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VENEREAL DISEASE MORBIDITY SUMMARY
 UNITED STATES TOTAL
 (Excluding Territories)

January - March 1959

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	4172	386	399	3143	123	121	4583	11	1	2	14
		Female	3375	68	380	2568	239	120	1358	2	1	1	4
	Nonwhite	Male	2854	180	438	2107	59	70	5768	14	4	8	26
		Female	3445	155	645	2433	145	67	1734	4	5	3	12
	Total		13846	789	1862	10251	566	378	13443	31	11	14	56
BY CLINICS, HOSPITALS, OR OTHER INSTITUTIONS	White and Unknown	Male	2787	271	325	2088	56	47	4410	81	2	13	96
		Female	1641	71	244	1221	79	26	2477	5	1		6
	Nonwhite	Male	5764	609	903	3966	220	66	24330	250	35	72	357
		Female	5246	351	1015	3522	334	24	12058	50	24	21	95
	Total		15438	1302	2487	10797	689	163	43275	386	62	106	554
TOTAL ALL SOURCES	White and Unknown	Male	6959	657	724	5231	179	168	8993	92	3	15	110
		Female	5016	139	624	3789	318	146	3835	7	2	1	10
	Nonwhite	Male	8618	789	1341	6073	279	136	30098	264	39	80	383
		Female	8691	506	1660	5955	479	91	13792	54	29	24	107
	Total		29284	2091	4349	21048	1255	541	56718	417	73	120	610

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CASES OF VENEREAL DISEASE REPORTED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
BY STATE AND TERRITORIAL HEALTH DEPARTMENTS
(Known Military Cases Excluded)

January - March 1959

States By HEW Regions	SYPHILIS					GONORRHEA	CHANCROID	GRANULOMA- INGUINALE	LYMPHO- GRANULOMA VENEREUM
	Total* Syphills	Primary & Secondary	Early Latent	Late & Late Latent	Congenital				
Connecticut	161	20	54	82	4	354	0	0	0
Maine	4	0	0	4	0	11	0	0	0
Massachusetts	449	60	67	294	28	435	2	1	0
New Hampshire	21	1	0	19	1	14	0	0	0
Rhode Island	66	2	6	34	4	32	0	0	0
Vermont	5	1	0	4	0	13	0	0	0
REGION I TOTAL	706	84	127	437	37	659	2	1	0
Delaware	171	8	40	103	9	284	0	0	0
New Jersey	1222	74	139	953	56	1062	7	1	11
New York	3773	321	446	2925	78	3919	43	5	1
Pennsylvania	2862	59	285	2348	170	1317	7	1	15
REGION II TOTAL	8028	462	910	6329	313	6582	57	7	0
District of Columbia	423	40	72	303	8	2734	21	6	18
Kentucky	558	17	8	440	21	681	0	0	0
Maryland	1025	46	113	793	47	1548	6	2	2
North Carolina	766	47	134	542	43	2373	39	4	3
Virginia	1168	46	114	896	67	1644	3	2	0
West Virginia	347	10	46	271	20	326	2	0	25
REGION III TOTAL	4287	206	487	3245	206	9506	71	14	0
Alabama	341	78	137	105	10	887	8	2	3
Florida	1003	86	203	669	45	2570	55	18	19
Georgia	704	189	187	274	23	3050	31	12	18
Mississippi	147	16	20	85	26	1740	15	5	4
South Carolina	1316	58	215	933	110	2657	5	1	2
Tennessee	434	54	83	260	36	3182	14	0	46
REGION IV TOTAL	3945	481	845	2326	250	14086	128	38	0
Illinois	1981	214	300	1381	86	4339	8	1	2
Indiana	282	21	35	206	20	433	0	1	1
Michigan	860	11	132	526	37	1884	46	0	5
Ohio	962	32	147	753	30	1906	8	3	0
Wisconsin	215	12	29	120	7	232	62	5	12
REGION V TOTAL	4300	290	643	2986	180	8794	62	5	0
Iowa	250	4	3	230	12	209	0	0	1
Kansas	401	24	48	311	18	331	6	2	0
Minnesota	28	7	3	18	0	262	0	0	1
Missouri	604	17	92	555	26	1393	9	0	0
Nebraska	65	0	1	62	2	194	0	0	0
North Dakota	13	1	2	9	0	91	0	0	0
South Dakota	36	2	5	29	0	116	0	0	2
REGION VI TOTAL	1487	55	154	1214	58	2596	15	2	0
Arkansas	589	51	71	446	21	1991	2	1	6
Louisiana	2250	50	411	1731	48	1489	16	2	1
New Mexico	157	13	42	87	14	318	0	0	4
Oklahoma	477	18	44	391	24	823	3	0	1
Texas	921	107	213	485	36	4123	32	1	12
REGION VII TOTAL	4394	239	781	3140	143	8744	53	4	0
Colorado	77	10	12	52	3	208	1	0	0
Idaho	8	0	1	7	0	70	0	0	0
Montana	34	4	0	21	1	64	0	0	0
Utah	15	1	4	10	0	72	0	0	0
Wyoming	7	0	1	4	0	14	0	0	0
REGION VIII TOTAL	141	15	18	94	6	428	1	0	0
Alaska	15	2	4	4	1	51	0	0	0
Arizona	249	24	52	161	12	866	7	0	7
California	1436	217	283	885	41	3469	10	2	0
Nevada	53	2	15	34	2	79	9	0	0
Oregon	167	4	21	138	4	247	0	0	1
Washington	76	10	9	55	2	411	2	2	8
REGION IX TOTAL	1996	259	384	1277	62	5123	28	2	0
U. S. TOTAL	29284	2091	4349	21048	1255	56718	417	73	120
Puerto Rico	296	18	74	178	26	746	5	0	0
Virgin Islands	21	0	9	12	0	18	1	0	0
Hawaii	24	7	0	14	3	39	1	0	8
Canal Zone	13	0	0	10	0	67	1	0	8
TERRITORY TOTAL	354	25	83	214	29	870	8	0	0
U. S. & TERRITORIES	29638	2116	4432	21262	1284	57588	425	73	128

* Includes cases with stage "not stated".

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RATES OF VENEREAL DISEASE REPORTED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
BY STATE AND TERRITORIAL HEALTH DEPARTMENTS
(Known Military Cases Excluded)
Rates per 100,000 Population

