

10.—Average Length of Stay of Adults and Children in Public General and Allied Special Hospitals, by Province, 1961

Type of Hospital	Newfoundland	Prince Edward Island	Nova Scotia	New Brunswick	Quebec	Ontario
	days	days	days	days	days	days
General.....	13.8	10.0	9.8	9.5	10.2	10.5
1- 9 beds.....	—	7.8	7.2	6.8	5.8	5.7
10- 24 “.....	3.6	6.7	7.2	7.4	7.2	7.8
25- 49 “.....	—	8.0	8.1	7.3	6.4	8.8
50- 99 “.....	—	7.2	9.7	8.0	8.0	9.9
100-199 “.....	9.7	10.9	9.2	8.9	8.7	8.9
200-299 “.....	—	10.3	10.7	9.9	9.7	10.2
300-499 “.....	27.5	—	—	—	10.3	10.6
500-999 “.....	—	—	13.0	15.8	13.4	11.7
1,000 or more beds.....	—	—	—	—	13.8	14.6
Allied Special—						
Chronic.....	173.7	—	—	—	220.5	364.3
Convalescent.....	—	—	32.9	31.3	41.3	44.9
Maternity.....	—	—	5.7	10.0	5.5	6.3
Other.....	75.7	136.2	—	40.6	23.0	16.0
Totals, All Hospitals.....	14.9	10.4	9.8	9.9	11.6	11.8
	Manitoba	Saskatchewan	Alberta	British Columbia	Yukon and Northwest Territories	Canada
	days	days	days	days	days	days
General.....	8.9	9.7	9.1	9.9	7.0	10.0
1- 9 beds.....	8.1	7.4	5.3	3.8	5.4	7.0
10- 24 “.....	7.0	7.4	7.0	7.4	6.9	7.2
25- 49 “.....	6.8	7.8	6.7	7.6	7.5	7.5
50- 99 “.....	8.4	8.2	8.0	8.3	—	8.7
100-199 “.....	9.0	9.9	8.9	9.1	—	9.0
200-299 “.....	8.0	13.5	9.1	8.7	—	10.0
300-499 “.....	9.0	12.0	9.6	11.0	—	10.8
500-999 “.....	11.6	13.8	10.2	11.3	—	12.2
1,000 or more beds.....	—	—	16.2	14.6	—	14.6
Allied Special—						
Chronic.....	122.0	222.4	476.3	102.6	—	241.2
Convalescent.....	—	—	—	39.6	—	40.1
Maternity.....	—	—	5.6	6.7	—	6.0
Other.....	—	—	13.0	269.5	—	22.9
Totals, All Hospitals.....	11.1	10.4	9.9	10.1	7.0	11.1

The 987 public hospitals reporting financial data for 1961 spent a total of \$841,245,000 in that year and had revenues amounting to \$811,427,000 (see footnote 1, Table 11). The 987 hospitals represented 92 p.c. of those required to submit financial data and they contained 96 p.c. of the beds in the public hospitals of Canada. Of the total expenditure, salaries and wages accounted for 64.7 p.c. and medical and surgical supplies and drugs for 7.7 p.c. Of the total revenue, 78.2 p.c. was in-patient earnings.