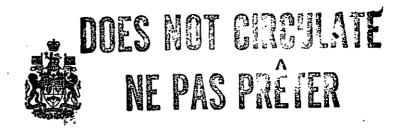
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### **FOREWORD**

The Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada has very kindly agreed to make available to this Bureau statistical information from its records, thus facilitating a detailed appraisal of the home nursing services provided by the Order. The report does not provide a complete picture of such services in Canada because there are a number of other agencies engaged in home nursing. The Victorian Order of Nurses, however, is the largest and the only national organization of its kind with branches in nine provinces.

This is the sixth annual report on home nursing services. The steady increase in chronic illness, the increasing attention given to better care for mothers and babies before and after confinement and, last but not least, the growing interest in home care as supplementing hospital services should, it is hoped, make this report a useful contribution to the study of the changing pattern of health services in Canada.

These statistics on home nursing care are made possible through the co-operation of the nurses and administrative staff of the Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada. This Report was prepared in the Public Health Section of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

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### INTRODUCTION

The Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada, referred to in this Report as the Order, is a voluntary non-profit organization established in 1897. It provides a variety of services of which only nursing care and health counseling in the home are dealt with in this Report. Included are services rendered under the home care program, which began in July 1950, carried out in conjunction with the Reddy Memorial Hospital in Montreal. Brief reference is made to group health activities of the Order on page 10.

Services are always rendered under the direction of the patient's physician on a visit basis, and include bedside nursing, prenatal, postnatal and newborn care, and health instruction. The services are designed to meet the needs of patients who cannot or need not go to a hospital, and patients who are awaiting admission to hospital as well as those returning from hospital and still requiring nursing service such as dressings, treatments or other care. Part of the nurses' duties are the demonstration and supervision of nursing care to be carried out by members of the patient's family.

The minimum qualification for the nurses is graduation from a recognized nurses training school. In addition, many have post graduate training in public health including communicable disease nursing.

On December 31, 1957, the Order had 117 Branches in operation with 604 full- and part-time nurses. In addition there were 48 nurses attending university. The names of these branches and their location are indicated on the map included on page 7 of the 1956 report. An indication of the comparative size of these branches is also given by showing the number of nurses normally on duty during most of the year in each branch. Most branches provide service in the urban communities in which they are located, but some give service in rural areas. These communities comprise about 40 per cent of the total population of the provinces in which branches are located. In these areas, the services of the Order are available to all residents. There are as yet no branches in Prince Edward Island. A fee, based on the cost of a visit of about \$2.25 varying somewhat in different branches, is charged for nursing care visits to those who are able to pay. The fee is adjusted according to the patient's financial circumstances and care is never refused because of inability to pay.

The basic source of the material presented in this Report is the Patient's Service Record. This record is completed by the attending nurse and, following discharge of the case, is forwarded by the branches to the national office of the Order, where the information is coded. The coded data are then supplied to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics for the preparation of reports.

Following is an explanation of certain terms used in this Report:

Cases—are represented by Patient's Service Records. A case is an individual admitted for a particular condition for which either therapeutic nursing care or health instruction is given. The condition, rather than the individual, is the basis for counting cases. Since a person may have in the current year more than one condition he may be counted as a case more than once. For example, if a maternity case develops a medical or surgical condition not related to pregnancy or confinement, and receives nursing services for this condition, or vice versa, these conditions are treated separately and recorded as two cases.

At the end of each calendar year all cases are considered as discharged and, if further service is to be rendered, they are reopened on the first day of the following year (see page 9).

Visits—A single call is always recorded as one visit, even if the individual received general nursing care for a medical or surgical condition and maternity care at the same time. The same applies to a visit where both care and instruction are given (see page 21).

Classification on Admission — Services are grouped by type of admission as follows:

- 1. Medical and surgical
- 2. Well infant
- 3. Prenatal
- 4. Postnatal
- 5. Newborn
- 6. Health instruction only
- Health instruction to infants originally admitted as newborn
- 8. Patient not seen
- 9. On behalf of patient

Length of Nursing Service — is the period between "date opened" and "date discharged" on the Patient's Service Record, regardless of the number of visits made during that period. "Date opened" may be prior to the beginning of the report year.

If a mother is admitted as prenatal, the length of nursing service for the newborn is the period from:

- (a) the date of delivery to the date of discharge, when delivered at home with the nurse at delivery, or
- (b) the date admitted on return from hospital to the date of discharge, when delivered at the hospital.

# PART I SUMMARY

### PART I - SUMMARY

Home nursing and health counseling services rendered by the Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada in 1957 are summarized in the table below, which shows discharged cases with corresponding visits according to the classification on admission (see Introduction, page 5). A case, when discharged from nursing service of the Order, may not in all instances be recovered from the condition treated. A small number are discharged to institutions for

continuance of care to the patient. Such cases would include those admitted to the Order for care:

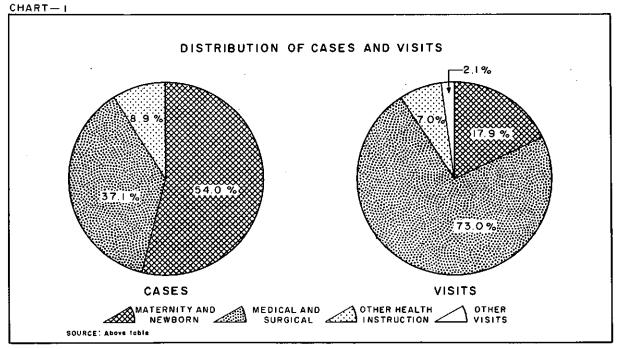
- (a) while awaiting admission to hospital because a bed is not immediately available, or
- (b) involving a long term illness where specific treatment is required as indicated by the prognosis of the case.

Summary of Discharged Cases and Visits, 1957

		Visits				
Type of nursing service (Classification on admission)	Cases	Total	Nursing care	Health instruction	Other	
Maternity and Newborn Medical and Surgical Other Health Instruction Other Visits	67,691 46,570 11,159	192,890 785,817 74,875 <sup>1</sup> 23,323	33,267 751,929 —	159,623 33,888 74,875	_ _ _ 23,323	
Total Other Services	125,420 —	1,076,905 1,433	785, 196 -	268, 386 —	23,323 1,433	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Includes 48,292 visits to infants originally admitted for newborn service.

Tables in Parts II and III of this Report are based on diagnosis rather than on classification upon admission. Thus it is possible to include under the Medical and Surgical group those maternity cases which, due to complications, should be classified as Medical and Surgical, leaving under the Maternity and Newborn group only cases of normal pregnancy and childbirth. This accounts for the difference between the group totals in the above summary and the tables of the following parts of this Report.



Percentage distribution of cases and visits, by type of nursing service, 1957.

Summary data for 1957 are shown in percentage form in Chart 1. Although Maternity and Newborn cases predominated, most of the visits were ac-

counted for by Medical and Surgical cases. This is due to the fact that maternity cases, in general have fewer visits than medical cases. CHART-2

#### MOST VISITS GO TO MEDICAL AND SURGICAL CASES

(Each symbol=50,000 visits)

MATERNITY AND NEWBORN



MEDICAL AND SURGICAL



OTHER HEALTH INSTRUCTION



\*

NURSING CARE VISITS



SOURCE Table on page 8.

Number of nursing care and health instruction visits by type of nursing service, 1957.

Only visits made during the year 1957 are shown in this Report which, therefore, presents a complete picture of the number of visits, i.e., the volume of services rendered, during that year. On the other hand, due to the present system of reporting, the average visits per case shown in Tables 3, 4, 6, 16 and 29 do not take into account prior visits to those cases which were reopened at the begin-

ning, or visits following the cut-off at the end of the year.

The following table shows by diagnostic group the percentage distribution of cases carried over from the previous year for further service and discharged during 1957. The higher the percentage, the greater the bias will be in understating the average visits per case in particular cause groups.

Cause and detailed list numbers	Per cent of total cases carried over from 1955
Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs (290-299)	21,8
Diseases of the heart (410-434)	20.3
Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (330-352)	11.0
Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever (720-727)	6.3
Diabetes (260)	6.2
Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions (780-795)	4.8
Malignant neoplasms (140-205)	4.6
Residual	25.0

Of the total 125,420 cases, 67,691 or 54:0 per cent were "Maternity and Newborn", while 46,570, or 37.1 per cent were "Medical and Surgical". The remaining 8.9 per cent were "Other Health Instruction". There was an increase of 2,633 cases, or 2.1 per cent over 1956.

In terms of visits, the percentage distribution differs from that of cases. Of the 1,076,905 visits, "Medical and Surgical" visits accounted for the largest portion, 73.0 per cent, while "Maternity

and Newborn" visits followed with 17.9 per cent. The remaining groups of visits, "Other Health Instruction" and "Other Visits", accounted for 9.1 per cent. Visits for the "Medical and Surgical" group increased by 31,869 or 4.2 per cent over 1956, while the cases increased by 2 per cent.

Of the 1.076,905 visits, 72.9 per cent were for nursing care, while 24.9 per cent were for health instruction and 2.2 per cent were other visits. For "Medical and Surgical" cases the proportion of

nursing care visits to health instruction visits was 22 to 1, whereas for "Maternity and Newborn" cases the ratio was 1 to 5. The corresponding ratio for Maternity cases, excluding Newborn, was 1 to 10.

"Other Health Instruction" is divided into four groups according to the age of the patient with the following distribution of cases and visits:

Other Health Instruction	Cases	Visits
Infant (a) originally admitted as new- born	24, 066 <sup>1</sup> 6, 350 1, 212 1, 130 2, 467 11, 159	48, 292 15, 581 2, 364 2, 266 6, 372 74, 875

<sup>1</sup> Since these infant cases were originally admitted as newborn, and are counted as "newborn" in the summary table (page 8), they are not included in the total here.

These groups are defined as follows:

"Infants" are those admitted after the first month of life to one year, including those originally admitted as newborn and requiring further service.

"Preschool" are children between the ages of one year and six years who are not attending elementary school. A child under six years attending nursery school or kindergarten is counted as a preschool child.

"School children" are those between the ages of six and fifteen years regardless of whether they are attending elementary or high school. A child under six years attending elementary school or over fifteen years still attending school is counted as a school child.

Individuals not included in these three classes, are classified as "Adults".

The group "Other Visits" consists of visits which cannot be classified as nursing care or health instruction, and includes "Patient not seen" (18,177) and "On behalf of patient" (5,146).

A "Patient not seen" visit is one for which it was impossible to render a service because of the absence of the patient or, in the case of an infant, someone responsible for his care on the initial visit. Only one "not seen" visit to a patient or a family is recorded on the same day, even though several inquiries may be made. When service is being given to several members of a family and some are visited while others are not home, visits are recorded only to those served; no "not seen" visit is recorded. If the nurse, when visiting at a home, tries to see additional patients nearby who are not home, these "not seen" visits are not recorded.

A visit "On behalf of patient" is one whereby the nurse makes contact with an individual other than the patient but on behalf of the patient. A visit made to physicians, social workers, clinic or hospital personnel, etc., would be considered as "On behalf of patient" visit providing the contact made contributed to the well-being of the patient and was significant enough to record on the Patient's Service Record.

The 1,433 visits in the group "Other Services" are not included in the totals shown in the summary because of their different nature. Nursing services for many visits in this group require longer periods of time to perform than that required by the other groups. As a result, certain weights are assigned to these visits by the Order for administrative purposes. This accounts for differences in the figures in this Report and the Annual Report of the Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada, 1957. The number of visits for each type of service in this group is as follows:

	of visits
1. Operation attended — visits at which the nurse assists the doctor with an	
operation in the home	46
2. Delivery attended - visits at which	
the nurse is present for the delivery	
of the baby or placenta	232
3. Interrupted pregnancy attended -	
visits at which the nurse is present	
for the delivery of a non-viable foetus (up to 28 weeks) or foetus incapable	
of extra-uterine existence	4
4. Hourly appointment - visits made at	
an appointed time	1,108
5. False call -a visit when a mater-	
nity case is admitted for delivery	
but delivery does not take place	
until later	43

Number

Group Health Activities—In addition to providing home nursing services, the Order, as a result of joint planning with municipalities and other government agencies, arranged to provide certain communities with a variety of group health activities. These activities include prenatal classes, child health conferences or clinics, school health services and part-time health counseling services in industrial plants.

At a child health conference the Victorian Order nurse counsels mothers, while at a clinic a doctor is present. Part-time health service is provided in small industrial plants, i.e., plants employing approximately 200 workers or less. School health service is carried on with the approval of the local Board of Health and is on a part-time basis. Prenatal classes are conducted for expectant mothers (and fathers). The residual group includes group teaching and other services to chest X-ray clinics, wards of Children's Aid Society, civil defence and other similar organizations. Group health activities represent about 5 per cent of the total service given by the Order. The amount of time spent by the nurses in these activities in 1957 has remained virtually the same for the past two years.

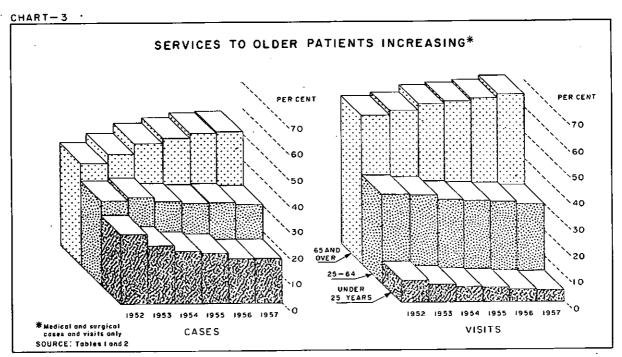
Group health activities are developed on a local level according to the community need, in co-operation with the Medical Officer of Health and are part of the total health program. About one-third of the branches offer one or more such services. In those branches offering prenatal classes, class groups function on a continuous year-round basis with each group consisting of approximately 15 registrants. These classes, which are intended as a supplement

rather than a substitute for home care visits, meet weekly for about 8 weeks and each session averages 3 hours duration. There are several branches providing evening classes. During 1957 approximately 8,000 persons were enrolled in prenatal classes among the 47 branches providing this service.

The number of branches participating in such group activities and the number of sessions held during the six-year period are shown below.

		Participating branches Sessions				ions						
Group activity	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957
Prenatal classes or clinics     Child health conferences or clinics	32 57		37 51	·	43 50	47 46	1,632 4,993	2,083 4,468	i -	3,731 4,801	2,944 4,704	3, 104 4, 901
3. Industrial nursing	17	17	19	18	20	25	5,818	5, 954	6,415		5,785 3,585	5,082 6,506
<ol> <li>School health services</li> <li>Other classes or clinics</li> </ol>	34 32	38 40		36 36	36 48		3,009 429	3,130 819	l '	4, 280 576	1,026	1,634
. Total	-	·	_	-	_	-	15,881	16, 454	18, 775	19, 159	18,044	21, 22
Percentage increase over 1952 total		-	-	-	_	-	_	3.6	18.2	20.6	13.6	33.7

The above table shows a general increase for the period shown in the provision of these services. Child health conferences or clinics show a drop in the number of branches participating but an increase in the number of sessions held. The number of sessions held in group health activities during the period 1952-1957 increased by 33.7 per cent. 1952-1957 Review—Annual statistics on home nursing and health counseling services based on experiences of the Victorian Order of Nurses have been compiled and published by the Bureau beginning with the year 1952. Since then the number of cases recorded decreased from 129,467 to 120,342 in 1954, a drop of 7.0 per cent. However, since 1954



Percentage distribution of medical and surgical cases and visits by age, 1952-1957.

the number of cases has been increasing steadily. During the same six-year period an increase was recorded in each year for the number of visits. Since 1952, visits increased by 19.7 per cent, from 899,299 to 1,076,905. Since then the number of cases decreased by 4,047, or 3.1 per cent of the total cases treated. Since January 1, 1952, nine new branches were opened, two branches were amalgamated to form a single branch and two branches were discontinued, giving a total of 117 branches on December 31, 1957.

The "Medical and Surgical" group, with 40.3 per cent of the total cases in 1952, was mainly responsible for this change. In this group there was a drop of 10.7 per cent, from 52,153 cases in 1952 to 46,570 cases in 1957, and an increase of 34.2 per cent in the visits, from 585,719 to 785,817. On the other hand, the number of cases receiving "Other health instruction" has increased by 2,745, or 32.6 per cent. Group health activities have also increased as compared with 1952 (see page 11).

This trend over the six-year period is characterized by the increasing proportion of older patients treated in the Medical and Surgical group (see Chart 3). The percentage of cases in the age group under 15 years has decreased from 22.8 in 1952 to 13.7 in 1957, while the age group 65 and over increased from 39.7 to 51.7 per cent during the same six-year period. Corresponding percentage changes are observed in the recorded visits (see Tables 1 and 2).

The following table shows that the average visits per case over the six-year period for Medical and Surgical cases has increased by 49 per cent,

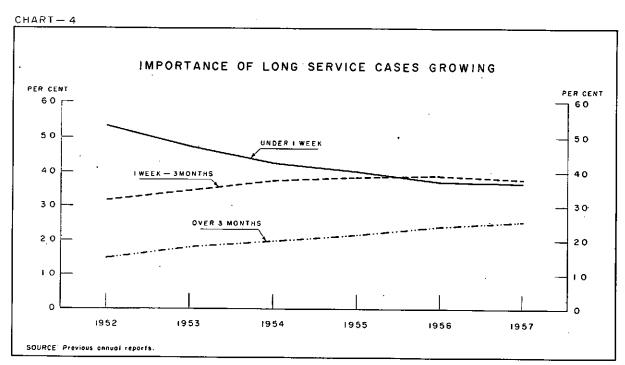
while the average for Maternity cases has decreased by 14 per cent.

	Average visits per case			
Year	Medical and surgical	Maternity		
1952	11. 1 12. 6 13. 9 15. 0 16. 1 16. 5	2.9 2.7 2.7 2.6 2.5 2.5		

Further evidence of an increase in the average age of patients during the six-year period is shown by the change in median ages of the cases as follows.

	Median age					
Year	Both sexes	Male	Female			
1952	54.3 59.2 62.5 64.0 65.1 65.4	45. 2 55. 9 59. 8 62. 8 65. 0 65. 3	57. 2 60. 0 63. 4 64. 4 65. 2 65. 5			

From Chart 4, a proportional increase of Medical and Surgical cases with long nursing service is evident.



Percentage distribution of medical and surgical cases by length of nursing service, 1952-1957.

A further trend during the past six years is observed in the increasing percentage of post-hospital cases, an indication of the increasing use

made of home care as supplementing hospital services. However, a slight decline is recorded in 1957.

Year	Number of post- hospital cases	Per cent of total cases
1952	10,915	20,5
953	10, 907	22. 1
954	12,660	27.5
955	13,724	29. 3
956	15,396	32.4
957	15, 527	32.1

The classification of causes of illness, used in this Report with the exception of Table 7, is an extension of a short list of eight cause groups used by the Order for administrative purposes. It is shown below. (See also page 27).

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No.	Cause	Detailed list numbers	C-List numbers
1	Tuberculosis	001-019	C-1, C-2
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases	020-138	C-3 - C-11
3	Malignant neoplasms	140-205	C-12
4	Benign neoplasms	210-239	C-13
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and nutritional diseases, except diabetes	240-254 270-289	C-14, C-15, C-49a, C-49b
6	Diabetes	260	C-16
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs	290-299	C-18, C-49c
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality disorders	300-326	1) 5:5 55
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs	330-352	C-19-C-22, C-49d, C-49e
10	Other diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs	353-398	
11	Rheumatic fever	400-402	C-23
12	Diseases of the heart	410-434	C-24, C-25, C-49f
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system	440-468	C-26, C-49g, C-49h
14	Diseases of the respiratory system	470-527	C-28 C-341
15	Diseases of the digestive system	530-587	C-35 - C-401
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system	590-637	C-41, C-42, C-49i
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium	640-689	C-43
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue	690-716	C-44, C-45
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever	720-727	C-46
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of movement	730-749	C-47
21	Congenital malformations	750-759	h
22	Certain diseases of early infancy	760-776	C-481
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions	780-795	C-49j
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poisonings, and violence (nature of injury)	N800-N999	C-50
25	Other admissions	Y00-Y88	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Categories 763 (pneumonia of newborn) and 764 (diarrhoea of newborn), part of C-31 and C-38 respectively, are included in "Certain diseases of early infancy".

TABLE 1. Percentage Distribution of Cases¹ by Cause and Age², 1953-1957³

		All ages				Age			
	Cause and detailed list numbers	in each year			Under 1	5		. 15	-44
<u>No.</u>		year	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1953	1954
	All causes	100.0	18. 1	16.5	15.8	13.9	13,7	18.7	16.7
1	Tuberculosis (001-019)	100.0	5,8	4.5	5.1	4.8	5.0	65, 2	64.2
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020-138)	100.0	41.3	58.8	61.9	57.7	49.6	23.3	16.4
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205)	100.0	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	11.3	10.5
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239)	100.0	3.7	9.5	8.2	3.9	4.7	33.1	39.1
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240-254, 270-289)	100.0	8.9	15, 9	18.3	19.7	16.3	19.4	21.6
6	Diabetes (260)	100.0	0.7	2. 2	2.1	1.8	2.1	1.6	4.5
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs (290-299)	100.0	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.6	7.7	9,0
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality disorders (300-326)	100.0	1.6	0.6	2.2	2.4	1,5	23. 2	34,7
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (330-352)	100.0	0.2	0.8	1.1	0, 4	0.5	11.2	7.1
10	Other diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (353-398)	100.0	39.5	34.6	33.9	29.1	23.5	18.7	15.9
11	Rheumatic fever (400–402)	100, 0	32. 2	50.0	51.1	32.4	51.9	46.7	22.0
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434)	100.0	0, 3	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	4.3	3.2
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system (440-468)	100.0	2.7	1.9	1,3	0.7	1.1	7.5	6.7
	Diseases of the respiratory system (470- 527)	100.0	39. 1	42.4	41.1	42. 1	38.9	23.4	20.0
	Diseases of the digestive system (530- 587)	100.0	15.3	16.0	15.0	14.5	14.4	16,8	15, 8
16	Diséases of the genito-urinary system (590-637)	100.0	11.7	13.9	8.3	9.5	8.9	36.0	31.8
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium(640-652, 670-689).	100.0	_	_	_		_	98.6	98.7
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue (690-716)	100.0	29.0	25.6	25. 3	24. 2	20. 2	23. 9	19.3
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever (720-727)	100,0	1.0	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.3	8. 1	7.8
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of movement (730-749)	100.0	15.1	9.5	11.9	12.8	11.3	33.7	26.6
	Congenital malformations (750-759)	100.0	59.6	68.6	78.4	68.4	75.8	15.7	11.6
	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100. 0	100,0	_	_
	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined con- ditions (780-795)	100.0	33.7	32.3	31.1	26.3	26.6	13.5	12.0
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poisonings, and violence (nature of injury) (N800-N999)	100, 0	18.5	16.9	16.7	16.7	15.2	14.3	12, 6
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88)	100.0	82.9	83.8	88.3	83.1	88.2	8.0	7.3
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Medical and surgical cases only,
 Excluding age not stated,

TABLE 1. Percentage Distribution of Cases' by Cause and Age', 1953-1957'

