## 2022-2023 PA Student Assistance Program Liaison Services

The Pennsylvania Department of Human Services and Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs collaborate to provide the SAP Liaison Annual Reporting System to collect data from agencies who provide SAP liaison services. As representatives of the county drug and alcohol (D&A) and mental health (MH) systems, professionally trained liaisons provide support to school SAP teams and families through community and/or school-based screenings/ assessments and other services for drug and alcohol and/or mental health related concerns. Below is an overview of the data reported by 98 liaison providers and agencies for the 2022/23 school year.

## **Liaison Activity**

**60,476 School Consultations** 

58,235 Parent Discussions

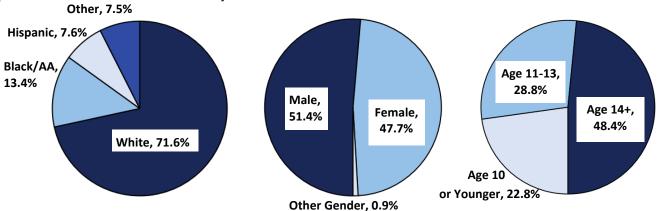
45,634 Team Meetings

### **Suicide Ideation Screening**

In 2022-2023, a total of 22,451 students were screened or assessed for suicide ideation.

- 26% reported any current or past suicide ideation
  - 5% reported ONLY current suicide ideation
  - 18% reported ONLY past suicide ideation
- 6% of students reported ever having a suicide attempt

# Screening and Assessment Demographics 32,805 screens and assessments her, 7.5%

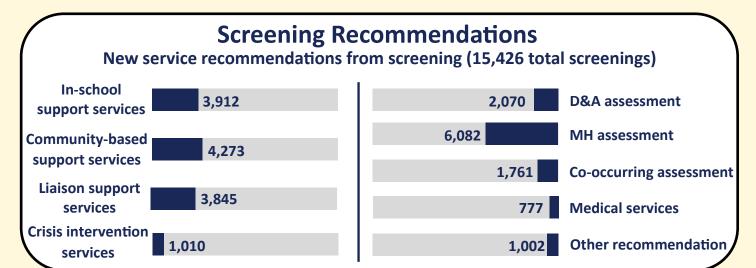


NOTE: Not all reporting agencies provide screening and assessment services and, of those who do, not all provide both screenings and assessments for all schools served. Due to variation in services provided by agency and by school, some students represented in these totals were both screened and assessed and some received only a screening or only an assessment.

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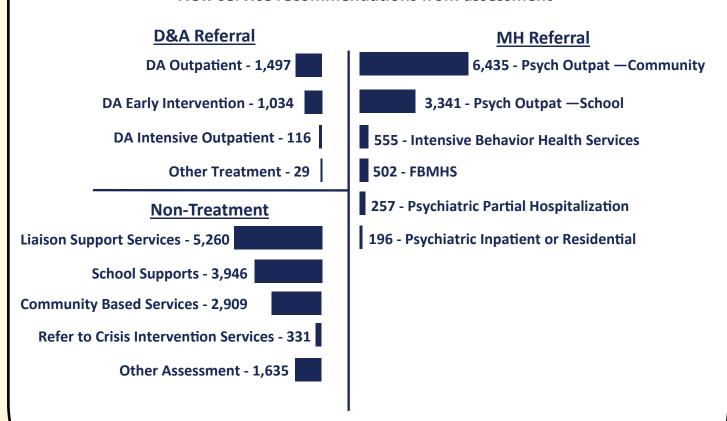
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### **Assessment Results**

17,379 total assessments 14.0% D&A, 70.8% MH, 15.3% Co-occurring

#### New service recommendations from assessment



Screenings and assessments may result in multiple recommendations and referrals, particularly with Co-occurring assessments. Because of this, values are unlikely to sum to 100% totals.