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His Worship the Mayor, Members of City Council, City Commissioners.

Lady & Gentlemen:-

I have the honour to present the Annual Report and Financial Statement of the City of Calgary Health Department for the year 1972.

The Civic Census, enumerated during the month of January 1972, disclosed that the population had been recorded as 412,777 persons. The over-all increase in population from the previous census amounted to 12,010, for a percentage increase of 2.9%. The boundaries of the City remained unchanged during 1972 at 155.8 square miles.

The natural increase of population during 1972 amounted to 4,905 (i.e. 7,183 births minus 2,278 deaths). This figure represents a decrease of 258 persons from that recorded in 1971. The difference between the over-all population increase (12,010) and the natural increase (4,905), or 7,105, represents the approximate number of persons coming from elsewhere to take up residence in the City within the year.

The figures below show the trend of growth in the past six years.

Year	Population Census	Over-All Increase	% Increase	Natural Increase Residents	+ Previous - Year
1972	412,777	12,010	2.9	4,905	- 258
1971	398,034	14,743	3.7	5,163	- 774
1970	385,436	12,598	3.3	5,937	+ 595
1969	369,025	16,411	4.4	5,342	+ 226
1968	354,856	14,169	4.0	5,116	- 154
1967	335,806	19,050	5.7	5,270	+ 314

The rates appearing in the statistical tables of this report are based on the 1972 Civic Census population as recorded by the Office of the City Clerk at 412,777 persons.

There were 4,270 marriages recorded during the year, representing a rate of 10.3 per thousand population. This is an increase in the number of marriages over the previous year of 92.

Year	No. of Marr	iages		Rate P	er 1,000 Population
1972	4,270				10.3
1971	4,178				10.5
1970	3,995				10.4
1969	4,000				10.8
1968	3,435				9.7
1967	3,224				9.6

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# LIVE BIRTHS BY AGE OF MOTHER AND BIRTH ORDER - CALGARY RESIDENTS ONLY - 1972

## (Including Illegitimate Births Of Residents)

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	9th					9	9	2	8
	8th				2	3	4		6
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ORD	6th				8	14	20	ii.	53
ш	5th			4	48	35	34	9 1	127
BIRT	4th		1	53	138	143	52	9 8	393
	3rd	-	80	273	492	247	74	10	1,104
	2nd	07	134	972	666	272	57	13	2,447
	1st	9	718	1,280	800	161	33	12	3,010
	AGE OF MOTHER	Under 15 Years	15 - 19 Years	20 - 24 Years	25 - 29 Years	30 - 34 Years	35 - 39 Years	40 Years & Over	TOTALS

In addition to the 56 infants born with deformities apparent at birth, 8 other infants were found to have with congenital deformities according to death certifications, raising the total of resident infants born deformities in 1972 to 64. \*Number of asterisks equals number of illegitimate infants born with deformities to mothers in given age groups.

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LIVE BIRTHS BY AGE OF MOTHER AND BIRTH ORDER - NON-RESIDENTS ONLY - 1972 (Including Illegitimate Births)

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		12th	eg-uos						1	1
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В		4th	eg-uos	1	5	26	13	9	1	52
		3rd	apreal	н	27	94	20	10		106
		2nd		20	96	92	19	9		233
		lst	2	138	126	51	15	7		339
			15 Years	- 19 Years	Years	Years	Years	39 Years	s & Over	
		AGE OF MOTHER	Under 15	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 Years &	TOTALS

congenital deformities according to death certifications, raising the total to 10 Non-Resident infants born In addition to the 5 infants born with deformities apparent at birth, 5 other infants were found to have with deformities in 1972.

<sup>\*</sup> Asterisks indicate 2 illegitimate infants born with deformities in 1972.

ILLEGITIMATE LIVE BIRTHS BY AGE OF MOTHER AND BIRTH ORDER - CALGARY - 1972

sı	Mothers Previously Married									2	2	2		1	7
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		Total Number O Born to Unwed	DEED	9	25	67	66	131	109	277	120	42	23	5	905
	dents	Total Non-Resi	acto a fr	2	7	19	24	38	27	09	15	6	5	3	209
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~	3rd	Residents	den						2	24	26	7	3		62
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O R	2nd	Residents	lbi	The	Pop	erde	9	7	10	39	20	5	2		86
	1st	Non-Residents		2	7	18	22	35	23	33	4	1			145
rote	18	Residents	1	4	18	48	72	86	70	143	36	00	7	1	165
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\*Among the Non-Residents in the age groups 35 yrs. & over, 3 mothers had their 10th and 1 had her 13th child. There was only one set of twins born to an unwed resident mother in the age group 20-24 years.

The gross number of births registered in the City in 1972 totalled 7,967 for a rate of 19.3 per thousand population. This figure includes births to certain females not normally resident within the City boundaries. There were 7,183 live births recorded to City residents for a rate of 17.4 per thousand population (19.0 in the previous year). The net figure is a decrease of 403 births from that recorded in 1971, when the figure was 7,586. The net birth rate of 17.4 per thousand population is the lowest yet recorded in the City. It shows a considerable reduction from the previous year, when the rate was 19.0 per thousand population. It is of some interest to note that while a net birth rate of 17.4 per thousand was recorded for 1972, the corresponding rate in 1962 was 29.5 per thousand population. The ever-increasing dissemination of information from many sources concerning birth control methods, family planning clinics and the greater availability of legalized abortions are significant factors in a declining birth rate in the City.

Included in the total births within the City (7,967) are 905 illegitimate births, representing 11.4% of all births occurring in the City Hospitals. This is a decrease from the previous year (11.6%) of 0.2%. 696 illegitimate births were recorded to City residents, or 9.73% of the net total of 7,183 births, a reduction of 0.07% from the previous year. Of 784 babies born in Calgary but registered to non-resident females, 209 were illegitimate, or 26.6%. This is also a slight decrease from the previous year of 0.9%. This is the second year in succession that the illegitimate birth rate has shown a decline, reversing the rising trend that had been in evidence over the past decade. It coincides with the greater availability of contraceptive information being made available to the general public from many sources.

In the statistical table it will be seen that in the age group 12-19 years, classed as teen-agers, there were 438 illegitimate babies, with 321 born to City residents and 117 to non-residents. In the age group 20-29 years, there was a total of 397 illegitimate babies, with 322 classed as City residents and 75 as non-residents.

The gross number of stillbirths registered was 68, for a rate of 8.5 per thousand live births, a decrease from the previous year's rate of 2.1. There were 63 stillbirths in City Residents, for a rate of 8.8 per thousand live births, with only 5 stillbirths recorded in non-residents.

## VITAL STATISTICS

Gross Live Births 7,967	Birth Rate Per 1,000 Population 19.3
Gross Stillbirths 68	Stillbirth Rate Per 1,000 Live Births 8.5
Net Live Births (City Residents) 7,183	Rate Per 1,000 Population 17.4
Net Stillbirths 63	Rate Per 1,000 Live Births 8.8

There were 784 non-resident births and 5 non-resident stillbirths in 1972.

The gross number of deaths during the year 1972 from all causes numbered 2,626. This figure accounts for deaths of persons both resident and non-resident in the City, for a rate of 6.4 per thousand population. Total deaths recorded in 1972 of 2,626 is a decrease of 184 from the previous year. Of more significance are

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The Table below records the chief causes of death and is based on the gross deaths recorded.

## THE CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATHS ARE:-

6. Meningococcal Infections (Code No. A 23)

<ol> <li>Diseases of the heart and circulatory system (Code No. A 79 - A 86) accounted for 657 deaths. Vascular lesions affecting the central nervous system (Code No. A 70) accounted for 285 deaths.</li> </ol>	
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2. Neoplasms - all forms (Code No. A 44 to A 60) 59	19
3. Violent and accidental deaths (Code No. AE 138 to AE 149)	7
4. Diseases of the respiratory system (Code No. A 87 to A 97) i.e. Influenza, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Emphysema, Bronchiectasis, Etc. 18	19
5. Diseases of the digestive system (Code No. A 99 to A 107) i.e. Peptic Ulcers, Herniae, Appendicitis, Cirrhosis of Liver, Cholecystitis, Etc. 16	9
6. Certain diseases of early infancy, including birth injuries, infections and prematurity (Code No. A 130 to A 135)	7
7. Diseases of the genito-urinary system (Code No. A 108 to A 114) i.e. Nephritis, Pyelitis, Renal Calculi, Prostatic Hypertrophy, Etc.	8
8. Congenital malformations - deaths in all age groups (Code No. A 127 to A 129)	1
9. Diabetes Mellitus (Code No. A 63)	9
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4. Septicaemia and Pyaemia (Code No. A 20) - non-resident case	1
5. Whooping Cough (Code No. A 22) - non-resident case	1

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  - ). Diabetes Mellitus (Code No. A 63)

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- 2. Tuberculosis, Non-Pulmonary (Code No. A A and A 5) including one nonresident
  - 3. Syphilia (Code No. A 10)
  - A. Septicsemia and Tysemia (Code No. A 20) non-resident case
    - 5. Whooping Congh (Code No. A 22) non-resident case
      - Meningococcal Infactions (Code No. A 23)

7. Infectious Hepatitis (Code No. A 34) - includes one non-resident case - 2

There was one more death of a Calgary resident from Tuberculosis in an Alberta Sanatorium which was not registered in Calgary -- it is not included in the above figures.

Diseases involving the heart and circulatory system together with vascular lesions of the central nervous system accounted for 942 deaths, or 35.87% of all deaths recorded. Total deaths in these categories for actual City residents numbered 848, representing 37.2% of the total City deaths and a rate of 2.1 per thousand.

Diseases affecting the cardio-vascular system remain at the top of the list of conditions responsible for ending life. As life expectancy increases, there will be a greater number of persons at risk; consequently, the number of deaths attributable to this category will not tend to diminish. The incidence of death from heart disease from age 45 upwards is very much higher in the male sex than in the female. A reduction in the incidence of heart disease can be achieved if persons would pay heed to such advice as stopping tobacco smoking, avoidance of overweight, and engaging in a regular daily exercise program to achieve a good standard of general physical fitness. Too many males are overweight before age forty years. All the health education literature emphasizes the importance of regular participation in a daily exercise program that will exercise the heart, stimulate the muscles of the body and encourage a full expension of the lungs. Only in this way will the heart and circulation maintain its tone by being stimulated over the years.

Malignant diseases remain in the number two position in the statistical tables dealing with causes of death. Neoplasms of all forms accounted for 599 deaths, or 22.8% of the total recorded. There were 520 deaths due to neoplastic conditions in City residents, accounting for 22.4% of resident deaths and a rate of 1.3 per thousand population. These figures are a close approximation of the figures reported in the previous year.

Leukaemia deaths number 27 in City residents, 21 male and 6 female, accounting for 1.2% of all deaths.

In 1972 there were 79 deaths resulting from Cancer of the Trachea, Bronchus and Lung in City residents, accounting for 3.46% of all deaths. Of these deaths, 55 were in males and 24 in females, for a ratio by sex of 2:1. Deaths in this category are slightly lower when compared with the previous year (91). Deaths in males are invariably greater than in females. There has been a rising number of deaths from pulmonary malignant neoplasms in females over the past few years. Cancer of the Lung is attributable to the inhalation of potential Cancer-producing chemicals derived from tobacco smoke, particularly from cigarettes. A heavy smoker has at least thirty times the risk of developing a Lung Cancer than that of a non-smoker. To those who continue to smoke cigarettes, it should be emphasized the necessity of accepting a chest x-ray on a regular annual basis. Only by early detection by means of a chest x-ray may the victims of Lung Cancer stand even a slim chance of a possible cure.

Violent and accidental deaths in City residents numbered 227, an increase of

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3 over the previous year. There were, in addition, 60 deaths in this broad category recorded as being non-residents. Violent and accidental deaths in City residents accounted for 9.9% of all deaths recorded, up 0.7% over the previous year. Motor vehicle accidents accounted for 45 deaths of residents with the highest incidence in the age group 15-24 years. There were 34 deaths due to motor vehicle accidents of non-City residents in 1972, 28 males and 6 females. Traffic accidents accounted for 2.9% of all deaths of City residents in the year. Altogether, traffic and transportation vehicles were responsible for 83 deaths in the Calgary metropolitan region in 1972, or 3.1% of all deaths recorded.

Accidental falls were a contributing factor in 57 deaths of residents during the year, with the incidence greater in the female sex and in the age group over 65 years. 6 deaths were caused by fire and explosion of combustible material. 22 deaths were ascribed to drowning and 13 to accidental poisoning.

Suicide and self-inflicted injuries accounted for 56 deaths of City residents, 40 males and 16 females, with the highest incidence in the 25-44 age group. Suicides accounted for a rate of 0.15 per thousand population, or one such death in every 7,505 residents.

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There were 170 deaths resulting from diseases of the respiratory system amongst City residents, accounting for 7.9% of total net deaths and a rate of 0.41 per thousand population, with the greatest incidence in the age group 65 years and over.

