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## 1985 NATIONAL NURSING HOME SURVEY UTILIZATION DATA

#### I. INTRODUCTION

This report presents results of tabulations from the 1985 National Nursing Home Survey (NNHS). The tabulations are designed to estimate nursing home admission rates, average lengths-of-stay, and continuance tables, which together are referred to as utilization data. The purpose of this report is to establish a complete "baseline" set of utilization data that can be used in actuarial models and as a basis of comparison with other experience.

This is not an attempt to develop utilization data that are directly appropriate for the pricing or reserving of long-term-care (LTC) insurance products, although the data could be used as a basis from which such rates can be derived. In particular, the rates apply to the general population, not an insured population. Also, the general population experience relates to a largely uninsured environment under which nursing home residents had to pay for their own care or impoverish themselves before Medicaid would pay. Further, the rates do not reflect the effect of policy provisions that limit benefits to nursing home residents who meet certain criteria, such as the failure of activities of daily living (ADLs), medical necessity, or a prior hospital stay. Finally, these rates are for 1985 and reflect the conditions at that time. Through time, changes in the nursing home bed supply, the general level of health of succeeding cohorts of the population, and the availability of spouses and nonworking children as caregivers will influence future utilization rates.

Nevertheless, three sets of tabulations of admission rates and length-ofstay distributions have been made in a manner that is useful for those who are interested in LTC insurance. The first two sets include all patients in the survey. The first set is based on the "stay" concept, and the second set is based on the "benefit period" concept. Under the stay concept, each admission and discharge is treated independently, while under the benefit period concept, stays that are interrupted only because the patient transferred from one nursing home to another or from one nursing home to a hospital and then to another nursing home are treated as one benefit period. The benefit period concept is more appropriate for measuring the effects of deductible periods and lifetime maximums.

These first two sets of tabulations are representative of the general U.S. population and thus include persons with types of conditions that would preclude being issued insurance and persons with a diagnosis that would not be covered under LTC insurance policies. The third set of rates was compiled excluding these patients. In particular, this set excludes the experience of patients whose only condition is mental (although Alzheimer's Disease and other organic brain syndrome are included), is congenital, or involves substance abuse. The mentally retarded, who represent a significant proportion of patients under age 65, are excluded.

Each set of utilization data has been calculated independently. Thus, each set of admission rates, average lengths-of-stay, and continuance tables has been calculated from the basic data to be consistent within each set. Other subsets are also possible, such as including only those admissions that follow a three-day hospital stay or only those where the patient fails three ADLs, and so on, but these subsets are not included in this report.

#### II. THE 1985 NATIONAL NURSING HOME SURVEY

The 1985 National Nursing Home Survey was a nationwide (excluding Alaska and Hawaii) sample survey conducted by the National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS) between August 1985 and January 1986, with an average date of interview of October 11, 1985. It is the third and most recent in a series of periodic surveys of nursing and related care homes and their residents, discharges, and staffs. The first survey was conducted in 1973–74, and the second was conducted in 1977. The 1985 survey contains many more questions than the prior surveys, so that the analysis done here is not possible with the earlier surveys.

Data from the 1985 resident survey and the 1985 discharge survey were used in this report. The surveys cover all types of nursing homes without regard to the level of care they provide, whether they participate in the Medicare or Medicaid program, or whether they are licensed. It does not include homes for the aged, community care facilities, congregate living facilities, adult foster homes, or other residential facilities without nursing care.

The survey was based on a stratified two-stage probability sample. In the first stage, a stratified random sample of facilities was selected from four components: (1) the base, a national inventory maintained by the National

Center for Health Facilities, called the 1982 National Master Facility Inventory (NMFI); (2) the 1982 Complement Survey, which identified homes missed in the NMFI; (3) hospital-based homes identified by the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA); and (4) homes opened for business between 1982 and June 1, 1984. This frame resulted in an universe of 20,479 nursing and related care facilities. The strata in the selection process were certified versus not certified and number of beds, with large certified homes being the most likely to be selected. This selection process resulted in 1,079 facilities being surveyed.

In the second stage, random samples of residents and discharges were selected from each of the chosen facilities. This process resulted in 5,243 current residents and 6,023 discharged residents from the 1,079 facilities included in the survey. Each of the responses was given a weight that reflected the probability with which the facility was chosen and the proportion of residents chosen from each facility, so that the total weighted responses represented the 48 contiguous states and the District of Columbia.

