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VENEREAL DISEASE MORBIDITY SUMMARY
UNITED STATES TOTAL
(Excluding Territories)

January - March 1960

SOURCE OF REPORT	COLOR AND SEX		TOTAL SYPHILIS	SYPHILIS					GONORRHEA	OTHER VD			TOTAL OTHER VD
				Primary and Secondary	Early Latent	Late and Late Latent	Congenital	Not Stated		Chancroid	Granuloma Inguinale	Lympho- granuloma Venereum	
BY PRIVATE PHYSICIANS	White and Unknown	Male	4366	669	407	3080	102	108	5533	27	1	11	39
		Female	3229	112	274	2480	252	111	1489	4	2	4	10
	Nonwhite	Male	2614	259	407	1808	63	77	5862	19	6	12	37
		Female	2988	210	544	2038	100	96	1881	4	4	1	9
	Total,		13197	1250	1632	9406	517	392	14765	54	13	28	95
BY CLINICS, HOSPITALS, OR OTHER INSTITUTIONS	White and Unknown	Male	3339	427	425	2404	50	33	4875	64	2	14	80
		Female	1715	94	220	1312	68	21	2478	13		4	17
	Nonwhite	Male	5719	875	859	3807	124	54	24797	245	42	148	435
		Female	4785	591	834	3075	256	29	11980	45	17	57	119
	Total,		15558	1987	2338	10598	498	137	44130	367	61	223	651
TOTAL ALL SOURCES	White and Unknown	Male	7705	1096	832	5484	152	141	10408	91	3	25	119
		Female	4944	206	494	3792	320	132	3967	17	2	8	27
	Nonwhite	Male	8333	1134	1266	5615	187	131	30659	264	48	160	472
		Female	7773	801	1378	5113	356	125	13861	49	21	58	128
	Total.		28755	3237	3970	20004	1015	529	58895	421	74	251	746

Source: Form PHS 9.688 and Special Reports
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**CASES AND RATES ^{3/} OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SYPHILIS, TOTAL EARLY SYPHILIS,
TOTAL SYPHILIS, AND GONORRHEA REPORTED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE BY
CITIES WITH 50,000 - 200,000 POPULATION IN 1950**

