Declining, Caller Hang Ups and Confidentiality Concerns | 1 | 20% | % of 5 | <30% |

Enhanced Service At-Risk Call Follow Up: Follow up services offered to all callers receiving advocacy assistance and callers assessed to be at-risk when the caller's physical, mental or emotional state October be compromised. Follow Ups Made within three days of first contact.

| At-Risk Service Follow-Up | # | % | | Goal |
|---|----|-----|---------|------|
| Number of Advocacy/At-risk Callers Assessments | 10 | | | |
| Number of Outgoing Calls Made for At-risk Follow Up | 19 | | | |
| Results of At-Risk Follow Up | # | % | | Goal |
| Successful Verification of Connection to Critical Services | 5 | 50% | % of 10 | 70% |
| Attempted Verification Not Successful Includes unable to | | | | |
| contact caller and callers not contacting referral agencies | 5 | 50% | % of 10 | <30% |

AIRS NEEDS CATEGORIES: CALLER NEEDS FOR ALL 2-1-1 CALLERS

| AIRS Needs | Definition | # | Percent |
|---|--|-------|---------|
| Arts, Culture and Recreation | Community Events, Park and Recreation Activities | 47 | <1% |
| Clothing/Personal/Household Needs | Clothing assistance, thrift stores, household items, furniture and baby items including diapers | 658 | 4% |
| Disaster Services | Disaster relief, shelter and recovery services | 71 | <1% |
| Education | Education and Facilities, School supplies, tutoring | 161 | 1% |
| Employment | Job training, career counseling, job search | 143 | 1% |
| Food/Meals | Food pantries, meals and emergency infant services for formula and baby food | 1797 | 12% |
| Health Care | Medical information, free or sliding scale medical treatment and home health care, financial assistance with prescriptions | 2589 | 17% |
| Housing/Utilities | Rent, Utility Assistance, Housing Expenses, Emergency Shelter, low income and supportive housing assistance | 3609 | 24% |
| Income Support/Assistance | SS,SSDI, Workman's Comp, Unemployment, Taxes | 505 | 3% |
| Individual, Family and Community Support | Assistance with holiday gifts and meals, child care, animal services, misc financial assistance | 1207 | 8% |
| Information Services | Agency contact information w/o specified needs, I&R services and products for public & helping profession | 1593 | 11% |
| Legal, Consumer and Public Safety Services | Free or sliding scale legal assistance, Victim Services, Law Enforcement | 1217 | 8% |
| Mental Health/Addictions | Mental Health Services, Suicide Assistance, Counseling, Case Management and Support Groups | 610 | 4% |
| Other Government/Economic Services | Public Utility Services, City Services, Contact Information for State and Federal Offices | 184 | 1% |
| Transportation | Assistance with transportation or transportation for special needs | 407 | 3% |
| Volunteers/Donations | Volunteer and or Donation Opportunities | 75 | 1% |
| Total Needs | | 14873 | 100% |

Unmet Needs: The Unmet needs category is a subset of AIRS Caller Needs for all 2-1-1 Callers. A need is identified as unmet when no referral source is available to meet the caller's need. Need October be unmet because 1) service in database does not meet the client's need, 2) service doesn't exist in the callers location or no service can be found in the database for the specific need or 3) client is not eligible for specific services.

| AIRS Unmet Needs | Definition | # | Percent |
|---|--|-----|---------|
| Arts, Culture and Recreation | Community Events, Park and Recreation Activities | 2 | 1% |
| Clothing/Personal/ Household Needs | Clothing assistance, thrift stores, household items, furniture and baby items including diapers | 24 | 7% |
| Disaster Services | Disaster relief, shelter and recovery services | 1 | <1% |
| Education | Education and Facilities, School supplies, tutoring | 1 | <1% |
| Employment | Job training, career counseling, job search | 0 | <1% |
| Food/Meals | Food pantries, meals and emergency infant services for formula and baby food | 11 | 3% |
| Health Care | Medical information, free or sliding scale medical treatment and home health care, financial assistance with prescriptions | 38 | 11% |
| Housing/Utilities | Rent, Utility Assistance, Housing Expenses, Emergency Shelter, low income and supportive housing assistance | 116 | 33% |
| Income Support/Assistance | SS,SSDI, Workman's Comp, Unemployment, Taxes | 24 | 7% |
| Individual, Family and Community Support | Assistance with holiday gifts and meals, child care, animal services, misc financial assistance | 40 | 11% |
| Information Services | Agency contact information w/o specified needs, I&R services and products for public & helping profession | 11 | 3% |
| Legal, Consumer and Public Safety Services | Free or sliding scale legal assistance, Victim Services, Law Enforcement | 5 | 1% |
| Mental Health/Addictions | Mental Health Services, Suicide Assistance, Counseling, Case Management and Support Groups | 3 | 1% |
| Other Government/ Economic Services | Public Utility Services, City Services, Contact Information for State and Federal Offices | 0 | <1% |
| Transportation | Assistance with transportation or transportation for special needs | 75 | 21% |
| Volunteers/Donations | Volunteer and or Donation Opportunities | 1 | <1% |
| Total Needs | | 352 | 100% |

