

**SERVICES FOR PEOPLE WITH
MENTAL ILLNESS**

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

SUMMARY PROFILE

LONGFORD/WESTMEATH.

MANAGER	Mr. Richard Walsh
ADMINISTRATOR:	Ms. A. Masterson
CLINICAL DIRECTOR:	Dr. T. O. J. Leavy
CHIEF NURSING OFFICER:	Mr. L. Ward

NUMBER OF BEDS:

Longstay	137
Acute	50
Total	184

SUMMARY OF IN-PATIENT ACTIVITY

No. of In-Patients admitted	807
Acute	782
Longstay	25

SUMMARY OF COMMUNITY ACTIVITY.

SECTORS:	Mullingar	Athlone	Longford
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COMMUNITY RESIDENCES

Type	Number	Res. Places
-High	3	38
-Medium	3	26
-Low	8	34

DAY HOSPITALS

Number	3
Total Attendances	3628

DAY CENTRES

Number	3
Total Attendances	18,437

NUMBER OF STAFF - W.T.E. 31/12/00

Mgt./admin.	15.80
Medical	9
Nursing	190.50
Paramedical	8.70
Non-Nursing	75.50
Maintenance/other	25

EXPENDITURE 1999

	£m
Pay	10.226
Non-Pay	1.663
Total(Gross)	11.889
Income	-0.869
Total (nett)	11.020

LAOIS/OFFALY

MANAGER	Mr. Richard Walsh
ADMINISTRATOR:	Ms. T. Kenedy
CLINICAL DIRECTOR:	Dr. R. Augustine
CHIEF NURSING OFFICER:	Mr. PJ Lawlor

NUMBER OF BEDS:

Longstay	42
Acute	62
Total	104

SUMMARY OF IN-PATIENT ACTIVITY

No. of In-patients admitted	736
Acute	732
Longstay	4

SUMMARY OF COMMUNITY ACTIVITY

SECTORS:	Tullamore	Birr	Portlaoise
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COMMUNITY RESIDENCES

Type	Number	Res. Places
-High	2	32
-Medium	2	13
-Low	13	66

DAY HOSPITALS

Number	3
Total Attendance	4563

DAY CENTRES

Number	4
Total Attendances	14712

NUMBER OF STAFF - WTE 31/12/00

Mgt/Admin	16.00
Medical	11.00
Nursing	119.82
Paramedical	14.00
Non-Nursing	59.82
Maintenance/other	23.00

EXPENDITURE 1999

	£m
Pay	7.564
Non-pay	1.594
Total (Gross)	9.158
Income	-0.573
Total (nett)	8.585

**MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
IN-PATIENT STATISTICS 2000**

No. of Patients (Acute & Longstay) in Hospital on 31/12/00

	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
St. Loman's Hospital Mullingar	110	74	184
St. Fintan's Hospital Portlaoise	68	29	97

AGE AND LENGTH OF STAY OF ALL PATIENTS

ST. LOMAN'S HOSPITAL MULLINGAR

	UNDER 15 YRS	15-19	20-44	45-64	65-74	75 AND OVER	ALL AGES	% OF HOSP POPULATION
UNDER 3 MTHS		1	17	18	5	2	43	23.37
3 MTHS > 1 YEAR			8	5	2	3	18	9.78
1 YR > 5 YRS			7	9	12	10	38	20.65
5 YRS AND OVER			10	27	26	22	85	46.20
ALL LENGTHS OF STAY	1	42	59	45	37	184	100.00	
% OF HOSP. POPULATION	0.54	22.83	32.07	24.26	20.11	100.00		N/A

ST. FINTAN'S HOSPITAL PORTLAOISE

	UNDER 15 YRS	15-19	20-44	45-64	65-74	75 AND OVER	ALL AGES	% OF HOSP POPULATION
UNDER 3 MTHS	0	4	20	7	4	1	36	37.11
3 MTHS > 1 YEAR	0	0	1	5	1	2	9	9.28
1 YR > 5 YRS	0	0	2	10	1	5	18	18.56
5 YRS AND OVER	0	0	6	12	6	10	34	35.05
ALL LENGTHS OF STAY	0	4	29	34	12	18	97	100.00
% OF HOSP. POPULATION	0.00%	1.10%	29.90	35.05	12.37	18.56	100.00	N/A

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

LONG-STAY HOSPITAL STATISTICS 2000

	ST. LOMAN'S HOSPITAL	ST. FINTAN'S HOSPITAL
LONG STAY UNITS		
Number in Residence on 1/1/2000	141	42
Number Admitted during 2000	25 (transfers 23)	4
Number Discharged during 2000	29 (transfers 7)	6
Number in Residence on 31/12/2000	136	40
Number of Deaths	17	1
Number of Long Stay (>1yr)	13	11
DESTINATION OF DISCHARGES		
Home	25	1
Community Residences	-	-
Other Institutions	4	4
Deaths	17	1
Acute Units	7	-

