



# Stamps Health Services

**Without good physical and mental health, a student cannot be free to explore, to create, to challenge and to lead.**

# Health Fee

- Eligibility determination is based on enrollment at Georgia Tech and payment of the health fee.
- Students taking 4 hours or more are automatically assessed this fee and are eligible upon registration.
- Students taking less than 4 hours, taking a semester off from class or participating in a cooperative program are eligible as long as they pay the health fee.
- Students' spouses and domestic partners are also eligible as long as both the student and the spouse/domestic partner have paid the health fee.

# Current Use of Revenue

- Health Services provides medical, health education, dental and specialty services to eligible students and spouses.
- **Board Certified Physicians and Dentist** (Emergency Medicine, Internal Medicine, Family Practice, OB/GYN, Psychiatry and General Dentistry)
- Nurse Practitioners, Registered Nurses, and Medical Assistants.
- The facility includes 16 exam rooms, two observation rooms, two procedure rooms, Women's, Dental and Psychiatry Clinics, Radiology, Laboratory, Pharmacy and Health Promotion.
- On-line scheduling and self check-in help to streamline the appointment process and decrease waiting time for patients.

# General Services Covered by the Health Fee

- Unlimited visits to physicians, nurse practitioners and nurses in Primary Care and Women's Clinics
- X-ray/interpretation by a board certified radiologist
- Consultations with a Registered Pharmacist
- Health Promotion services
- EKG
- Travel Clinic consultations
- Flu shots
- Some medications and lab tests
- Pregnancy testing
- Blood pressure screening

# General Services Covered at a low cost

- Psychiatry Clinic
- Laboratory testing
- Allergy Clinic
- Prescription contraception
- HIV testing
- Gynecological testing
- Medical/orthopedic supplies
- Nutrition consultations
- Travel medications

# Current Status at Health Services

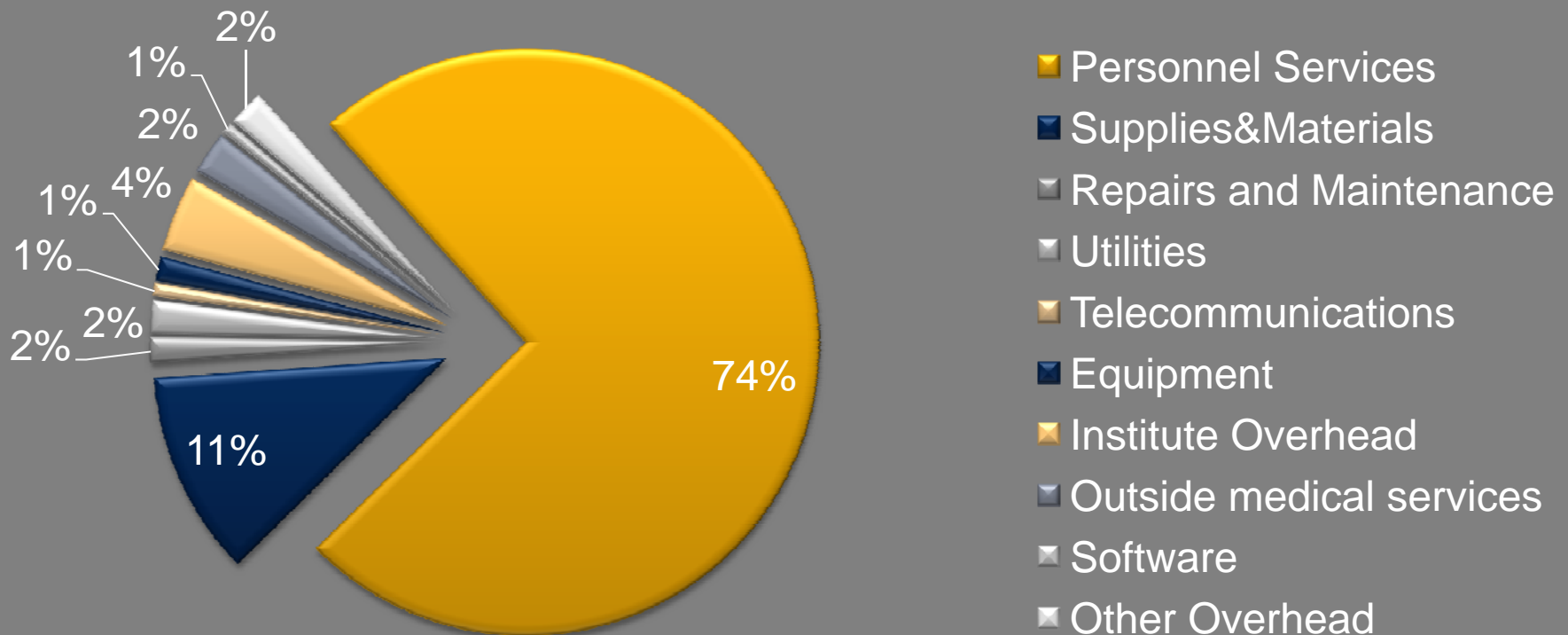
- Increase in volume
- Increase in the number of different, more complex medical diagnoses
- More students with preexisting physical and mental conditions
- Increase in complexity of education and referral