Calendar Years 1958 - 1959

Cities (Continued)	Primary and Secondary Syphilis				Early Syphilis				Total Syphilis				Gonorrhoea			
	Cases		Rates		Cases		Rates		Cases		Rates		Cases		Rates	
	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959	1958	1959
REGION VI (Continued)																
<u>Nebraska</u>	0	2	.0	1.5	0	4	.0	3.1	39	84	30.5	64.6	99	170	77.3	130.8
Lincoln	0	2	.0	1.5	0	4	.0	3.1	39	84	30.5	64.6	99	170	77.3	130.8
<u>South Dakota</u>	0	0	.0	.0	0	1	.0	1.5	25	15	37.9	22.7	4	9	6.1	13.6
Sioux Falls	0	0	.0	.0	0	1	.0	1.5	25	15	37.9	22.7	4	9	6.1	13.6
REGION VII																
<u>Arkansas</u>	8	8	6.5	6.0	21	36	16.9	26.9	285	206	229.8	153.7	602	692	485.5	516.4
Little Rock	8	8	6.5	6.0	21	36	16.9	26.9	285	206	229.8	153.7	602	692	485.5	516.4
<u>Louisiana</u>	15	32	4.4	9.0	97	170	28.4	48.0	768	842	224.6	237.9	1015	1119	296.8	316.1
Baton Rouge	4	2	2.5	1.2	42	34	26.3	20.5	458	334	286.3	201.2	247	304	154.4	183.1
Shreveport	11	30	6.0	16.0	55	136	30.2	72.3	310	508	170.3	270.2	768	815	422.0	433.5
<u>New Mexico</u>	5	8	2.7	4.1	29	39	15.8	20.0	193	176	104.9	90.3	346	501	188.0	256.9
Albuquerque	5	8	2.7	4.1	29	39	15.8	20.0	193	176	104.9	90.3	346	501	188.0	256.9
<u>Oklahoma</u>	4	5	1.6	1.9	15	22	5.9	8.3	200	171	78.7	64.3	273	325	107.5	122.2
Tulsa	4	5	1.6	1.9	15	22	5.9	8.3	200	171	78.7	64.3	273	325	107.5	122.2
<u>Texas ^{2/}</u>	NA	88	NA	4.7	NA	192	NA	10.2	606	546	33.4	29.1	3826	3112	210.7	166.1
Amarillo	NA	6	NA	4.5	NA	8	NA	6.1	19	28	15.7	21.2	338	274	279.3	207.6
Austin	NA	8	NA	3.8	NA	12	NA	5.7	20	21	10.2	9.9	453	419	231.1	197.6
Beaumont	NA	3	NA	1.3	NA	6	NA	2.5	57	23	24.3	9.6	714	44	303.8	18.4
Corpus Christie	NA	10	NA	3.9	NA	18	NA	7.0	63	42	24.8	16.3	814	935	320.5	363.8
El Paso	NA	23	NA	7.6	NA	65	NA	21.6	240	215	81.1	71.4	281	328	94.9	109.0
Galveston	NA	28	NA	21.4	NA	41	NA	31.3	106	117	84.8	89.3	222	128	177.6	97.7
Laredo	NA	3	NA	4.3	NA	10	NA	14.3	27	23	39.7	32.9	215	196	316.2	280.0
Lubbock	NA	5	NA	2.9	NA	22	NA	12.6	39	53	22.8	30.3	172	92	100.6	52.6
San Angelo	NA	1	NA	1.3	NA	1	NA	1.3	12	4	16.2	5.3	38	51	51.4	67.1
Waco	NA	1	NA	.7	NA	3	NA	2.0	16	11	11.1	7.4	464	473	322.2	319.6
Wichita Falls	NA	0	NA	.0	NA	6	NA	4.5	7	9	5.3	6.8	115	172	87.1	129.3
REGION VIII																
<u>Colorado</u>	1	0	1.0	.0	3	0	3.1	.0	10	16	10.2	16.0	25	25	25.5	25.0
Pueblo	1	0	1.0	.0	3	0	3.1	.0	10	16	10.2	16.0	25	25	25.5	25.0
<u>Utah</u>	9	4	3.1	1.4	12	7	4.1	2.4	86	42	29.7	14.2	107	156	36.9	52.7
Ogden	3	0	4.5	.0	3	0	4.5	.0	22	4	32.8	5.8	17	40	25.4	58.0
Salt Lake City	6	4	2.7	1.8	9	7	4.0	3.1	64	38	28.7	16.7	90	116	40.4	51.1
REGION IX																
<u>Arizona</u>	17	36	6.3	4.5	50	68	18.4	8.5	182	262	66.9	32.8	906	1191	333.1	148.9
Phoenix	13	34	7.5	6.1	36	66	20.8	11.8	122	199	70.5	35.5	670	898	387.3	160.4
Tucson	4	2	4.0	.8	14	2	14.1	.8	60	63	60.6	26.3	236	293	238.4	122.1
<u>California</u>	73	81	3.8	4.3	185	207	9.7	10.9	757	799	39.6	42.1	1755	1587	91.7	83.7
Berkeley	15	19	12.2	15.7	29	31	23.6	25.6	69	89	56.1	73.6	77	103	62.6	85.1
Fresno ^{2/}	5	5	1.5	1.5	28	24	8.3	7.0	193	164	57.4	48.0	383	290	114.0	84.8
Pasadena	10	8	8.2	6.5	20	34	16.4	27.6	42	79	34.4	64.2	143	133	117.2	108.1
Richmond ^{2/}	11	12	3.0	3.1	29	38	7.8	9.9	175	176	47.2	46.0	313	228	84.4	59.5
Sacramento ^{2/}	7	18	1.6	4.0	22	28	5.1	6.2	78	102	18.2	22.6	303	333	70.8	73.7
San Bernardino	14	6	15.9	6.6	23	21	26.1	23.1	39	40	44.3	44.0	142	96	161.4	105.5
San Jose	3	6	2.3	4.1	7	9	5.3	6.2	51	41	38.4	28.3	57	101	42.9	69.7
Stockton ^{2/}	8	7	3.4	2.9	27	22	11.4	9.2	110	108	46.6	45.2	337	303	142.8	126.8
<u>Washington ^{2/}</u>	3	16	.5	2.6	6	24	1.0	4.0	66	96	11.1	15.8	293	299	49.2	49.3
Spokane	1	0	.4	.0	2	3	.7	1.0	32	42	11.5	14.7	136	112	48.7	39.2
Tacoma	2	16	.6	5.0	4	21	1.3	6.6	34	54	10.8	16.9	157	187	49.7	58.4

^{1/} Early Syphilis includes Primary and Secondary and Early Latent Syphilis. Includes Surrounding County all Years.
^{2/} Population estimates as of January 1, 1958 for cases reported in 1958, and as of January 1, 1959 for cases reported in 1959. Copyright, Sales Management Survey of Buying Power, reproduction not licensed.

