

6.—Movement of Patient Population in Mental Hospitals of Canada, by Provinces, 1932—concluded.

Item.	Manitoba.	Sas- katche- wan.	Alberta.	British Colum- bia.	Canada.
	No. 3 ¹	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5 ⁶
Institutions reporting:					
Normal capacities	2,217	2,450	1,875	2,685	32,910
Patients at Jan. 1:					
Insane	1,850	1,940	1,476	2,397	27,093
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	435	425	238	376	5,880
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	—	43	—	406
Totals, Patients	2,285	2,365	1,757	2,773	33,359
ADMISSIONS:—					
First admissions:					
Insane	153	428	381	408	6,224
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	56	32	42	51	988
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	—	2	—	93
Totals	209	460	425	549	7,307
Readmissions:					
Insane	193	160	91	137	1,700
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	3	6	4	9	91
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	—	—	—	5
Totals	196	166	95	146	1,886
Transfers:					
Insane	—	—	117	—	479
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	1	—	10	—	109
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	—	—	—	9
Totals	1	—	127	—	597
Totals, Admissions:					
Insane	346	588	589	635	8,493
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	60	38	56	60	1,190
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	—	2	—	107
Grand Totals	406	626	647	695	9,790
SEPARATIONS:—					
Discharges:					
Insane	119	266	296	348	4,710
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	21	12	18	17	208
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	—	1	—	30
Totals	140	278	315	365	4,948
Transfers:					
Insane	—	—	120	—	494
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	1	—	6	—	112
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	—	1	—	1
Totals	1	—	127	—	597
Deaths:					
Insane	121	139	68	176	2,090
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	12	13	7	16	204
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	2	4	—	31
Totals	133	15	79	192	2,325
Totals, Separations:					
Insane	240	405	484	524	7,294
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	34	25	31	33	514
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	—	6	—	62
Grand Totals	274	430	521	557	7,870
PATIENTS AT DEC. 31:—					
Insane	1,956	2,123	1,581	2,508	28,292
Mental deficient (without psychosis)	461	438	263	403	6,538
Epileptics (without psychosis)	—	—	39	—	451
Totals, Patients	2,417	2,561	1,883	2,911	35,279

¹The Halifax City Home, Halifax, N.S., and the Manitoba Psychopathic Hospital, Winnipeg, Man., did not report.

Subsection 3.—Child-Caring Institutions, Refuges for Adults, Homes for Incurables, etc.¹

Although homes for incurables supply maintenance, nursing, medical and surgical aid to persons suffering from chronic and incurable diseases, the nature of the services given is such as to call for a special tabulation. Many hospitals for incurables care not only for those suffering from incurable diseases but also for the aged and indigent, and some even take care of orphans of both sexes.

¹For census material on child-caring institutions, day nurseries and refuges for adults, see 1932 Year Book, pp. 893-895.