# Dietician

1. Eating Disorders (Anorexia, Bulimia, Binge eating) are both common (up to 25% of college aged women) and serious, leading to emotional, academic and medical and problems (including death).
2. Multidisciplinary teams (counseling, psychiatry, medical, nutritionist) are the standard of care for eating disorder treatment at our peer institutions are the recommended treatment modality by the American Psychiatric Association.
3. We currently have all the components to put together an outstanding Eating Disorder Treatment Team except for a dedicated Dietitian.

# Health Fee

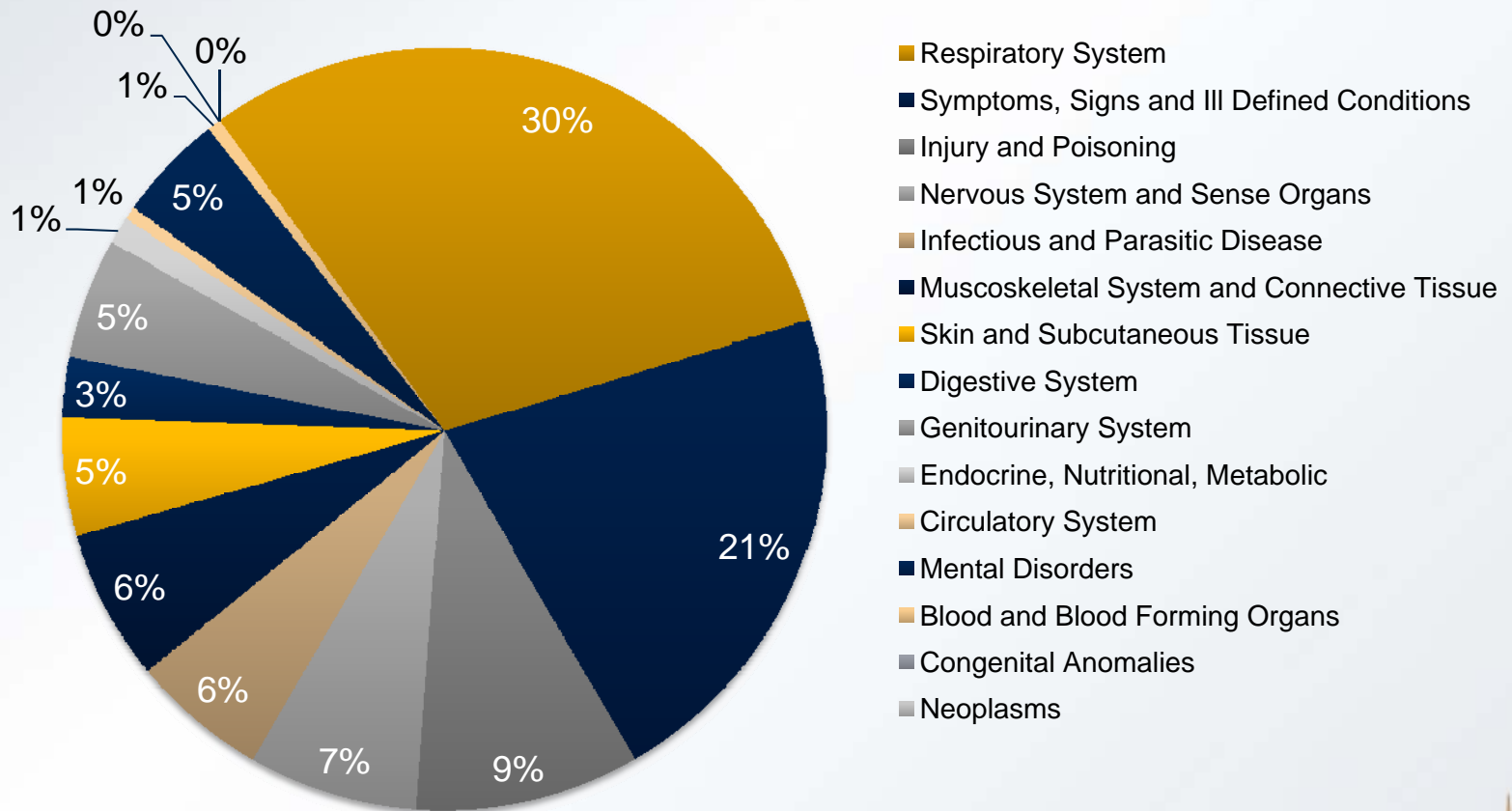
## Student Health Fee Allocation FY 11 (Operating Budget)