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VOLUME OF CASE-FINDING INVESTIGATIONS AND PERCENTAGE OF SUSPECTS EXAMINED
 I - CIVILIAN CONTACTS OF ARMED FORCES PERSONNEL AND SELECTEE AND SEPARATEE SUSPECTS
 ALL AREAS REPORTING

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States By HEW Regions	Total Contacts and Suspects *		Contacts of Military Cases						Gonorrhea		Selectees and Separatees	
			Pri. & Sec.		Syphilis		Other		Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined
			Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined				
Connecticut	4	50.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	4	50.0	0	-
Maine	17	47.1	0	-	0	-	0	-	17	47.1	0	-
Massachusetts **												
New Hampshire	7	57.1	0	-	0	-	0	-	7	57.1	0	-
Rhode Island	32	28.1	4	100.0	0	-	0	-	28	17.9	0	-
Vermont	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	1	100.0	0	-
REGION I TOTAL	61	39.3	4	100.0	0	-	0	-	57	35.1	0	-
Delaware	7	100.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	7	100.0	0	-
New Jersey	69	56.5	2	50.0	3	100.0	0	-	48	50.0	16	68.8
New York	104	33.7	4	75.0	0	-	0	-	80	27.5	19	47.4
Pennsylvania	82	69.5	2	100.0	1	100.0	0	-	50	52.0	29	96.6
REGION II TOTAL	262	52.7	8	75.0	4	100.0	0	-	185	42.7	64	75.0
District of Columbia	68	33.8	2	100.0	0	-	0	-	65	32.3	0	-
Kentucky	139	32.4	3	.0	0	-	1	.0	130	32.3	2	100.0
Maryland	17	88.2	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	16	87.5	0	-
North Carolina	217	65.9	13	84.6	1	100.0	2	100.0	191	63.4	8	87.5
Virginia	225	70.2	5	60.0	1	100.0	1	100.0	195	68.2	17	94.1
West Virginia	38	65.8	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	36	63.9	1	100.0
REGION III TOTAL	704	58.1	25	72.0	2	100.0	4	75.0	633	55.9	28	92.9
Alabama	100	68.0	2	100.0	2	.0	0	-	86	66.3	10	90.0
Florida	144	51.4	0	-	2	100.0	0	-	132	48.5	9	88.9
Georgia	220	69.1	10	100.0	2	100.0	2	100.0	194	66.5	8	100.0
Mississippi	92	70.7	5	80.0	0	-	0	-	80	71.3	7	57.1
South Carolina	266	77.1	15	80.0	2	.0	0	-	242	76.9	1	100.0
Tennessee	199	86.4	31	93.5	1	100.0	0	-	140	82.9	26	96.2
REGION IV TOTAL	1021	72.1	63	90.5	9	55.6	2	100.0	874	69.7	61	90.2
Illinois	64	54.7	0	-	0	-	2	.0	53	54.7	8	62.5
Indiana	71	64.8	3	100.0	1	100.0	0	-	51	58.8	16	75.0
Michigan	108	55.6	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	91	49.5	15	86.7
Ohio	80	50.0	0	-	2	100.0	0	-	73	46.6	4	100.0
Wisconsin	13	61.5	0	-	0	-	0	-	12	58.3	1	100.0
REGION V TOTAL	336	56.3	4	100.0	3	100.0	2	.0	280	51.8	44	79.5
Iowa	19	68.4	3	33.3	0	-	0	-	11	81.8	3	100.0
Kansas	174	37.9	6	.0	5	40.0	0	-	149	36.2	12	83.3
Minnesota	8	87.5	0	-	0	-	0	-	8	87.5	0	-
Missouri	87	65.5	0	-	2	.0	74	63.5	0	-	11	90.9
Nebraska	26	50.0	0	-	2	.0	0	-	21	47.6	3	100.0
North Dakota	18	83.3	0	-	0	-	0	-	17	88.2	1	.0
South Dakota	43	69.8	4	100.0	0	-	0	-	38	65.8	1	100.0
REGION VI TOTAL	375	53.6	13	38.5	9	22.2	74	63.5	244	49.2	31	87.1
Arkansas	42	88.1	0	-	0	-	0	-	28	89.3	14	85.7
Louisiana	89	49.4	0	-	1	100.0	1	100.0	77	44.2	10	80.0
New Mexico	38	47.4	0	-	0	-	0	-	27	44.4	11	54.5
Oklahoma	205	82.4	1	100.0	11	100.0	11	100.0	171	80.1	6	66.7
Texas	438	77.9	4	100.0	1	100.0	2	100.0	373	75.6	50	90.0
REGION VII TOTAL	812	75.0	5	100.0	13	100.0	14	100.0	676	72.5	91	82.4
Colorado	64	57.8	0	-	0	-	0	-	62	58.1	2	50.0
Idaho	2	100.0	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	1	100.0	0	-
Montana	19	31.6	0	-	0	-	0	-	19	31.6	0	-
Utah	9	44.4	0	-	0	-	0	-	8	37.5	1	100.0
Wyoming	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	1	100.0	0	-
REGION VIII TOTAL	95	52.6	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	91	51.6	3	66.7
Alaska	126	53.2	0	-	0	-	0	-	124	53.2	0	-
Arizona	32	84.4	6	100.0	0	-	0	-	24	83.3	1	100.0
California	518	45.0	16	31.3	0	-	0	-	489	45.6	0	-
Hawaii	47	44.7	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	43	41.9	2	100.0
Nevada	18	88.9	8	87.5	0	-	0	-	10	90.0	0	-
Oregon	18	44.4	3	66.7	1	.0	0	-	11	36.4	2	100.0
Washington	79	62.0	5	100.0	2	50.0	0	-	64	56.3	8	87.5
REGION IX TOTAL	838	50.2	39	66.7	3	33.3	0	-	765	49.2	13	92.3
U. S. TOTAL	4504	61.7	162	77.8	43	69.8	96	68.8	3805	58.9	335	83.6
Puerto Rico	201	69.2	5	80.0	0	-	0	-	165	65.5	25	92.0
U. S. & TERRITORIES	4705	62.0	167	77.8	43	69.8	96	68.8	3970	59.1	360	84.2
Cities (incl. above)												
Detroit	38	50.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	36	47.2	2	100.0
New York	61	29.5	3	66.7	0	-	0	-	47	25.5	10	30.0
Philadelphia	34	79.4	1	100.0	1	100.0	0	-	16	56.3	16	100.0
Pittsburgh	10	70.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	7	57.1	3	100.0
Chicago	23	52.2	0	-	0	-	0	-	21	47.6	1	100.0
Baltimore	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-

