The map at right shows the State Hospital service areas by county.

In addition to serving their designated service areas, Big Spring and Rusk State Hospitals provide transitional forensic services, while Austin State Hospital, El Paso Psychiatric Center, North Texas State Hospital - Wichita Falls, Rio Grande State Center, Rusk State Hospital, San Antonio State Hospital and Terrell State Hospital also provide competency restoration services to patients admitted directly from jail.

Waco Center for Youth serves the entire state, as does Kerrville State Hospital, which provides transitional forensic services, and Rusk State Hospital and North Texas State Hospital - Vernon, both of which provide maximum security services. North Texas State Hospital – Wichita Falls provides an intermediate security program.

Child and adolescent services are provided at five hospitals, which expands the number of counties those hospitals serve.