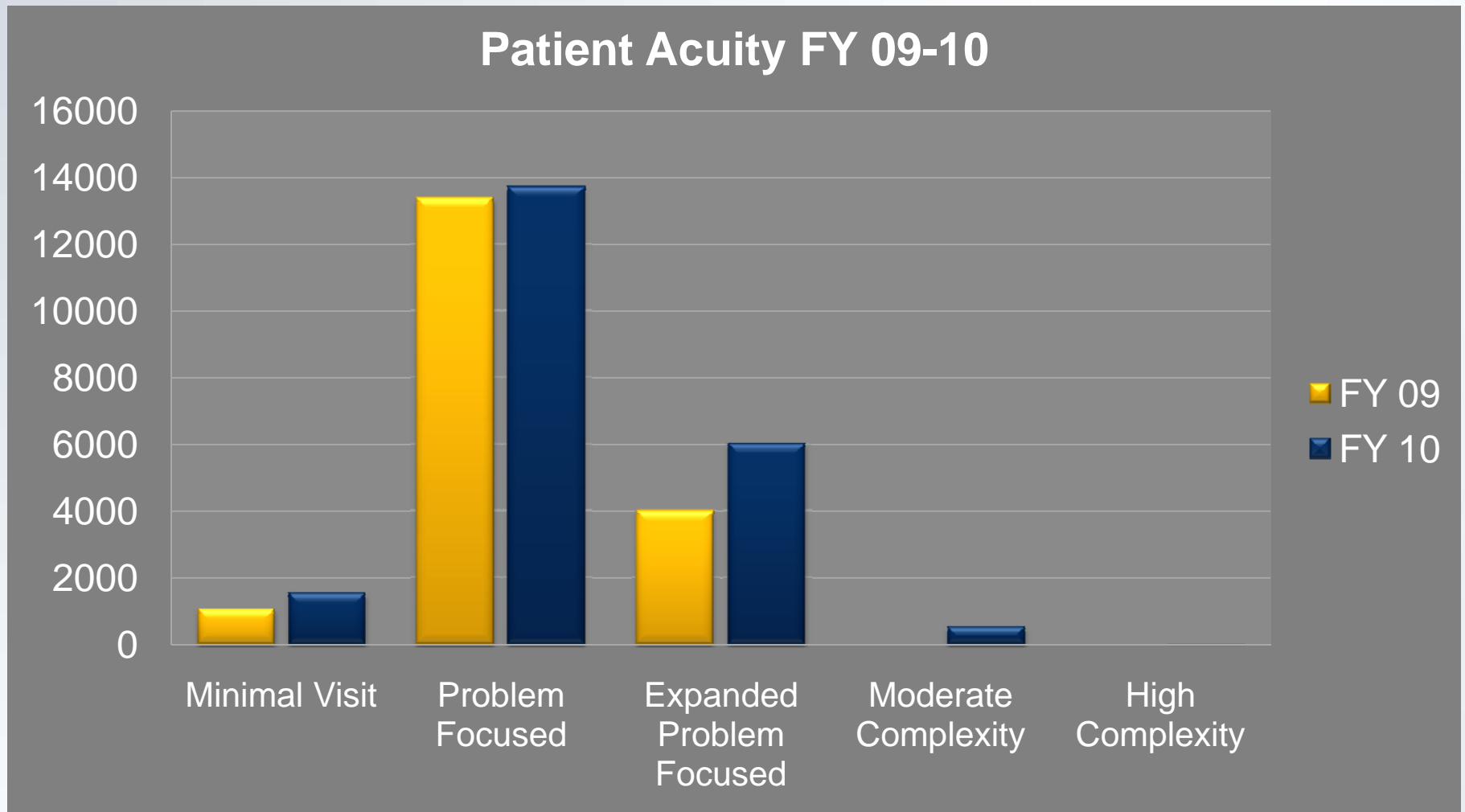


# Expanded Scope of Care Provided

## Stamps Health Services FY 10 DRG