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Length of Stay of Discharges from Non-Federal
General Hospital Psychiatric Inpatient Units,
United States, 1975
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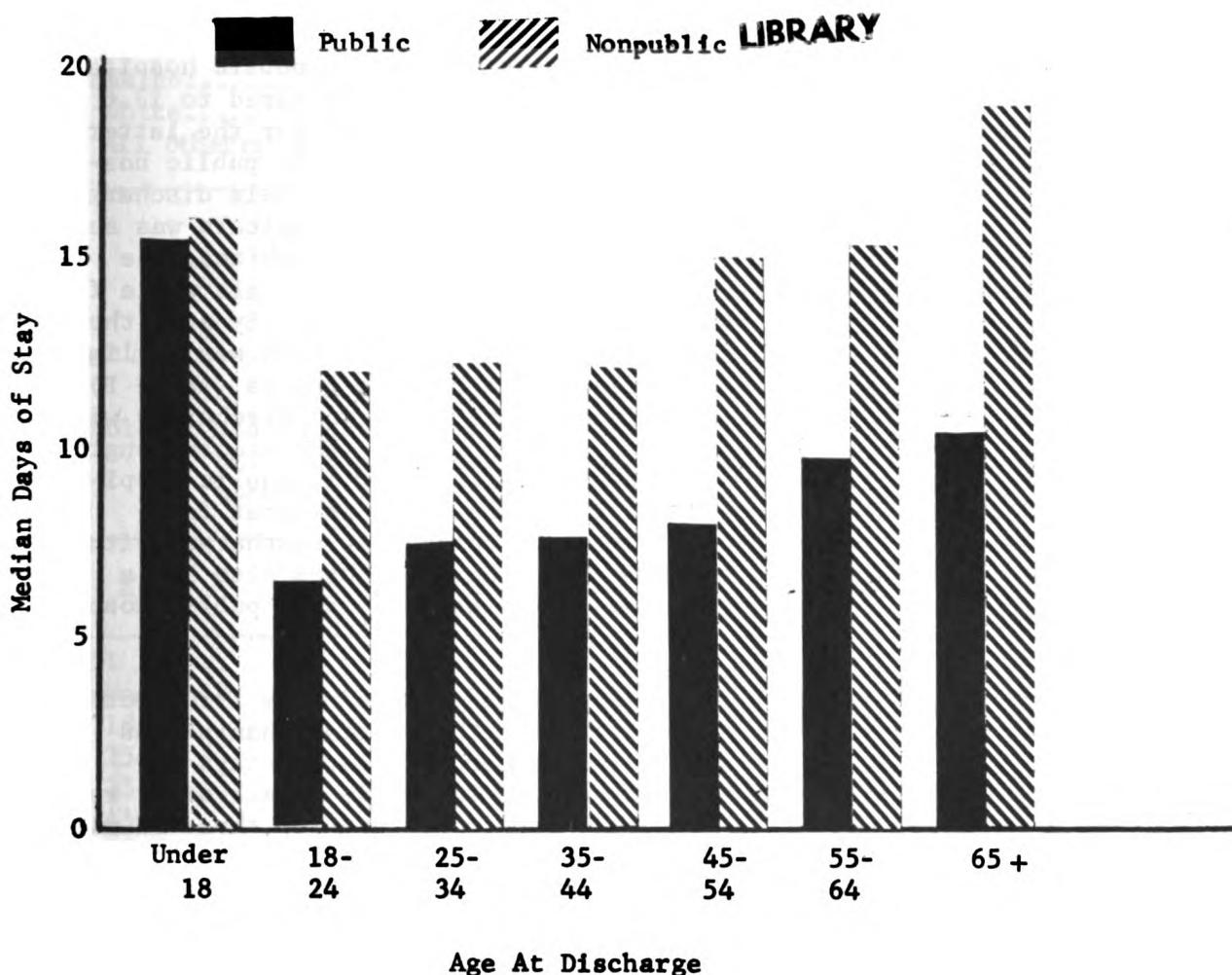


Chart A. Median days of stay - Discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of general hospitals by age and hospital control, United States, 1975

The median days of stay per discharge^{1/} for the estimated 516,000 discharges from non-Federal general hospital psychiatric inpatient units during 1975 was 12.0 days. Of the almost 516,000 discharges from psychiatric inpatient units, 34 percent were discharged within 7 days of admission, an additional 24 percent were discharged within 14 days of admission, and another 26 percent were discharged within 28 days of admission; a cumulative total of 84 percent were discharged within 28 days or less.

The ownership or control of the hospital is a major factor in describing length of stay patterns among discharges from general hospital psychiatric units. For the purposes of this Note psychiatric units have been divided into two groups; those operated by non-Federal public general hospitals which include city/county hospitals, State hospitals, and other non-Federal publicly owned hospitals; and those operated by nonpublic hospitals such as nonprofit, church, and for-profit hospitals. For all patient groups the median length of stay in public hospital inpatient psychiatric units was generally shorter, 8.1 days, compared to 13.6 days for nonpublic hospital psychiatric inpatient units. Thus, for the latter group of hospitals the median length of stay was 1.7 times that in public hospitals (table A). A similar ratio was noted for both male and female discharges. The difference in length of stay between public and nonpublic hospitals was seen to be greater for whites than for those of all other races. For whites, the nonpublic hospital median stay was 1.8 times that for public hospitals while for those of all other races this ratio was only 1.4 times (table A). By age, the difference in length of stay between public and nonpublic hospitals was negligible for discharges under 18 years of age but larger for other age groups (table B). For diagnostic groupings, the largest differences were noted for discharges with personality disorders, alcohol disorders, and schizophrenia. The median length of stay in nonpublic hospitals was two times as great as that in public hospitals for alcohol disorders and schizophrenia and three times as great for personality disorders (table C). It should also be noted that discharges with a primary diagnosis of organic brain syndrome and other psychoses also had a significantly longer length of stay in the nonpublic as opposed to public hospitals.

For all hospital units females had slightly longer stays than males irrespective of race and those of all other races had shorter lengths of stay than whites irrespective of sex (table A and table 1). The pattern of longer stays for females than for males prevailed for both whites and for those of all other races in public hospitals and for whites in nonpublic hospitals, but for those of all other races in nonpublic hospitals, males had slightly longer stays than females. The pattern of shorter stays for those of all other races than for whites noted in all hospital units prevailed in nonpublic hospitals while the opposite was true for public hospitals (table A and table 1).

By age, within both public and nonpublic hospitals, maximum lengths of stay occurred in the youngest and oldest age groups. The range in the median lengths

Table A. Median days of stay of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by sex, race, and hospital control, United States, 1975

Sex-race	All hospital units	Hospital control		Ratio of median stay of nonpublic to public hospitals
		Public	Nonpublic	
Both sexes.....	12.0	8.1	13.6	1.7
White.....	12.3	7.8	13.9	1.8
All other races	10.3	8.8	11.9	1.4
Males.....	11.1	7.9	13.3	1.7
White.....	11.5	7.6	13.4	1.8
All other races	9.7	8.5	12.2	1.4
Females.....	12.6	8.3	13.8	1.7
White.....	12.9	7.9	14.1	1.8
All other races	10.9	9.4	11.7	1.2

Table B. Median days of stay of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by age, and hospital control, United States, 1975

Age	All hospital units	Hospital control		Ratio of median stay of nonpublic to public hospitals
		Public	Nonpublic	
All ages..	12.0	8.1	13.6	1.7
Under 18	16.9	16.2	17.1	1.1
18-24...	10.1	7.0	11.9	1.7
25-34...	10.5	7.4	12.4	1.7
35-44...	10.9	7.7	12.2	1.6
45-54...	13.5	7.9	15.0	1.9
55-64...	13.8	9.7	15.3	1.6
65+.....	17.6	10.4	19.0	1.8

Table C. Median days of stay of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by primary diagnosis² and hospital control, United States 1975

Selected diagnoses ² /	All hospitals units	Hospital control		Ratio of median stay of nonpublic to public hospitals
		Public	Nonpublic	
All diagnoses.....	12.0	8.1	13.6	1.7
Alcohol disorders.....	5.8	3.8	7.8	2.1
Drug disorders.....	6.2	6.1	6.3	1.0
Organic brain syndromes.	13.5	8.0	14.9	1.9
Depressive disorders....	14.3	10.5	15.3	1.5
Schizophrenia.....	12.8	8.7	17.5	2.0
Other psychoses.....	13.9	9.3	16.2	1.7
Neuroses.....	11.3	13.2	11.0	0.8
Personality disorders...	8.3	3.6	11.7	3.3
Childhood disorders....	19.2	22.9	15.9	0.7
Transient situational disorders of adoles., adult and late life...	12.4	8.1	13.5	1.7

Table D. Median days of stay of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by primary source of payment and hospital control, United States 1975

Primary payment source	All hospitals units	Hospital control		Ratio of median stay of nonpublic to public hospitals
		Public	Nonpublic	
All payment sources...	12.0	8.1	13.6	1.7
Personal payment....	6.6	5.0	8.5	1.7
Blue Cross.....	14.7	9.5	15.8	1.7
Commercial insurance	13.0	9.5	13.8	1.5
Medicare.....	13.9	7.7	16.5	2.1
Medicaid.....	10.5	9.3	11.6	1.2
Other Government....	9.9	7.2	11.7	1.6
No charge.....	3.3	4.2	2.3	0.5
Other.....	9.5	7.0	13.6	1.9

of stay by age, however, was somewhat broader for the nonpublic hospitals. For these hospitals, the median length of stay for discharges under 18 years of age was 17 days; for the age groups 18-44 it was 12-13 days; for age groups 45-64 the median was 15 days; and for the 65 and over - 19 days. For public hospitals, the median stay for the under 18 age group was similar to that in nonpublic hospitals (16 days), and although the median for the age groups 18 to 44 declines as for the nonpublic hospitals, it was considerably lower (7-8 days) in the public than in the nonpublic hospitals (12-13 days). In the public hospitals the median stay did not increase in the 45-54 year age group, as it did in the non-public hospitals. It did, however, increase in the 55-64 year age group but the differential in length of stay between this age group and the 65 and over group is relatively insignificant compared to that noted in the nonpublic hospitals. Chart A illustrates these differences, as do tables B and 2.

The widest variations in length of stay occur by diagnosis. For all hospital units, the shortest lengths of stay were observed for discharges with alcohol disorders (median stay of 5.8 days) and with drug disorders (6.2 median days of stay). The longest length of stay was noted for discharges with childhood disorders (behavioral disorders of childhood and transitional situational disorders of infancy and childhood) where the average median stay was 19 days. Tables C and 3 illustrate the differences in length of stay by diagnosis²⁷ and hospital control. It is of interest to note that for public hospitals the shortest length of stay occurred for discharges with personality disorders and alcohol disorders, with median stays of 4 days, and the longest length of stay (a median of 23 days) occurred for discharges with childhood disorders. For the nonpublic hospitals, the shortest length of stay occurred in the drug disorder group (a median stay of 6 days) and the longest length of stay in the schizophrenia group (18 days median stay).

Table D and table 4 show the variation in the median length of stay of discharges by the primary source of payment for the episode of hospital care. The length of stay in nonpublic hospital units was significantly longer than for those patients in public hospital units with respect to all primary payment sources except the "no charge" group for which the median days of stay in the nonpublic hospitals was only 2.3 days as compared to 4.2 days in the public hospitals. Patients with some form of insurance had longer lengths of stay than did those whose primary source of payment was personal payment or no charge (chart B). This was true for both public and nonpublic hospitals.

Chart C and table F illustrate the differential in total hospital days used by the different length of stay groups. For example, in table F it can be observed that discharges with a length of stay of one day accounted for 7.7 percent of the discharges but only 0.5 percent of the total days generated by all discharges during the year. At the other extreme, discharges with a length of stay over 28 days accounted for only 16.5 percent of the discharges but 47.1 percent of the days of stay. Chart D illustrates the differential use of days of care by age and length of stay groups.