						Age							
	15-44		ļ	<del>,</del>	45-64					5 and ove	er		_
1955	1956	1957	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	No
16. 1	16, 0	15, 6	19.4	19, 1	18,6	18,7	18.6	43. 1	47,1	49,0	51.0	51.7	
63.5	59.4	58.0	21.0	20.2	19.8	24.4	24.4	7.7	10.5	11.6	10.5	12.1	1
16. 2	15 <b>. 5</b>	17.2	15.9	10.0	7.7	8, 2	11,0	19.0	14, 1	14.0	18.3	22.0	2
9,3	9, 3	8,5	39, 5	37.0	36.1	36. 5	36.1	48.7	51.5	53.6	53.3	54.3	3
37. 3	34,5	39.9	30.1	27.6	25.0	26.3	25.0	33.1	23.4	28.4	34.1	30.1	4
17. 9	20. 5	18.6	28.4	24.9	27.2	25.3	24.7	43.0	37.0	35, 9	33.6	39.4	5
3,9	4.0	4.6	27.7	28. 1	26.5	26.8	25.8	69.9	64.8	67.2	67.0	66.9	6
9, 2	10.0	9. 1	20.0	20.9-	19.4	17.8	17.9	71.5	68.9	70.3	71,3	72.2	7
27.4	34.5	32, 2	37.7	32.7	38.8	30.9	29.3	37.5	31.4	30.3	31.7	36.4	8
8.4	8, 5	9.4	23.6	20.4	20.0	19.7	20,4	64.8	71.2	70, 2	71.0	69.3	9
14.9	16.0	14.8	15.9	17.2	18.8	20.7	20.2	25.6	31.7	31.7	33. 9	40.7	10
42.2	54.1	40.7	16.7	20.0	6.7	13.5	7.4	4.4	6.0	_	_	_	11
3.0	2.8	3.0	26.2	23.4	22.2	20.2	20.1	68.7	72.6	74.2	76.6	76.4	12
5. 5	6.9	6.5	22.0	19.5	17.7	20.0	19.0	67.6	71.3	75. 3	71.8	73.0	13
20.0	18.0	21.7	14.6	13.7	13.9	13.3	14.3	22, 1	23.3	24.6	26.3	24.8	14
15.3	15.3	14. 1	20.7	18.9	19.2	19.4	19.3	46.7	48.8	49.9	50.3	51.7	15
34.0	31.0	29.7	21.2	22.9	22.7	22. 1	23.7	30,0	31,1	34.3	37.2	37.6	16
98.6	99.2	98.7	4	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	 	_		-	-	17
19.8	18.6	18.1	16.5	19.0	18.3	18.4	21.0	29.8	35. 2	36.2	38.3	40.2	18
6.1	5.7	5.6	26.2	25. 0	24.3	24.8	22.5	64.1	65.6	68.8	68.4	71.0	19
24.8	26.6	21.2	24.8	30.3	27.5	22.5	28.1	26.0	32.8	34.4	37.7	38.7	20
10, 2	17.6	12.1	14.6	14.0	6.8	7.0	5.0	10.1	5.8	4.6	7, 0	7.1	21
1	_	-	-	-	-	_	.–	_	_	_	_	_	22
12, 4	11.2	12.5	10.6	10.1	10.2	10.6	9.8	41.5	45.0	45.8	51.4	50.8	23
12.4	11.0	12.4	17.9	18.2	17. 2	17.2	15.9	48.2	51.5	53.1	54.4	ge M	24
5.9	11.3	6.0	5.3	4.6	2.8	3.0	1.5	3.2	4.2	2.7	2.4		25
			o, s				1.0	3. 4	7.4	4. !	4, 4	7,3	

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TABLE 2. Percentage Distribution of Visits' by Cause and Age<sup>2</sup>, 1953-1957<sup>2</sup>

		Alloron		- <del>-</del>		Age			_
	Cause and detailed list numbers	All ages in each			Under 15			· 15	44
No.		Aest	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1953	1954
			:						
•	All causes	100.0	4.6	4.0	3.8	3.3	3.0	12.5	11.3
1	Tuberculosis (001-019)	100.0	. 5. 8	2.5	4.4	6.5	2.1	65.2	64.3
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020-138)	100.0	41.4	37.9	36.2	29.0	25.5	23.3	14.6
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205)	100.0	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.5	11.3	10.5
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239)	100.0	3.7	4.0	4.3	2.1	1.5	. 33.1	37.4
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240-254, 270-289)	100.0	8.9	10.3	13.3	11.7	8.6	19.4	22.0
6	Diabetes (260)	100.0	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.6	1.6	1.5
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs (290-299)	100.0	0,3	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.4	7.8	7.3
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality disorders (300-326)	100.0	1.6	1.3	0.8	1.6	2.1	23.2	18.4
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (330-352)	100.0	0.2	0.6	0.7	0.1	0.1	11.2	11.4
10	Other diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (353-398)	100.0	14.0	11.7	11.4	8.1	5.2	16.6	17.5
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402)	100.0	35.5	43.4	34.5	23.5	55.0	44.4	12.9
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434)	100.0	0.3	0.1.	0.1	0.1	0.1	4.4	2.8
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system (440-468)	100.0	0.5	0.4	0. 2	0.1	0.1	2.9	43
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527)	100.0	27.5	28.5	26.7	26.5	25.5	20: 3	18.3
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587)	100.0	8.0	7.2	7.0	. 7.7	6.4	17.0	15.2
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system (590-637)	100.0	5.1	4.1	2.5	2.8	2. 3	26.8	23.2
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium (640-652, 670-689).	100.0	_		_ ;	_	_	99.0	99.1
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue (690-716)	100.0	14.∙2	10.5	9.3	8.8	7.0	22.9	14.7
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever (720-727)	100.0	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.7	7. 1	6.2
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of movement (730-749)	100.0	10.4	6.8	4.1	5.7	5,4	33.7	21.4
21	Congenital malformations (750-759)	100.0	33.9	41.2	51.4	47.7	53.0	29.6	31.2
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	· _	
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions (780-795)	100.0	10.8	9.1	9.6	7.6	7. 1	8.1	6.2
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poisonings, and violence (nature of	10.		i					
_	injury) (N800-N999)	100.0	6.3	5.3	5.7	6.0	4.6	7.5	7.4
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88)	100.0	87.6	90.9	89.5	56.0	66.0	6.7	5.1

Visits to medical and surgical cases only.
 Excluding age not stated.

TABLE 2. Percentage Distribution of Visits1 by Cause and Age2, 1953-19572

	Age													
	15-44				45-64		_		6	5 and ove	r		]	
1955	1956	1957	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	No.	
			···-				,					<del></del>		
10.5	10.5	10.0	23.5	22.5	22.9	22. 1	21.6	59.0	61.7	62.6	63.8	65.1		
61.3	59.9	60.6	21.0	24.0	23.1	23.8	25.8	7.7	9.1	11.2	9.4	10.4	1	
19.4	18.1	22.3	15.8	17.1	16.4	18.7	15.5	19.0	30.0	27.4	33.0	36.7	2	
8.1	9.1	9.4	39.5	36.2	38.5	36.6	35.7	48.7	52.8	52.7	53.4	54.1	3	
36.2	32.0	42.2	30. 1	27.4	28.5	27.0	23.4	33.1	31.1	29.6	38.5	32.8	4	
17.5	<b>19.1</b>	17.6	28.4	27. 1	26.6	28.9	29. 2	<b>43.</b> 0	40.2	42.3	40.1	44.0	5	
1.6	1.9	3.1	27.7	24.1	23.6	23.4	21.4	69.9	73.0	74.0	73.9	74.5	6	
6.5	7.8	7.4	20.0	18.7	18.7	16.9	17.0	71.4	73.2	74.1	74.8	75.1	7	
17.0	25.8	28.9	37.7	33.4	49.9	34.6	30.0	37.5	46.6	31.8	38.0	38.6	8	
11.6	11.4	11.3	23.6	25.5	25.8	25.1	25.2	64.8	61.9	61.8	63.0	63.0	9	
17. 1	18. 9	14.3	24.5	23. 2	27.4	28. 2	26.5	44.1	47.3	43.8	44.6	53.5	10	
41.0	65.6	40.8	17.6	38.7	24.5	10.9	4.2	2.5	4.8	-	_	_	11	
2.5	2.5	2.4	25.4	24.5	22.8	21.1	20.4	69.6	72.3	74.3	76.2	76.6	12	
2. 2	2.4	2.9	20.9	16.6	17.4	18.2	18.7	75.5	78.4	80.2	79.1	78.0	13	
18.1	15.3	16.7	18.6	14.1	17.3	18.7	18.0	33.1	38.7	37.7	39.1	39.6	14	
14.5	15.1	11.8	26. 1	24.0	29. 0	26. 2	26. 2	48.6	53.1	49.0	50.7	55.1	15	
23.3	19.8	18.2	20.2	21.0	21.0	23.7	22.8	47.3	51.6	52.9	53.7	56.6	16	
99.3	99.6	99.2	4	0. 1	0.1	0.1	0. 1.	<b>–</b> .	_		_	_	17	
17.5	15.1	15.7	15.9	12. 2	18.9	23.1	27.1	46.1	61.8	54.1	52.8	50.0	18	
5.7	5.5	5.8	30.6	31.1	30.9	29.9	27.0	61.6	61.8	63.1	63.9	66.2	19	
25.1	31.8	19.6	24.6	33. 1	26.4	21.5	26.2	31.1	36.4	44.2	41.0	48.4	20	
31.5	34.6	24.0	20.9	21.8	9.3	11.2	.11.6	15.6	5.8	7.8	6.6	11.4	21	
-	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	22	
6.0	4.8	5.6	5.9	7.5	7:2	6.9	6.3	74.8	76.8	76.6	80.6	80.8	23	
8.9	6.8	6.5	15.2	18.3	16.4	12.5	11.5	70.0	68.9	<b>68.9</b> .	74.4	77.1	24	
4.4	29.9	20.1	2.6	2.3	3.2	9.9	8.3	2.9	1.7	2.8	3.4	5.6	25	
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# PART II MATERNITY AND NEWBORN

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#### PART II - MATERNITY AND NEWBORN

Maternity services cover care and supervision of the mother during pregnancy; nursing care and health instruction to the mother and baby on return from hospital; assistance to the doctor at the time of the delivery, if the baby is born at home, and care of both mother and child immediately following birth, with continuing instruction to the mother.

There were 35,186 maternity cases, excluding complications, which accounted for 88,579 visits (Table 3). This shows an increase of 1,046 normal maternity cases and a corresponding increase of 747 newborn cases (Table 6) over the previous year. The age group 20 to 24 years accounted for most of the cases and visits. There were 11,239 cases and 27,628 visits, or 31.9 and 31.2 per cent of their respective totals for all age groups. On the average there were less than 3 visits per case. For each nursing care visit there were about 24 health instruction visits.

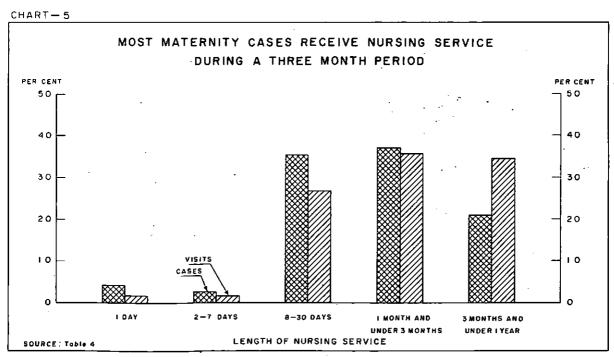
Prenatal cases are those maternity cases admitted before confinement, many of which may also receive postnatal care. Postnatal cases are those admitted after confinement.

Prenatal visits are those made during the prenatal stage to cases admitted as prenatal. Postnatal visits are those made during the postnatal stage to cases admitted as prenatal, as well as to cases admitted as postnatal. The average number of visits per case admitted at the prenatal stage was 3.5, and 2 for cases admitted as postnatal.

Visits for postnatal and newborn care or health instruction are counted as two visits on the initial visit and as two visits on the last visit, i.e., as one visit to the mother and one to the newborn. Other visits are counted and recorded as single visits to the newborn unless special instruction or care was necessary for the mother. A similar procedure is applied to visits for twin or other multiple births.

Table 4 shows the number of cases and visits for maternity care by length of nursing service. For 13,018 cases, or 37.0 per cent of the total, the length of nursing service was 1 month and under 3 months (Chart 5). These cases accounted for 31,431 visits, or 35.5 per cent of the total. However, in the length of nursing service group 3 months and under 1 year, 30,514 or 34.4 per cent were made for considerably fewer cases, 7,357 or 20.9 per cent. The length of nursing service group under 1 month accounted for 59.2 per cent of the postnatal cases, but only 10.6 per cent of the prenatal cases. The corresponding percentages of visits for the same length of nursing service group were 54:9 and 4.1, respectively. Of the total admitted as prenatal cases 71.0 per cent received postnatal care.

The distribution of 1,575 cases receiving nursing care for complications of pregnancy, child-birth, and the puerperium (see C-43b, page 39) is shown by detailed cause and age groups in Table 5. This table presents data on new cases only, i.e., opened and discharged during 1957, excluding those carried over from 1956.



Percentage distribution of maternity and newborn cases and visits by length of aursing service, 1957.

The following table shows the number of normal maternity cases per each case with complications by 5-year age groups. The proportion of cases with complications increases as the age of the mother increases. However, at ages 45 years and over the figures show a decrease. The number of cases occurring in this age group is relatively small.

	Age	Ratio
All ages		19. 9
Under 20	years	31.5
20-24	44	27. 2
25-29	66	21.6
30-34	#1	16.0
35-39	11	11.2
40-44	44	7.9
45-49	11	15.0
Not state	ed	23.4

Number of normal maternity cases per case of complications of pregnancy.

"Newborn" includes all babies admitted during the first four weeks of life. If service is continued after the fourth week for health instruction purposes, the case is classified as "infant" and included in the group "Other Health Instruction" (see page 10),

The number of newborn cases (Table 6) for which home nursing services were provided was 30,741 accounting for 93,752 visits, or an average of 3.0 visits per case. An additional 2 visits are usually made to infants after the newborn period, which appears under the heading "Other Health Instruction". In the case of multiple births the actual number of newborn infants was recorded.

Discharged maternity and newborn cases and the corresponding visits by classification on admission were distributed as follows:

Type of purging governe			Visits			
Type of nursing service (Classification on admission)	Cases	Total	Nursing care	Health instruction		
Maternity Prenatal Postnatal	36,950 13,112 23,838	99,138 30,150 68,988	9.116 4.398 4.718	90,022 25,752 64,270		
Newborn	30,741	93,752	24.151	69,601		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Exclusive of 9,315 postnatal cases which also received prenatal care. However, visits for these 9,315 cases are included in the total of 67,796.

<sup>2</sup> To 24,066 of these cases 48,292 health instruction visits were made after the newborn period (see page 10).

TABLE 3. Number and Percentage of Cases and Visits (Maternity) and Average Visits per Case, by Age, 1957

	.,,					Age				
Item	A]] ages	Under 15	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 - 44	45 - 54	Not stated
Cases Number: Total Prenatal Postnatal Per cent: Total Prenatal Postnatal	35, 186 12, 380 22, 806 100. 0 100. 0	3 2 1	2,740 1,054 1,686 7.8 8.5 7.4	11,239 4,085 7,154 31.9 33.0 31.4	10,843 3,774 7,069 30.8 30.5	6, 253 2, 069 4, 184 17.8 16.7 18.3	2,928 954 1,974 8.3 7.7 8.7	691 221 470 2.0 1.8 2.1	45 13 32 0.1 0.1	444 208 236 1.3 1.7
Visits Number: Total	88,579 43,282 45,297 3,507 85,072	6 3 3 _	6,822 3,555 3,267 237 6,585	27,628 13,551 14,077 940 26,688	27, 164 13, 052 14, 112 1,009 26, 155	16, 181 7, 789 8, 392 678 15, 503	7,865 3,870 3,995 481 7,384	1,892 930 962 139 1,753	105 40 65 1	916 492 424 22
Per cent: Total Prenatal Postnatal	100.0 100.0 100.0	1 1 1	7. 7 8. 2 7. 2 6. 8	31. 2 31. 3 31. 1 26. 8	30.7 30.2 31.2 28.8	18.3 18.0 18.5	8.9 8.9 8.8	2. 1 2. 2 2. 1	0. 1 0. 1 0. 2	1.0 1.1 0.9
Nursing care  Health instruction  Average visits per case:  Total  Prenatal  Postnatal	100.0 100.0 2.5 3.5 2.0	2. 0 1. 5 3. 0	2. 5 3. 4 1. 9	26.8 31.4 2.5 3.3 2.0	28.8 30.7 2.5 3.5 2.0	19.3 18.2 2.6 3.8 2.0	13.7 8.7 2.7 4.1 2.0	4.0 2.1 2.7 4.2 2.0	0. 1 2. 3 3. 1 2. 0	0.6 1.1 2.1 2.4 1.8

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 4. Number and Percentage of Cases and Visits (Maternity) and Average Visits per Case, by Length of Nursing Service, 1957

			Lengti	n of nursing s	service	
Item	Ali lengths	1 day	2-7 days	8-30 days	1 month and under 3 months	3 months and under 1 year
Cases		٠				
Number: Total Prenatal Postnatal	35,186	1,479	935	12, 397	13,018	7,357
	12,380	458	73	784	3,930	7,135
	22,806	1,021	862	11, 613	9,088	222
Per cent: Total Prenatal Postnatal	100. 0	4. 2	2. 7	35. 2	37. 0	20. 9
	100. 0	3. 7	0. 6	6. 3	31. 8	57. 6
	100. 0	4. 5	3. 8	50. 9	39. 8	1. 0
Visits						
Number: TotalPrenatalPostnatal	88,579	1,481	1,454	23, 699	31, 431	30,514
	43,282	457	114	1, 197	11, 441	30,073
	45,297	1,024	1,340	22, 502	19, 990	441
Nursing care	3,507	40	119	579	1,784	985
	85,072	1, 441	1,335	23, 120	29,647	29,529
Per cent: Total Prenatal Postnatal	100.0	1. 7	1. 6	26. 8	35. 5	34. 4
	100.0	1. 1	0. 2	2. 8	26. 4	69. 5
	100.0	2. 3	2. 9	49. 7	44. 1	1. 0
Nursing care	100.0	1. 1	3. 4	16. 5	50.9	28. 1
	100.0	1. 7	1. 6	27. 2	34.8	34. 7
Average visits per case: TotalPrenatalPostnatal	2. 5	1. 0	1. 6	1. 9	2. 4	4- 1
	3. 5	1. 0	1. 6	1. 5	2. 9	4- 2
	2. 0	1. 0	1. 6	1. 9	2. 2	2- 0

TABLE 5. Complications of Pregnancy' by Diagnosis and Age, 1957

Detailed		All				. A	ge			
list numbers	Cause	ages	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	Not stated
	.All causes	1,575	81	367	448	343	234	82	3	17
	Complications of pregnancy (640-649)	353	17	76	98	90	53	14	1	4
640 641	Pyelitis and pyelonephritis of pregnancy Other infections of genito-urinary tract during	3	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-
040	pregnancy	1			1 32	_	- 10		-	_
642 643	Toxaemias of pregnancy	108 . 2	10	23	32	32	10	1	_	_
644	Other hae morrhage of pregnancy	11	l <u>'</u>	5	-,		3	-	_	_
645	Ectopic pregnancy	1	_	ĭ	1			-	_	_
646	Anaemia of pregnancy	18	_	1 4	6	4	4	_	_	_
647	Pregnancy with malposition of foetus in uterus	1	_	_		1			_	_
648	Other complications arising from pregnancy	207	6	41	56	51	35	13	1	4
649	Pregnancy associated with other conditions	i	-	ī		-	_	_	-	-
	Abortion (650-652)	60	1	8	19	14	13	3	_	2
650	Abortion without mention of sepsisor toxaemia	59	1	8	18	14	13	3	_	2
651 652	Abortion with sepsis	1	_		1	_	_	_	_	_
	sepsis	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	_	_

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Cases for 1957 only — Excluding 189 cases which were carried over from 1956.

TABLE 5. Complications of Pregnancy<sup>1</sup> by Diagnosis and Age, 1957 - Concluded

Detailed list numbers	Cause		Age							
		All ages	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	. 45-49	Not stated
	Dollars and the second						405			
	Delivery with specified complication (670-678)	760	28	167	207	172	125	51	2	8
670	Delivery complicated by placenta praevia or		ļ		_	_		1		
671	antepartum haemorrhage  Delivery complicated by retained placenta	4 . 5	-	1 1	1 2	1 1	1.	-,	-	-
672	Delivery complicated by other postpartum	J		1		, ,	_	1	-	_
012	haemorrhage	109	5	30	36	20	12	6	_ '	_
673	Delivery complicated by abnormality of bony				,			_		,
27.4	pelvis	586	20	110	152	143	108	44	2	7
674	Delivery complicated by disproportion or mal- position of foetus	2			١,					
675	Delivery complicated by prolonged labour of	4	-	-	1	_	- 1	-	-	-
0.10	other origin	1	l _	1 1	l i	~ · <b>_</b>	_	l _	_	l _
676	Delivery with laceration of perineum, without	_		_				ŀ	1	
	mention of other laceration	48	3	22	14	6	2.	-	-	1
677 678	Delivery with other trauma  Delivery with other complications of child-	1	-	1	-	-	-	i –	-	-
010	birth	4	_	1	1	1	1	-	_	-
•	Complications of the puerperium (680-689)	402	. 35	116	124	67	43	14	_	3
680	Puerperal urinary infection without other se-								Ì	_
000	psis	11	_	3	5	1	2	l _	l _	l <u> </u>
681	Sepsis of childbirth and the puerperium	21	3	4	š	2	3	1	-	_
682	Puerperal phlebitis and thrombosis	36	1	3	9	7	12	3	-	. 1
683	Pyrexia of unkown origin during the puerper-		ì						ļ	
684	ium Puerperal pulmonary embolism	_	_	_	_	_	_	_		_
685	Puerperal eclampsia		_			_	_	_	_	_
686	Other forms of puerperal toxaemia	<b>6</b>	-	2	1	2	1		-	-
687	Cerebral haemorrhage in the puerperium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
688	Other and unspecified complications of the			ا ا	٠.,			Ι.		
689	puerperium Mastitis and other disorders of lactation	54 272	2 29	18 86	18 81	12 43	3 22	1 9	_	2

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Cases for 1957 only - Excluding 189 cases which were carried over from 1956.

TABLE 6. Number and Percentage of Cases and Visits (Newborn) and Average Visits per Case, 1957

	70-44	Sex				
Item	Both sexes Male		Female	Not stated		
Cases	÷					
Number	30,741	15, 776	14,911	- 54		
Per cent	100. 0	51.3	48.5	0. 2		
Visits	:					
Number: Total Nursing care Health instruction	93, 752 24, 151 69, 601	48, 156 12, 498 35, 658	45, 397 11, 602 33, 795	199 51 148		
Per cent: Total Nursing care Health instruction	100-0 100-0 100-0	51. 4 51. 8 51. 2	48. 4 48. 0 48. 6	0. 2 0. 2 0. 2		
Average visits per case	3.0	3. 1	3. 0	3. 7		

# PART III MEDICAL AND SURGICAL

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Statistics of home nursing services for medical and surgical cases by diagnostic groups have the objective of showing to what extent certain conditions receive home nursing services. They facilitate an analysis of services, but their usefulness as morbidity statistics is limited, primarily because only some cases of certain diseases or injuries receive nursing services, due to selective factors in the utilization of the services such as the geographical distribution of the branches. Also, the condition for which service is rendered is not necessarily the only one from which the patient suffers and may not even be the principal one.

All medical and surgical cases were classified according to the diagnosis stated by the physician

under whose direction the nurse worked. These diagnoses, recorded on the Patient's Service Record, were coded according to the three digit code of the Detailed List of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death, 1948.

The Special List of 50 Causes for Tabulation of Morbidity for Social Security Purposes has been used for presentation in Table 7. The residual Cause Group C-49 was divided into ten subdivisions in order to show, in the appropriate place, some of the more significant components of this cause group. These subdivisions are shown below.

Cause	Detailed list numbers
C-49a Diseases of other endocrine glands	. 270 - 277
C-49b Other metabolic diseases	287 - 289
C-49c Other diseases of blood and blood-forming organs	294 - 299
C-49d Disorders of character, behaviour and intelligence	320 - 326
C-49e Other diseases of nervous system	340 - 369
C-49f Other diseases of heart	430 - 434
C-49g Diseases of arteries	450 - 456
C-49h Other diseases of circulatory system	467 - 468
- 49i Other diseases of urinary system	600 - 609
-49j Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions	780 - 795

If a maternity case develops an illness not related to pregnancy or confinement, and receives nursing services for this illness, the case and visits made for this purpose are classified and recorded as medical and surgical.

The distribution of cases is shown in Tables 8, 9 and 10; the distribution of visits in Tables 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15.