Review

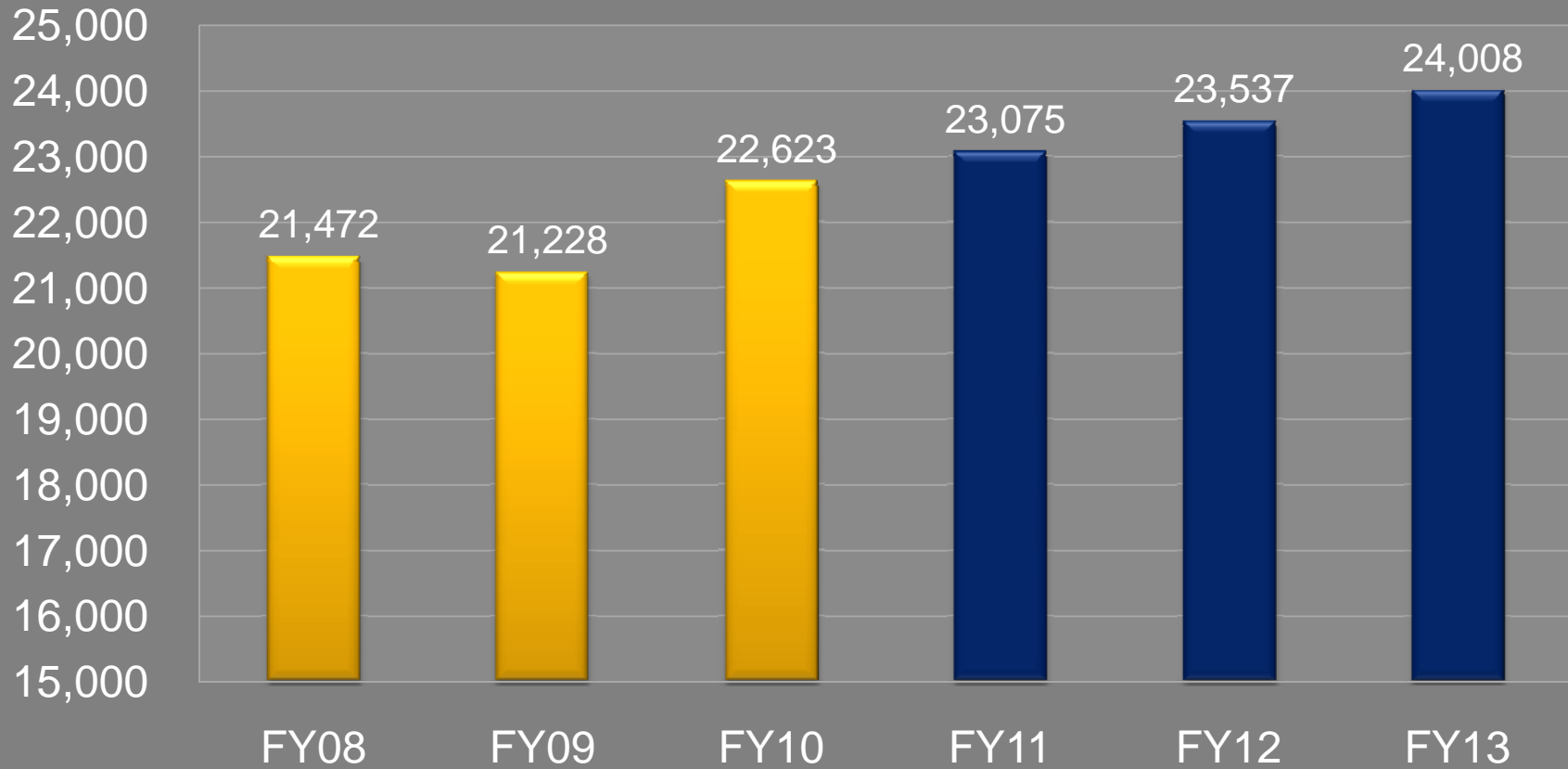


# Acuity of medical problems



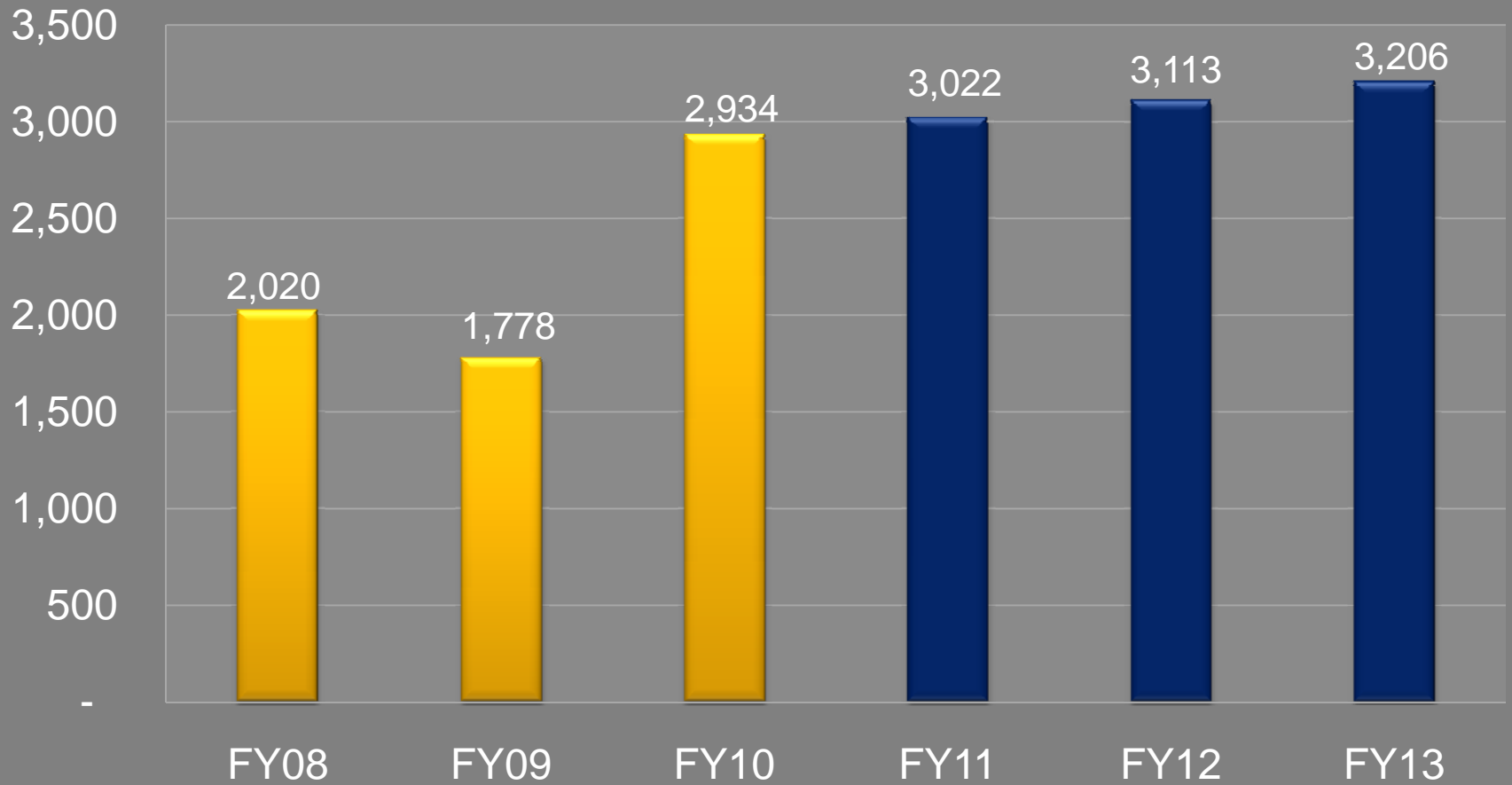