* Totals include Other V. D. not shown separately.
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CONTACTS OBTAINED FROM HEALTH DEPARTMENT CLINIC AND PRIVATE PHYSICIAN PATIENTS
I - PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SYPHILIS
ALL AREAS REPORTING

January - March 1960

States By HEW Regions	PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SYPHILIS											
	Private Physicians						Clinics					
	Cases Reported ^{a/}	Number of Patients Interviewed	Percent of Cases Interviewed	CONTACTS OBTAINED			Cases Reported ^{a/}	Number of Patients Interviewed	Percent of Cases Interviewed	CONTACTS OBTAINED		
				Number	Number Per Case Reported	Number Per Case Interviewed				Number	Number Per Case Reported	Number Per Case Interviewed
Connecticut	10	2	20.0	4	.40	2.00	11	0	.0	-	-	-
Maine	2	0	.0	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
Massachusetts ^{b/}												
New Hampshire	1	2	200.0	0	.00	.00	1	0	.0	-	-	-
Rhode Island	1	0	.0	-	-	-	1	0	.0	-	-	-
Vermont	1	1	100.0	1	1.00	1.00	0	0	-	-	-	-
REGION I TOTAL	15	5	33.3	5	.33	1.00	13	0	.0	-	-	-
Delaware	1	0	.0	-	-	-	6	1	16.7	3	.50	3.00
New Jersey	43	33	76.7	72	1.67	2.18	70	61	87.1	148	2.11	2.43
New York	311	126	40.5	315	1.01	2.50	212	243	114.6	685	3.23	2.82
Pennsylvania	26	22	84.6	67	2.58	3.05	86	86	100.0	248	2.88	2.88
REGION II TOTAL	381	181	47.5	454	1.19	2.51	374	391	104.5	1084	2.90	2.77
District of Columbia	36	29	80.6	59	1.64	2.03	99	95	96.0	302	3.05	3.18
Kentucky	7	5	71.4	7	1.00	1.40	7	7	100.0	22	3.14	3.14
Maryland	26	12	46.2	41	1.58	3.42	24	24	100.0	80	3.33	3.33
North Carolina	22	19	86.4	69	3.14	3.63	72	74	102.8	327	4.54	4.42
Virginia	20	15	75.0	52	2.60	3.47	43	42	97.7	206	4.79	4.90
West Virginia	5	7	140.0	19	3.80	2.71	2	7	350.0	27	13.50	3.86
REGION III TOTAL	116	87	75.0	247	2.13	2.84	247	249	100.8	964	3.90	3.87
Alabama	27	9	33.3	36	1.33	4.00	38	42	110.5	201	5.29	4.79
Florida	33	21	63.6	58	1.76	2.76	84	84	100.0	442	5.26	5.26
Georgia	47	47	100.0	181	3.85	3.85	134	134	100.0	730	5.45	5.45
Mississippi	3	3	100.0	9	3.00	3.00	10	11	110.0	75	7.50	6.82
South Carolina	14	7	50.0	18	1.29	2.57	35	41	117.1	235	6.71	5.73
Tennessee	17	12	70.6	32	1.88	2.67	81	103	127.2	474	5.85	4.60
REGION IV TOTAL	141	99	70.2	334	2.37	3.37	382	415	108.6	2157	5.65	5.20
Illinois	87	70	80.5	127	1.46	1.81	147	141	95.9	765	5.20	5.43
Indiana	12	3	25.0	7	.58	2.33	4	6	150.0	21	5.25	3.50
Michigan	10	23	230.0	51	5.10	2.22	14	20	142.9	183	13.07	9.15