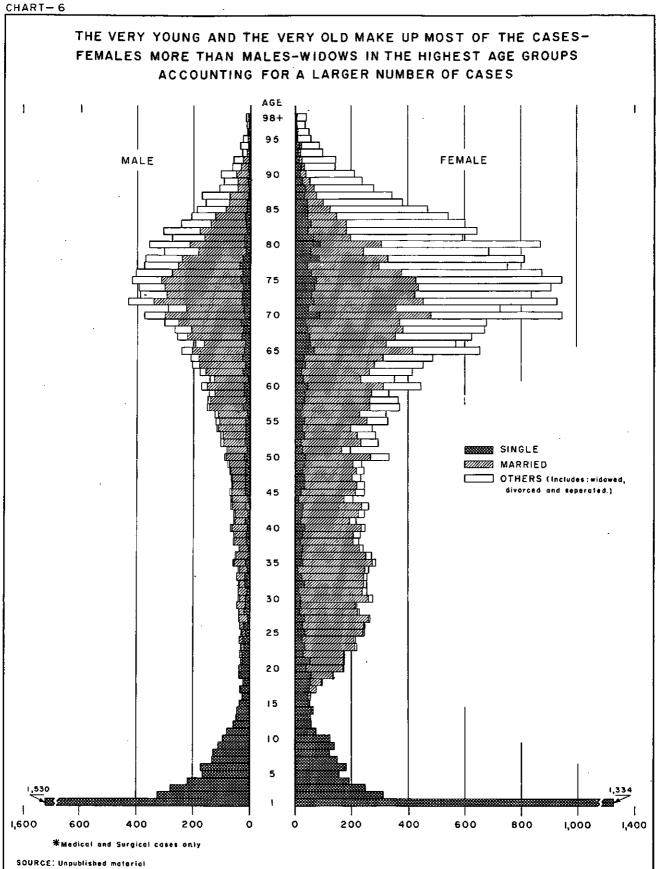
Chart 6 further illustrates the distribution of medical and surgical cases in greater detail than is shown in any of the above-mentioned tables. There, by single years of age and sex, a visual account is obtained of the proportion of cases in each marital status group.

According to Table 8, females accounted for 33,655 or 69.6 per cent of the total number of medical and surgical cases discharged, i.e., more than

two-thirds as many as males. In terms of visits (Table 11) this difference is more pronounced with females accounting for 573,972, or 72.1 per cent of all visits. These figures do not include maternity or newborn cases included in Part II of this Report. They do, however, include maternity cases with complications. For both sexes 95.1 per cent of the visits were nursing care, the remainder being health instruction. Table 11 shows that females received more home nursing services than males for each cause group except "Rheumatic fever". For all cause groups together, the ratio of males to females in the number of cases was 3 to 7, while for the number of visits the corresponding ratio was 2 to 5 (Tables 8 and 11).

The percentage distribution of cases for all causes by age group (Table 9) gives a picture quite different from the distribution of visits by the same breakdown (Table 12). Chart 7, showing the number of cases and visits, illustrates this situation.





Number of medical and surgical cases by single years of age, sex and marital status, 1957.

From Chart 7 and accompanying tables it will be noted that the 6,618 cases in the age group under 15 years, which amounted to 13.7 per cent of the total, accounted for 23,685, or 3.0 per cent of the total visits. Cases occurring among older ages, on the other hand, accounted for a proportionately larger percentage of the visits. For example, in the age group 65 years and over, 51.7 per cent of the total cases accounted for 65.1 per cent of the total visits. This difference among age groups is further emphasized in Table 16. The average visits per case for children under 15 years of age was 4, while the average for age group 65 years and over was 21 visits.

Most of the home nursing services are provided to the older age groups, i.e., 45 years and over. In these ages 70.3 per cent of the cases accounted for 86.7 per cent of the total visits, while the remaining (excluding age not stated) 29.3 per cent of the cases accounted for only 13.0 per cent of the visits in the ages under 45 years. Taking both sexes together, 24,963 or 51.7 per cent of all cases, were 65 years of age and over. However, this same age group accounted for 65.1 per cent or almost two-thirds of the total visits. Again it must be remembered that only visits made during the year 1957 are shown in this Report.

For most causes, the largest percentage of cases and visits occurred in the age group 45 years and over. For certain causes, however, a large percentage of the cases and visits are found in the younger age groups, i.e., under 45 years. These causes, as shown in Tables 9 and 14, include "Tuberculosis", "Infective and parasitic diseases", "Rheumatic fever", "Diseases of the respiratory system", "Congenital malformations", "Certain diseases of early infancy" and "Other admissions". The latter classification, "Other admissions", consists mainly of "Special conditions and examinations without sickness".

Chart 8 gives the percentage distribution, by sex and age, of cases for those cause groups with the greatest number of cases, as compiled from Tables 9 and 10. These seven cause groups accounted for 65.4 per cent of the total cases in the medical and surgical group.

The first two of the seven cause groups "Diseases of the digestive system" and "Diseases of the heart" together accounted for 24.4 per cent of the total cases. The first cause group consists mainly of illnesses of short duration but of great frequency. These include diseases of the gallbladder and bile ducts, diseases of the stomach and duodenum (except cancer), enteritis and appendicitis. The main respiratory illnesses which came in third position were pneumonia, influenza, acute pharyngitis and tonsillitis, bronchitis, and common cold. These were mostly accounted for by the younger age groups. The fourth cause group includes symptoms and ill-defined conditions regarding which no diagnosis classifiable

elsewhere is recorded. For further description of the latter cause group see Volume I, page 219, of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries and Causes of Death, 1948.

The remaining three cause groups with the greatest number of cases occurred in the following order, "Anaemias", "Diseases of the central nervous system" and "Malignant neoplasms". Most of the cases in these three cause groups occurred in the age group 65 years and over.

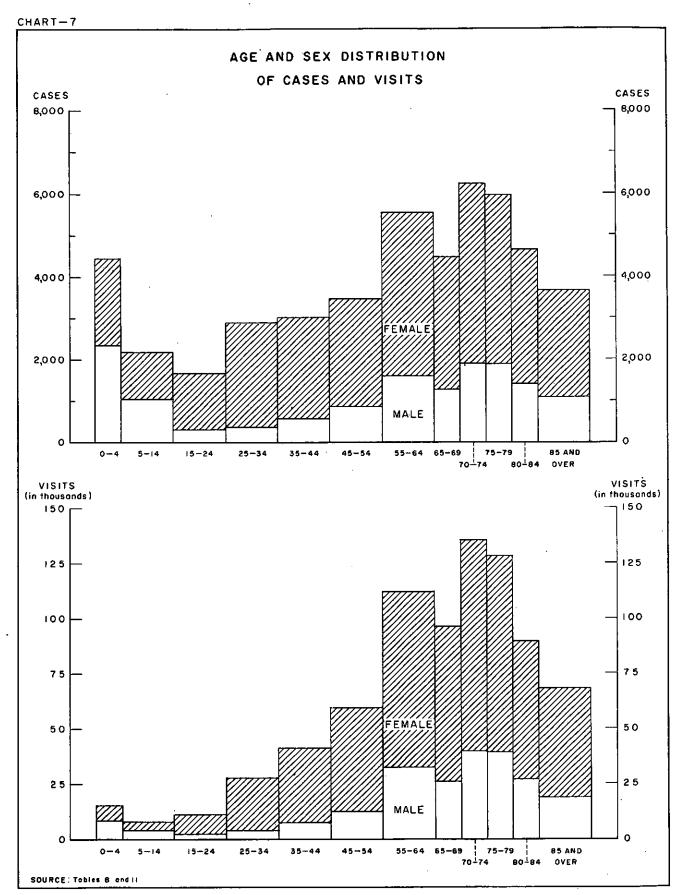
Data from Tables 14 and 15 are presented in Chart 9 to show the percentage distribution, by sex and age, of visits for the seven cause groups with the greatest number of visits. These seven cause groups accounted for 70.8 per cent of the total visits in the medical and surgical group.

Of these "Diseases of the heart" accounted for the largest percentage of visits (16.4) with 97.0 per cent of the visits being made to patients 45 years of age and over, closely followed by "Diabetes" (15.0) "Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs" (12.6) rank third, "Anaemias" (9.7) fourth in the volume of visits, followed by "Malignant neoplasms" (7.4). "Arthritis and rheumatism" (4.9) and "Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions" (4.8).

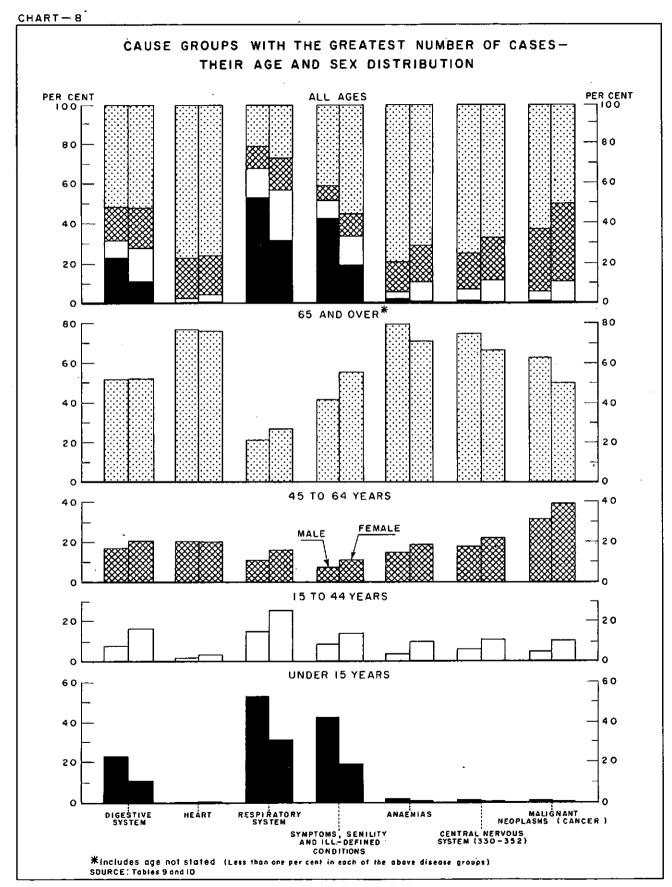
Tables 16 and 29 show the average visits per case for the report year. These tables show no difference in the average visits per case between sexes in the younger ages (under 45 years). Females in the older ages requires slightly more visits than males. Considerable variation is shown between the sexes when considering individual cause groups.

Cases of "Diabetes" received on the average more visits than any other cause, i.e., approximately 48 visits per case. "Tuberculosis" shows second with 32 visits per case. "Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs" is third with 30 visits and closely followed by "Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever" with 29 visits per case. Other cause groups averaging over 20 visits per case are "Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs" (22); "Diseases of the heart" (22); "Other diseases of the circulatory system" (23) and "Other diseases of the bones and organs of movement" (22).

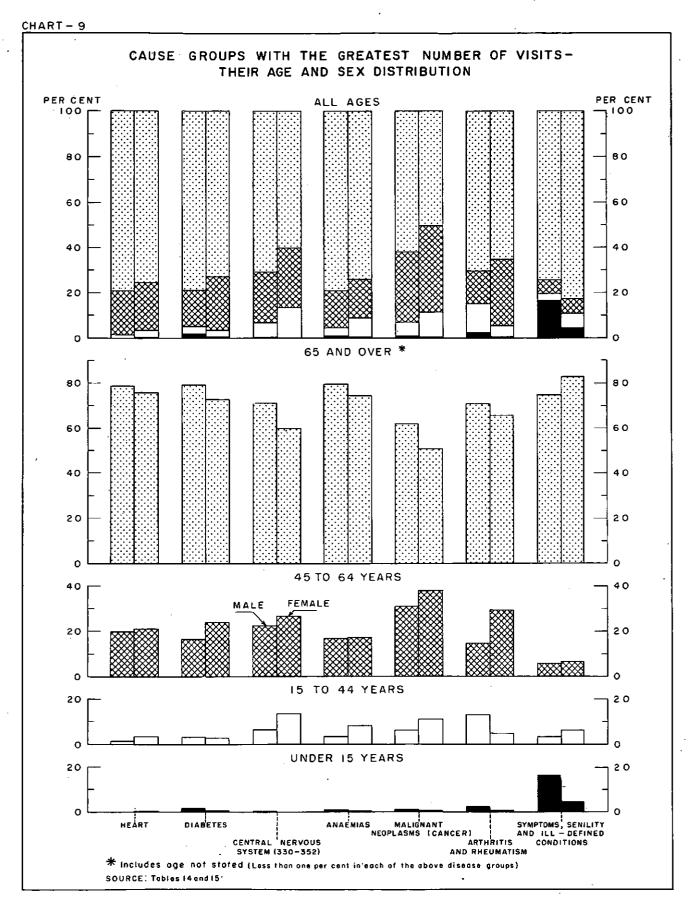
The above cause groups with the highest number of average visits per case also show, according to Table 17, a high ratio of nursing care visits to health instruction visits although their order of rank varies.



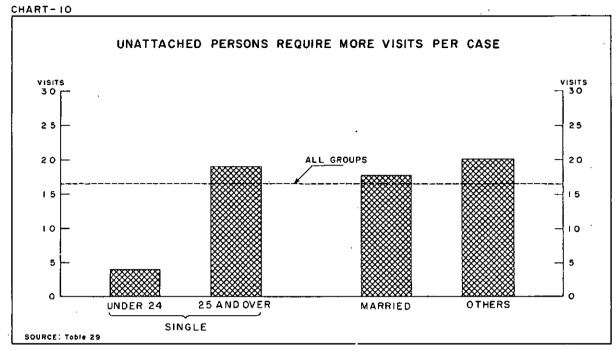
Number of medical and surgical cases and visits by age and sex, 4957.



Percentage distribution of medical and surgical cases for selected causes with the greatest number of cases by age and sex, 1957.



Percentage distribution of medical and surgical visits for selected causes with the greatest number of visits by age and sex, 1957.



Average visits per medical and surgical case by marital status during the year 1957.

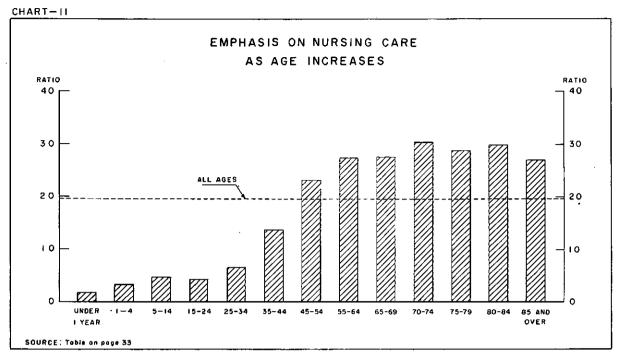
A detailed picture of the data in Table 17 with respect to age groups for all causes is given in the table below; which shows the ratio of nursing care visits to health instruction visits. There is an

almost continuous upward trend in the proportion of nursing care visits to health instruction visits as the age of the patient increases. These data are shown in the following table and in Chart 11.

	Туре об	Ratio (A) to (B)	
Age	Age Nursing Health care instruction (A) (B)		
All ages	757,538	38, 838	19.5
Under 1 year	5,089 5,912 6,484 9,246 23,560 38,397 56,865 108,505 92,767 131,114 123,758 87,033 66,210	3.013 1.767 1.420 2.175 3.614 2.827 2.467 3.975 3.382 4.309 4,309 4,309 2.912 2.468	1.7 3.3 4.6 4.3 6.5 13.6 27.3 27.4 30.4 28.7 29.9 26.8

The relationship between cause and length of nursing service (see Introduction, page 5) is shown in Table 18 with the corresponding percentage distribution in Tables 19 and 20. Chart 12 shows the percentage distribution of cases by length of nursing

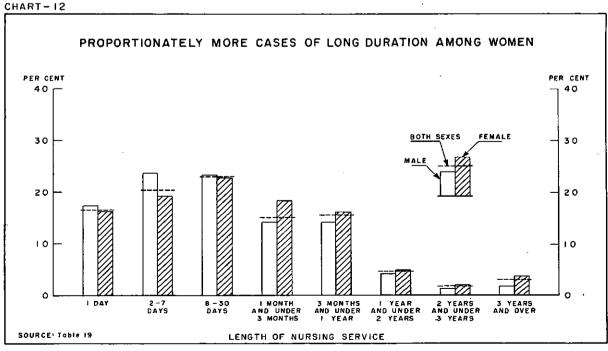
service groups (Table 19). For some cases a long period of nursing service may be considered necessary for social rather than medical reasons, due to the family's inability to assume complete responsibility for care.



Ratio of nursing care visits to health instruction visits for medical and surgical cases by age, 1957.

In the length of nursing service group 30 days and under, females accounted for more than twice as many cases as did the males, but in relation to the total cases in their respective sex group, as indicated in Chart 12, males accounted for propor-

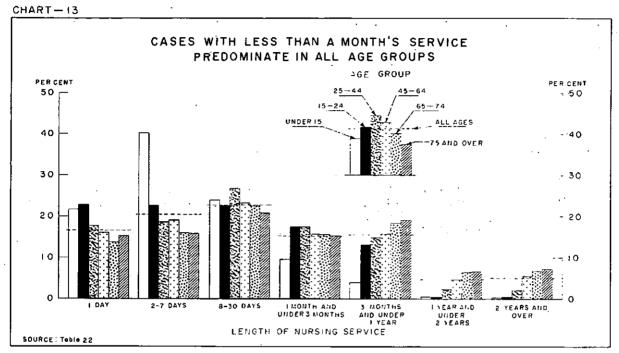
tionately more cases than females for the same length of nursing service group. For both sexes there were 59.8 per cent of the cases receiving nursing services for periods of one month or less, of which the majority were in the 8 to 30 days' group.



Percentage distribution of medical and surgical cases by sex and length of nursing service, 4957.

Tables 21 and 22 give the number and percentage distribution of cases, by age, sex and length of

nursing service. These data are summarized in Chart 13.



Percentage distribution of medical and surgical cases by age and length of nursing service, 4957.

For the younger age groups, i.e., under 45 years, there are proportionately more cases in the length of nursing groups under 8 days. In the group over 30 days there were 19,409 cases, or 40,2 percent of the total. Of these 19,409 cases, 15,703 or 80.9 per cent were in the older age groups, 45 years and over. Within these age groups the distribution of cases by length of nursing service varies less than in the younger. A large proportion of the cases 65 years of age and over were treated for chronic conditions.

Of all cases, 15,527, or 32.1 per cent, as shown in Table 23, were admitted following discharge from

hospital, which group received 321,911, or 40.4 per cent of all visits. A post-hospital case is one admitted immediately after discharge from a hospital for the same condition that was treated in the hospital. The five cause groups which accounted for the largest percentage of post-hospital cases, in relation to the total cases in any one of these cause groups, are shown in the table below. Because of the large proportion of hospital confinements, it is to be expected that a large percentage of "Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium" cases will come to the Order from hospital.

	Cases							
Cause .	Total	Post-hospital						
	cases	Number	Per cent					
Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium	1.764	1,457	82.6					
Benign neoplasms	296	215	72.6					
Tuberculosis	421	284	67.5					
Malignant neoplasms	3,286	2, 157	65.6					
Diseases of the genito-urinary system	1,530	933	61.0					

Table 24 shows the distribution of cases by cause and occupational status, i.e., whether gainfully occupied or not gainfully occupied. The latter group is sub-divided into (a) under 14 years. (b) retired or voluntary idle, (c) housewife, (d) student, and (e) others. Only a small proportion of the cases were gainfully occupied, i.e., 9.9 per cent; the remainder being classified as not gainfully occupied. "Retired or voluntarily idle" predominated, accounting for 19,485, or 40.3 per cent of the total cases. Other large groups were "housewives" with 32.7 per cent, and "under 14 years" with 13.7 per cent of the total cases.

"Diseases of the heart", accounting for 18.7 per cent of the cases, was the leading cause of illness in the occupational status group "Retired or voluntarily idle". "Diseases of the digestive system" accounted for 11.3 per cent of the cases in the "housewife" group, while "Diseases of the respiratory system", with 29.6 per cent, was the first cause of illness in the group "under 14 years".

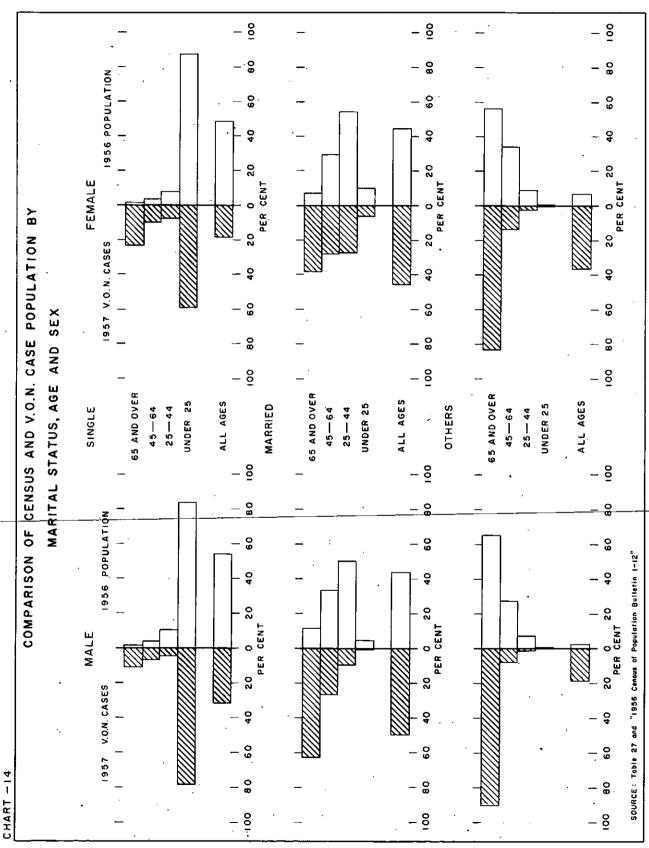
In Chart 14, the percentage distribution of cases by marital status, age and sex is compared with the corresponding percentage of the population of Canada for 1956. From this chart it will be noted that age group 65 years and over receive more than its proportion of the Order's services, in relation to the proportion of persons in this age group according to the last census. This is particularly true for the married group.

However, it is well to point out that V.O.N. medical and surgical case population shown in this chart excludes about 35,000 maternity cases, mostly in the age group 25-44 years, and 30,000 newborn cases and 11,000 "other health instruction" cases. (see pages 22 and 23).

The bars for "all ages" indicate that compared with their proportion of the 1956 census population

- 1. single persons account for less, and
- 2. the married and particularly the widowed account for more

than their share of V.O.N. cases.



Percentage distribution of medical and surgical cases (1957) compared with the 1956 census of population by age, sex and marital status.

