## Orange

Counties: Orange County

**ADULT POPULATION** 

2,486,016

TOTAL SHORTFALL

**445** across all categories

PROJECTED GROWTH

**0.5%** more beds needed by 2026

## ADULT PSYCHIATRIC BEDS IN ORANGE COUNTY

- Orange County has an acute psychiatric bed shortfall of 62 beds, or 2.5 beds per 100,000 adults.
- Orange County has a subacute psychiatric bed shortfall of 139 beds, or 5.6 beds per 100,000 adults.
- Orange County has a residential psychiatric bed shortfall of 244 beds, or 9.8 beds per 100,000 adults.

	Acute	Subacute	Residential
Capacity	538	428	273
Per 100,000	21.63	17.23	10.97
Needs	600	568	516
Per 100,000	24.13	22.84	20.77
Shortfall	62	139	244
Per 100,000	2.5	5.6	9.8

<sup>\*</sup>Note: State hospital beds were not included in calculations of psychiatric bed capacity. Over 90% of state hospital beds are occupied by individuals who are incompetent to stand trial, a population with unique constraints that does not apply to the local behavioral health continuum. Exclusion of state hospitals has the secondary benefit of modeling need for psychiatric beds if state hospitals were transitioned to local, community-based alternatives.

## MEASURING THE SHORTFALL IN CONTEXT