There were 139 deaths of infants in their first year of life, representing a gross rate of 17.4 per thousand live births. This figure includes 34 non-resident infant deaths. The 105 deaths of infants in City residents represents a net infant mortality rate of 14.6 per thousand live births, down quite significantly by 4.1 per thousand from the figures reported in the previous year. Prematurity, congenital malformations and respiratory conditions accounted for 78% of deaths in this broad grouping.

61 infant deaths occurred within the first twenty-four hours of life, or 43.8% of the total; 28 or 20.1% of deaths occurred within the first week of delivery; with 12 deaths occurring within the first month of life, or 8.6%.

There was one death of a City resident related to pregnancy in the year. Maternal mortality gross is thus 0.13 per thousand births and 0.14 per thousand births net.

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There were 410 cases of Infectious Hepatitis during the year with one death. The incidence of this disease showed a very modest decline from the previous year of 14 cases. Immune Serum Globulin inoculations were given to all family contacts by the public health nurses in an effort to halt the spread of the disease within the immediate family. Cases of Serum Hepatitis numbered 48, with the greater incidence in the male sex. This condition is associated with the transfer of the viral agent from one person to another by contaminated syringes and needles. Its high incidence in the age group 15-24 years reflects the association with illicit drug abuse. No cases of Serum Hepatitis were associated with blood transfusions.

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In 1972 there were 38 new active cases of all forms of Tuberculosis diagnosed during the year and admitted to the Sanatorium for treatment, for an over-all rate of 9.2 cases per 100,000 population. This case incidence is an increase of 5 cases over that reported in 1971. Tuberculosis was the primary cause of death in 3 City residents and 1 non-resident during the year.

Much time and effort is spent by the nurses in the Tuberculosis Division and indeed by all the nursing staff, in the follow-up of ex-patients and those on the surveillance register to keep their scheduled chest x-ray appointments. Despite the fact that 5-10% of cured cases of Tuberculosis may break down and suffer a flare-up of reactivity at a future time, a substantial number of expatients have become not only indifferent but resistive to keeping their annual review appointments.

At the Chest X-Ray Unit located in the Health Department, 13,860 persons took advantage of this free service to obtain a chest x-ray during the year.

Just over 150 persons have been placed on a chemotherapy regime for a one-year period and receive regular visits by the nursing staff to ensure each will follow through with this treatment program. Over 19,700 school pupils and school personnel were given a T.B. skin test during the year, with 160 school pupils recording a positive reaction and requiring further full investigation of the families concerned.

At the Grade I level, 7,361 children were tested, or 91% of the total school enrollment in that grade for the year. Only 33 were positive reactors to the T.B. skin test, for a reactor rate of 4.4 per thousand pupils aged six years.

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Upon completion of investigation of these positive reactors, 15 cases, or 46%, had been previously immunized with B.C.G. Vaccine.

In the Grade IX program, 7,506 out of 8,162 in the grade, or 92.0%, accepted the skin test. 127 proved to be positive reactors, giving a rate of 17 per 1,000 pupils. Of the 127 persons in Grade IX registering a positive result, 31 were immigrants, 18 of whom had been previously vaccined with B.C.G. Vaccine. A further 30 who were Canadian born had previously received B.C.G. Vaccine. 3 other persons were known positive reactors from previous testing. Of the 79 new reactors and their families investigated, no new case sources were found. All these reactors continue to be under surveillance.

The reporting of Rabies amongst the indigenous animal populations in the previous year dropped significantly in 1972. No reportings of any rabid animals have occurred within forty miles of this City since 1971. During the year the Health Department and the Federal Health of Animals Division have exercised constant vigilance respecting any humans bitten by either wild or domestic animals either by imposing strict quarantine on domestic animals biting a human, or by submission of the heads of wild and domestic animals to the Animal Research Laboratory in Lethbridge. In no instance was any fluorescent antibody test positive.

The incidence of all Venereal Diseases showed an increase of 243 cases over that reported in 1971. Confirmed cases of Gonorrhoea numbered 1,393, an increase of 225 cases over that reported in 1971. This represents a rate of 337.4 per 100,000 population, an increase over that recorded in 1971 when the rate was 293.4 per 100,000 population.

Cases of Syphilis in all forms numbered 41, with a sex distribution of 23 males and 18 females, reflecting a rate of 10.0 per 100,000 population. This is an increase of 9 cases over that reported in 1971. There was one case of Congenital Syphilis reported, the first for a number of years. 3 cases out of the total reported were in the age group under 20 years.

The higher incidence of Gonorrhoea in 1972 is reflected in the age groups 15-19 years, an increase over the previous year of 111 cases, and in the age group 20-24 years, with an increase of 79 cases over the figure reported in 1971.

This increased incidence of Venereal Disease is inter-related with migration to urban living. Increasing numbers of young persons are moving into the urban centres to seek work. More and more young persons now leave home at an earlier age to travel across the Country and to become exposed to a more free and easy life style of unsupervised living conditions. The increased availability of contraceptive pills and intrauterine devices have been a factor responsible for a changed moral outlook on sexual behaviour by many young females. Gonorrhoea in the female may be virtually asymptomatic. With its short incubation period many females unwittingly continue to disseminate the infection to a number of males before being identified by contact tracing. There would appear to be a silent reservoir of infection in certain females that may be responsible for the increased incidence of this disease. To locate and treat infected persons is a problem of some magnitude, yet it is the only way to break the cycle in the spread of this disease. With the maintenance of a walk-in Social Hygiene and Diagnostic Treatment Centre in the

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Accident prevention of this nature is a topic always covered at counselling interviews in the Child Health Centres by our public health nurses. In every instance where a poisoning accident is repoted to have occurred to a child below age four years, the nurse makes a home visit to investigate the circumstances. The nurse and parent review the events leading up to the tragedy. Safety measures to be adopted to prevent any such recurrence are reviewed and appropriate pamphlets are again left with the parent providing information on "poison proofing" the home. Aspirin compounds, both child and adult variety, are the most common single drug involved in home poisoning incidents. Only by an awareness by parents of the great number of potential hazards that exist in the home in the way of drugs and chemicals will these tragedies be prevented. Where there are young children in the home, it is the parents' responsibility to see that drugs, cleaning agents, household chemicals, toilet preparations and the like are properly stored on high shelves or in locked cupboards or drawers. Such things must be kept out of the reach of young children, no matter the personal inconvenience to either parent.

In the four City Dental Clinics, a total of 9,640 appointments were made for the Dentists, 8,599 respecting school children and 1,041 for pre-school children. In the school program, dental work was performed at the 7,752 appointments kept; 847 appointments were missed due to illness when the parent cancelled the child's appointment or the patient failed to appear. Of the 1,041 appointments made for pre-school children for treatment purposes, only 11 cancellations occurred. Of the 7,008 teeth treated, 5,731, or 81.8%, were restored by means of fillings or appliances to be healthy fully functioning units. 1,277 teeth (18.2%) required to be extracted. Of the restorations performed, 3,487 (60.8%) were permanent teeth and 2,244 (39.2%) were primary or baby teeth. A total of 428 teeth were restored to full function by the placement of stainless steel crowns. prophylaxis was given to 2,119 patients and topical fluoride applications were performed on 2,097 patients. 312 patients received a root canal treatment for the tooth as a measure of saving the tooth from extraction. Space maintainers were inserted in the mouths of 175 children to prevent drifting of teeth following an extraction and 121 patients received an orthodontic appliance for the correction of tooth malalignment. A total of 4,363 dental x-rays were taken during the course of examination and treatment of patients.

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As dental decay is virtually a universal problem during the first two decades of life, it is fitting that every avenue of control should be employed to combat this condition. Fluoride supplements in the form of drops or tablets are made available to all children whose parents obtain a prescription for their use from a doctor or dentist. These supplements were provided by the Provincial Department of Public Health entirely free of cost to all families who will participate in this home-based preventive program. These supplements are made available at all the Health Centres and refills as required are sent out by mail as a convenience upon receipt of a written request. A total of 30,264 prescription requests, representing new and refill orders, were filled by the Health Department in 1972. Prescriptions representing original, new and refills for the fluoride drop supplement numbered 19,631, and for the fluoride tablets 10,633. Refill prescriptions totalled 11,940, broken down into 6,881 for drops and 5,059 for tablets. This represents a comparatively small number of children regularly receiving fluoride supplements, when it is recognized that there are well over 120,000 children under the age of 15 years in the City. No significant reduction in the incidence of tooth decay will be achieved in this community as long as the initiative for administering fluoride supplements remains a home-based program.

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The Department would again wish to pay tribute to the many ladies who have so graciously volunteered their time to assist in the Well Baby Clinics who act as recorders and assist the nurses in a multitude of ways.

The Department is most appreciative of the help, advice and guidance given throughout the year by the following:-

His Worship the Mayor, Board of Commissioners and Mambers of City

Members of the Calgary Public and Separate School Boards, Superintendents and staffs of the Provincial Sanatoria and Mental

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Provincial Department of Health & Social Development,
The Director and staff of the Provincial Laboratory of Public Health,
both Northern & Southern Branches,
The Calgary Branch of the Victorian Order of Nurses,
The Calgary General Hospital and Holy Cross Hospital and staffs,
The Foothills Provincial Hospital and staffs,
The Calgary Press, Radio & Television Stations, and to the many
volunteer workers in this City.

In closing this report, I wish to pay tribute to all the many members of the Health Department Staff. Without their loyalty, co-operation and the conscientious way in which each one has discharged their duties throughout the year, this report would not have been possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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## VITAL STATISTICS

## LIVE BIRTHS - 1968 TO 1972

Out of 7,967 live-born babies born in Calgary in 1972, 663 were premature (the weight recorded as 5½ pounds and less) -- this represents 8.3% of all births.

Year	Population	Births Incl. Non-Residents	Rate Per 1,000 Population	Births Residents Only	Rate Per 1,000 Population
1972	412,777	7,967	19.3	7,183	17.4
1971	398,034	8,408	21.1	7,586	19.0
1970	385,436	9,136	23.7	8,149	21.1
1969	369,025	8,349	22.6	7,429	20.1
1968	354,856	7,937	22.4	7,184	20.2

## STILLBIRTHS - 1968 TO 1972

Year	No. of Stillbirths Incl. Non-Residents	Rate Per 1,000 Live Births Gross	Stillbirths Residents Only	Rate Per 1,000 Live Births Net
1972	1 68 MAN 138	to A8 14 8.5	63	5 8.8 5
1971	89	lectar 10.6 131)	77 5	5 10.1 11
1970	112	48 (A 7 12.2	101	12.4
1969	tro-Inte 101 al Disorde	(A 10 12.1 107)	84	11.3
1968	urles at 172 th (A 130)	9.1	66	2 9.2 8

## MARRIAGES - 1972

Number of marriages performed in the City of Calgary in 1972 was 4,270. This represents a rate of 10.3 per 1,000 population.

## DEATHS AND MORTALITY RATES - 1968 TO 1972

Year	No. of Deaths Incl. Non-Residents	Rate Per 1,000 Population	No. of Deaths Residents Only	Rate Per 1,000 Population
1972	2,626	6.4	2,278	5.5
1971	2,810	7.0	2,423	6.1
1970	2,591	6.7	2,212	5.7
1969	2,390	6.5	2,087	5.6
1968	2,399	6.8	2,068	5.8

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# INFANT DEATHS AND MORTALITY RATES - 1968 TO 1972

Deaths Within	1972		1971		197	70	196	59	196	68
	Gross	Net								
Number of Infant Deaths	139	105	164	142	178	142	159	132	133	112
Rate per 1,000 Live Births	17.4	14.6	19.5	18.7	19.5	17.4	19.0	17.8	16.8	15.6

Gross - Includes Non-Residents; Net - Residents Only.

### CAUSES OF INFANT DEATHS - 1968 TO 1972

CAUSE OF INFANT DEATH	1972	1971	1970	1969	1968
Immaturity and ill-defined diseases of early infancy (Code No. A 135)	68	85	83	75	62
Congenital Malformations (Code No. A 127 to A 129)	32	33	39	37	32
Acute respiratory infections including Pneumonia (A 132, A 87 to A 97)	9	13	20	5	16
Accidental Causes (AE 138 to AE 147)	5	5	9	5	3
Postnatal asphyxia and atelectasis (A 131)	5	5	5	11	1
Non-Meningococcal Meningitis (A 71)	4	4	2	-	2
Gastro-Intestinal Disorders (A 101 - A 107)	-	1	1	4	5
Injuries at Birth (A 130)	-	2	5	8	2
Haemolytic Disease of the newborn (A 133)	-	1	4	6	1
Malignant Neoplasm (A 44 - A 59)	ne ludira;	1	3	1	-
Septicaemia (A 20)	-	_	1	1	2
Meningococcal Infection (A 23)	1971	1	72 1	1971	-
Measles (A 32)	-	-	1		-
* All other and unknown causes	15	14	4	6	7
TOTALS	139	164	178	159	133

<sup>\*</sup> In that group in 1972 was one death due to Whooping Cough, one death due to Maternal Toxaemia of Pregnancy, and one death caused by Hypoglycaemia and possible endocrine disorder in the infant.