TOP 15 AGENCY REFERRALS

| Agency Name | Agency Type | | |
|--|-----------------------------|-------|------|
| In October 2-1-1 Helpline made 13042 Referrals | | | |
| CATHOLIC CHARITIES | Faith Based Non Profit | 1794 | 7% |
| SALVATION ARMY - TULSA CENTER OF HOPE | Faith Based Non Profit | 1348 | 5% |
| NEIGHBOR FOR NEIGHBOR | Private, Non-Profit | 1257 | 5% |
| HELPING HANDS MINISTRY | Faith Based Non Profit | 1201 | 5% |
| US DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES | Governmental/Public Service | 931 | 4% |
| FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF TULSA | Faith Based Non Profit | 766 | 3% |
| OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES | Governmental/Public Service | 686 | 3% |
| MORTON COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH SERVICES | Private, Non-Profit | 611 | 2% |
| RESTORE HOPE MINISTRIES | Faith Based Non Profit | 527 | 2% |
| JOHN 3:16 MISSION | Faith Based Non Profit | 442 | 2% |
| CITY OF TULSA | Governmental/Public Service | 435 | 2% |
| COMMUNITY HEALTH CONNECTION | Private, Non-Profit | 415 | 2% |
| CHURCH AT BATTLE CREEK | Faith Based Non Profit | 398 | 2% |
| FREE DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE | Governmental/Public Service | 390 | 2% |
| HARVEST HOUSE | Faith Based Non Profit | 380 | 1% |
| Top 15 Referrals | | 11581 | 45% |
| Other Referrals | | 14164 | 55% |
| Total Referrals | | 25745 | 100% |

CALL VOLUME ANALYSIS

2013 compared to same time period in 2012 Jan to Dec

| | January | | Februar | y | March | | April | | May | | June | |
|-------------------|---------|--------------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------|--------------|--------|----------------|------------|--------------------|------------|
| | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 |
| Incoming | 13,846 | 13,968 | 11,530 | 11,201 | 11,990 | 11,675 | 12,495 | 10,100 | 13,215 | 12,865 | 13,965 | 13,553 |
| Answered | 12,461 | 12,571 | 10,676 | 10,193 | 11,031 | 10,531 | 11,595 | 11,311 | 12,385 | 11,759 | 12,708 | 11,927 |
| Connectivity | 89.9% | 90% | 92% | 91% | 92.2% | 90.2% | 92.8% | 89.3% | 93.3% | 91.4% | 91% | 88% |
| | T 1 | | | | | | _ | | | | | |
| | July | | August | | Septemb | oer | October | | Novemb | er | Decemb | er |
| | 2012 | 2013 | August 2012 | 2013 | Septemb 2012 | 2013 | October 2012 | 2013 | Novemb 2012 | er 2013 | Decemb 2012 | er 2013 |
| Incoming | | 2013 14,718 | U | 2013 15574 | _ | | | | | | | |
| Incoming Answered | 2012 | | 2012 | | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | 2013 | 2012 | | 2012 | |

REFERRALS THROUGH ALTERNATIVE MEANS

| Contact Type | October 2013 |
|---|--------------|
| ReferWeb Site Visits | 2,578 |
| ReferWeb Searches for Service | 3,904 |
| 211Info Email Requests for Referral | 5 |
| 211Info Voicemail Requests for Referral | 7 |

NOTES AND SEASONAL PROGRAMS

Oklahoma AIRS Conference

The Oklahoma Alliance and Information Referral Systems (OKAIRS) held their annual conference in Oklahoma City this year on October 10th and 11th. The conference began with the "The Changing Face of Demographics" by Jan Figart. This set the stage for the theme, "The Changing Face of I&R" on which all of the other presentations focused. Myra Golden, an internationally recognized speaker, presented the keynote address concentrating on successful delivery of information to an ever-changing society. Agencies all around Oklahoma such as Area Agencies on Aging, DHS, 2-1-1, Centers for Individuals with Physical Challenges, Progressive Independence, OHAI, VA and APS were in attendance. The conference ended with an historical review by David Bernstein, one of the pioneers in the development of OKAIRS. Janice Harris and Michael Coonfield from 2-1-1 Helpline in Tulsa did an outstanding job as conference organizers.

Holiday Guides Published

This month 2-1-1 Helpline compiled its 7th annual Holiday Assistance Resource Guides, which list Thanksgiving Baskets and Meals, Christmas Baskets and Meals and Holiday Gifts/Toys. For this guide, the region is divided into three sections: Tulsa Metro, Northeast Oklahoma, and Southeast Oklahoma. The guides are posted online and sent to agency contacts via e-newsletter, and they are updated throughout the season as new resources become available. The public can also access holiday assistance information by dialing 2-1-1 or utilizing our online database at www.211oklahomahelpline.org/findhelp.

Open Enrollment for Affordable Care Act Insurance Plans

2-1-1 Helpline began assisting callers with referrals to Affordable Care Act resources on October 1. The abandoned call rate [see page 4] was somewhat affected during the month due to staff vacancies and the need for longer call times to provide ACA Navigator services.

COMMENTS FROM OCTOBER FOLLOW-UP CALLS

- 211 Is A Great Program. Thank You So Much.
- Appreciate The Referrals And Found Even More Programs Available. The Call Back Means So Much.
- I Have Been Telling People All About 211! It Is Wonderful! And I Didn't Know You Are 24/7. That Makes It Even Better.
- Thank You So Much. I Can Always Get Help From 211.
- Your People Are Always So Good To Help Me. And I Thank You For Calling Back. God Bless You All.
- 211 Is Wonderful.
- Got Help With Electric And Things Right Now Are Good. Thank You So Much.