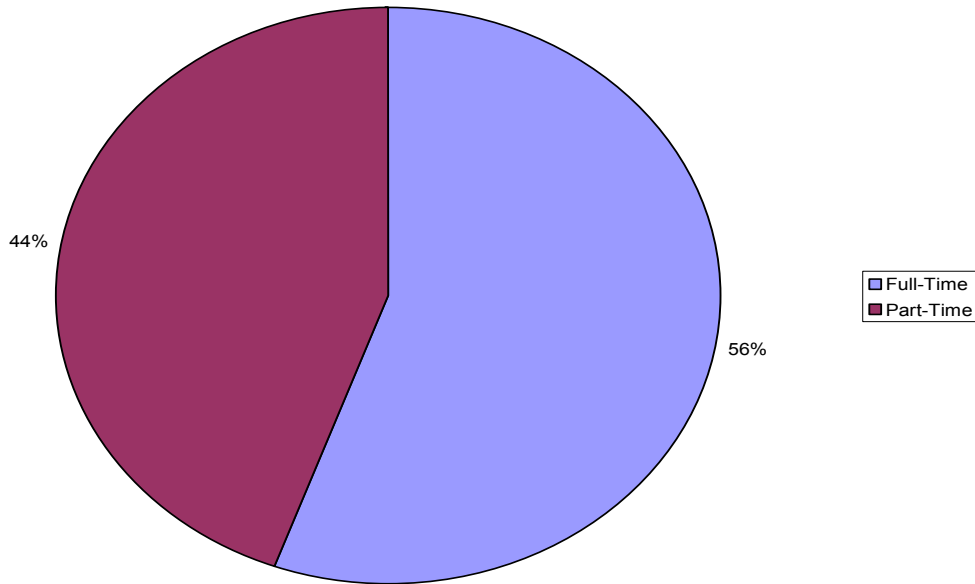


Summary of NCDVD Online Survey of Diocesan Vocation Directions

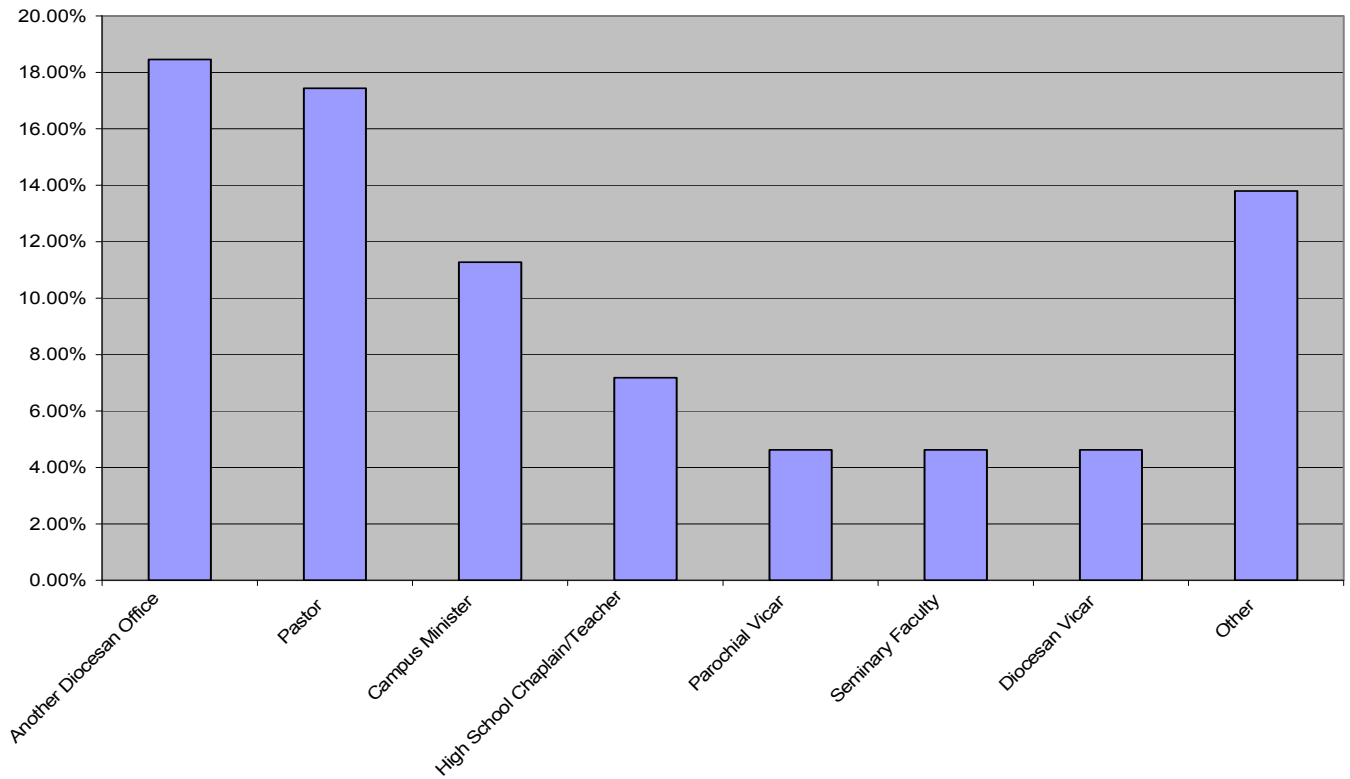
Percentage of Diocesan Vocation Directors who completed survey: 87 %

