

Organized Services.—Organized services analysed in Table 6, are specialized hospital departments or services in charge of qualified specialists. Many of the smaller public general hospitals have available certain facilities for specialized services but, since these are not organized they are not included in the figures in Table 6.

6.—Organized Services and Medical Staffs in Reporting Public Hospitals for Acute Diseases, by Provinces, 1948

Item	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Service—										
General medicine.....	3	16	14	55	73	11	16	17	21	226
Pædiatrics.....	3	2	14	42	44	7	6	12	10	140
Cardiology.....	2	2	4	30	28	7	1	4	8	86
Dermatology.....	—	—	1	22	17	3	1	2	4	50
Neuro-psychiatry.....	—	1	—	9	13	1	1	1	3	29
Tuberculosis.....	—	6	—	12	11	—	2	3	4	38
Venerology.....	—	2	1	24	16	4	2	2	3	54
Contagious diseases.....	—	1	4	6	12	3	4	1	8	39
General surgery.....	3	17	15	55	69	11	16	16	21	223
Orthopædics.....	1	2	6	30	35	7	3	6	6	96
Neurology.....	—	2	—	18	14	2	1	1	3	41
Dentistry.....	—	2	2	25	12	3	—	2	3	49
Obstetrics.....	3	14	14	54	69	11	16	17	22	220
Gynæcology.....	2	8	4	42	42	9	4	9	7	127
Ophthalmology.....	1	3	4	37	28	4	4	4	5	90
Otolaryngology.....	1	2	4	46	31	5	2	1	5	97
Urology.....	1	3	4	35	33	5	4	5	8	98
Pathology.....	1	3	5	36	12	9	4	8	10	88
Bacteriology.....	1	3	11	42	45	11	7	7	14	141
X-ray.....	3	13	16	52	56	11	18	15	17	201
Deep X-ray.....	1	2	3	27	29	2	5	4	6	79
Radium therapy.....	2	1	2	18	25	2	2	3	4	59
Clinical laboratory.....	2	8	13	39	23	10	5	13	17	130
Physio-therapy.....	1	3	6	44	23	6	5	6	11	105
Medical Staff—										
Organized medical staffs.....	3	25	19	54	82	12	18	17	27	257
Staff doctors.....	47	481	440	2,562	3,960	760	435	863	1,008	10,556

Organized Out-Patient Departments.—Out-patient departments are operated by hospitals for the treatment of patients who do not usually occupy in-patient beds. The extension of out-patient services to patients of modest means has far-reaching and beneficial effects. It may eliminate unnecessary admissions to in-patient wards of hospitals or may serve to secure necessary hospitalization.

7. Organized Out-Patient Departments in Public Hospitals for Acute Diseases, by Provinces, 1948

Province	Out-Patient Departments	Patients	Treatments
	No.	No.	No.
New Brunswick.....	2	15,550	24,285
Quebec.....	28	489,590	916,787
Ontario.....	15	232,912	362,536
Manitoba.....	4	69,739	112,960
Saskatchewan.....	1	14,605	16,143
Alberta.....	1	1,273	6,512
British Columbia.....	2	45,940	49,037
Totals.....	53	869,609	1,488,260