

REGULATORY UPDATE

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The Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services (the Cabinet) published Psychiatric Hospital Bed Need on July 18, 2012. The need publications showed need in multiple ADDs throughout the state. Psychiatric services are included in batching cycle E with a letter of intent deadline of February 25, 2013.

The Cabinet's need methodology shows need for psychiatric beds in:

Barren River ADD

- 33 Adult psychiatric beds (15 applied for by T. J. Samson Community Hospital)

Big Sandy ADD

- 19 Adult psychiatric beds
- 31 Child psychiatric beds

Kentucky River ADD

- 23 Child psychiatric beds

Cumberland Valley ADD

- 39 Child psychiatric beds

Bluegrass ADD

- 30 Adult psychiatric beds
- 74 Child psychiatric beds

The need projections can be found on the Cabinet's website (<http://chfs.ky.gov/ohp/con/>) or by link below.

<http://chfs.ky.gov/NR/rdonlyres/E995AE22-E669-4E01-B783-664C264F653B/0/2011PsychBedNeed20120716.pdf>

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions or if we can be of any assistance. We look forward to hearing from you!

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