# Primary Care Clinic

## Visits FY 08-13



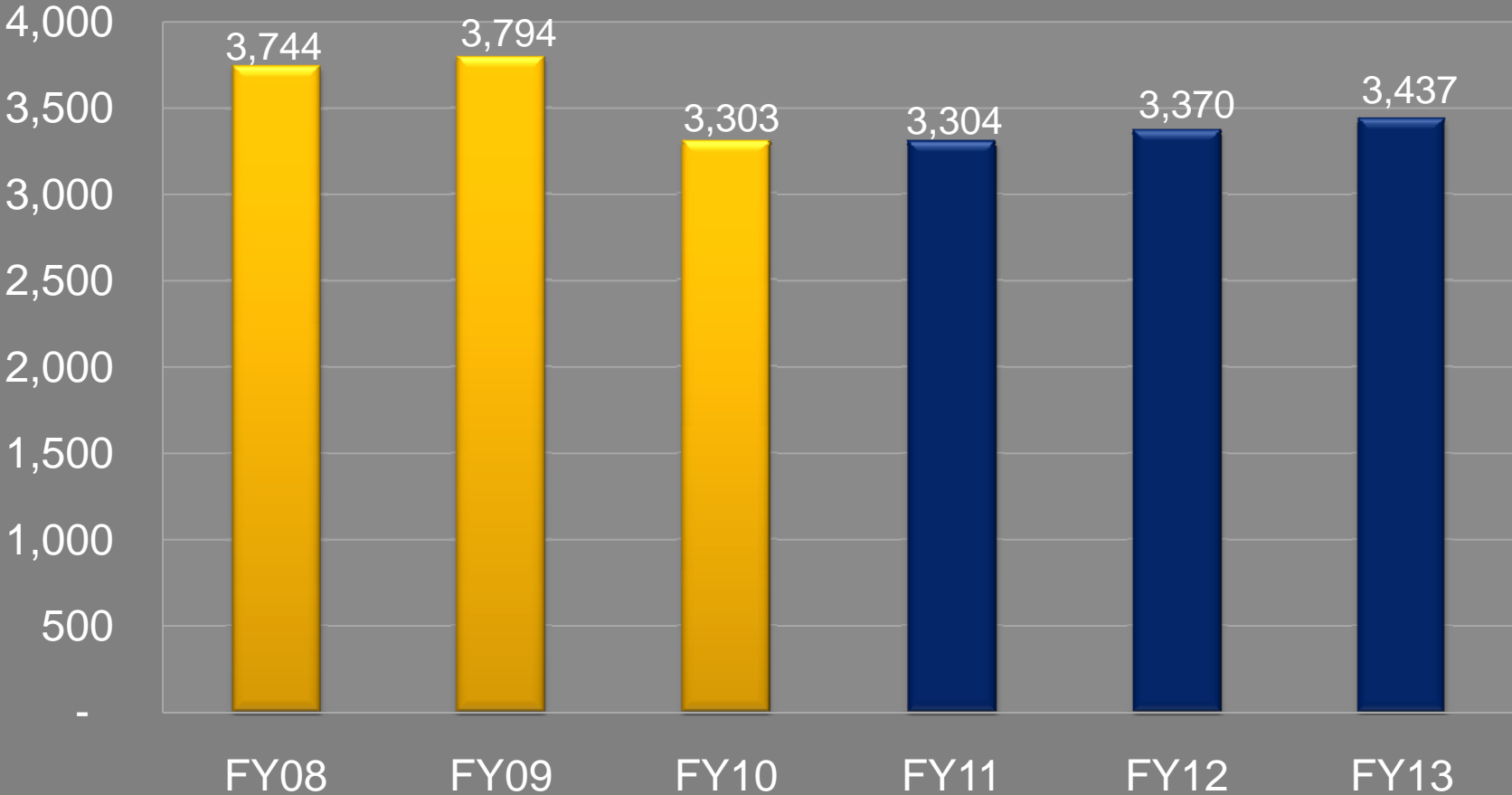