January - March 1959

States By HEW Regions	SYPHILIS									
	Total* Syphilis	Primary & Secondary	Early Latent	Late & Late Latent	Congenital	GONORRHEA	CHANCROID	GRANULOMA- INGUINALE	LYMPO- GRANULOMA VENEREUM	
Connecticut	27.95	3.47	9.38	14.24	.69	61.46	.00	.00	.00	
Maine	1.71	.00	.00	1.71	.00	4.71	.00	.00	.00	
Massachusetts	37.32	4.99	5.57	24.43	2.33	36.15	.17	.08	.00	
New Hampshire	14.56	.69	.00	13.17	.69	9.71	.00	.00	.00	
Rhode Island	31.39	.95	2.85	16.17	1.90	15.22	.00	.00	.00	
Vermont	5.41	1.08	.00	4.32	.00	14.05	.00	.00	.00	
REGION I TOTAL	28.70	3.41	5.16	17.76	1.50	34.92	.08	.04	.00	
Delaware	153.36	7.17	35.87	92.38	8.07	254.71	.00	.00	.00	
New Jersey	85.80	5.20	9.76	66.91	3.93	74.57	.49	.07	.21	
New York	93.25	7.93	11.02	72.29	1.93	96.86	1.06	.12	.27	
Pennsylvania	103.31	2.13	10.29	84.76	6.14	47.54	.25	.04	.04	
REGION II TOTAL	96.12	5.53	10.90	75.78	3.75	78.81	.68	.08	.18	
District of Columbia	210.45	19.90	35.82	150.75	3.98	1360.20	10.45	2.99	8.96	
Kentucky	73.57	2.24	1.05	58.01	2.77	89.78	.00	.00	.00	
Maryland	141.43	6.35	15.59	109.42	6.48	213.59	.83	.28	.28	
North Carolina	68.53	4.20	11.99	48.49	3.85	230.19	3.49	.36	.18	
Virginia	123.53	4.87	12.06	94.77	7.09	173.88	.32	.21	.32	
West Virginia	70.53	2.03	9.35	55.08	4.07	66.26	.41	.00	.00	
REGION III TOTAL	101.12	4.86	11.49	76.54	4.86	224.23	1.67	.33	.59	
Alabama	42.83	9.80	17.21	13.19	1.26	111.40	1.00	.25	.38	
Florida	92.27	7.91	18.68	61.55	4.14	236.43	5.06	1.66	1.75	
Georgia	75.11	20.17	19.95	29.23	2.45	325.42	3.21	1.28	1.92	
Mississippi	27.11	2.95	3.69	15.68	4.79	320.89	2.77	.18	.74	
South Carolina	224.38	9.89	36.66	159.08	18.76	453.03	.85	.85	.00	
Tennessee	50.30	6.26	9.62	30.14	4.17	368.82	1.62	.00	.23	
REGION IV TOTAL	81.98	10.00	17.56	48.34	5.20	292.73	2.66	.79	.96	
Illinois	80.54	8.70	12.20	56.14	3.50	176.40	.33	.04	.08	
Indiana	24.66	1.84	3.06	18.01	1.75	37.87	.00	.09	.09	
Michigan	43.82	.96	6.73	26.80	1.89	96.00	2.34	.00	.20	
Ohio	41.27	1.37	6.31	32.31	1.29	81.78	.34	.13	.21	
Wisconsin	21.87	1.22	2.95	12.21	.71	23.60	.00	.00	.00	
REGION V TOTAL	48.43	3.27	7.24	33.63	2.03	99.04	.70	.06	.14	
Iowa	35.46	.57	.43	32.62	1.70	29.65	.00	.00	.00	
Kansas	77.15	4.62	9.24	59.84	3.46	63.68	1.15	.38	.19	
Minnesota	3.32	.83	.36	2.14	.00	31.10	.00	.00	.00	
Missouri	65.46	1.60	8.68	52.35	2.45	131.38	.85	.00	.09	
Nebraska	18.01	.00	.28	17.17	.55	53.74	.00	.00	.00	
North Dakota	8.01	.62	1.23	5.55	.00	56.09	.00	.00	.00	
South Dakota	20.81	1.16	2.89	16.76	.00	67.05	.00	.00	.00	
REGION VI TOTAL	38.89	1.44	4.03	31.75	1.52	67.89	.39	.05	.05	
Arkansas	134.71	11.66	16.24	102.00	4.80	455.35	.46	.23	.00	
Louisiana	292.49	6.50	53.43	225.02	6.24	193.57	2.08	.26	.78	
New Mexico	76.96	6.37	20.59	42.65	6.66	155.88	.00	.00	.49	
Oklahoma	84.80	3.20	7.82	69.51	4.27	146.31	.53	.00	.18	
Texas	40.02	4.65	9.25	21.07	1.56	179.14	1.39	.04	.17	
REGION VII TOTAL	102.80	5.59	18.27	73.46	3.35	204.59	1.24	.09	.28	
Colorado	18.37	2.39	2.86	12.40	.72	49.61	.24	.00	.00	
Idaho	4.86	.00	.61	4.26	.00	42.55	.00	.00	.00	
Montana	19.94	2.35	.00	12.32	.59	37.54	.00	.00	.00	
Utah	6.97	.46	1.86	4.65	.00	33.45	.00	.00	.00	
Wyoming	8.86	.00	1.27	5.06	2.53	17.72	.00	.00	.00	
REGION VIII TOTAL	13.45	1.43	1.72	8.97	.57	40.82	.10	.00	.00	
Alaska	35.93	4.79	9.58	9.58	2.40	122.16	.00	.00	.00	
Arizona	89.09	8.59	18.60	57.60	4.29	309.84	2.50	.00	.00	
California	40.96	6.19	8.07	25.24	1.17	98.94	.29	.06	.20	
Nevada	84.80	3.20	24.00	54.40	3.20	126.40	14.40	.00	.00	
Oregon	37.78	.90	4.75	31.22	.90	55.88	.00	.00	.00	
Washington	11.23	1.48	1.33	8.13	.30	60.75	.30	.00	.15	
REGION IX TOTAL	39.84	5.17	7.66	25.49	1.24	102.25	.56	.04	.16	
U. S. TOTAL	67.64	4.83	10.05	48.62	2.90	131.01	.96	.17	.28	
Puerto Rico	51.34	3.12	12.84	30.88	4.51	129.40	.87	.00	.00	
Virgin Islands	323.08	.00	138.46	184.62	.00	276.92	15.38	.00	.00	
Hawaii	16.61	4.84	.00	9.69	2.08	26.99	.69	.00	.00	
Canal Zone	133.33	.00	.00	102.56	.00	687.18	10.26	.00	82.05	
TERRITORY TOTAL	48.02	3.39	11.26	29.03	3.93	118.01	1.09	.00	1.09	
U. S. & TERRITORIES	67.31	4.81	10.07	48.29	2.92	130.79	.97	.17	.29	

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January - March 1959

Cities	SYPHILIS					GONORRHEA	CHANCROID	GRANULOMA- INGUINALE	LYMPHO- GRANULOMA VENEREUM
	Total* Syphilis	Primary and Secondary	Early Latent	Late and Late Latent	Congenital				
Boston	220	36	23	149	12	239	1	0	0
Providence	37	1	4	22	0	20	0	0	0
Worcester	3	0	0	2	1	19	0	0	0
REGION I CITY TOTAL	260	37	27	173	13	278	1	0	0
Buffalo	55	11	3	38	3	255	0	0	0
Jersey City	61	4	17	37	3	130	1	0	1
Newark	297	38	53	198	8	407	2	0	1
New York	3374	291	432	2601	50	3019	43	5	11
Philadelphia	976	37	160	737	42	1074	7	1	1
Pittsburgh	376	12	32	311	21	116	0	0	0
Rochester	27	0	0	22	5	169	2	0	0
Syracuse	22	2	0	20	0	136	0	0	0
REGION II CITY TOTAL	5188	395	697	3964	132	5307	55	6	14
Baltimore	402	42	54	267	13	1424	3	2	2
Louisville	158	10	2	132	8	281	0	0	0
Norfolk	244	9	15	208	11	695	1	2	1
Richmond	143	9	19	111	4	240	0	0	0
Washington, D.C.	423	40	72	303	8	2734	21	6	18
REGION III CITY TOTAL	1370	110	162	1021	44	5374	25	10	21
Atlanta	86	10	13	56	2	1707	14	3	10
Birmingham	206	2	37	164	3	212	3	1	0
Jacksonville	90	6	14	69	1	581	16	1	4
Memphis	177	8	39	115	15	1629	0	0	1
Miami	164	30	50	78	6	355	11	3	7
REGION IV CITY TOTAL	723	56	153	482	27	4484	44	8	22
Akron	37	0	8	29	0	146	0	0	0
Chicago	1711	203	264	1172	72	3853	8	1	2
Cincinnati	159	3	33	121	2	342	0	1	4
Cleveland	148	5	25	115	3	501	1	1	0
Columbus	103	11	7	81	4	258	3	1	1
Dayton	48	2	16	28	2	181	1	0	0
Detroit	473	4	65	311	20	1037	43	1	3
Indianapolis	131	10	17	92	12	299	0	0	1
Milwaukee	76	7	19	36	2	207	0	0	0
Toledo	67	2	3	59	3	124	0	0	0
REGION V CITY TOTAL	2953	247	457	2044	120	6948	56	5	11
Kansas City	168	1	23	139	5	184	3	0	1
Minneapolis	7	1	0	6	0	157	0	0	0
Omaha	24	0	3	21	0	90	0	0	0
St. Louis	353	7	61	276	9	973	5	0	0
St. Paul	10	5	3	2	0	21	0	0	0
REGION VI CITY TOTAL	562	14	90	444	14	1425	8	0	1
Dallas	94	11	11	46	0	766	2	1	0
Fort Worth	72	6	11	54	1	643	3	0	0
Houston	474	52	128	252	23	813	23	0	3
New Orleans	1452	36	274	1123	13	597	8	1	5
Oklahoma City	128	4	15	106	3	360	2	0	0
San Antonio	10	0	3	6	1	181	0	0	0
REGION VII CITY TOTAL	2230	109	442	1587	41	3360	38	2	8
Denver	50	7	5	37	1	180	2	0	0
REGION VIII CITY TOTAL	50	7	5	37	1	180	2	0	0
Long Beach	36	1	3	30	2	79	0	0	0
Los Angeles	463	56	111	275	21	1385	1	0	3
Oakland	75	20	12	43	0	297	2	0	0
Portland	72	3	9	60	0	148	0	0	0
San Diego	34	6	7	19	0	148	3	0	0
San Francisco	197	88	45	64	0	515	3	0	1
Seattle	35	7	5	22	1	250	1	0	0
REGION IX CITY TOTAL	912	181	192	513	24	2822	10	0	4
U. S. TOTAL (Cities only)	14248	1156	2225	10265	416	30178	239	31	81
Honolulu	19	7	0	8	4	22	1	0	0
San Juan	64	6	5	48	5	184	1	0	0
TERRITORY CITY TOTAL	83	13	5	56	9	206	2	0	0
U. S. & TERRITORIES (Cities only)	14331	1169	2230	10321	425	30384	241	31	81

* Includes cases with stage "not stated".