In this Note the length of stay was defined as the number of days between the date of last admission and the discharge date, with persons admitted and

Table E. Number and cumulative percent of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals and hospital control, United States, 1975

Days of stay	All hospitals	Nonpublic	Public	All hospitals	Nonpublic	Public
	Number of discharges			Cumulative percent		
Total..	515,537	376,185	139,352	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
1....	39,947	21,771	18,176	7.7	5.8	13.0
2....	24,579	15,631	8,948	12.5	10.0	19.4
3....	23,579	14,416	9,163	17.1	13.8	26.0
4....	23,934	16,130	7,804	21.7	18.1	31.6
5....	22,991	14,797	8,194	26.2	22.0	37.5
6....	21,159	13,577	7,582	30.3	25.6	43.0
7....	21,465	14,687	6,778	34.5	29.5	47.9
8....	20,005	14,429	5,576	38.4	33.3	51.9
9....	17,195	12,410	4,785	41.7	36.6	55.3
10...	17,480	11,599	5,881	45.1	39.7	59.5
11...	15,399	10,727	4,672	48.1	42.6	62.9
12...	16,252	13,205	3,047	51.3	46.1	65.1
13...	15,286	11,230	4,056	54.3	49.1	68.0
14...	18,918	14,056	4,862	58.0	52.8	71.5
15...	13,950	11,065	2,885	60.7	55.7	73.6
16...	13,206	10,514	2,692	63.3	58.5	75.5
17...	12,837	10,443	2,394	65.8	61.3	77.2
18...	14,009	10,903	3,106	68.5	64.2	79.4
19...	11,447	10,082	1,365	70.7	66.9	80.4
20...	10,826	9,790	1,036	72.8	69.5	81.1
21...	8,170	6,464	1,706	74.4	71.2	82.3
22...	10,056	8,006	2,050	76.3	73.3	83.8
23...	7,865	6,234	1,631	77.8	74.9	85.0
24...	5,881	4,756	1,125	78.9	76.2	85.8
25...	7,201	5,504	1,697	80.3	77.7	87.0
26...	5,627	4,592	1,035	81.4	78.9	87.7
27...	5,543	4,375	1,168	82.5	80.1	88.5
28...	5,803	4,776	1,027	83.6	81.4	89.2
29...	7,499	6,010	1,489	85.0	83.0	90.3
30...	5,768	4,733	1,035	86.1	84.2	91.1
31+..	71,660	59,273	12,387	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table F. Distribution of discharges and days of care generated by these discharges by length of stay, psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals, United States 1975

Length of stay	Number of:		Percent		Cumulative percent	
	Dis- charges	Days of care	Dis- charges	Days of care	Dis- charges	Days of care
Total.....	515,537	8,782,108	100.0	100.0	-	-
One day...	39,947	39,947	7.7	0.5	7.7	0.5
2-3 days..	48,158	119,895	9.3	1.4	17.0	1.9
4-5 days..	46,925	210,691	9.1	2.4	26.1	4.3
6-7 days..	42,624	277,209	8.3	3.2	34.4	7.5
8-10 days.	54,680	489,595	10.6	5.6	45.0	13.1
11-14 days	65,855	827,983	12.8	9.4	57.8	22.5
15-28 days	132,421	2,678,263	25.7	30.4	83.5	52.9
29-42 days	47,826	1,618,401	9.3	18.4	92.8	71.3
43-56 days	17,012	821,373	3.3	9.4	96.1	80.7
57-70 days	7,462	466,252	1.4	5.3	97.5	86.0
71-84 days	4,946	372,885	1.0	4.2	98.5	90.2
85+.....	7,681	859,614	1.5	9.8	100.0	100.0

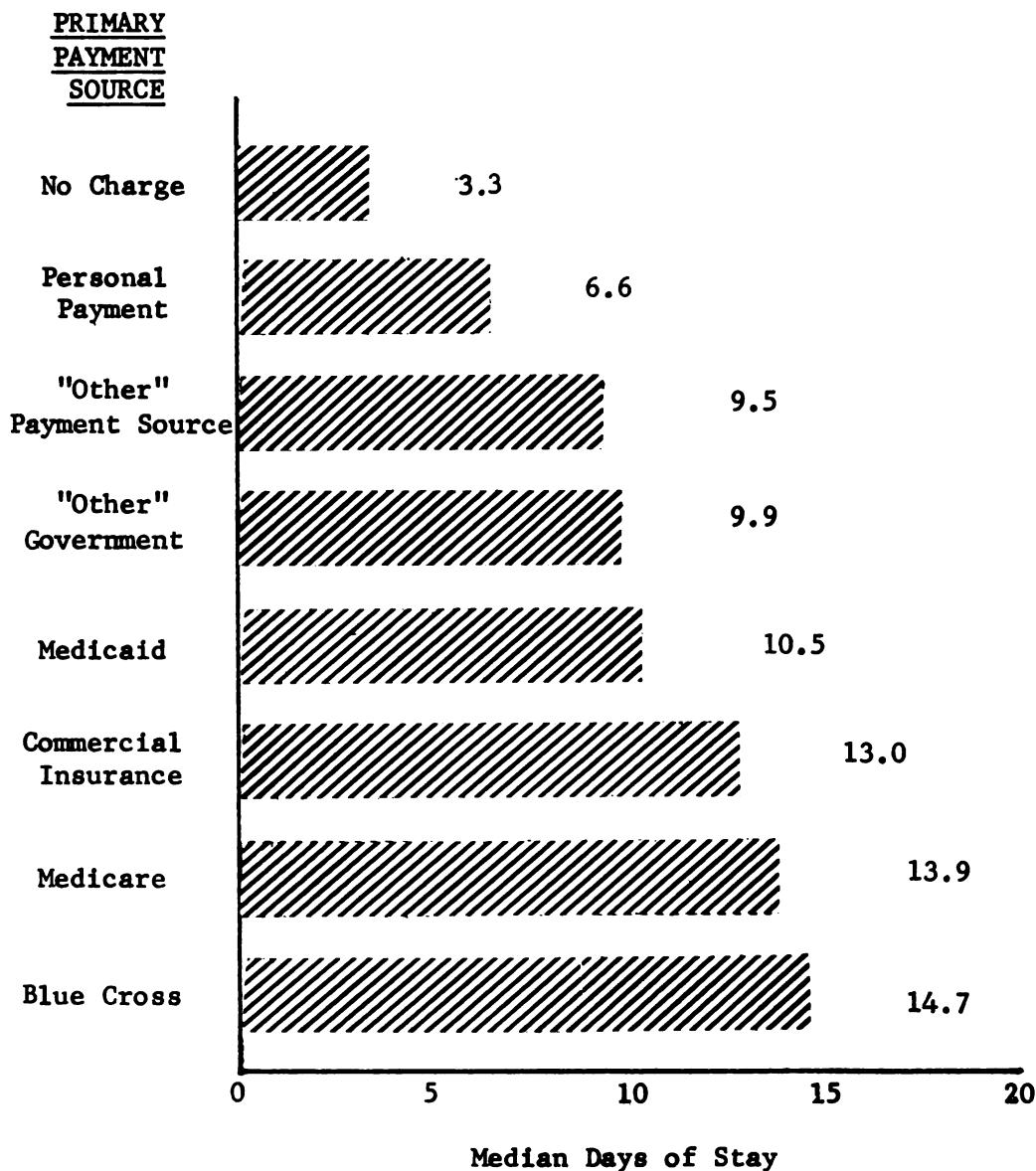
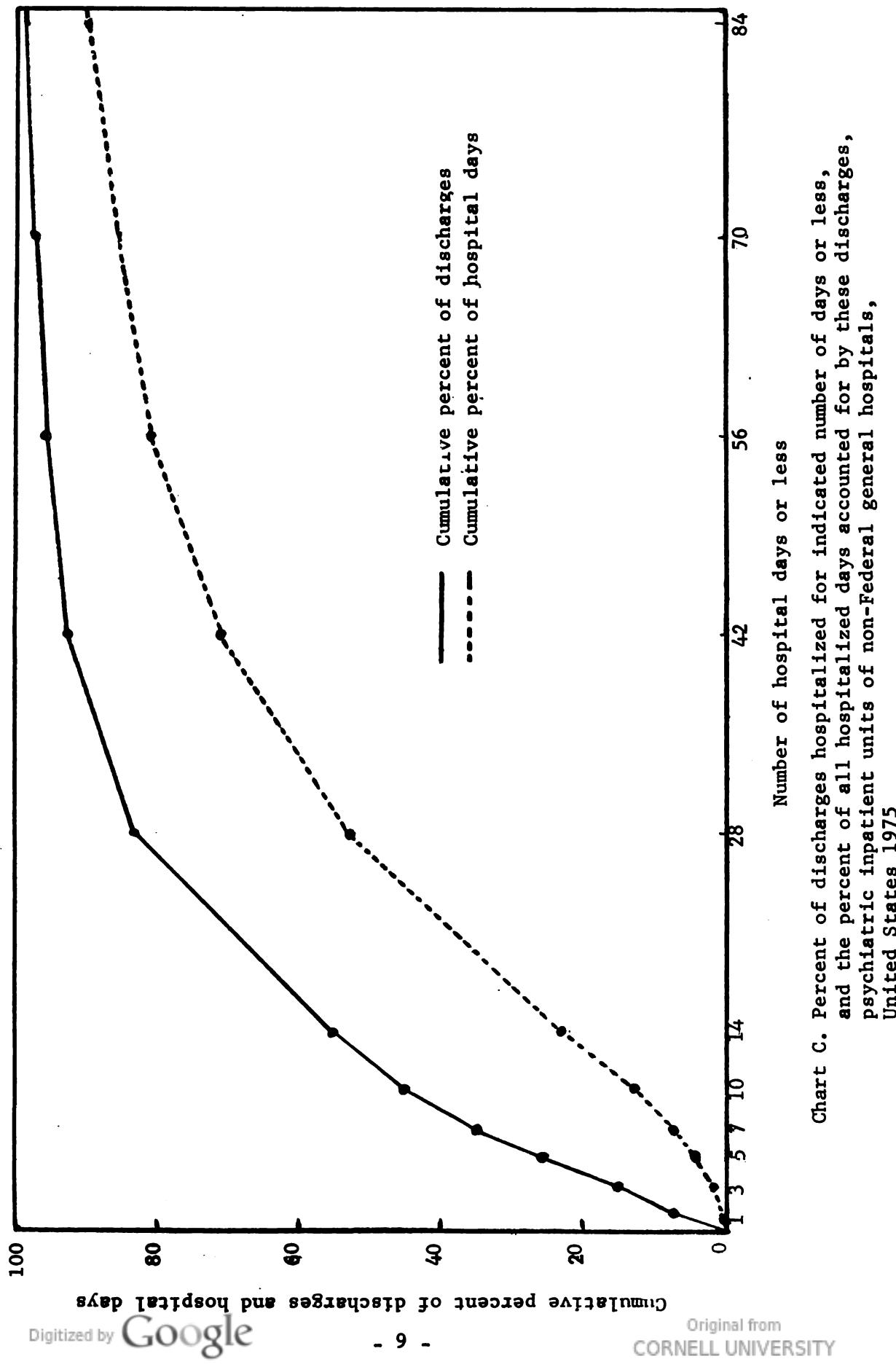


Chart B. Median days of stay by primary payment source, psychiatric units of general hospitals, United States, 1975



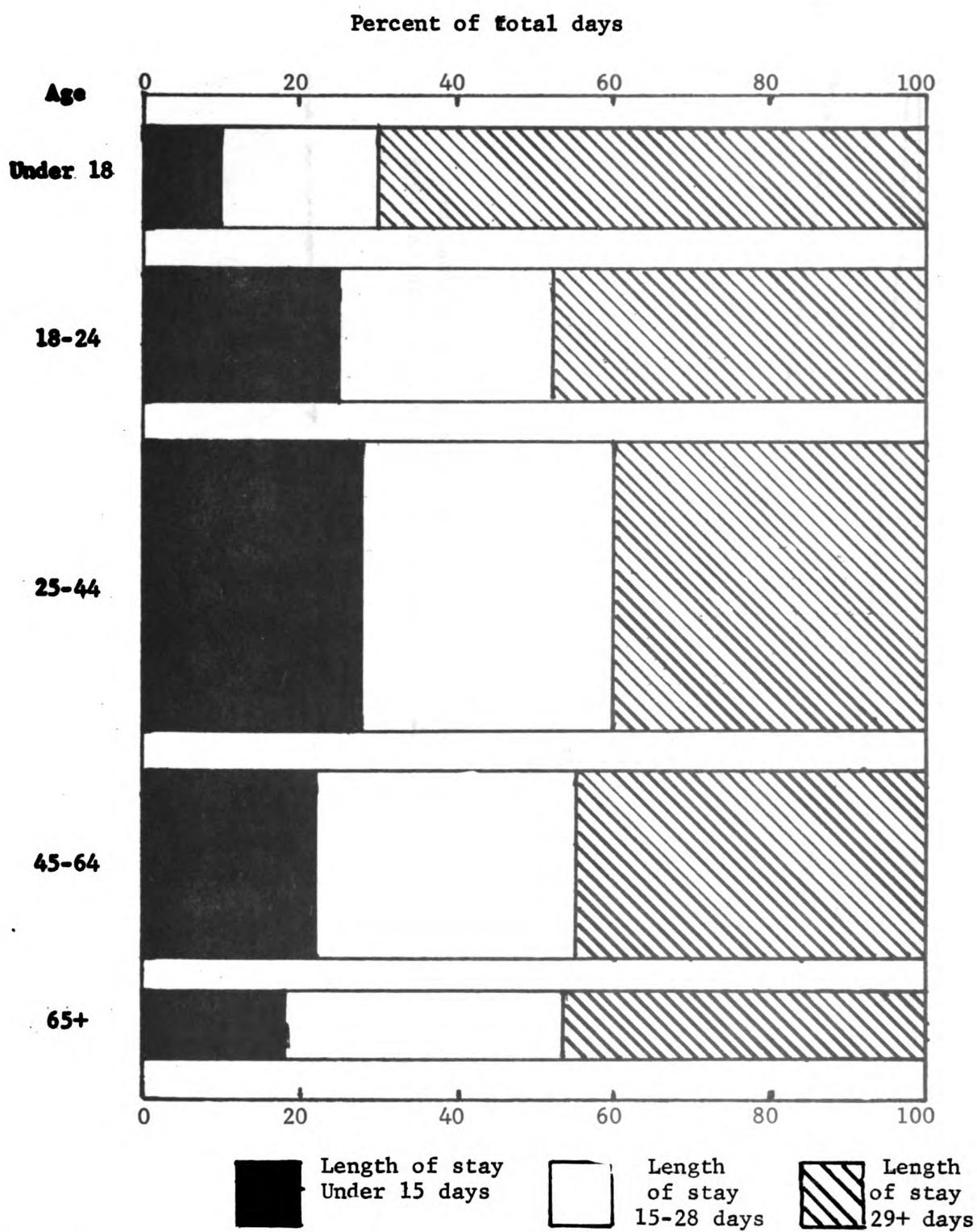


Chart D. Distribution of total days of hospital care generated by discharges during the year by age and length of stay group, non-Federal general hospital psychiatric inpatient units, United States, 1975