# Psychiatry

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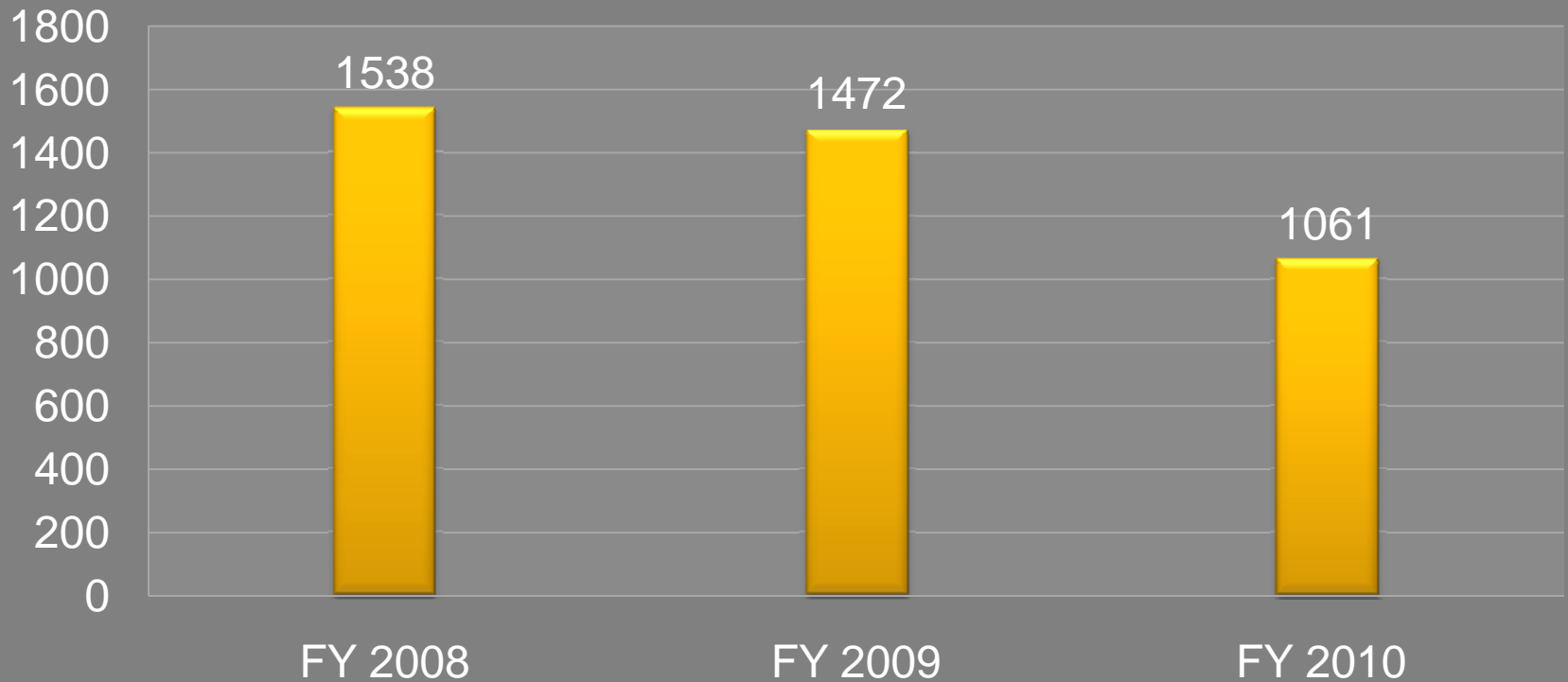
# Women's Clinic

