

8.—Reported Cases of Selected Notifiable Diseases and Rates per 100,000 Population, by Province, 1959 with Totals for 1958

International List No.	Disease	Nfld.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B. C.	Canada ¹	
												1959	1958
NUMBERS OF CASES													
044	Brucellosis (undulant fever).	—	—	1	—	59	25	23	—	—	6	114	113
764	Diarrhoea of the newborn, epidemic.	—	—	9	—	—	—	27	—	—	53	92	2
055	Diphtheria.	1	—	—	—	6	3	15	2	10	—	37	66
045, 046, 048	Dysentery ² .	3	22	3	15	202	452	216	14	61	418	1,408	1,562
046	Amoebic.	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	8
045	Bacillary.	—	22	2	15	202	452	105	14	61	353	1,223	1,553
082.0	Encephalitis, infectious.	—	2	—	—	4	—	6	4	1	9	24	27
049.0, 042.1, 049.2	Food poisoning.	4	2	13	82	235	—	8	52	51	374	821	2
092, N998.5	Hepatitis, infectious (including serum hepatitis).	231	51	389	101	104	1,040	681	672	527	915	4,715	4,515
080.2, 082.1	Meningitis, viral or aseptic.	40	—	12	24	648	—	85	11	32	84	936	312
057	Meningococcal infections.	42	1	12	8	12	62	14	7	6	31	195	283
766	Pemphigus neonatorum (impetigo of the newborn).	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	5	2
056	Pertussis (whooping cough).	4	30	94	12	1,618	3,830	132	88	657	647	7,112	6,932
080.0, 080.1	Poliomyelitis, paralytic.	139	7	9	62	1,161	200	26	46	81	127	1,869	249
050, 051	Scarlet fever and streptococcal sore throat.	354	1,889	1,447	68	3,755	2,926	984	1,780	5,132	4,261	22,607	11,118
001-019	Tuberculosis ³ .	220	35	289	501	2,621	871	365	242	552	734	6,454	7,215
001, 002	Pulmonary.	219	30	239	460	2,548	..	318	182	451	694	5,062	..
040, 041	Typhoid and paratyphoid fever.	4	—	5	9	439	44	11	7	15	15	551	304
020-039	Veneral diseases ⁴ .	462	20	417	330	3,247	2,694	1,681	1,522	2,634	3,652	16,917	16,751
030-035	Gonorrhoea.	433	8	374	280	2,457	2,167	1,636	1,433	2,407	3,363	14,768	14,733
020-029	Syphilis.	29	12	43	60	789	527	45	89	226	283	2,141	2,010
RATES PER 100,000 ESTIMATED POPULATION													
044	Brucellosis (undulant fever).	—	—	0.1	—	1.2	0.4	2.6	—	—	0.4	0.7	0.7
764	Diarrhoea of the newborn, epidemic.	—	—	1.3	—	—	—	3.1	—	—	3.4	0.5	2
055	Diphtheria.	0.2	—	—	—	0.1	0.1	1.7	0.2	0.8	—	0.2	0.4
045, 046, 048	Dysentery ² .	0.7	21.0	0.4	2.5	4.0	7.6	24.4	1.6	4.9	26.6	8.1	9.2
046	Amoebic.	—	—	0.1	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.1	4	4
045	Bacillary.	—	21.6	0.5	2.6	4.0	7.6	11.9	1.6	4.9	22.6	7.0	9.0
082.0	Encephalitis, infectious.	—	2	—	—	0.1	—	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.6	0.1	0.2
049.0, 042.1, 049.2	Food poisoning.	0.9	2.0	1.8	13.9	4.7	—	0.9	5.8	4.1	23.8	4.7	2
092, N998.5	Hepatitis, infectious (including serum hepatitis).	51.4	50.0	54.3	17.1	2.1	17.5	78.9	74.5	42.4	58.3	27.0	26.5
080.2, 082.1	Meningitis, viral or aseptic.	8.9	—	1.7	4.1	13.0	—	9.6	1.2	2.6	5.4	5.4	1.8
057	Meningococcal infections.	9.4	1.0	1.7	1.4	0.2	1.0	1.6	0.8	0.5	2.0	1.1	1.7
766	Pemphigus neonatorum (impetigo of the newborn).	0.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.3	4	2
056	Pertussis (whooping cough).	0.9	29.4	13.1	2.0	32.4	64.3	14.9	9.8	52.9	41.2	40.8	40.7
080.0, 080.1	Poliomyelitis, paralytic.	31.0	6.9	1.3	10.0	23.2	3.4	2.9	5.1	6.5	8.1	10.7	1.5
050, 051	Scarlet fever and streptococcal sore throat.	78.8	1,851.8	202.0	11.5	75.1	49.2	111.2	197.3	412.9	271.4	129.6	65.3
001-019	Tuberculosis ³ .	49.0	34.3	40.4	84.9	52.4	14.6	41.2	26.8	44.4	46.8	37.0	42.4
001, 002	Pulmonary.	48.8	29.4	33.4	78.0	61.0	..	35.9	20.2	36.3	37.8	28.0	..
040, 041	Typhoid and paratyphoid fever.	0.9	—	0.7	1.5	8.8	0.7	1.2	0.8	1.2	1.0	3.2	1.8
020-039	Veneral diseases ⁴ .	102.9	19.6	58.2	55.9	64.9	45.3	189.9	168.7	211.9	232.6	97.0	98.4
030-035	Gonorrhoea.	96.4	7.8	52.2	47.4	49.1	36.4	184.9	168.9	193.6	214.2	84.7	86.5
020-029	Syphilis.	6.5	11.8	6.0	8.5	15.8	8.9	5.1	9.9	18.2	18.0	12.3	11.8

¹ Includes the Yukon and Northwest Territories in 1959 and the Yukon in 1958.² Not reportable.³ Includes other cases and cases where type not specified.⁴ Less than 0.05 per 100,000 population.

Illness in the Federal Civil Service.—A study of the incidence and duration of illness among federal civil servants is made annually from data supplied by medical certificates, which are required for all absences of more than three days at one time and for