TABLE 7. Number of Cases and Visits by Cause (Special list of 50 causes), 1957

				Visits	
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	Total cases	Total	Nursing care	Health instruction
	All causes	48, 334	796,376	757,538	38,838
C 1	Tuberculosis of respiratory system (001-008)	292	9,711	9,573	138
C 2	Tuberculosis, other forms (010-019)	129	3,884	3, 805	79
C 3	Syphilis and its sequelae (020-029)	27	326	306	20
C 4	Gonococcal infection (030-035)	-	_	_	_
C 5	Dysentery, all forms (045-048)	10	24	21	3
C 6	Other infective diseases commonly arising in intestinal tract (040-044, 049)	12	56	46	10
C 7a	Scarlet fever (050)	11	43	25	18
C 7b	Diphtheria (055)	_	_	_	, <del></del>
C 7c	Whooping cough (056)	37	158	140	18
C 7d	Measlés (085)	117	317	231	86
C 7e	Mumps (089)	66	190	148	42
C 8	Typhus and other rickettsial diseases (100 - 108)	1	4	4	_
C 9	Malaria (110-117)	_	_	_	_
C10	Diseases due to helminths (123-130)	24	61	37	24
C11	All other diseases classified as infective and parasitic (036-039, 051-054, 057-084, 086-088, 090-096, 120-122, 131-138)	613	4,756	4, 289	467
C12	Malignant neoplasms, including neoplasms of lymphatic and haematopoietic tissues (140-205)	3, 286	59, 185	56,029	3, 156
C13	Benign neoplasms and neoplasms of unspecified nature (210-239)	296	2, 879	2,668	211
C14	Allergic disorders (240 - 245)	338	5,504	5, 227	277
C15	Diseases of thyroid gland (250-254)	34	764	735	29
C16	Diabetes mellitus (260)	2, 483	119,519	116,881	2,638
C49a	Diseases of other endocrine glands (270-277)	41	1,368	1,338	30,
C17	Avitaminosis and other deficiency states (280-286)	150	2,567	2,429	138
C49b	Other metabolic diseases (287-289)	39	1,057	1,000	57
C18	Anaemias (290 - 293)	3,528	76, 772	75,511	1, 261
C49c	Other diseases of blood and blood-forming organs (294-299)	19	519	507	12
C19	Psychoneuroses and psychoses (300-318)	271	4,723	4,375	348
C49d	Disorders of character, behaviour and intelligence (320-326)	70	1,016	939	77
C20	Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system (330-334)	1,822	47, 978	46,724	1,254
C49e	Other diseases of nervous system (340-369)	2, 002	61,422	59,839	1,583
C21	Diseases of eye (370-389)	192	3,244	3, 132	112
C22	Diseases of ear and mastoid process (390-398)	245	1,071	880	191
C23	Rheumatic fever (400-402)	27	169	144	25

TABLE 7. Number of Cases and Visits by Cause (Special list of 50 causes), 1957 - Concluded

				Visits	
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	Total cases	Total	Nursing care	Health instruction
C24	Chronic rheumatic heart disease (410-416)	232	5,816	5,659	157
C25	Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease (420-422)	1,376	32, 158	31,340	818
C49 f	Other diseases of heart (430-434)	4,257	92,565	89,813	2,752
C26	Hypertensive disease (440-447)	487	10,924	10,646	278
C49g	Diseases of arteries (450-456)	501	13,084	12,731	353
C27	Diseases of veins (460-466)	418	8, 841	8, 363	478
C49h	Other diseases of circulatory system (467-468)	87	891	843	48
C28	Acute nasopharyngitis (common cold) (470)	485	1,344	984	360
C29	Acute pharyngitis and tonsillitis, and hypertrophy of ton- sils and adenoids (472, 473, 510)	515	1, 227	976	251
C30	Influenza (480-483)	2, 221	6, 658	5.303	1,355
C31	Pneumonia (490-493, 763)	675	4,436	4,007	429
C32	Bronchitis (500-502)	511	2,380	2,006	374
C33	Silicosis and occupational pulmonary fibrosis (523, 524)	9	102	99	3
C34	All other respiratory diseases (471, 474, 475, 511-522, 525-527)	612	4, 823	4,448	375
C35	Diseases of stomach and duodenum, except cancer (540-545)	249	2, 390	2,209	181
C36	Appendicitis (550-553)	172	1, 191	1,094	97
C37	Hernia of abdominal cavity (560, 561)	167	1,607	1,473	134
C38	Diarrhoea and enteritis (571, 764)	191	1.126	983	143
C39	Diseases of gallbladder and bile ducts (584-586)	433	4, 015	3,721	294
C40	Other diseases of digestive system (530-539, 570, 572-583, 587)	4,713	22,422	19, 870	2,552
C41	Nephritis and nephrosis (590-594)	68	1,355	1,319	36
C49i	Other diseases of urinary system (600-609)	443	6, 864	6,545	319
C42	Diseases of genital organs (610-637)	1,019	11, 254	10,524	730
C43b	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium (640-652, 670-689)	1,764	10,559	5,609	4,950
C44	Boil, abscess, cellulitis and other skin infections (690-698)	580	5,365	4,872	493
C45	Other diseases of skin (700-716)	488	8,757	8,273	484
C46	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever (720-727)	1,360	39,380	38,519	861
C47	Diseases of bones and other organs of movement (730-749)	292	6,554	6,338	216
C48	Congenital malformations and diseases peculiar to early infancy (750-762, 765-776)	139	1,653	1,403	250
C49j	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions (780-795)	4, 625	37, 802	34,334	3,468
C50	Alternative classification of accidents, poisonings, and violence (nature of injury) (N800-N999)	2,179	33,862	32, 123	1,739
_	Other admissions (Y00-Y88)	884	5,684	4,128	1,758
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TABLE 8. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957

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No.	Cause and detailed list numbers		All ages	Under 1 year	1-4	5-14	15 - 24
	All causes	T M F	48,334 14,679 33,655	2, 158 1, 181 977	2, 281 1, 172 1, 109	2,179 1,039 1,140	1,675 312 1,363
1		T M F	421 161 260	1 1	7 3 4	13 5 8	37 10 27
2		T M F	918 346 572	60 29 31	206 103 103	189 96 93	33 9 24
3		T M F	3, 286 1, 123 2, 163	= =	13 7 6	7 2 5	13 5 8
4		T M F	296 93 203	5 3 2	8 6 2	-1 -1	26 9 17
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic and nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240-254, 270-289).	T M F	602 167 435	16 4 12	26 16 10	56 32 24	20 7 13
6		T M F	2,483 747 1,736	- -	9 3 6	42 28 14	24 11 13
7		T M F	3, 547 549 2, 998	1 -1	8 5 3	13 4 9	29 2 27
8		T M F	341 51 290	-	3 3 -	2 1 1	15 3 12
9		T M F	3,329 1,061 2,268	2 2 -	4 3 1	9 5 4	34 5 29
10		T M F	932 280 652	49 31 18	104 51 53	66 31 35	24 10 14
11		T M F	27 15 12	-	3 3 -	11 5 6	1
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434)	T M F	5, 865 2, 357 3, 508	3 1 2	1 - 1	5 1 4	<b>8</b> 1

TABLE 8. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957

						Age	,	•	_	
N	Not stated	85 and over	80 - 84	75-79	70 - 74	65 - 69	55-64	45 - 54	35-44	25 - 34
}	215 62 153	3,666 1,082 2,584	4,656 1,407 3,249	5,948 1,885 4,063	6,232 1,887 4,345	4, 461 1, 267 3, 194	5,526 1,596 3,930	3,450 846 2,604	3,002 567 2,435	2,885 376 2,509
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	2 - 2	23 9 14	33 4 29	50 14 36	49 15 34	47 11 36	58 17 41	43 9 34	54 17 37	71 13 58
7	17 7 10	134 57 77	258 111 147	422 174 248	509 214 295	461- 148- 313	740 247 493	446 100 346	200 35 165	66 16 50
	1 1 -	8 1 7	15 6 9	13 7 6	29 8 21	24 4 20	34 13 21	40 11 29	50 12 38	42 12 30
5 1 5	6 1 5	22 7 15	28 5 23	53 16 37	72 23 49	62 15 47	82 18 64	67 12 55	43 7 36	49 4 45
4	15 4 11	99 41 58	229 88 141	440 138 304	484 136 348	409 85 324	476 126 350	165 52 113	59 24 35	32 13 19
8 3 5	8 3 5	290 .65 225	505 86 419	698 117 581	637 102 535	429 65 364	410 58 352	224 22 202	206 15 191	89 5 84
2	<b>–</b>	11 5 6	21 3 18	25 5 20	33 5 28	34 2 32	48 6 42	52 9 43	54 5 49	41 4 37
5 5 0	15 5 10	273 95 178	423 152 271	625 216 409	603 195 <b>40</b> 8	382 131 251	448 125 323	231 65 166	186 35 151	94 27 67
8 2 6	8 2	37 8 29	66 12 54	89 22 67	89 26 63	98 23 75	94 28 66	94 18 76	73 15 58	41 3 38
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21 10	2:	486 188 298	847 336 511	1, 106 452 654	1,236 499 737	808 341 467	831 351 480	347 127 220	124 42 82	42 8 34

TABLE 8. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 - Concluded

		.,,		Age					
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All ages	Under 1 year	1-4	5-14	15 - 24			
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system T (440-468).  M F	1,493 415 1,078	2 1 1	9 3 6	6 3 3	9 2 7			
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527) T  M F	5,028 1,860 3,168	461 253 208	738 377 361	760 349 411	328 104 224			
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587) T M F	5,925 1,868 4,057	281 168 113	328 156 172	244 102 142	211 35 176			
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system (590 - T 637).	1,530 411 1,119	67 63 4	32 28 4	37 14 23	86 7 79			
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and T the puerperium (640-652, 670-689).  M F	1,764 1,764		<u>-</u> .	<del>-</del> -	500 500			
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue T (690-716).	1,068 359 709	50 28 22	82 37 45	84 45 39	31 9 22			
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic T fever (720-727). MF	1,360 187 1,173	1 1 -	·2 1 1	-1 -1	8 3 5			
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of T movement (730-749).  M F	292 98 194	2 2 -	12 5 7	19 13 6	8 6 2			
21	Congenital malformations (750-759) T M F	99 45 54	45 22 23	16 9 7	14 9 5	5 1 4			
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760 - 776) T M F	40 21 19	40 21 19	-		=			
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions T (780-795). M	4,625 1,516 3,109	317 184 133	483 251 232	431 204 227	155 42 113			
24	Alternative classification of accidents, pol-T sonings, and violence (nature of injury) M (N800-N999).	2,179 548 1,631	24 11 13	161 92 69	146 86 60	58 27 31			
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88)T	884 401 483	731 356 375	26 10 16	23 4 19	6 - 6			

TABLE 8. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 - Concluded

	•			Age						
25 - 34	35-44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 69	70 - 74	75-79	80 - 84	85 and over	Not stated	No
28	60	102	181	163	264	259	226	178	6	1:
28 2 26	60 17 43	102 25 77	181 57 124	163 40 123	67 197	259 74 185	226 70 156	52 126	6 2 4	
399 87 312	363 90 273	341 92 249	377 112 265	270 69 201	288 93 195	259 100 159	21 <b>7</b> 69 1 <b>4</b> 8	212 61 151	15 4 11	14
258 34 224	368 81 287	465 126 339	679 196 483	500 162 338	729 213 516	703 233 470	574 190 384	556 162 394	29 10 19	1!
175 6 169	193 14 179	189 15 174	174 40 134	119 32 87	121 44 77	159 72 87	108 46 62	68 30 38	_2 	1
894 - 894	348 348	3 - 3	=	- -	-	-	_ _ _	- - -	19 - 19	1
75 18 57	88 28 60	88 25 63	136 34 102	73 17 56	122 34 88	87 40 47	77 20 57	70 23 47	5 1 4	1
23 6 17	45 7 38	107 16 91	199 18 181	181 18 163	245 37 208	238 48 190	185 21 164	117 10 107	8 1 7	1
28 9 19	26 8 18	43 15 28	39 15 24	25 5 20	31 6 25	30 7 23	20 2 18	7 3 4	2 2	2
_2 	5 _ 5	- 2	3	2 2 -	1 1 -	2 - 2	2 1 1	- - -	-	2
-		-	_ _ _	= =	_ _ _	= =	- -	= -	-	2
211 49 162	212 45 167	205 49 156	249 66 183	190 52 138	395 107 288	402 102 300	520 133 387	841 231 610	14 1 13	2
96 24 72	116 27 89	132 32 100	214 34 180	162 31 131	272 51 221	274 46 228	279 46 233	227 34 193	18 7 11	2
23 7 16	24 10 14	7 3 4	6 3 3	5 1 4	7 4 3	6 - 6	15 3 12	5 - 5		

TABLE 9. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 (All ages for each cause group - 100 per cent)

_	(Ant agos to	,, C	ion cause g	100 p	er cent)			
			All			Age		-
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers		ages	Under 15	15 - 44	45 - 64	65 and over	Not stated
	All causes	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	13. 7 23. 1 9. 6	15. 6 8. 6 18. 7	18. 6 16. 6 19. 4	51.7 51.3 51.8	0.4 0.4 0.5
1	Tuberculosis (001-019)	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	5.0 5.6 4.6	58.0 43.5 66.9	24. 4 33. 5 18. 9	12. 1 16. 8 9. 2	0.5 0.6 0.4
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020-138).	T M F	100,0 100,0 100,0	49, 6 65, 9 39, 7	17. 2 11. 3 20. 8	11.0 7.5 13.1	22.0 15.3 26.0	0. 2 0. 4
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205)	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	0.6 0.8 0.5	8.5 5.0 10.3	36. 1 30. 9 38. 8	54.3 62.7 49.9	0, 5 0, 6 0, 5
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239)	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	4.7 9.7 2.5	39.9 35.5 41.9	25.0 25.8 24.6	30. 1 27. 9 31. 0	0.3 1.1 —
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240- 254, 270-289).	T M F	100,0 100,0 100,0	16.3 31.1 10.6	18.6 10.8 21.6	24.7 18.0 27.4	39. 4 39. 5 39. 3	1.0 0.6 1.1
6	Diabetes (260)	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	2. 1 4. 2 1. 1	4.6 6.4 3.9	25.8 23.8 26.7	66.9 65.1 67.7	0.6 0.5 0.6
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs (290-299).	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	0.6 1.6 0.4	9, 1 4, 0 10, 1	17.9 14.6 18.5	72.2 79.2 70.8	0. 2 0. 6 0. 2
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality disorders (300-326)	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	1.5 7.9 0.3	32, 2 23, 5 33, 8	29.3 29.4 29.3	36. 4 39. 2 35. 9	0.6 0.7
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (330-352).	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	0.5 0.9 0.2	9.4 6.3 10.9	20.4 17.9 21.6	69.3 74.4 66.9	0. 4 0. 5 0. 4
10	Other diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (353-398).	T M F	100, 0 100, 0 100, 0	23.5 40.4 16.2	14.8 10.0 16.9	20.2 16.4 21.8	40.7 32.5 44.2	0.8 0.7 0.9
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402)	T M F	100, 0 100, 0 100, 0	51.9 53.3 50.0	40.7 40.0 41.7	7. 4 6. 7 8. 3	. <u>-</u>	=
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434)	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	0. 1 0. 1 0. 2	3. 0 2. 2 3. 5	20.1 20.3 20.0	76. 4 77. 0 76. 0	0.4 0.4 0.3

TABLE 9. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 — Concluded (All ages for each cause group = 100 per cent)

3		4,11			Age		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All ages	Under 15	15-44	45 - 64	65 and over	Not stated
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system T (440-468).	100.0 100.0 100.0	1.1 1.7 0.9	6.5 5.1 7.1	19.0 19.7 18.6	73.0 73.0 73.0	0.4 0.5 0.4
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527) T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	38.9 52.6 30.9	21.7 15.1 25.5	14.3 11.0 16.2	24.8 21.1 27.0	0.3 0.2 0.4
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587) T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	14.4 22.8 10.5	14. 1 8. 0 16. 9	19.3 17.3 20.3	51.7 · 51.4 51.8	0.5 0.5 0.5
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system (590- T 637).	100.0 100.0 100.0	8.9 25.5 2.8	29.7 6.6 38.1	23.7 13.4 27.5	37.6 54.5 31.4	0.1
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and T the puerperium (640-652, 670-689).	100.0	= =	98.7 - 98.7	0. 2 - 0. 2	<u>-</u>	1.1
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue T (690-716). MF	100.0 100.0 100.0	20. 2 30. 7 14. 9	18.1 15.3 19.6	21.0 16.4 23.3	40.2 37.3 41.6	0.5 0.3 0.6
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic T fever (720-727).	100.0 100.0 100.0	0.3 1.1 0.2	5.6 8.6 5.1	22.5 18.2 23.2	71.0 71.6 70.9	0.6 0.5 0.6
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of T movement (730-749).	100.0 100.0 100.0	11.3 20.4 6.7	21.2 23.5 20.1	28. 1 30. 6 26. 8	38.7 23.5 46.4	0.7 2.0
21	Congenital malformations (750-759) T	100.0 100.0 100.0	75.8 88.9 64.8	12. I 2. 2 20. 4	5. 0 - 9. 3	7.1 8.9 5.5	- -
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776) T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	100, 0 100, 0 100, 0	_ _ _	_ _ _	_ _ _	- -
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions T (780-795).	100.0 100.0 100.0	26.6 42.1 19.1	12.5 9.0 14.2	9, 8 7, 6 10, 9	50.8 41.2 55.4	0.3 0.1 0.4
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poi- T sonings, and violence (nature of injury) M (N800-N999).	100.0		12.4 14.2 11.8	15.9 12.0 17.1	55.7 38.0 61.7	0.8 1.3 0.7
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88) T			6.0 4.2 7.5	1.5 1.5 1.4	4.3 2.0 6.2	=

TABLE 10. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 (All causes for each age group=100 per cent)

		.,,		Age	e	
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All ages	Under 15	15-44	45-64	65 and over
	All causes T  M F	100.0 100.0 100.8	100.0 100.0 100.0	100.0 100.0 100.0	100.0 100.0 100.0	100.0 100.0 100.0
1	Tuberculosis (001-019) T  M F	0.9 1.1 0.8	0.3 0.3 0.4	3.2 5.6 2.8	1.2 2.2 0.7	0.2 0.4 0.1
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020- T 138).	1.9 2.4 1.7	6.9 6.7 7.0	2.1 3.1 1.9	1.1 1.1 1.1	0.8 0.7 0.8
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205) T M F	6.8 7.7 6.4	0.3 0.3 0.3	3.7 4.5 3.5	13.2 14.2 12.8	7.1 9.3 6.2
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239) T	0.6 0.6 0.6	0.2 0.3 0.2	1.6 2.6 1.3	0.8 1.0 0.8	0.4 0.3 0.4
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and T nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240-M 254, 270-289).	1.2 1.1 1.3	1.5 1.5 1.4	1.5 1.4 1.5	1.7 1.2 1.8	0.9 0.9 1.0
6	Diabetes (260) T	5.1 5.1 5.2	0.8 0.9 0.6	1.5 3.8 1.1	7.1 7.3 7.1	6.7 6.5 6.7
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood T and blood-forming organs (290-299).  M F	7.3 3.7 8.9	0.3 0.3 0.4	4.3 1.8 4.8	7.1 3.3 8.5	10.2 5.8 12.2
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality dis- T orders (300-326). M F	0.7 0.4 0.9	0.1	1.5 1.0 1.6	1.1 0.6 1.3	0.5 0.3 0.6
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and T sense organs (330-352).  M F	6.9 7.2 6.7	0.2 0.3 0.2	4.1 5.3 3.9	7.6 7.8 7.5	9.2 10.5 8.7
10	Other diseases of the central nervous sys- T tem and sense organs (353-398). M	1.9 1.9 1.9	3.3 3.3 3.3	1.8 2.2 1.7	2.1 1.9 2.2	1.5 1.2 1.6
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402) T M F	0.1 0.1	0.2 0.2 0.2	0.1 0.5 0.1	1 1 1	<u>-</u> -
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434) T  M F	12.1 16.1 10.4	0.1 0.1 0.2	2.3 4.1 1.9	13.1 19.6 10.7	18.0 24.1 15.3

<sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 10. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 — Concluded (All causes for each age group = 100 per cent)

,			433		Age					
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers		All ages	Under 15	15-44	45-64	65 and over			
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system (440-468).	T M F	3.1 2.8 3.2	0.3 0.2 0.3	1.3 1.7 1.2	3.2 3.4 3.1	4.4 4.0 4.5			
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527)	T M F	10.4 12.7 9.4	29.6 28.9 30.4	14.4 22.4 12.8	8.0 8.4 7.9	5.0 5.2 4.9			
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587)	T M F	12.3 12.7 12.1	12.9 12.5 13.2	11.1 11.9 10.9	12.7 13.2 12.6	12.3 12.7 12.1			
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system (590-637).	T M F	3.2 2.8 3.3	2.0 3.1 1.0	6.0 2.1 6.8	4.0 2.2 4.7	2.3 3.0 2.0			
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium (640-652, 670-689).	T M F	3.7 5.2	-	23 .0 27 .6	i -	=			
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue (690-716).	T M F	2.2 2.5 2.1	3.3 3.2 3.3	2.6 4.4 2.2	2.5 2.4 2.5	1.5 1.8 1.7			
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever (720-727).	T M F	2.8 1.3 3.5	0.1 0.1 0.1	1.0 1.3 1.0	3.4 1.4 4.2	3.9 1.6 4.8			
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of movement (730-749).	T M F	0.6 0.7 0.6	0.5 0.6 0.4	0.8 1.8 0.6	0.9 1.2 0.8	0.4 0.5 0.5			
21	Congenital malformations (750-759)	T M F	0.2 0.3 0.2	1.1 1.2 1.1	0.2 0.1 0.2	0.1 - 0.1	1 1 1			
<b>22</b>	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776)	T M F	0.1 0.1 0.1	0.6 0.6 0.6	-	<u>-</u>	Ξ			
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions (780-795).	T M F	9.6 10.3 9.2	18.6 18.8 18.3	7.6 10.8 7.0	5.1 4.7 5.2	9. 8. 9.			
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poisonings, and violence (nature of injury) (N800-N999).	T M F	4.5 3.7 4.9	5.0 5.6 4.4	3.6 6.2 3.0	3.9 2.7 4.3	4. 2. 5.			
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88)	T M F	1.8 2.7 1.4	11.8 10.9 12.7	0.7 1.4 0.6	0.1 0.2 0.1	0. 0. 0.			

<sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 11. Number of Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957

_				-5-, 200		
		All		Age		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	ages	Under 1 year	1-4	5 - 14	15 - 24
	All causes T  M  F	796, 376 222, 404 573, 972	8, 102 4, 162 3, 940	7, 679 4, 163 3, 516	7, 904 3, 812 4, 092	11,421 2,254 9,167
1	Tuberculosis (001-019) T  M F	13, 595 4, 670 8, 925	1 1 -	72 12 60	217 42 175	1,063 289 774
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020 - T 138).	5,935 1,829 4,106	201 88 113	671 319 352	641 321 320	112 32 80
3	Malignant neoplasms (140 - 205) T M F	59,185 18,245 40,940	-	251 167 84	61 5 56	356 73 283
4	Benign neoplasms (210 - 239) T M F	2,879 955 1,924	7 4 3	32 14 18	5	235 .72 163
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and T nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240 - M 254, 270 - 289).	11, 260 2, 124 9, 136	128 23 105	299 225 74	542 291 251	196 19 177
6	Diabetes (260) T M F	119, 519 35, 355 84, 164	-	289 231 58	421 329 92	1,043 73 970
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and T blood-forming organs (290 - 299).	77, 291 11, 327 65, 964	_2	116 96 20	149 8 141	328 14 314
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality dis-T orders (300-326).	5, 739 834 4, 905	-	108 108 —	10 6 4	180 50 130
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and T sense organs (330 - 352).	100,528 28,216 72,312	8 8	17 13 4	50 23 27	662 82 580
10	Other diseases of the central nervous system T and sense organs (353-398).  M F	13, 187 3, 981 9, 206	146 98 48	315 150 165	219 109 110	527 418 109
11	Rheumatic fever (400 - 402) T M F	169 96 73	<u>-</u>	23 23 —	70 45 25	35 16 19
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434) T	130,539 51,688 78,851	4 1 3	-5 -5	60 9 51	139 3 136

TABLE 11. Number of Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957

				Age						
25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 69	70 - 74	75 - 79	80 -84	85 and over	Not stated	Ŋ
27, 174	41, 224	59, 332	112, 480	96, 149	135, <b>4</b> 23	128, 067	89, 945	68, 678	2, 798	
3, 967	7, 253	12, 935	32, 285	25, 556	39, 911	39, 667	26, 838	18, 891	710	
23, 207	33, 971	46, 397	80, 195	70, 593	95, 512	88, 400	63, 107	49, 787	2, 088	
3,487	3,687	2,029	1,475	412	496	286	138	85	147	
669	1,065	669	1,189	275	206	137	111	-	5	
2,818	2,622	1,360	286	137	290	149	27	85	142	
669 45 624	540 139 401	365 35 330	556 194 362	531 197 334	431 67 364	368 145 223	475 135 340	373 112 261	2	!
1, 434	3,750	8,311	12,854	8,722	9,114	7,020	4, 567	2, 586	159	
223	792	1,429	4,200	2,166	3,499	2,592	2, 140	881	78	
1, 211	2,958	6,882	8,654	6,556	5,615	4,428	2, 427	1, 705	81	
412 137 275	569 186 383	311 99 212	362 134 228	173 43 130	248 37 211	209 105 104	218 118 100	96 4 92	2 2 -	
655	1,134	1,807	1,476	1,044	1,427	1,460	484	536	72	-
13	99	204	227	283	123	300	43	229	45	
642	1,035	1,603	1,249	761	1,304	1,160	441	307	27	
957	1,691	5,951	19,658	19,917	28,706	23, 118	11,624	5,643	503	П
570	500	1,320	4,418	4,226	8,124	9, 236	4,278	2,044	6	
387	1,191	4,631	15,238	15,691	20,582	13, 882	7,346	3,599	497	
1,337	4,075	4, 263 - 479	8,910	9,104	13,868	16, 173	11,543	7, 351 1, 235	72	
90 1,247	3,808	3, 784	1,386 7,524	1,561 7,543	11,955 11,913	2,457 13,716	9,767	6, 116	69	- 1
709	771	753	970	409	615	534	511	144	25	- 1
19	12	62	331	51	62	31	60	42	-	
690	759	691	639	358	553	503	451	102	25	
3, 491	7,201	9, 617	15,736	13, 208	19, 213	16,748	9,046	5,091	440	١.
780	945	2, 295	3,971	4, 522	6, 058	4,787	3,039	1,616	77	
2, 711	6,256	7, 322	11,765	8, 686	13, 155	11,961	6,007	3,475	363	
354	1,006	1,433	2,065	1,128	1,353	2,934	1,083	555	69	- 1
5	253	239	1,150	356	535	442	84	121	21	
349	753	1,194	915	772	818	2,492	999	434	48	
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697	2,325	7, 242	19,410	19, 175	26, 646	24,754	19, 118	10,351	613	
92	503	2, 446	7,742	7, 680	10, 579	10,148	8, 475	3,716	294	
605	1,822	4, 796	11,668	11, 495	16, 067	14,606	10, 643	6,635	319	

TABLE 11. Number of Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 - Concluded

				Age	;	
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All ages	Under 1 year	1-4	5-14	15-24
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system T (440-468).  M F	33, 740 9, 267 24, 473	5 2 3	28 13 15	12 5 7	51 2 49
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470 - 527) T M F	20,970 7,852 13,118	1,367 775 592	1,969 1,002 967	2,013 921 1,092	8 44 239 605
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587) T  M F	32, 751 9, 825 22, 926	764 484 280	831 433 398	509 197 312	650 147 503
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system (590 - T 637).	19, 473 6, 380 13, 093	156 144 12	97 88 9	201 130 71	575 97 478
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and T the puerperium (640-652, 670-689).  M F	10, 559 10, 559	-	-		2,809 2,809
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue T (690-716).	14, 122 3,857 10,265	220 123 97	298 135 163	467 320 147	181 49 132
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic T fever (720 - 727).  M F	39, 380 5, 808 33, 572	2 2	120 118 2	152 152	38 5 33
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of T movement (730 - 749).	6, 554 2, 221 4, 333	21 21	66 20 46	269 129 140	296 278 18
21	Congenital malformations (750 - 759)T M F	1,470 375 1,095	464 106 358	218 66 152	97 59 38	247 38 209
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760 - 776) T M F	183 69 114	183 69 114	-	=	=
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions T (780 - 795).	37, 802 8, 681 29, 121	702 423 279	1,085 556 529	908 435 473	386 68 318
24	Alternative classification of accidents, pol- T sonings, and violence (nature of injury) M (N800-N999).	33, 862 6, 155 27, 707	72 19 53	717 356 361	780 420 360	391 190 201
25	Other admissions (Y00 - Y88)T M F	5, 684 2, 594 3, 090	3, 649 1, 771 1, 878	52 18 34	51 8 43	77 77

TABLE 11. Number of Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 - Concluded

				Age						[
5-34	35-44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65 - 69	70 - 74	75 - 79	80 - 84	85 and over	Not stated	No
185 14 171	737 211 526	1,780 369 1,411	4, 531 1, 651 2, 880	3, 992 1, 266 2, 726	5,636 1,681 3,955	6, 279 1, 292 4, 987	4,789 866 3,923	5, 617 1, 880 3, 737	98 15 83	13
1,231 265 966	1,417 266 1,151	1,422 525 897	2, 358 1, 020 1, 338	1, 352 326 1, 026	1,556 679 877	1,708 611 1,097	1,535 566 969	2, 159 644 1, 515	39 13 26	14
919 142 777	2,306 434 1,872	3, 201 737 2, 464	5,390 1,963 3,427	3, 106 911 2, 195	4,648 1,130 3,518	4,246 1,266 2,980	3,150 1,160 1,990	2,885 716 2,169	146 105 41	1:
1, 467 47 1, 420	1,507 66 1,441	2, 116 176 1,940	2,322 617 1,705	1,761 280 1,481	2,303 1,025 1,278	2,891 1,872 1,019	2, 167 753 1, 414	1,899 1,085 814	$\frac{11}{11}$	10
5, 563 5, 563	2, 106 2, 106	9 9	111	- - -	-	- -	- =		72 72	1'
621 144 477	1,417 164 1,253	1,110 329 781	2,721 674 2,047	914 231 683	2,070 378 1,692	1,361 560 801	1,485 303 1,182	1,232 442 790	25 5 20	1
443 120 323	1,811 616 1,195	3,933 661 3,272	6, 706 182 6, 524	6,000 246 5,754	7,161 1,528 5,633	6, 228 1, 464 4, 764	4,661 593 4,068	2,015 272 1,743	110 1 109	1
584 99 485	402 173 229	1,042 408 	675 198 477	506 213 293	965 150 	778 445 	869 31 838	56 31 25	25 25	2
49 - 49	57 - - 57	56 — 56	115 — 115	25 25 —	44 44 —	55  55	43 37 6	-	- -	2
-	- - -	<u>-</u> -	<del>-</del> -	111	- I	111	1 <b>1 f</b>	- - -	- - -	2
638 94 544	1,077 113 964	1,042 139 903	1, 357 354 1,003	1,360 170 1,190	3,611 1,024 2,587	4,945 842 4,103	6,937 1,071 5,866	13,698 3,385 10,313	56 7 49	2
632 212 420	1, 180 227 953	1,288 204 1,084	2,604 587 2,017	3, 220 448 2, 772	5,242 1,015 4,227	5, 960 935 5, 025	5, 365 1,098 4, 267	6, 299 436 5, 863	112 8 104	
632 179 453	432 222 210	244 106 138	231 97 134	90 80 10	70 12 58	12 - 12	137 101 36	7 -7		2

TABLE 12. Number and Percentage of Visits by Age, Sex and Type of Visit, 1957

		Both sexe	s		Male			Female	·—-
Age	Total visits	Nursing care	Health instruction	Total visits	Nursing care	Health instruction	Total visits	Nursing care	Health instruction
			· · · · · ·		Number				-
				-	<del></del>				
All ages	796,376	757,538	38,838	222,404	211, 938	10,466	573, 972	545,600	28,372
inder 1 year	8, 102	5,089	3,013	4, 162	2, 569	1, 593	3,940	2,520	1,420
1 - 4 years	7,679	5,912	1,767	4, 163	3, 293	870	3,516	2,619	897
5-14 "	7,904	6, 484	1,420	3,812	3,095	717	4,092	3, 389	703
5-24 ''	11,421	9, 246	2, 175	2, 254	2, 113	141	9, 167	7, 133	2, 034
5 - 34 ''	27, 174	23,560	3,614	3,967	3,805	162	23, 207	19,755	3,452
5-44 ''	41, 224	38, 397	2, 827	7, 253	6, 924	329	33,971	31, 473	2, 498
5 - 54 ''	59, 332	56,865	2,467	12, 935	12, 407	528	46, 397	44, 458	1,939
5-64 "	112,480	108, 505	3,975	32, 285	31,217	1,068	80, 195	77, 288	2,907
5 - 69 "	96, 149	92, 767	3, 382	25, 556	24,698	858	70, 593	68,069	2,524
0-74 "	135, 423	131, 114	4, 309	39,911	38, 679	1, 232	95, 512	92, 435	3,07
5-79 ''	128,067	123,758	4,309	39,667	38, 468	1, 199	88, 400	85, 290	3, 110
0-84 "	89,945	87,033	2,912	26, 838	25,870	968	63, 107	61, 163	1,94
5 and over	68,678	66, 210	2, 468	18, 891	18, 119	772	49,787	48,091	1,690
ot stated	2, 798	2, 598	200	710	681	29	2, 088	1,917	17
					Per cent				
All ages	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Inder 1 year	1.0	0.7	7.8	1.9	1.2	15. 2	0. 7	0.5	5.0
1- 4 years	1.0	0.8	4.5	1.9	1.6	8.3	0.6	0.5	3.5
5-14 "	1.0	0.9	3.7	1.7	1.5	6.9	0.7	0.6	2.
5-24	1.4	1.2	5.6	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.6	1. 3	7.3
5-34 ''	3.4	3.1	9.3	1.8	1.8	1.5	4.0	3. 6	12.
5-44 "	5. 2	5. 1	7.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	5.9	5.8	8.
5 - 54	7.4	7.5	6.3	5.8	5.9	5.0	8. 1	8. 1	6.
5-64 "	14. 1	14.3	10.2	14.5	14.7	10. 2	14.0	14. 2	10.
5-69 ''	12. 1	12. 3	8.7	11.5	11.7	8. 2	12. 3	12. 5	8.
70 - 74 ''	17.0	17.3	11.1	17.9	18. 2	11, 8	16.6	16. 9	10.
r5-79 ''	16. 1	16.3	11.1	17.8	18. 1	11.5	15.4	15. 6	11.
30 <b>- 84</b>	11.3	11.5	7.5	12. 1	12. 2	9.3	11.0	11.2	6.
35 and over	8.6	8.7	6. 4	8.5	3.5	7.4	8.7	8.8	6.
Not stated	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.

TABLE 13. Number and Percentage of Visits by Cause, Sex and Type of Visit, 1957

	,			Number			Per cent	
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers		Total visits	Nursing care	Health instruction	Total visits	Nursing care	Health instruction
		T M F	796, 376 222, 404 573, 972	757, 538 211, 938 545, 600	38, 838 10, 466 28, 372	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	95. <u>1</u> 95. 3 · 95. 1	4. 9 4. 7 4. 9
1		T M F	13, 595 4, 670 8, 925	13, 378 4, 614 8, 764	217 56 161	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	98. 4 98. 8 98. 2	1. 6 1. 2 1. 8
2		T M F	5, 935 1, 829 4, 106	5, 247 1, 574 3, 673	688 255 433	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	88. 4 86. 1 89. 5	11. 6 13. 9 10. 5
3		T M F	59, 185 18, 245 40, 940	56, 029 17, 174 38, 855	3, 156 1, 071 2, 085	100.0 100.0 100.0	94. 7 94. 1 94. 9	5. 3 5. 9 5. 1
4		T M F	2, 879 955 1, 924	2, 668 886 1, 782	211 69 142	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	92.7 92.8 92.6	7. 3 7. 2 7. 4
5	nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240-	T M F	11, 260 2, 124 9, 136	10, 729 1, 939 8, 790	531 185 346	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	95. 3 91. 3 96. 2	4. 7 8. 7 3. 8
6		T M F	119, 519 35, 355 84, 164	116, 881 34, 704 82, 177	2, 638 651 1, 987	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	97. 8 98. 2 97. 6	2. 2 1. 8 2. 4
7		T M F	77, 291 11, 327 65, 964	76, 018 11, 179 64, 839	1, 273 148 1, 125	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	98. 4 98. 7 98. 3	1.6 1.3 1.7
8		T M F	5, 739 834 4, 905	5, 314 788 4, 526	425 46 379	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	92. 6 94. 5 92. 3	7. 4 5. 5 7. 7
9		T M F	100, 528 28, 216 72, 312	98, 199 27, 544 70, 655	2, 329 672 1, 657	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	97. 7 97. 6 97. 7	2. 3 2. 4 2. 3
10		T M F	13, 187 3, 981 9, 206	12, 376 3, 757 8, 619	811 224 587	100.0 100.0 100.0	93. 9 94. 4 93. 6	6. 1 5. 6 6. 4
11	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	T M F	169 96 73	144 79 65	25 17 8	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	85. 2 82. 3 89. 0	14. 8 17. 7 11. 0
12	,	T M F	130, 539 51, 688 78, 851	126, 812 50, 294 76, 518	3, 727 1, 394 2, 333	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	97. 1 97. 3 97. 0	2. 9 2. 7 3. 0

TABLE 13. Number and Percentage of Visits by Cause, Sex and Type of Visit, 1957 - Concluded

	•			Number			Per Cent	
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers		Total visits	Nursing care	Health instruction	Total visits	Nursing care	Health instruction
13		T M F	33, 740 9, 267 24, 473	32, 583 9, 052 23, 531	1, 157 215 942	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	96. 6 97. 7 96. 2	3. 4 2. 3 3. 8
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470 - 527)	T M F	20, 970 7, 852 13, 118	17, 823 6, 702 11, 121	3, 147 1, 150 1, 997	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	85. 0 85. 4 84. 8	15. 0 14. 6 15. 2
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587)	T M F	32, 751 9, 825 22, 926	29, 350 8, 709 20, 641	3, 401 1, 116 2, 285	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	89. 6 88. 6 90. 0	10. 4 11. 4 10. 0
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system (590-637).	T M F	19, 473 6, 380 13, 093	18, 388 6, 049 12, 339	1, 085 331 754	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	94. 4 94. 8 94. 2	5. 6 5. 2 5. 8
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puerperium (640-652, 670-689).	T M F	10, 559  10, 559	5, 609 5, 609	4, 950  4, 950	100. 0 100. 0	53. 1 - 53. 1	46. 9 46. 9
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue (690-716).	T M F	14, 122 3, 857 10, 265	13, 145 3, 548 9, 597	977 309 668	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	93. 1 92. 0 93. 5	6. 9 8. 0 6. 5
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever (720-727).	T M F	39, 380 5, 808 33, 572	38, 519 5, 679 32, 840	861 129 732	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	97. 8 97. 8 97. 8	2. 2
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of movement (730-749).	T M F	6, 554 2, 221 4, 333	6, 338 2, 131 4, 207	216 90 126	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	96. 7 95. 9 97. 1	4. 1
21	Congenital malformations (750-759)	T M F	1, 470 375 1, 095	1, 284 319 965	186 56 130	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	87. 3 85. 1 88. 1	
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776)	T M F	183 69 114	119 44 75	64 25 39	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	65. 0 63. 8 65. 8	35. 0 36. 2 34. 2
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions (780 - 795).	T M F	37, 802 8, 681 29, 121	34, 334 7, 545 26, 789	3, 468 1, 136 2, 332	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	90. 8 86. 9 92. 0	13. 1
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poisonings, and violence (nature of injury) (N800-N999).	T M F	33, 862 6, 155 27, 707	32, 123 5, 783 26, 340	372	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	94. 9 94. 0 95. 1	6.0
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88)	T M F	5, 684 2, 594 3, 090	4, 128 1, 845 2, 283	749	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	72.6 71.1 73.9	28. 9

TABLE 14. Percentage Distribution of Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957
(All ages for each cause group-100 per cent)

			6.33			Age		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers		All ages	Under 15	15-44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated
	All causes	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	3.0 5.5 2.0	10.0 6.1 11.6	21.6 20.3 22.0	65.1 67.8 64.0	0.3 0.3 0.4
1	Tuberculosis (001-019)	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	2.1 1.2 2.6	60.6 43.3 69.6	25.8 39.8 18.5	10.4 15.6 7.7	1.1 0.1 1.6
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020-138).	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	25.5 39.8 19.1	22.3 11.8 26.9	15.5 12.5 16.9	36.7 35.9 37.1	<u> </u>
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205)	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	0.5 0.9 0.3	9.4 6.0 10.9	35.7 30.9 38.0	54.1 61.8 50.6	0.3 0.4 0.2
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239)	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	1.5 1.9 1.3	42.2 41.4 42.7	23.4 24.4 22.9	32.8 32.1 33.1	0.1 0.2 -
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240- 254, 270-289).	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	8.6 25.4 4.7	17.6 6.2 20.3	29.2 20.3 31.2	44.0 46.0 43.5	0.6 2.1 0.3
6	Diabetes (260)	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0		3.1 3.2 3.0	21.4 16.2 23.6	74.5 79.0 72.6	0.4
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs (290-299).	T M F	100.0 100.0 	0.9	7.4 3.3 8.1	17.0 16.5 17.1	75.1 79.3 74.4	0.1
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality disorders (300-326).	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	13.7	28.9 9.7 32.2	30. 0 47. 1 27. 1	38.6 29.5 40.1	0.4 - 0.5
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (330-352).	T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	0.1	11.3 6.4 13.2	25.2 22.2 26.4	63.0 71.0 59.9	0.4 0.3 0.5
. 10	Other diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (353-398).	T M F	100.0	9.0	14.3 17.0 13.2	26.5 34.9 22.9	53.5 38.6 59.9	0. 5 0. 5 0. 5
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402)	. Т М F	100.0	70.8	40.8 25.0 61.6	4.2 4.2 4.1		= =
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434)	. Т М F	100.0	1 1	2.4 1.2 3.2	20. 4 19. 7 20. 9	76.6 78.5 75.4	0.5 0.6 0.4

<sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 14. Percentage Distribution of Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 — Concluded (All ages for each cause group-100 per cent)

	(All ages IW t						
	Cause and detailed list numbers	All			Age		
No.		ages	Under 15	15-44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system T (440-468).  M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	0.1 0.2 0.1	2.9 2.4 3.1	18.7 21.8 17.5	78.0 75.4 79.0	0.3 0.2 0.3
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527) T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	25.5 34.3 20.2	16.7 9.8 20.8	18.0 19.7 17.0	39.6 36.0 41.8	0.2 0.2 0.2
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587) T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	6.4 11.3 4.3	11.8 7.4 13.7	26.2 27.5 25.7	55.1 52.7 56.1	0.5 1.1 0.2
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system (590- T 637).	100.0 100.0 100.0	2.3 5.7 0.7	18.2 3.3 25.5	22.8 12.4 27.8	56.6 78.6 45.9	0.1 0.1
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and T the puerperium (640-652, 670-689).  M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	_ _ _	99. 2 99. 2	0.1 0.1	_ _ _	0.7 0.7
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue T (690-716).	100.0 100.0 100.0	7.0 15.0 4.0	15.7 9.3 18.1	27.1 26.0 27.5	50.0 49.6 50.2	0.2 0.1 0.2
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic T fever (720-727). MF	100.0 100.0 100.0	0.7 2.1 0.5	5.8 12.8 4.6	27.0 14.5 29.2	66.2 70.6 65.4	0.3 0.3
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of T movement (730-749).  M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	5.4 7.6 4.3	19.6 24.8 16.9	26.2 27.3 25.6	48.4 39.2 53.2	0.4 1.1 —
21	Congenital malformations (750-759) T $_{\rm M}^{\rm M}$ F	100.0 100.0 100.0	53.0 61.6 50.0	24.0 10.1 28.8	11.6 15.6	11.4 28.3 5.6	Ξ
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776) T  M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	100.0 100.0 100.0	<u>-</u>	= =	= =	Ξ
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions T (780-795).	100.0 100.0 100.0	7.1 16.3 4.4	5.6 3.1 6.3	6.3 5.7 6.5	80. 8 74. 8 82. 6	0. 2 0. 1 0. 2
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poi- T sonings, and violence (nature of injury) M (N800-N999).	100.0 100.0 100.0	4.6 12.9 2.8	6.5 10.2 5.7	11.5 12.9 11.2	77.1 63.9 79.9	0.3 0.1 0.4
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88) T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	66.0 69.3 63.3	20.1 15.5 23.9	8.3 7.8 8.8	5.6 7.4 4.0	

<sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 15. Percentage Distribution of Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957
(All causes for each age group - 100 per cent)

					Age		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All ages	Under 15	15-44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated
	All causes T  M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	100.0 100.0 100.0	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	100.0 100.0 100.0	100.0 100.0 100.0	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0
1	Tuberculosis (001-019) T M F	1.7 2.1 1.6	1.2 0.5 2.1	10.3 15.0 9.4	2.0 4.1 1.3	0.3 0.5 0.2	5.2 0.7 6.8
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020- T 138).	0.8 0.8 0.7	6.4 6.0 6.8	1.7 1.6 1.7	0.5 0.5 0.5	0.4 0.4 0.4	0.1 - 0.1
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205) T  M F	7.4 8.2 7.1	1.3 1.4 1.2	6.9 8.1 6.7	12.3 12.4 12.3	6.2 7.5 5.6	5.7 11.0 3.9
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239) T  M F	0.4 0.4 0.3	0, 2 0, 1 0, 2	1.5 2.9 1.2	0.4 0.5 0.3	0.2 0.2 0.2	0.1 0.3
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and T nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240- M 254, 270-289).	1.4 1.0 1.6	4.1 4.4 3.7	2.5 1.0 2.8	1.9 1.0 2.3	0.9 0.6 1.1	2.6 6.3 1.3
6	Diabetes (260) T  M F	15.0 15.9 14.7	3.0 4.6 1.3	4.6 8.5 3.8	14.9 12.7 15.7	17.2 18.5 16.6	18.0 0.9 23.8
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and T blood-forming organs (290-299). M	9.7 5.1 11.5	1.1 0.9 1.4	7. 2 2. 7 8. 1	7.7 4.1 8.9	11,2 6,0 13,4	2,6 0,4 3,3
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality dis-T orders (300-326). M F	0.7 0.4 0.9	0.5 0.9	2.1 0.6 2.4	1.0 0.9 1.1	0.4 0.2 0.5	0.9 _ 1.2
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and T sense organs (330-352).  M F	12.6 12.7 12.6	0.3 0.4 0.3	14.2 13.4 14.4	14.8 13.9 15.1	12.2 13.3 11.8	15.7 10.9 17.4
10	Other diseases of the central nervous system T and sense organs (353-398).  M F	1.7 1.8 1.6	2.9 2.9 2.8	2.4 5.0 1.8	2.0 3.1 1.7	1.4 1.0 1.5	2.4 3.0 2.3
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402) T  M F	1 1 1	0.4 0.6 0.2	0.1 0.2 0.1	1 1 1		=
12	Diseases of the heart (410–434) T	16.4 23.2 13.7	0.3. 0.1 0.5	4. 0 4. 4 3. 9	15.5 22.5 13.0	19.3 26.9 16.2	21.9 41.4 15.3

<sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 15. Percentage Distribution of Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 — Concluded (All causes for each age group - 100 per cent)

_	(All causes for each age group - 100 per cent)											
		All			Age							
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	ages	Under 15	15-44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated					
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system T (440-468). MF	4.2 4.2 4.3	0, 2 0, 2 0, 2	1,2 1,7 1.1	3.7 4.5 3.4	5.1 4.6 5.3	3.5 2.1 4.0					
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527) T M F	2.6 3.5 2.3	22.6 22.2 23.0	4.4 5.7 4.1	2.2 3.4 1.8	1.6 1.9 1.5	1.4 1.8 1.2					
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587) T M F	4.1 4.4 4.0	8.9 9.2 8.6	4.9 5.4 4.7	5.0 6.0 4.7	3.5 3.4 3.5	5. 2 14. 8 2. 0					
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system (590- T 637).	2.5 2.9 2.3	1.9 3.0 0.8	4.4 1.6 5.0	2.6 1.8 2.9	2.1 3.3 1.6	0.4 0.5					
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and T the puerperium (640-652, 670-689).  M F	1.3	_    - 	13.1 15.8	1 -	_ _ _	2.6 3.4					
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue T (690-716). M	1.8 1.7 1.8	4.2 4.8 3.5	2.8 2.6 2.8	2. 2 2. 2 2. 2	1.4 1.3 1.4	0.9 0.7 1.0					
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic T fever (720-727). M	4.9 2.6 5.8	1.1 1.0 1.3	2.9 5.5 2.3	6.2 1.9 7.7	5.0 2.7 6.0	3.9 0.1 5.2					
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of T movement (730-749).  M F	0.8 1.0 0.8	1.5 1.4 1.6	1.6 4.1 1.1	1.0 1.3 0,9	0.6 0.6 0.6	0.9 3.5 —					
21	Congenital malformations (750-759) T  M F	0.2 0.2 0.2	3.3 1.9 4.8	0.4 0.3 0.5	0.1 - 0.1	1 10.1	<del>-</del> -					
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776) T M F	1 1 1	0.8 0.6 1.0	<u>-</u> -	-	_ _ _	Ξ					
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions T (780-795). MF	4.8 3.9 5.1	11.4 11.6 11.1	2.6 2.0 2.8	1.4 1.1 1.5	5.9 4.3 6.6	2.0 1.0 2.3					
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poi-T sonings, and violence (nature of injury) M (N800-N999).	4.3 2.8 4.8	6.6 6.5 6.7	2.8 4.7 2.4	2.3 1.7 2.4	5.0 2.6 6.0	4.0 1.1 5.0					
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88)	0.7 1.2 0.5	15.8 14.8 16.9	1.4 3.0 1.1	0.3 0.4 0.2	0.1 0.1	_ _ _					

<sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 16. Average Visits per Case by Cause, Sex and Age<sup>1</sup> During the Year 1957

	·	433		Ag	e	
No	Cause and detailed list numbers	All ages	Under 15	15-44	45-64	65 and over
	All causes T	16.5 15.2 17.1	3. 6 3. 6 3. 6	10.6 10.7 10.5	19. 1 18. 5 19. 4	20. 8 20. 0 21. 1
1	Tuberculosis (001-019) T  M F	32.3 29.0 34.3	13.8 6.1 19.6	33.8 28.9 35.7	34. 0 34. 4 33. 6	27.8 27.0 28.7
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020-T MF	6.5 5.3 7.2	3.3 3.2 3.5	8. 4 5. 5 9. 3	9.1 8.8 9.2	10.8 12.4 10.2
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205) T M F	18.0 16.2 18.9	15.6 19.1 12.7	19.9 19.4 20.0	17.8 16.2 18.5	17.9 16.0 19.2
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239) T M F	9.7 10.3 9.5	3.1 2.0 5.2	10.3 12.0 9.7	9. 1 9. 7 8. 8	10.6 11.8 10.1
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and T nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240 - M 254,270-289).	18.7 12.7 21.0	9.9 10.4 9.3	17.7 7.3 19.7	22.0 14.4 24.0	20.9 14.8 23.2
6	Diabetes (260) T	48.1 47.3 48.5	13.9 18.1 7.5	32.1 23.8 38.0	39.9 32.2 42.9	53.6 57.4 52.0
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and T blood-forming organs (290-299).	21.8 20.6 22.0	12.1 11.6 12.5	17.7 16.9 17.8	20.8 23.3 20.4	22.7 20.7 23.1
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality dis-T orders (300-326).	16.8 16.4 16.9	23.6 28.5 4.0	15.1 6.8 16.1	17.2 26.2 15.6	17.8 12.3 18.9
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and T sense organs (330-352).	30.2 26.6 31.9	5. 0 4. 4 6. 2	36.2 27.0 38.7	37.3 33.0 39.0	27.5 25.4 28.5
0	Other diseases of the central nervous system T and sense organs (353-398).	14.1 14.2 14.1	3.1 3.2 3.0	13.7 24.1 11.0	18.6 30.2 14.9	18.6 16.9 19.1
1	Rheumatic fever (400-402) T  M F	6.3 6.4 6.1	6. 6 8. 5 4. 2	6.3 4.0 9.0	3.5 4.0 3.0	<u>-</u> -
2	Diseases of the heart (410-434) T	22.3 21.9 22.5	7.7 5.0 8.4	18.2 11.7 20.8	22.6 21.3 23.5	22.3 22.4 22.3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding cases where age was not stated.

TABLE 16. Average Visits per Case by Cause, Sex and Age<sup>1</sup> During the Year 1957 - Concluded

				Ag	e .		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All ages	Under 15	15-44	45-64	65 and over	
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system (440-T 468).	22.6 22.3 22.7	2.6 2.9 2.5	10.0 10.8 9.8	22.3 24.6 21.3	24.1 23.1 24.6	
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527) T  M F	4.2 4.2 4.1	2.7 2.8 2.7	3.2 2.7 3.4	5.3 7.6 4.3	6.7 7.2 6.4	
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587) T	5.5 5.3 5.7	2.5 2.6 2.3	4.6 4.8 4.6	7.5 8.4 7.2	5.9 5.4 6.1	
16	Diseases of the genito-winary system (590- T 637).	12.7 15.5 11.7	3.3 3.4 3.0	7.8 7.8 7.8	12.2 14.4 11.8	19.2 22.4 17.1	
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and T the puerperium (640-652, 670-689).  M F	6. 0 6. 0	- - -	6.0	3.0	. =	
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue T (690-716).	13.2 10.7 14.5	4.6 5.3 3.8	11.4 6.5 13.4	17.1 17.0 17.1	16.5 14.3 17.5	
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic T fever (720-727).	29.0 31.1 28.6	68.5 60.0 77.0	30.2 46.3 25.9	34.8 24.8 36.0	27.0 30.6 26.4	
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of T movement (730-749).  M F	22.4 22.7 22.3	10.8 8.5 14.3	20.7 23.9 18.8	20.9 20.2 21.4	28.1 37.8 25.6	
21	Congenital malformations (750-759) T  M F	14.8 8.3 20.3	10.4 5.8 15.7	29.4 38.0 28.6	34.2 34.2	23.9 26.5 20.3	
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776) T	4.6 3.3 6.0	4.6 3.3 6.0	· =	<u></u> ,	- -	
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions T (780-795).	8.2 5.7 9.4	2.2 2.2 2.2	3.6 2.0 4.1	5.3 4.3 5.6	13.0 10.4 14.0	
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poi- T sonings, and violence (nature of injury) M (N800-N999).	15.5 11.2 17.0	4.7 4.2 5.5	8.2 8.1 8.2	11.2 12.0 11.1	21.5 18.9 22.0	
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88) T	6. 4 6. 5 6. 4	4.8 4.9 4.8	21.5 23.6 20.6	36.5 33.8 38.9	8.3 24.1 4.1	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excluding cases where age was not stated.

TABLE 17. Ratio of Nursing Care Visits to Health Instruction Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957

				i I	Age		
No.	Cause and detailed list number		All ages	Under 15	15- 44	45-64	65 and over
	All causes	T M F	19.5 20.2 19.3	2.8 2.8 2.8	8.3 20.3 7.3	25.7 27.3 25.1	28, 8 29, 0 28, 1
1	Tuberculosis (001-019)	T M F	64.0 82.3 57.2	16. 1 6. 9 22. 5	70. 6 73. 9 69. 6	82. 4 184. 8 50. 4	41. 9 59. 8 31. 8
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020-138).	T M F	7.6 6.2 8.5	3. 0 3. 3 2. 8	15. 1 8. 8 17. 4	13. 9 27. 6 11. 8	12. 5 10. 5 12. 8
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205)	T M F	17.8 16.1 18.7	43.6 56.3 34.0	21. 4 12. 8 25. 5	16. 2 12. 9 17. 8	18. 18. 18.
4	Benign neoplasms (210 - 239)	T M F	12.6 12.8 12.5	3. 4 1. 3 12. 0	15. 0 15. 5 14. 8	18. 2 18. 4 18. 1	9. 11. 8.
`5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240 - 254,270 - 289).		20.2 10.2 25.6	9. 2 11. 0 7. 6	27. 0 15. 4 28. 4	25. 5 18. 6 27. 0	19. 9 7. 9 30.
6	Diabetes (260)	T M F	44. 2 53. 3 41. 3	9. 1 15. 0 3. 3	33. 2 48. 7 29. 0	32. 8 37. 0 31. 7	51. 62. 47.
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and and blood-forming organs (290 - 299).	T' M F	59. 8 75. 5 57. 7	28. 7 17. 1	32. 6 60. 8 31. 5	60. 0 80. 1 57. 6	65. 74. 63.
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality dis- orders (300 - 326).	T M F	12. 5 17. 1 11. 9	15. 9 15. 3	6. 3 10. 6 6. 2	18. 6 42. 7 15. 8	20. 9. 23.
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (330 - 352).	T M P	42. 1 41. 3 42. 5	2. 1 1. 1 9. 3	37.8 47.8 36.3	40.9 51.2 38.4	44. 40. 46.
10	Other diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (353-398).	T M F	15. 3 16. 8 14. 7	3. 2 3. 2 3. 2	18.3 25.0 15.8	29. 7 26. 2 32. 5	15. 24. 13.
1	Rheumatic fever (400 - 402)	T M F	5.8 4.6 8.1	4.8 4.2 7.3	6. 7 - 5. 0 8. 0	1 1 1	- -
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434)	T.M	34. 2 36. 0 33. 1	3. 6 0. 4 6. 4	28. 5 32. 2 27. 8	34. 0 33. 1 34. 6	34. 37. 33.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>No health instruction or nursing care visits reported.

TABLE 17. Ratio of Nursing Care Visits to Health Instruction Visits by Cause, Sex and Age, 1957 — Concluded

	1	A 21		Age	e	
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All ages	Under 15	15-44	45 - 64	65 and over
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system (440 - T 468).	28. 4 42. 0 25. 3	14.0 7.3	19. 3 55. 8 16. 0	32. 7 60. 2 26. 9	28. 0 38. 2 25. 5
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470 - 527) T  M F	5. 7 5. 8 5. 6	2. 8 2. 8 2. 8	5. 5 8. 0 5. 0	9. 2 16. 2 7. 0	9. 2 10. 1 8. 8
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587) T  M F	8.6 7.7 9.0	2. 7 2. 5 2. 9	8.7 10.0 8.4	13.0 15.4 12.1	9. 0 8. 2 9. 3
16	Diseases of the genito-winary system (590 - T 637).	16.9 18.3 16.4	2. 9 2. 6 4. 4	10. 1 7. 1 10. 4	17.0 13.7 18.0	26. 4 32. 2 22. 9
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and T the puerperium (640-652,670-689).	1.1 1.1	- - -	1.1	i -	Ξ
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue T (690-716).	13.5 11.5 14.4	3. 1 3. 8 2. 4	15.6 9.8 17.4	18. 2 26. 9 16. 2	16. 7 15. 4 17. 2
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic T fever (720 - 727).	44.9 44.0 45.0	136.0 119.0 153.0	22. 4 26. 4 20. 8	62. 3 92. 7 60. 6	43. 3 43. 6 43. 3
20	Other diseases of the bones and organs of T movement (730 - 749).  M F	29. 2 23. 4 33. 4	3. 6 1. 7 12. 3	36. 7 182. 3 22. 6	36. 3 32. 7 38. 7	52. 8 144. 0 42. 5
21	Congenital malformations (750-759)T M F	6. 9 5. 7 7. 4	3. 5 3. 4 3. 5	116.7 104.0	56. 0 - 56. 0	26. 8 34. 3 19. 3
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776) T M F	1.9 1.8 1.9	1. 9 1. 8 1. 9	<u>-</u>	. =	=
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions T (780 - 795).	9.9 6.6 11.5	1. 9 1. 8 2. 1	6. 2 6. 6 6. 1	7.7 8.0 7.6	14. 4 11. 1 15. 7
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poi- T sonings, and violence (nature of injury) M (N800-N999).	18.7 15.6 19.5	4. 8 5. 1 4. 5	7.8 8.3 7.7	12.8 32.0 11.0	27. 5 25. 4 28. 0
25	Other admissions (Y00 - Y88) T M F	2. 7 2. 5 2. 8	1. 4 1. 4 1. 5	379. 3 199. 5 739. 0	117. 8 100. 5 135. 0	20. 1 47. 3 10. 2

<sup>1</sup> No health instruction or nursing care visits reported.

TABLE 18. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex and Length of Nursing Service, 1957

	,		Length of nursing service										
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All lengths	1 day	2-7 days	8-30 days	1 month and under 3 months	3 months and under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and under 3 years	3 years and over			
	All causes T M F	48, 334 14, 679 33, 655	7, 993 2, 539 5, 454	9, 849 3, 460 6, 389	11,083 3,419 7,664	7, 232 2, 065 5, 167	7, 494 2, 072 5, 422	2, 268 630 1, 638	907 215 692	1, 508 279 1, 229			
1	Tuberculosis (001-019) T M F	421 161 260	20 14 6	27 11 16	54 23 31	68 21 47	191 66 125	47 20 27	9 4 5	5 2 3			
2	Other infective and parasitic T diseases (020-138). M	918 346 572	153 60 93	308 119 189	279 105 174	107 40 67	47 14 33	14 5 9	5 2 3	5 1 4			
3	Malignant neoplasms (140 - 205) T M F	3, 286 1, 123 2, 163	391 135 256	624 240 384	1,002 345 657	677 213 464	464 151 313	90 29 61	18 6 12	20 4 16			
4	Benign neoplasms (210 - 239) T M F	296 93 203	48 13 35	71 18 53	99 39 60	48 14 34	23 8 15	5 1 4	1 -1	1 1			
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and nutritional dis-Meases, except diabetes (240 - F 254, 270 - 289).	602 167 435	69 31 38	96 33 63	128 22 106	90 26 64	142 32 110	41 15 26	17 6 11	19 2 17			
6	Diabetes (260) T M F	747	208 63 145	566 171 395	628 215 413	335 103 232	444 111 333	147 37 110	67 20 47	88 27 61			
7	Anaemias and other diseases of T the blood and blood-forming M organs (290 - 299).		203 36 167	118 19 99	531 75 456	542 81 461	855 138 717	416 67 349	229 34 195	653 99 554			
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and per- T sonality disorders (300 - 326). M	51	66 18 48	41 8 33	74 11 63	66 5 61	63 7 56	18 2 16	5 - 5	8 -8			
9	Diseases of the central ner- T vous system and sense or- M gans (330-352).	1,061	374 107 267	455 173 282	646 212 434	531 188 343	760 237 523	270 73 197	29	184 42 142			
10	Other diseases of the central T nervous system and sense M organs (353-398).	280	142 42 100	227 78 149	270 85 185	129 36 93	109 26 83	27 8 19	1	22 4 18			
11	Rheumatic fever (400 - 402) T M F	15		3 2 1	5 1 4	1 3	9 6 3	1 1		=			
12	Diseases of the heart (410 - 434) T M F		173	238	465	451	1,607 667 940	574 234 340	80	49			

TABLE 18. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex and Length of Nursing Service, 1957 - Concluded

					I	Length of n	ursing ser	vice		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All lengths	1 day	2-7 days	8-30 days	1 month and under 3 months	3 months and under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and inder 3 years	3 years and over
13	Other diseases of the circula- T tory system (440-468). MF	1,493 415 1,078	177 46 131	257 78 179	323 106 217	236 56 180	289 80 209	109 33 76	46 7 39	56 9 47
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527).	5, 028 1, 860 3, 168	1, 158 417 741	2, 311 892 1, 419	1,038 354 684	325 124 201	164 64 100	25. 7 18	4 2 2	3 - 3
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587).	5,925 1,868 4,057	2, 219 688 1, 531	1, 432 460 972	1, 279 408 871	578 188 390	340 108 232	45 13 32	16 2 14	16 1 15
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary T system (590-637). M F	1,530 411 1,119	242 55 187	359 96 263	492 142 350	206 60 146	153 41 112	45 11 34	15 4 11	18 2 16
17	Complications of pregnancy, T childbirth, and the puerperium M (640-652, 670-689).	1.764	53 — 53	84  84	585 — 585	628 - 628	414 - 414	<del>-</del> -	<u>-</u> -	_ _ _
18	Diseases of the skin and cellu- T lar tissue (690-716).	1,068 359 709	116 51 65	291 101 190	325 113 212	187 62 125	115 27 88	23 5 18	7 -7	4 - 4
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, ex- T cept rheumatic fever (720- M 727)	1,360 187 1,173	134 15 119	118 23 95	216 32 184	207 28 179	338 43 295	141 22 119	68 10 58	138 14 124
20	Other diseases of the bones T and organs of movement (730 - M 749).	292 98 194	49 11 38	34 12 22	6 <b>8</b> 29 39	45 14 31	65 22 43	10 6 4	10 2 8	11 2 9
21	Congenital malformations (750 - T 759).	99 45 54	13 7 6	11 5 6	25 13 12	17 9 8	22 7 15	6 2 4	2 1 1	3 1 2
22	Certain diseases of early in- T fancy (760-776).	40 21 19	5 2 3	11 8 3	10 5 5	10 4 6	4 2 2	<del>-</del>		<u>-</u>
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-de- T fined conditions (780 - 795). M F	4,625 1,516 3,109	1, 235 415 820	1, 245 489 756	929 312 617	508 137 371	486 121 365	126 24 102	44 2 42	52 16 36
24	Alternative classification of T accidents, poisonings, and M violence (nature of injury) F (N800-N999).	2, 179 548 1, 631	342 86 256	422 131 291	590 162 428	387 87 300	305 64 241	84 13 71	21 3 18	28 2 26
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88) T M F	884 401 483	138 50 88	116 55 61	302 145 157	236 117 119	85 30 55	4 2 2	1 - 1	2 2 -

TABLE 19. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Cause, Sex and Length of Nursing Service, 1957 (Total for each cause group= 100 per cent)

			TOTAL TOP			•		ursing ser	vice		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	s	All lengths	1 day	2-7 days	8-30 days	1 month and under 3 months	3 months and under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and under 3 years	3 years and over
	All causes	T M F	100, 0 100, 0 100, 0	16, 5 17, 3 16, 2	20. 4 23. 6 19. 0	22, 9 23, 3 22, 8	15. 0 14. 1 15. 3	15.5 14.1 16.1	4. 7 4. 3 4. 9	1. 9 1. 4 2. 1	3, 1 1, 9 3, 6
1	Tuberculosis (001-019)	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	4. 7 8. 7 2. 3	6. 4 6. 8 6. 1	12.8 14.3 11.9	16. 2 13. 1 18. 1	45. 4 41. 0 48. 1	11. 2 12. 4 10. 4	2. 1 2. 5 1. 9	1. 2 1. 2 1. 2
<b>,</b> 2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020 - 138).	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	16. 7 17. 3 16. 3	33. 6 34. 4 33. 0	30. 4 30. 4 30. 4	11.7 11.6 11.7	5. 1 4. 0 5. 8	1. 5 1. 4 1. 6	0.5 0.6 0.5	0. 5 0. 3 0. 7
<b>3</b>	Malignant neoplasms (140-205)	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	11.9 12.0 11.8	19. 0 21. 4 17. 8	30. 5 30. 7 30. 4	20. 6 19. 0 21. 4	14. 1 13. 4 14. 5	2. 7 2. 6 2. 8	0. 6 0. 5 0. 6	0. 6 0. 4 0. 7
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239),	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	16. 2 14. 0 17. 2	24. 0 19. 4 26. 1	33. 5 41. 9 29. 6	16. 2 15. 0 16. 7	7.8 8.6 7.4	1. 7 1. 1 2. 0	0. 3 - 0. 5	0. 3 0. 5
5	Allergic, endocrine system, meta- bolic, and nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240 - 254, 270- 289).	M	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	11. 5 18. 6 8. 7	15. 9 19. 7 14. 5	21. 3 13. 2 24. 4	14. 9 15. 6 14. 7	23. 6 19. 1 25. 3	6. 8 9. 0 6. 0		3. 2 1. 2 3. 9
6	Diabetes (260)	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	8. 4 8. 4 8. 3	22. 8 22. 9 22. 8	25. 3 28. 8 23. 8	13. 5 13. 8 13. 4	17. 9 14. 9 19. 2	5. 9 4. 9 6. 3	1 2.7	3. 5 3. 6 3. 5
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs (290 - 299).		100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	5. 7 6. 6 5. 6	3. 3 3. 5 3. 3	15. 0 13. 7 15. 2	14. 7	25. 1	11. 7 12. 2 11. 6	6. 2	18. 4 18. 0 18. 5
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality disorders (300-326).	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	19. 4 35. 3 16. 6	12. 0 15. 7 11. 4	21. 7 21. 6 21. 7	9. 8	13. 7	5. 3 3. 9 5. 5	_	2.3 2.8
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (330-352).	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	11. 2 10. 1 11. 8	13. 7 16. 3 12. 4	19. 4 20. 0 19. 1	17. 7	22.3	8. 1 6. 9 8. 7	2.7	5. 5 4. 0 6. 3
10	Other diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (353-398).		100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	15. 2 15. 0 15. 3	24. 4 27. 8 22. 8	29. 0 30. 4 28. 4	12. 8	9.3	2. 9 2. 9 2. 9	0.4	2. 4 1. 4 2. 8
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402)	T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	18. 5 26. 7 8. 3	11. 1 13. 3 8. 3	18. 5 6. 6 33. 4	6. 7	40.0	3. 7 6. 7		=
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434)	T M F					19. 1	28. 3	9. 9	3.4	2. 1

TABLE 19. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Cause, Sex and Length of Nursing Service, 1957 — Concluded

(Total for each cause group = 100 per cent)

						Length of	nursing ser	vice		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All lengths	1 day	2-7 days	8-30 days	1 month and under 3 months	3 months and under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and under 3 years	3 years and over
13	Other diseases of the circulatory 3 system (440-468).	100.0	11. 9 11. 1 12. 2	17. 2 18. 8 16. 6	21. 6 25. 5 20. 1	15. 8 13. 5 16. 7	19. 4 19. 3 19. 4	7. 3 7. 9 7. 0	3. 1 1. 7 3. 6	3. 7 2. 2 4. 4
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527).	100.0	23. 0 22. 4 23. 4	46. 0 48. 0 44. 8	20, 6 19, 0 21, 6	6. 5 6. 7 6. 3	3. 3 3. 4 3. 1	0. 5 0. 4 0. 6	0. 1 0. 1 0. 1	ı 0. 1
15	Diseases of the digestive system 7 (530-587).	100.0	37. 4 36. 8 37. 7	24. 2 24. 6 24. 0	21. 6 21. 8 21. 5	9. 7 10. 1 9. 6	5. 7 5. 8 5. 7	0. 8 0. 7 0. 8	0.3 0.1 0.3	0.3 0.1 0.4
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary 7 system (590-637).	100.0	15. 8 13. 4 16. 7	23. 5 23. 3 23. 5	32. 1 34. 5 31. 3	13. 5 14. 6 13. 1	10. 0 10. 0 10. 0	2. 9 2. 7 3. 0	1. 0 1. 0 1. 0	1. 2 0. 5 1. 4
17	Complications of pregnancy, 7 childbirth, and the puerperium M (640-652, 670-689).	1 -	3. 0 3. 0	4.7 - 4.7	33. 2 33. 2	35. 6 35. 6	23. 5 - 23. 5	<u>-</u> -	- -	<del>-</del>
18	Diseases of the skin and cellu- 7 lar tissue (690-716). M	100.0	10. 9 14. 2 9. 2	27. 2 28. 1 26. 8	30. 4 31. 5 29. 9	17. 5 17. 3 17. 6	10. 8 7. 5 12. 4	2. 1 1. 4 2. 5	0. 7 1. 0	0. 4 0. 6
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except Trheumatic fever (720-727). M	100.0	9. 8 8. 0 10. 1	8. 7 12. 3 8. 1	15. 9 17. 1 15. 7	15. 2 15. 0 15. 3	24. 9 23. 0 25. 2	10. 4 11. 8 10. 1	5. 0 5. 3 4. 9	10. 1 7. 5 10. 6
20	Other diseases of the bones and T organs of movement (730-749) M	100.0	16. 8 11. 2 19. 6	11.6 12.3 11.3	23. 3 29. 6 20. 1	15. 4 14. 3 16. 0	22. 3 22. 5 22. 2	3. 4 6. 1 2. 1	3. 4 2. 0 4. 1	3. 8 2. 0 4. 6
21	Congenital malformations (750 - 759). M	100.0	13. 1 15. 6 11. 1	11. 1 11. 1 11. 1	25. 3 28. 9 22. 2	17. 2 20. 0 14. 8	22. 2 15. 6 27. 8	6. 1 4. 4 7. 4	2. 0 2. 2 1. 9	3. 0 2. 2 3. 7
22	Certain diseases of early infancy T (760 - 776).	100.0	12. 5 9. 5 15. 8	27. 5 38. 1 15. 8	25. 0 23. 8 26. 3	25. 0 19. 1 31. 6	10, 0 9, 5 10, 5	- - -	- - -	<u>-</u>
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-de T fined conditions (780-795).	100.0	26. 7 27. 4 26. 4	26. 9 32. 3 24. 3	20. 1 20. 6 19. 8	11. 0 9. 0 11. 9	10. 5 8. 0 11. 7	2. 7 1. 6 3. 3	1. 0 0. 1 1. 4	1. 1 1. 0 1. 2
24	Alternative classification of actic cidents, poisonings, and vio-Milence (nature of injury) (N800-FN999).	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	15. 7 15. 7 15. 7	19. 4 23. 9 17. 8	27. 1 29. 5 26. 2	17. 7 15. 9 18. 4	14.0 11.7 14.8	3. 8 2. 4 4. 4	1. 0 0. 5 1. 1	1. 3 0. 4 1. 6
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88) I M F	100,0	15. 6 12. 5 18. 2	13. 1 13. 7 12. 6	34. 2 36. 1 32. 5	26. 7 29. 2 24. 7	9. 6 7. 5 11. 4	0. 5 0. 5 0. 4	0. 1 - 0. 2	0.2 0.5

Less than 0.05.