discharged on the same day counted as having a one day stay. Alternatively, the length of stay could be defined as the number of days physically present in the hospital instead of the days "on the books," but this would make little difference in the medians presented. For all hospitals, the days that persons are physically present represent 98 percent of the days the persons were "on the books." The median rather than the mean average length of stay has been used in this analysis because the value of the mean average length of stay is heavily influenced by a relatively small group of discharges with longer stays. While one might expect these two measures to be similar in short stay psychiatric units, the table below illustrates that the average length of stay is longer than median days of stay.

Age group	<u>Length of stay in days</u>	
	Average	Median
All ages..	16.8	12.0
Under 18	26.5	16.9
18-24...	16.0	10.1
25-34...	14.9	10.5
35-44...	14.6	10.9
45-54...	17.2	13.5
55-65...	17.9	13.8
65+	19.9	17.6

Footnotes

- 1/ Discharges for the purpose of this survey were defined as including discharges, deaths, placement on extended leave and transfers from the psychiatric inpatient unit of the hospital to other services in the same hospital.
- 2/ The diagnostic groupings used in this Note are defined in terms of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual - DSM II, American Psychiatric Association as follows:

<u>Diagnostic Grouping</u>	<u>APA Codes Included</u>
Alcohol disorders.....	291, 309.13, 303
Drug disorders.....	294.3, 309.14, 304
Organic brain syndromes (NEC).....	290, 292, 293, 294, (except 294.3), 309 (except 309.13, 309.14)
Schizophrenia.....	295
Depressive disorders.....	300.4, 296, 298.0
Other psychoses.....	297, 298
Neuroses.....	300 (excluding 300.4)
Personality disorders.....	301
Childhood disorders.....	308
Transient situational disorders.....	307

1975 Survey of Discharges From Non-Federal General Hospital Psychiatric Inpatient Units

Survey Design and Procedures

This survey was conducted during February 1975 by the American Hospital Association under contract to the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH). The survey covered psychiatric inpatient services of non-Federal general hospitals in the United States.

Sampling frame: The sampling frame for this survey was based on the October 1973 American Hospital Association Annual Survey of Hospitals and the NIMH annual Inventory of Mental Health Facilities. In the American Hospital Association survey, all general hospitals are asked if they have a psychiatric inpatient unit. Hospitals identified in this American Hospital Association survey were matched with the existing NIMH listings, and a composite universe was created. Only those hospitals with a separate psychiatric inpatient service were included.

Hospitals admitting psychiatric patients to their general medical and surgical wards but having no separate psychiatric units were excluded, as were those general hospitals admitting psychiatric patients on an emergency basis only. Federal general hospitals such as those operated by the Veterans Administration and the Public Health Service and Department of Defense were also excluded. Psychiatric inpatient services of general hospitals in which all the patients were considered patients of an affiliated federally funded community mental health center were not included.

General hospital units serving as an affiliate of a community mental health center but serving patients of their own in addition to those of the community mental health center were included. For these hospitals, only the general hospital patients were included in the sample; patients of the community mental health center were excluded.

Sample design: The sampling for this survey was based on a stratified probability design selected in two stages. In the first stage, a sample of hospital

units was selected from within eight primary strata. The primary strata consisted of eight groups—based on the annual number of discharges from the psychiatric inpatient units and the hospital ownership (table I). Sampling of hospital units was systematic within each of these primary strata. Within each primary stratum, the sequence of the listing of hospital units was by State.

In the second stage, a sample of psychiatric inpatient unit discharges was selected from each hospital selected in the first stage. The second stage sample was completed by a systematic selection scheme built into the questionnaire. The hospital was asked to list on the questionnaire all the discharges from their inpatient psychiatric service(s) during the month of February 1975 and to complete a questionnaire for those discharges who appeared on the predetermined sample lines.

Nonresponse and imputation of missing data: Table I shows the distribution of psychiatric inpatient units in the universe and in the sample by primary strata and the final disposition of the sample hospitals with regard to their response status.

As in any survey, there were three types of missing data: (1) failure of a sample hospital unit to participate in the survey; (2) failure to obtain data on a discharge designated as a sample case, and (3) failure to obtain particular items of information (such as age, previous psychiatric care) for individual sample cases. Adjustments in the estimates have been made for all three types of nonresponse.

Statistics presented in this report were adjusted for the failure of a sample hospital to respond (type 1 above) by the use of a separate nonresponse adjustment factor for each primary stratum. The factor was the ratio of all sample hospital units to the responding sample hospital units. Data were also adjusted for nonresponse of sample cases

within a sample hospital unit (type 2 above) by a procedure which imputed to discharges for whom no data were obtained the characteristics of responding discharges within the same hospital unit. Adjustment for this type of nonresponse was minimal; data for 38 sample cases, or 1.0 percent of the designated sample, were imputed.

Data were also adjusted for nonresponse to specific items (such as age, income)—type 3 above—but the imputation was done independently for each table. For example, in a table showing the age, sex, and marital status of discharges to inpatient services, cases for which any one or all of these three variables were unknown were distributed in the table according to the distribution of cases for which these three variables were known. The percent of cases for which some or all items were unknown was less than 5 percent unless otherwise noted in the footnotes to the table.

Estimation: Statistics reported in this publication are essentially the result of two stages of ratio adjustment, one at each stage of selection. The purpose of ratio estimation is to take into account all relevant information in the estimation process, thereby reducing the variability of the estimate. The first stage ratio adjustment was included in the estimation of data for all primary size strata from which a sample of inpatient services was drawn. This factor was a ratio calculated for each stratum. The numerator was the total number of discharges according to the NIMH January 1974 Inventory of General Hospital Psychiatric Services for sample hospitals in the stratum. The denominator of this ratio was the estimated number of discharges for the inpatient services in each stratum. This estimate was obtained through a simple inflation of the 1974 inventory data for the sample inpatient services in each stratum. The effect of this first ratio adjustment was to bring the sample in closer agreement with the known universe of discharges. The second stage ratio adjustment was included in the estimation of patient data for all primary strata. This second stage ratio adjustment factor was the product of two fractions: The first was the ratio of the total number of discharges from the inpatient services to the number of discharges designated as sample cases by the systematic selection scheme; the second was the sampling fraction for discharges upon which the systematic selection was based. This second stage adjustment corrected the sample for over or under-representation of discharges in the particular sample selected within each inpatient service.

For 139, or 61 percent of the hospitals in the sample, the total discharges for the year interval July 1, 1974-June 30, 1975 was obtained. This yearly figure for the hospitals in each strata was divided by the number of discharges for the sample month for the corresponding hospitals to inflate the monthly data to a year interval.

Reliability of estimates: Since statistics presented in this report are estimates based on a sample, they will differ from the figures that would have been obtained from a complete enumeration of all inpatient services in the universe using the same schedule and survey procedures. As in any survey, in addition to sampling errors, the results are also subject to measurement errors. To the extent possible, these types of errors were kept to a minimum by methods built into the survey procedures.

The sampling error (or standard error) of a statistic is inversely proportional to the square root of the number of observations in the sample. Thus, as the sample size increases, the standard error decreases. The standard error is primarily a measure of the variability that occurs by chance because only a sample rather than the entire universe is surveyed. As calculated for this report, the standard error also reflects part of the measurement error, but it does not measure any systematic biases in the data. The chances are about two out of three that an estimate from the sample differs from the value which would be obtained from a complete census by less than the standard error. The chances are about 95 out of 100 that the difference is less than twice the standard error and about 99 out of 100 that it is less than 2½ times as large.

Relative standard errors of aggregates shown in this report can be determined from table II of this section. The relative standard error of an estimate is obtained by dividing the standard error of the estimate by the estimate itself and is expressed as a percent of the estimate. An example of how to convert the relative error into a standard error is given with table II. Standard errors of estimated percentages are shown in table III. To determine the standard error of a median value or of the difference between two statistics, the following rules may be used.

Standard error of a median: The medians shown in this report were calculated from grouped data. Approximate confidence intervals for these estimated medians can be computed as follows:

- (a) Determine the standard error of a 50 percent characteristic whose denominator is equal to

the estimated number of persons in the frequency distribution of which the median is based.

(b) Apply this standard error to the cumulative frequency distribution to obtain the confidence interval around the median.

It is possible to investigate whether an observed difference between two estimated medians can be attributed to sampling error alone by obtaining the upper 68 percent confidence limit, U'_1 , of the smaller observed median, M'_1 , and the lower 68 percent confidence limit, L'_2 , of the larger median, M'_2 . These limits may be found by using the method outlined above by using one standard error instead of two. The square root of the sum of the squared differences between M'_1 and U'_1 and M'_2

and L'_2 is the standard error of the difference between M'_1 and M'_2 ; that is $S(M'_1 - M'_2) = \sqrt{(M'_1 - U'_1)^2 + (M'_2 - L'_2)^2}$. For the purpose of this report, any difference between M'_1 and M'_2 greater than $2(SM'_1 - M'_2)$ is considered statistically significant.

Standard error of a difference between two estimates: The standard error of a difference is approximately the square root of the sum of the squares of each standard error considered separately. This formula will represent the actual standard error quite accurately for the difference between separate and uncorrelated characteristics although it is only a rough approximation in most other cases.

