





## **MOBILE YOUTH HEALTH CENTER**

## **SUMMARY**

The Mobile Youth Health Center provides services to adolescents in the Allentown, Bethlehem, Bangor, and Panther Valley School districts, on the HealthStar Mobile Medical Vans. This program serves students with health needs and with a special focus on uninsured adolescents.

## HIGHLIGHTS

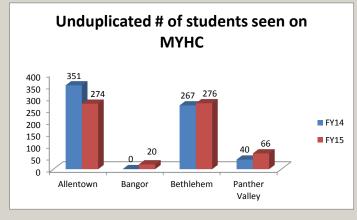
In FY15, the Mobile Youth Health Center provided nearly 1,687 patient visits to 266 uninsured students and 268 students that did not have a primary care provider.

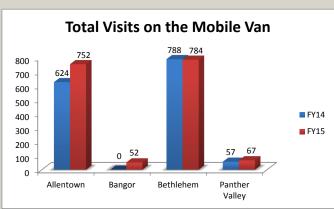
**Allentown:** Provided mobile medical services to 274 students in the Allentown School District, with 752 visits on the van. This included physical exams, adolescent health assessments, vision services, insurance referrals & connection, and nutrition counseling.

**Bangor**: Provided mobile medical services to 20 students in the Bangor School District, with 52 visits on the van. This included physical exams, adolescent health assessments, vision services, insurance referrals & connection, and nutrition counseling.

**Bethlehem:** Provided mobile medical services to students in the Bethlehem School District, with 784 visits on the van. This included physical exams, adolescent health assessments, vision services, insurance referrals & connection, and nutrition counseling.

**Panther Valley:** Provided mobile medical services to more that 66 students in the Panther Valley School District, with 67 visits on the van. This included physical exams, adolescent health assessments, vision services, insurance referrals & connection, and nutrition counseling.





## **CHALLENGES & NEXT STEPS**

- The Mobile Youth Health Center Team went through a major restructuring process during FY15. In September a new manager was brought on and administrative changes took place. In January of 2015, a third manager was brought on, and the current manager was promoted to Director of Maternal Child Health.
- This was challenging for the team as well as the Administrative staff. Due to the flexibility and adaptability of the team, services continued to be provided.
- The Bangor school district was a new program in FY15. Community Health staff have worked diligently to establish relationships with school district employees, and the Slater Family Network Foundation in order to provide services on the Mobile Medical Van.