VA Problem Gambling Helpline Report - January 2021

93 VA PG Helpline Calls

The Helpline classifies intakes as callers seeking assistance with gambling issues. Non-intake calls consist of those wanting information about other services.

52	Access/Navigation Intakes
	35 Self
	10 Family/Friend
	4 Spouse
	3 Unknown

Demographics

Gender

39	Male
10	Female

Marital Status

18	Married/SO
14	Single
4	Separated/Divorced
0	Widowed
6	Unknown

Age

0	Under 18	5	46-55
7	18-25	3	56-65
10	26-35	0	66+
4	36-45	23	Unknown

Employment

23	Employed
3	Unemployed
0	Retired
1	Disabled
2	Student
23	Unknown

Requested Service Resources

36 callers received at least one resource.

31	Emailed/mailed PG Information and resources
26	Treatment Services
36	GA/Recovery Support
23	Self-Exclusion
5	Referred to National Helpline

Caller Location:

Region	Total	Region	Total
Central	5	Southwest	0
West Central	0	Northern	11
Southside	1	Valley	1
Hampton Roads	6	Unknown	28
Eastern	0		

* UVA VA Demographic Regions

Follow-Ups

All callers receive follow up calls, unless the caller requests not to be contacted. Twenty-two callers requested not to be contacted. At **one week** following initial call:

18	Callers were successfully contacted
3	Connected with services/provider
15	Have not connected with services/provider
9	Not gambling
3	Decreased gambling

Type of Gambling

1	Bingo	9	Table Games Casino
2	Cards at Home	15	Skill based Machines
1	Dogs/Horses	14	Sports
10	Internet non-Sports	4	Stock Market
6	Lottery Scratch Offs	0	Tip Tickets
10	Other Lottery	1	Video Gaming
10	Slot Machines Casino/Track	3	Unknown
0	Mobile Betting App		

Ref   Referral Source

3	Lottery Ticket	0	TV
0	Brochure	3	VA Lottery Website
4	Casino	3	VACPG Website
1	Employer/EAP	9	Mobile Betting App
1	Previous Caller	11	Other/Unknown
0	Newspaper AD		
12	Online		
2	Radio		
3	Retail Location		

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