Table I. Distribution of non-Federal general hospital psychiatric inpatient units in the universe and in the sample survey by primary strata and by response status to the sample survey

Primary strata (number of annual discharges from psychiatric inpatient unit) and hospital ownership	Number of hospital units in universe	Number of hospitals in sample		
		Total	Nonresponding	Responding
Public (non-Federal)				
Under 500	39	20	1	19
500-749	26	13	—	13
750-1999	27	13	1	12
2000+	14	14	4	10
Unknown	44	27	8	19
Nonpublic				
Under 500	227	44	4	40
500-749	117	24	7	17
750-1999	104	21	3	18
2000+	8	8	—	8
Unknown	136	43	6	37
Total	742	227	34	193

Table II. Relative standard error of estimated rates or numbers

Size of estimate or numerator or rate	Relative standard error
500.....	5.8%
1,000.....	4.4
5,000.....	2.8
10,000.....	2.5
25,000.....	2.3
50,000.....	2.2
100,000.....	2.2
250,000.....	2.2

Table III. Standard error (expressed in percentage points) of a percent

Size of denominator	Estimated percent									
	5 or 95	10 or 90	15 or 85	20 or 80	25 or 75	30 or 70	35 or 65	40 or 60	45 or 55	50
	1,000....	0.82	1.13	1.35	1.51	1.64	1.73	1.80	1.85	1.88
2,500....	0.52	0.72	0.85	0.96	1.04	1.10	1.14	1.17	1.19	1.20
5,000....	0.37	0.51	0.60	0.68	0.73	0.77	0.81	0.83	0.84	0.85
10,000....	0.26	0.36	0.43	0.48	0.52	0.55	0.57	0.59	0.59	0.60
25,000....	0.16	0.23	0.27	0.30	0.33	0.35	0.36	0.37	0.38	0.38
50,000....	0.12	0.16	0.19	0.21	0.23	0.25	0.26	0.26	0.27	0.27
100,000....	0.08	0.11	0.13	0.15	0.16	0.17	0.18	0.19	0.19	0.19
250,000....	0.05	0.07	0.09	0.10	0.10	0.11	0.11	0.12	0.12	0.12
400,000....	0.04	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.09
500,000....	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.07	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08

Table IV. Standard errors of median days of stay

Selected diagnoses	All hospital units	Hospital control	
		Public	Nonpublic
Sex-race			
Both sexes.....	.0261	.0412	.0298
White.....	.0282	.0522	.0319
All other races.....	.0507	.0622	.0831
Males.....	.0441	.0520	.0522
White.....	.0468	.0703	.0555
All other races.....	.0847	.0677	.1515
Females.....	.0322	.0665	.0362
White.....	.0352	.0777	.0389
All other races.....	.0793	.1265	.0991
Age			
All ages.....	.0261	.0412	.0298
Under 18.....	.0159	.3228	.1832
18-24.....	.0539	.0553	.0722
25-34.....	.0452	.0534	.0638
35-44.....	.0527	.0854	.0597
45-54.....	.0862	.1135	.1101
55-64.....	.0714	.1619	.1506
65+.....	.1204	.2323	.1216
All diagnoses.....	.0261	.0412	.0298
Alcohol disorders.....	.0680	.0563	.1188
Drug disorders.....	.0765	.0947	.1155
Organic brain syndromes.....	.0964	.4029	.2021
Depressive disorders.....	.0403	.0921	.0675
Schizophrenia.....	.0547	.0501	.0961
Other psychoses.....	.2337	.2796	.2398
Neuroses.....	.0778	.2143	.0835
Personality disorders.....	.1166	.0940	.1792
Childhood disorders.....	.5059	.6473	.7637
Trans. situational disorders of adolescence, adult and late life.....	.1311	.3679	.1598
Primary payment source			
All payment sources0261	.0412	.0298
Personal payment.....	.0554	.0655	.0871
Blue Cross.....	.0735	.1141	.0756
Commercial Insurance.....	.0517	.0863	.0571
Medicare.....	.0687	.1550	.1397
Medicaid.....	.0557	.0675	.0747
Other Government.....	.0778	.0640	.1161
No charge.....	.0883	.4700	.1598
Other.....	.2005	.1294	.2281

Table 1. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, sex, race, and hospital control, United States, 1975

Sex and race	Total discharges	Length of stay in days							a. Number of discharges
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	
A11									
Both sexes	515,537	39,947	48,158	46,925	42,624	54,680	65,855	132,421	84,927
White...	450,992	35,474	41,372	41,156	35,654	45,692	57,040	116,122	78,482
All other	64,545	4,473	6,786	5,769	6,970	8,988	8,815	16,299	6,445
Male.....	211,569	16,785	21,167	21,495	19,184	23,175	24,924	50,517	34,322
White...	184,219	15,242	17,978	18,791	16,278	18,587	21,925	44,274	31,144
All other	27,350	1,543	3,189	2,704	2,906	4,588	2,999	6,243	3,178
Female....	303,968	23,162	26,991	25,430	23,440	31,505	40,931	81,904	50,605
White...	266,773	20,232	23,394	22,365	19,376	27,105	35,115	71,848	47,338
All other	37,195	2,930	3,597	3,065	4,064	4,400	5,816	10,056	3,267
Public									
Both sexes	139,352	18,176	18,111	15,998	14,360	16,242	16,637	24,917	14,911
White...	112,641	15,810	15,546	13,802	10,157	11,531	13,418	20,150	12,227
All other	26,711	2,366	2,565	2,196	4,203	4,711	3,219	4,767	2,684
Male.....	70,910	9,101	8,796	8,899	7,410	9,190	7,734	11,922	7,858
White...	57,305	8,158	7,394	7,479	5,397	6,102	6,585	9,958	6,232
All other	13,605	943	1,402	1,420	2,013	3,088	1,149	1,964	1,626
Female....	68,442	9,075	9,315	7,099	6,950	7,052	8,903	12,995	7,053
White...	55,336	7,652	8,152	6,323	4,760	5,429	6,833	10,192	5,995
All other	13,106	1,425	1,163	776	2,190	1,623	2,070	2,803	1,058
Nonpublic									
Both sexes	376,185	21,771	30,047	30,927	28,264	38,438	49,218	107,504	70,016
White...	338,351	19,664	25,826	27,354	25,497	34,161	43,622	95,972	66,255
All other	37,834	2,107	4,221	3,573	2,767	4,277	5,596	11,532	3,761
Male.....	140,659	7,684	12,371	12,596	11,774	13,985	17,190	38,595	26,464
White...	126,914	7,084	10,584	11,312	10,881	12,485	15,340	34,316	24,912
All other	13,745	*	1,787	1,284	893	1,500	1,850	4,279	1,552
Female....	235,526	14,087	17,676	18,331	16,490	24,453	32,028	68,909	43,552
White...	211,437	12,580	15,242	16,042	14,616	21,676	28,282	61,656	41,343
All other	24,089	1,507	2,434	2,289	1,874	2,777	3,746	7,253	2,200

Table 1. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, sex, race, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

b. Percent distribution of discharges

Sex and race	Total discharges	Length of stay in days						
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28
All								
Both sexes	100.0	7.7	9.3	9.1	8.3	10.6	12.8	25.7
White...	100.0	7.9	9.2	9.1	7.9	10.1	12.7	25.7
All other	100.0	6.9	10.5	8.9	10.8	13.9	13.7	25.3
Male.....	100.0	7.9	10.0	10.1	9.1	11.0	11.8	23.9
White...	100.0	8.3	9.8	10.2	8.8	10.1	11.9	24.0
All other	100.0	5.6	11.7	9.9	10.6	16.8	11.0	22.8
Female....	100.0	7.6	8.9	8.4	7.7	10.4	13.5	26.9
White...	100.0	7.6	8.8	8.4	7.2	10.2	13.2	26.9
All other	100.0	7.9	9.7	8.2	10.9	11.8	15.6	27.1
Public								
Both sexes	100.0	13.0	13.0	11.5	10.3	11.7	11.9	17.9
White...	100.0	14.0	13.8	12.3	9.0	10.2	11.9	17.9
All other	100.0	8.9	9.6	8.2	15.7	17.6	12.1	17.9
Male.....	100.0	12.8	12.4	12.6	10.4	13.0	10.9	16.8
White...	100.0	14.2	12.9	13.1	9.4	10.6	11.5	17.4
All other	100.0	6.9	10.3	10.5	14.8	22.7	8.4	14.4
Female....	100.0	13.2	13.6	10.4	10.2	10.3	13.0	19.0
White...	100.0	13.8	14.7	11.4	8.6	9.8	12.4	18.4
All other	100.0	10.8	8.9	6.9	16.7	12.4	15.8	21.4
Nonpublic								
Both sexes	100.0	5.8	8.0	8.2	7.5	10.2	13.1	28.6
White...	100.0	5.8	7.6	8.1	7.5	10.1	12.9	28.4
All other	100.0	5.6	11.2	9.4	7.3	11.3	14.8	30.5
Male.....	100.0	5.5	8.8	9.0	8.4	9.9	12.2	27.4
White...	100.0	5.6	8.3	8.9	8.6	9.9	12.1	27.0
All other	100.0	*	13.0	9.3	6.5	10.9	13.5	31.1
Female....	100.0	6.0	7.5	7.8	7.0	10.4	13.6	29.2
White...	100.0	5.9	7.2	7.6	6.9	10.3	13.4	29.2
All other	100.0	6.3	10.1	9.5	7.8	11.5	15.5	30.1

Table 1. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, sex, race, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

Sex and race	Length of stay in days							C. Cumulative percent distribution of discharges
	1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	
<u>All</u>								
Both sexes	7.7	17.0	26.1	34.4	45.0	57.8	83.5	100.0
White...	7.9	17.1	26.2	34.1	44.2	56.9	82.6	100.0
All other	6.9	17.4	26.3	37.1	51.0	64.7	90.0	100.0
Male.....	7.9	17.9	28.0	37.1	48.1	59.9	83.8	100.0
White...	8.3	18.1	28.3	37.1	47.2	59.1	83.1	100.0
All other	5.6	17.3	27.2	37.8	54.6	65.6	88.4	100.0
Female...	7.6	16.5	24.9	32.6	43.0	56.5	83.4	100.0
White...	7.6	16.4	24.8	32.0	42.2	55.4	82.3	100.0
All other	7.9	17.6	25.8	36.7	48.5	64.1	91.2	100.0
<u>Public</u>								
Both sexes	13.0	26.0	37.5	47.8	59.5	71.4	89.3	100.0
White...	14.0	27.8	40.1	49.1	59.3	71.2	89.1	100.0
All other	8.9	18.5	26.7	42.4	60.0	72.1	90.0	100.0
Male.....	12.8	25.2	37.8	48.2	61.2	72.1	88.9	100.0
White...	14.2	27.1	40.2	49.6	60.2	71.7	89.1	100.0
All other	6.9	17.2	27.7	42.5	65.2	73.6	88.0	100.0
Female...	13.2	26.8	37.2	47.4	57.7	70.7	89.7	100.0
White...	13.8	28.5	39.9	48.5	58.3	70.7	89.1	100.0
All other	10.8	19.7	25.6	42.3	54.7	70.5	91.9	100.0
<u>Nonpublic</u>								
Both sexes	5.8	13.8	22.0	29.5	39.7	52.8	81.4	100.0
White...	5.8	13.4	21.5	29.0	39.1	52.0	80.4	100.0
All other	5.6	16.8	26.2	33.5	44.8	59.6	90.1	100.0
Male.....	5.5	14.3	23.3	31.7	41.6	53.8	81.2	100.0
White...	5.6	13.9	22.8	31.4	41.3	53.4	80.4	100.0
All other	4.4	17.4	26.7	33.2	44.1	57.6	88.7	100.0
Female...	6.0	13.5	21.3	28.3	38.7	52.3	81.5	100.0
White...	5.9	13.1	20.7	27.6	37.9	51.3	80.5	100.0
All other	6.3	16.4	25.9	33.7	45.2	60.7	90.8	100.0

Table 2. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, and age, and hospital control, United States, 1975

a. Number of discharges

Age and hospital control	Total discharges	Length of stay in days						29+
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	
All....	515,537	39,947	48,158	46,925	42,624	54,680	65,855	132,421
Under 18	42,690	2,385	4,124	1,646	4,472	3,155	3,723	10,850
18-24...	93,239	9,156	10,194	9,696	8,828	10,163	11,797	20,177
25-34...	132,127	11,359	14,094	15,419	10,978	14,433	16,451	32,190
35-44...	88,139	8,886	9,371	8,193	6,251	10,095	13,472	20,587
45-54...	77,433	5,203	5,866	6,833	6,039	9,043	7,720	22,712
55-64...	43,769	2,019	1,924	3,532	3,926	4,696	7,010	12,327
65+....	38,140	939	2,585	1,606	2,130	3,095	5,682	13,578
 Public....	 139,352	 18,126	 18,111	 15,998	 14,360	 16,242	 16,637	 24,917
Under 18	11,067	620	1,388	330	1,188	500	1,173	2,727
18-24...	27,838	4,405	3,700	3,020	3,607	3,542	3,326	3,855
25-34...	44,706	6,793	4,962	6,013	4,735	5,248	5,376	7,446
35-44...	24,073	3,898	3,689	2,707	1,514	3,257	3,336	4,133
45-54...	14,147	908	2,062	2,243	1,617	1,880	1,079	3,590
55-64...	10,264	1,060	733	1,341	1,159	1,122	1,553	2,157
65+....	7,257	*	1,577	*	540	693	794	1,486
 Nonpublic.	 376,185	 21,771	 30,047	 30,927	 28,264	 38,438	 49,218	 107,504
Under 18	31,623	1,765	2,736	1,316	3,284	2,655	2,550	8,123
18-24...	65,401	4,751	6,494	6,676	5,221	6,621	8,471	16,322
25-34...	87,421	4,566	9,132	9,406	6,243	9,185	11,075	24,744
35-44...	64,066	4,988	5,682	5,486	4,737	6,838	10,136	16,931
45-54...	63,286	4,295	3,804	4,590	4,422	7,163	6,641	19,122
55-64...	33,505	959	1,191	2,191	2,767	3,574	5,457	10,170
65+....	30,883	*	1,008	1,262	1,590	2,402	4,888	12,092

Table 2. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, and age, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

