



Santa Cruz County Psychiatric Health Facility (PHF)

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The Santa Cruz County Psychiatric Health Facility (PHF) is a locked acute psychiatric inpatient program. It is a safe, welcoming, recovery-focused place for people who are having a mental health emergency — and need more intensive treatment and support.

About the Psychiatric Health Facility:

- Open 24-hour, 7 days per week.
- Serves adults, aged 18+
- Individuals can be admitted voluntarily or involuntarily (5150).
- Length of stay is usually 5-7 days.
- People who come to the PHF receive a robust treatment program of active therapies and recovery-based services.

How to Get Services:

If you or a family member needs emergency mental health services, you can come to the program at 2250 Soquel Drive, Suite 150, Santa Cruz, CA 95062.

The PHF is connected to the Santa Cruz County Crisis Stabilization Program, which offers a less intensive resource for people who have less intensive needs. You will receive an initial assessment in the Crisis Stabilization Program. If you would benefit from more the more intensive services of the PHF, you will then be referred into the program. You will then be screened by PHF staff to determine if you are medically stable for admission.