Information was obtained from each chosen facility through a Facility Questionnaire, from (or about) the chosen residents through a Current Resident Questionnaire, and from the sample of patients discharged through a Discharged Resident Questionnaire. Each questionnaire included questions seeking detailed information on the characteristics of the residents and the facilities. These surveys are referred to as simply the facility survey, the resident survey, and the discharge survey.

The Current Resident Questionnaire included questions on:

- Basic demographic information, such as current age, sex, race, marital status.
- Information on the date of admission and residence before the most recent admission to the nursing home. Up to eight prior stays in the patient's current facility and up to three stays in up to three different facilities are recorded. Thus, information is contained on a possible 18 stays in all.
- Current condition of the patient, including a primary and up to seven secondary diagnoses.
- Information on the primary and up to seven secondary diagnoses at the time of admission.
- Information on the patient's ability to perform Activities of Daily Living (ADLs).

 Information on therapies currently being received and sources of funds for payment.

The Discharged Resident Questionnaire contains much of the same information as the Current Resident Questionnaire, plus the date of discharge and residence after leaving the facility. The discharge survey, however, does not have detailed information on the patient's ability to perform ADLs. It only asks whether the patient was bedfast, chairfast, or continent at the time of discharge.

#### III. METHODOLOGY AND RESULTS

The nursing home admission rates developed in this report are by sex and single years of age, from age 30 through age 110. The length-of-stay distributions were developed by sex for seven age groups. The lengths-of-stay were grouped into intervals of varying length for up to 15 years.

#### A. Admission Rates

The admission rates (or incidence rates) are calculated relative to the noninstitutionalized population (that is, as a percentage of those exposed to the risk of institutionalization) and not relative to the total population (that is, including the institutionalized). A rigorous actuarial model should use rates relative to the exposed population. Occasionally models are constructed that use admission rates calculated relative to the total population, on the theory that such rates can be applied in a manner consistent with their derivation by applying them to the total number of policies in-force, including those already in a nursing home. But this theory assumes that the proportion institutionalized is the same for both the population from which the rates were derived and the population to which the rates are applied. Problems with this assumption can readily be seen, because an insured population always starts off at issue as 100 percent noninstitutionalized and then gradually moves to a lower percentage. These observations are especially applicable at advanced ages where very high proportions of the population are confined.

The admission rates based on total admissions could, theoretically, have been based on the total population, because new admissions could come from those already institutionalized, if they are first discharged before the end of the observation period. This was not done, however, because the emphasis of this report is on nontransfer admissions.

To calculate admission rates, the number of admissions during the oneyear period prior to the date of the interview (in both the resident survey and the discharge survey) is divided by the average exposed population during that period (estimated as the mid-year noninstitutionalized population), resulting in central admission rates. Because the average date of interview was October 11, 1985, the mid-year population is April 12 (182 days earlier). The estimation of this population is discussed in Appendix A.

Three sets of rates were calculated. Each set uses the same population for the denominator, but differs in the number of admissions reflected in the numerator. The first set uses all surveyed admissions, regardless of whether the admission was preceded by a recent discharge from another nursing home (that is, a transfer); this set is labeled "All Stays, Stay Concept." The second set, labeled "All Stays, Benefit Period Concept," excludes admissions for which the patient's residence prior to admission was (1) a Personal Care Facility (PCF), an Intermediate Care Facility (ICF), or a Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF), or (2) any type of health facility and the patient's residence immediately prior to that was a nursing home. The primary application of the second type of exclusion is hospital episodes that interrupt a longer nursing home stay.

According to these criteria, 28 percent of nursing home admissions were transfers from another nursing home. A much higher percentage, 62 percent, of nursing home admissions were transfers from another health facility. Of these, 17 percent were directly from a nursing home (PCF, ICF, or SNF), 72 percent were from short-term general hospitals, and 11 percent were from another type of facility (mostly mental or government). Of those who were admitted from a short-term hospital, roughly 25 percent were in a nursing home before that; that is, these were really continuous nursing home stays.

In the first set of tabulations (under the stay concept), the gross admission rate over all ages and both sexes was 0.53 percent; 0.01 percent under age 30, 0.13 percent for ages 30-64, 2.85 percent for ages 65-84, and 18.99 percent for ages 85 and over. Under age 65 the rates were higher for males than for females, while for ages over 65 the rates were higher (by more than 20 percent) for females than for males. The average length-of-stay was 405 days, ranging from 437 days for ages 30-64 to 400 days for ages 65-84.

