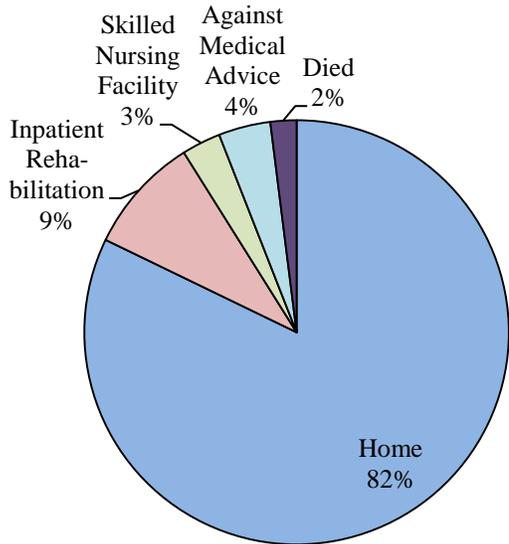


Motor Vehicle Traffic Injury Hospital Discharge Disposition and Charges Richmond County Residents, 2005-2007

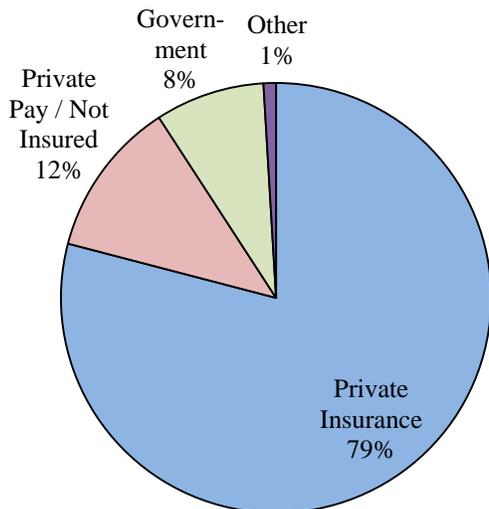
Hospital Discharge Disposition



→ Annually, traffic injuries resulted in an average of 578 hospitalizations

- 481 were discharged to their home
- 50 were discharged to another hospital or rehabilitation center
- 16 were discharged to a skilled nursing facility
- 20 left the hospital against medical advice
- 11 died

Hospitalization Charges



→ Annually, traffic injuries resulted in an average of \$14.0 million in hospitalization charges. Based on the expected principle payer source, there were:

- \$11.1 million charged to private insurance programs
- **\$1.2 million charged to public funds**
- \$1.6 million charged to private pay and uninsured individuals
- \$131.0 thousand charged to other payers

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