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RATES OF VENEREAL DISEASE REPORTED TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
BY CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENTS
(Known Military Cases Excluded)
Rates per 100,000 Population

January - March 1959

SYPHILIS

Cities	Total * Syphilis	Primary and Secondary	Early Latent	Late and Late Latent	Congenital	GONORRHEA	CHANCROID	GRANULOMA- INGUINALE	LYMPHO- GRANULOMA VENEREUM
Boston	118.60	19.41	12.40	80.32	6.47	128.84	.54	.00	.00
Providence	64.35	1.74	6.96	38.26	.00	34.78	.00	.00	.00
Worcester	5.74	.00	.00	3.83	1.91	36.36	.00	.00	.00
REGION I CITY TOTAL	88.06	12.53	9.14	58.59	4.40	94.16	.34	.00	.00
Buffalo	20.35	4.07	1.11	14.06	1.11	94.36	.00	.00	.00
Jersey City	80.79	5.30	22.52	49.01	3.97	172.19	1.32	.00	1.32
Newark	261.67	33.48	46.70	174.45	7.05	358.59	1.76	.00	.88
New York	173.36	14.95	22.20	133.64	2.57	155.12	2.21	.26	.57
Philadelphia	176.73	6.70	28.97	133.45	7.61	194.48	1.27	.18	.18
Pittsburgh	91.43	2.92	7.78	75.62	5.11	28.21	.00	.00	.00
Rochester	18.78	.00	.00	15.30	3.48	117.57	1.39	.00	.00
Syracuse	41.12	3.74	.00	37.38	.00	254.21	.00	.00	.00
REGION II CITY TOTAL	145.48	11.08	19.54	111.15	3.70	148.81	1.54	.17	.39
Baltimore	164.42	17.18	22.09	109.20	5.32	582.41	1.23	.82	.82
Louisville	106.94	6.76	1.35	89.34	5.41	190.19	.00	.00	.00
Norfolk	316.88	11.69	19.48	270.13	14.29	902.60	1.30	2.60	1.30
Richmond	235.39	14.81	31.28	182.72	6.58	395.06	.00	.00	.00
Washington, D.C.	210.45	19.90	35.82	150.75	3.98	1360.20	10.45	2.99	8.96
REGION III CITY TOTAL	187.41	15.05	22.16	139.67	6.02	735.16	3.42	1.37	2.87
Atlanta	62.66	7.29	9.47	40.80	1.46	124.72	10.20	2.19	7.29
Birmingham	225.75	2.19	40.55	179.73	3.29	232.33	3.29	1.10	.00
Jacksonville	155.84	10.39	24.24	119.48	1.73	1006.06	27.71	1.73	6.93
Memphis	128.73	5.82	28.36	83.64	10.91	1184.73	.00	.00	.73
Miami	237.68	43.48	72.46	113.04	8.70	514.49	15.94	4.35	10.14
REGION IV CITY TOTAL	146.73	11.36	31.05	97.82	5.48	910.00	8.93	1.62	4.46
Akron	48.68	.00	10.53	38.16	.00	192.11	.00	.00	.00
Chicago	178.51	21.18	27.54	122.27	7.51	401.98	.83	.10	.21
Cincinnati	115.64	2.18	24.00	88.00	1.45	248.73	.00	.73	2.91
Cleveland	62.45	2.11	10.55	48.52	1.27	211.39	.42	.42	.00
Columbus	91.15	9.73	6.19	71.68	3.54	228.32	2.65	.88	.88
Dayton	65.75	2.74	21.92	38.36	2.74	247.95	1.37	.00	.00
Detroit	97.03	.82	13.33	63.80	4.10	212.72	8.82	.00	.61
Indianapolis	116.19	8.87	15.08	81.60	10.64	265.19	.00	.89	.89
Milwaukee	40.21	3.70	10.05	19.05	1.06	109.52	.00	.00	.00
Toledo	79.76	2.38	3.57	70.24	3.57	147.62	.00	.00	.00
REGION V CITY TOTAL	119.64	10.01	18.52	82.81	4.86	281.50	2.27	.20	.45
Kansas City	135.21	.80	18.51	111.87	4.02	148.09	2.41	.00	.80
Minneapolis	5.05	.72	.00	4.33	.00	113.36	.00	.00	.00
Omaha	32.21	.00	4.03	28.19	.00	120.81	.00	.00	.00
St. Louis	162.30	3.22	28.05	126.90	4.14	447.36	2.30	.00	.00
St. Paul	11.83	5.92	3.55	2.37	.00	24.85	.00	.00	.00
REGION VI CITY TOTAL	87.92	2.19	14.08	69.46	2.19	222.92	1.25	.00	.16
Dallas	58.29	6.82	6.82	28.53	.00	475.04	1.24	.62	.00
Fort Worth	74.23	6.19	11.34	55.67	1.03	662.89	3.09	.00	.00
Houston	208.35	22.86	56.26	110.77	10.11	357.35	10.11	.00	1.32
New Orleans	892.17	22.12	168.36	690.02	7.99	366.82	4.92	.61	3.07
Oklahoma City	172.40	5.39	20.20	142.76	4.04	484.85	2.69	.00	.00
San Antonio	6.45	.00	1.94	3.87	.65	116.77	.00	.00	.00
REGION VII CITY TOTAL	254.06	12.42	50.36	180.80	4.67	382.80	4.33	.23	.91
Denver	38.61	5.41	3.86	28.57	.77	139.00	1.54	.00	.00
REGION VIII CITY TOTAL	38.61	5.41	3.86	28.57	.77	139.00	1.54	.00	.00
Long Beach	46.01	1.28	3.83	38.33	2.56	100.96	.00	.00	.00
Los Angeles	79.55	9.62	19.07	47.25	3.61	237.95	.17	.00	.52
Oakland	40.54	10.81	6.49	23.24	.00	160.54	1.08	.00	.00
Portland	69.90	2.91	8.74	58.25	.00	143.69	.00	.00	.00
San Diego	15.01	2.65	3.09	8.39	.00	65.34	1.32	.00	.00
San Francisco	98.25	43.89	22.44	31.92	.00	256.86	1.50	.00	.50
Seattle	16.28	3.26	2.33	10.23	.47	116.28	.47	.00	.00
REGION IX CITY TOTAL	57.35	11.38	12.07	32.26	1.51	177.46	.63	.00	.25
U. S. TOTAL (Cities only)	132.05	10.71	20.62	95.13	3.86	279.68	2.21	.29	.75
Honolulu	30.65	11.29	.00	12.90	6.45	35.48	1.61	.00	.00
San Juan	56.02	5.25	4.38	42.01	4.38	161.05	.88	.00	.00
TERRITORY CITY TOTAL	47.09	7.38	2.84	31.77	5.11	116.88	1.13	.00	.00
U. S. & TERRITORIES (Cities only)	130.68	10.66	20.33	94.11	3.88	277.06	2.20	.28	.74

* Includes cases with stage "not stated".