Full-Time vs. Part-Time

Results show that slightly more than half of U.S. dioceses have a full time Vocation director.

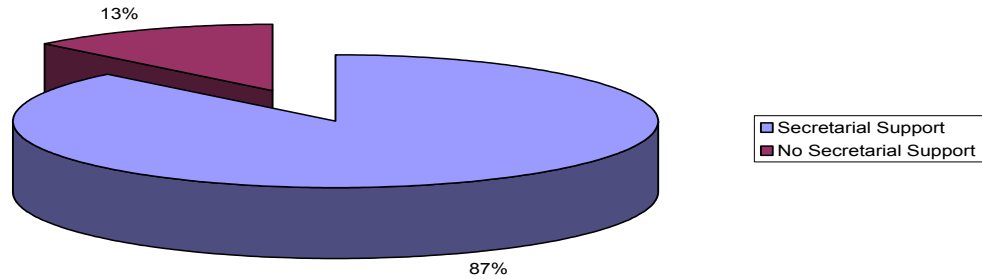


Other Responsibilities Given to Vocation Directors

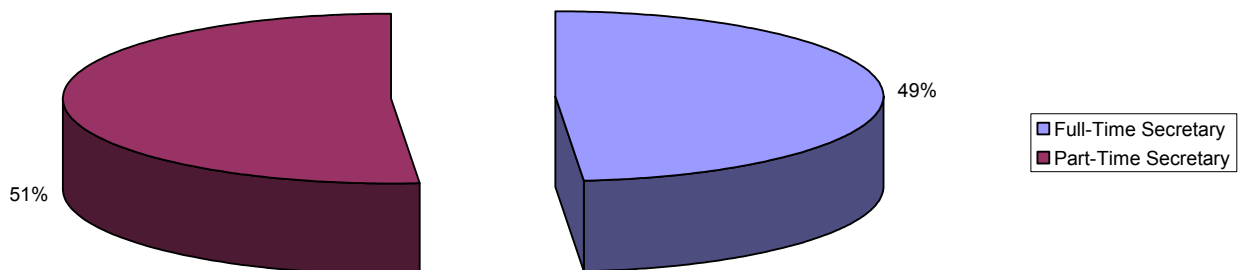


Secretarial Support for Vocation Directors

Results show that most Vocation Directors are provided with secretarial support.

