

**5.5 Movement of patients<sup>1</sup> and patient-days in operating public, private and federal hospitals, 1970 and 1971 (concluded)**

Type of service and item	1970	1971	Type of service and item	1970	1971
Patient-days	680,198	538,939	Admissions	3,527	4,003
Per 1,000 population	31.8	25.0	Per 1,000 population	0.2	0.2
Av. daily no. of patients	1,863.6	1,476.5	Patient-days	336,736	335,139
Per 1,000 population	0.1	0.1	Per 1,000 population	15.8	15.5
Percentage occupancy <sup>2</sup>	55.8	57.1	Av. daily no. of patients	922.6	918.2
<b>PRIVATE HOSPITALS</b>			Per 1,000 population	--	--
General			Percentage occupancy <sup>2</sup>	98.6	97.2
Beds set up at Dec. 31	982	606	<b>FEDERAL HOSPITALS</b>		
Admissions	25,607	20,564	General		
Per 1,000 population	1.2	1.0	Beds set up at Dec. 31	6,426	6,236
Patient-days	278,861	195,577	Admissions	61,824	60,896
Per 1,000 population	13.0	9.07	Patient-days	2.9	2.8
Av. daily no. of patients	764.0	535.8	Per 1,000 population	1,754,825	1,689,559
Per 1,000 population	--	--	Av. daily no. of patients	82.1	78.3
Percentage occupancy <sup>2</sup>	80.7	88.4	Per 1,000 population	4,807.7	4,628.9
Allied special			Percentage occupancy <sup>2</sup>	0.2	0.2
Beds set up at Dec. 31	4,196	4,295	<b>Allied special</b>		
Admissions	14,140	14,237	Beds set up at Dec. 31	1,324	1,383
Per 1,000 population	0.7	0.7	Admissions	3,441	3,812
Patient-days	1,405,072	1,474,796	Patient-days	0.2	0.2
Per 1,000 population	65.7	68.4	Per 1,000 population	257,657	348,527
Av. daily no. of patients	3,849.5	4,040.5	Per 1,000 population	16.7	16.2
Per 1,000 population	0.2	0.2	Av. daily no. of patients	979.9	954.9
Percentage occupancy <sup>2</sup>	91.1	94.3	Per 1,000 population	--	--
Mental			Percentage occupancy <sup>2</sup>	74.9	69.0
Beds set up at Dec. 31	955	945			

<sup>1</sup>Patients refer to adults and children. All ratios are based on population estimates as at June 1 of the year concerned.

<sup>2</sup>Based on rated bed capacity.

**5.6 Average length of stay of adults and children in public general and allied special hospitals, by province, 1971 (days)**

Type of hospital	Nfld.	PEI	NS	NB	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	BC	Canada <sup>1</sup>
<b>General</b>											
Non-teaching with no long-term units											
1-24 beds	5.36	7.37	7.99	9.12	6.63	7.37	7.19	7.01	7.97	6.79	7.09
25-49 "	6.58	8.55	8.55	7.97	7.97	8.07	7.58	6.92	6.83	7.29	7.31
50-99 "	7.93	7.51	9.12	7.96	8.38	8.54	6.97	7.98	7.52	7.94	8.03
100-199 "	9.67	9.53	10.65	9.54	8.51	8.94	7.92	8.99	7.71	7.89	8.80
200+ "	9.35	10.42	10.49	10.45	10.32	8.83	9.02	12.11	8.69	7.91	9.31
Non-teaching with long-term units											
1-99 beds	—	—	—	—	13.08	11.32	8.76	—	11.21	8.36	10.90
100-199 "	—	8.23	—	—	11.68	9.60	9.83	—	—	10.26	9.93
200+ "	—	—	—	10.76	13.51	11.16	—	12.50	—	10.76	11.30
Total, non-teaching	7.78	8.92	9.82	9.30	9.64	9.76	7.91	7.89	7.58	8.67	9.14
Teaching, full											
1-499 beds	19.73	—	11.40	—	12.08	10.06	—	13.23	10.02	11.03	11.81
500+ "	—	—	14.21	—	12.91	11.79	10.81	—	—	—	11.74
Teaching, partial											
1-499 beds	11.41	—	—	10.98	10.54	11.06	8.94	10.58	—	9.39	10.44
500+	—	—	—	17.71	12.28	9.76	—	10.71	11.03	10.53	11.07
Total, general	9.51	8.92	10.62	10.32	10.75	10.25	8.76	8.97	8.83	9.28	9.94
Children's	11.02	—	8.21	—	8.29	8.66	8.20	—	7.29	5.95	8.47
Convalescent/rehabilitation	46.38	28.48	32.11	39.46	48.04	36.22	39.00	—	42.39	42.96	41.45
Chronic/extended care	234.11	—	—	184.72	236.06	240.45	125.74	—	267.89	448.82	234.93
Other	4.93	—	6.89	—	12.78	10.04	—	140.70	7.60	7.58	13.27
All public general and allied special hospitals	9.97	9.15	10.51	10.65	12.90	11.54	10.40	9.74	11.12	9.99	11.34

<sup>1</sup>Includes the Yukon Territory and Northwest Territories.