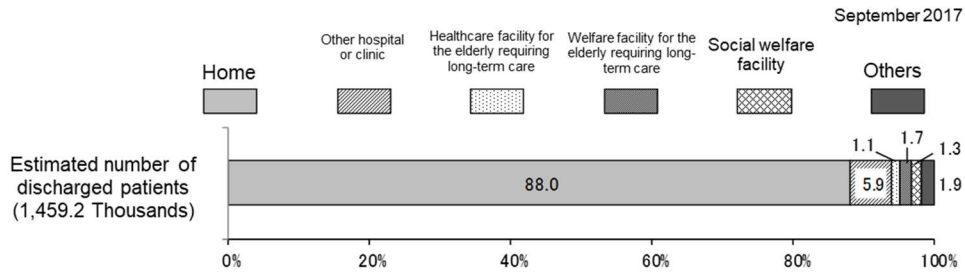


4 Location of patients before admission and after discharge

For the location of patients before admission, 88.0% out of the total estimated number of discharged patients (1,459.2 thousand) lived at "Home" (Figure 10, Statistical Table 8).

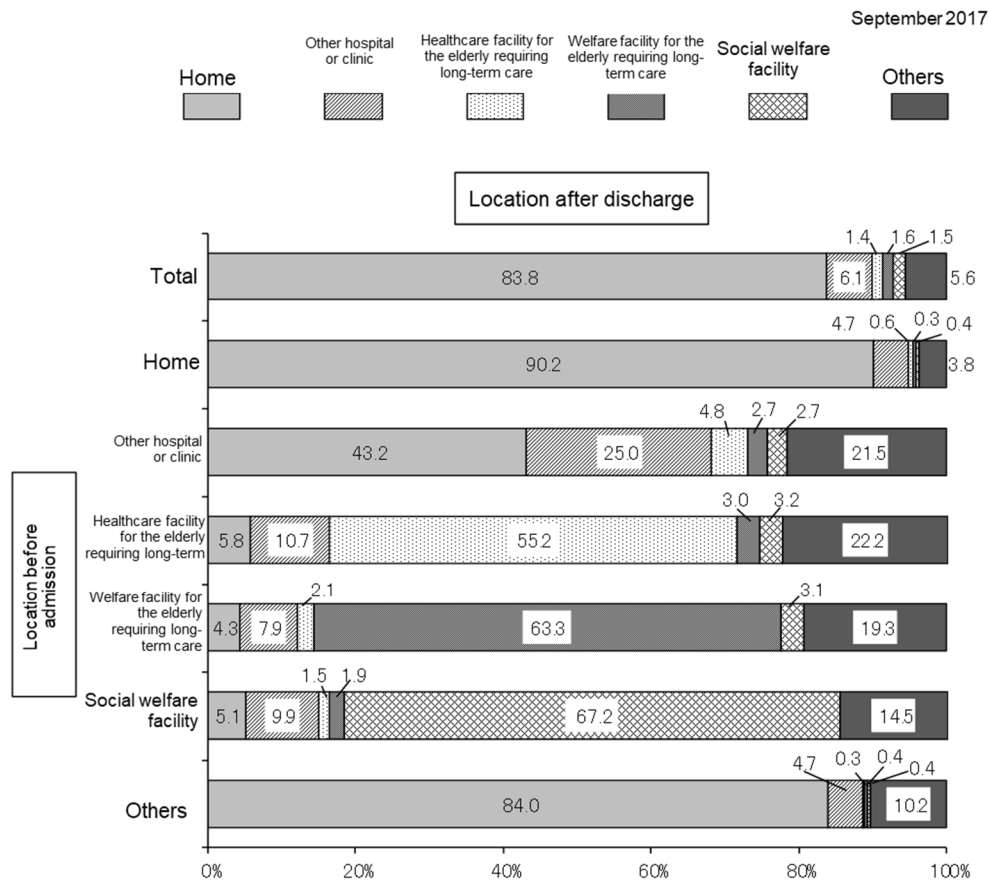
For the destination of patients after discharge, 83.8% were discharged to "Home" (Figure 11, Statistical Table 8).

Figure 10 Percentage Distribution of the Estimated Number of Discharged Patients by Location of Patients before Admission



Note: 1) Patients discharged in the period from September 1 to 30, 2017 were surveyed.
 2) "Home" includes outpatient visits to hospitals/medical clinics and home medical care.
 3) "Others" in the location before admission indicates patients whose location before admission cannot be identified and includes newborns who were born in the medical institution or unknowns.

Figure 11 Percentage Distribution of the Estimated Number of Discharged Patients by Location of Patients before Admission and after Discharge



Note: 1) Patients discharged in the period from September 1 to 30, 2017 were surveyed.
 2) "Home" includes outpatient visits to hospitals/medical clinics and home medical care.
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 4) "Others" in the location after discharge indicates patients whose location after discharge cannot be identified and includes those who died or were unknowns.