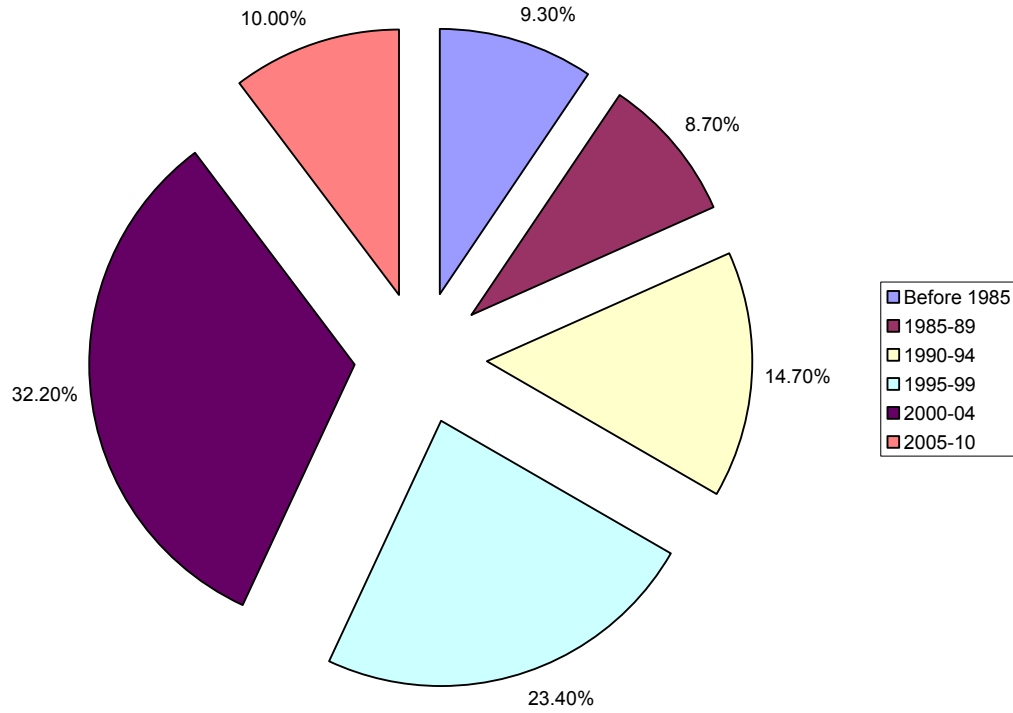


Results also clearly demonstrate that fewer than half of all diocesan Vocation Directors are given a Full-time secretary. In many instances, one person is shared by multiple offices.



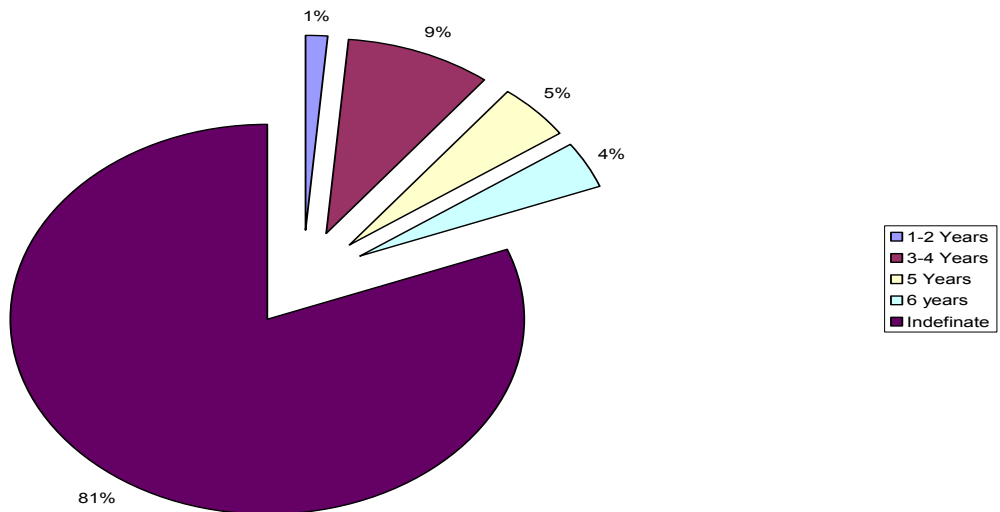
Years of Ordination

With few exceptions, most diocesan Vocation Directors are priests. Results show that roughly half of priests serving as diocesan Vocation Directors have been ordained between six and fifteen years. Some 10% of diocesan Vocation Directors have been ordained for five years or less. Fewer than 20% of diocesan Vocation Directors have been ordained more than twenty years. Seven in ten diocesan Vocation Directors have been ordained between six and twenty years.



