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Deinstitutionalization Toolkit: **CLOSURES** – in**DETAIL**

This section of the Deinstitutionalization Toolkit includes the supportive detail on the subject of Closures. Table 1 provides statistical background on closures of institutions by state and institution and the current populations of persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities (ID/DD) in institutional settings. For a description of the information provided in the chart, see the preceding part of Section 7 of the Deinstitutionalization Toolkit:

➤ **CLOSURES** – in**BRIEF**

TABLE 1. Closures of State Institutions for People with ID/DD, 2000–2010

State	Name of Institution	Location	Year Opened/ Closed	N Residents with ID/DD in Facility Two Years before Closure*	Current Status of State		
					N State Institutions (16+)*	N People with ID/DD in State Institutions or Nonstate ICFs/DD (16+)	N in settings with Six People or Fewer
AL	Albert P. Brewer Dev. Ctr.	Daphne (pop. 19,036)	1973 2004	74	1	State: 92 Nonstate: 22	2,470
	J.S. Tarwater Dev. Ctr.	Wetumpka City (pop. 7,374)	1976 2004	78			
	Lurleen B. Wallace Dev. Ctr.	Decatur (pop. 55,387)	1971 2003	147			
CA	Agnews Dev. Ctr.	San Jose (pop. 934,415)	1966 2008	276	6	State: 2,252 Nonstate: 2,054	49,863
FL	Gulf Coast Ctr.	Fort Meyers (pop. 61,870)	1960 2010	103	6	State: 1,094 Nonstate: 2,007	11,051
	Community of Landmark	Opa-Locka (pop. 16,497)	1966 2005	128			
GA	Georgia Regional Hospital	Savannah (pop. 131,872)	2005	91 (366 total)	5	State: 849 Nonstate: 0	5,112
	West Central Georgia Regional Hospital	Columbus (pop. 185,781)	2004	37 (177 total)			
IL	Lincoln Developmental Center	Lincoln (pop. 13,795)	1866 2002	385	9	State: 2,254 Nonstate: 3,529	8,181
IN	Fort Wayne developmental center	Fort Wayne (pop. 252,524)	1890 2007	219	4	State: 13 Nonstate: 317	6,189
	Muscatatuck Dev. Ctr	Butlerville (Jennings County) (pop. 28,043)	1920 2005	147			



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LA	Metropolitan Developmental Center	Belle Chasse (pop. 14,448)	1967 2007	243	7	State: 1,165 Nonstate: 651	4,168
MA	Paul A. Dever Dev. Ctr	Taunton (pop. 55,718)	1946 2001	20	7	State: 893 Nonstate: 0	10,154
MI	Mount Pleasant Ctr	Mount Pleasant (pop. 26,440)	1937 2009	151		State: 0 Nonstate: 583	
	Southgate Regional Ctr.	Southgate (pop. 28,353)	1977 2002	60	0		12,481
MN	Fergus Falls Regional Treatment Ctr	Fergus Falls (pop. 13,603)	1969 2000	25 (102 total)	1	State: 22 Nonstate: 357	13,235
MO	Midtown Habilitation Ctr.	St. Louis (pop. 355,078)	n/a	31	6	State: 695 Nonstate: 360	4,408
MT	Eastmont Human Service Ctr	Glendive (pop. 4,582)	1969 2003	33	2	State: 64 Nonstate: 0	1,427
NV	Sierra Regional Ctr	Sparks (pop. 86,302)	1977 2008		1	State: 47 Nonstate: 68	1,429
OH	Apple Creek	Apple Creek (1,161)	1931 2006	117 (142 total)	10	State: 1,429 Nonstate: 2,552	15,173
	Springview	Springfield (pop. 62,422)	1975 2005	86			
OR	Eastern Oregon Training Ctr.	Pendleton (pop. 16,480)	1964 2009	40	1	State: 22 Nonstate: 52	5,252
	Fairview Training Ctr.	Salem (pop. 151,380)	1908 2000	109			
PA	Altoona Ctr	Altoona (pop. 46,551)	1982 2006	92	5	State: 1,230 Nonstate: 2,087	16,198
	Western Ctr	Canonsburg (pop. 8,721)	1962 2000	68			
TN	Arlington Dev. Ctr	Arlington (pop. 3,735)	1969 2010	104	3	State: 421 Nonstate: 144	4,027
	Harold Jordan Habilitation Ctr.	Nashville (pop. 592,497)	1979 2003	30			
WI	Northern Wisconsin Ctr.	Chippewa Falls (pop. 12,968)	1897 2005	172	2	State: 441 Nonstate: 357	8,083

Sources: Institutions closed, location, year, and current status of state: Lakin et al. 2010.

N residents in Institutions two years prior to closure: Lakin et al. various years 2000–2008.

Population: U.S. Census.



State Closure Plans—In Depth

State closure plans are available as additional resources. See the next part of Section 7 of the Deinstitutionalization Toolkit:

➤ CLOSURES – in**DEPTH**

These are external documents that may be accessed for a more “in**Depth**” review of the topic of “Closures.”

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