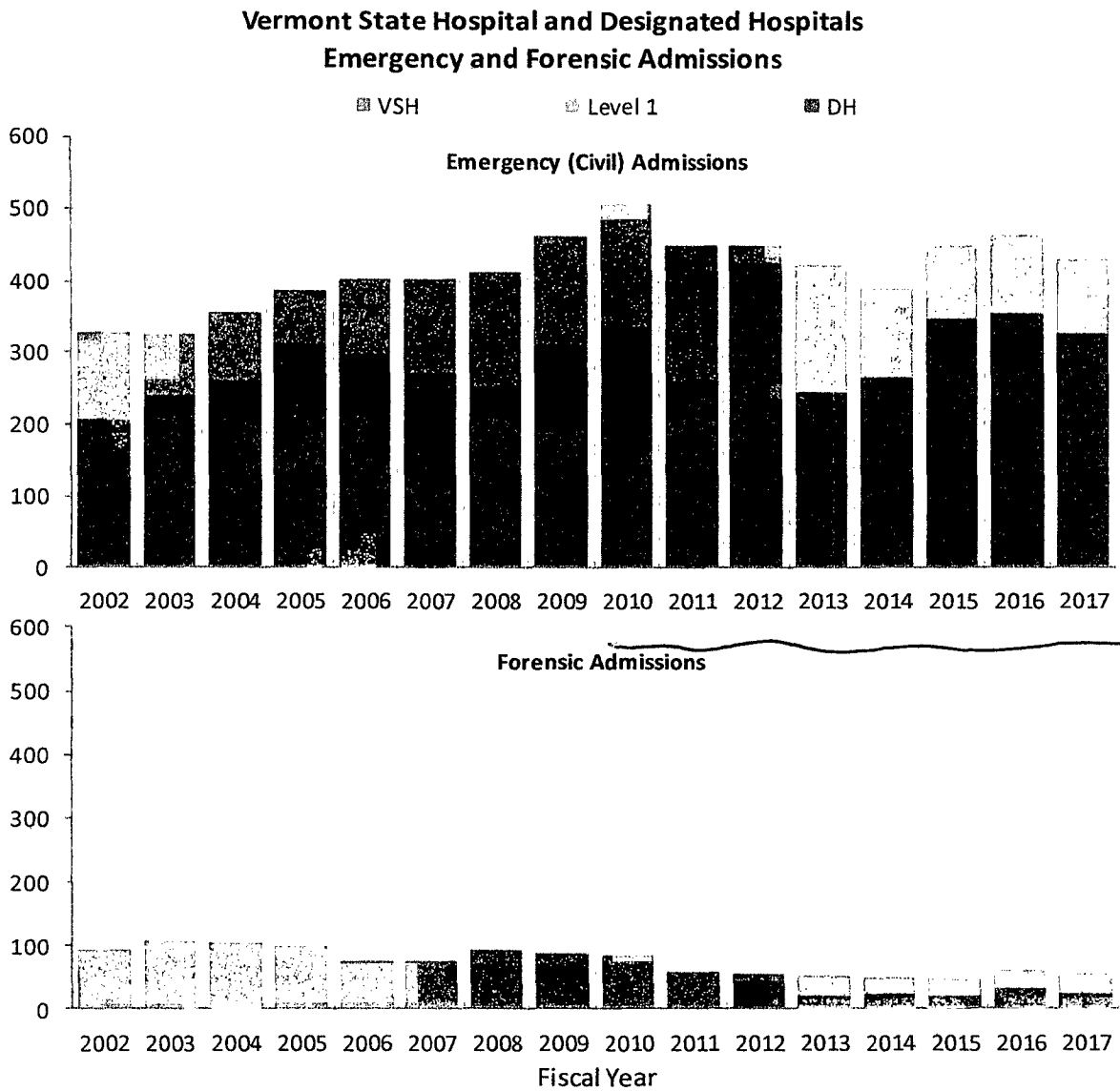


Chart 11: Emergency and Forensic Admissions



The number of emergency (civil) and forensic admissions decreased slightly in FY 2017 overall and for each category. While this figure appears to contradict the experience of mental health care access in FY 2017, a few additional data points explain this slight decrease. Although more adults have been referred to inpatient care during FY 2017 than any other time period, the percentage of adults not ultimately admitted to inpatient care has also increased. Additionally, the overall lengths of stay for inpatient care have increased during FY 2017.

Vermont State Hospital (VSH) Average Daily Census By Forensic Status at Admission: FY1982-2009

FY	Average Daily Census		Non-forensic Average Daily Census		Forensic Average Daily Census	
	#		#	%	#	%
1982	235		210	89%	25	11%
1983	195		157	81%	37	19%
1984	163		132	81%	31	19%
1985	168		134	79%	35	21%
1986	189		145	77%	43	23%
1987	187		150	80%	37	20%
1988	186		151	81%	35	19%
1989	143		118	83%	25	17%
1990	115		93	81%	22	19%
1991	108		85	79%	23	21%
1992	101		81	80%	20	20%
1993	89		69	78%	20	22%
1994	81		56	68%	26	32%
1995	74		46	62%	28	38%
1996	71		46	65%	25	35%
1997	66		40	60%	27	40%
1998	57		36	62%	22	38%
1999	53		33	63%	20	37%
2000	52		34	65%	18	35%
2001	56		33	60%	22	40%
2002	54		33	61%	21	39%
2003	52		31	59%	21	41%
2004	52		32	61%	20	39%
2005	52		27	52%	25	48%
2006	51		31	60%	21	40%
2007	55		32	58%	23	42%
2008	45		25	56%	20	44%
2009	47		27	59%	19	41%

This report is based on analysis of data from the Vermont State Hospital Treatment Episode database. Episodes occurred during FY1982-2009.