Mental Health ATLAS 2017 Member State Profile

Albania

Total population (UN official estimate): 2,003,352
WHO Region: EUR
Income group: lower-middle income
Total mental health expenditure per person (reported currency): 21.62 Albanian Lek (ALL)
Availability / status of mental health reporting: No mental health data have been compiled in a report for policy, planning or management purposes in the last two years

MENTAL HEALTH SYSTEM GOVERNANCE

Mental health policy / plan
Stand alone policy or plan for mental health: Yes (2013)
Policy / plan is in line with human rights covenants: No
Plan or strategy for child and/or adolescent mental health (issue of policy / plan): No

MENTAL HEALTH WORKFORCE

Number of visits made by service users in the last year in outpatient facility (e.g. Mental health day care or treatment facility): Not reported

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE AVAILABILITY AND UPTAKE

Mental health outpatient facilities attached to a hospital: None or not reported
“Community-based / non-hospital” mental health outpatient facility: 8
Number of visits made by service users in the last year in mental health outpatient facilities attached to a hospital: None or not reported

MENTAL HEALTH FINANCING

The care and treatment of persons with major mental disorders (psychosis, bipolar disorder, depression) included in national health insurance or reimbursement schemes in your country: No
How the majority of persons with mental disorders pay for mental health services: None or not reported
The government’s total expenditure on mental health as % of total government health expenditure: None or not reported

RESOURCES FOR MENTAL HEALTH

Human resources for mental health
Total number of mental health professionals (gov. and non-gov.) per 100,000 population: None or not reported
Total number of child psychiatrist (gov. and non-gov.) per 100,000 population: None or not reported

MENTAL HEALTH PROMOTION AND PREVENTION

Existence of at least two functioning programmes: Yes

Programme examples

Existence of a suicide prevention strategy [i.e. as a stand-alone document or as an integrated element of the national policy/plan adopted by government]: No

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Mental health at risk: [Young people, youth and/ or children] (2050)

Note: Suicide-mortality rate - 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.

* WHO, 2015: World Mental Health Atlas data visualization dashboard; http://apps.who.int/gho/data/
* National Suicide Prevention Hotline 1000 (http://www.moh.gov.al)

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