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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

January - March 1959

States By HEW Regions	Total Contacts and Suspects*		Contacts of Military Cases								Gonorrhea		Selectees and Separatees	
			Syphilis				Other							
			Pri. & Sec.		Early Latent		Other		Other					
			Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined				
Connecticut	22	50.0	0	-	0	-	2	50.0	20	50.0	0	-		
Maine	16	37.5	0	-	0	-	0	-	16	37.5	0	-		
Massachusetts	139	66.2	7	57.1	1	100.0	0	-	118	62.7	13	100.0		
New Hampshire	6	100.0	4	100.0	0	-	0	-	2	100.0	0	-		
Rhode Island	45	40.0	2	.0	0	-	1	.0	40	42.5	0	-		
Vermont	2	100.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	2	100.0	0	-		
REGION I TOTAL	230	58.7	13	61.5	1	100.0	3	33.3	198	56.1	13	100.0		
Delaware	11	90.9	0	-	0	-	0	-	8	87.5	3	100.0		
New Jersey	64	64.1	3	66.7	1	.0	0	-	39	46.2	21	100.0		
New York	334	49.1	14	57.1	0	-	1	.0	199	46.2	119	52.9		
Pennsylvania	103	63.1	5	60.0	5	.0	1	100.0	75	62.7	16	87.5		
REGION II TOTAL	512	54.7	22	59.1	6	.0	2	50.0	321	51.1	159	63.5		
District of Columbia	80	35.0	1	100.0	4	25.0	0	-	73	32.9	2	100.0		
Kentucky	127	33.1	4	75.0	2	50.0	0	-	108	26.9	9	66.7		
Maryland	9	88.9	1	100.0	1	100.0	0	-	4	75.0	3	100.0		
North Carolina	366	46.7	14	57.1	2	50.0	5	.0	320	44.4	22	81.8		
Virginia	286	76.2	10	40.0	0	-	0	-	253	76.3	18	94.4		
West Virginia	39	56.4	0	-	0	-	0	-	30	53.3	9	66.7		
REGION III TOTAL	907	53.9	30	56.7	9	44.4	5	.0	788	51.6	63	82.5		
Alabama	139	63.3	7	57.1	0	-	1	.0	100	58.0	30	83.3		
Florida	190	51.6	4	75.0	3	100.0	0	-	166	47.6	14	71.4		
Georgia	237	68.4	3	33.3	1	.0	2	100.0	190	64.2	40	90.0		
Mississippi	120	77.5	2	100.0	0	-	0	-	96	75.0	21	85.7		
South Carolina	271	72.3	11	100.0	1	100.0	1	100.0	243	70.8	15	73.3		
Tennessee	194	90.7	23	87.0	5	100.0	0	-	153	90.2	13	100.0		
REGION IV TOTAL	1151	70.6	50	82.0	10	90.0	4	75.0	948	67.6	133	85.0		
Illinois	86	57.0	2	50.0	0	-	0	-	61	60.7	23	47.8		
Indiana	50	46.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	39	46.2	11	45.5		
Michigan	146	43.8	0	-	1	.0	1	.0	114	42.1	30	53.3		
Ohio	69	62.3	3	100.0	0	-	0	-	44	52.3	22	77.3		
Wisconsin**	N.A.													
REGION V TOTAL	351	51.0	5	80.0	1	.0	1	.0	258	48.8	86	57.0		
Iowa	9	100.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	6	100.0	3	100.0		
Kansas	56	62.5	3	66.7	0	-	0	-	40	55.0	13	84.6		
Minnesota	6	100.0	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	5	100.0	0	-		
Missouri	104	69.2	0	-	0	-	0	-	94	67.0	10	90.0		
Nebraska	35	68.6	0	-	0	-	1	100.0	31	64.5	3	100.0		
North Dakota	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-		
South Dakota	41	68.3	2	100.0	0	-	0	-	39	66.7	0	-		
REGION VI TOTAL	251	69.3	6	83.3	0	-	1	100.0	215	66.0	29	89.7		
Arkansas	37	56.8	0	-	0	-	1	100.0	28	46.4	8	87.5		
Louisiana	154	65.6	0	-	0	-	0	-	130	61.5	24	87.5		
New Mexico	43	58.1	0	-	0	-	0	-	33	48.5	10	90.0		
Oklahoma	122	73.8	2	100.0	4	100.0	0	-	110	73.6	6	50.0		
Texas	502	76.5	8	62.5	1	.0	0	-	449	75.7	37	91.9		
REGION VII TOTAL	858	72.4	10	70.0	5	80.0	1	100.0	750	70.7	85	87.1		
Colorado	53	47.2	0	-	0	-	0	-	49	44.9	3	66.7		
Idaho	2	100.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	2	100.0	0	-		
Montana	7	14.3	0	-	0	-	3	33.3	4	.0	0	-		
Utah	5	80.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	5	80.0	0	-		
Wyoming	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-		
REGION VIII TOTAL	67	47.8	0	-	0	-	3	33.3	60	46.7	3	66.7		
Alaska	47	19.1	1	.0	0	-	0	-	45	20.0	0	-		
Arizona	36	47.2	1	.0	0	-	1	100.0	25	40.0	10	70.0		
California	452	44.5	10	40.0	2	50.0	3	33.3	431	44.5	0	-		
Nevada	6	83.3	0	-	0	-	0	-	4	75.0	2	100.0		
Oregon	39	66.7	0	-	0	-	0	-	37	67.6	2	90.0		
Washington	97	67.0	1	100.0	1	100.0	0	-	83	62.7	10	90.0		
REGION IX TOTAL	677	47.7	13	38.5	3	66.7	3	33.3	625	46.6	24	79.2		
U. S. TOTAL	5004	60.9	149	67.1	35	57.1	23	39.1	4163	58.6	595	75.5		
Puerto Rico	285	76.1	3	100.0	0	-	0	-	251	74.9	25	84.0		
Hawaii	68	80.9	4	100.0	2	50.0	0	-	51	78.4	10	100.0		
TERRITORY TOTAL	353	77.1	7	100.0	2	50.0	0	-	302	75.5	35	88.6		
U. S. & TERRITORIES	5357	61.9	156	68.6	37	56.8	23	39.1	4465	59.8	630	76.2		
Cities (incl. above)														
Detroit	49	46.9	0	-	0	-	1	.0	39	41.0	9	77.8		
New York	261	45.6	10	60.0	0	-	0	-	143	39.9	107	51.4		
Philadelphia	55	63.6	4	50.0	0	-	1	100.0	41	61.0	9	77.8		
Pittsburgh	7	42.9	0	-	0	-	0	-	5	20.0	2	100.0		
Chicago	36	47.2	2	50.0	0	-	0	-	19	52.6	15	40.0		

* Totals include Other V.D. not shown separately.
** Epidemiologic activity data from PHS 2127 not available.

VOLUME OF CASE-FINDING INVESTIGATIONS AND PERCENTAGE OF SUSPECTS EXAMINED
II - CONTACTS AND OTHER SUSPECTS AMONG PRIVATE PHYSICIAN PATIENTS
ALL AREAS REPORTING