Of the 1.249 million admissions tabulated when all admissions were counted, 345,000 were considered transfers, leaving 904,000 admissions in the second set of tabulations, which used the benefit period concept. By excluding transfers, 27.6 percent of the admissions were eliminated from the calculation. There was no significant variation in the reduction by age. By excluding

transfers, the resulting admission rate over all ages and both sexes combined was 0.38 percent; 0.01 percent under age 30, 0.10 percent for ages 30-64, 2.08 percent for ages 65-84, and 13.27 percent for ages 85 and over. Although the average admission rate excluding transfers is 28 percent lower than the total, the average length-of-stay (whose calculation is discussed in Sections C and D) increased by 44 percent from 405 days to 583 days.

Utilization rates based on all admissions from a general population may be much different from those based on covered conditions from an insured population. Rates that are more appropriate for insurance purposes than the total rates from the general population can be obtained by using only those admissions that are for covered conditions. For this report, a third set of utilization rates was calculated, labeled "Insurable Stays, Benefit Period Concept," which excludes those admissions and stays for diagnoses that are indicative of persons (1) who are never insured (congenital malformations, perinatal conditions, and mental retardation) or (2) whose condition is not covered (nonorganic mental disorders and substance abuse).

The insured population can vary greatly from one insurer to another, depending on the marketing strategies and underwriting rules. In addition, claims experience can vary by claims administration procedures. There is no way to adjust general population data to reflect these differences. A possible adjustment in the calculation of the rates, although quite small, would be to subtract from the population in the denominator the number of noncovered admissions that are excluded from the numerator. To the extent that these persons would be excluded from the population anyway (because they are institutionalized), however, this would be an overadjustment. For this report, no adjustment was made to the denominator.

Admissions were excluded only if the patient had no covered diagnosis. Thus, a patient's record was included in the calculations if his or her primary diagnosis was for a mental condition but he or she had a secondary condition of hypertensive heart disease. In general, the exclusion process can be described as one in which only those who clearly would not be covered by insurance were excluded. Most insurance companies should be able to obtain a stronger effect through underwriting and claims administration.

The exclusions in this analysis resulted in a 6 percent decrease in admission rates and a 5 percent decrease in the average length-of-stay. The effect was the strongest at the youngest ages. For the age group 30-64, the decrease in the admission rates was 18 percent and the decrease in the average length-of-stay was 8 percent. For the age group 85 and over, the decrease in the

admission rates was 4 percent and in the average length-of-stay was only 1 percent.

The admission rates calculated from the survey data by single year of age were smoothed by using a Whittaker-Henderson Type B graduation formula with the corresponding population at each age as the weights. With this graduation formula, the graduated rates times the population reproduces the actual total number of admissions and the actual average age at admission. The admission rate of an age group, however, such as for ages 65–74, is not necessarily preserved. Also, the graduated rates were modified slightly at the high ages (that is, over age 100), where the graduated rate was not allowed to go more than 25 percent of the distance from the rate at the previous age to 100 percent. The graduated rates are shown in Tables 1–3.

#### B. Prevalence Rates

Another measure of utilization often found in the literature is the prevalence rate. Whereas the incidence rate is the rate of admission over a one-year period for the exposed population, the prevalence rate is the fraction of the total population that is resident in a nursing home at a point in time. Thus, the prevalence rate differs from the incidence rate in both the numerator and the denominator. The numerator of the prevalence rate is the number of residents on a particular day. In the 1985 NNHS, this was, on average, October 11, 1985. The denominator is the total population (including the institutionalized) on that same date. For the calculation of incidence rates from the NNHS, the denominator is the noninstitutionalized population 182 days earlier (April 12, 1985).

The number of nursing home residents by age and sex, and the corresponding prevalence rates, both ungraduated and graduated, are shown in Table 4. The rates are very small under age 45, where less than 1 person per 1000 is confined in a nursing home, for both males and females. After age 65, the rates increase almost exponentially, practically doubling every 5 years between age 65 and 90. The rates for females are generally much higher than the rates for males. For every 1000 males in the population, 6 are confined at age 65, 48 at age 80, and 258 at age 95. For every 1000 females in the population, 8 are confined at age 65, 73 at age 80, and 368 at age 95. It is estimated that more than 50 percent of those over age 100 are confined in nursing homes.

