

## Table 170. Hospital Discharges and Days of Care by Sex: 2005

[13,902 represents 13,902,000. Represents estimates of inpatients discharged from noninstitutional, short-stay hospitals, exclusive of federal hospitals. Excludes newborn infants. Diagnostic categories are based on the International Classification of Diseases, Ninth Revision, Clinical Modification. See headnote, Table 167]

Sex, age, and selected first-listed diagnosis <sup>1</sup>	Discharges		Days of care per 1,000 persons <sup>2</sup>		Average age stay (days)	Sex, age, and selected first-listed diagnosis <sup>1</sup>	Discharges		Days of care per 1,000 persons <sup>2</sup>		Average age stay (days)
	Number (1,000)	Per 1,000 persons <sup>2</sup>	per 1,000 persons <sup>2</sup>	per 1,000 persons <sup>2</sup>			Number (1,000)	Per 1,000 persons <sup>2</sup>	per 1,000 persons <sup>2</sup>	per 1,000 persons <sup>2</sup>	
<b>Male</b>						<b>Female</b>					
<b>All ages<sup>3, 4</sup></b>	13,902	101.3	530.1	5.2		<b>All ages<sup>3, 4</sup></b>	20,766	132.0	582.9	4.5	
Under 18 years	1,550	41.2	200.6	4.9		Under 18 years	1,470	41.0	182.6	4.5	
Injuries and poisoning	183	4.9	<sup>5</sup> 24.0	<sup>5, 4, 9</sup> 54.9		Injuries and poisoning	113	3.1	12.0	3.8	
Pneumonia	108	2.9	9.0	3.1		Pneumonia	91	2.5	8.4	3.3	
Asthma	103	2.7	6.3	2.3		Asthma	61	1.7	3.8	2.2	
18-44 years	2,660	47.1	228.3	4.8		18-44 years	7,410	133.1	434.2	3.3	
Injuries and poisoning	452	8.0	36.7	4.6		Delivery	3,888	69.8	180.3	2.6	
Serious mental illness <sup>6</sup>	344	6.1	<sup>5</sup> 50.3	<sup>5, 8, 3</sup> 58.3		Serious mental illness <sup>6</sup>	381	5.8	45.6	5.7	
Alcohol and drug	203	3.6	16.1	4.5		Injuries and poisoning	282	5.1	22.2	4.4	
Diseases of heart	166	2.9	11.1	3.8		Alcohol and drug <sup>7</sup>	110	2.0	9.9	<sup>5</sup> 5.0	
45-64 years	4,076	114.9	577.3	5.0		45-64 years	4,273	114.5	566.4	4.9	
Diseases of heart	795	22.4	85.1	3.8		Diseases of heart	447	12.0	55.9	4.7	
Injuries and poisoning	380	10.7	59.2	5.5		Injuries and poisoning	324	8.7	46.0	5.3	
Malignant neoplasms	211	5.9	39.2	6.6		Malignant neoplasms	228	6.1	38.5	6.3	
Serious mental illness <sup>6</sup>	167	4.7	41.2	8.8		Serious mental illness <sup>6</sup>	223	6.0	53.0	8.9	
Alcohol and drug <sup>7</sup>	141	4.0	18.6	4.7		Pneumonia	126	3.4	18.0	5.3	
65-74 years	2,339	274.3	1,450.3	5.3		65-74 years	2,561	253.3	1,354.9	5.3	
Diseases of heart	545	63.9	280.8	4.4		Diseases of heart	435	43.0	191.1	4.4	
Injuries and poisoning	165	19.4	119.1	6.2		Injuries and poisoning	187	18.5	114.3	6.2	
Malignant neoplasms	158	18.6	126.7	6.8		Osteoarthritis	179	17.7	67.4	3.8	
Pneumonia	126	14.7	75.9	5.2		Malignant neoplasms	127	12.5	82.9	6.6	
Cerebrovascular diseases	109	12.8	58.9	4.6		Pneumonia	119	11.8	65.8	5.6	
Osteoarthritis	108	12.6	48.0	3.8		Cerebrovascular diseases	104	10.3	44.8	4.3	
75 years old and over	3,276	476.0	2,745.4	5.8		75 years old and over	5,052	448.4	2,501.4	5.6	
Diseases of heart	706	102.6	490.8	4.8		Diseases of heart	1,020	90.5	435.8	4.8	
Pneumonia	247	35.8	208.7	5.8		Injuries and poisoning	517	45.9	249.3	5.4	
Injuries and poisoning	221	32.1	197.2	6.1		Pneumonia	323	28.6	168.3	5.9	
Cerebrovascular diseases	167	24.2	132.4	5.5		Cerebrovascular diseases	244	21.7	108.6	5.0	
Malignant neoplasms	156	22.7	155.8	6.9		Malignant neoplasms	161	14.3	104.4	7.3	

<sup>1</sup> The first-listed diagnosis is the one specified as the principal diagnosis or the first diagnosis listed on the face sheet or discharge summary of the medical record. It is usually the main cause of the hospitalization. The number of first-listed diagnoses is the same as the number of discharges. <sup>2</sup> Based on Census Bureau estimated civilian population as of July 1. <sup>3</sup> Estimates are age adjusted to the year 2000 standard population using six age groups: under 18 years, 18-44 years, 45-54 years, 55-64 years, 65-74 years, and 75 years and over. <sup>4</sup> Includes discharges with first-listed diagnoses not shown in table. <sup>5</sup> Estimates are considered unreliable. <sup>6</sup> These estimates are for nonfederal short-stay hospitals only and do not include serious mental illness discharges. from other types of facilities or programs such as the Department of Veterans Affairs or long-term hospitals. <sup>7</sup> Includes abuse, dependence, and withdrawal. These estimates are for nonfederal short-stay hospitals only and do not include alcohol and drug discharges from other types of facilities or programs such as the Department of Veterans Affairs or day treatment programs.

Source: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics, National Hospital Discharge Survey; <<http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/about/major/hdasd/nhds.html>>.