

Assisted Housing Program

Department of Health and Human Services

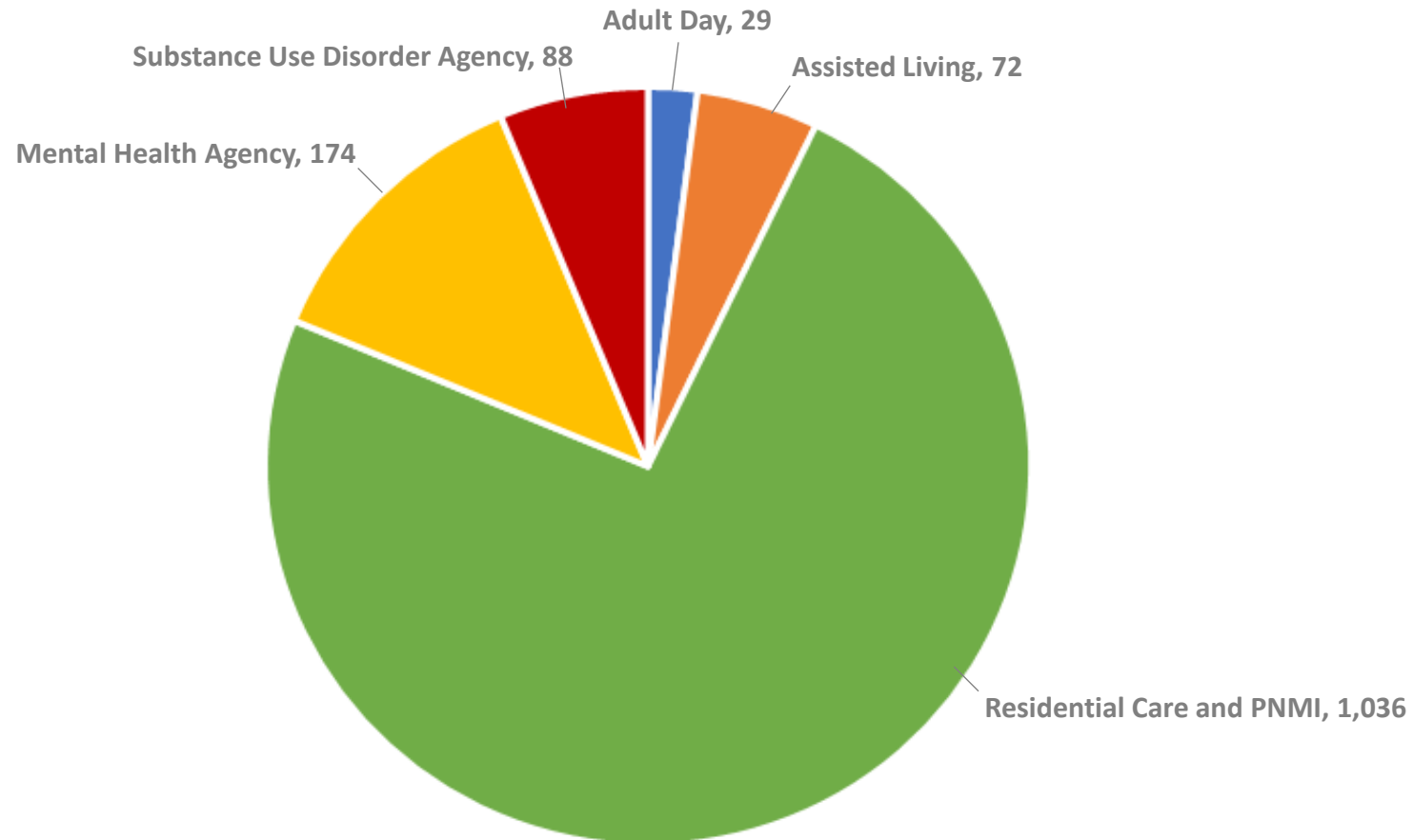
Division of Licensing and Certification

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Community Healthcare Programs Unit

