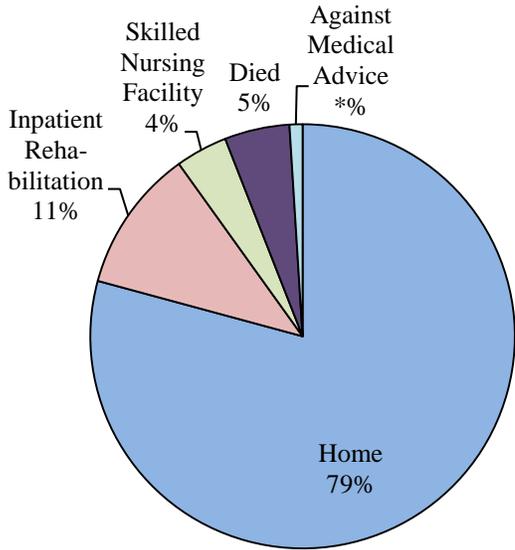


Motor Vehicle Traffic Injury Hospital Discharge Disposition and Charges Rensselaer County Residents, 2005-2007

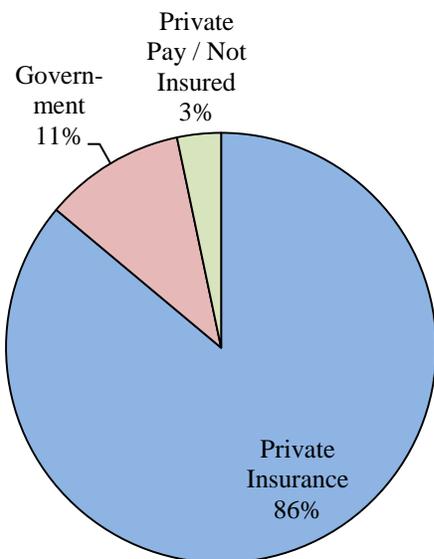
Hospital Discharge Disposition



→ Annually, traffic injuries resulted in an average of 101 hospitalizations

- 80 were discharged to their home
- 11 were discharged to another hospital or rehabilitation center
- 4 were discharged to a skilled nursing facility
- 5 died
- * left the hospital against medical advice

Hospitalization Charges



→ Annually, traffic injuries resulted in an average of \$4.0 million in hospitalization charges. Based on the expected principle payer source, there were:

- \$3.5 million charged to private insurance programs
- **\$425.7 thousand charged to public funds**
- \$132.2 thousand charged to private pay and uninsured individuals

* Data based on means of less than two are not reportable