Age and hospital control	Total discharges	Length of stay in days						
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28
<u>All.....</u>	100.0	7.7	9.3	9.1	8.3	10.6	12.8	25.7
<u>Under 18</u>	100.0	5.6	9.7	3.8	10.5	7.4	8.7	25.4
18-24...	100.0	9.8	10.9	10.4	9.5	10.9	12.7	21.6
25-34...	100.0	8.6	10.7	11.7	8.3	10.9	12.4	24.4
35-44...	100.0	10.1	10.6	9.3	7.1	11.4	15.3	23.4
45-54...	100.0	6.7	7.6	8.8	7.8	11.7	10.0	29.3
55-64...	100.0	4.6	4.4	8.1	9.0	10.7	16.0	28.2
65+....	100.0	2.5	6.8	4.2	5.6	8.1	14.9	35.6
<u>Public...</u>	100.0	13.0	13.0	11.5	10.3	11.7	11.9	10.7
<u>Under 18</u>	100.0	5.6	12.6	3.0	10.7	4.5	10.6	24.6
18-24...	100.0	15.8	13.3	10.8	13.0	12.7	11.9	13.9
25-34...	100.0	15.2	11.1	13.5	10.6	11.7	12.0	16.7
35-44...	100.0	16.2	15.3	11.2	6.3	13.5	13.9	15.2
45-54...	100.0	6.4	14.6	15.9	11.4	13.3	7.6	25.4
55-64...	100.0	10.3	7.2	13.1	11.3	10.9	15.1	21.0
65+....	100.0	*	21.7	*	7.4	9.6	10.9	20.6
<u>Nonpublic...</u>	100.0	5.8	8.0	8.2	7.5	10.2	13.1	28.6
<u>Under 18</u>	100.0	5.6	8.6	4.2	10.4	8.4	8.0	25.7
18-24...	100.0	7.3	9.9	10.2	8.0	10.1	12.9	25.0
25-34...	100.0	5.2	10.4	10.8	7.1	10.5	12.7	28.3
35-44...	100.0	7.8	8.9	8.6	7.4	10.7	15.8	26.4
45-54...	100.0	6.8	6.0	7.3	7.0	11.3	10.5	30.2
55-64...	100.0	2.9	3.5	6.5	8.3	10.7	16.3	30.3
65+....	100.0	*	3.3	4.1	5.1	7.8	15.8	39.2

Table 2. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, and age, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

Age and hospital control	Length of stay in days						c, cumulative percent distribution of discharges
	1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	
All.....	7.7	17.0	26.1	34.4	45.0	57.8	83.5
Under 18	5.6	15.3	19.1	29.6	37.0	45.7	71.1
18-24...	9.8	20.7	31.1	40.6	51.5	64.2	85.8
25-34...	8.6	19.3	31.0	39.3	50.2	62.6	87.0
35-44...	10.1	20.7	30.0	37.1	48.5	63.8	87.2
45-54...	6.7	14.3	23.1	30.9	42.6	52.6	81.9
55-64...	4.6	9.0	17.1	26.1	36.8	52.8	81.0
65+....	2.5	9.3	13.5	19.1	27.2	42.1	77.7
Public...	13.0	26.0	37.5	47.8	59.5	71.4	89.3
Under 18	5.6	18.2	21.2	31.9	36.4	47.0	71.6
18-24...	15.8	29.1	39.9	52.9	65.6	77.5	91.4
25-34...	15.2	26.3	39.8	50.4	62.1	74.1	90.8
35-44...	16.2	31.5	42.7	49.0	62.5	76.4	91.6
45-54...	6.4	21.0	36.9	48.3	61.6	69.2	94.6
55-64...	10.3	17.5	30.6	41.9	52.8	67.9	88.9
65+....	6.8	28.5	33.2	40.6	50.2	61.1	81.6
Nonpublic.	5.8	13.8	22.0	29.5	39.7	52.8	81.4
Under 18	5.6	14.2	18.4	28.8	37.2	45.2	70.9
18-24...	7.3	17.2	27.4	35.4	45.5	58.4	83.4
25-34...	5.2	15.6	26.4	33.5	44.0	56.7	85.0
35-44...	7.8	16.7	25.3	32.7	43.4	59.2	85.6
45-54...	6.8	12.8	20.1	27.1	38.4	48.9	79.1
55-64...	2.9	6.4	12.9	21.2	31.9	48.2	78.5
65+....	1.4	4.7	8.8	13.9	21.7	37.5	76.7

Table 3. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, diagnosis, and hospital control, United States 1975

Selected diagnosis	Total discharges	Length of stay in days						a. Number of discharges
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	
All diagnoses - All.....	515,537	39,947	48,158	46,925	42,624	54,680	65,855	132,421
Selected diagnosis								84,927
Alcohol disorders.....	35,932	5,475	6,731	5,196	3,334	3,596	3,507	6,202
Drug disorders.....	17,849	3,524	3,281	1,362	2,087	2,021	1,867	2,253
Organic brain syndromes	18,981	738	1,641	828	1,998	1,755	3,417	1,454
Depressive disorders...	194,399	9,609	12,016	15,400	13,900	21,317	26,175	6,076
Schizophrenia.....	124,458	6,171	10,858	10,182	11,677	14,629	15,422	57,891
Other psychoses.....	11,597	824	707	943	769	1,628	1,102	32,161
Neuroses.....	32,070	2,804	2,854	4,054	2,458	2,831	5,505	23,358
Personality disorders...	30,100	4,459	4,332	3,457	2,083	2,668	3,315	3,790
Childhood disorders....	4,625	137	*	*	*	*	333	5,613
Transient situational dis. of adoles., adult & late life.....	26,529	3,074	2,332	3,154	1,552	1,759	2,971	4,173
All diagnoses - Public...	139,352	18,176	18,111	15,998	14,360	16,242	16,637	1,568
Selected diagnosis								24,917
Alcohol disorders.....	13,595	3,078	3,368	2,477	845	1,340	887	1,289
Drug disorders.....	5,521	818	1,297	373	938	*	*	*
Organic brain syndromes	4,512	*	1,068	318	*	*	763	1,012
Depressive disorders...	33,080	3,048	2,885	3,141	3,040	4,427	3,921	1,095
Schizophrenia.....	50,572	4,103	4,763	6,396	6,850	8,050	6,854	8,107
Other psychoses.....	2,728	*	*	*	*	335	447	4,511
Neuroses.....	3,937	533	*	466	*	*	700	5,074
Personality disorders...	11,012	3,113	2,355	1,207	409	689	1,448	501
Childhood disorders....	1,687	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,341
Transient situational dis. of adoles., adult & late life.....	7,005	1,197	795	1,013	416	408	865	816
All diagnoses - Nonpublic	376,185	21,771	30,047	30,927	28,264	38,438	49,218	632
Selected diagnosis								70,016
Alcohol disorders.....	22,337	2,397	3,363	2,719	2,489	2,256	2,620	4,913
Drug disorders.....	12,328	2,706	1,984	989	1,149	1,937	1,633	1,580
Organic brain syndromes	14,469	*	*	*	1,642	1,456	2,654	1,241
Depressive disorders...	161,319	6,561	9,131	12,259	10,860	16,890	22,254	49,784
Schizophrenia.....	73,886	2,068	6,095	3,786	4,827	6,579	8,568	33,580
Other psychoses.....	8,869	*	*	731	*	1,293	*	23,679
Neuroses.....	28,133	2,271	2,719	3,588	2,279	2,649	4,805	18,284
Personality disorders...	19,088	1,346	1,977	2,250	1,674	1,979	1,867	3,287
Childhood disorders....	2,938	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,551
Transient situational dis.of adolescence, adult and late life..	19,524	1,877	1,537	2,141	1,136	1,353	2,106	3,357
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Table 3. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, diagnosis, and hospital control,
 United States, 1975 (Continued) b. Percent distribution of discharges

Selected diagnosis	Total discharges	Length of stay in days						
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28
All diagnoses - All.....	100.0	7.7	9.3	9.1	8.3	10.6	12.8	25.7
Selected diagnosis								
Alcohol disorders....	100.0	15.2	18.7	14.5	9.3	10.0	9.7	17.3
Drug disorders.....	100.0	19.8	18.4	7.6	11.7	11.3	10.5	12.6
Organic brain syndromes	100.0	3.9	8.7	4.4	10.5	9.2	18.0	32.0
Depressive disorders...	100.0	4.9	6.2	7.9	7.1	11.0	13.5	13.3
Schizophrenia.....	100.0	5.0	8.7	8.2	9.4	11.7	12.4	29.8
Other psychoses.....	100.0	7.1	6.1	8.2	6.6	14.0	9.5	25.8
Neuroses.....	100.0	8.8	8.9	12.6	7.7	8.8	17.2	30.8
Personality disorders...	100.0	14.8	14.4	11.5	6.9	8.9	11.0	17.7
Childhood disorders...	100.0	*	*	*	*	*	7.2	24.2
Transient situational dis. of adoles.,adult & late life.....	100.0	11.6	8.8	11.9	5.8	6.6	11.2	18.6
All diagnoses - Public...	100.0	13.0	13.0	11.5	10.3	11.7	11.9	17.9
Selected diagnosis								
Alcohol disorders....	100.0	22.6	24.8	18.2	6.2	9.9	6.5	9.5
Drug disorders.....	100.0	14.8	23.5	6.8	17.0	*	*	18.3
Organic brain syndromes	100.0	*	23.7	7.0	*	*	16.9	24.3
Depressive disorders...	100.0	9.2	8.7	9.5	9.2	13.4	11.9	24.5
Schizophrenia.....	100.0	8.1	9.4	12.6	13.6	15.9	13.6	13.6
Other psychoses.....	100.0	*	*	*	*	12.3	16.4	10.0
Neuroses.....	100.0	13.5	*	11.8	*	*	17.8	18.4
Personality disorders...	100.0	28.3	21.4	11.0	3.7	6.2	13.1	34.1
Childhood disorders...	100.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transient situational dis. of adoles.,adult & late life.....	100.0	17.1	11.4	14.5	5.9	5.8	12.3	37.5
All diagnoses - Nonpublic	100.0	5.8	8.0	8.2	7.5	10.2	13.1	28.6
Selected diagnosis								
Alcohol disorders....	100.0	10.7	15.1	12.2	11.1	10.1	11.7	28.6
Drug disorders.....	100.0	22.0	16.1	8.0	9.3	15.7	13.2	7.1
Organic brain syndromes	100.0	*	*	*	11.4	10.1	18.3	*
Depressive disorders...	100.0	4.0	5.7	7.6	6.7	10.5	13.8	16.4
Schizophrenia.....	100.0	2.8	8.3	5.1	6.5	8.9	11.6	20.8
Other psychoses.....	100.0	*	*	8.2	*	14.6	*	24.8
Neuroses.....	100.0	8.1	9.7	12.7	8.1	9.4	17.1	37.1
Personality disorders...	100.0	7.1	10.3	11.8	8.8	10.3	9.8	17.5
Childhood disorders...	100.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transient situational dis. of adoles.,adult & late life.....	100.0	9.6	7.9	11.0	5.8	6.9	10.8	32.1
								15.9

Table 3. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, diagnosis, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

