



Mental Health Emergency Center

Presentation to
Milwaukee Mental Health
Task Force

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Joint Venture Partnership

The new Mental Health Emergency Center is a joint venture between Milwaukee County and the area's four health systems.

Start up and operating costs will be split equally, with Milwaukee County responsible for 50% and the health systems in charge of the other half:

- Milwaukee County: 50%
- Advocate Aurora Health: 12.5%
- Ascension Wisconsin: 12.5%
- Children's Wisconsin: 12.5%
- Froedtert Health: 12.5%

Mission

To provide timely, patient-centered, recovery-oriented emergency services and connections to continuing care for adults and youth experiencing a mental health crisis; as part of the public and private psychiatric crisis delivery system in Milwaukee County.

Google Maps

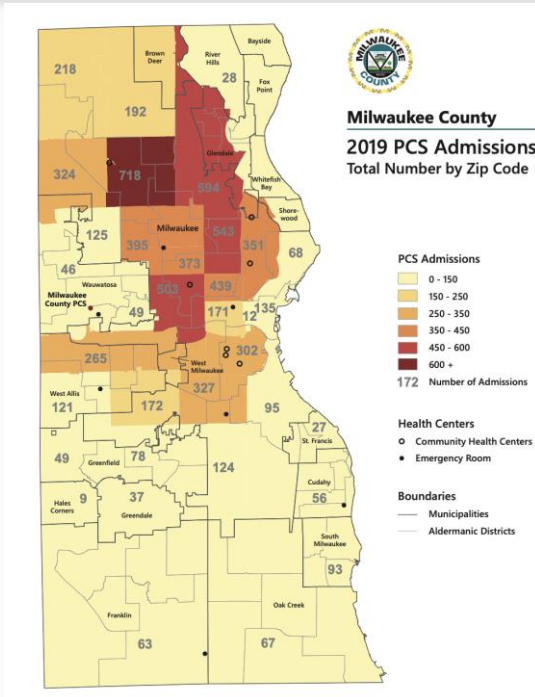


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Located at 12th & Walnut - Milwaukee

Accessibility

Target Populations



93% of the patient visits to the Behavioral Health Division's Psychiatric Crisis Services (PCS) originate from the City of Milwaukee.

70% of patients served by PCS live in close proximity to the new center.











Advocate Aurora Health Management

Advocate Aurora Health (AAH) will serve as the manager of the emergency center.

- Responsible for the employment of the physicians and staff
 - 70 full-time equivalent staff, including peer supports
- Manages day-to-day operations under the direction of the joint venture's Board of Directors