Many analysts of the NNHS have related incidence rates and prevalence rates. They observe that the incidence rate times the average length-of-stay

TABLE 1

MALE ADMISSIONS, ADMISSION RATES, AND AVERAGE LENGTH-OF-STAY (GRADUATED)
FROM THE 1985 NNHS

		All Stays Stay Concept		Benef	All Stays			surable Stay	
	Admis	<u> </u>	Average	Admis		Average	Admis	sions	Average
Age	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay
< 30	11,828	.01%	417	9,968	.01%	941	6,116	.01%	825
30 31 32 33 34	1,215 1,215 1,164 1,085 1,004	.06 .06 .06 .05	419 419 419 418 418	977 946 864 751 639	.05 .04 .04 .04 .03	947 945 942 939 934	273 234 198 172 162	.01 .01 .01 .01	830 828 825 822 818
35 36 37 38 39	951 964 1,042 1,150 995	.05 .05 .06 .06	417 416 414 412 410	564 562 632 752 708	.03 .03 .03 .04 .05	928 920 912 902 892	172 208 269 351 358	.01 .01 .01 .02 .02	813 807 800 793 785
40 41 42 43 44	1,134 1,302 1,512 1,555 1,686	.08 .09 .10 .12 .13	408 405 402 399 396	879 1,091 1,352 1,460 1,633	.06 .07 .09 .11 .13	880 869 856 844 832	490 684 947 1,115 1,322	.03 .05 .06 .08 .10	776 767 757 748 738
45 46 47 48 49	1,835 1,976 2,018 1,961 1,938	.15 .16 .17 .17 .17	393 389 386 384 381	1,800 1,933 1,935 1,811 1,693	.15 .16 .16 .16 .15	821 812 804 798 793	1,512 1,657 1,677 1,579 1,483	.12 .14 .14 .14 .13	729 720 712 705 699
50 51 52 53 54	1,923 1,898 1,982 2,174 2,438	.17 .18 .19 .20	379 378 377 376 376	1,565 1,433 1,402 1,477 1,638	.14 .13 .13 .14 .15	791 790 790 791 792	1,384 1,288 1,287 1,382 1,551	.13 .12 .12 .13 .14	693 689 685 681 678
55 56 57 58 59	2,727 3,018 3,352 3,580 3,837	.24 .27 .30 .33 .36	376 377 378 379 380	1,852 2,092 2,371 2,569 2,773	.17 .19 .21 .24 .26	793 792 790 785 777	1,754 1,964 2,191 2,328 2,464	.16 .18 .20 .22 .23	674 670 666 660 653
60 61 62 63 64	4,166 4,349 4,488 4,787 4,910	.39 .42 .44 .47 .50	382 383 385 386 386	3,008 3,117 3,176 3,330 3,351	.28 .30 .31 .33 .34	767 753 735 715 692	2,628 2,691 2,726 2,860 2,896	.24 .26 .27 .28 .30	644 634 622 608 593
65 66 67 68 69	5,024 5,378 6,056 6,762 7,738	.55 .62 .72 .86 1.05	386 385 382 379 373	3,364 3,543 3,953 4,412 5,088	.37 .41 .47 .56 .69	667 641 614 587 561	2,941 3,151 3,590 4,096 4,816	.32 .36 .43 .52 .65	577 561 543 525 507