Selected diagnosis	Length of stay in days							C. Cumulative percent distribution of discharges	
	1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	29+	
All diagnoses - All.....									
Selected diagnosis	7.7	17.0	26.1	34.4	45.0	57.8	83.5	100.0	
Alcohol disorders.....	15.2	33.9	48.4	57.7	67.7	77.4	94.7	100.0	
Drug disorders.....	19.8	38.2	45.8	57.5	68.8	79.3	91.9	100.0	
Organic brain syndromes	3.9	12.6	17.0	27.5	36.7	54.7	86.7	100.0	
Depressive disorders...	4.9	11.1	19.0	26.1	37.1	50.6	80.4	100.0	
Schizophrenia.....	5.0	13.7	21.9	31.3	43.0	55.4	81.2	100.0	
Other psychoses.....	7.1	13.2	21.4	28.0	42.0	51.5	82.3	100.0	
Neuroses.....	8.8	17.7	30.3	38.0	46.8	64.0	88.2	100.0	
Personality disorders...	14.8	29.2	40.7	47.6	56.5	67.5	86.1	100.0	
Childhood disorders....	3.0	8.5	8.5	20.3	34.6	41.8	66.1	100.0	
Transient situational dis.of.adoles., adult & late life.....	11.6	20.4	32.3	38.1	44.7	55.9	83.4	100.0	
All diagnoses - Public...	13.0	26.0	37.5	47.8	59.5	71.4	89.3	100.0	
Selected diagnosis									
Alcohol disorders.....	22.6	47.4	65.6	71.8	81.7	88.2	97.7	100.0	
Drug disorders.....	14.8	38.3	45.1	62.1	63.6	67.8	86.1	100.0	
Organic brain syndromes	10.3	34.0	41.0	48.9	55.5	72.4	96.7	100.0	
Depressive disorders...	9.2	17.9	27.4	36.6	50.0	61.9	86.4	100.0	
Schizophrenia.....	8.1	17.5	30.1	43.7	59.6	73.2	90.0	100.0	
Other psychoses.....	11.5	27.9	35.7	42.5	54.8	71.2	81.6	100.0	
Neuroses.....	13.5	16.9	28.7	33.3	37.9	55.7	89.8	100.0	
Personality disorders...	28.3	49.7	60.7	64.4	70.6	83.7	92.6	100.0	
Childhood disorders....	8.1	17.8	17.8	17.8	24.6	31.0	62.5	100.0	
Transient situational dis.of.adoles., adult & late life.....	17.1	28.5	43.0	48.9	54.7	67.0	81.7	100.0	
All diagnoses - Nonpublic									
Selected diagnosis									
Alcohol disorders.....	10.7	25.8	38.0	49.1	59.2	70.9	92.9	100.0	
Drug disorders.....	22.0	38.1	46.1	55.4	71.1	84.3	94.4	100.0	
Organic brain syndromes	1.9	5.9	9.4	20.8	30.9	49.2	83.6	100.0	
Depressive disorders...	4.0	9.7	17.3	24.0	34.5	48.3	79.2	100.0	
Schizophrenia.....	2.8	11.1	16.2	22.7	31.6	43.2	75.2	100.0	
Other psychoses.....	5.7	8.6	16.8	23.4	38.0	45.4	82.5	100.0	
Neuroses.....	8.1	17.8	30.5	38.6	48.0	65.1	88.0	100.0	
Personality disorders...	7.1	17.4	29.2	38.0	48.3	58.1	82.4	100.0	
Childhood disorders....	0.0	3.1	3.1	21.7	40.2	47.9	68.1	100.0	
Transient situational dis.of.adoles., adult & late life.....	9.6	17.5	28.5	34.3	41.2	52.0	84.1	100.0	

* Five or fewer sample cases

Table IV. Standard errors of median days of stay

Selected diagnoses	All hospital units	Hospital control	
		Public	Nonpublic
<u>Sex-race</u>			
Both sexes.....	.0261	.0412	.0298
White.....	.0282	.0522	.0319
All other races.....	.0507	.0622	.0831
Males.....	.0441	.0520	.0522
White.....	.0468	.0703	.0555
All other races.....	.0647	.0677	.1515
Females.....	.0322	.0665	.0362
White.....	.0352	.0777	.0389
All other races.....	.0793	.1265	.0991
<u>Age</u>			
All ages.....	.0261	.0412	.0298
Under 18.....	.0159	.3228	.1832
18-24.....	.0539	.0553	.0722
25-34.....	.0452	.0534	.0638
35-44.....	.0527	.0854	.0597
45-54.....	.0862	.1135	.1101
55-64.....	.0714	.1619	.1506
65+.....	.1204	.2323	.1216
<u>All diagnoses</u>0261	.0412	.0298
Alcohol disorders.....	.0680	.0563	.1188
Drug disorders.....	.0765	.0947	.1155
Organic brain syndromes.....	.0964	.4029	.2021
Depressive disorders.....	.0403	.0921	.0675
Schizophrenia.....	.0547	.0501	.0961
Other psychoses.....	.2337	.2796	.2398
Neuroses.....	.0778	.2143	.0835
Personality disorders.....	.1166	.0940	.1792
Childhood disorders.....	.5059	.6473	.7637
Trans. situational disorders of adolescence, adult and late life.....	.1311	.3679	.1598
<u>Primary payment source</u>			
All payment sources0261	.0412	.0298
Personal payment.....	.0554	.0655	.0871
Blue Cross.....	.0735	.1141	.0756
Commercial Insurance.....	.0517	.0863	.0571
Medicare.....	.0687	.1550	.1397
Medicaid.....	.0557	.0675	.0747
Other Government.....	.0778	.0640	.1161
No charge.....	.0883	.4700	.1598
Other.....	.2005	.1294	.2281

Table 1. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, sex, race, and hospital control, United States, 1975

Sex and race	Total discharges	a. Number of discharges							Length of stay in days
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	
All									
Both sexes	515,537	39,947	48,158	46,925	42,624	54,680	65,855	132,421	84,927
White...	450,992	35,474	41,372	41,156	35,654	45,692	57,040	116,122	78,482
All other	64,545	4,473	6,786	5,769	6,970	8,988	8,815	16,299	6,445
Male.....	211,569	16,785	21,167	21,495	19,184	23,175	24,924	50,517	34,322
White...	184,219	15,242	17,978	18,791	16,278	18,587	21,925	44,274	31,144
All other	27,350	1,543	3,189	2,704	2,906	4,588	2,999	6,243	3,178
Female....	303,968	23,162	26,991	25,430	23,440	31,505	40,931	81,904	50,605
White...	266,773	20,232	23,394	22,365	19,376	27,105	35,115	71,848	47,338
All other	37,195	2,930	3,597	3,065	4,064	4,400	5,816	10,056	3,267
Public									
Both sexes	139,352	18,176	18,111	15,998	14,360	16,242	16,637	24,917	14,911
White...	112,641	15,810	15,546	13,802	10,157	11,531	13,418	20,150	12,227
All other	26,711	2,366	2,565	2,196	4,203	4,711	3,219	4,767	2,684
Male.....	70,910	9,101	8,796	8,899	7,410	9,190	7,734	11,922	7,858
White...	57,305	8,158	7,394	7,479	5,397	6,102	6,585	9,958	6,232
All other	13,605	943	1,402	1,420	2,013	3,088	1,149	1,964	1,626
Female....	68,442	9,075	9,315	7,099	6,950	7,052	8,903	12,995	7,053
White...	55,336	7,652	8,152	6,323	4,760	5,429	6,833	10,192	5,995
All other	13,106	1,425	1,163	776	2,190	1,623	2,070	2,803	1,058
Nonpublic									
Both sexes	376,185	21,771	30,047	30,927	28,264	38,438	49,218	107,504	70,016
White...	338,351	19,664	25,826	27,354	25,497	34,161	43,622	95,972	66,255
All other	37,834	2,107	4,221	3,573	2,767	4,277	5,596	11,532	3,761
Male.....	140,659	7,684	12,371	12,596	11,774	13,985	17,190	38,595	26,464
White...	126,914	7,084	10,584	11,312	10,881	12,485	15,340	34,316	24,912
All other	13,745	*	1,787	1,284	893	1,500	1,850	4,279	1,552
Female....	235,526	14,087	17,676	18,331	16,490	24,453	32,028	68,909	43,552
White...	211,437	12,580	15,242	16,042	14,616	21,676	28,282	61,656	41,343
All other	24,089	1,507	2,434	2,289	1,874	2,777	3,746	7,253	2,209

Table 1. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, sex, race, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

		Length of stay in days							
Sex and race	Total discharges	1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	29+
All									
Both sexes	100.0	7.7	9.3	9.1	8.3	10.6	12.8	25.7	16.5
White...	100.0	7.9	9.2	9.1	7.9	10.1	12.7	25.7	17.4
All other	100.0	6.9	10.5	8.9	10.8	13.9	13.7	25.3	10.0
Male.....	100.0	7.9	10.0	10.1	9.1	11.0	11.8	23.9	16.2
White...	100.0	8.3	9.8	10.2	8.8	10.1	11.9	24.0	16.9
All other	100.0	5.6	11.7	9.9	10.6	16.8	11.0	22.8	11.6
Female...	100.0	7.6	8.9	8.4	7.7	10.4	13.5	26.9	16.6
White...	100.0	7.6	8.8	8.4	7.2	10.2	13.2	26.9	17.7
All other	100.0	7.9	9.7	8.2	10.9	11.8	15.6	27.1	8.8
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Public									
Both sexes	100.0	13.0	13.0	11.5	10.3	11.7	11.9	17.9	10.7
White...	100.0	14.0	13.8	12.3	9.0	10.2	11.9	17.9	10.9
All other	100.0	8.9	9.6	8.2	15.7	17.6	12.1	17.9	10.0
Male.....	100.0	12.8	12.4	12.6	10.4	13.0	10.9	16.8	11.1
White...	100.0	14.2	12.9	13.1	9.4	10.6	11.5	17.4	10.9
All other	100.0	6.9	10.3	10.5	14.8	22.7	8.4	14.4	12.0
Female...	100.0	13.2	13.6	10.4	10.2	10.3	13.0	19.0	10.3
White...	100.0	13.8	14.7	11.4	8.6	9.8	12.4	18.4	10.9
All other	100.0	10.8	8.9	6.9	16.7	12.4	15.8	21.4	8.1
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Nonpublic									
Both sexes	100.0	5.8	8.0	8.2	7.5	10.2	13.1	28.6	18.6
White...	100.0	5.8	7.6	8.1	7.5	10.1	12.9	28.4	19.6
All other	100.0	5.6	11.2	9.4	7.3	11.3	14.8	30.5	9.9
Male.....	100.0	5.5	8.8	9.0	8.4	9.9	12.2	27.4	18.8
White...	100.0	5.6	8.3	8.9	8.6	9.9	12.1	27.0	19.6
All other	100.0	*	13.0	9.3	6.5	10.9	13.5	31.1	11.3
Female...	100.0	6.0	7.5	7.8	7.0	10.4	13.6	29.2	18.5
White...	100.0	5.9	7.2	7.6	6.9	10.3	13.4	29.2	19.5
All other	100.0	6.3	10.1	9.5	7.8	11.5	15.5	30.1	9.2

Table 1. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, sex, race, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

Sex and race	Length of stay in days						Cumulative percent distribution of discharges
	1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	
<u>All</u>							
Both sexes	7.7	17.0	26.1	34.4	45.0	57.8	83.5 100.0
White...	7.9	17.1	26.2	34.1	44.2	56.9	82.6 100.0
All other	6.9	17.4	26.3	37.1	51.0	64.7	90.0 100.0
Male.....	7.9	17.9	28.0	37.1	48.1	59.9	83.8 100.0
White...	8.3	18.1	28.3	37.1	47.2	59.1	83.1 100.0
All other	5.6	17.3	27.2	37.8	54.6	65.6	88.4 100.0
Female....	7.6	16.5	24.9	32.6	43.0	56.5	83.4 100.0
White...	7.6	16.4	24.8	32.0	42.2	55.4	82.3 100.0
All other	7.9	17.6	25.8	36.7	48.5	64.1	91.2 100.0
<u>Public</u>							
Both sexes	13.0	26.0	37.5	47.8	59.5	71.4	89.3 100.0
White...	14.0	27.8	40.1	49.1	59.3	71.2	89.1 100.0
All other	8.9	18.5	26.7	42.4	60.0	72.1	90.0 100.0
Male.....	12.8	25.2	37.8	48.2	61.2	72.1	88.9 100.0
White...	14.2	27.1	40.2	49.6	60.2	71.7	89.1 100.0
All other	6.9	17.2	27.7	42.5	65.2	73.6	88.0 100.0
Female....	13.2	26.8	37.2	47.4	57.7	70.7	89.7 100.0
White...	13.8	28.5	39.9	48.5	58.3	70.7	89.1 100.0
All other	10.8	19.7	25.6	42.3	54.7	70.5	91.9 100.0
<u>Nonpublic</u>							
Both sexes	5.8	13.8	22.0	29.5	39.7	52.8	81.4 100.0
White...	5.8	13.4	21.5	29.0	39.1	52.0	80.4 100.0
All other	5.6	16.8	26.2	33.5	44.8	59.6	90.1 100.0
Male.....	5.5	14.3	23.3	31.7	41.6	53.8	81.2 100.0
White...	5.6	13.9	22.8	31.4	41.3	53.4	80.4 100.0
All other	4.4	17.4	26.7	33.2	44.1	57.6	88.7 100.0
Female....	6.0	13.5	21.3	28.3	38.7	52.3	81.5 100.0
White...	5.9	13.1	20.7	27.6	37.9	51.3	80.5 100.0
All other	6.3	16.4	25.9	33.7	45.2	60.7	90.8 100.0