Ohio	16	16	100.0	44	2.75	2.75	14	14	100.0	40	2.86	2.86
Wisconsin	23	1	4.3	1	.04	1.00	4	2	50.0	1	.25	.50
REGION V TOTAL	148	113	76.4	230	1.55	2.04	183	183	100.0	1010	5.52	5.52
Iowa	2	2	100.0	3	1.50	1.50	0	4	.0	4	.00	1.00
Kansas	10	9	90.0	15	1.50	1.67	16	16	100.0	83	5.19	5.19
Minnesota	12	10	83.3	11	.92	1.10	3	3	100.0	6	2.00	2.00
Missouri	13	12	92.3	40	3.08	3.33	20	19	95.0	88	4.40	4.63
Nebraska	0	0	-	-	-	-	1	1	100.0	3	3.00	3.00
North Dakota	0	1	.0	2	.00	2.00	0	0	-	-	-	-
South Dakota	0	0	-	-	-	-	5	5	100.0	30	6.00	6.00
REGION VI TOTAL	37	34	91.9	71	1.92	2.09	45	44	97.8	210	4.67	4.77
Arkansas	24	16	66.7	82	3.42	5.13	26	24	92.3	158	6.08	6.58
Louisiana	41	9	22.0	20	.49	2.22	134	132	98.5	371	2.77	2.81
New Mexico	9	1	11.1	2	.22	2.00	1	2	200.0	3	3.00	1.50
Oklahoma	12	3	25.0	10	.83	3.33	7	7	100.0	33	4.71	4.71
Texas	65	9	13.8	23	.35	2.56	174	179	102.9	528	3.03	2.95
REGION VII TOTAL	151	38	25.2	137	.91	3.61	342	344	100.6	1093	3.20	3.18
Colorado	6	3	50.0	3	.50	1.00	1	1	100.0	2	2.00	2.00
Idaho	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
Montana	3	0	.0	-	-	-	1	0	.0	-	-	-
Utah	2	2	100.0	5	2.50	2.50	0	0	-	-	-	-
Wyoming	1	0	.0	-	-	-	1	0	.0	-	-	-
REGION VIII TOTAL	12	5	41.7	8	.67	1.60	3	1	33.3	2	.67	2.00
Alaska	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
Arizona	49	43	87.8	101	2.06	2.35	21	25	119.0	99	4.71	3.96
California	145	140	96.6	16	.11	.11	200	191	95.5	708	3.54	3.71
Hawaii	2	2	100.0	2	1.00	1.00	1	1	100.0	2	2.00	2.00
Nevada	1	0	.0	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
Oregon	5	4	80.0	8	1.60	2.00	11	12	109.1	42	3.82	3.50
Washington	21	22	104.8	56	2.67	2.55	43	42	97.7	102	2.37	2.43
REGION IX TOTAL	223	211	94.6	183	.82	.87	276	271	98.2	953	3.45	3.52
U. S. TOTAL	1224	773	63.2	1669	1.36	2.16	1865	1898	101.8	7473	4.01	3.94
Puerto Rico	0	0	-	-	-	-	30	30	100.0	98	3.27	3.27
U. S. & TERRITORIES	1224	773	63.2	1669	1.36	2.16	1895	1928	101.7	7571	4.00	3.93
Cities (incl. above)												
Detroit	4	8	200.0	17	4.25	2.13	10	8	80.0	78	7.80	9.75
New York City	258	86	33.3	208	.81	2.42	179	225	125.7	629	3.51	2.80
Philadelphia	15	10	66.7	28	1.87	2.80	79	77	97.5	195	2.47	2.53
Pittsburgh	3	4	133.3	21	7.00	5.25	5	5	100.0	45	9.00	9.00
Chicago	68	51	75.0	107	1.57	2.10	145	139	95.9	726	5.01	5.22
Baltimore	19	9	47.4	28	1.47	3.11	19	19	100.0	58	3.05	3.05

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CONTACTS OBTAINED FROM HEALTH DEPARTMENT CLINIC AND PRIVATE PHYSICIAN PATIENTS
II - EARLY LATENT SYPHILIS
ALL AREAS REPORTING