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		All Stays Stay Concept		Bene	All Stays fit Period Con	cept		nsurable Stays fit Period Cor	
Ì	Admis	ssions	Average	Admis	ssions	Average	Admis	sions	Average
Age	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay
70 71 72 73 74	9,014 10,422 11,864 13,250 14,502	1.28% 1.57 1.90 2.28 2.71	367 358 348 338 326	6,011 7,074 8,198 9,301 10,309	.85% 1.06 1.31 1.60 1.92	535 510 486 463 441	5,776 6,868 8,010 9,120 10,126	.82% 1.03 1.28 1.57 1.89	489 471 453 436 419
75 76 77 78 79	15,570 16,370 16,927 17,238 17,135	3.17 3.67 4.20 4.76 5.36	315 304 295 287 282	11,171 11,820 12,273 12,537 12,501	2.27 2.65 3.04 3.46 3.91	422 405 390 379 370	10,978 11,611 12,044 12,285 12,227	2.24 2.60 2.99 3.39 3.82	404 390 378 369 361
80 81 82 83	17,019 16,491 16,019 15,364 14,777	6.00 6.69 7.46 8.33 9.31	278 277 278 280 284	12,465 12,138 11,862 11,452 11,087	4.39 4.93 5.53 6.21 6.99	365 362 361 361 363	12,164 11,814 11,512 11,079 10,688	4.29 4.80 5.36 6.00 6.73	356 353 352 352 353
85 86 87 88	14,030 13,154 12,050 10,888 9,660	10.44 11.74 13.23 14.93 16.86	288 292 296 299 302	10,585 9,966 9,150 8,271 7,327	7.88 8.90 10.05 11.34 12.79	365 368 370 371 371	10,170 9,543 8,737 7,880 6,970	7.57 8.52 9.60 10.81 12.16	355 356 358 358 357
90 91 92 93 94	8,981 7,908 6,947 5,724 4,450	19.01 21.41 24.07 26.98 30.17	303 303 301 298 294	6,791 5,955 5,206 4,267 3,299	14.38 16.12 18.03 20.11 22.37	369 366 361 354 345	6,457 5,663 4,957 4,070 3,155	13.67 15.33 17.17 19.19 21.39	355 352 346 339 331
95 96 97 98 99	3,589 2,863 2,190 1,502 1,192	33.64 37.38 41.41 45.72 50.32	289 282 274 266 256	2,648 2,103 1,602 1,096 866	24.82 27.46 30.30 33.34 36.59	335 323 310 295 279	2,539 2,022 1,546 1,060 841	23.80 26.41 29.23 32.27 35.52	321 309 296 281 265
100 101 102 103 104	577 363 224 134 80	55.20 60.36 65.81 71.54 77.55	246 235 223 210 196	419 263 162 97 58	40.04 43.70 47.56 51.63 55.90	261 243 223 202 180	408 256 158 95 57	38.99 42.67 46.57 50.69 55.02	249 230 211 191 169
105 106 107 108 109	46 25 14 7 4 2	83.16 87.37 90.53 92.90 94.67 96.00	182 167 151 150 150 150	33 19 10 5 3 2	60.38 65.06 69.95 75.04 80.34 85.25	156 150 150 150 150 150	33 19 10 5 3 2	59.57 64.34 69.32 74.52 79.93 84.95	150 150 150 150 150 150
30–64 65–84 85+	77,333 252,919 106,603	0.07 2.44 16.44	388 313 294	58,136 180,557 80,203	0.06 1.74 12.37	800 427 359	46,255 174,897 76,657	0.04 1.69 11.82	678 404 346
Total	448,682	0.38%	324	328,865	0.28%	492	303,925	0.26%	440

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} TABLE\ 2 \\ Female\ Admissions,\ Admission\ Rates,\ and\ Average\ Length-of-Stay\ (Graduated) \\ From\ the\ 1985\ NNHS \\ \end{tabular}$ 