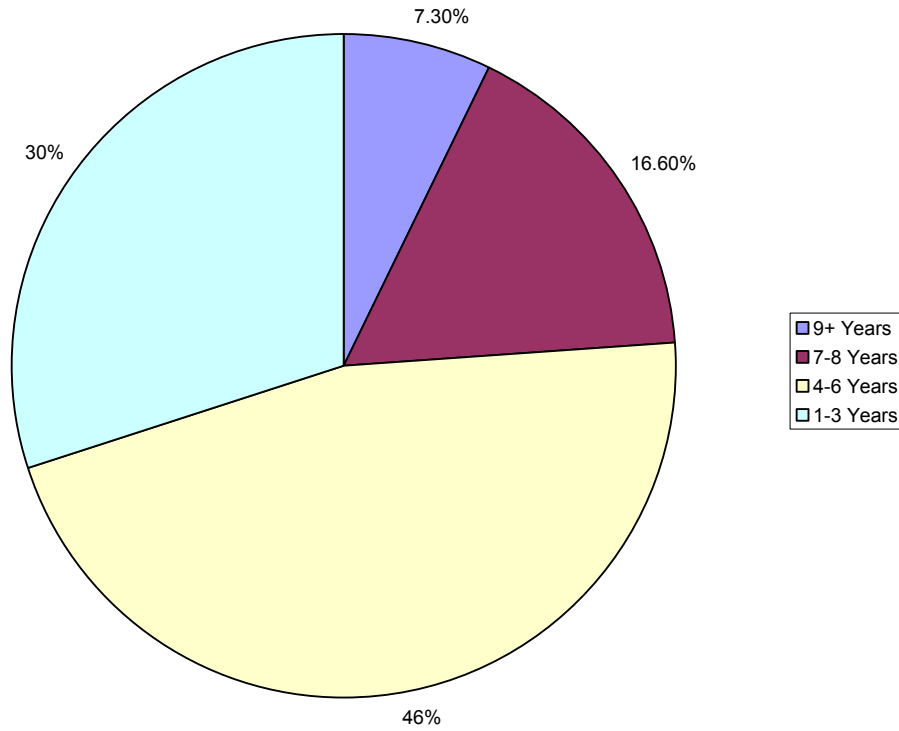
Term of Office

The vast majority of diocesan Vocation Directors (81%) are not appointed for any specific length of time.

