

The statistics of Table 5 are rendered more complicated than is desirable because of lack of uniformity in the method of reporting patients and treatments. The majority of hospitals report both patients and treatments, but a considerable number report either patients or treatments, but not both.

**5.—Out-Patient Departments of Public Hospitals, by Provinces, 1939**

NOTE.—Figures of tuberculosis sanatoria and government and municipal clinics held in hospitals are not included.

Province	Total Out-Patient Departments	Reporting Both Patients and Treatments			Reporting Patients Only		Reporting Treatments Only	
		No.	Patients	Treatments	No.	Patients	No.	Treatments
Prince Edward Island...	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Nova Scotia.....	1 <sup>1</sup>	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
New Brunswick.....	2 <sup>1</sup>	1	1,402	3,262	"	"	"	"
Quebec.....	22	14	144,977	503,735	2	21,365	6	385,446
Ontario.....	19 <sup>1</sup>	9	60,642	238,686	2	33,324	7	387,825
Manitoba.....	4	3	37,377	112,628	Nil	Nil	1	738
Saskatchewan.....	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	"	"	Nil	Nil
Alberta.....	2	2	4,591	22,519	"	"	"	"
British Columbia.....	1	Nil	Nil	Nil	"	"	1	56,645
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>248,989</b>	<b>880,830</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>54,689</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>830,654</b>

<sup>1</sup> One hospital did not report.

**Tuberculosis Institutions.**—The statistics regarding institutions for the treatment of tuberculosis shown in Table 6, include special units for the treatment of tuberculosis in general hospitals as well as the specialized sanatoria shown separately in Table 1. The deaths in these institutions from tuberculosis as shown here for 1939 were only 33 p.c. of the total deaths from the disease in Canada as shown under Vital Statistics at pp. 91-94 of this edition. However, the death rate from this disease has shown an encouraging decline since 1926. More complete details regarding these institutions and the treatment of patients are given in the "Annual Report of Tuberculosis Institutions", published by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

**6.—Tuberculosis Hospitals, by Provinces, Showing Staff, Facilities and Movement of Population, 1939**

Item	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Canada
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Bed capacities.....	80	554	525	2,739	3,624	853	740	210	658	9,983
<b>Staff—</b>										
Salaried doctors.....	2	6	9	29	73	22	16	10	19	186
Graduate nurses.....	10	34	55	111	421	79	72	23	63	868
<b>Totals, Personnel<sup>1</sup>..</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>787</b>	<b>1,915</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>4,567</b>
<b>Hospital Facilities—</b>										
X-ray.....	1	2	3	11	13	4	1	1	1	37
Clinical laboratories..	1	2	3	9	13	3	1	1	1	34
Physio-therapy.....	2	1	2	3	7	3	1	2	1	18
<b>Movement of Population—</b>										
Admissions.....	71	731	537	3,500	2,935	1,024	889	333	730	10,750
<b>Totals, Under Treatment.....</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>1,199</b>	<b>987</b>	<b>5,525</b>	<b>6,105</b>	<b>1,733</b>	<b>1,655</b>	<b>718</b>	<b>1,368</b>	<b>19,425</b>
Discharges.....	49	530	396	2,535	2,234	849	797	283	521	8,194
Deaths.....	19	142	78	664	559	143	90	57	208	1,960
Total collective days' stay.....	24,282	181,861	179,883	865,748	1,208,833	260,943	296,713	74,832	240,645	3,333,740

<sup>1</sup> Totals include other personnel.

<sup>2</sup> None reported.