		All Stays Stay Concept		Renet	All Stays	ncent		surable Stay	
	Admis	<u> </u>	Average	Admis		Average	Admis		Average
Age	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay
< 30	4,245	.00%	438	3,912	.00%	908	1,868	.00%	1,096
30 31 32 33 34	352 377 407 441 473	.02 .02 .02 .02 .02	431 429 427 425 423	357 359 350 334 313	.02 .02 .02 .02 .02	898 899 901 904 908	104 125 148 170 189	.00 .01 .01 .01	1,098 1,101 1,105 1,109 1,114
35 36 37 38 39	499 528 552 556 439	.03 .03 .03 .03 .03	421 420 418 417 416	295 295 312 340 296	.02 .02 .02 .02 .02	914 920 927 936 945	207 233 267 306 274	.01 .01 .01 .02 .02	1,120 1,125 1,132 1,138 1,144
40 41 42 43 44	457 494 554 573 641	.03 .03 .04 .04 .05	416 416 418 420 423	336 379 423 418 440	.02 .03 .03 .03	956 967 979 991 1,004	313 352 389 378 390	.02 .02 .03 .03	1,150 1,156 1,162 1,166 1,170
45 46 47 48 49	735 849 941 992 1,054	.06 .07 .08 .09 .09	427 433 439 447 455	477 530 579 616 676	.04 .04 .05 .05 .06	1,017 1,029 1,040 1,051 1,059	414 451 487 515 564	.03 .04 .04 .04 .05	1,172 1,172 1,171 1,167 1,162
50 51 52 53 54	1,104 1,132 1,207 1,323 1,462	.10 .10 .11 .12 .13	464 474 484 493 503	743 804 901 1,025 1,157	.07 .07 .08 .09	1,066 1,071 1,074 1,073 1,070	618 665 740 838 941	.05 .06 .07 .07	1,153 1,143 1,129 1,113 1,094
55 56 57 58 59	1,611 1,810 2,081 2,374 2,773	.14 .15 .18 .20 .24	511 518 523 526 526	1,279 1,421 1,597 1,773 2,020	.11 .12 .13 .15	1,063 1,053 1,039 1,021 1,000	1,039 1,158 1,313 1,484 1,736	.09 .10 .11 .13 .15	1,073 1,049 1,024 996 966
60 61 62 63 64	3,344 3,966 4,713 5,745 6,684	.28 .34 .41 .50 .60	525 521 514 507 498	2,394 2,825 3,379 4,179 4,949	.20 .24 .30 .36 .45	975 947 917 885 853	2,124 2,579 3,142 3,912 4,628	.18 .22 .27 .34 .42	936 904 872 839 808
65 66 67 68 69	7,629 8,773 10,119 11,220 12,276	.72 .86 1.01 1.16 1.32	488 478 469 461 455	5,751 6,712 7,821 8,708 9,509	.54 .66 .78 .90 1.02	821 790 762 737 715	5,351 6,214 7,222 8,051 8,830	.51 .61 .72 .83 .95	778 750 725 703 684

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		All Stays Stay Concept		Bene	All Stays fit Period Co	ncent		nsurable Stay	
	Admi	ssions	Average	<del> </del>	ssions	Average	†	ssions	Average
Age	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay
70	13,506	1.49%	449	10,391	1.15%	697	9,713	1.07%	669
71	14,740	1.68	446	11,232	1.28	683	10,583	1.21	656
72	16,049	1.90	444	12,108	1.44	671	11,498	1.36	646
73	17,559	2.18	443	13,139	1.63	662	12,557	1.56	639
74	19,368	2.53	442	14,420	1.89	655	13,839	1.81	633
75	21,518	2.98	443	15,985	2.22	650	15,374	2.13	628
76	24,030	3.54	444	17,842	2.63	646	17,173	2.53	624
77	26,694	4.22	445	19,819	3.14	642	19,082	3.02	621
78	29,561	5.02	446	21,935	3.73	638	21,124	3.59	618
79	31,812	5.95	448	23,568	4.41	634	22,701	4.24	615
80	34,404	6.99	448	25,418	5.16	630	24,487	4.97	612
81	35,974	8.15	449	26,465	6.00	625	25,497	5.78	609
82	37,573	9.44	450	27,472	6.90	618	26,466	6.65	604
83	38,480	10.85	450	27,905	7.87	611	26,879	7.58	599
84	38,730	12.38	451	27,801	8.89	603	26,772	8.56	594
85	38,376	14.03	451	27,228	9.95	594	26,206	9.58	588
86	37,311	15.77	451	26,145	11.05	585	25,143	10.63	583
87	34,848	17.60	451	24,112	12.18	577	23,161	11.70	577
88	32,949	19.46	450	22,523	13.30	569	21,601	12.76	571
89	28,655	21.34	449	19,369	14.42	562	18,539	13.80	566
90 91 92 93	25,385 21,858 19,036 15,223 11,532	23.19 24.99 26.72 28.36 29.91	447 444 440 436 430	16,987 14,501 12,536 9,964 7,513	15.52 16.58 17.60 18.57 19.49	556 550 544 539 534	16,224 13,817 11,919 9,455 7,117	14.82 15.80 16.73 17.62 18.46	561 556 550 544 538
95	8,567	31.36	424	5,562	20.36	528	5,263	19.26	532
96	6,342	32.70	417	4,110	21.19	523	3,885	20.03	525
97	4,498	33.94	409	2,913	21.99	518	2,753	20.78	518
98	3,079	35.08	401	1,998	22.76	513	1,888	21.51	510
99	1,968	36.12	393	1,281	23.51	508	1,211	22.24	503
100	1,212	37.08	385	793	24.27	503	751	22.97	496
101	823	37.96	377	543	25.03	498	515	23.73	488
102	547	38.77	369	364	25.81	494	346	24.52	481
103	356	39.50	361	239	26.61	489	228	25.34	473
104	225	40.18	353	154	27.43	485	147	26.20	466
105 106 107 108 109	139 84 49 28 16 8	40.79 41.34 41.83 42.26 42.62 42.93	344 336 328 320 311 303	97 60 36 21 12 6	28.29 29.17 30.09 31.04 32.01 33.02	480 476 472 467 463 459	93 57 34 20 12 6	27.10 28.05 29.04 30.07 31.15 32.27	458 450 443 435 427 419
30–64	53,243	0.03	491	38,574	0.02	966	33,194	0.02	976
65–84	450,017	3.14	450	334,000	2.33	651	319,412	2.23	630
85 +	293,114	20.14	444	199,065	13.68	563	190,390	13.08	564
Total	800,618	0.66%	450	575,552	0.48%	643	544,865	0.45%	630

