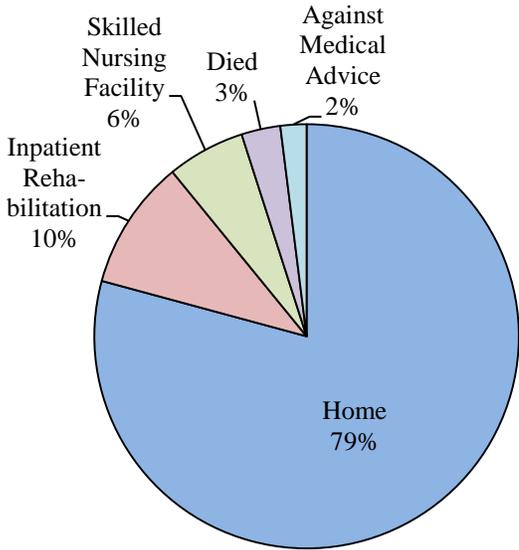


# Motor Vehicle Traffic Injury Hospital Discharge Disposition and Charges Orange County Residents, 2005-2007

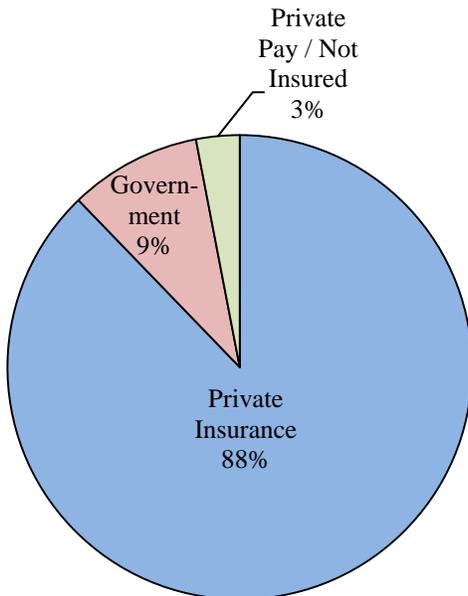
## Hospital Discharge Disposition



→ Annually, traffic injuries resulted in an average of 341 hospitalizations

- 272 were discharged to their home
- 35 were discharged to another hospital or rehabilitation center
- 19 were discharged to a skilled nursing facility
- 9 died
- 5 left against medical advice

## Hospitalization Charges



→ Annually, traffic injuries resulted in an average of \$18.6 million in hospitalization charges. Based on the expected principle payer source, there were:

- \$16.4 million charged to private insurance programs
- **\$1.7 million charged to public funds**
- \$563.5 thousand charged to private pay and uninsured individuals

\*Data based on means of less than two are not reported