2017 DRUG TREATMENT IN IRELAND

8,922
Total number of cases treated for PROBLEM DRUG USE

45% OPIATES
25% CANNABIS
17% COCAINE
10% BENZODIAZEPINES

37% NEW CASES
59% PREVIOUSLY TREATED CASES

MAIN PROBLEM DRUG

27% FEMALES
72% MALES

GENDER

30 YRS MEDIAN AGE
10% HOMELESS
14% EMPLOYED
30% EVER INJECTED

All percentages cited above are a proportion of the total number of cases.

COCAIN CASES

1,500 COCAINE CASES
80% MALES
30 YRS MEDIAN AGE
34% EMPLOYED