TABLE 20. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Cause, Sex and Length of Nursing Service, 1957
(Total for each length of nursing service group - 100 per cent)

	( Total for e	on rong.	. 0. 20.	- Mg 501		· .• ·	nursing sei	vice		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	All lengths	1 day	2 - 7 days	8-30 days	1 month and under 3 months	3 months and under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and under 3 years	3 years and over
	All causes T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	100, 0 100, 0 100, 0	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	100.0 100.0 100.0	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	100.0 100.0 100.0
1	Tuberculosis (001 - 019) T M F	0.9 1.1 0.8	0.2 0.5 0.1	0.3 0.3 0.3	0.5 0.7 0.4	0.9 1.0 0.9	2.6 3.2 2.3	2.1 3.2 1.7	1.0 1.9 0.7	0.3 0.7 0.2
2	Other infective and parasitic dis- T eases (020 - 138). M	1.9 2.4 1.7	·1.9 2.4 1.7	3.1 3.4 3.0	2.5 3.1 2.3	1.5 1.9 1.3	0.6 0.7 0.6	0.6 0.8 0.6	0.5 0.9 0.4	0.3 0.4 0.3
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205) T M F	6.8 7.7 6.4	4.9 5.3 4.7	6.3 6.9 6.0	9.0 10.1 8.6	9.4 10.3 9.0	6. 2 7. 3 5. 8	4.0 4.6 3.7	2.0 2.8 1.7	1.3 1.4 1.3
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239) T M F	0.6 0.6 0.6	0.6 0.5 0.6	0.7 0.5 0.8	0.9 1.1 0.8	0.7 0.7 0.7	0.3 0.4 0.3	0.2 0.2 0.2	0.1	0.1 - 0.1
5	Allergic, endocrine system, meta- T bolic, and nutritional diseases, M except diabetes (240 - 254, 270 - F 289).	1. 2 1. 1 1. 3	0.9 1.2 0.7	1.0 1.0 1.0	1.2 0.6 1.4	1.2 1.3 1.2	1.9 1.5 2.0	1.8 2.4 1.6	1.9 2.8 1.6	1.3 0.7 1.4
6	Diabetes (260) T	5. 1 5. 1 5. 2	2.6 2.5 2.7	5.8 4.9 6.2	5.7 6.3 5.4	4.6 5.0 4.5	5.9 5.4 6.1	6.5 5.9 6.7	7.4 9.3 6.8	5.8 9.7 5.0
7	Anaemias and other diseases of T the blood and blood-forming M organs (290-299).	7.3 3.7 8.9	2.5 1.4 3.1	1.2 0.6 1.6	4.8 2.2 5.9	7.5 3.9. 8.9	11.4 6.7 13.2	18.3 10.6 21.3	25. 2 15. 8 28. 2	43.3 35.5 45.1
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and per-T sonality disorders (300-326). M F	0.7 0.4 0.9	0.8 0.7 0.9	0.4 0.2 0.5	0.7 0.3 0.8	0.9 0.2 1.2	0.8 0.3 1.0	0.8 0.3 1.0	0.5	0.5
9	Diseases of the central nervous T system and sense organs (330 - M 352).	6.9 7.2 6.7	4.7 4.2 4.9	4.6 5.0 4.4	5.8 6.2 5.7	7.3 9.1 6.6	10.1 11.4 9.7	11.9 11.6 12.0	12.0 13.5 11.6	12.2 15.1 11.6
10	Other diseases of the central T nervous system and sense M organs (353-398).	1.9 1.9 1.9	1.8 1.7 1.8	2.3 2.3 2.3	2.4 2.5 2.4	1.8 1.8 1.8	1.5 1.2 1.5	1.2 1.3 1.2	0.7 0.5 0.7	1.5 1.4 1.5
11	Rheumatic fever (400 - 402) T M F	0.1	0.1 0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1 0.1 0.1	0.1 0.3 0.1	0.2	= =	= =
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434) T M F	12. 1 16. 1 10. 4	5. 4 6. 8 4. 8	6.3 6.9 6.0	10.7 13.6 9.4	14.7 21.8 11.9	21. 5 32. 2 17. 3	25.3 37.1 20.8	22.8 37.2 18.4	11.4 17.6 10.0

<sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 20. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Cause, Sex and Length of Nursing Service, 1957 — Concluded

(Total for each length of nursing service group - 100 per cent)

					·	Length of 1	nursing se	rvice		
<u>No</u>	Cause and detailed list numbers	All lengths	1 day	2-7 days	8-30 days	1 month and under 3 months	3 months and under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and under 3 years	3 years and over
13	Other diseases of the circulatory T system (440 - 468). MF	3. 1 2. 8 3. 2	2. 2 1. 8 2. 4	2.6 2.3 2.8	2.9 3.1 2.8	3.3 2.7 3.5	3.9 3.9 3.9	4.8 5.2 4.6	5. 1 3. 3 5. 6	3.7 3.2 3.8
14	Diseases of the respiratory sys- T tem (470 - 527).	10.4 12.7 9.4	14.5 16.4 13.6	23. 5 25. 8 22. 2	9.4 10.4 8.9	4.5 6.0 3.9	2. 2 3. 1 1. 9	1. 1 1. 1 1. 1	0.4 0.9 0.3	0.2
15	Diseases of the digestive system T (530 - 587). M	12.3 12.7 12.1	27.8 27.1 28.1	14. 5 13. 3 15. 2	11.5 11.9 11.4	8.0 9.1 7.5	4.5 5.2 4.3	2.0 2.1 2.0	1.8 0.9 2.0	1.1 0.4 1.2
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary T system (590 -637). M F	3. 2 2. 8 3. 3	3.0 2.2 3.4	3.7 2.8 4.1	4. 4 4. 2 4. 6	2.8 2.9 2.8	2.0 2.0 2.1	2.0 1.7 2.1	1.7 1.9 1.6	1.2 0.7 1.3
17	Complications of pregnancy, T childbirth, and the puerperium M (640-652, 670-689).	3. 7 5. 2	0.7	0.9	5.3 7.6	8.7 12.1	5. 5 - 7. 6	<del>-</del>	111	<del>-</del> -
18	Diseases of the skin and cellu- T lar tissue (690 - 716). M F	2. 2 2. 5 2. 1	1.4 2.0 1.2	3.0 2.9 3.0	2.9 3.3 2.8	2. 6 3. 0 2. 4	1.5 1.3 1.6	1.0 0.8 1.1	0.8 - 1.0	0.3
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except T rheumatic fever (720 - 727). M F	2.8 1.3 3.5	1.7 0.6 2.2	1.2 '0.7 1.5	2.0 0.9 2.4	2.9 1.4 3.5	4. 5 2. 1 5. 4	6. 2 3. 5 7. 3	7.5 4.6 8.4	9.2 5.0 10.1
20	Other diseases of the bones and T organs of movement (730-749). M	0.6 0.7 0.6	0.6 0.4 0.7	0.3 0.3 0.3	0.6 0.9 0.5	0.6 0.7 0.6	0.9 1.1 0.8	0.4 0.9 0.2	1.1 0.9 1.2	0.7 0.7 0.7
21	Congenital malformations (750 - T 759).	0.2 0.3 0.2	0.2 0.3 0.1	0.1 0.1 0.1	0.2 0.4 0.2	0.2 0.4 0.2	0.3 0.3 0.3	0.3 0.3 0.2	0.2 0.5 0.1	0.2 0.4 0.2
22	Certain diseases of early infancy T (760 - 776).	0.1 0.1 0.1	0.1 0.1	0.1	0.1 0.2 0.1	0.1 0.2 0.1	0.1 0.1	- - -	- -	. =
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-de-T fined conditions (780-795). M	9.6 10.3 9.2	15. 4 16. 3 15. 0	12.6 14.1 11.8	8.4 9.1 8.0	7.0 6.6 7.2	6. 5 5. 8 6. 7	5. 6 3. 8 6. 2	4.9 0.9 6.1	3.4 5.7 2.9
24	Alternative classification of ac-T cidents, poisonings, and vio-M lence (nature of injury) (N800-F N999).	4.5 3.7 4.9	4.3 3.4 4.7	4.3 3.8 4.6	5.3 4.7 5.6	5. 4 4. 2 5. 8	4. 1 3. 1 4. 5	3.7 2.1 4.3	2.3 1.4 2.6	1.9 0.7 2.1
25	Other admissions (Y00 - Y88) T M F	1.8 2.7 1.4	1.7 2.0 1.6	1.2 1.6 1.0	2. 7 4. 2 2. 0	3. 3 5. 7 2. 3	1.1 1.4 1.0	0.2 0.3 0.1	0.1	0.1 0.7

<sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 21. Number of Cases by Age, Sex and Length of Nursing Service, 1957

•				Le	ength of nu	rsing servi	.ce		
Age	All lengths	1 day	2-7 days	8-30 days	1 month and under 3 months	3 months and under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and under 3 years	·3 years and over
All ages I	14,679	7, 993	9,849	11,083	7, 232	7, 494	2, 268	907	1, 508
M		2, 539	3,460	3,419	2, 065	2, 072	630	215	279
F		5, 454	6,389	7,664	5, 167	5, 422	1, 638	692	1, 229
Under 15 years T	3,392	1,428	2,658	1,585	634	265	33	11	4
N		740	1,348	818	332	121	25	6	2
F		688	1,310	767	302	144	8	5	2
5-24 years 1	312	383	381	380	294	222	7	2	6
N		109	105	46	24	25	1	-	2
F		274	276	334	270	197	6	2	4
25-44 '' T	943	1,045	1, 103	1,577	1,033	871	134	41	83
N		241	244	211	107	91	28	8	13
F		804	859	1,366	926	780	106	33	70
:5-64 '' 1	2,442	1,439	1,718	2,091	1,412	1,404	421	150	341
N		392	462	624	382	401	94	32	55
F		1,047	1,256	1,467	1,030	1,003	327	118	286
55-74 '' T	1 3, 154	1,479	1,709	2,415	1, 672	1,968	703	283	464
M		425	526	744	517	596	201	69	76
F		1,054	1,183	1,671	1, 155	1,372	502	214	388
75 years and over	4,374	2, 151 612 1, 539	2, 246 763 1, 483	2,988 964 2,024	2,158 693 1,465	2,738 832 1,906	965 280 685	418 99 319	606 131 475
Not stated 7	[ 62	68	34	47	29	26	5	2	4
M		20	12	12	10	6	1	1	-
F		48	22	35	19	20	4	1	4

TABLE 22. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Age, Sex and Length of Nursing Service, 1957

				Le	ength of nu	rsing servi	ice		
'Age	All lengths	1 day	2-7 days	8-30 days	1 month and under 3 months	3 months and under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and under 3 years	3 years and over
All ages T	100.0	16.5.	20. 4	22.9	15. 0	15.5	4.7	1.9	3. 1
M	100.0	17.3	23. 6	23.3	14. 1	14.1	4.3	1.4	1. 9
F	100.0	16.2	19. 0	22.8	15. 3	16.1	4.9	2.1	3. 6
Under 15 years T	100.0 100.0 100.0	21.6 21.8 21.3	40.2 39.7 40.6	23.9 24.1 23.8	9.6 9.8 9.4	4.0 3.6 4.5	0.5 0.7 0.2	0.2 0.2 0.1	0.1 0.1
15-24 years T	100.0	22. 9	22.7	22.7	17.5	13.3	0.4	0.1	0.4
M	100.0	34. 9	33.7	14.8	7.7	8.0	0.3	-	0.6
F	100.0	20. 1	20.3	24.5	19.8	14.5	0.4	0.1	0.3
25-44 " T	100.0	17.8	18.7	26. 8	17.5	14.8	2.3	0.7	1.4
M	100.0	25.6	25.9	22. 4	11.3	9.6	3.0	0.8	1.4
F	100.0	16.3	17.4	27. 6	18.7	15.8	2.1	0.7	1.4
45-64 " T	100.0	16.0	19.1	23.3	15.7	15.7	4.7	1.7	3.8
M	100.0	16.1	18.9	25.6	15.6	16.4	3.8	1.3	2.3
F	100.0	16.0	19.2	22.5	15.8	15.3	5.0	1.8	4.4
65-74 '' T	100.0	13.8	16.0	22.6	15.6	18.4	6.6	2.7	4.3
M	100.0	13.5	16.7	23.6	16.4	18.9	6.3	2.2	2.4
F	100.0	14.0	15.7	22.2	15.3	18.2	6.7	2.8	5.1
75 years and over T	100. 0	15. 1	15.7	20.9	15.1	19.2	6.8	2.9	4.3
M	100. 0	14. 0	17.5	22.0	15.8	19.0	6.4	2.3	3.0
F	100. 0	15. 5	15.0	20.5	14.8	19.3	6.9	3.2	4.8

<sup>1</sup> Less than 0.05.

TABLE 23. Number and Percentage of Cases and Visits for Persons Admitted after Hospitalization, by Cause and Sex, 1957

			Cas	ses	Vis	its
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers		Number	Per cent of total cases for each cause <sup>1</sup>	Number	Per cent of total visits for each cause <sup>2</sup>
	All causes	T M F	15,527 4,960 10,567	32.1 33.8 31.4	321, 911 105, 351 216, 560	40.4 47.4 37.7
1	Tuberculosis (001-019)	T M F	284 99 185	67.5 61.5 71.2	9,469 2,933 6,536	69.7 62.8 73.2
2	Other infective and parasitic diseases (020-138)	T M F	120 38 82	13.1 11.0 14.3	1,744 623 1,121	29.4 34.1 27.3
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205)	T M F	2,157 737 1,420	65.6 65.6 65.6	42.543 13,347 29,196	71.9 73.2 71.3
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239)	T M F	215 63 152	72.6 67.7 74.9	2.319 736 1.583	80.5 77.1 82.3
5	Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic, and nutritional diseases, except diabetes (240-254, 270-289).	T M F	130 37 93	21.6 22.2 21.4	2,836 778 2,058	25. 2 36. 6 22. 5
6	Diabetes (260)	T M F	1,050 347 703	42.3 46.5 40.5	56.868 17.652 39,216	47.6 49.9 46.6
7	Anaemias and other diseases of the blood and blood- forming organs (290-299).	T M F	621 129 492	17.5 23.5 16.4	15,559 2,840 12,719	20.1 25.1 19.3
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and personality disorders (300-326).	T M F	71 11 60	20.8 21.6 20.7	1,456 464 992	25. 4 55. 6 20. 2
9	Diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (330-352).	T M F	892 309 583	26.8 29.1 25.7	32,225 9,824 22,401	32.1 34.8 31.0
0	Other diseases of the central nervous system and sense organs (353-398).	T M F	221 77 144	23.7 27.5 22.1	5,068 2,100 2,968	38.4 52.8 32.2
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402)	T M F	5 2 3	18.5 13.3 25.0	26 18 8	15.4 18.8 11.0
l <b>2</b>	Diseases of the heart (410-434)	T M F	2,180 1,027 1,153	37.2 43.6 32.9	51,303 23,390 27,913	39.3 45.3 35.4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Table 8 for total cases by cause.

TABLE 23. Number and Percentage of Cases and Visits for Persons Admitted after Hospitalization, by Cause and Sex, 1957 — Concluded

		Cas	ses	Vis	its
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	Number	Percentage of total cases for each cause <sup>1</sup>	Number	Percentage of total visits for each cause <sup>2</sup>
13	Other diseases of the circulatory system (440-468) T  M F	434 143 291	29.1 34.5 27.0	9,601 3,793 5,808	28.5 40.9 23.7
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527) T  M F	378 167 211	7.5 9.0 6.7	4,350 1,867 2,483	20.7 23.8 18.9
15	Diseases of the digestive system (530-587) T  M F	1,618 574 1,044	27.3 30.7 25.7	16,832 6,104 10,728	51.4 62.1 46.8
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary system (590-637) T M F	933 300 <b>6</b> 33	61.0 73.0 56.6	13,309 5,345 7,964	68.3 83.8 60.8
17	Complications of pregnancy, childbirth, and the puer- T perium (640-652, 670-689).	1,457 1,457	82.6 82.6	6, 892 6, 892	65.3 - 65.3
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue (690-716) T M F	373 127 246	34.9 35.4 34.7	6,173 1,613 4,560	43.7 41.8 44.4
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except rheumatic fever (720- T 727). M F	244 54 190	17.9 28.9 16.2	8.545 2.720 5.825	21.7 46.8 17.4
<del>20</del> -	Other diseases of the bones and organs of movement T (730-749). M F	144 57 87	49.3 58.2 44.8	3,251 1,095 2,156	49.6 49.3 49.8
21	Congenital malformations (750-759) T M F	54 28 26	54.5 62.2 48.1	589 247 342	40.1 65.9 31.2
22	Certain diseases of early infancy (760-776) T  M F	10 7 3	25.0 33.3 15.8	41 24 17	22.4 34.8 14.9
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-defined conditions (780-795) T  M  F	431 136 295	9.3 9.0 9.5	5,905 1,668 4,237	15.6 19.2 14.5
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poisonings, and T violence (nature of injury) (N800-N999).  M F	1,029 262 767	47.2 47.8 47.0	21,075 4,307 16,768	62.2 70.0 60.5
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88) T M F	476 229 2 <b>47</b>	53.8 57.1 51.1	3,932 1,363 2,069	69.2 71.8 67.0

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See Table 11 for total visits by cause.

TABLE 24. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex and Occupational Status, 1957

	•		Not gainfully occupied						
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	Total cases	Under 14 years	Retired or voluntarily idle	House- wife	Student	Other	Gainfully occupied	Not stated
	All causes T M F	48,334 14,679 33,655	6,598 3,379 3,219	19,485 7,464 12,021	15, 819 15, 819	274 134 140	1,282 688 594	4,783 2,948 1,835	93 66 27
1	Tuberculosis (001-019) T M F	421 161 260	21 9 12	55 32 23	169 169	6 1 5	48 33 15	119 85 34	3 1 2
2	Other infective and parasitic dis- T eases (020-138). M	918 346 572	455 228 227	150 54 96	188 	7- 2 5	25 12 13	91 48 43	2 2 -
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205) Т М F	1,123	20 9 11	1,457 716 741	1, 255 - 1, 255	2 2 -	131 79 52	411 307 104	10 10 —
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239) T M F	296 93 203	14 9 5	64 27 37	129 129	1 -1	16 10 6	71 47 24	i 1
5	Allergic, endocrine system, meta-T bolic, and nutritional diseases, M except diabetes (240-254, 270-F 289).	602 167 435	98 52 46	176 70 106	235  235	7 5 2	24 11 13	60 28 32	2 1 1
. <b>6</b>	Diabetes (260) T M F		49 29 20	1, 166 492 674	953 - 953	7 5 2	79 45 34	223 171 52	6 5 1
7	Anaemias and other diseases of T the blood and blood-forming M organs (290-299).	3,547 549 2,998	22 9 13	1,712 411 1,301	1,544  1,544	3 1 2	37 18 19	227 108 119	2 2 -
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and per- T sonality disorders (300-326). M F		5 4 1	93 21 72	163 163	1 -	40 12 28	39 14 25	- - -
9	Diseases of the central nervous T system and sense organs (330- M 352).	3,329 1,061 2,268	14 9 5	2,013 - 808- 1,205	894 - 894	8 3 5	217 103 114	177 135 42	6 3 3
10	Other diseases of the central T nervous system and sense M organs (353-398).		220 114 106	275 90 185	285 - 285	5 2 3	32 11 21	111 60 51	4 3 1
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402) T  M F	15	14 8 6	= -	3	3 3	1 - 1	6 4 2	- -
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434) T	2,357	9 2 7	3,652 1,878 1,774	1,605 - 1,605	3 - 3	168 122 46	421 349 72	7 6 1

TABLE 24. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex and Occupational Status, 1957 — Concluded

				Not gain	fully occu	pied			
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	Total cases	Under 14 years	Retired or voluntarily idle	House- wife	Student	Other	Gainfully occupied	Not stated
13	Other diseases of the circulatory T system (440-468).	1,493 415 1,078	17 7 10	860 305 555	470  470	1 - 1	31 18 13	112 83 29	2 2 -
14	Diseases of the respiratory sys- T tem (470-527). M	5,028 1,860 3,168	1, 955 978 977	910 364 546	1, 200  1, 200	104 58 46	70 40 30	775 408 367	14 12 2
15	Diseases of the digestive system T (530-587). MF	5,925 1,868 4,057	852 426 426	2,359 883 1,476	1,795 1,795	32 7 25	109 61 48	762 480 282	16 11 5
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary T system (590-637). M F	1,530 411 1,119	136 105 31	435 208 227	745 - 745	12 3 9	20 6 14	181 88 93	1 1 -
17	Complications of pregnancy, T childbirth, and the puerperium M (640-652, 670-689).	1,764 1,764	_ _ _	Į. I	1, 723 1, 723	- - -	6 - 6	34 — 34	1 - 1
	Diseases of the skin and cellu- T lar tissue (690-716).	1,068 359 709	216 110 106	314 125 189	343 343	6 2 4	42 30 12	143 90 53	4 2 2
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except T rheumatic fever (720-727). M F	1,360 187 1,173	4 2 2	746 133 613	475 - 475	3 1 2	64 20 44	67 31 36	1 - 1
20	Other diseases of the bones and T organs of movement (730-749). M F	292 98 194	30 18 12_	92 31 61	99 — — 99	6 5 1	15 8 7	46 33 13	4 3 1
21	Congenital malformations (750-T 759). M F	99 45 54	75 40 35	5 2 3	9 - 9	1 - 1	4 1 3	5 2 3	· =
22	Certain diseases of early infancy T (760-776). M F	40 21 19	40 21 19	1 + 1	-		<u>-</u>	- - -	=
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-de- T fined conditions (780-795). M F	4,625 1,516 3,109	1,223 633 590	1,981 604 1,377	884 — 884	38 22 16	58 27 31	436 229 207	5 1 4
24	Alternative classification of ac-T cidents, poisonings, and vio-M lence (nature of injury) (N800-F N999).	2, 179 548 1, 631	329 187 142	936 199 737	614 - 614	18 12 6	37 16 21	243 133 110	2 1 1
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88) T M F	884 401 483	780 370 410	34 11 23	39  39	-	. 8 5 3	23 15 8	=

TABLE 25. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex, Marital Status and Age, 1957