Table 2. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, and age, and hospital control, United States, 1975

a. Number of discharges

Age and hospital control	Total discharges	Length of stay in days							
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	29+
All.....	515,537	39,947	48,158	46,925	42,624	54,680	65,855	132,421	84,927
Under 18	42,690	2,385	4,124	1,646	4,472	3,155	3,723	10,850	12,335
18-24...	93,239	9,156	10,194	9,696	8,828	10,163	11,797	20,177	13,228
25-34...	132,127	11,359	14,094	15,419	10,978	14,433	16,451	32,190	17,203
35-44...	88,139	8,886	9,371	8,193	6,251	10,095	13,472	20,587	11,284
45-54...	77,433	5,203	5,866	6,833	6,039	9,043	7,720	22,712	14,017
55-64...	43,769	2,019	1,924	3,532	3,926	4,696	7,010	12,327	8,335
65+....	38,140	939	2,585	1,606	2,130	3,095	5,682	13,578	8,525
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<u>Public</u> ...	139,352	18,176	18,111	15,998	14,360	16,242	16,637	24,917	14,911
Under 18	11,067	620	1,388	330	1,188	500	1,173	2,727	3,141
18-24...	27,838	4,405	3,700	3,020	3,607	3,542	3,326	3,855	2,383
25-34...	44,706	6,793	4,962	6,013	4,735	5,248	5,376	7,446	4,133
35-44...	24,073	3,898	3,689	2,707	1,514	3,257	3,336	3,656	2,016
45-54...	14,147	908	2,062	2,243	1,617	1,880	1,079	3,590	768
55-64...	10,264	1,060	733	1,341	1,159	1,122	1,553	2,157	1,139
65+....	7,257	*	1,577	*	540	693	794	1,486	1,331
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<u>Nonpublic</u> .	376,185	21,771	30,047	30,927	28,264	38,438	49,218	107,504	70,016
Under 18	31,623	1,765	2,736	1,316	3,284	2,655	2,550	8,123	9,194
18-24...	65,401	4,751	6,494	6,676	5,221	6,621	8,471	16,322	10,845
25-34...	87,421	4,566	9,132	9,406	6,243	9,185	11,075	24,744	13,070
35-44...	64,066	4,988	5,682	5,486	4,737	6,838	10,136	16,931	9,268
45-54...	63,286	4,295	3,804	4,590	4,422	7,163	6,641	19,122	13,249
55-64...	33,505	959	1,191	2,191	2,767	3,574	5,457	10,170	7,196
65+....	30,883	*	1,008	1,262	1,590	2,402	4,888	12,092	7,194

Table 2. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, and age, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

b. percent distribution of discharges

Age and hospital control	Total discharges	Length of stay in days							
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	29+
All.....	100.0	7.7	9.3	9.1	8.3	10.6	12.8	25.7	16.5
Under 18	100.0	5.6	9.7	3.8	10.5	7.4	8.7	25.4	28.9
18-24...	100.0	9.8	10.9	10.4	9.5	10.8	12.7	21.6	14.2
25-34...	100.0	8.6	10.7	11.7	8.3	10.9	12.4	24.4	13.0
35-44...	100.0	10.1	10.6	9.3	7.1	11.4	15.3	23.4	12.8
45-54...	100.0	6.7	7.6	8.8	7.8	11.7	10.0	29.3	18.1
55-64...	100.0	4.6	4.4	8.1	9.0	10.7	16.0	28.2	19.0
65+....	100.0	2.5	6.8	4.2	5.6	8.1	14.9	35.6	22.3
Public....	100.0	13.0	13.0	11.5	10.3	11.7	11.9	17.9	10.7
Under 18	100.0	5.6	12.6	3.0	10.7	4.5	10.6	24.6	28.4
18-24...	100.0	15.8	13.3	10.8	13.0	12.7	11.9	13.9	8.6
25-34...	100.0	15.2	11.1	13.5	10.6	11.7	12.0	16.7	9.2
35-44...	100.0	16.2	15.3	11.2	6.3	13.5	13.9	15.2	8.4
45-54...	100.0	6.4	14.6	15.9	11.4	13.3	7.6	25.4	5.4
55-64...	100.0	10.3	7.2	13.1	11.3	10.9	15.1	21.0	11.1
65+....	100.0	*	21.7	*	7.4	9.6	10.9	20.5	18.4
Nonpublic...	100.0	5.8	8.0	8.2	7.5	10.2	13.1	28.6	18.6
Under 18	100.0	5.6	8.6	4.2	10.4	8.4	8.0	25.7	29.1
18-24...	100.0	7.3	9.9	10.2	8.0	10.1	12.9	25.0	16.6
25-34...	100.0	5.2	10.4	10.8	7.1	10.5	12.7	28.3	15.0
35-44...	100.0	7.8	8.9	8.6	7.4	10.7	15.8	26.4	14.4
45-54...	100.0	6.8	6.0	7.3	7.0	11.3	10.5	30.2	20.9
55-64...	100.0	2.9	3.5	6.5	8.3	10.7	16.3	30.3	21.5
65+....	100.0	*	3.3	4.1	5.1	7.8	15.8	39.2	23.3

Table 2. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, and age, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

Age and hospital control	Length of stay in days						c, cumulative percent distribution of discharges
	1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	
All.....	7.7	17.0	26.1	34.4	45.0	57.8	83.5
Under 18	5.6	15.3	19.1	29.6	37.0	45.7	71.1
18-24...	9.8	20.7	31.1	40.6	51.5	64.2	85.8
25-34...	8.6	19.3	31.0	39.3	50.2	62.6	87.0
35-44...	10.1	20.7	30.0	37.1	48.5	63.8	87.2
45-54...	6.7	14.3	23.1	30.9	42.6	52.6	81.9
55-64...	4.6	9.0	17.1	26.1	36.8	52.8	81.0
65+....	2.5	9.3	13.5	19.1	27.2	42.1	77.7
Public...	13.0	26.0	37.5	47.8	59.5	71.4	89.3
Under 18	5.6	18.2	21.2	31.9	36.4	47.0	71.6
18-24...	15.8	29.1	39.9	52.9	65.6	77.5	91.4
25-34...	15.2	26.3	39.8	50.4	62.1	74.1	90.8
35-44...	16.2	31.5	42.7	49.0	62.5	76.4	91.6
45-54...	6.4	21.0	36.9	48.3	61.6	69.2	94.6
55-64...	10.3	17.5	30.6	41.9	52.8	67.9	88.9
65+....	6.8	28.5	33.2	40.6	50.2	61.1	81.6
Nonpublic.	5.8	13.8	22.0	29.5	39.7	52.8	81.4
Under 18	5.6	14.2	18.4	28.8	37.2	45.2	70.9
18-24...	7.3	17.2	27.4	35.4	45.5	58.4	83.4
25-34...	5.2	15.6	26.4	33.5	44.0	56.7	85.0
35-44...	7.8	16.7	25.3	32.7	43.4	59.2	85.6
45-54...	6.8	12.8	20.1	27.1	38.4	48.9	79.1
55-64...	2.9	6.4	12.9	21.2	31.9	48.2	78.5
65+....	1.4	4.7	8.8	13.9	21.7	37.5	76.7

Table 3. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, diagnosis, and hospital control, United States 1975

Selected diagnosis	Total discharges	Length of stay in days							a. Number of discharges
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	
All diagnoses - All.....	515,537	39,947	48,158	46,925	42,624	54,680	65,855	132,421	84,927
Selected diagnosis									
Alcohol disorders.....	35,932	5,475	6,731	5,196	3,334	3,596	3,507	6,202	1,891
Drug disorders.....	17,849	3,524	3,281	1,362	2,087	2,021	1,867	2,253	1,454
Organic brain syndromes	18,981	738	1,641	828	1,998	1,755	3,417	6,076	2,528
Depressive disorders...	194,399	9,609	12,016	15,400	13,900	21,317	26,175	57,891	38,091
Schizophrenia.....	124,458	6,171	10,858	10,182	11,677	14,629	15,422	32,161	23,358
Other psychoses.....	11,597	824	707	943	769	1,628	1,102	3,572	2,052
Neuroses.....	32,070	2,804	2,854	4,054	2,458	2,831	5,505	7,774	3,790
Personality disorders...	30,100	4,459	4,332	3,457	2,083	2,668	3,315	5,613	4,173
Childhood disorders...	4,625	137	*	*	*	*	333	1,125	1,568
Transient situational dis. of adoles., adult & late life.....	26,529	3,074	2,332	3,154	1,552	1,759	2,971	7,290	4,397
All diagnoses - Public...	139,352	18,176	18,111	15,998	14,360	16,242	16,637	24,917	14,911
Selected diagnosis									
Alcohol disorders...	13,595	3,078	3,368	2,477	845	1,340	887	1,289	*
Drug disorders.....	5,521	818	1,297	373	938	*	*	1,012	765
Organic brain syndromes	4,512	*	1,068	318	*	*	763	1,095	*
Depressive disorders...	33,080	3,048	2,885	3,141	3,040	4,427	3,921	8,107	4,511
Schizophrenia.....	50,572	4,103	4,763	6,396	6,854	8,050	6,854	8,482	5,074
Other psychoses.....	2,728	*	*	*	*	335	447	285	501
Neuroses.....	3,937	533	*	466	*	*	700	1,341	*
Personality disorders...	11,012	3,113	2,355	1,207	409	689	1,448	975	816
Childhood disorders...	1,687	*	*	*	*	*	*	531	632
Transient situational dis. of adoles., adult & late life.....	7,005	1,197	795	1,013	416	408	865	1,027	1,284
All diagnoses - Nonpublic	376,185	21,771	30,047	30,927	28,264	38,438	49,218	107,504	70,016
Selected diagnosis									
Alcohol disorders.....	22,337	2,397	3,363	2,719	2,489	2,256	2,620	4,913	1,580
Drug disorders.....	12,328	2,706	1,984	989	1,149	1,937	1,633	1,241	*
Organic brain syndromes	14,469	*	*	*	1,642	1,456	2,654	4,981	2,380
Depressive disorders...	161,319	6,561	9,131	12,259	10,860	16,890	22,254	49,784	33,580
Schizophrenia.....	73,886	2,068	6,095	3,786	4,827	6,579	8,568	23,679	18,284
Other psychoses.....	8,869	*	*	731	*	1,293	*	3,287	1,551
Neuroses.....	28,133	2,271	2,719	3,588	2,279	2,649	4,805	6,433	3,389
Personality disorders...	19,088	1,346	1,977	2,250	1,674	1,979	1,867	4,638	3,357
Childhood disorders...	2,938	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transient situational dis.of adolescence, adult and late life..	19,524	1,877	1,537	2,141	1,136	1,353	2,106	6,263	3,113

Table 3. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, diagnosis, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued) b. Percent distribution of discharges

Selected diagnosis	Total discharges	Length of stay in days						29+
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	
All diagnoses - All.....								
All diagnoses	100.0	7.7	9.3	9.1	8.3	10.6	12.8	25.7
Selected diagnosis								
Alcohol disorders.....	100.0	15.2	18.7	14.5	9.3	10.0	9.7	17.3
Drug disorders.....	100.0	19.8	18.4	7.6	11.7	11.3	10.5	12.6
Organic brain syndromes	100.0	3.9	8.7	4.4	10.5	9.2	18.0	32.0
Depressive disorders...	100.0	4.9	6.2	7.9	7.1	11.0	13.5	29.8
Schizophrenia.....	100.0	5.0	8.7	8.2	9.4	11.7	12.4	25.8
Other psychoses.....	100.0	7.1	6.1	8.2	6.6	14.0	9.5	30.8
Neuroses.....	100.0	8.8	8.9	12.6	7.7	8.8	17.2	24.2
Personality disorders...	100.0	14.8	14.4	11.5	6.9	8.9	11.0	18.6
Childhood disorders....	100.0	*	*	*	*	*	7.2	24.3
Transient situational dis. of adoles., adult & late life.....	100.0	11.6	8.8	11.9	5.8	6.6	11.2	27.5
All diagnoses - Public...	100.0	13.0	13.0	11.5	10.3	11.7	11.9	17.9
Selected diagnosis								
Alcohol disorders.....	100.0	22.6	24.8	18.2	6.2	9.9	6.5	9.5
Drug disorders.....	100.0	14.8	23.5	6.8	17.0	*	*	18.3
Organic brain syndromes	100.0	*	23.7	7.0	*	*	16.9	24.3
Depressive disorders...	100.0	9.2	8.7	9.5	9.2	13.4	11.9	24.5
Schizophrenia.....	100.0	8.1	9.4	12.6	13.6	15.9	13.6	16.8
Other psychoses.....	100.0	*	*	*	*	12.3	16.4	10.4
Neuroses.....	100.0	13.5	*	11.8	*	*	17.8	34.1
Personality disorders...	100.0	28.3	21.4	11.0	3.7	6.2	13.1	8.9
Childhood disorders....	100.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	31.5
Transient situational dis. of adoles., adult & late life.....	100.0	17.1	11.4	14.5	5.9	5.8	12.3	14.7
All diagnoses - Nonpublic	100.0	5.8	8.0	8.2	7.5	10.2	13.1	28.6
Selected diagnosis								
Alcohol disorders.....	100.0	10.7	15.1	12.2	11.1	10.1	11.7	22.0
Drug disorders.....	100.0	22.0	16.1	8.0	9.3	15.7	13.2	10.1
Organic brain syndromes	100.0	*	*	*	11.4	10.1	18.3	34.4
Depressive disorders...	100.0	4.0	5.7	7.6	6.7	10.5	13.8	30.9
Schizophrenia.....	100.0	2.8	8.3	5.1	6.5	8.9	11.6	32.0
Other psychoses.....	100.0	*	*	8.2	*	14.6	*	37.1
Neuroses.....	100.0	8.1	9.7	12.7	8.1	9.4	17.1	22.9
Personality disorders...	100.0	7.1	10.3	11.8	8.8	10.3	9.8	24.3
Childhood disorders....	100.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Transient situational dis. of adoles., adult & late life.....	100.0	9.6	7.9	11.0	5.8	6.9	10.8	32.1
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Table 3. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay groups, diagnosis, and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