January - March 1959

States By HEW Regions	Total Contacts and Suspects*		Contacts of Private Physician Cases								Positive STS and Other Suspects	
			Syphilis				Gonorrhea					
			Pri. & Sec.		Early Latent		Other		Gonorrhea			
Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined	Number Completed	Percent Examined	
Connecticut	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-
Maine	8	50.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	7	42.9	1	100.0
Massachusetts	36	75.0	7	85.7	3	100.0	1	100.0	21	66.7	4	75.0
New Hampshire	13	38.5	0	-	0	-	0	-	9	44.4	4	25.0
Rhode Island	3	33.3	0	-	1	100.0	0	-	2	.0	0	-
Vermont	30	86.7	0	-	0	-	0	-	17	82.4	13	92.3
REGION I TOTAL	90	70.0	7	85.7	4	100.0	1	100.0	56	62.5	22	77.3
Delaware	99	94.9	3	100.0	10	100.0	0	-	36	94.4	50	94.0
New Jersey	147	74.1	34	70.6	13	76.9	1	100.0	99	74.7	0	-
New York	813	82.4	355	78.3	21	85.7	0	-	120	86.7	317	85.2
Pennsylvania	1025	91.0	7	71.4	9	100.0	1	100.0	16	87.5	992	91.1
REGION II TOTAL	2084	86.7	399	77.7	53	88.7	2	100.0	271	83.4	1359	89.8
District of Columbia	19	73.7	4	100.0	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	14	64.3
Kentucky	669	92.7	23	95.7	4	100.0	1	.0	10	80.0	631	92.9
Maryland	276	96.0	16	100.0	2	100.0	0	-	0	-	258	95.7
North Carolina	399	88.7	37	89.2	4	100.0	2	100.0	61	83.6	295	89.5
Virginia	1213	93.7	37	97.3	16	93.8	6	100.0	34	76.5	1120	94.0
West Virginia	476	89.5	7	71.4	8	50.0	2	100.0	14	64.3	445	91.2
REGION III TOTAL	3052	92.2	124	93.5	35	85.7	11	90.9	119	79.0	2763	92.8
Alabama	39	79.5	3	33.3	12	75.0	0	-	11	90.9	13	84.6
Florida	211	81.2	22	81.8	0	-	2	100.0	4	75.0	183	88.0
Georgia	567	94.2	113	95.6	27	81.5	0	-	60	90.0	366	95.4
Mississippi	423	89.6	10	90.0	4	100.0	29	93.1	51	86.3	328	89.6
South Carolina	137	94.2	28	78.6	5	100.0	8	100.0	7	100.0	89	97.8
Tennessee	580	92.1	17	94.1	12	75.0	0	-	55	94.5	436	92.2
REGION IV TOTAL	1897	91.5	193	90.2	60	81.7	39	94.9	188	90.4	1415	92.2
Illinois	321	53.9	30	76.7	16	62.5	10	100.0	235	46.4	30	70.0
Indiana	92	83.7	4	100.0	2	100.0	0	-	19	57.9	67	89.6
Michigan	944	82.9	34	64.7	9	66.7	8	75.0	58	48.3	835	86.3
Ohio	946	91.3	3	100.0	0	-	2	100.0	39	92.3	899	91.3
Wisconsin**	N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
REGION V TOTAL	2303	82.4	71	73.2	27	66.7	20	90.0	351	52.4	1831	88.6
Iowa	261	91.2	6	83.3	10	100.0	21	95.2	99	90.9	125	90.4
Kansas	215	86.5	10	90.0	14	57.1	10	90.0	25	64.0	156	92.3
Minnesota	382	87.4	5	40.0	1	100.0	0	-	58	55.2	318	94.0
Missouri	411	88.3	14	85.7	11	90.9	8	75.0	76	88.2	300	89.3
Nebraska	244	96.7	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	90	94.4	153	98.0
North Dakota	128	93.0	2	100.0	1	100.0	3	100.0	64	85.9	58	100.0
South Dakota	116	72.4	4	100.0	3	100.0	0	-	23	73.9	86	69.8
REGION VI TOTAL	1757	88.8	42	83.3	40	82.5	42	90.5	435	83.2	1196	91.3
Arkansas	141	88.7	35	82.9	7	85.7	4	75.0	8	87.5	87	92.0
Louisiana	1573	97.6	5	100.0	2	100.0	0	-	10	90.0	1554	97.6
New Mexico	96	97.9	0	-	5	100.0	0	-	7	100.0	84	97.6
Oklahoma	747	89.3	9	88.9	5	100.0	1	100.0	11	63.6	721	100.0
Texas	372	91.7	16	93.8	60	93.3	2	100.0	150	92.7	144	89.6
REGION VII TOTAL	2929	96.9	65	87.7	79	93.7	7	85.7	186	90.9	2590	97.6
Colorado	30	40.0	2	.0	5	.0	0	-	10	30.0	13	69.2
Idaho	48	81.3	0	-	1	100.0	0	-	8	87.5	39	79.5
Montana	18	44.4	1	.0	0	-	1	.0	3	33.3	1	.0
Utah	97	84.5	2	100.0	0	-	1	.0	94	85.1	0	-
Wyoming	1	100.0	0	-	0	-	0	-	1	100.0	0	-
REGION VIII TOTAL	194	73.2	5	40.0	6	16.7	2	.0	116	79.3	53	75.5
Alaska	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-
Arizona	159	77.4	13	76.9	35	94.3	0	-	23	39.1	88	80.7
California	143	59.4	20	70.0	3	66.7	12	75.0	105	55.2	0	-
Nevada	26	84.6	0	-	0	-	6	100.0	5	80.0	15	80.0
Oregon	138	73.9	2	100.0	4	25.0	1	100.0	22	63.6	109	77.1
Washington	12	83.3	3	100.0	0	-	0	-	9	77.8	0	-
REGION IX TOTAL	478	71.5	38	76.3	42	85.7	19	84.2	164	56.1	212	78.8
U. S. TOTAL	14784	89.3	944	82.7	346	84.4	143	89.5	1886	75.5	11441	92.3
Puerto Rico	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	-
Hawaii	155	92.3	2	100.0	0	-	0	-	19	47.4	134	98.5
TERRITORY TOTAL	155	92.3	2	100.0	0	-	0	-	19	47.4	134	98.5
U. S. & TERRITORIES	14939	89.3	946	82.8	346	84.4	143	89.5	1905	75.2	11575	92.4
Cities (incl. above)												
Detroit	353	84.7	11	63.6	1	100.0	1	100.0	9	33.3	331	86.7
New York	371	75.5	329	76.6	4	100.0	0	-	38	63.2	0	-
Philadelphia	96	76.0	4	75.0	1	.0	0	-	2	50.0	89	77.5
Pittsburgh	74	83.8	1	100.0	6	100.0	0	-	0	-	67	82.1
Chicago	63	77.8	23	87.0	0	-	7	100.0	3	33.3	30	70.0

