India

Total population (UN official estimates): \(1,267,401,848\)

Burden of mental disorders (WHO official estimates):

- Disability-adjusted life years (per 100,000 population): \(2,443\)
- Suicide (age-standardized rate per 100,000 population): \(21.1\)

WHO Region: SEAR

Income group: Lower-middle-income

Income group: $61

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Mental health policy

- Stand-alone policy or plan for mental health: Yes
- Implementation status: Available and partially implemented

Mental health legislation

- Stand-alone law for mental health: Yes
- Implementation status: Available and partially implemented

Policy / plan in line with human rights covenants

- (self-rated 5-point checklist score; 5 = fully in line): 5
- Law is in line with human rights covenants

Involvement of service users and families (as reported by MoH focal point)

- INFORMATION gathered / disseminated by MoH: Not implemented
- POLICY on participation developed / published by MoH: Partially implemented
- EARLY INVOLVEMENT in mental health policy and law: Partially implemented
- PARTICIPATION in MoH planning, policy, service development and evaluation: Partially implemented
- RESOURCES available for participation and reimbursement: Partially implemented

Resources for mental health

Mental health financing

- Main source of funds for care of severe mental disorders: Households
- Inpatient / outpatient budget breakdown reported: No
- If yes, estimated mental health spending per capita (US$): Not applicable

Human resources for mental health

- Total reported staff (mental health inpatient care): Not reported
- Total reported staff (mental health outpatient care): Not reported
- Total mental health workers per 100,000 population: 0.6

Mental health workforce (rate per 100,000 population)

- Psychiatrists
- Other medical doctors
- Nurses
- Psychologists
- Social workers
- Occupational therapists
- Other mental health workers

Mental health service availability and uptake

Outpatient care (total facilities)

- Mental health outpatient facility: Not reported
- Mental health day treatment facility: Not reported

Inpatient care (total facilities)

- Mental hospitals: 43
- Psychiatric units in general hospitals: Not reported
- Residential care facilities: Not reported

Mental health hospitals

- Total number of inpatients: Not reported
- Admissions that are involuntary: Not reported
- Discharged inpatients followed up within one month: Not reported

Treated prevalence (total cases)

- Not reported

Treated cases of severe mental disorder

- Not reported

Mental health promotion and prevention

Existence of at least two functioning programmes

- No (or not reported)

Existence of a suicide prevention strategy

- No

National Mental Health Programme

- Category of programme: Mental health awareness/prevention/anti-stigma
- Target group: All ages
- Scope: Universal

Note: Age-standardized suicide rates - computed using standard categories, definitions and methods - are reported to facilitate comparisons over time and between countries, and may not be the same as official national estimates.