Assisted Housing and Behavioral Health Program

Licensed Facilities



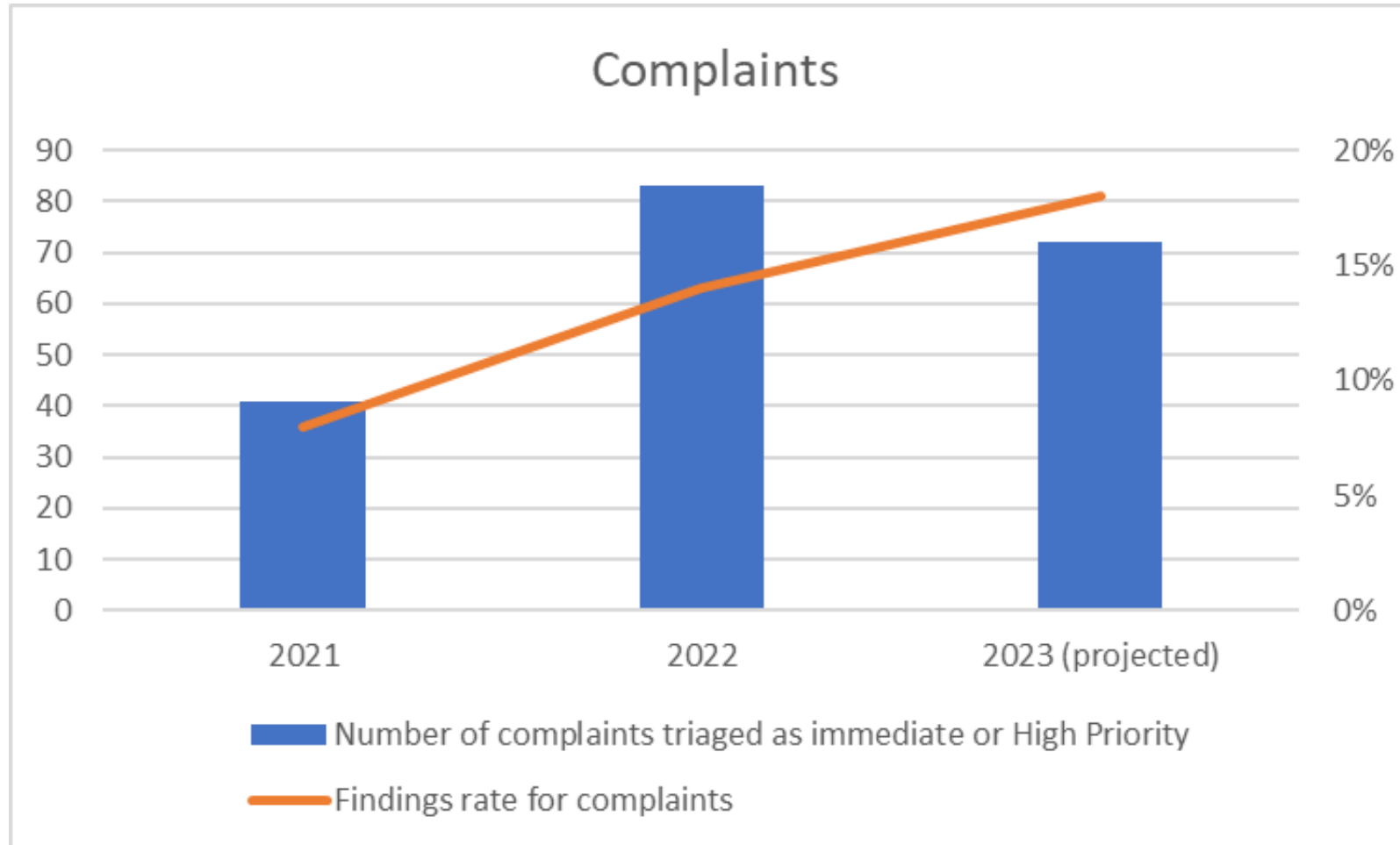
DLC Collaborative Work

OMS & OADS

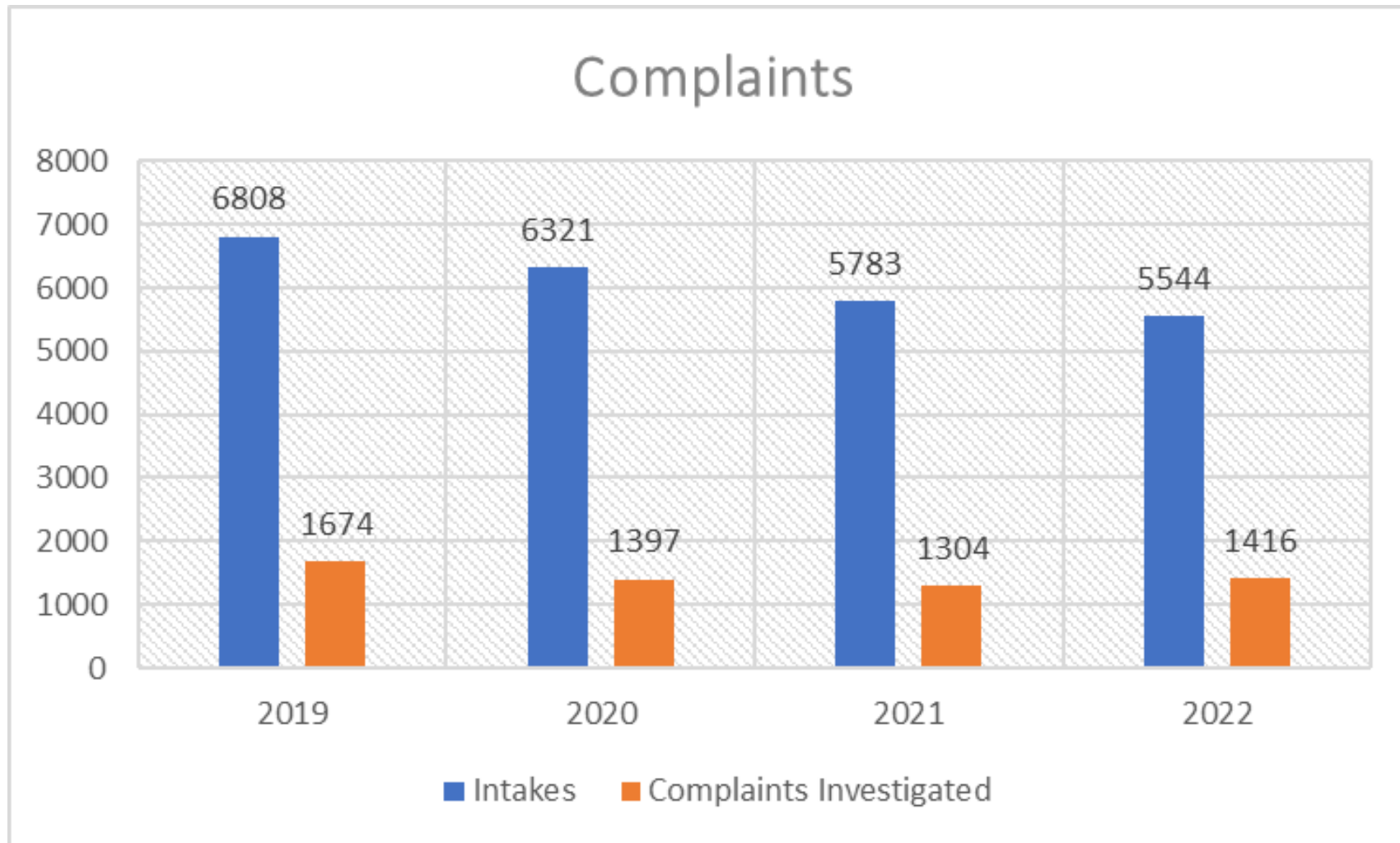
Elder Justice Coordinating Partnership

Community Paramedicine

Complaint Trends



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Legislative Developments

LD 1925- Maine Background Check Center

LD 475 Simplify and Clarify Assisted Housing Licensing

LD 636- Licensing of Personal Care Agencies

LD 449- Licensing of Developmental Services Agencies

Rules



Revisions to Chapter 113 are underway



Simplified settings



Balance social model vs. trends toward increased needs

Workforce

Updates to curricula

Development of certification ladder to allow flexibility and movement between settings

Community Healthcare Programs Unit

Workforce Development – Operates the Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) /Direct Care Worker Registry. Since 2019, DLC has seen approximately a 126% increase in CNA applications.

- 2019 – 5,985
- 2020 – 6,032
- 2021 – 9,022
- 2022 – 13,560

In addition to maintenance of the CNA Registry, the Workforce Development program manages training certifications for Personal Support Specialist (PSS) and Certified Residential Medication Aide (CRMA) staff.

- There are currently 901 certified Personal Support Specialists and 5,422 Certified Residential Medication Aides in Maine.

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