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### MATERNAL MORTALITY (INCLUDING NON-RESIDENTS) -- 1968 - 1972

20		Number of Ma	ternal Deaths	Rate Per 1,000 Live	
Year	Live Births	Resident	Non-Resident	Births	
1972	7,967	1	leave vasidant is	0.13	
1971	8,408	and a non-res		0.12	
1970	9,136		HICKERPOX, DIPHTER		
1969	8,349	-	1	0.12	
1968	7,937	2	DEATES	0.25	

#### CAUSES OF MATERNAL DEATHS

#### 1971 - 1972

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meoccal Meningitis		Non-Res	idents	Kesider	nts Only
ente.		1972	1971	1972	1971
Sepsis of pregnancy and the	puerperium	1 1	-	1	
Toxaemias of pregnancy and the puerperium	776 2,682	186	1	- 1	25
Accidents of pregnancy and obirth (massive hemorrhage)	child-		o died of		pugh and
Abortions, Septic and Non-Se	eptic	-	-	-	-
Other complications of pregr childbirth and the puerperio		-	_	-	-

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# CAUSES OF MATERNAL DEATHS

# 1971 - 1972

### REPORTED CASES AND DEATHS FROM TUBERCULOSIS - 1968-1972

Year	New Active Cases	Number Died In Calgary	Number Died In Sanatoria	Total Deaths	Death Rate Per 100,000 Population
1972	38	1 Number	1	2	0.5
1971	33	1972	4	4	1.0
1970	57	2	979 2 936	4	24:1:0 242.8
1969	29	1	2	3	0.8
1968	40	2	4	6	1.7

There was one more death from Tuberculosis of a Calgary resident in an Alberta Sanatorium, which was not registered in Calgary, and a non-resident TB death in a Calgary Hospital -- both cases not included in the above figures for 1972.

REPORTED CASES AND DEATHS FROM CHICKENPOX, DIPHTHERIA, INFECTIOUS HEPATITIS, MEASLES, MENINGOCOCCAL MENINGITIS, PERTUSSIS, SALMONELLA INFECTION, ETC. - 1968 - 1972

COMMUNICABLE DISEASE	C	A S E S		50 D E	АТН		Mortality F Per 100,000 Population		
Octobrio Division		1		1.0	-		177		12.7
	1970	1971	1972	1970	1971	1972	1970	1971	1972
Chickenpox	942	1,070	1,507	54 -	-9	9 -	-31	-	1/50
Diphtheria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Infectious Hepatitis	258	424	410	1	2	1	0.25	0.5	0.2
Measles	1,123	321	34	1	-	-	0.25	-	-
Meningococcal Meningitis	3	3	4	1	2	2	0.25	0.5	0.5
Pertussis	39	96	35	4-	-1	0 -	-1.	-	5-0
Salmonella Infection	87	91	121	1	-	-	-	-	
Late Effects of Acute Poliomyelitis	_	_	-	1	-	-	0.25	-	-
Rubella (Death of Newborn)	776	2,682	186	81-	1	-	-	0.25	-

Not included in the above table is a non-resident infant who died of Whooping Cough and a non-resident two-year-old female who died in a Calgary hospital of Infectious Hepatitis.

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CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATHS - 1972, 1971, 1970 (Including Non-Residents Who Died In Calgary)

	Numb	er Of Dea	ths	Rate Per	100,000 Pop	ulation
CAUSES OF DEATHS	1972	1971	1970	1972	1971	1970
Diseases of the heart, arteries & kidneys, including apoplexy	981	979	936	237.6	245.9	242.8
Neoplasms - All Forms	599	635	553	135.4	159.5	143.5
Violent & Accidental Deaths	287	298	274	69.5	74.9	71.1
Pneumonia, Bronchitis & Influenza (Code No. A 87-A 93)	138	183	162	33.4	46.0	42.0
Certain diseases of early in- fancy, including prematurity	77	100	106	18.6	25.1	27.5
Other Respiratory Diseases - Emphysema, Bronchiectasis, Pulmonary Fibrosis, Etc.	51	64	263 50	12.3	16.1	13.0
Cirrhosis of Liver	47	46	49	11.4	11.5	12.7
Congenital Malformations (All Age Groups)	41	53	19 54	9.9	13.3	14.0
Diabetes Mellitus	29	29	46	7.0	7.3	11.9
Communicable Diseases (other than Tuberculosis & Influenza) including late effects	ar tissue s of move 7	7	5 8	1.7	1.7	2.1
Tuberculosis - All Forms	*4	5	16 4 32	1.0	1.2	1.0
All Other Causes	367	411	349	88.9	103.2	90.5
Totals	2,626	2,810	2,591	10 12	2 40	102

<sup>\*</sup>This number includes a City Resident who died of Tuberculosis in an Alberta Sanatorium, but his death was not registered in Calgary.

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# CAUSES OF DEATH BY AGE AND SEX (NON-RESIDENTS INCLUDED) - 1972 ABBREVIATED LIST OF 15 CAUSES OF DEATH

Incurred ace that	M a 1 e	Female	Under 1 year	1 - 4 years	5 - 14 yrs.	15 - 24 yrs.	25 - 44 yrs.	45 - 64 yrs.	65 yrs. & up	TOTALS
1. Infective & parasitic diseases	3	7	2	1	1		3	1	2	10
2. Neoplasms - all forms	336	263		6	8	5	41	180	359	599
3. Allergic, endocrine system, metabolic & nutritional diseases; diseases of the blood & blood forming organs (Code No. A 61 - A 66)	31	19	1	1	1	1	6	8	32	50
4. Mental, psychoneurotic & personality disorders (alcoholism)	10	7					8	8	1	17
5. Diseases of the nervous system & sense organs (including apoplexy)	176	144	4		3	2	12	53	246	320
6. Diseases of the circulatory system	394	263	1		1	2	20	144	490	657
7. Diseases of the respiratory system	125	64	6		1	1	3	22	156	189
8. Diseases of the digestive system	94	75	-	3	1	2	20	47	96	169
9. Diseases of the genito-urinary system	29	19		1		2	2	12	32	48
10. Deliveries & complications of pregnan- cies, childbirth & the puerperium	12	1	1		1	1		1		1
ll. Diseases of the skin & cellular tissue, diseases of the bones & organs of move- ment	5	5				1		1	3	5
12. Congenital malformations	25	16	32	1	4	2		2	i	41
13. Certain diseases of early infancy (including prematurity & birth injuries)	47	30	77					1	6 5	77
14. Symptoms, senility, ill-defined & un- known causes of mortality	95	61	12				2	40	102	156
15. Accidents, poisonings & violence	192	95	5	10	13	64	68	59	68	287
Totals	1557	1069	139	22	33	83	185	577	1587	2626

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# CAUSES OF DEATH - 1972 Intermediate List of 150 Causes of Death

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Lis No.		Causes of Death		150	127	ents	1 yr.	1	4	24	44	64	vears
A	1	Tuberculosis of the Respiratory System	M F	681	1	13					1	210	45
A	5 4	Tuberculosis of Bones & Joints	M F	541	51	1					6	2.5	2-1
A	5	Tuberculosis all other forms	M F	1	1	-1					21	5	-3
A	10	All other Syphilis	M F	1	1	2						2	1
A	20	Septicaemia & Pyaemia	M F	1	43	1						1	46
A	22	Whooping Cough	M F	1	1	1	1				1		
A	23	Meningococcal Infections	M F	1	1 1		1		1		1	2	1
A	34	Infectious Hepatitis	M F	2	61	1		1	2		1	22	50
A	44	Malignant neoplasm of buccal cavity	M F	5 5	5	3		3	3	2	1	1	4 4
A	45	Malignant neoplasm of oesophagus	M F	10 2	9	1						3	7 1
A	46	Malignant neoplasm of stomach	M F	25 14	21 10	4					1	6 5	18 9
A	47	Malignant neoplasm of intestine, except rectum	M F	32 29	26 27	6 2					2	8	22 21
A	48	Malignant neoplasm of rectum	M F	11 2	10 2	1				1		3	7 1
A	49	Malignant neoplasm of larynx	M F	5	5	2	1		1	1	1	3.1	4
		Carried Forward		150	127	23	2	1	1	1	7	38	100

### CAUSES OF DEATH - 1972

### Intermediate List of 150 Causes of Douth

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		Brought Forward		150	127	23	2	1	10	16	7	38	100
A	50	Malignant neoplasm of tra- chea, bronchus & lung, not specified as secondary	M F	68 27	55 24	13					2	21 10	45 16
A	51	Malignant neoplasm of breast	M F	54	51	3					6	25	23
A	52	Malignant neoplasm of cervix uteri	M F	10	9	1			1		2	5	10
A	53	Malignant neoplasm of other & unspecified parts of uterus	M F	6	4	2	2					2	4
A	54	Malignant neoplasm of prostate	M F	50	43	7					2	4	4
A	55	Malignant neoplasm of skin	M F	1 1	1 1						1		
A	56	Malignant neoplasm of bone & connective tissue	M F	6	6				2		1 1	2	
A	57	Malignant neoplasm of all other & unspecified sites	M F	81 93	68 85	13 8		1 2	2	1	6 9	22 31	5 4
A	58	Leukaemia & Aleukaemia	M F	24 6	21 6	3		3	3	2	1	6 2	3
A	59	Lymphosarcoma & other neo- plasms of lymphatic & hae- matopoietic system	M F	18 13	13 11	5 2			1	1	3 2	8 5	14
A	63	Diabetes Mellitus	M F	17 12	13 11	4		1			2 4	3	1
A	65	Anaemias	M F	3 1	3 1							1	
A	66	Allergic disorders; all other endocrine, metabolic & blood diseases	M F	11 6	9 5	2 1	1		1	1	2	3 1	2 2
		Carried Forward		659	568	91	3	8	10	6	50	189	39:

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		Brought Forward		659	568	91	3	8	10	6	50	189	393
A	67	Psychoses	M F	1 1	1	1					1 2	1	5 6
A	68	Psychoneuroses & disorders of personality	M F	9 6	8 6	1	1				4 3	4 3	1
A	70	Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system	M F	156 129	140 120	16 9			1 1	1	2 5	21 17	131 106
A	71	Non-Meningococcal Meningitis	M F	3 2	2 1	1 1	2 2					1	1
A	72	Multiple Sclerosis	M F	3 6	13	3					1	3 5	1.7 22
A	73	Epilepsy	M F	5	5	4	3		1	1	2	2	1
A	77	Otitis Media & Mastoiditis	M F	1	1	-1					1		1 3
A	78	All other diseases of the nervous system & sense or- gans	M F	9 3	9 3	- 6					1	4	5 2
A	80	Chronic Rheumatic Heart Disease	M F	9 25	7 23	2 2					2	5 10	4 13
A	81	Arteriosclerotic & Degenera- tive Heart Disease	M F	306 170	269 154	37 16				1	13	85 25	207 144
A	82	Other diseases of heart	M F	20 5	19 5	1			1	1		2	16 5
A	83	Hypertension with Heart Disease	M F	13 14	13 14							4	9 14
A	84	Hypertension without men- tion of heart	M F	9	9 6	3		1	1			3 2	6 7
A	85	Diseases of arteries	M F	31 32	26 30	5 2					2	4 3	27 27
		Carried Forward		1,639	1,451	188	7	8	14	10	88	393	1,119

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		Brought Forward		1,639	1,451	188	7	8	14	10	88	393	1,119
A	86	Other diseases of circulatory system	M F	6 8	6 7	1	2.0		1.0		2	1	5 6
A	87	Acute respiratory infections	M F	2 1	2 1		1 1	1				1	1,
A	88	Influenza	M F	3	3	5					6	12	3
A	89	Lobar Pneumonia	M F	1 1	1 1							1 1	7
A	90	Bronchopneumonia	M F	20 22	17 22	3					1	3	17 22
A	91	Primary atypical, other & unspecified Pneumonia	M F	28 15	24 15	4	3			2		1	24 14
A	92	Acute Bronchitis	MF	1 3	3	1							1 3
A	93	Bronchitis, chronic & unqualified	MF	29	23	6					1	5	24
	95	Empyema & abscess of lung	M F	4 3	3 2	1 1				1	1	1 1	1 2
	97	All other respiratory dis- eases	M F	37	34 7	3			1		1	7 2	29 4
1333	99	Ulcer of stomach	M F	4 2	4 2							1	3 2
A	100	Ulcer of duodenum	M F	13	10	3				1	4	5 1	4
A	101	Gastritis & Duodenitis	M F	1 3	1 3			1	1				1 1
A	102	Appendicitis	M F	3 1	1 1	2	1 2					1 1	2
		Carried Forward	-	1,870	1,657	213	13	9	16	11	97	425	1,299