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES IN-PATIENT STATISTICS 2000

ACUTE UNITS

	ST. FINTAN'S HOSPITAL			ST. LOMAN'S HOSPITAL		
	1999	2000	+/-%	1999	2000	+/-%
No. In - Patient Days	20,372	21,391	4.36%	17,684	17,424	-1.47%
No. of Admissions	668	732	4.92%	805	789	-1.98%
No. of Discharges	677	724	4.94%	792	787	-0.63%
Average Length of Stay (days)	30.1	29.5	-2.00%	16.67	22	3.20%
Bed Complement	66	62	-4.10%	50	50	-
% Bed Occupancy	84.57%	94.30%	9.73%	104%	105%	0.96%

ADMISSIONS - SOURCE OF REFERRAL	ST. LOMAN'S HOSPITAL	ST. FINTAN'S HOSPITAL
Out-Patient Clinics/	58	7
Day Hospitals/Community	628	677
Acute Hospitals	36	44
Other Institutions	41	1
Other - Hostels	2	1
- Long Stay	7	0
- Garda Escort	2	2
- Lodger	15	0
TOTALS	789	732
Lodger (overnight stays)	36	72
First Admissions	178	191
Re - Admissions	611	298
DISCHARGES - DESTINATION		
Home	747	707
Community Residences	4	11
Other Institutions	11	5
Deaths	2	1
Rehabilitation Ward	0	
Long-Stay Units	23	0
Mental Handicap Unit	0	0
TOTALS	787	724

**MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS/DISCHARGES BY SECTOR**

SECTOR	TOTAL ADMISSIONS		FIRST ADMISSIONS		ADMISSION RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION		DISCHARGES	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
MULLINGAR								
(Population 41,126)**	285	281	66	68	6.92	6.83	275	287
ATHLONE								
(Population 23,936)	282	286	50	48	11.78	11.95	280	280
LONGFORD								
(Population 30,138)	242	214	79	49	8.03	7.1	238	212
OTHER								
	27	26	13	13			26	31
LONGFORD/ WESTMEATH								
(Population 95,200)**	836	807	208	178	8.78	8.47	819	810
PORTLAOISE								
(Population 38,334)	243	264	46	57	6.34	6.89	246	268
TULLAMORE								
(Population 39,789)	229	259	46	78	5.76	6.51	239	254
BIRR/ RATHDOWNEY								
(Population 33,755)	188	198	38	53	5.57	5.87	196	191
OTHER								
	12	15	6	3	-		11	17
LAOIS /OFFALY								
(Population 111,878)	672	736	136	191	6.06	6.58	692	730
OVERALL TOTAL								
(Population 207,078)	1508	1543	344	369	7.28	7.45	1511	1540

* Admissions figure does not include transfers between Acute & Longstay Units.

**Population includes 1,536 people living in Co. Meath for which the Board has responsibility.



OUT PATIENT STATISTICS 2000
COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

Dr. P. Murphy
 Dr. E. Hill
 Dr. J. McGoewn

LONGFORD/WESTMEATH - ADULT CLINICS							
LOCATION OF CLINICS	CLINIC SESSIONS		PATIENTS		ATTENDANCES		
	Number Held During Year	Average Duration (Hours)	Number Patients	No. referred for In-Patient Admissions	New	Return	Total
Mullingar	102	4.5	556	14	87	1,929	2,016
Athlone	97	5	390	26	102	1,309	1,411
Longford	52	5	262	16	62	1,161	1,223
Granard	50	3	53		17	246	263
Ballymahon	24	3	56	2	22	249	271
Total	325		1,317	58	290	4,894	5,184

Dr. M O'Hanlon
 Dr. K. Browne
 Dr. A Dorman

LAOIS/OFFALY - ADULT CLINICS							
Location of Clinics	CLINIC SESSIONS		PATIENTS		ATTENDANCES		
	Number Held During Year	Average Duration (Hours)	Number Patients	Number Referred In-Patient Admissions	New	Return	Total
Tullamore	84	3.5-4 hrs		2	90	1,516	1,606
Portarlinton	12	2-3 hrs	58	0	0	174	174
Birr	51	4-5 hrs		0	69	880	949
Edenderry	25	2-3 hrs	48	0	0	277	277
Ferbane	6	1.5 hrs		1	0	41	41
Rathdowney	25	3-4 hrs	56	1	11	262	273
Graigecullen	22	2.5 hrs	78	0	6	304	310
Portlaoise	99	3.5 hrs	273	2	167	1,450	1,617
Clara	6	1.5 hrs		0	0	90	90
Abbeyleix	26	3.5 hrs	53	1	18	228	246
Mountmellick	25	3.5 hrs	59	0	9	209	218
Daingean	2	0	0	0		0	0
Total	381		625	7	370	5,431	5,801

