

**Table 1. Characteristics of those with noticed behavior change  $\leq 90$  days before hospitalization and  $>90$  days before hospitalization among 107 NYC START clients**

Variable	Time from behavior change to hospitalization (TBCH) <sup>a</sup>				p <sup>b</sup>
	$\leq 90$ days (N=55)		$>90$ days (N=52)		
	N	%	N	%	
Gender					0.553
Male	34	62	35	67	
Female	21	38	17	33	
Age category					0.758
18-21	23	42	24	46	
22-25	17	31	17	33	
26-30	15	27	11	21	
Race/Ethnicity					0.562
Non-Hispanic Black	32	58	25	48	
Non-Hispanic White	3	5	6	12	
Asian	6	11	6	12	
Hispanic	11	20	14	27	
Other/Unknown	3	5	1	2	
Insurance					0.932
Medicaid	33	60	30	58	
Private	13	24	11	21	
Other	4	7	4	8	
Uninsured	5	9	7	13	
Educational status <sup>c</sup>					<b>0.002</b>
School performance declined or left school before graduation	20	43	35	74	
Still in school or completed degree	26	57	12	26	
Family noticing symptoms					<b>0.008</b>
Family reported noticing symptoms prior to hospitalization	35	64	45	87	
No mention of family noticing symptoms prior to hospitalization	20	36	7	13	
Employment					0.650
Lost employment	5	9	7	13	
Employed (regularly or temporarily) or in school	13	24	14	27	
Unemployed (looking and not looking for employment)	37	67	31	60	
Legal status					0.766
History of legal involvement prior to hospitalization	5	9	4	8	
No history of legal involvement prior to hospitalization	28	51	30	58	
Unknown legal involvement prior to hospitalization	22	40	18	35	

<sup>a</sup>Mean TBCH 364±752 days, median 82 days, and range 0-4,087 days.

<sup>b</sup>P-values calculated with chi-square tests if all cells have N > 10; otherwise calculated with Fisher's exact test

<sup>c</sup>Information about educational status was missing for 9 in the ≤90 days group and 5 in the >90 days group