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States By HEW Regions	EARLY LATENT SYPHILIS											
	Private Physicians						Clinics					
	Cases Reported a/	Number of Patients Interviewed	Percent of Cases Interviewed	CONTACTS OBTAINED			Cases Reported a/	Number of Patients Interviewed	Percent of Cases Interviewed	CONTACTS OBTAINED		
				Number	Per Case Reported	Number Per Case Interviewed				Number	Per Case Reported	Number Per Case Interviewed
Connecticut	11	2	18.2	2	.18	1.00	16	1	6.3	4	.25	4.00
Maine	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
Massachusetts b/	0	1	.0	0	-	.00	1	0	.0	-	-	-
New Hampshire	1	0	.0	-	-	-	2	0	.0	-	-	-
Rhode Island	1	1	100.0	7	7.00	7.00	0	0	-	-	-	-
Vermont	1	1	100.0	7	7.00	7.00	0	0	-	-	-	-
REGION I TOTAL	13	4	30.8	9	.69	2.25	19	1	5.3	4	.21	4.00
Delaware	8	0	.0	-	-	-	15	6	40.0	36	2.40	6.00
New Jersey	80	12	15.0	40	.50	3.33	89	37	41.6	81	.91	2.19
New York	219	29	13.2	73	.33	2.52	172	121	70.3	322	1.87	2.66
Pennsylvania	49	30	61.2	59	1.20	1.97	135	69	51.1	230	1.70	3.33
REGION II TOTAL	356	71	19.9	172	.48	2.42	411	233	56.7	669	1.63	2.87
District of Columbia	33	2	6.1	2	.06	1.00	80	60	75.0	147	1.84	2.45
Kentucky	1	0	.0	-	-	-	2	1	50.0	1	.50	1.00
Maryland	26	0	.0	-	-	-	63	54	85.7	165	2.62	3.06
North Carolina	63	2	.0	6	.10	3.00	64	30	46.9	129	2.02	4.30
Virginia	26	7	3.2	9	.35	1.29	33	25	75.8	92	2.79	3.68
West Virginia	7	1	14.3	3	.43	3.00	5	5	100.0	13	2.60	2.60
REGION III TOTAL	156	12	7.7	20	.13	1.67	247	175	70.9	547	2.21	3.13
Alabama	69	3	4.3	12	.17	4.00	75	63	84.0	184	2.45	2.92
Florida	138	4	2.9	11	.08	2.75	74	54	73.0	171	2.31	3.17
Georgia	122	10	8.2	31	.25	3.10	76	70	92.1	317	4.17	4.53
Mississippi	4	3	75.0	6	1.50	2.00	10	8	80.0	21	2.10	2.63
South Carolina	50	4	8.0	10	.20	2.50	46	42	91.3	234	5.09	5.57
Tennessee	17	6	35.3	17	1.00	2.83	41	44	107.3	175	4.27	3.98
REGION IV TOTAL	400	30	7.5	87	.22	2.90	322	281	87.3	1102	3.42	3.92
Illinois	121	37	30.6	20	.17	.54	210	140	66.7	429	2.04	3.06
Indiana	30	0	.0	-	-	-	13	7	53.8	10	.77	1.43
Michigan	56	21	37.5	77	1.38	3.67	36	46	127.8	165	4.58	3.59
Ohio	76	18	23.7	21	.28	1.17	57	26	45.6	56	.98	2.15
Wisconsin	22	2	9.1	2	.09	1.00	3	4	133.3	0	.00	.00
REGION V TOTAL	305	78	25.6	120	.39	1.54	319	223	70.0	660	2.07	2.96
Iowa	3	3	100.0	13	4.33	4.33	1	0	.0	-	-	-
Kansas	16	12	75.0	16	1.00	1.33	21	16	76.2	43	2.05	2.69
Minnesota	3	4	133.3	10	3.33	2.50	2	2	100.0	4	2.00	2.00
Missouri	10	4	40.0	19	1.90	4.75	56	27	48.2	66	1.18	2.44
Nebraska	9	1	11.1	2	.22	2.00	1	0	.0	-	-	-
North Dakota	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
South Dakota	0	0	-	-	-	-	3	2	66.7	18	6.00	9.00
REGION VI TOTAL	41	24	58.5	60	1.46	2.50	84	47	56.0	131	1.56	2.79
Arkansas	8	8	100.0	32	4.00	4.00	27	17	63.0	79	2.93	4.65
Louisiana	96	3	3.1	4	.04	1.33	157	71	45.2	171	1.09	2.41
New Mexico	18	0	.0	-	-	-	20	10	50.0	21	1.05	2.10
Oklahoma	19	1	5.3	5	.26	5.00	14	10	71.4	30	2.14	3.00
Texas	72	14	19.4	29	.40	2.07	159	299	188.1	359	2.26	1.20
REGION VII TOTAL	213	26	12.2	70	.33	2.69	377	407	108.0	660	1.75	1.62
Colorado	4	0	.0	-	-	-	3	1	33.3	1	.33	1.00
Idaho	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
Montana	2	0	.0	-	-	-	2	0	.0	-	-	-
Utah	2	0	.0	-	-	-	3	0	.0	-	-	-
Wyoming	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
REGION VIII TOTAL	8	0	.0	-	-	-	8	1	12.5	1	.13	1.00
Alaska	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	2	.0	2	.00	1.00
Arizona	22	20	90.9	56	2.55	2.80	15	10	66.7	35	2.33	3.50
California	85	82	96.5	11	.13	.13	263	250	95.1	462	1.76	1.85
Hawaii	3	0	.0	-	-	-	1	0	.0	-	-	-
Nevada	1	0	.0	-	-	-	2	1	50.0	2	1.00	2.00
Oregon	5	1	20.0	0	.00	.00	7	3	42.9	19	2.71	6.33
Washington	9	1	11.1	11	1.22	11.00	11	9	81.8	20	1.82	2.22
REGION IX TOTAL	125	104	83.2	78	.62	.75	299	275	92.0	540	1.81	1.96
U. S. TOTAL	1617	349	21.6	616	.38	1.77	2086	1643	78.8	4314	2.07	2.63
Puerto Rico	1	0	.0	-	-	-	92	83	90.2	100	1.09	1.20
U. S. & TERRITORIES	1618	349	21.6	616	.38	1.77	2178	1726	79.2	4414	2.03	2.56
Cities (incl. above)												
Detroit	22	7	31.8	9	.41	1.29	22	19	86.4	72	3.28	3.79
New York	193	8	4.1	20	.10	2.50	157	113	72.0	301	1.92	2.66
Philadelphia	23	14	60.9	22	.96	1.57	104	39	37.5	79	.76	2.03
Pittsburgh	4	3	75.0	4	1.00	1.33	16	17	106.3	111	6.94	6.53
Chicago	84	2	2.4	6	.07	3.00	185	116	62.7	386	2.09	3.33
Baltimore	16	0	.0	-	-	-	47	40	85.1	122	2.60	3.05