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		Brought Forward		1,870	1,657	213	13	9	16	11	97	425	1,299
A	103	Intestinal obstruction & hernia	M F	18 12	17 10	1 2	9 3		1	1		3	15 11
A	104	Gastro-enteritis & Colitis, except diarrhoea of newborn	M F	9 14	9 11	3	10	1	2	1	1	1 1	7 10
A	105	Cirrhosis of liver (In- cluding Alcoholic Cirrhosis)	M F	25 22	20 20	5 2	2				6 7	12 10	7 5
A	106	Cholelithiasis & Cholecystitis	M F	8 7	8 7		1					1 2	7 5
A	107	Other diseases of digestive system	M F	13 13	10 11	3 2	1				1 1	4 4	8
A	109	Chronic, other & unspecified Nephritis	M F	14 5	11 5	3	42			2	1	8	4 3
A	110	Infections of kidney	M F	9 10	9 8	2					1	1	9 8
A	111	Calculi of urinary system	M F	62	531	9	3				2	32	25 81
A	112	Hyperplasia of prostate	M F	4	3	281	1	4	6	27	8 6	11	-4
A	114	Other diseases of genito- urinary system	M F	2 3	2 2	1			1	2	1	1	1 2
A	115	Sepsis of pregnancy, child- birth & the puerperium	M F	1	1	1		1		1	2	2 4	1
A	122	Arthritis & Spondylitis	M F	2	2	4			1	2	2	9	16
A	126	All other diseases of skin & musculoskeletal system	M F	13	2	1				1	1	1	1
A	127	Spina bifida & meningocele	M F	1 2	2	1	1 2	1		1	1	1 2	
		Carried Forward		2,068	1,828	240	16	11	16	17	115	476	1,417

		Sex	To	Re	No	Α (	E	A	Т	D	EAT	Н
List No.	Causes of Death	×	Total	Residents	Non-Residents	Under 1 yr.	1 - 4	5 - 14	15 - 24	25 - 44	45 - 64	65 years and over
	Brought Forward		2,068	1,828	240	16	11	16	17	115	476	1,417
A 128	Congenital malformations of circulatory system	M F	10 5	4 4	6	9		1	1			
A 129	All other congenital mal- formations	M F	14 9	12 7	2 2	10 7	1	1 2		3	2	
A 131	Postnatal asphyxia & atelectasis	M F	3 2	1 1	2	3 2	3					
A 132	Infections of the newborn	M F	2 1	2 1		2			1	2		
A 134	All other defined diseases of early infancy	M F	1	1		1						
A 135	Ill-defined diseases pecul- iar to early infancy, & immaturity unqualified	M F	42 26	33 20	9		2	3	8	183	577	1,58
A 136	Senility without mention of psychosis	M F	33 36	28 32	5 4							33 36
A 137	Ill-defined & unknown causes of morbidity & mortality	M F	62 25	53 24	9	3 9				2	32 8	25 8
AE 138	Motor vehicle accidents	M F	62 17	34 11	28 6	1	4	6 3	27 6	8 6	11 1	5
AE 139	Other transport accidents	M F	4	3	1			1	2	1		
AE 140	Accidental poisonings	M F	8 6	7 6	1		1		2 1	2	2 4	1
AE 141	Accidental falls	M F	30 39	26 31	4 8			1	2	2	9	16 38
AE 142	Accidents caused by machinery	M F	1	1						1		
AE 143	Accidents caused by fire & explosion of combustible material	M F	3 4	2 4	1		1		1	1 1	1 2	
	Carried Forward		2,513	2,176	337	135	18	31	60	140	549	1,580

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for In	Brought Forward		2,513	2,176	337	135	18	31	60	140	549	1,580
AE 145	Accidents caused by firearm	M F	1	1			1	1				1
AE 146	Accidental drowning & sub- mersion	M F	18 6	17 5	1 1		1 1	1	4 3	5	6	1 1
AE 147	All other accidental causes	M F	11 3	10 2	1 1	3	1		1	2	3	1 1
AE 148	Suicide & self-inflicted injury	M F	44 18	40 16	4 2				11 2	21 9	10 6	1 2 1
AE 149	Homicide & injury purposely inflicted by other persons (not in war)	M F	10 2	1 9 2	1		1		2	4 2	2	3 1
10	TOTALS		2,626	2,278	348	139	22	33	83	185	577	1,587

There were 6 cases of suicide in the non-residents.

### DEATHS FROM ACCIDENTAL POISONING IN CALGARY - 1972

	0 - Year		- 4	20- Yea	C10/06/0 (00 mm)	25- Yea		1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	-64	65 Y & Ov	ears er	otal
		М	F	М	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Totals
1. Overdose of Drugs & Medi for Internal & External		4		*1	80	1.3	1	i i	3	1 4		7.
2. Overdose of Drugs With Alcohol Intoxication	Casi	A	To the second	Door	85	Dea	3	1	8	Dea		1
3. Methyl Alcohol	201		10		1			1	3			36 1
4. Overdose of Heroin	1,300		217	1	1,20		77		244		3,7	37 1
5. Household Chemicals (Dra	ino)	1	14		1				8			1
6. Car Exhaust Fumes (Carbon Monoxide Poisoni	ng)		34		1	1	6		1			3
Totals	48	1	9	2	1	2	1	2	4	1		14

\* A non-resident case.

### SELF-INFLICTED DEATHS (SUICIDES) IN CALGARY - 1972

			- 24 ars		- 44 ars	45 - Yea		65 Y & O	ears	
H. Miscellaneous 26		М	F	М	F	М	F	M	F	Totals
1. Gunshot Wounds	4 343.	**9	*1	10	2	*5	2	56	5,1	29
2. Car Exhaust Fumes (Carbon Monoxid	le)	mine	I In	*8	2	3	2	1.		16
3. Overdose of Drugs			*1	1	5	1	2		1	11
4. Hanging	nar Apr	2	Jun	Juz	Aug	1	OCE	BOV	000	3
5. Drowning	97 02			1	73		140	23	111	1
6. Slashing of Wrists		1	7.5	70	00	60	80	1	0.5	1
7. Run Over By Train	3 20			1						1
Totals	-23-120	11	2	21	9	10	6	2	1	62

There were 6 cases of suicide in the non-residents.
Asterisks indicate the number of non-residents in each group.

DEATHS FROM ACCEPTENTAL POISONING IN CALGARY - 1972

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### SELE-INFLICIED DEATHS (SUICIDES) IN CALCARY - 1972

There were b cases of suicide in the non-residents.

# REPORT OF THE PROVINCIAL POISON CONTROL SERVICES FOR 1972 Accidental Poisonings In The Province Of Alberta In 1972

Octail B	0 - Year		5- Yea	-14 irs	15-2 Year		25- Yea		45 % & Ox	ears er	Tota	1
CATEGORIES	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
A. Drugs & Medicines for External Use	201		10		11	et	9		5	1 27	236	
B. Drugs & Medicines for Internal Use	1,300		217		1,204	2	772		244	88	3,737	
C. Household Chemicals	430		14		13	1	12		8	B	477	
D. Industry, Auto & Fuel	101		34		92	9	64		44		335	
E. Poisonous Plants & Venomous Animals	48		9	2 9	61		2			3	59	
F. Pesticides	72		9	31.	5	16 92	13		6	1 63	105	
G. Tobacco & Alcohol	7		27	36	28	20	34		27	1 98	123	
H. Miscellaneous	26		23		9	127	11		11	1 18	80	
Totals	2,185	4	343	2	1,362	34	917	63	345	56	5,152	159

### Cases Of Accidental Poisonings In Calgary In 1972

Hospitals	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Calgary Foothills	38	40	47	62	40		59	45	57	46	23	41	498
Calgary General	77	91	93	109	76	78	78	65	85	86	78	85	1,001
Holy Cross	6	6	3	10	11	5	3	3	5	1	8	5	65
Rockyview General	24	17	23	10	21	15	13	8	10	21	23	9	194
Totals	145	154	166	191	148	98	153	121	157	153	132	140	1,758

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# Cases Of Accidental Poisonings In Calgary In 1972

						Total
						498
						1,001
						65
						194
						1,758

REPORTED CASES AND DEATHS FROM NOTIFIABLE COMMUNICABLE DISEASES (RESIDENTS ONLY) - 1972

Deaths	If Any			-		2	6 18	ar A	or M	ay J	un la	lul	Ang	1 Sep	Oct	Nov	5
Total	Cases	12	1	410	1	7	35	34	186	121	2	105	48	22	16	1	966
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	M .	П		2		10		H	7	4 1	-	2	2				36 3
25-29	MF			23 2						2		7	3		H		31 3
757	E	F		33 2					2	10		3	9	0	н		59 3
20-24	M	H		8 7						2	-	9	10		H	П	75
5-19	[It	s St	rept	65					7	4		4	12	-	П	210	93
15-	M	н		37		н	7	H	5	2		1	12				61
10-14	[24	Н		23		4	2	2	26	6		11	П		7		70
10-	M	Puln	mat	15		7	2	7	31	4	2	6	1	1	1	2	63
6	DE	Non-		25	y	3	5	9	51	. 7	1	26		1			121
5	M	-		18		H	m	0	36	00		20					96
4	DE4	2		00			4	3	13	11		9		Н			48
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ler	[ILI					7	7	6	2	9		Т			De	mana	20
Under 1 Yr.	M	2						-C	-m	7							22
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						47	29	26	0	41	14	at		21	Non-Pulmonary	80	144
	Fv3		-	10		ion	10	63	sles	-	1AR	Sore Throat	13	Pulmonary	ılmc	160	218
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	A	ent	Newl	pat		In	99	67	an	fec	७		is	Pu		143	362
	田	Dysentery	Diarrhoea of Newborn	Infectious Hepatitis		Meningococcal Infection		co.	Rubella (German Measles)	Salmonella Infection	Fever	Streptococcal	Serum Hepatitis	Tuberculosis,	Tuberculosis,	Fever	S
	S		ea	sno		0000	sis	Red Measles	0) 1	113		0000	lepa	los	1108	1 Fe	TOTALS
	н	Bacillary	rrho	ecti	Leprosy	ingo	Pertussis	Mea	e118	non	Scarlet	epto	E III	ercı	ercı	Typhoid	T
		Bac	Dia	Inf	Lepi	Men	Per	Red	Rub	Salı	Sca	Str	Ser	Tub	Tub	Typ	

### REPORTED COMMUNICABLE DISEASES BY MONTH IN 1972

27	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	9	TOTALS
Bacillary Dysentery		1		1	1	2			5	1	1		I	12
Diarrhoea of Newborn									1		a i		6	1
Infectious Hepatitis	35	47	33	34	19	25	23	31	37	41	37	48		410
Leprosy			1										-	1
Meningococcal Infection			. 1	1				1			1			4
Pertussis	4	8	3	2	5	4	4				2	3	95	35
Red Measles	10	8	- 6	4	1	2	m	1		1	1		83	34
Rubella (German Measles)	51	28	18	22	12	10	6	1	2	14	9	13	01	186
Salmonella Infection	2	9	7	4	12	14	16	10	16	11	8	12	100	121
Scarlet Fever & Strepto- coccal Sore Throat	9	11	19	10	7	2	- 4	4	5	7	10	17	67 114	105
Serum Hepatitis	2	1	4	5	5	4	5	2	1	7	2	10	10	48
Tuberculosis, Pulmonary	2	2	2		4	2	2	2	1	2	2	1		22
Tuberculosis, Non-Pulmonary	3	1	3	3	1	1	1	1		1	1		591	16
Typhoid Fever			1								est.		0.0	1
TOTALS	118	116	98	86	67	66	61	53	68	85	74	104		996

### COMMUNICABLE DISEASES NOT NOTIFIABLE IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA - REPORTED IN 1972

7	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Ju1	Aug	Sep	0ct	Nov	Dec	TOTALS
Mumps	47	29	26	19	41	14			22	48	86	144	476
Chickenpox	169	119	141	182	168	148	11	12	60	111	168	218	1,507
TOTALS	216	148	167	201	209	162	11	12	82	159	254	362	1,983

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VENEREAL DISEASE INCIDENCE - CALGARY - 1972

DARKEY DISEASE INCIDENCE - CVICVEL - 1915

Leslie C. Allan, M.B., Ch.B., D.P.H., Medical Officer of Health, City of Calgary.

Dear Dr. Allan:-

It is my privilege to report from the Nursing Service of the Chest Clinic for the year 1972.

	1972
Patients Visiting Office	
Home Visits - Total	
Other Calls - To Schools, Sanatori	um, Etc 29
Streptomycin Injections	
Tuberculin Tests - Total	
Positive 458	
In	Office 1,530
Ou	tside The Office 1,300
School Tuberculin Testing - Total	
Re	actor Rate-Grade I 0.44
Re	actor Rate-Grade IX 1.70
City Hall X-Rays	

A total of 38 new active cases of Tuberculosis, both Pulmonary and Non-Pulmonary, were discovered during 1972 for a case rate of 9.2 per 100,000 population. The number receiving chemotherapy or chemoprophylaxis remains unchanged from 1971, approximately 150 at any given time. There was a decrease of 494 streptomycin injections given.

