

NYS COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS FACTS 2021

WHO WE ARE

Community Health Centers (CHCs) are a “one stop shop” for health care, providing high quality primary, preventive care and support services to all New Yorkers, regardless of their immigration status, insurance coverage, or ability to pay. Each CHC has a Board of Directors comprised primarily of people who live in the communities they serve.



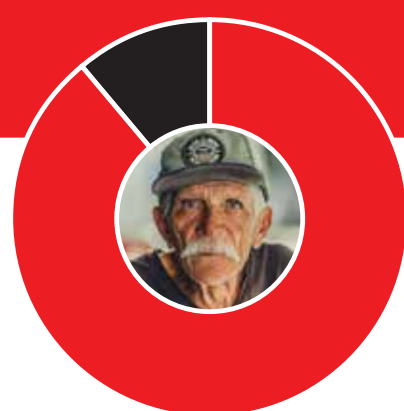
WE ARE COMMUNITY HEALTH CARE CHAMPIONS

WHO WE SERVE

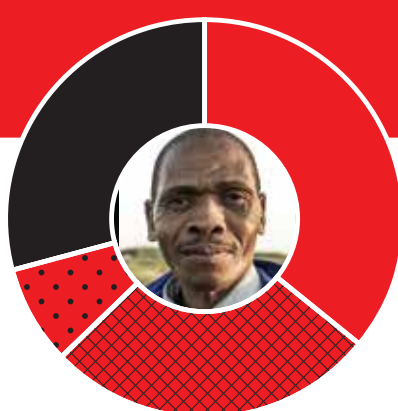
2.3 million New Yorkers
800+ sites statewide



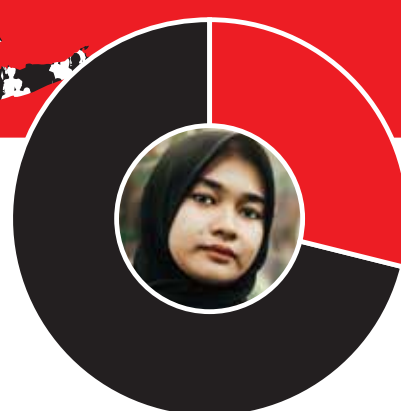
12%
of all NYS
residents



89%
Low Income
(200% FPL and below)



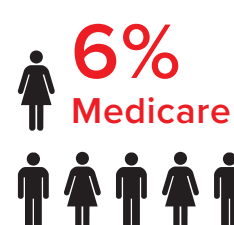
71%
People of Color
36% Latinx | 27% Black | 8% Other



29%
Speak limited
English

HOW THEY PAY

Most CHC patients rely on publicly funded health insurance, while a substantial minority have no insurance at all.



6%
Medicare



15%
Uninsured



20%
Private
Insurance



59%
Medicaid & CHIP

WHAT MAKES US SPECIAL

CHCs provide a wide range of services to ensure their patients' health and well-being.



Dental and Vision care



Low cost medications
like insulin



Mental health counseling



Connection to housing



Substance use
disorder treatment



STI prevention programs



WIC and SNAP



Specialized care for people
living with HIV/AIDS



COVID-19 testing



Language assistance



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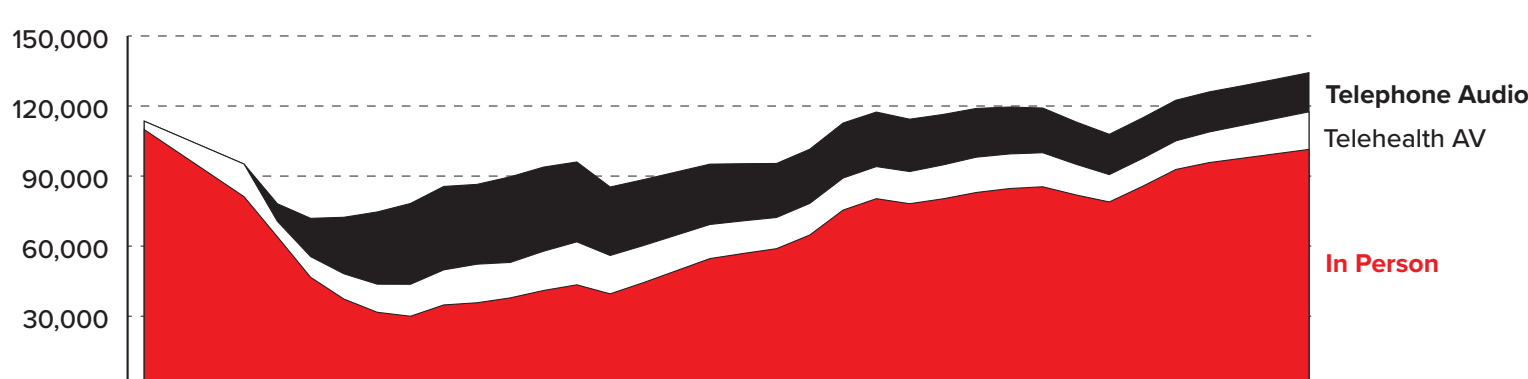


In-house farmers markets

CARE IN GOOD TIMES AND BAD

During the pandemic, CHCs ensured that people in the hardest hit areas continued to get the services they needed without having to visit the hospital. Now, patients can receive care in person, online, or over the phone.

IN-PERSON, AUDIO VISUAL TELEHEALTH, AND TELEPHONE VISIT AT CHCS: FEBRUARY–OCTOBER 2020



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