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EPIDEMIOLOGIC YIELD PER 1,000 PERSONS EXAMINED
Cases Brought or Returned to Treatment
UNITED STATES TOTAL
(Excluding Territories)

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Source	U. S.	Region								
		I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX
Private Physician										
P & S Syphilis Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	112	0	95	136	107	89	58	92	143	381
Early Latent	64	0	91	80	52	59	38	18	0	48
Other Syphilis	8	0	3	17	6	15	19	0	0	0
Gonorrhoea	3	0	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
Other V. D.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	171	0	183	153	172	200	269	119	0	95
Clinic-P & S Syphilis Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	109	200	126	84	93	101	126	149	0	117
Early Latent	50	0	91	39	31	60	57	62	0	54
Other Syphilis	10	0	9	5	5	33	0	14	0	3
Gonorrhoea	11	0	12	13	18	0	38	3	0	3
Other V. D.	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	177	0	218	190	206	218	107	150	333	59
Clinic-Gonorrhoea Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Early Latent	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1
Other Syphilis	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gonorrhoea	396	313	251	595	417	268	234	478	479	296
Other V. D.	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	414	63	569	261	405	597	571	235	130	519
All Military Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	4	42	0	3	9	6	0	0	0	5
Early Latent	4	0	0	5	7	0	0	6	0	0
Other Syphilis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Gonorrhoea	364	167	189	441	276	305	322	528	271	328
Other V. D.	1	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	345	125	511	303	441	377	299	197	229	416
All Private Physician Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	43	0	59	70	59	30	10	26	13	64
Early Latent	34	17	58	51	36	28	6	43	0	20
Other Syphilis	8	0	5	20	5	16	6	5	0	4
Gonorrhoea	189	138	49	166	132	176	295	289	468	276
Other V. D.	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	180	155	195	185	253	217	128	79	65	172
All Clinic Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	23	11	32	20	21	16	17	29	0	31
Early Latent	14	11	29	12	10	13	10	18	0	16
Other Syphilis	6	11	6	6	4	12	2	8	13	2
Gonorrhoea	269	172	152	396	286	193	183	323	440	188
Other V. D.	2	0	0	6	1	0	0	2	6	0
Prophylactic Rx.	319	46	394	221	321	468	455	193	138	342
All Civilian Other Suspects										
P & S Syphilis	14	4	23	11	15	12	8	15	6	12
Early Latent	24	21	32	19	15	32	26	26	12	31
Other Syphilis	134	67	177	108	51	247	147	143	83	82
Gonorrhoea	59	102	7	30	54	81	97	107	325	8
Other V. D.	2	1	0	4	3	0	1	2	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	10	6	17	7	7	11	29	4	24	11
All Persons Examined										
P & S Syphilis	19	6	28	16	19	14	11	20	4	23
Early Latent	21	19	33	17	14	24	18	23	4	21
Other Syphilis	75	55	115	62	27	150	82	82	35	36
Gonorrhoea	155	113	53	190	168	128	153	211	382	124
Other V. D.	2	1	0	5	2	0	1	2	2	0
Prophylactic Rx.	147	23	142	105	170	190	175	86	92	202