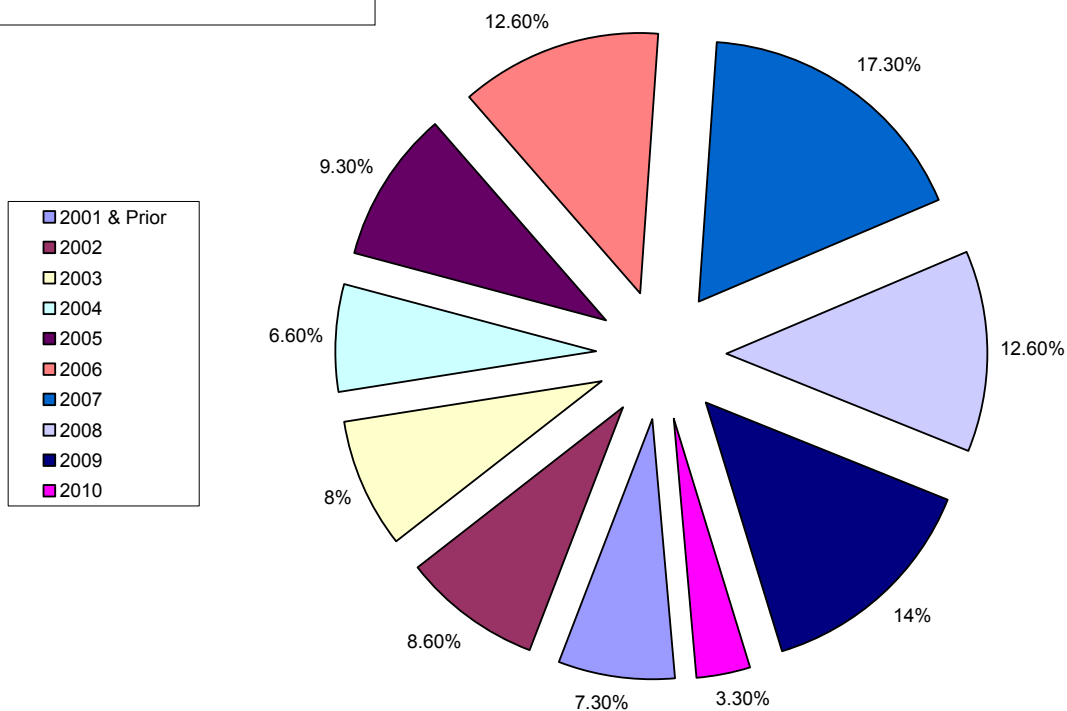


Longevity in Assignment in Vocation Ministry

Results seem to illustrate two different realities. On one hand one third of current diocesan Vocation Directors have served three years or less while over 60% of current diocesan Vocation Directors have served between four and eight years. Only about 7% have served nine years or more.

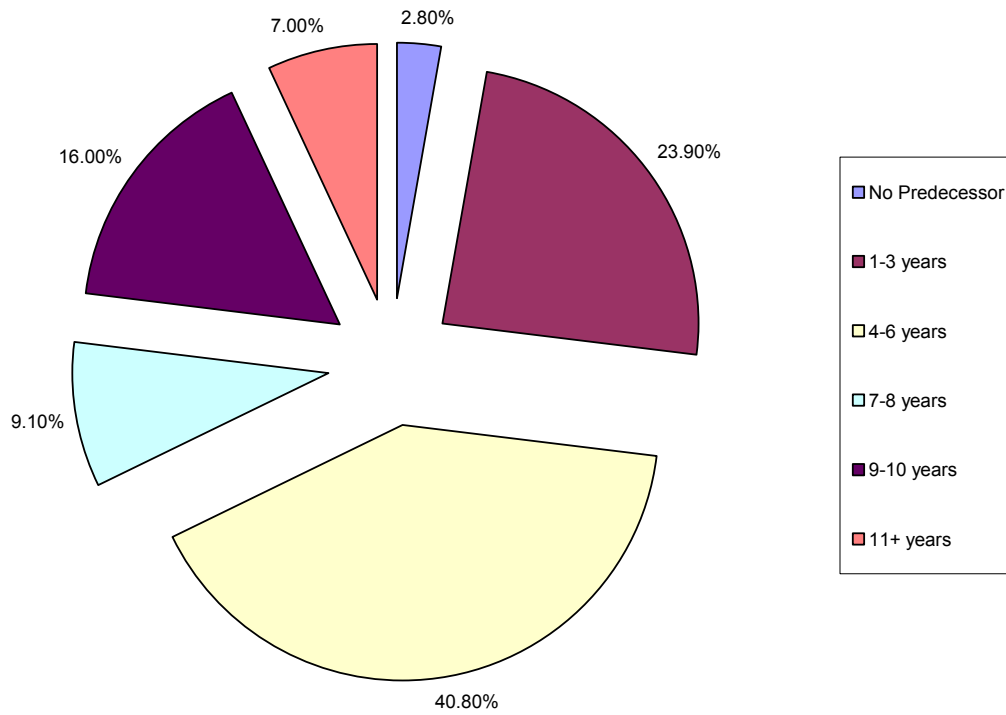


Further detail of when current Vocation Directors were appointed:



Length of Predecessor's Term as Vocation Director

Results clearly demonstrate that 65% of previous diocesan Vocation Directors served for 6 years or less.



Length of Predecessor's Predecessor's Term as Vocation Director

Results indicate that 68% of the Vocation Directors before the last Vocation Directors served under 6 years.