* 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 1959

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 Cases Interviewed	Percent of Cases Interviewed	CONTACTS OBTAINED		
Number				Per Case Reported	Number Per Case Interviewed	Number Reported				Number Per Case Interviewed		
Connecticut	6	0	.0	-	-	-	14	1	7.1	2	.14	2.00
Maine	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
Massachusetts	35	0	.0	-	-	-	25	15	60.0	18	.72	1.20
New Hampshire	1	1	100.0	1	1.00	1.00	0	0	-	-	-	-
Rhode Island	0	0	-	-	-	-	2	0	.0	-	-	-
Vermont	1	0	.0	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
REGION I TOTAL	43	1	2.3	1	.02	1.00	41	16	39.0	20	.49	1.25
Delaware	4	5	125.0	14	3.50	2.80	4	4	100.0	24	6.00	6.00
New Jersey	31	36	116.1	65	2.10	1.81	43	44	102.3	165	3.84	3.75
New York	151	74	49.0	151	1.00	2.04	170	162	151.4	429	4.01	2.65
Pennsylvania	22	7	31.8	12	.55	1.71	37	33	89.2	132	3.57	4.00
REGION II TOTAL	208	122	58.7	242	1.16	1.98	254	243	127.2	750	3.93	3.09
District of Columbia	9	3	33.3	6	.67	2.00	31	25	80.6	99	3.19	3.96
Kentucky	9	8	88.9	22	2.44	2.75	8	7	87.5	38	4.75	5.43
Maryland	12	10	83.3	41	3.42	4.10	34	36	105.9	120	3.53	3.33
North Carolina	11	10	90.9	40	3.64	4.00	36	38	105.6	154	4.28	4.05
Virginia	20	9	45.0	26	1.30	2.89	26	21	80.8	78	3.00	3.71
West Virginia	5	0	.0	-	-	-	5	3	60.0	14	2.80	4.67
REGION III TOTAL	66	40	60.6	135	2.05	3.38	133	130	97.7	503	3.78	3.87
Alabama	29	1	3.4	2	.07	2.00	49	57	116.3	243	4.96	4.26
Florida	29	22	75.9	57	1.97	2.59	57	57	100.0	207	3.63	3.63
Georgia	57	57	100.0	238	4.18	4.18	132	132	100.0	651	4.93	4.93
Mississippi	2	2	100.0	5	2.50	2.50	13	13	92.9	95	6.79	7.31
South Carolina	28	6	21.4	33	1.18	5.50	30	36	120.0	163	5.43	4.53
Tennessee	9	9	100.0	34	3.78	3.78	45	38	84.4	142	3.16	3.74
REGION IV TOTAL	154	97	63.0	369	2.40	3.80	327	333	101.8	1501	4.59	4.51
Illinois	62	30	48.4	68	1.10	2.27	152	117	77.0	570	3.75	4.87
Indiana	11	3	27.3	3	.27	1.00	10	13	130.0	23	2.30	1.77
Michigan	6	6	100.0	31	5.17	5.17	5	17	340.0	86	17.20	5.06
Ohio	11	9	81.8	3	.27	.33	21	17	81.0	85	4.05	5.00
Wisconsin b/	N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
REGION V TOTAL	90	48	53.3	105	1.17	2.19	188	164	87.2	764	4.06	4.66
Iowa	4	4	100.0	5	1.25	1.25	0	0	-	-	-	-
Kansas	21	21	100.0	22	1.05	1.05	3	2	66.7	6	2.00	3.00
Minnesota	2	6	300.0	5	2.50	0.83	5	0	.0	-	-	-
Missouri	12	8	66.7	12	1.00	1.50	5	0	20.0	1	.20	1.00
Nebraska	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
North Dakota	1	1	100.0	2	2.00	2.00	0	0	-	-	-	-
South Dakota	2	2	100.0	6	3.00	3.00	0	0	-	-	-	-
REGION VI TOTAL	42	42	100.0	52	1.24	1.24	13	3	23.1	7	.54	2.33
Arkansas	22	13	59.1	55	2.50	4.23	29	24	82.8	77	2.66	3.21
Louisiana	9	2	22.2	10	1.11	5.00	41	49	119.5	184	4.49	3.76
New Mexico	8	2	25.0	5	.63	2.50	5	4	80.0	25	5.00	6.25
Oklahoma	7	5	71.4	18	2.57	3.60	11	11	100.0	20	1.82	1.82
Texas	22	14	63.6	28	1.27	2.00	85	88	103.5	257	3.02	2.92
REGION VII TOTAL	68	36	52.9	116	1.71	3.22	171	176	102.9	563	3.29	3.20
Colorado	6	3	50.0	2	.33	.67	4	4	100.0	14	3.50	3.50
Idaho	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
Montana	3	0	.0	-	-	-	1	0	.0	-	-	-
Utah	1	1	100.0	2	2.00	2.00	0	0	-	-	-	-
Wyoming	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-
REGION VIII TOTAL	10	4	40.0	4	.40	1.00	5	4	80.0	14	2.80	3.50
Alaska	0	0	-	-	-	-	2	2	100.0	2	1.00	1.00
Arizona	8	9	112.5	25	3.13	2.78	16	23	143.8	78	4.88	3.39
California	81	81	100.0	28	.35	.35	136	136	100.0	832	6.12	6.12
Nevada	1	0	.0	-	-	-	1	1	100.0	5	5.00	5.00
Oregon	1	2	200.0	5	2.50	2.50	3	3	100.0	17	5.67	5.67
Washington	5	0	.0	-	-	-	5	2	40.0	6	1.20	3.00
REGION IX TOTAL	96	92	95.8	58	.60	.63	163	167	102.5	940	5.77	5.63
U. S. TOTAL	777	482	62.0	1082	1.39	2.24	1302	1236	94.9	5062	3.89	4.10
Puerto Rico	0	0	-	-	-	-	18	18	100.0	51	2.83	2.83
Hawaii	1	1	100.0	2	2.00	2.00	6	7	116.7	12	2.00	1.71
TERRITORY TOTAL	1	1	100.0	2	2.00	2.00	24	25	104.2	63	2.63	2.52
U. S. & TERRITORIES	778	483	62.1	1084	1.39	2.24	1326	1261	95.1	5125	3.87	4.06
Cities (incl. above)												
Detroit	0	1	-	10	-	10.00	4	7	175.0	33	8.25	4.71
New York	134	61	45.5	112	.84	1.84	157	152	161.7	400	4.26	2.63
Philadelphia	14	2	14.3	3	.21	1.50	23	19	82.6	64	2.78	3.37
Pittsburgh	2	2	100.0	2	1.00	1.00	10	11	110.0	60	6.00	5.45
Chicago	51	19	37.3	59	1.16	3.11	152	117	77.0	552	3.63	4.72

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

January - March 1959

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 Cases Interviewed	Percent of Cases Interviewed	CONTACTS OBTAINED			
Number				Per Case Reported	Number				Per Case Interviewed			
Connecticut	21	0	.0	-	-	33	14	42.4	1	.03	.07	
Maine	0	0	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-	
Massachusetts	42	3	7.1	3	.07	25	29	116.0	51	2.04	1.76	
New Hampshire	0	0	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-	
Rhode Island	3	0	.0	-	-	3	0	.0	-	-	-	
Vermont	0	0	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	-	
REGION I TOTAL	66	3	4.5	3	.05	61	43	70.5	52	.85	1.21	
Delaware	13	2	15.4	12	.92	27	12	44.4	29	1.07	2.42	
New Jersey	53	9	17.0	15	.28	86	40	46.5	123	1.43	3.08	
New York	124	14	11.3	32	.26	322	112	89.6	277	2.22	2.47	
Pennsylvania	133	8	6.0	22	.17	152	28	18.4	61	.53	2.89	
REGION II TOTAL	323	33	10.2	81	.25	587	192	49.2	510	1.31	2.66	
District of Columbia	11	0	.0	-	-	61	40	65.6	102	1.67	2.55	
Kentucky	2	2	100.0	6	3.00	6	3	50.0	9	1.50	3.00	
Maryland	46	3	6.5	6	.13	67	54	80.6	122	1.82	2.26	
North Carolina	59	59	100.0	4	.07	75	75	100.0	128	1.71	1.71	
Virginia	61	7	11.5	20	.33	53	44	83.0	121	2.28	2.75	
West Virginia	33	0	.0	-	-	13	4	30.8	8	.62	2.00	
REGION III TOTAL	212	71	33.5	36	.17	275	220	80.0	490	1.78	2.23	
Alabama	49	1	2.0	9	.18	88	74	84.1	292	3.32	3.95	
Florida	105	4	3.8	11	.10	98	42	42.9	146	1.49	3.48	
Georgia	102	24	23.5	59	.58	85	74	87.1	274	3.22	3.70	
Mississippi	1	0	.0	-	-	19	20	105.3	70	3.68	3.50	
South Carolina	125	2	1.6	7	.06	90	45	50.0	236	2.62	5.24	
Tennessee	14	8	57.1	28	2.00	69	68	98.6	304	4.41	4.47	
REGION IV TOTAL	396	39	9.8	114	.29	449	323	71.9	1322	2.94	4.09	
Illinois	98	29	29.6	15	.15	202	104	51.5	283	1.40	2.72	
Indiana	24	3	12.5	6	.25	11	4	36.4	15	1.36	3.75	
Michigan	85	3	3.5	9	.11	47	118	251.1	276	5.87	2.34	
Ohio	72	21	29.2	0	.00	75	38	50.7	96	1.28	2.53	
Wisconsin b/	N.A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
REGION V TOTAL	279	56	20.1	30	.11	335	264	78.8	670	2.00	2.54	
Iowa	2	3	150.0	7	3.50	2.33	1	1	100.0	1	1.00	
Kansas	35	27	77.1	20	.57	.74	13	11	84.6	14	1.08	
Minnesota	2	1	50.0	1	.50	1.00	1	0	-	-	-	
Missouri	36	5	13.9	4	.11	.80	56	25	44.6	69	1.23	
Nebraska	0	0	-	-	-	-	1	0	.0	-	-	
North Dakota	2	2	100.0	3	1.50	1.50	0	0	-	-	-	
South Dakota	2	2	100.0	11	5.50	5.50	3	0	.0	-	-	
REGION VI TOTAL	79	40	50.6	46	.58	1.15	75	37	49.3	84	1.12	
Arkansas	21	4	19.0	9	.43	2.25	50	27	54.0	107	2.14	
Louisiana	238	0	.0	-	-	-	173	48	27.7	109	.63	
New Mexico	13	0	.0	-	-	-	29	11	37.9	18	.62	
Oklahoma	24	1	4.2	11	.46	11.00	20	12	60.0	26	1.30	
Texas	43	25	58.1	59	1.37	2.36	170	295	173.5	417	2.45	
REGION VII TOTAL	339	30	8.8	79	.23	2.63	442	393	88.9	677	1.53	
Colorado	9	3	33.3	4	.44	1.33	3	2	66.7	3	1.00	
Idaho	0	1	-	1	-	1.00	1	0	.0	-	-	
Montana	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	
Utah	4	0	.0	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	
Wyoming	1	0	.0	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	
REGION VIII TOTAL	14	4	28.6	5	.36	1.25	4	2	50.0	3	.75	
Alaska	0	0	-	-	-	-	4	0	.0	-	-	
Arizona	45	4	8.9	13	.29	3.25	7	5	71.4	15	2.14	
California	67	67	100.0	2	.03	.03	216	216	100.0	404	1.87	
Nevada	6	1	16.7	1	.17	1.00	9	0	.0	-	-	
Oregon	17	1	5.9	3	.18	3.00	4	3	75.0	11	2.75	
Washington	1	0	.0	-	-	-	8	4	50.0	6	.75	
REGION IX TOTAL	136	73	53.7	19	.14	.26	248	228	91.9	436	1.76	
U. S. TOTAL	1844	349	18.9	413	.22	1.18	2476	1702	68.7	4244	1.71	
Puerto Rico	0	0	-	-	-	-	74	74	100.0	101	1.36	
Hawaii	0	0	-	-	-	-	0	0	-	-	-	
TERRITORY TOTAL	0	0	-	-	-	-	74	74	100.0	101	1.36	
U. S. & TERRITORIES	1844	349	18.9	413	.22	1.18	2550	1776	69.6	4345	1.70	
Cities (incl. above)												
Detroit	30	1	3.3	3	.10	3.00	35	54	154.3	127	3.63	
New York	114	5	4.4	13	.11	2.60	318	106	87.6	249	2.06	
Philadelphia	63	0	.0	1	.02	2.00	97	10	10.3	22	.23	
Pittsburgh	13	3	23.1	6	.46	2.00	19	7	36.8	26	1.37	
Chicago	69	0	.0	-	-	-	195	97	49.7	277	1.42	