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SUMMARY			

	TOTAL	1,125
100	CONDITIONS NOW-TB	88
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# STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF DISTRICT INSPECTIONS DETAILED REPORT - 1972

	Number Est		Number Of Inspections
	As Of Dece	mber 19/2	Made
Air Pollution - Complaints	. 60		187
Animals - Complaints	. 13		419
Apartment Blocks	. 1,137		850
Auto Courts	. 43		222
Bakeries	. 91		1,025
Barber Shops	. 213		957
Basement Suites & Rooms - Complaints	. 4		123
Baths	. 11		39
Beauty Parlors	. 298		1,024
Beer & Wine			219
Beverage Rooms	. 44		308
Billiard Halls			229
Boarding Houses	. 29 2		6
Bottling Works			50
Bowling Alleys			122
Breweries			0.0
Butchers	. 148		
Cabarets	. 32		1 14 57
Camp Grounds			0.0
Candy Manufacturing			
Canneries			
Caterers			222
Chickens - Complaints			0.5
Chicken Slaughter Houses			
Chinchillas			
Clubs			17/
Cocktail Lounges			
Concessions - Stampede Grounds			
Market 108	550		
Dairy Bars	. 30		
Delicatessen			
Departmental Stores			
Drug Stores			
Dry Cleaners			011
Dry Cleaners - Coin Operated			
Dye House			
Orac - Food Samples			
Fabricators			
Factories			
Feed Lots			
Fish Markets			7.7.7.
Fish Wholesale			
Food Packaging			
Food Stores			
Foster Homes			
Freezer Plants			0.0
rieezel fidiles	20 4		

# STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF DISTRICT INSPECTIONS

# DETAILED REPORT - 1972

	Number Estab		Number of Inspections Made
Garbage			1 418
Glass Manufacturing	. 1		3
Halls			
Hatcheries			
Hawkers			0
Health Parlors			
Heating & Ventilation			132
Home Occupations	. 5		84
Horses - Complaints			
Horse Meat Packers			
Hospitals			
Hostels			
Hotels			
Housing			
Service Stations			
Incinerators			
Infestations - Complaints			
Institutions & Schools	. 29		
Kennels (Boarding)	. 9		23
Kennels (Registered)			18
Kindergartens			211
Lanes			1,149
Laundries	15		99
Laundries - Coin	33		224
Locker Plants	5		38
Meat Processing	. 8		41
Milk Vendors			
Miscellaneous			0 000
Mobile Canteens			
Warehouses			
Noxious Gases - Complaints			49
Nurseries			
Nursing Homes			123
Wells			
Office Buildings - Complaints			138
O.P.C. (Official Plate Count)-Beer & Wine	2		40
O.P.C Beverage Rooms			35
O.P.C Cocktail Lounges			106
O.P.C Drinking Fountains			1
O.P.C Food Samples			84
O.P.C Restaurants			Activities and the second
O.P.C Swimming Pools			
O.P.C Turtle Water		***************	
O.P.C Wells			257
Burning Barrels Removed 16			
Pest Control - Complaints		***************************************	
Pet Shops			
Pigeons - Complaints			
Pigeon Lofts	58		92

	O.P.C Food Samples
	O.P.C Rostaurants
	O.P.C Turtle Water

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Plumbing - Complaints Poultry - Complaints						33 10	
Poultry Keeper			2			2	
Rendering Plants			2			30	
Restaurants			563			367	
Rinks - Roller & Ice			9			18	
Rodents - Complaints						48	
Rooming Houses			17			14	
Rug Cleaners			7				
Salvage Metal & Paper			3			41	
Second-Hand Clothing Stores			4 6			10	
Sewage Disposal			2			33	
Septic Tanks						10	
Service Stations			303			264	
Shopping Centres			46			669	
Slaughter Houses			4			50	
Staff Cafeterias			22			201	
Suites - Complaints						20	
Swimming Pools - Public			12			149	
Swimming Pools - Semi-Private			34			139	
Tanneries			5 3			4	
Theatres			26			73	
Toilet Accommodations			20			207 123	
Trailer Courts			20			123	
Unsightly Premises - Complaints						331	
Upholsterers			33			100	
Used Car Lots			63			48	
Warehouses			200			179	
Waste Disposal			200			244	
Waste Disposal Grounds			4			26	
Water Pollution - Complaints						50	
Wells			578			678	
Wells - Chemical Analyses						519	
Winery		166	261 2 74		157 152 159	6	
	240 1	Notic	es - Ver		7	,559 486	
Planning Applications 4	470 1	Writt	en Repor	ts	1	,180	
						163	
Burning Barrels Removed	16 1	Meeti	ngs Atte	ended		93	

License Transfers

 656
 Letters
 163

 16
 Meetings Attended
 93

 231
 Lectures Given
 23

	Scwage Disposal Insogaid onewal

# DAIRIES AND MILK CONTROL - 1972

October -	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Dairy Farm Inspections	35												35
Milk Plant Inspections	8	7	8	7	4	6	4	5	4	2	4	3	62
Permits Issued to Dairymen	1	TE C	OUNT	ON	DAYR	y PR	DUC	25 -	197				1
Permits Issued to Milk Plants	3	95					PL	ASTI					3
Complaints Received	3	4	3	gal	5	4	1	9	4	2	7	2	00 44
Complaints Justified	3	2	3	qts	5	3		8	4	1	7	2	38
Notices Issued	5	2	de la	1	3	,259	3	3	3	6	2	2	27
Distributors' Samples Collected Total	89	131	90	94	107	67	53	100	83	89	77	76	1,056
Soft Ice Cream Samples	7	31	32		40	24	18	22	8		18		200
Retail Store Samples	48	57	59	72	114	103	81	80	76	93	64	39	886
Total Samples Collected AVEN	144	219	181	166	261	194	152	202	167	182	159	115	2,142

# DATRIES AND MILK CONTROL - 1972

# FOODSTUFFS CONDEMNED - 1972

January - ½ pound of tomato paste

April - 50 pounds of meat

May - 4 pounds of meat

October - 120 pounds of meat

50 pounds of bakery goods
2 gallon of pickled beets

# AVERAGE OFFICIAL PLATE COUNT ON DAIRY PRODUCTS - 1972

GLASS BOTTLES	CARTONS	PLASTIC
Homogenized <3,000	Homogenized <3,000	Homogenized ½ gal. <3,000
Skim 3,411	Homogenized ½ gal. <3,000	Partly Skim ½ gal. <3,000
Partly Skim 3,666	Homogenized 3 qts. <3,000	
Chocolate 3,229	Skim 3,656	
	Partly Skim 1 qt. 3,259	
	Partly Skim ½ gal. 3,389	
	Partly Skim 3 qts. <3,000	
	Substandard Cream <3,000	
	Whipping Cream 3,267	
	Chocolate <3,000	

# AVERAGE BUTTER FAT CONTENT - 1972

Homogenized Milk	-	3.35%	Substandard Cream	-	10.99%
Skim Milk	VET-	0.33%	Whipping Cream	100	35.50%
Partly Skim Milk	LUI	2.38%			

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# LABORATORY REPORT FOR 1972 EXAMINATION OF WATER SUPPLIES

Source Of Sample	Number Initially Not Samples Meeting Can. Received Standards		Presumptive Lactose Tests - 100 ml., 10 ml., 1 ml. dilutions	Agar Plate Count	Con- firma- tion	Total No. Of Tests	
City Water	1,450	123	9,641	2,917	168	12,726	
Bearspaw & Glenmore	980	252	8,910	1,980	274	11,164	
Waterworks	365	246	3,465	730	325	4,520	
Well Water	1,114	311	9,774	3,122	392	13,288	
Totals	3,909	932	31,790	8,749	1,159	41,698	

# EXAMINATION OF MILK SUPPLIES - DAIRIES

Samples	Initially Not Meet- ing Can. Standards	Fat	Phos-	The second secon	Solids	Total Solids Non-Fat Tests	Plate	Coli-	Raw	
1,340	257	572	547	547	547	547	2,710	3,067	326	8,863

# STORE MILK AND MILK PRODUCTS

No. of Samples Received	Initially Not Meeting Canadian Standards	The state of the s	BGB Coliform Tests	Total No. Of Tests
1,016	102	2,194	2,172	4,366

# MISCELLANEOUS TESTS

	No. Of Tests	Canadian Standards
Chemical Analyses on 788 Water Samples	8,168	1,143
Room Utensils		125
Chemical, Bacteriological & Microscopic Tests On Water, Milk, Other Foodstuffs & Foreign Matter		
(64 Samples)	141	
Pregnancy Tests For Family Planning Clinic	82	
	12,067	

# LAMORATORY REPORT FOR 1972 EXAMINATION OF WATER SUPPLIES

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# PERCENTAGE BREAKDOWN OF THE LABORATORY REPORT FOR 1972

A school po	palation of 102,725 was given	Approximate Number Of Analyses	Percentage Of Total Number Of Analyses
Calgar	City Water, Treatment Plant (Glenmore), Water- works	28,410	42.40
WATER	Wells	13,288 41,698	19.99
DAIRY PRODUCTS	Pasteurized Milk, Homo, Partly Skimmed, Skimmed, Creamo, Whipping Cream, Cottage Cheese, Fat Anal., Phosphatase Tests	13,229	19.747
MISCELLANEOUS TESTS	Chemical Analyses, Swab Tests, Bacteriology, Microscopy, Soft Drinks, Cereals, Foreign Matter	12,067	17.879
precise mean find. The 0.442 is c	GRAND TOTAL	66,994	100.00%

Grand Total = Samples for Analyses = 10,875

Grand Total = Tests = 66,994

# SUMMARY:-

Total No. of Samples Received From All Sources 10,875

Total No. of Tests Done On These Samples:-

Water Supplies 41,698
Dairy Milk Samples 8,863
Store Milk & Milk
Products 4,366
Miscellaneous 12,067
Grand Total of Tests 66,994

# 1972 ANNUAL REPORT

# CHILD AND MATERNAL HEALTH

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Assistant Medical Officer of Health.

A school population of 102,725 was given health services in 1972.

These were students of:-

Calgary Public School System	80,063
Calgary Separate School System (Roman Catholic)	21,922
Hebrew School	342
Peretz Institute	65
Calgary Christian School	225
Seventh Day Adventist School	68
Adult Day Centre	411

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In the area served by the Health Department's Haysboro Child Health Centre, 1,815 students entered Grade I in September 1972. Of these, 1,205 had attended the Health Centre and 1,027 had attended kindergarten.

Invitations were sent out to	
Requests for appointments were received from	480
Appointments were made for	445
Appointments kept	343

Altogether, 347 Denver Developmental Tests were done in this group from May to August 23rd. Most also had the physician's examination. Only nine showed any lag in development requiring follow-up; but there were 76 graded B in health (speech and dental defects were not considered to lower the health grading). One was graded C because of chronic kidney condition.

# Defects Found:-

24 teeth; 17 allergies; 14 speech defects referred; 14 ears (including scarred drums, tubes inserted, obstruction with wax); 13 flat feet; 12 upper respiratory infection; 9 vision referred (of which 2 were strabismus); 5 undescended testicles; 4 heart murmurs (not necessarily grave); 4 enlarged tonsils and adenoids; 3 urinary infections; 3 emotional disorders; 2 eneureses, 2 gross overweight; 1 each of underweight, pre-ulcer, thrush, ringworm and letter reversal.

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The dentists with the City of Calgary Health Department provided comprehensive dental treatment for the families who are beneficiaries of City Social Service Department's assistance and also for those school children of families of low income who are not recipients of public assistance. Altogether, 6,072 individual teeth were attended to. Of this number, 5,098 (84%) were restored to healthy functioning units, while the remaining 974 (16%) had to be extracted.