COMMUNITY SERVICES BY SECTOR - 2000				
LAOIS/OFFALY CATCHMENT AREA				
SECTOR	PORTLAOISE	TULLAMORE	BIRR	TOTALS
No. Low Support Community Residences	8	3	2	13
No. Residential Places	44	14	8	66
No. Medium Support Community Residences	1	1	-	2
No. Residential Places	8	5	-	13
No. High Support Community Residences	-	1	1	2
No. Residential Places	-	15	17	32
No. Day Hospitals	1	1	1	3
Average Daily Attendance	5	6	7	18
No. Day Centres	1	1	2	4
Average Daily Attendance	14	34	11	59
No. Community/Sheltered Workshops	-	1	-	1
Average Daily Attendance	-	18	-	18
No. Training Centres	1	-	-	1
Average Daily Attendance	24	-	-	24
No. Substance Abuse Centres	2	3	1	6

COMMUNITY SERVICES BY SECTOR - 2000				
LONGFORD/WESTMEATH CATCHMENT AREA				
SECTOR	MULLINGAR	ATHLONE	LONGFORD	TOTALS
No. Low Support Community Residences	5	1	2	8
No. Residential Places	21	5	8	34
No. Medium Support Community Residences	1	1	1	3
No. Residential Places	8	9	9	26
No. High Support Community Residences	1	1	1	3
No. Residential Places	13	10	15	38
No. Day Hospitals	1	1	1	3
Average Daily Attendance	3	9	3	15
No. Day Centres	2	1	1	4
Average Daily Attendance	31	26	19	76
No. Community/Sheltered Workshops				-
Average Daily Attendance				-
No. Substance Abuse Centres	2	1	3	6

CHILD & ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES -2000

LONGFORD/WESTMEATH Dr. A D'Alton

LOCATION OF CLINICS	CLINICS				PATIENT NUMBERS				ATTENDANCES					
	Number Held During the Year		Number Aged Under 16 Years		Number Aged 16 Years & Over		Number Referred In-patient Admission		New		Return		Total	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
Mullingar	193	192	57	44	-	-	10	6	57	44	620	674	677	718
Athlone	106	96	20	28	-	-	3	7	20	28	239	219	259	247
Longford	183	144	45	43	-	-	6	5	45	43	401	353	446	396
Total	482	432	122	117*	-	-	19	18	122	117*	1,260	1,246	1,382	1,363

Waiting Lists as at End December 2000

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Waiting List End December 1999

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*including 2 for Portlaoise

LAOIS/OFFALY Dr. C. Halpin

CLINICS	CLINICS				PATIENT NUMBERS				ATTENDANCES					
	Number Held During the Year		Number Aged Under 16 Years		Number Aged 16 Years & Over		Number Referred In-patient Admission		New		Return		Total	
	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000	1999	2000
Total	599	518	150	120	-	-	10	7	150	120	1047	1049	1197	1169

Waiting Lists as at December 2000

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Waiting list as at December 1999

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* Total Figures for Catchment Area refers to all patients inclusive of Portlaoise, Birr, Tullamore and Edenderry

COMMUNITY DRUG AND ALCOHOL SERVICE

Longford/Westmeath

	Mullingar	Athlone	Longford	Total
No. new clients	213	179	107	499
No. sessions	1481	1427	977	3885

Laois/Offaly

	Portlaoise	Tullamore	Birr	Total
No. new clients	226	111	53	390
No. sessions	1724	693	360	2777

Waiting List: Methadone Treatment 14

Waiting List: Methadone Tx 0

PSYCHIATRY OF LATER LIFE

Dr. L. Martin (Laois/Offaly)

	Laois/Offaly	Longford/Westmeath
No medical assessments	1836	Service not commenced in 2000
Re-referral/review assessments		Due to commence in 2001

Day Hospital*	Laois/Offaly	Longford/Westmeath
No. of referrals	41	
First Attenders	41	
Discharges	7	
Avg attendances per month	77	

*Commenced July 2000

COUNSELLING SERVICES - ADULT VICTIMS OF PAST ABUSE

Director of Counselling: Mr. J. Egan

Counselling Service for Persons abused in Childhood	2000
No. of referrals	44
No. on Waiting List	3
No. in therapy	37
No. of Assessments	41

Refer to Service Plan for Children & Families for targets 2001. Budget for this service is maintained in the mental health service.