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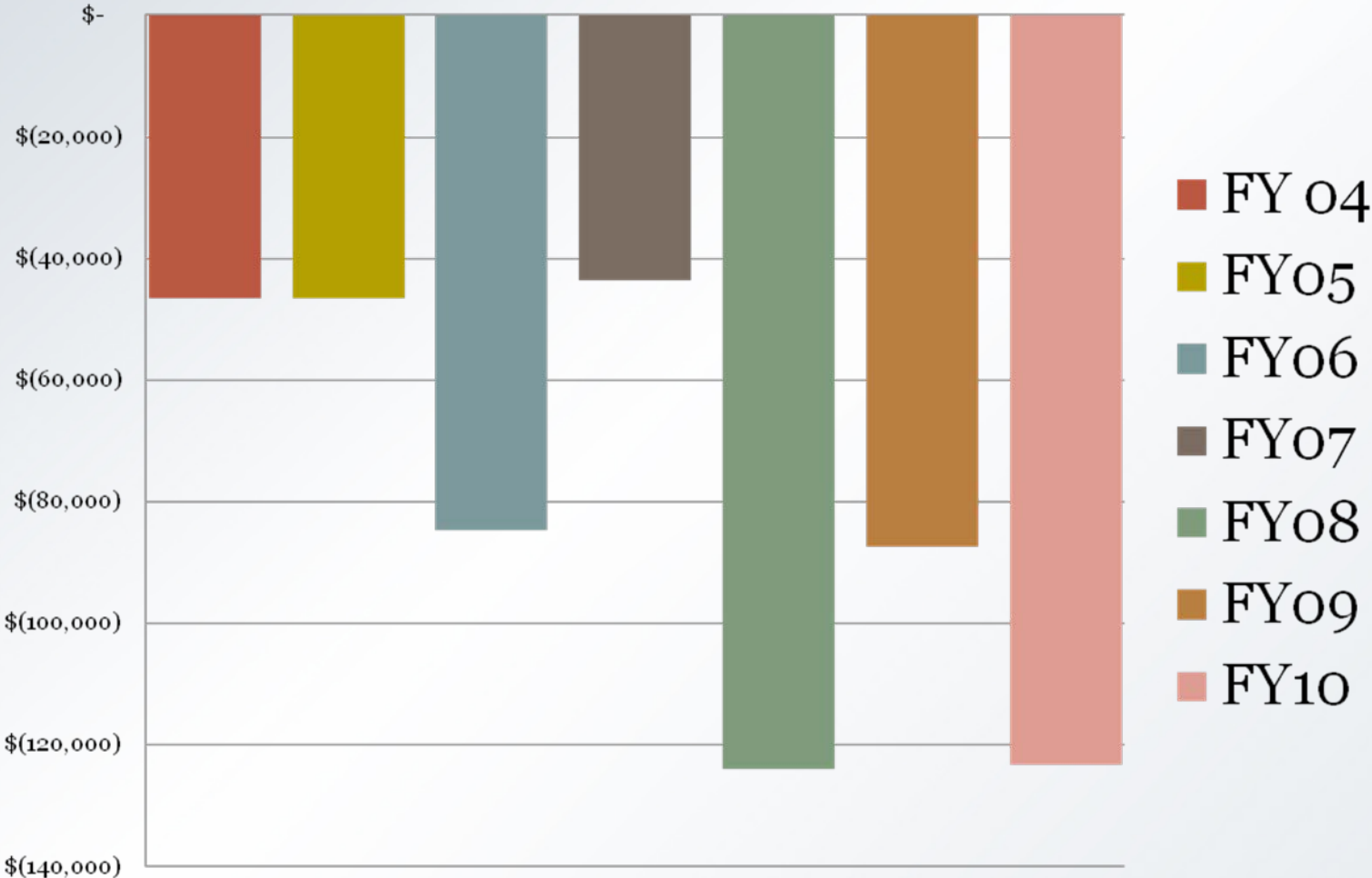