# SUMMARY OF WORK DONE BY PHYSICIANS IN CALGARY SCHOOLS 1972

No. of Routine Grade I Examinations	364
No. of these referred to family physician 25 No. of these referred to dentist 134 No. of these referred to eye examiner 26	
No. of Children Examined as Routine New Admissions to School Other Than Grade I	198
No. of these referred to doctor, dentist or eye examiner	
No. of Children Examined on Referral by Teacher, Parent, Nurse or Child	140
No. of these referred to family physician, dentist or eye examiner	
Total No. of Children Examined By Physicians in Schools	702

# STATE OF HEALTH AS DETERMINED IN GRADE I EXAMINATIONS

pupils			-	278
pupils				
pupils			-	_1
				364

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# DEFECTS FOUND IN ROUTINE GRADE I EXAMINATIONS

History of repeated Eczema, As		sease 2,986	
or Hay Fever	14	Heart	-
Skin	20	Respiratory	6
Nutrition	47	Abdomen - Hernia	1 3
Speech	19	- Gastro-Intestina	
		- Urinary - Genital	
Nose		Ortho - Posture	
Throat		- Feet	18
Teeth	138	- Other	
Glands (Lymph)			5 3
Glands (Endocrine)	4	Mental Health	3
HOME VISITS		nental nearth	-
Urine Test - 1; Hemoglobin Tes	t - 1; Firs	t-Aid - 12; Consultations -	7.
No. of Children Examined With			
EXAMINATIONS OF SCHOOL CHILDRE	N REFERRED	TO CITY HALL	
No. of pupils consulted at City			
No. of audiometer threshold hea			
No. of pupils showing hearing			
No. referred to ear specialist			
No. of pupils provided with fre	ee glasses		15
SUMMARY OF WORK DONE BY PUBLIC	HEALTH NUE	RSES IN CALGARY SCHOOLS - 19	72 ND POSI-
No. of children inspected by Pl	HN's	33 662	
No. referred to family phy		2,991	
No. referred to S.M.O		83	
No. of vision tests		41,280	
No referred to vision		4 725	
No. referred re vision .		4,723	
No. of color vision tests		4,403	
No. found to be color-blin	nd.	199	
	ıd		
No. of audiometer tests			
No. referred re hearing .		306	
not referred to hearing .	92.0	500 127	
		26 226	
No. of dental inspections		26,236	
No. requiring dental treat	tment	5,931	
32 Inn		EN 18 ROG	
No. of T.B. tests			
No. of positive T.B. tests			

# DEFECTS FOUND IN ROUTING GRADE I EXAMINATIONS

First-Aid		18,166				
Exclusions f	rom school re	communicable	disease	2,986		
CONFERENCES						
Teachers		24,361 7,544	Co-op other	agencies	1,870	
Films presen	ted and class	room talks gi	ven 2,016			
HOME VISITS						
School Child	ren		8,726			
T.B. Visits	(including scl	nool children	) 118			
T.B. Contact	(including s	chool childre	n) 117			
	SCH	OOL TUBERCULO	SIS TESTS - I	1972		
		GRA	DE I			
GRADE I NO. PUPILS	FUBERCULIN TE			RCULIN TESTS POSITIVE *	% FOUND POSI- TIVE REACTORS	
8,085	7,361	91.0	1,227	33 753	0.44	
Sabin Ti	ne group of 3	3 Positive Re		les:-		
		3 others with				
		GRA	DE IX			
GRADE IX NO. PUPILS	TUBERCULIN TES	STS % ACCEPTING		RCULIN TESTS POSITIVE	% FOUND POSI- TIVE REACTORS	
8,162	7,506	92.0		127	1.7	
Typhoid Ti	ne group of 12	27 Positive R	eactors inclu	ides:-	3	
		31 Immigrants 30 others with	h BCG			
		3 Previous Po	ositive React	cors		

The group of 127 Positive Reactors includes:-

31 Immigrants with 18 BCG

30 others with BCG

3 Previous Positive Resctors

STAFF

# CONTACTS (STAFF & STUDENTS)

	No. Tested	No. Of Reactors	No.	X-Rayed	No. Tested	No. Of Reactors	No. X-Rayed
School	4,475	105	2	,030	386	66	192
Administration	169	6					
Maintenance &							
Library Centre	e 202	49					

# TOTAL IMMUNIZATIONS OF SCHOOL CHILDREN - 1972

					Primary		Reinforcin	
DISEASE				8	Doses	Completed	Doses	ıg
Diphthe	Diphtheria & Tetanus		1,650	1,204	11,760	8,07		
Triad	4,802	59.5	823	10.2	325 1.5.4	720 15.9	06 -5.0	8,00
Biad				7.9	8	1,504 36.0	43 _5.5	8,07
Tetanus	E 654	70.0			64	48	861	
Salk	61.671	2.3			1,227	753	18	
Sabin					2,727	3,006	12,076	
TAB					390	344	38	TOT
Typhus	7,036	04.0			84	70	8	8,1
Cholera				0.7	154	75 135	51 0.6	8,19
Rabies	7,791	95.1	41	0.5	222 2.7	87 1.1	50 _0.6	8,19
Typhoid	Mon.	77.6	459	5.6	49	42	2	0,3
Diphthe	ria 655				1	1	- }	8,19
R.M.S.F	979	11.9			-	-	1	

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# CONTACTS (STAFF & STUDENTS)

# TOTAL INMUNIZATIONS OF SCHOOL CHILDREN - 1972

Doses
1,804
2 2

28	Primary Doses	Revaccinations
Smallpox	888	6,164

Schick Tests - 225 Gamma Globulin - 467

# GRADE I IMMUNIZATION STATUS - OCTOBER 1972

DISEASE	FULL	%	LAPSED	%	INADEQ	QUATE %	NONE	%	UNKNO	WN %%	TOTAL	%
Diphtheria	5,448	67.5	1,135	14.0	555	6.9	532	6.6	406	5.0	8,076	100
Tetanus	5,448	67.5	1,135	14.0	555	6.9	532	6.6	406	5.0	8,076	100
Polio	4,802	59.5	823	10.2	1,325	16.4	720	8.9	406	5.0	8,076	100
Smallpox	4,489	55.6	640	7.9	ment or	specia	2,504	31.0	443	5.5	8,076	100
Measles:- a) Live	5,656	70.0	en born time in				1,414	17.5	478	5.9)	ld	
b) Had Dis- ease	674	8.3	sttendan	ce is	Child	Health	Centres		w.	)		

# GRADE I IMMUNIZATION STATUS - JUNE 1972

DISEASE	FULL	%	LAPSED	%	INADEQU	ATE %	NONE	%	UNKN	OWN %	TOTAL	%
Diphtheria	7,934	96.9	58	0.7	75	0.9	75	0.9	51	0.6	8,193	100
Tetanus	7,934	96.9	58	0.7	75	0.9	75	0.9	51	0.6	8,193	100
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Smallpox	6,360	77.6	459	5.6	a more t	to be	1,326	16.2	48	0.6	8,193	100
Measles:-	way in it	than	just to	care.	for case	e and	1,332	16.3	227	2.8)	ing	
a) Live	5,655	69.0	ctivitie	a in		dent P	rogram )		erea	sed by	8,193	100
b) Had Dis- ease	1000000	11.9	ot Progr	on to						)		

## COMMUNICABLE DISEASES - NOTIFIED 1972

Age Group 5	- 19 Years	(not all are students)	
Infectious Hepatitis	183	Meningococcal Meningitis	3
Rubella	155	TB Pulmonary	2
Scarlet Fever	69	TB Non-Pulmonary	2
Salmonella Infection	28	Mumps (all age groups)	476
Serum Hepatitis	25	Chickenpox (all age groups)	1,507
Red Measles	19	Gonorrhoea	266
Pertussis	11	Syphilis Acquired Latent	2
Bacillary Dysentery	3		

## INFANT & PRE-SCHOOL HEALTH PROGRAM

This Program is carried out from seven Health Centres where Clinics are held for health assessment, immunization and counselling about child care and development. Each district nurse serves at certain sessions of these Clinics, as well as carrying out home visits, School and other Health Programs in her district. In the year 1972 staff nurses and doctors began to do developmental assessment of all babies at about the age of nine months. This testing and other examinations with follow-up, plus the keeping of an at-risk registry, helps to select children who might benefit from more care, treatment or special training in time for that help to be of greatest value.

The majority of children born in Calgary attend the Health Department's Child Health Centres at some time in their pre-school lives.

Statistical Tables on attendance in Child Health Centres follow.

## FAMILY PLANNING CLINIC

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## COMMUNICABLE DISEASES - NOTIFIED 1972

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## PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING SECTION - STUDENT PROGRAM

	42 Students - ½ days =	21 days
HOLY CROSS HOSPITAL	- School of Nursing	
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	23 Students - $1\frac{1}{2}$ days = 30 Students - 2 days =	34½ days 60 days
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		94½ days
FOOTHILLS HOSPITAL	- School of Nursing	
	34 Students - 2 days =	68 days
UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY	- Nursing Students	
- 4 years 1,924	9,039	
	39 Students - 1½ days =	58½ days
	6 Students - 1 day =	6 days
		64½ days
MOUNT ROYAL COLLEGE	- Nursing Students	
	8 Students - ½ day =	4 days
UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN	- Nursing Students	
	1 Student - 15 days =	15 days
UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA	- Nursing Students	
	3 Students - ½ day =	1½ days
	- Dental Hygiene Students	
	2 Students - 2 days =	4 days
CALGARY GENERAL HOSPITAL	- Dietetic Internes	
		/ days
		4 days
	TOTAL 192 Students	. 276 days
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	- Holy Cross Hospital	
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## 1972 - CITY OF CALGARY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

## PUBLIC SEALTH NURSING SECTION - STUDENT PROGRAM

## FLUORIDE PROGRAM

The following Table records the numbers of prescriptions filled in 1972 in the Child Health Centres for children in the specified age groups. Those children consistently given this advantage through their growing years develop teeth resistant to caries.

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Age	Total No. Rxs Filled (Original & New & Refills)	Total No. Refill Rxs Dispensed	Total No. Rxs Filled (Original & New & Refills	Total No. Refill Rxs Dispensed
Under 1 year	0	0	7,860	2,722
1 - 4 years	1,924	911	9,039	3,125
4 - 8 years	5,307	2,529	2,159	742
8 - 12 years	2,020	961	393	204
Over 12 years	1,382	658	180	88
Totals	10,633	5,059	19,631	6,881

	NURSES' HOME	The second secon	
Pre-Natal	323	TB Visits	118
Newborn	7,503	TB Contacts	117
Other Infants	1,699		
		Mental Health	3,126
Pre-School	7,910	Family Planning	3,181
School School	8,726	Co-op Social Welfare	410
Acute Communicable Disease	456	Family Folder	910
Poison & Safety	297		
nvestigations Re Complaint	239	First Visits	9,974
		Repeat Visits	4,596
Adult	14,923	Not Home	765
Geriatric	300	Not Found	410
Handicapped	790		
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All Doses Including The Completed And Reinforcing DOSES (e)

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(P) PRIMARY SMALLPOX VACCINATION

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	Q	1	6	973	2,705	3,688
	×	55	5,528	12,076	1,616	19,275
SABIN	0	2,782	2,533	3,006 12,076	522	8,843 19,275
	D	6,522	10,823	17,309	2,921	38,075
	æ	T D	00	18	42	89
SALK	O	5	33	753	89	859
	Q	23	165	1,998	279	2,465
POX	REV	7	443	6,164	6,921	13,529
SMALLPOX	Ь	26	1,073	888	331	2,318 13,529
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	D			00	84	92
IN	R			255	3	4
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ROCKY	D			1	. 2	9
ALENT	R			2	22	24
TYPHOID MONOVALENT	O		3	42	333	378
TYPHOL	D	1	5	93	169	790
NA	R		1	00	203	212
TYPHUS	O		41 19	70	518	607
	D		41	162	1,313	1,516
AB	R		2	38	623	663
TYPHOID PARATYPHOID AB	0	3	95	344	3,636 1,254	1,647
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		Infants	Pre-School	Schools	Adults	TOTALS

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# USAGE OF MULTIPLE ANTIGENS IN 1972 INMUNIZATIONS

Total Doses Including The Completed And Reinforcing 11 DOSES

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COMPLETED = The Last Dose In A Series

REINFORCING = Booster Subsequent To A Series

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## SERA AND VACCINE DISTRIBUTED FOR USE IN CALGARY

Diphtheria Antitoxin, 1,000 units	24
Diphtheria Antitoxin, 40,000 units	7
Diphtheria Toxoid, Singles	18
Diphtheria Toxoid, Diluted 4 cc	13
Diphtheria Toxoid, Pertussis Vaccine & Tetanus Toxoid, Singles	690
Diphtheria Toxoid, Pertussis Vaccine & Tetanus Toxoid, 10 cc	989
Diphtheria Toxoid & Tetanus Toxoid, Singles	92
Diphtheria Toxoid & Tetanus Toxoid, 10 cc	572
Gas Gangrene Antitoxin, Vials of 10,000 units	17
Immune Serum Globulin, 2 cc. pkge	151
Immune Serum Globulin, 5 cc. pkge	446
Immune Serum Globulin, 10 cc. pkge	5
Materials for Schick Tests (25)	246
Poliomyelitis Vaccine, 10 cc. pkge	369
BIAD (Tetanus, Polio Vaccine), 10 cc. pkge	86
QUAD (DPT - Polio Vaccine), 10 cc. pkge	2,229
Measles Vaccine, Live, 1 dose	6,239
Rabies Vaccine (Tissue Culture), 1 dose	94
Rabies Antiserum, 1,000 Units	4
Rubella Vaccine, Live, 1 dose	1,900
Sabin, Poliovirus Vaccine, 20 dose pkge	1,720
Sabin, Poliovirus Vaccine, 10 dose pkge	773
Smallpox Vaccine, Singles	764
Smallpox Vaccine, 10's	1,336
Smallpox Vaccine, Freeze Dried, 10's	237
Staphylococcus Toxoid, 4 cc. pkge	106
Tetanus Antitoxin, 1,500 units	21
Tetanus Toxoid, 30 cc. pkge	257
Tetanus Toxoid, 3 cc. pkge	1,111
Tetanus Toxoid, Paratyphoid & Typhoid Vaccine, 3 cc. pkge	98
Tetanus Toxoid, Paratyphoid & Typhoid Vaccine, 25 cc. pkge	85
Typhoid & Paratyphoid Vaccine, singles	243
Typhoid & Paratyphoid Vaccine, 10 cc. pkge	179
Typhoid, Monovalent, 10 cc	120
(All the above material supplied free by the Provincial Government)	