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DIAGNOSTIC OBSERVATION IN PUBLIC CLINICS

January - March 1960

States By HEW Regions	Diagnostic Observations Completed*	Annual Rate Per 100,000 Population	Ratio To Last Year	Persons Infected		Persons Given Prophylactic Treatment
				Number	Percent of Observations	
Connecticut	59	9.82	.98	19	32.2	0
Massachusetts	479	39.07	.58	307	64.1	54
Rhode Island	139	65.57	.92	5	3.6	5
REGION I TOTAL	677	33.20	.65	331	48.9	59
Delaware	626	561.44	.91	115	18.4	41
New Jersey	7499	509.97	1.22	1132	15.1	394
New York	18753	456.09	1.09	4503	24.0	1286
Pennsylvania	2648	93.71	1.13	1517	57.3	570
REGION II TOTAL	29526	346.57	1.13	7267	24.6	2291
District of Columbia	9310	4547.01	1.10	3655	39.3	155
Kentucky	6767	878.83	.82	995	14.7	7
Maryland	3717	500.44	.92	1334	35.9	339
North Carolina	28642	2573.41	.80	2432	8.5	655
Virginia	19866	2057.06	1.55	1662	8.4	280
West Virginia	3443	701.22	.95	345	10.0	38
REGION III TOTAL	71745	1673.45	.98	10423	14.5	1474
Alabama	6277	792.55	.73	875	13.9	820
Florida	55498	4749.51	1.11	3258	5.9	681
Georgia	59325	6299.44	1.09	5143	8.7	1805
Mississippi	29391	5435.23	.76	2747	9.3	442
South Carolina	9806	1659.92	.91	901	9.0	95
Tennessee	7498	861.10	.79	1939	25.9	348
REGION IV TOTAL	167795	3421.25	.97	14863	8.9	4191
Illinois	44238	1742.17	1.01	6653	15.0	2549
Indiana	672	58.06	.95	364	54.2	0
Michigan	7737	389.48	.96	2777	35.9	617
Ohio	7851	324.46	.66	1863	23.7	2605
Wisconsin	451	45.05	1.03	224	49.7	2
REGION V TOTAL	60949	669.48	.94	11881	19.5	5773
Iowa	115	16.39	1.00	110	95.7	3
Kansas	394	74.90	.29	273	69.3	106
Minnesota	591	69.65	.89	75	12.7	1
Missouri	6992	663.85	1.05	2583	36.9	606
Nebraska	144	39.97	1.16	53	36.8	2
South Dakota	280	164.71	1.04	28	10.0	4
REGION VI TOTAL	8516	232.69	.93	3122	36.7	722
Arkansas	13501	3116.22	.60	736	5.5	141
Louisiana	24302	3092.85	.96	5424	22.3	168
New Mexico	248	116.16	.41	136	54.8	5
Oklahoma	8126	1450.42	1.06	751	9.2	308
Texas	42185	1805.29	.95	3696	8.8	801
REGION VII TOTAL	88362	2040.93	.88	10743	12.2	1423
Colorado	4223	1021.28	.81	66	1.6	25
Idaho	1006	610.62	1.04	36	3.6	3
Utah	82	37.44	1.32	16	19.5	1
Wyoming	175	220.13	1.47	4	2.3	6
REGION VIII TOTAL	5486	625.72	.86	122	2.2	35
Alaska	103	262.42	17.17	95	92.2	2
Arizona	14255	4704.62	.98	511	3.6	117
Hawaii	84	56.09	.44	15	17.9	5
Nevada	126	185.29	.11	63	50.0	22
Oregon	1666	378.64	2.22	285	17.1	58
Washington	3116	450.62	.82	399	12.8	218
REGION IX TOTAL	19350	1143.96	.95	1368	7.1	422
U. S. TOTAL	552406	1401.67	1.17	60120	10.9	16390
Puerto Rico	41919	7171.77	.88	2194	5.2	2950
U. S. & TERRITORIES	594325	1485.99	1.14	62314	10.5	19340
Cities (incl. above)						
Detroit	3277	671.52	1.01	1169	35.7	245
New York	12947	666.43	1.18	3975	30.7	1162
Philadelphia	1801	326.42	1.31	1092	60.6	531
Pittsburgh	345	83.74	1.46	199	57.7	25
Baltimore	1820	739.09	.91	1273	69.9	302
Chicago	21977	2282.74	.96	5813	26.5	2225

* A diagnostic observation is an examination of a person to determine the presence or absence of venereal disease (other than observations to determine response to therapy). Observations are excluded for persons given prophylactic treatment, transferred to another clinic, or lapsing from observation before the diagnosis is completed.

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