# Dental Clinic

## Visits FY 08-10



# Dental Clinic Losses

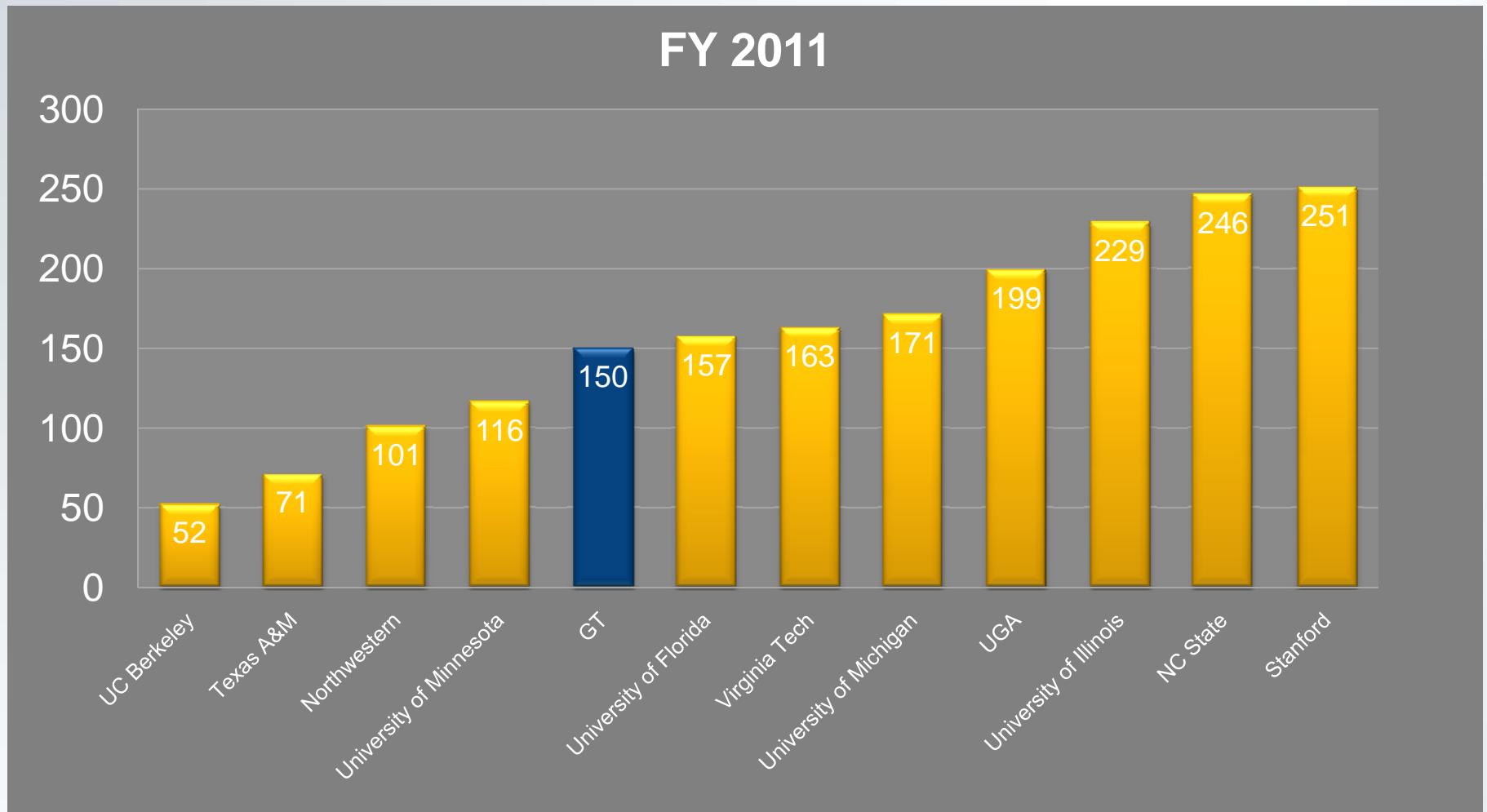


# Portion of health fee used to support dental





# Peer school health fees



# Proposal – Approved Unanimously by the Student Health Advisory Committee 11/30/10

1. Hire 2 Nurse Practitioners to accommodate increasing volume and acuity.
2. Hire Dietician (shared with Dining Services) to lead eating disorders team.
3. Close dental clinic and explore cost neutral approaches to providing dental care on campus.
4. Increase student health fee by 3.3% (\$5).