Selected diagnosis	Length of stay in days							C. Cumulative percent distribution of discharges		
	1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	29+		
All diagnoses - All.....										
Selected diagnosis	7.7	17.0	26.1	34.4	45.0	57.8	83.5	100.0		
Alcohol disorders.....	15.2	33.9	48.4	57.7	67.7	77.4	-94.7	100.0		
Drug disorders.....	19.8	38.2	45.8	57.5	68.8	79.3	91.9	100.0		
Organic brain syndromes	3.9	12.6	17.0	27.5	36.7	54.7	86.7	100.0		
Depressive disorders...	4.9	11.1	19.0	26.1	37.1	50.6	80.4	100.0		
Schizophrenia.....	5.0	13.7	21.9	31.3	43.0	55.4	81.2	100.0		
Other psychoses.....	7.1	13.2	21.4	28.0	42.0	51.5	82.3	100.0		
Neuroses.....	8.8	17.7	30.3	38.0	46.8	64.0	88.2	100.0		
Personality disorders...	14.8	29.2	40.7	47.6	56.5	67.5	86.1	100.0		
Childhood disorders....	3.0	8.5	8.5	20.3	34.6	41.8	66.1	100.0		
Transient situational dis.of.adoles., adult & late life.....	11.6	20.4	32.3	38.1	44.7	55.9	83.4	100.0		
All diagnoses - Public...										
Selected diagnosis	13.0	26.0	37.5	47.8	59.5	71.4	89.3	100.0		
Alcohol disorders.....	22.6	47.4	65.6	71.8	81.7	88.2	97.7	100.0		
Drug disorders.....	14.8	38.3	45.1	62.1	63.6	67.8	86.1	100.0		
Organic brain syndromes	10.3	34.0	41.0	48.9	55.5	72.4	96.7	100.0		
Depressive disorders...	9.2	17.9	27.4	36.6	50.0	61.9	86.4	100.0		
Schizophrenia.....	8.1	17.5	30.1	43.7	59.6	73.2	90.0	100.0		
Other psychoses.....	11.5	27.9	35.7	42.5	54.8	71.2	81.6	100.0		
Neuroses.....	13.5	16.9	28.7	33.3	37.9	55.7	89.8	100.0		
Personality disorders...	28.3	49.7	60.7	64.4	70.6	83.7	92.6	100.0		
Childhood disorders....	8.1	17.8	17.8	17.8	24.6	31.0	62.5	100.0		
Transient situational dis.of.adoles., adult & late life.....	17.1	28.5	43.0	48.9	54.7	67.0	81.7	100.0		
All diagnoses - Nonpublic										
Selected diagnosis	5.8	13.8	22.0	29.5	39.7	52.8	81.4	100.0		
Alcohol disorders.....	10.7	25.8	38.0	49.1	59.2	70.9	92.9	100.0		
Drug disorders.....	22.0	38.1	46.1	55.4	71.1	84.3	94.4	100.0		
Organic brain syndromes	1.9	5.9	9.4	20.8	30.9	49.2	83.6	100.0		
Depressive disorders...	4.0	9.7	17.3	24.0	34.5	48.3	79.2	100.0		
Schizophrenia.....	2.8	11.1	16.2	22.7	31.6	43.2	75.2	100.0		
Other psychoses.....	5.7	8.6	16.8	23.4	38.0	45.4	82.5	100.0		
Neuroses.....	8.1	17.8	30.5	38.6	48.0	65.1	88.0	100.0		
Personality disorders...	7.1	17.4	29.2	38.0	48.3	58.1	82.4	100.0		
Childhood disorders....	0.0	3.1	3.1	21.7	40.2	47.9	68.1	100.0		
Transient situational dis.of.adoles., adult & late life.....	9.6	17.5	28.5	34.3	41.2	52.0	84.1	100.0		

* Five or fewer sample cases

Table 4. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay group, primary payment source and hospital control, United States, 1975

Primary Payment source	Total discharges	Length of stay in days							a. Number of discharges
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	
All discharges.....	515,537	39,947	48,158	46,925	42,624	54,680	65,855	132,421	84,927
Personal payment....	44,246	7,739	6,719	5,265	4,541	4,831	4,591	6,003	4,557
Blue Cross.....	137,006	7,266	10,439	12,254	7,802	13,154	17,103	42,133	26,855
Commercial insurance	126,787	10,174	11,073	8,474	9,376	13,928	16,475	32,933	24,354
Medicare.....	49,230	2,130	4,395	2,846	3,660	5,020	7,719	13,658	9,802
Medicaid.....	106,574	7,604	9,919	12,553	11,284	11,846	13,379	26,235	13,754
Other government....	43,908	3,908	4,240	4,893	4,990	4,832	5,474	10,268	5,303
No charge.....	3,581	1,064	810	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other payment source	4,205	*	*	*	762	580	694	918	*
Public.....	139,352	18,176	18,111	15,998	14,360	16,242	16,637	24,917	14,911
Personal payment....	22,187	5,168	3,844	2,719	2,495	1,774	1,942	2,461	1,784
Blue Cross.....	20,135	2,068	2,306	2,595	1,577	2,231	2,409	4,277	2,672
Commercial insurance	18,965	2,135	2,064	1,618	1,754	2,861	2,719	3,851	1,963
Medicare.....	13,111	1,517	2,669	1,026	1,264	1,325	1,497	2,273	1,540
Medicaid.....	43,881	4,526	4,447	5,297	4,247	5,567	5,368	8,827	5,602
Other government....	15,985	1,986	1,723	2,287	2,362	1,596	2,034	2,716	1,281
No charge.....	2,693	714	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other payment source	2,395	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nonpublic.....	376,185	21,771	30,047	30,927	28,264	38,438	49,218	107,504	70,016
Personal payment....	22,059	2,571	2,875	2,546	2,046	3,057	2,649	3,542	2,773
Blue Cross.....	116,871	5,198	8,133	9,659	6,225	10,923	14,694	37,856	24,183
Commercial insurance	107,822	8,039	9,009	6,856	7,622	11,067	13,756	29,082	22,391
Medicare.....	36,119	613	1,726	1,820	2,396	3,695	6,222	11,385	8,262
Medicaid.....	62,693	3,078	5,472	7,256	7,037	6,279	8,011	17,408	8,152
Other government....	27,923	1,922	2,517	2,606	2,628	3,236	3,440	7,552	4,022
No charge.....	888	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other payment source	1,810	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

Table 4. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric inpatient units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay group, primary payment source and hospital control, United States, 1975 (Continued)

b. Percent distribution of discharges

Primary Payment Source	Total discharges	Length of stay in days							29+
		1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	
All discharges.....	100.0	7.7	9.3	9.1	8.3	10.6	12.8	25.7	16.5
Personal payment....	100.0	17.4	15.2	11.9	10.3	10.9	10.4	13.6	10.3
Blue Cross.....	100.0	5.3	7.6	8.9	5.7	9.6	12.5	30.8	19.6
Commercial insurance	100.0	8.0	8.7	6.7	7.4	11.0	13.0	26.0	19.2
Medicare.....	100.0	4.3	8.9	5.8	7.4	10.2	15.7	27.8	19.9
Medicaid.....	100.0	7.1	9.3	11.8	10.6	11.1	12.6	24.6	12.9
Other government....	100.0	8.9	9.7	11.1	11.4	11.0	12.5	23.3	12.1
No charge.....	100.0	29.8	22.6	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other payment source	100.0	*	*	*	18.1	13.8	16.5	21.8	*
Public.....	100.0	13.0	13.0	11.5	10.3	11.7	11.9	17.9	10.7
Personal payment....	100.0	23.3	17.3	12.3	11.2	8.0	8.8	11.1	8.0
Blue Cross.....	100.0	10.3	11.5	12.9	7.8	11.1	12.0	21.1	13.3
Commercial insurance	100.0	11.3	10.9	8.5	9.2	15.1	14.3	20.3	10.4
Medicare.....	100.0	11.6	20.5	7.8	9.6	10.1	11.4	17.3	11.7
Medicaid.....	100.0	10.3	10.1	12.1	9.7	12.7	12.2	20.1	12.8
Other government....	100.0	12.4	10.8	14.3	14.8	10.0	12.7	17.0	8.0
No charge.....	100.0	26.4	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other payment source	100.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Nonpublic.....	100.0	5.8	8.0	8.2	7.5	10.2	13.1	28.6	18.6
Personal payment....	100.0	11.7	13.0	11.5	9.3	13.8	12.0	16.1	12.6
Blue Cross.....	100.0	4.4	7.0	8.3	5.3	9.3	12.6	32.4	20.7
Commercial insurance	100.0	7.5	8.4	6.4	7.1	10.3	12.7	26.9	20.7
Medicare.....	100.0	1.7	4.8	5.0	6.6	10.2	17.2	31.5	23.0
Medicaid.....	100.0	4.9	8.7	11.6	11.2	10.0	12.8	27.8	13.0
Other government....	100.0	6.9	9.0	9.3	9.4	11.6	12.3	27.1	14.4
No charge.....	100.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other payment source	100.0	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

Table 4. Number, percent distribution and cumulative percent distribution of discharges from psychiatric units of non-Federal general hospitals by length of stay group, primary payment source and hospital control, United States, 1975

c. Cumulative percent distribution of discharges

Primary payment source	Length of stay in days							
	1 day	2-3	4-5	6-7	8-10	11-14	15-28	29+
All discharges.....	7.7	17.0	26.1	34.4	45.0	57.8	83.5	100.0
Personal payment....	17.4	32.6	44.5	54.8	65.7	76.1	89.7	100.0
Blue Cross.....	5.3	12.9	21.8	27.5	37.1	49.6	80.4	100.0
Commercial insurance	8.0	16.7	23.4	30.8	41.8	54.8	80.8	100.0
Medicare.....	4.3	13.2	19.0	26.4	36.6	52.3	80.1	100.0
Medicaid.....	7.1	16.4	28.2	38.8	49.9	62.5	87.1	100.0
Other government....	8.9	18.6	29.7	41.1	52.1	64.6	87.9	100.0
No charge.....	29.8	52.4	61.2	67.0	80.7	92.4	100.0	100.0
Other payment source	1.5	14.9	22.6	40.7	54.5	71.0	92.8	100.0
Public.....	13.0	26.0	37.5	47.8	59.5	71.4	89.3	100.0
Personal payment....	23.3	40.6	52.9	64.1	72.1	80.9	92.0	100.0
Blue Cross.....	10.3	21.8	34.7	42.5	53.6	65.6	86.7	100.0
- Commercial insurance	11.3	22.2	30.7	39.9	55.0	69.3	89.6	100.0
- Medicare.....	11.6	32.1	39.9	49.5	59.6	71.0	88.3	100.0
- Medicaid.....	10.3	20.4	32.5	42.2	54.9	67.1	87.2	100.0
- Other government....	12.4	23.2	37.5	52.3	62.3	75.0	92.0	100.0
No charge.....	26.4	48.2	53.1	60.9	79.1	94.7	100.0	100.0
Other payment source	2.6	22.2	35.7	54.6	71.3	81.7	97.1	100.0
Nonpublic.....	5.8	13.8	22.0	29.5	39.7	52.8	81.4	100.0
Personal payment....	11.7	24.7	36.2	45.5	59.3	71.3	87.4	100.0
Blue Cross.....	4.4	11.4	19.7	25.0	34.3	46.9	79.3	100.0
Commercial insurance	7.5	15.9	22.3	29.4	39.7	52.4	79.3	100.0
Medicare.....	1.7	6.5	11.5	18.1	28.3	45.5	77.0	100.0
Medicaid.....	4.9	13.6	25.2	36.4	46.4	59.2	87.0	100.0
Other government....	6.9	15.9	25.2	34.6	46.2	58.5	85.6	100.0
No charge.....	39.4	64.5	85.2	85.2	85.2	85.2	100.0	100.0
Other payment source	0.0	5.1	22.2	32.2	56.8	87.1	97.1	100.0

* Five or fewer sample cases