					Sin	gle		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	Total cases	Total	Under 25	25-44	45-64	65 and. over	Not stated
	All causes T M F	48, 334 14, 679 33, 655	10, 844 4, 678 6, 166	7,317 3,654 3,663	668 213 455	880 303 577	1, 943 499 1, 444	36 9 27
1	Tuberculosis (001-019) T M F	421 161 260	90 39 51	42 18 24	32 13 19	8 5 3	7 3 4	1 - 1
2	Other infective and parasitic dis- T eases (020-138). M F	918 346 572	532 258 274	476 236 240	22 8 14	15 7 8	19 7 12	
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205) T M F	3, 286 1, 123 2, 163	258 82 176	28 14 14	26 8 18	87 22 65	117 38 79	
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239) T M F	296 93 203	62 30 32	29 17 12	10 7 3	10 3 7	13 3 10	- -
. 5	Allergic, endocrine system, meta- T bolic, and nutritional diseases, M except diabetes (240-254, 270- F 289).	602 167 435	158 69 89	110 57 53	15 3 12	15 4 11	18 5 13	-
6	Diabetes (260) T M F	2, 483 747 1,736	232 116 116	72 40 32	22 13 9	45 25 20	90 38 52	3 -3
7	Anaemias and other diseases of T the blood and blood-forming M organs (290-299).	3, 547 549 2, 998	320 55 265	32 11 21	25 3 22	59 13 46	203 28 175	1 -1
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and per-T sonality disorders (300-326). M F	341 ·51 290	72 17 55	14 7 7	22 4 18	19 2 17	17 4 13	- - -
9	Diseases of the central nervous T system and sense organs (330- M 352).	3, 329 1, 061 2, 268	335 100 235	40 14 26	74 25 49	69 23 46	150 37 113	2 1 1
10	Other diseases of the central T nervous system and sense M organs (353-398).	932 280 652	298 135 163	235 122 113	17 3 14	15 5 10	28 4 24	3 1 2
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402) T M F	27 15 12	21 12 9	21 12 9	<u>-</u>	<del>-</del> -	=	=
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434) T M F	5, 865 2, 357 3, 508	439 199 240	13 3 10	19 11 8	128 66 62	276 118 158	3 1 2

TABLE 25. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex, Marital Status and Age, 1957

-		Marı	ried				_	Ot	hers			
tal	Under 25	25-44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated	Total	Under 25	· 25-44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated	N
,545 ,260 ,285	957 49 908	4, 885 691 4, 194	6, 190 1, 924 4, 266	10,387 4,559 5,828	126 37 89	14, 945 2, 741 12, 204	19 1 18	334 39 295	1, 906 215 1, 691	12, 633 2, 470 10, 163	53 16 37	
277 111 166	16 1 15	159 44 115	74 43 31	27 22 5	1 1 -	54 11 43	- - -	16 3 13	21 6 15	17 2 15	-	
246 71 175	12 1 11	100 22 78	59 18 41	74 30 44	1 1	140 17 123	- - -	3 - 3	27 1 26	109 16 93	1 - 1	
,001 816 ,185	5 - 5	222 42 180	884 296 588	876 472 404	14 6 8	1,027 225 802	=	18 1 17	215 29 186	791 194 597	3 1 2	
187 53 134	11 1 10	78 17 61	56 20 36	42 15 27	_ _ _	47 10 37	=======================================	4 - 4	8 1 7	34 8 26	1 1 -	
285 67 218	8 2 6	70 7 63	101 22 79	100 35 65	6 1 5	159 31 128	= =	7 1 6	33 4 29	119 26 93	- -	
, 228 439 789	3 2 1	58 22 36	432 135 297	726 276 450	9 4 5	1,023 192 831	_ _ _	11 2 9	164 18 146	845 172 673	3 -3	
, 588 330 , 258	18	249 13 236	420 61 359	900 255 645	1 -	1,639 164 1,475	1 -1	21 4 17	155 6 149	1,456 152 1,304	6 2 4	
180 26 154	6 - 6	64 5 59	58 10 48	51 11 40	1 - 1	89 8 81	<u>-</u>	9 -9	23 3 20	56 5 51	1	1
.852 734 ,118	9 1 8	184 32 152	458 151 307	1, 195 547 648	6 3 3	1, 142 227 915	_ _ _	22 5 17	152 16 136	961 205 756	7 16	
414 115 299	8 1 7	91 13 78	147 38 109	164 62 102	4 1 3	220 30 190	. =	6 2 4	26 3 23	187 25 162	1 - 1	,
4 2 2	=======================================	3 2 1	1 -1	- -	= =	2 1 1	_ _ _	1 -1	1 1 -	_ 	=	
,002 ,529 ,473	4 -4	137 37 100	811 361 450	2,037 1,125 912	13 6 7	2, 424 629 1, 795	- - -	10 2 8	239 51 188	2, 170 573 1, 597	5 3 2	

TABLE 25. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex, Marital Status and Age, 1957 - Concluded

		m-1-1			Sing	gle		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	Total cases	Total	Under 25	25-44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated
13	Other diseases of the circulatory T system (440-468). M F	1,493 415 1,078	128 32 96	19 8 11	11 4 7	24 11 13	73 9 64	-1 -1
14	Diseases of the respiratory sys- T tem (470-527). MF	5, 028 1, 860 3, 168	2, 452 1, 153 1, 299	2,168 1,069 1,099	103 32 71	81 29 52	94 21 73	6 2 4
15	Diseases of the digestive system T (530-587). M	5, 925 1, 868 4, 057	1,436 587 849	960 453 507	76 16 60	117 40 77	277 75 202	6 3 3
16	Diseases of the genito-urinary T system (590-637). M	1,530 411 1,119	249 129 120	164 111 53	25 4 21	26 4 22	34 10 24	-
17	Complications of pregnancy, T childbirth, and the puerperium M (640-652, 670-689).	1,764 1,764	13 13	10 — 10	_2 	Ξ	- -	1 1
18	Diseases of the skin and cellu- T lar tissue (690-716). M F	1,068 359 709	341 156 185	236 118 118	25 12 13	25 10 15	54 16 38	_1 _1
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except T rheumatic fever (720-727). M	1,360 187 1,173	157 31 126	11 5 6	17 8 9	40 6 34	88 12 76	1 - 1
20	Other diseases of the bones and T organs of movement (730-749). M	292 98 194	79 38 41	41 26 15	14 4 10	11 7 .4	13 1 12	Ξ
21	Congenital malformations (750- T 759). MF	99 45 54	83 41 42	79 41 38	_2 		<u>-</u>	Ξ
22	Certain diseases of early infancy T (760-776). M	40 21 19	40 21 19	40 21 19	<del>-</del>	-	1 1 1	=
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-de- T fined conditions (780-795). M	4,625 1,516 3,109	1,687 758 929	1.322 669 653	64 20 44	49 12 37	248 57 191	· 4
24	Alternative classification of acticidents, poisonings, and vio-M lence(nature of injury) (N800-F N999).	2, 179 - 548 1, 631	567 249 318	374 212 162	41 15 26	32 9 23	117 12 105	3 1 2
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88) T	884 401 483	795 371 424	781 370 411	_4 _4	3 - 3	7 1 6	<u>-</u>

TABLE 25. Number of Cases by Cause, Sex, Marital Status and Age, 1957 - Concluded

	_		ers	Oth					led	Marri	•	
	Not state	65 and over	45-64	25-44	Under 25	Total	Not stated	65 and over	45-64	25-44	Under 25	Total
2 1 1 1		568 113 455	64 4 60	4		638 118 520	3 1 2	449 181 268	195 67 128	73 15 58	7 1 6	727 265 462
1 1	-	611 132 479	158 26 132	52 4 48	6 - 6	828 162 666	8 2 6	541 239 302	479 149 330	607 141 466	113 14 99	1,748 545 1,203
8 4 4		1,584 333 1,251	210 22 188	38 3 35	111	1,840 362 1,478	15 3 12	1, 201 552 649	817 260 557	512 96 416	104 8 96	2,649 919 1,730
_  ; -  ;	i -	260 57 203	58 3 55	24 - 24	111	342 60 282	_2 	281 157 124	279 48 231	319 16 303	58 1 57	939 222 717
_   - -	-	Ξ	111	6	7 - 7	13 - 13	18 - 18	=	3 - 3	1, 234 1, 234	483  483	1,738
1 1	-	213 62 151	46 4 42	13 5 8	1 -	273 71 202	3 1 2	162 56 106	153 45 108	125 29 96	11 1 10	454 132 322
2 -2		515 50 465	94 3 91	12	= =	623 53 570	5 1 4	363 72 291	172 25 147	39 5 34	1 - 1	580 103 477
- -	-	54 3 51	16 4 12	3	- - -	73 7 66	2 2	46 19 27	55 19 36	37 13 24	1 1 1	.140 53 87
-	'	3 1 2	- 1	1 1	<u>-</u>	5 1 . 4		4 3 1	2 - 2	4 - 4	1	11 3 8
- - -	:	=	= ,	-	= =	· =	=	- -		<del>-</del> 		= =
4 1 3		1, 402 265 1, 137	105 7 98	31 2 29	3 1 2	1,545 276 1,269	6 - 6	698 303 395	300 96 204	328 72 256	61 11 50	1,393 482 911
7 2 5	1	655 73 582	88 3 85	19 4 15	1 -1	770 82 688	8 4 4	442 123 319	226 54 172	152 32 120	14 4 10	842 21 7 625
<u>-</u>		23 3 20	2 - 2	3 1 2	1 - 1	29 4 25	-	8 4 4	8. 6 2	40 16 24	4 -4	60 26 34

TABLE 26. Number of Visits by Cause, Sex, Marital Status and Age, 1957

					Sin	gle		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	Total visits	Total	Under 25	25 - 44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated
	All causes T M F	796, 376 222, 404 573, 972	96,143 33,787 62,356	29, 112 14, 182 14, 930	11,387 3,278 8,109	17, 760 6, 931 10, 829	37, 452 9, 358 28, 094	432 38 394
1	Tuberculosis (001-019) T M F	13, 595 4, 670 8, 925	2, 246 871 1, 375	780 306 474	926 352 574	279 199 80	119 14 105	142 - 142
2	Other infective and parasitic dis- T eases (020-138).	5,935 1,829 4,106	2,024 970 1,054	1,603 759 844	120 31 89	178 131 47	123 49 74	<u>-</u> -
3	Malignant neoplasms (140-205) T M F	59, 185 18, 245 40, 940	5,055 1,710 3,345	466 245 221	1,047 445 602	1,218 401 817	2, 324 619 1, 705	<u>-</u> -
4	Benign neoplasms (210-239) T M F	2, 879 955 1, 924	383 190 193	183 85 98	65 53 12	37 15 22	98 37 61	<del>-</del>
5	Allergic, endocrine system, meta-T bolic, and nutritional diseases, M except diabetes (240 - 254, 270 - F 289).	11, 260 2, 124 9, 136	1,818 695 1,123	1, 100 553 547	163 11 152	178 8 170	377 123 254	=
6	Diabetes (260) T M F	119,519 35,355 84,164	10,745 4,815 5,930	1.736 621 1.115	689 329 360	3,337 2,104 1,233	4,977 1,761 3,216	6 6
7	Anaemias and other diseases of T the blood and blood-forming M organs (290-299). F	77, 291 11, 327 65, 964	7,089 1,199 5,890	335 118 217	521 39 482	1,382 346 1,036	4, 849 696 4, 153	2 - 2
8	Mental, psychoneurotic, and per-T sonality disorders (300-326). M F	5,739 834 4,905	1, 186 194 992	235 164 71	536 6 530	190 3 187	225 21 204	=
9	Diseases of the central nervous T system and sense organs (330-M 352).	100,528 28,216 72,312	9,111 2,018 7,093	553 96 457	2, 706 620 2, 086	2,451 625 1,826	3,331 670 2,661	70 7 63
10	Other diseases of the central T nervous system and sense M organs (353-398).	13, 187 3, 981 9, 206	2,641 953 1,688	1, 147 771 376	270 62 208	236 58 178	980 60 920	8 2 6
11	Rheumatic fever (400-402) T M F	169 96 73	128 84 44	128 84 44	=	=	= =	=======================================
12	Diseases of the heart (410-434) T M F	130,539 51,688 78,851	9,106 4,344 4,762	99 13 86	563 118 445	2,530 1,266 1,264	5, 894 2, 933 2, 961	20 14 6

TABLE 26. Number of Visits by Cause, Sex, Marital Status and Age, 1957

		Mar	ried				-	01	hers			
Total	Under 25	25 - 44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated	Total	Under 25	25-44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated	No.
399,742 129,862 269,880	5,862 208 5,654	52,480 7,370 45,110	114,530 33,679 80,851	225, 281 88, 127 137, 154	1,589 478 1,111	300, 491 58, 755 241, 736	132 1 131	4, 531 572 3, 959	39, 522 4, 610 34, 912	255, 529 53, 378 202, 151	777 194 583	
9,613 3,572 6,041	573 38 535	5,742 1,326 4,416	2,518 1,551 967	775 652 123	5 5 —	1, 736 227 1, 509	=======================================	506 56 450	707 108 599	523 63 460	= =	1
2,166 658 1,508	22 1 21	893 153 740	462 85 377	788 419 369	1 1	1,745 201 1,544	- -	196 196	281 13 268	1,267 188 1,079	1 1	2
36,030 12,437 23,593	202 202	3,942 568 3,374	16, 121 4,572 11,549	15, 619 7, 221 8, 398	146 76 70	18, 100 4, 098 14, 002	-	195 2 193	3,826 656 3,170	14,066 3,438 10,628	13 2 11	3
2,052 682 1,370	96 5 91	878 270 608	566 216 350	512 191 321	=	444 83 361		38 - 38	70 2 68	334 79 255	2 2 -	4
5,939 1,070 4,869	65 5 60	1,479 100 1,379	2,385 331 2,054	1, 938 589 1, 349	72 45 27	3,503 359 3,144	<u>-</u>	147 1 146	720 92 628	2,636 266 2,370	=======================================	5
55, 345 15,659 39,686	17 12 5	1,812 732 1,080	13, 560 2, 705 10, 855	39; 751 12, 204 27, 547	205 6 199	53,429 14,881 38,548	=	147 9 138	8,710 929 7,781	44, 280 13, 943 30, 337	292  292	6
35,029 7,042 27,987	232 	4,436 211 4,225	8, 914 1, 347 7, 567	21,446 5,483 15,963	1 1	35, 173 3, 086 32, 087	28 	455 107 348	2,877 172 2,705	31,744 2,805 28,939	69 2 67	7
3,341 609 2,732	63  63	850 25 825	1, 167 387 780	1, 257 197 1, 060	4 - 4	1, 212 31 1, 181	=	94  94	366 3 363	731 28 703	21 	8
61, 100 21, 278 39, 822	184 30 154	6,894 807 6,087	17,836 4,920 12,916	35,865 15,453 20,412	321 68 253	30,317 4,920 25,397	-	1,092 298 794	5,066 721 4,345	24, 110 3, 899 20, 211	49 2 47	9
6,668 2,548 4,120	60 4 56	1, 073 189 884	2,965 1,309 1,656	2,520 1,027 1,493	50 19 31	3,878 480 3,398	<u>.</u>	17 7 10	297 22 275	3,553 451 3,102	11 11	10
30 8 22	=	27 8 19	3 - 3	- - -	=	11 4 7	111	7 -7	4 4 -	- -	_ 	11
65, 351 32, 752 32, 599	109 — 109	2, 281 468 1, 813	18, 132 8, 063 10, 069	44,379 24,045 20,334	450 176 274	56.082 14,592 41,490	1 1 1	178 9 169	5,990 859 5,131	49,771 13,620 36,151	143 104 39	12

TABLE 26. Number of Visits by Cause, Sex, Marital Status and Age, 1957 - Concluded

					Sin	gle		
No.	Cause and detailed list numbers	Total visits	Total	Under 25	25-44	45-64	65 and over	Not stated
13	Other diseases of the circulatory of system (440-468).	4 9, 267	2,792 756 2,036	66 21 45	193 22 171	571 474 97	1,959 239 1,720	3 -3
14	Diseases of the respiratory system (470-527).	И 7,852	7,592 3,360 4,232	5,811 2,908 2,903	440 141 299	547 99 448	774 202 572	20 10 10
15	Diseases of the digestive system 7 (530 - 587).		4, 693 1, 974 2, 719	2,353 1,214 1,139	244 30 214	830 275 555	1,259 451 808	7 4 3
16		19,473 6,380 13,093	1, 720 590 1, 130	631 452 179	246 · 18 228	503 - 36 467	340 84 256	· =
17	Complications of pregnancy, 7 childbirth, and the puerperium M (640-652, 670-689).		138 138	60 60	45  45	=	- - -	33 - 33
18	Diseases of the skin and cellular tissue (690-716).	4 3,857	3,091 1,263 1,828	1,076 622 454	229 75 154	494 298 196	1,290 268 1,022	_2 
19	Arthritis and rheumatism, except 7 rheumatic fever (720 - 727).	4 5,808	5, 342 1, 349 3, 993	310 125 185	1,366 715 651	1,663 215 1,448	1,957 294 1,663	46 - 46
20	Other diseases of the bones and 7 organs of movement (730-749). If	6,554 2,221 4,333	1,570 821 749	652 448 204	342 65 277	436 296 140	140 12 128	= =
21	Congenital malformations (750-759).	1 375	1, 212 269 943	1,021 269 752	49 - 49	142 142	111	-
22	Certain diseases of early infancy 7 (760-776).	A 69	183 69 114	183 69 114	_ _ _	-	1	=
23	Symptoms, senility, and ill-de-7 fined conditions (780-795).	4 8,681	6,675 2,074 4,601	2,904 1,461 1,443	187 41 146	181 19 162	3,380 553 2,827	23 
24	Alternative classification of accidents, poisonings, and vio a lence (nature of injury) (N800- 1 N999).	6.155	5, 491 1, 403 4; 088	1,865 981 884	299 105 194	248 63 185	3,029 253 2,776	50 1 49
25	Other admissions (Y00-Y88) 7	1 2,594	4, 112 1, 816 2, 296	3,815 1,797 2,018	141 - 141	129 129	27 19 8	=

TABLE 26. Number of Visits by Cause, Sex, Marital Status and Age, 1957 - Concluded

_			hers	Ot		-			ried	Marı		
No	Not stated	65 and over	45 - 64	25 - 44	Under 25	Total	Not stated	65 and over	45 - 64	25 - 44	Under 25	Total
	58 6 52	12,978 2,433 10,545	1, 577 11 1, 566	41 41	1 1 1	14,654 2,450 12,204	37 9 28	11,376 4,313 7,063	4, 163 1,535 2,628	688 203 485	30 1 29	16, 294 6, 061 10, 233
	4 -4	3,960 1,126 2,834	1, 015 432 583	172 <sup>.</sup> 8 164	22 - 22	5, 173 1, 566 3, 607	15 3 12	3,576 1,498 2,078	2, 218 1, 014 1, 204	2,036 382 1,654	360 29 331	8, 205 2, 926 5, 279
	72 67 5	8,727 1,486 7,241	1,239 201 1,038	230 7 223	111	10, 268 1, 761 8, 507	67 34 33	8,049 3,246 4,803	6, 522 2, 224 4, 298	2, 751 539 2, 212	401 47 354	17.790 6.090 11.700
16	=	6, 130 2, 060 4, 070	757 87 670	245 — 245	1	7, 132 2, 147 4, 985	11 11	4,551 2,871 1,680	3, 178 670 2, 508	2, 483 95 2, 388	398 7 391	10,621 3,643 6,978
17	_ _ _	1 -		42 - 42	25 - 25	67 67	39 - 39	<del>-</del> -	9 + 9	7,582 7,582	2,724	10,354
18	16 16	3,845 1,058 2,787	687 10 677	74 28 46	111	4,622 1,096 3,526	7 5 2	1, 927 588 1, 339	2,650 695 1,.955	1,735 205 1,530	90 5 85	6,409 1,498 4,911
19	- 2	13, 433 2, 030 11, 403	3,560 49 3,511	248  248	<del>-</del>	17,243 2,079 15,164	62 1 61	10,675 1,779 8,896	5,416 579 4,837	640 , 21 619	2 - 2	16,795 2,380 14,415
20	<u>-</u> _	1,304 33 1,271	188 69 119	91 91	_ _ _	1,583 102 1,481	25 25 —	1, 730 825 905	1,093 241 852	553 207 346	-	3,401 1,298 2,103
21	- - -	99 44 55	16 16	_2 _2	=	117 44 73		68 62 6	13 - 13	55 - 55	5 - 5	141 62 79
22	=	<del>-</del> -		 	<u>-</u>	- - -	- - -	- - -	- -	- - -	1 1	-
23	11 7 4	18,884 3,061 15,823	416 13 403	84 2 82	7 1 6	19,402 3,084 16,318	22 - 22	8,287 2,878 5,409	1,802 461 1,341	1,444 164 1,280	170 20 150	11,725 3,523 8,202
24	13 2 11	13,089 1,256 11,833	1,020 157 863	186 35 151	49 - 49	14, 357 1, 450 12, 907	49 5 44	9,968 2,423 7,545	2,624 571 2,053	1, 327 299 1, 028	46 4 42	14,014 3,302 10,712
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TABLE 27. Percentage Distribution of Cases by Marital Status, Sex and Age<sup>1</sup>, 1957

Marital status	AW		Age		
mailtai Status	ages	Under 25	25-44	45-64	65 and over
TotalT  M F	100, 0	17. 2	12. 2	18. 6 <sup>.</sup>	51. 6
	100, 0	25. 2	6. 4	16. 7	51. 3
	100, 0	13. 6	14. 7	19. 4	51. 8
Single T	100. 0	67. 5	6. 2	8. 1	17. 9
	100. 0	78. 1	4. 5	6. 5	10. 7
	100. 0	59. 4	7. 4	9. 4	23. 4
Married T M F	100.0	4, 2	21. 7	27. 4	46. 1
	100.0	0: 7	9. 5	26. 5	62. 8
	100.0	6. 0	27. 4	27. 9	38. 1
Others T M F	100. 0 100. 0 100. 0	0.1 0.1	2. 2 1. 4 2. 4	12. 8 7. 9 13. 9	84.5 90.1 83.3

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  Excluding cases where age was not stated.  $^{2}$  Less than 0.05.

TABLE 28. Percentage Distribution of Visits by Marital Status, Sex and Age<sup>1</sup>, 1957

Newstern	All	Age			
Marital status	ages	Under 25	25-44	45-64	65 and over
Total T	100. 0	4. 4	8. 6	21. 6	65. 1
	100. 0	6. 5	5. 1	20. 3	67. 8
	100. 0	3. 6	10. 0	22. 0	64. 0
Single T M F	100.0	30. 3	11.8	18.5	39. 0
	100.0	42. 0	9.7	20.5	27. 7
	100.0	23. 9	13.0	17.4	45. 1
Married T	100.0	1.5	13. 1	28.6	56. 4
	100.0	0.1	5. 7	25.9	67. 9
	100.0	2.1	16. 7	30.0	50. 8
Others T M F	100.0 100.0 100.0	2 0.1	1.5 1.0 1.6	13. 2 7. 8 14. 5	85. 0 90. 9 83. 6

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$  Excluding visits to cases where age was not stated.  $^{2}$  Less than 0.05.

TABLE 29. Average Visits per Case by Marital Status, Sex and Age<sup>1</sup> During the Year 1957

Mariba Lababar	All	Age			
Marital status	ages	Under 25	25-44	45-64	65 and over
Total T	16.5	4. 2	11. 6	19. 1	20. 8
	15.2	3. 9	11. 9	18. 5	20. 0
	17.1	4. 5	11. 6	19. 4	21. 1
Single T	8.9	4.0	17. 0	20. 2	19. 3
	7.2	3.9	15. 4	22. 9	18. 8
	10.1	4.1	17. 8	18. 8	19. 5
Married T M M F	17.7	6. 1	10. 7	18.5	21. 7
	17.9	4. 2	10. 7	17.5	19. 3
	17.7	6. 2	10. 8	19.0	23. 5
Others T M F	20. 1	6.9	13. 6	20.7	20. 2
	21. 4	1.0	14. 7	21.4	21. 6
	19. 8	7.3	13. 4	20.6	19. 9

<sup>1</sup> Excluding cases where age was not stated.

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