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CONTACTS OBTAINED FROM HEALTH DEPARTMENT CLINIC AND PRIVATE PHYSICIAN PATIENTS
III - GONORRHEA
ALL AREAS REPORTING

January - March 1959

States By NEW Regions	GONORRHEA											
	Private Physicians						Clinics					
	Male Cases Reported a/	Number of Patients Interviewed	Percent of Male Cases Interviewed b/	CONTACTS OBTAINED			Male Cases Reported a/	Number of Patients Interviewed	Percent of Male Cases Interviewed b/	CONTACTS OBTAINED		
Number				Male Case Reported	Per Case Interviewed	Number				Male Case Reported	Per Case Interviewed	
Connecticut	123	0	.0	-	-	-	160	122	76.3	41	.26	.34
Maine	6	0	.0	-	-	-	2	0	.0	-	-	-
Massachusetts	119	9	7.6	9	.08	1.00	227	238	104.8	304	1.34	1.28
New Hampshire	12	5	41.7	3	.25	.60	0	0	-	-	-	-
Rhode Island	17	0	.0	-	-	-	8	0	.0	-	-	-
Vermont	9	6	66.7	12	1.33	2.00	0	0	-	-	-	-
REGION I TOTAL	286	20	7.0	24	.08	1.20	397	360	90.7	345	.87	.96
Delaware	121	11	9.1	13	.11	1.18	84	86	102.4	156	1.86	1.81
New Jersey	262	50	19.1	73	.28	1.46	456	281	61.6	352	.77	1.25
New York	987	6	.6	16	.02	2.67	2339	1768	92.1	2179	1.14	1.23
Pennsylvania	220	10	4.5	18	.08	1.80	731	611	83.6	759	1.04	1.24
REGION II TOTAL	1590	77	4.8	120	.08	1.56	3610	2746	86.1	3446	1.08	1.25
District of Columbia	32	0	.0	-	-	-	1367	1118	81.8	1476	1.08	1.32
Kentucky	67	6	9.0	9	.13	1.50	400	163	40.8	208	.52	1.28
Maryland	165	0	.0	-	-	-	1094	1107	101.2	1215	1.11	1.10
North Carolina	164	203	123.8	59	.36	.29	1596	2370	148.5	1570	.98	.66
Virginia	193	10	5.2	29	.15	2.90	531	520	97.9	828	1.56	1.59
West Virginia	62	3	4.8	4	.06	1.33	107	69	64.5	77	.72	1.12
REGION III TOTAL	683	222	32.5	101	.15	1.45	5095	5347	104.9	5374	1.05	1.01
Alabama	215	5	2.3	11	.05	2.20	515	531	103.1	817	1.59	1.54
Florida	172	3	1.7	4	.02	1.33	1421	1421	100.0	1342	.94	.94
Georgia	150	40	26.7	61	.41	1.53	1945	1919	98.7	3029	1.56	1.58
Mississippi	135	15	11.1	21	.16	1.40	1011	679	67.2	888	.88	1.31
South Carolina	1259	4	.3	7	.01	1.75	798	455	57.0	723	.91	1.59
Tennessee	317	19	6.0	34	.11	1.79	1439	1375	95.6	2184	1.52	1.59
REGION IV TOTAL	2248	86	3.8	138	.06	1.60	7129	6380	89.5	8983	1.26	1.41
Illinois	528	361	68.4	208	.39	.58	3045	2417	79.4	3513	1.15	1.45
Indiana	73	15	20.5	41	.56	2.73	167	92	55.1	134	.80	1.46
Michigan	389	3	.8	12	.03	4.00	1046	1703	162.8	2231	2.13	1.31
Ohio	324	142	43.8	35	.11	.25	970	945	97.4	942	.97	1.00
Wisconsin c/	N.A.	521	39.6	296	.23	.57	5228	5157	98.6	6820	1.30	1.32
REGION V TOTAL	1314	521	39.6	296	.23	.57	5228	5157	98.6	6820	1.30	1.32
Iowa	92	62	67.4	97	1.05	1.56	26	49	188.5	104	4.00	2.12
Kansas	55	11	20.0	38	.69	3.45	134	183	136.6	291	2.17	1.59
Minnesota	108	111	102.8	57	.53	.51	78	83	106.4	49	.63	.59
Missouri	161	58	36.0	69	.43	1.19	653	659	100.9	743	1.14	1.13
Nebraska	55	57	103.6	94	1.71	1.65	28	45	160.7	54	1.93	1.20
North Dakota	48	67	139.6	98	2.04	1.46	0	0	-	-	-	-
South Dakota	25	0	.0	-	-	-	50	15	30.0	25	.50	1.67
REGION VI TOTAL	544	366	67.3	453	.83	1.24	969	1034	106.7	1266	1.31	1.22
Arkansas	1226	1	.1	1	.00	1.00	236	105	44.5	152	.64	1.45
Louisiana	101	0	.0	-	-	-	610	866	70.4	872	1.01	1.43
New Mexico	132	2	1.5	4	.03	2.00	108	23	21.3	36	.33	1.57
Oklahoma	74	5	6.8	13	.18	2.60	360	639	177.5	626	1.74	.98
Texas	963	238	24.7	382	.40	1.61	1832	2739	149.5	3241	1.77	1.18
REGION VII TOTAL	2496	246	9.9	400	.16	1.63	3402	4116	121.0	4927	1.45	1.20
Colorado	34	11	32.4	10	.29	.91	88	150	170.5	189	2.15	1.26
Idaho	11	10	90.9	15	1.36	1.50	25	16	64.0	23	.92	1.44
Montana	41	0	.0	-	-	-	6	0	.0	-	-	-
Utah	46	43	93.5	52	1.13	1.21	8	10	125.0	13	1.63	1.30
Wyoming	7	0	.0	-	-	-	4	0	.0	-	-	-
REGION VIII TOTAL	139	64	46.0	77	.55	1.20	131	176	134.4	225	1.72	1.28
Alaska	5	0	.0	-	-	-	25	28	112.0	28	1.12	1.00
Arizona	479	26	5.4	38	.08	1.46	184	152	82.6	194	1.05	1.28
California	387	493	127.4	105	.27	.21	2107	2976	141.2	2810	1.33	.64
Nevada	15	0	.0	-	-	-	41	37	90.2	51	1.24	1.38
Oregon	61	6	9.8	7	.11	1.17	110	120	109.1	141	1.28	1.18
Washington	70	5	7.1	5	.07	1.00	190	195	102.6	204	1.07	1.05
REGION IX TOTAL	1017	530	52.1	155	.15	.29	2657	3508	132.0	3428	1.29	.98
U. S. TOTAL	10317	2132	20.7	1764	.17	.83	28618	28824	100.7	34814	1.22	1.21
Puerto Rico	0	0	-	-	-	-	431	405	94.0	529	1.23	1.31
Hawaii	20	18	90.0	19	.95	1.06	3	3	100.0	2	.67	.57
TERRITORY TOTAL	20	18	90.0	19	.95	1.06	434	408	94.0	531	1.22	1.30
U. S. & TERRITORIES	10337	2150	20.8	1783	.17	.83	29052	29232	100.6	35345	1.22	1.21
Cities (incl. above)												
Detroit	84	0	.0	-	-	-	741	739	99.7	890	1.20	1.20
New York	706	0	.0	-	-	-	1924	1636	85.1	1928	1.32	1.21
Philadelphia	146	0	.0	-	-	-	612	536	87.6	642	1.05	1.20
Pittsburgh	53	0	.0	-	-	-	43	39	90.7	62	1.44	1.59
Chicago	237	0	.0	-	-	-	2954	2292	77.6	3360	1.14	1.47

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b/ Some areas may have over 100 percent because some females were interviewed.