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2 2 2	Bowness	Brentwood	City Hall	Courts	Lawn	Haysboro	Hill	Scarboro	Shaganappi	TOTALS	
INFANTS		En				AE	don	end			
Attendance	1,804	1,038	2,796	50	3,794	4,842	4,084	2,562	3,051	24,021	
Admissions	377	211	672	21	937	1,221	1,310	999	654	890,9	
On Breast	96	47	79	123	74	201	199	148	83	928	
On Bottle	281	164	593	20	863	1,015	1,111	517	571	5,135	
PRE-SCHOOL Attendance	2,653	931	3,753	114	5,125	5,050	4,533	2,752	4,034	28,945	61
Admissions	344	52	292	15	200	561	546	182	267	2,759	
Doctor's Examinations	342	3,2	165	1	234	486	112	332	29	1,738	
Doctor's Days	33	5	32	12	37	74	19	43	20	258	
TOTAL ATTENDANCE	4,457	1,969	6,549	164	8,919	9,892	8,617	5,314	7,085	52,966	
NO. OF CLINIC DAYS	153	82	244	5	242	243	243	207	243	1,662	
AVERAGE ATTENDANCE	29.1	24.0	26.8	32.8	36.85	40.7	35.46	25.67	29.15	31.87	
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## ATTENDANCE AT CHILD HEALTH CENTRES

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
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New	5,429	5,548	5,620	6,037	6,374	6,760	6,068
Old Control	11,907	13,489	14,959	14,963	16,400	18,760	17,953
otal Infant Attendance	17,336	19,037	20,579	21,000	22,774	25,520	24,021
re-School Attendance							
New	3,866	3,768	3,297	3,285	3,183	3,339	2,759
01d	19,543	23,756	23,695	22,892	24,521	29,523	26,186
otal Pre-School Attendance	23,409	27,524	26,992	26,177	27,704	32,862	28,945
NEW ENROLLMENT	S EXPRES	SED AS PEI	RCENTAGE (	OF BIRTHS	MINUS DE	ATHS	
	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
irths	7,064	7,301	7,184	7,429	8,149	7,586	7,183
minus							
nfant Deaths	125	153	112	132	178	142	105
	6,939	7,148	7,072	7,297	7,971	7,444	7,078
ew Infants	5,429	5,548	5,620	6,037	6,374	6,760	6,068
p l u s							
ew Pre-Schoolers Enrolled	3,866	3,768	3,297	3,285	3,183	3,339	2,759
	9,295	9,316		9,322	9,557	10,099	8,827

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Dr. L. C. Allan,
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Health Department,
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The modern concept of dentistry should be that of a health service dedicated firstly to prevention of dental disease, secondly to restoration of teeth and gums affected by such disease, and finally to replacement of natural teeth where an individual has suffered such loss.

Because of the emphasis placed on the dental program by both Senior Civic Administrators and Elected Officials and the wholehearted support toward achievement of the objectives, defined in the 1973 program budget, by these same people, the Dental Department is now in the process of change which should bring about the improved distribution of Dental Health Care to the child population of Calgary. Such support has facilitated the accumulation of resources necessary to meet the short-term objectives of the 1973 budget and, of much more significance, provide a solid base from which we can establish much more comprehensive preventive dental programs.

The long range objective of this Department is oriented to the philosophy that every individual has the right to a high level of (dental) health and, therefore, we must try to ensure that every individual receives complete treatment and that the natural teeth are maintained throughout life in a healthy mouth.

It is the Dental Department's hope to continually raise the means test level presently being used to judge eligibility for treatment services, to a position where the economic circumstances of the parents allow them to obtain dental care in the private practitioner's office without depriving themselves and their children of the ordinary living necessities.

But, as mentioned previously, the most important function of this Department is to prevent (dental) disease, and this objective can only be achieved through organized community effort. Dental disease is almost entirely preventable: it remains only for people as individuals and members of communities to see to it that the various preventive measures are used. The best dollar value in dentistry today is preventive dentistry. With the knowledge that we currently have, most dental problems can be prevented if we only start early enough.

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This is especially true for preventive education. This form of dentistry takes time and, as the dentist's chief asset is time, it is the factor for which a fee must be charged. The dentist, on the other hand, must also realize that if he terminates his service after merely restoring that which has been destroyed, without teaching the patient the way of preventing further trouble (whether or not the patient follows the prescription), he is guilty of being a dental repairman. He is actually not much more than a highly trained and licensed technician.

However, although we know that the one-to-one ratio is far superior as an educational tool for health programs than any other, because of the nature and the extent of the teaching to be done, this method will never achieve the final goal of health and happiness for all, on its own.

What is needed is the effective utilization of community resources, and school health programs are one of the most effective means of reaching a large group of health consumers with good educational material. Education to good health is needed and the place to do it is in the schools. The opportunities afforded by the daily congregation of almost one-quarter of the local community in the sensitive and formative years cannot help but represent a challenging prospect for those who are responsible for community health.

Our goal should be a fully conceptualized thirteen-year health education curriculum -- for kindergarten through the twelfth grade. A course in health education should be like a course in mathematics or social studies -- required by all, scheduled daily, taught by a specialist and treated seriously. Health should not be left for the teachable moment, nor for its possible integration into other subject areas.

There should be a co-ordinated attack on all health problems, being careful that interest in a specific area, which has become a problem in a particular community, will not induce the community to go off in this direction alone.

It is important that a co-operative effort involving health educators, curriculum supervisors, teachers of health, the various members of the health professions, work together to develop a health education program that is comprehensive ... scientifically sound ... sequentially arranged ... and educationally effective -- and that we develop a program of this type for the health education of all the nation's children, beginning in kindergarten and continuing through the twelfth grade.

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prehensive dental treatment for the children of Calgary families of low economic status. An important and encouraging change was the extension of our treatment service to include all those school children up to and including those in Grade XII. Treatment for all eligible children included x-rays, fillings, extractions, stainless steel crowns, space maintainers, endodontics, periodontics and minor preventive orthodontics.

During the year, 7,008 individual teeth were attended to; 5,731 (81.8%) were restored to healthy functioning units, while the remaining 1,277 (18.2%) had to be extracted.

Of the number restored, 3,487 (60.8%) were permanent teeth and the remaining 2,244 (39.2%) were baby teeth. Because of the extent of the lesion, 428 teeth could not be adequately restored with the normal filling materials and so were rebuilt to their former functioning condition by the use of stainless steel crowns -- 54 of these crowns were placed on permanent teeth, 374 were placed on baby teeth.

The total number of extractions performed in the City Clinics amounted to 1,084 teeth. From this number, 974 extractions were effected upon school children and 110 upon pre-school children. To replace the deciduous or baby teeth which had been prematurely lost, 175 space maintainers were inserted for children, who otherwise would have become potential orthodontic cases.

Throughout the year, 121 cases proceeded through various phases of orthodontic treatment. Orthodontia being the treatment and correction of dental irregularities such as malposed or crooked teeth, usually by mechanical aids.

An important statistic, which is sometimes overlooked, is the number of carious six-year molars. This first permanent molar is the most important unit of mastication and is essential in the development of functionally desirable occlusion. For this reason, it has been called the keystone or foundation of the dental arch. From the examination of the first permanent molar in a group of school children, much can be learned about the dental health level of the community. It has been suggested that in individual children, caries susceptibility of the whole mouth can be correlated with the amount of decay in the first permanent molars. The loss of a first permanent molar in a child can lead to changes in the dental arches that can be traced throughout the life of the individual. Of the 1,705 carious first permanent molars, 41 were discovered in pre-school children and the remaining 1,664 were found in school children.

During the year 312 endodontic cases were completed in the Clinics. In these cases, the dentist was able to preserve the tooth by removing the infected pulp tissue within the tooth and replacing it with a suitable material. Teeth that cannot be saved by this method must be extracted and replaced with space maintainers.

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During the year, 7,008 individual testh were attended to; 5,731 (81.8E) were restored to healthy functioning units, while the remaining 1,277 (18.2E) had to be extracted.

Of the number restored, 3,487 (60.8%) were permanent teeth and the remaining 2,244 (39.2%) were baby teeth. Hecause of the extent of the lesion, 428 teeth could not be adequately restored with the normal filling materials and so were rebuilt to their former functioning condition by the use of stainless steel crowns -- 54 of these frowns were placed on parmanent teeth, 374 were placed on baby teeth.

The total number of extractions performed in the City Clinics amounted to 1,084 teath. From this number, 974 extractions were effected upon school children and 110 upon pre-school children. To replace the deciduous or baby teath which had been prematurely lost, 175 space maintainers were inserted for children, who otherwise would have become potential orthodoutic cases.

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		SCH	OOL	PRE-S	CHOOL
		1971	1972	1971	1972
A	Welfare	613	357	47	32
P	Paying	5,655	5,948	558	686
0	Free the Dontal Dynamical Preventive I	800	867	57	33
N N	Cancellations	492	443	7	2
Trough which	Missed	480	404	7	9
M E	Emergency	184	163	9	19
N	Recall	1,244	1,504	80	95
T S	New	758	760	138	176
	Clinical	2,178	2,494	235	293
EXAMS	No. of X-Rays	3,244	4,028	184	335
	Carious 6 Yr. Molar	1,791	1,664	12	41
disorders, n	Parent and/or Child Education	2,647	4,432	250	466
PRE-	Prophylaxis Completed	1,386	1,919	136	200
VENTIVE	Topical Fluoride Completed	1,343	1,903	131	194
	Periodontal Treatment	31	91	-	7
This yes	Permanent Restorations	3,195	3,413	4	20
D D C D O	Permanent Surfaces	5,088	5,488	5	29
RESTO-	Deciduous Restorations	1,343	1,357	440	513
RATIONS	Deciduous Surfaces	2,532	2,580	720	876
(6)	Polished	460	2,037	-	179
	Temporary	167	148	5	20
Ecompleses	Pulpotomy Deciduous	146	210	38	75
N	Endo. Permanent	26	27	1	-
D	No. of Endo. Appointments	187	251	35	65
-	Deciduous	280	276	91	98
CROWNS	Permanent	43	52	-	2
TEETH CLEY	Deciduous	1,623	1,633	531	611
COM- PLETED	Permanent	3,238	3,465	4	22
7,446 280	Space Maintainer	132	161	14	14
PPLI-	Ortho. Appliance	88	115	5	6
NCES	Appliance Checks	218	457	4	4
TO IMPORT	Impressions	272	409	25	25
	Permanent Teeth Extracted	278	218	1	1
HDCEDY	Deciduous Teeth Extracted	889	756	64	109
URGERY	Frenectomy, Etc.	11	20	-	-
	Completed Clinic Cases	1,716	1,913	184	226
	Patients Dismissed	26	34	5	4

TEETH COMPLETED = No. Of Restorations + No. Of Crowns

## DENTAL HYGIENISTS' SERVICES

The aim or goal of the Dental Hygienists' Preventive Education Program is to develop an awareness of the values of oral health among children and their parents, and to increase their knowledge and participation in those measures through which oral health can be improved and maintained. For the dental hygienists employed in Public Health such a goal can be achieved through the following avenues of prevention:-

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## 1. CLINICAL TOPICAL FLUORIDE PROGRAM

This service includes:-

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- (b) oral prophylaxis (cleaning of the teeth);
- (c) application of a fluoride solution;
- (d) parent-child education.

For each child seeking fluoride treatment, an application form must be completed by the parent. At the time of the first appointment, a permanent record card is completed for the child with the following information recorded:— oral health evaluation, oral hygiene evaluation, physical and mental disabilities, treatment rendered and comments by the dental hygienists. This service is offered on a once-a-year basis to all children from age three up to and including those in Grade I.

