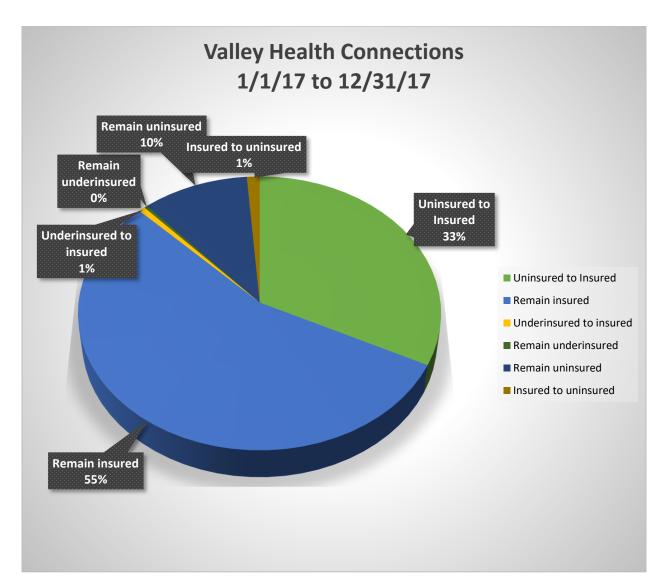
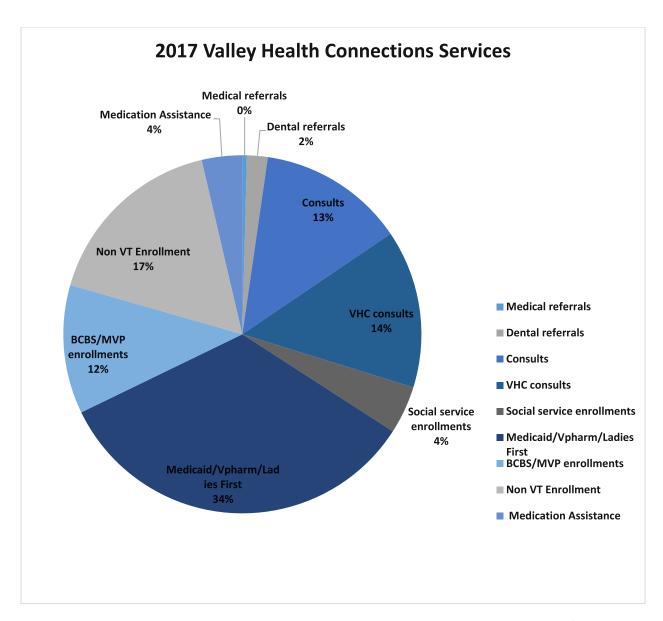
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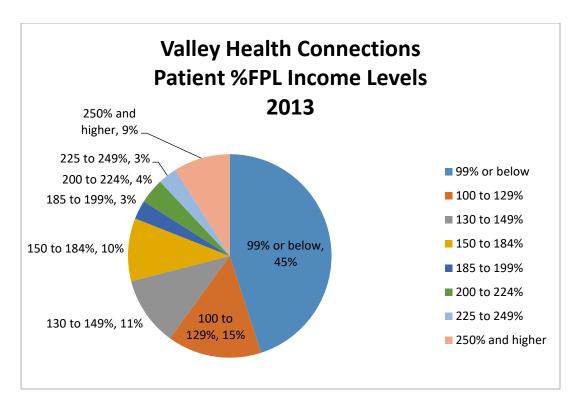
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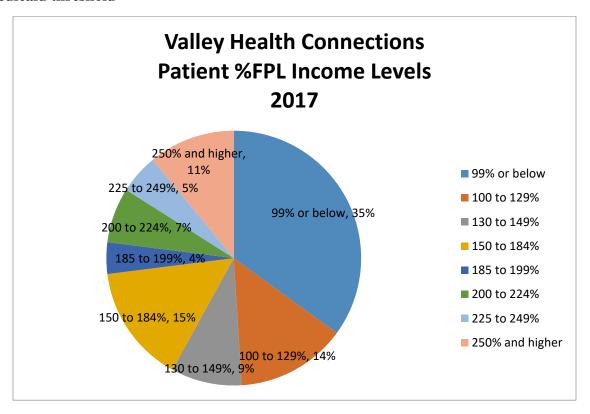
Of the 1613 Vermonters our 4 FTE's assisted between 01/01/17 to 12/31/17, we were able to affect their insurance enrollment status as follows: 89% of Patients that came to Valley Health Connections either became or remained insured.

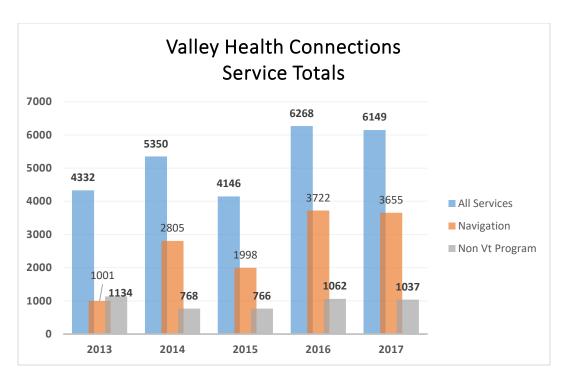


An encouraging trend we are seeing at Valley Health Connections is that **almost all of our patients now have a medical home**. In 2017 we only had to refer 25 patients into a Medical Home. We are also fortunate to have two dental clinics associated with the Springfield Medical Care Systems Community Health Center in our area. In 2017 we **referred over a hundred patients into a dental home.** In addition, we committed \$15,000 of our budget to assisting patients with the **costs of dental fees** (caps, crowns, dentures), and **over \$50,000 in medication assistance**.



Since 2013 we have noticed that the Federal Poverty income level of those seeking help with access to healthcare has been creeping upwards. In 2013 36% of our patients were above the MAGI Medicaid threshold. In 2017, 47% of our patients were above the MAGI Medicaid threshold





Between FY14 and FY18 our clinic has experienced a 17% reduction in state funding, a 29% increase in the number of patients we are seeing each year, and a 42% increase in the number of services we are providing to these patients.