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Cases Brought or Returned to Treatment
UNITED STATES

January - March 1959

Source	U. S.	Region								
		I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX
Private Physician										
P & S Syphilis Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	93	0	61	86	138	115	29	158	0	138
Early Latent	74	0	132	34	23	19	29	123	0	0
Other Syphilis	23	0	26	9	6	96	57	0	0	34
Gonorrhea	9	0	3	0	17	0	86	0	0	0
Other V.D.	3	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	151	0	274	26	57	173	57	123	0	69
Clinic-P & S Syphilis Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	88	174	53	78	97	89	67	122	0	95
Early Latent	50	0	82	31	35	48	33	75	0	42
Other Syphilis	12	0	29	7	7	11	0	11	0	6
Gonorrhea	10	0	6	9	18	4	33	2	0	6
Other V.D.	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	177	0	299	240	160	175	133	140	250	39
Clinic-Gonorrhea Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Early Latent	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	2
Other Syphilis	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	5	23
Gonorrhea	402	281	261	633	434	296	225	478	354	265
Other V.D.	1	0	4	1	0	0	3	0	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	415	268	580	235	422	536	535	235	95	540
All Military Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	3	8	0	2	3	8	7	0	33	7
Early Latent	3	0	22	0	6	0	0	2	0	0
Other Syphilis	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	2	0	0
Gonorrhea	399	320	201	556	293	238	331	550	267	408
Other V.D.	1	8	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	351	246	559	215	501	377	250	250	333	342
All Clinic Contacts										
P & S Syphilis	14	20	14	9	16	11	2	13	0	21
Early Latent	12	10	22	8	12	10	2	15	0	12
Other Syphilis	8	5	12	5	5	6	5	10	5	18
Gonorrhea	286	158	161	482	315	209	195	344	333	183
Other V.D.	1	0	3	2	2	0	3	0	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	326	151	414	218	338	406	471	192	104	377
All Clinic Other Suspects										
P & S Syphilis	9	5	11	7	13	7	7	8	16	7
Early Latent	33	23	37	23	20	31	17	60	11	36
Other Syphilis	147	69	152	141	65	191	106	252	64	90
Gonorrhea	44	49	11	38	47	23	121	63	299	17
Other V.D.	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	12	3	26	4	9	25	8	4	16	14
All Persons Examined										
P & S Syphilis	11	8	14	9	15	8	5	10	8	15
Early Latent	24	19	34	16	16	22	12	43	4	21
Other Syphilis	79	50	76	71	34	111	61	153	25	47
Gonorrhea	161	92	86	262	182	103	174	183	305	124
Other V.D.	1	1	2	1	2	0	1	1	0	0
Prophylactic Rx.	161	53	231	111	181	187	152	81	86	222

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DIAGNOSTIC OBSERVATIONS FOR VENEREAL DISEASE IN PUBLIC CLINICS

January - March 1959

States By HEW Regions	Diagnostic Observations Completed*			Persons Infected		Persons Given Prophylactic Treatment
	Number	Annual Rate Per 100,000 Population	Ratio To Last Year	Number	Percent of Observations	
Connecticut	60	10.42	0.11	32	53.3	2
Massachusetts	827	68.73	1.19	479	57.9	93
Rhode Island	151	71.82	4.72	19	12.6	24
REGION I TOTAL	1038	52.17	0.81	530	51.1	119
Delaware	688	617.04	2.38	198	28.8	44
New Jersey	6150	431.81	1.00	1018	16.6	425
New York	17165	424.25	1.35	4181	24.4	1722
Pennsylvania	2340	423.72	0.92	1325	56.6	722
REGION II TOTAL	26343	429.46	1.21	6722	25.5	2913
District of Columbia	8493	4225.37	1.46	3085	36.3	172
Kentucky	8265	1089.65	0.94	1103	13.3	18
Maryland	4053	559.23	2.48	1519	37.5	332
North Carolina	35683	3192.40	0.96	2946	8.3	686
Virginia	12853	1359.39	1.20	2017	15.7	172
West Virginia	3625	736.79	1.03	360	9.9	20
REGION III TOTAL	72972	1721.24	1.08	11030	15.1	1400
Alabama	8637	1084.71	1.59	864	10.0	1009
Florida	49991	4598.99	1.01	3020	6.0	466
Georgia	54614	5827.05	0.95	5061	9.3	2046
Mississippi	38808	7156.85	1.28	3118	8.0	616
South Carolina	10771	1836.49	0.71	1458	13.5	123
Tennessee	9489	1099.86	1.23	2954	31.1	540
REGION IV TOTAL	172310	3580.88	1.04	16475	9.6	4800
Illinois	43679	1775.75	1.86	6252	14.3	2155
Indiana	708	61.92	0.93	413	58.3	0
Michigan	8059	410.65	0.88	3081	38.2	663
Ohio	11934	512.03	1.00	1949	16.3	2821
Wisconsin **	N.A.					
REGION V TOTAL	64380	725.04	1.41	11695	18.2	5639
Iowa	115	16.31	0.70	55	47.8	6
Kansas	1349	259.55	1.03	239	17.7	56
Minnesota	665	78.93	0.81	84	12.6	0
Missouri	6672	629.29	0.96	1938	29.0	302
Nebraska	124	34.35	0.12	67	54.0	2
South Dakota	269	155.49	0.54	15	5.6	2
REGION VI TOTAL	9194	251.10	0.85	2398	26.1	368
Arkansas	22509	5147.86	1.14	1058	4.7	83
Louisiana	25229	3279.69	0.71	3571	14.2	240
New Mexico	610	299.02	0.32	157	25.7	64
Oklahoma	7702	1369.24	1.12	757	9.8	299
Texas	44225	1921.58	0.99	4005	9.1	847
REGION VII TOTAL	100275	2345.93	0.92	9548	9.5	1533
Colorado	5235	1248.66	1.32	203	3.9	31
Idaho	963	585.41	1.10	50	5.2	10
Utah	62	28.80	1.19	9	14.5	2
Wyoming	119	150.63	0.79	4	3.4	1
REGION VIII TOTAL	6379	726.54	1.27	266	4.2	44
Alaska	6	14.37	0.22	1	16.7	1
Arizona	14598	5222.90	1.33	670	4.6	7
Nevada	1103	1710.08	13.29	59	5.3	6
Oregon	751	169.91	1.05	194	25.8	57
Washington	3787	559.79	0.93	371	9.8	336
REGION IX TOTAL	20245	1345.86	1.27	1295	6.4	407
U. S. TOTAL	473136	1300.84	1.07	59959	12.7	17223
Puerto Rico	47444	8229.67	0.95	1932	4.1	3115
Hawaii	189	130.80	1.62	18	9.5	21
TERRITORY TOTAL	47633	6606.52	0.95	1950	4.1	3136
U. S. & TERRITORIES	520769	1403.97	1.06	61909	11.9	20359
Cities (incl. above)						
Detroit	3253	667.28	0.86	1298	39.9	266
New York	10993	564.83	1.63	3651	33.2	1609
Philadelphia	1375	248.98	0.83	801	58.3	657
Pittsburgh	237	57.63	0.66	143	60.3	27
Baltimore	2001	818.41	0.99	1441	72.0	281
Chicago	22787	2377.36	1.15	5451	23.9	1813

* 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.
 ** Data for Wisconsin not available.

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