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Appointments Made	2,376	6,092
Cancellations	92	413
Missed Appointments	104	338
Recall Patients	1,287	2,500
New Patients	893	2,841
Visual Examination	2,179	5,324
Poor Oral Hygiene	508	1,212
Apparent Caries Free	770	3,199
Visual Dental Decay	633	1,214
Carious 6-Year Molar	in the For115 Laum d	strict in 38
Treatment Completed	776	911
Malocclusion/Malalignment	182	ada II and 516
Premature Loss of Primary Teeth	94	97
Other Abnormalities *	eplorer and 57 ath min	or, dental 94
Prophylaxis	2,169	5,292
Fluoride Painting	2,165	5,281
Polished Fillings	re not regarded as co	plete ex-
Parent and/or Child Education	2,023	4,751
Unfinished Cases	15	60
Taking Systemic Fluoride	1,653	den 4,314
Prescribed Systemic Fluoride	249	454
Refused	88	161
Referred to Private Dentist	158	380
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With the use of a light, explorer and mouth mirror, dental inspections were conducted on all Grade II students and some Grade III students. Referral slips were sent home for those students requiring emergency dental treatment. Again, these inspections are not regarded as complete examinations.

Dental health status was evaluated as follows:-

Caries Free - No evidence of previous dental decay

All Treatment Complete - Decay has been treated by fillings, extractions or stainless steel crowns

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GRADE	NUMBER	CF	ATC	MTR	NR	х	XR	G	F	P	R
II	2,156	300	846	1010	725	419	131	205	751	1200	655
		13.9%	39.2%	46.8%	33.6%	19.4%	6.1%	9.5%	34.8%	55.7%	30.4%
		206	534	601	362	319	92	82	348	911	444
III	1,341	15.4%	39.8%	44.8%	27.0%	23.8%	6.9%	6.1%	26.0%	67.9%	33.1%
		506	1380	1611	1087	738	223	287	1099	2111	1099
TOTAL	3,497	14.5%	39.5%	46.0%	31.1%	21.1%	6.4%	8.2%	31.4%	60.4%	30.8%

## LEGEND: -

CF	-	Caries Free	X	-	Tooth Extracted
ATC	-	All Treatment Completed	XR	to fo	Due For Extraction
MTR	-	More Treatment Required	OH	s -and	Oral Hygiene
NR	-	No Restorations			G - Good; F - Fair; P - Poor.
****			R	-	Referral

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- Each child received a bib, paper cup, a hand mirror, kleenex and a toothbrush instruction kit.
- The children chewed a disclosing tablet to dramatize the existence of dental plaque on their teeth.
- The children examined their own mouths with hand mirrors to locate the plaque.
- 4. Following the instructions of a hygienist, the children brushed all areas of their mouth. Individual supervision was given to each child during the brushing session.
- A discussion followed on the importance of thorough and regular brushing and flossing.

As in previous years, teacher requests for follow-up visits were numerous. A concentrated effort was made to return to some of the schools at least once for a reinforcement lesson on dental concepts.

## B. Special Requests

Dental health lessons using slides, films, film strips and experiments were presented to Grade I - IX upon request from the school nurse or teacher. In 1972, 72 schools in Calgary were visited by the dental hygienists. A total of 8,836 students participated in a dental health lesson.

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## SCHOOLS USING PROCTOR & GAMBLE MATERIALS

45	Schools	Grade 2 = 2	,221	Student
		Grade $3 = 2$	,333	Student
		Total 4	,554	Student

## KINDERGARTENS

124 Classes 3,155 Children

## OTHER SCHOOLS

72 Schools 8,836 Students

Grade I = 1,868 Students

Grade 2 = 1,845 "

Grade 3 = 1,427 "

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The Nutritionist appeared on a T.V. Program and discussed Nutrition and Food Buymanship. This program was one in a series on Money Management, sponsored by the Adult Education Division of the School Board and the Royal Bank. The Nutritionist also participated on a panel on Health Foods at a program organized by the Calgary Co-Operative Consumer Consultant.

The media assisted the Nutritionist with providing information for the Public about nutrition and the nutritional services of the Health Department, through two newspaper articles and interviews on Cable T.V.

## IN-SERVICE EDUCATION

The Nutritionist presented In-Service Education Programs to:- the new Nurses on staff; Nurses at the Health Units, on Infant Feeding; Social Workers with the Provincial Government, on Nutrition and Food Buymanship; the Nurses at the Foothills Hospital, who present the prenatal classes, on Nutrition in Pregnancy; the Physiotherapy Association, on Nutrition for Athletes; Food Service Personnel of City-subsidized Day Care Centres. The Nutritionist also assisted with a Program of In-Service for Food Service Personnel in the High School Cafeterias.

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## INSTITUTIONS

A number of Institutions requested assistance with their Food Service Programs in 1972. The Nutritionist prepared sample cycle menus and, in some cases, a cost analysis for Oasis, Riverside Villa and William Roper Hull Home. In addition, advice was given in regard to Food Service to the Shaganappi Day Care Centre and the Spruce Cliff Home. Observations were made of the Public High School Food Service Program and comments on the menus were provided for the Food Service Consultant in response to her request.

#### MATERIALS PREPARED

In response to a specific request, a bland, economical menu was prepared for a Social Worker to assist him with counselling one of his clients. On a request from the City Social Service Department, three breakfast menus with costs were planned for the Transient Youth Program. Comments and suggestions on Prenatal and Infant Nutrition were submitted for the revision of the Canadian Mother and Child. Reference reading lists on Special Diets and Nutrition were prepared and printed. A quantity of recipes and diet information for specific allergies was reprinted from originals obtained from the Provincial Nutritionist. The pamphlet "Preparing Food For Babies" was also revised and reprinted.

## CLINIC VISITS

Clinic visits were resumed in September of 1972. The Nutritionist visits each Clinic once a month for the purpose of answering staff enquiries, to have the opportunity to observe the problems in the different areas of the City and to speak with mothers referred to her by the nurses.

#### STATISTICAL SUMMARY

The following table presents a summary of the work performed by the Nutritionist for the year 1972:-

Phone Calls	920
Interviews	139
Institutional & Home Visits	29
Letters Written	59
Publications Distributed	994
Meetings Attended	29
Planning Meetings	19

to learn of her role and the functions of Public Health. In 1972, 4 Student Internes spent three days each with the Notritionist. An explanation of the Natritionist's duties is also given to the Natsing Students affiliating at the Chaic.

## SMOITSTITZENI

A number of institutions requested assistance with their Food Service Programs in 1972. The Nutritionist prepared sample cycle menus and, in some cases, a cost analysis for Dasis, Riverside Villa and William Roper Hull Home. In addition, advice was given in regard to Food Service to the Shegamappi Day Care Centra and the Spruce Cliff Home. Observations were made of the Public High School Food Service Program and comments on the menus were provided for the Food Service Consultant in response to her request.

## MATERIALS PREPARED

In response to a specific request, a bland, economical menu was prepared for a Social Worker to desist him with counselling one of his clients. On a request from the City Social Service Department, three breaklast menus with costs were planned for the Trinslent Youth Program. Comments and suggestions on Prenatal and Inlant Nutrition were submitted for the revision of the Nutrition were produced and princed. A quantity of recipes and dist information for specific allerates was reprinted from originals obtained from the Provincial Nutritionist. The pamphlet "Fraparing Food For Dables" was also revised and reprinted.

## CLINIC AIRLES

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## STATISTICAL SUPPLARY

The following table presents a summary of the work performed by the Nutritionist for the year 1972:-

Meetings Addressed	49
Newsletters	5
Publications Prepared	2 2

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SERVICE STATISTICS

			1971	1972
CASES (New)				
Maternity			1,871	2,159
Med-Surgical			1,440	1,647
Total			3,311	3,806
			433	
Maternity	a thendalous		4,229	4,856
Med-Surgical			26,470	32,725
Other			274	413
Total			30,973	37,994
NIGHT VISITS			685	681
TIME ON DUTY			6:627.	4.271
Visiting Nursin			24,849	28,113
Other Nursing A	Activities .		3,577	4,350
Total			28,426	32,463
			490,549.	448,382
HOSPITAL REFERRAL F	ROGRAMS			
Number of Refer	rals		1,010	1,674
	PAV	STATUS OF VISI	TS 820	
	IAI	SIRIUS OF VISI	2,410.	
	1971		1972	
Ful1	4,522	14.6%	4,759	12.5%
Part	6,335	20.5%	7,202	19.0%
Free	5,583	18.0%	6,532	17.2%
No Charge	4,538	14.7%	5,460	14.4%
Insurance	2,971	9.6%	6,526	17.2%
Government	7,024	22.6%	7,515	19.7%
	30,973	100.0%	37,994	100.0%
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## V.O.N. SERVICE STATISTICS

# CITY OF CALGARY HEALTH DEPARTMENT FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	1972	1971
Polymba Car Allburness		
HEALTH		
Administration		
Administration		
Salaries	114,328.	108,590.
Travelling Expenses	353.	230.
Private Car Allowances	540.	532.
Equipment Maintenance	433.	419.
Printing, Stationery & Office Supplies	1,707.	2,258.
Janitorial & Housekeeping Supplies	1,523,	11.
Sundries	1,020.	642.
Office Machines	886.	590.
Purchasing & Stores Handling	3,918.	2,843.
	122,299.	116,115.
	102,233.	110,113.
School Medical Services		
HITS For Sigily & Undersone Labor		
Salaries	455,807.	414,598.
Travel Expenses	664.	695.
Private Car Allowances	19,464.	19,035.
Equipment Maintenance	66.	51.
Printing, Stationery & Office Supplies	4,627.	4,271.
Medical Supplies	7,873.	7,020.
Sundries	538.	1,417.
Medical Equipment	358.	196.
Glasses for Underprivileged Children	310.	411.
Staff Development & Training	842.	488.
	490,549.	448,182.
	2,031.	2.882.
School & Pre-School Dental Services		
Equipment Maintenance		
Salaries	180,767.	160,856.
Travelling Expenses	189.	424.
Private Car Allowances	820.	621.
Equipment Maintenance	2,410.	1,330.
Printing, Stationery & Office Supplies	2,925.	1,248.
Laundry Service	1,252.	1,647.
Dental Supplies	13,690.	12,568.
Sundries	557.	202.
Dental Equipment	3,659.	413.
Shaganappi Clinic Equipment	365.	6,305.
Staff Development & Training	176.	115.
Charges Recovered	18,113. CR.	16,004. CI
	188,697.	169,725.

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1972 1971

## REALTH

	1972	1971
Infant & Pre-School Clinics		
infant u fre-school crimes		
Salaries	453,009.	412,119.
Private Car Allowances	19,607.	19,035.
Printing, Stationery & Office Supplies	3,212.	1,863.
Sundries	532.	368.
Furniture & Furnishings	1,194.	2,218.
	477,554.	435,603.
	477,554.	455,005.
andley Service		
General Health Services		
Salaries	45,091.	27,076.
Private Car Allowances	1,523.	759.
Equipment Maintenance	5.	28.
Printing, Stationery & Office Supplies	886.	356.
Medical Supplies	467.	98.
Sundries	122,259.	23.
Drugs & Serum	1,486.	1,493.
Chemicals	195.	184.
Furniture & Furnishings		148.
Milk For Sickly & Undernourished	81.	450.
Special Health Programs	683.	931.
Family Planning Clinic	13,905.	13,047.
Family Planning Clinic Costs Recovered	14,446. CR.	13,107. CR
	49,876.	31,486.
Inspection Services		
Salaries	242,995.	211,879.
Travel Expense	381.	143.
Private Car Allowances	17,839.	15,589.
Passenger Car Rentals	2,031.	2,882.
Employees' Transit Tickets & Passes	228.	228.
Equipment Maintenance	375.	311.
Laundry Service	77.	82.
Milk Inspection	673.	1,095.
Fly & Insect Control	53,727.	8,737.
Pigeon Control Program	1,300.	800.
Printing, Stationery & Office Supplies	865.	758.
Laboratory Supplies	3,000.	2,588.
Sundries Without	266.	133.
Laboratory Equipment	156.	1,118.
Staff Development & Training	495.	247.
	324,408.	246,590.

	1972	1971
Health Centres Maintenance		
Buildings & Property Rentals Buildings & Property Maintenance	1,100. 862.	700. 2,489.
Equipment Maintenance	230.	185.
Utilities	4,968.	4,522.
Telephones	3,928.	3,624.
Janitorial Service	11,363.	10,085.
Laundry Service	1,304.	1,869.
Janitorial & Housekeeping Supplies	1,252.	672.
Sundries	47.	197.
	25,054.	24,343.
SUMMARY		
Administration	122,299.	116,115.
School Medical Services	490,549.	448,182.
School & Pre-School Dental Services	188,697.	169,725.
Infant & Pre-School Clinics	477,554.	435,603.
Victorian Order of Nurses Pre- & Post-Nata	1	
Services	12,216.	8,912.
General Health Services	49,876.	31,486.
Inspection Services	324,408.	246,590.
Health Centres Maintenance	25,054.	24,343.
	1,690,653.	1,480,956.
Less:-		
	2 255	2 2/6
Miscellaneous Sales Provincial Government Health Grants	3,255. 484,165.	3,346. 425,758.
Provincial Government Health Grants	404,103.	423,730.
	1,203,233.	1,051,852.
Population	412,777	398,034.
Per Capita Expenditure	2.91	2.64
Per Capita Expenditure Without	/ 00	2 71
Consideration Of Grants	4.09	3.71