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} TABLE~3\\ Total~Admissions,~Admission~Rates,~and~Average~Length-of-Stay~(Graduated)\\ from~the~1985~NNHS\\ \end{tabular}$ 

	All Stays Stay Concept			Benef	All Stays it Period Cor	ncept		surable Stays	
	Admiss		Average Length	Admi		Average Length	Admis		Average Length
Age < 30	Number 15,923	.01%	of Stay 418	Number 13,725	.01%	of Stay 886	7,922	.01%	of Stay
30	1,591 1,638	.01% .04 .04	418 418 418	1,380 1,377	.03	885 884	376 364	.01 % .01 .01	910 909
32	1,610	.04	418	1,278	.03	882	355	.01	907
33	1,542	.04	417	1,115	.03	881	354	.01	905
34	1,472	.04	417	943	.02	879	365	.01	903
35	1,438	.04	417	824	.02	877	398	.01	899
36	1,489	.04	416	819	.02	875	464	.01	895
37	1,609	.04	416	922	.02	872	559	.01	891
38	1,731	.05	415	1,089	.03	870	663	.02	886
39	1,445	.05	415	1,006	.03	867	610	.02	881
4()	1,570	.05	415	1,197	.04	865	748	.03	875
	1,729	.06	415	1,419	.05	864	953	.03	869
	1,967	.07	415	1,701	.06	862	1,250	.04	863
	2,053	.08	415	1,829	.07	862	1,450	.05	857
	2,309	.09	416	2,077	.08	862	1,732	.07	851
45 46 47 48 49	2,627 2,940 3,081 3,032 3,013	.11 .12 .13 .13 .13	417 418 420 422 425	2,350 2,585 2,635 2,499 2,380	.10 .11 .11 .11	863 865 868 872 877	2,012 2,236 2,281 2,156 2,044	.08 .09 .10 .09	846 841 836 833 830
50 51 52 53 54	2,995 2,968 3,115 3,427 3,847	.13 .14 .14 .15 .17	428 431 435 438 442	2,262 2,156 2,208 2,414 2,734	.10 .10 .10 .11 .12	883 889 895 900 904	1,944 1,868 1,937 2,145 2,451	.09 .09 .09 .10	827 825 823 821 819
55	4,308	.19	445	3,111	.14	907	2,794	.12	815
56	4,828	.21	448	3,537	.16	906	3,158	.14	810
57	5,450	.24	450	4,021	.17	903	3,552	.15	804
58	5,977	.26	451	4,401	.19	896	3,848	.17	795
59	6,634	.30	452	4,837	.22	885	4,211	.19	784
60	7,536	.33	451	5,426	.24	869	4,746	.21	771
61	8,345	.38	450	5,943	.27	850	5,263	.24	755
62	9,225	.43	448	6,534	.30	827	5,871	.27	737
63	10,539	.49	445	7,471	.34	801	6,784	.31	718
64	11,588	.56	441	8,269	.40	773	7,543	.36	697
65	12,650	.64	438	9,112	.46	744	8,314	.42	676
66	14,176	.75	434	10,300	.55	716	9,400	.50	656
67	16,248	.88	430	11,875	.64	690	10,873	.59	636
68	18,074	1.03	426	13,232	.76	665	12,207	.70	619
69	20,097	1.21	422	14,684	.88	644	13,689	.82	603

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		All Stays		T	All Stays		1	nsurable Stays	
		Stay Concept		Bene	fit Period Cor	ncept		fit Period Cor	
	Admis	sions	Average	Admi	ssions	Average	Admi	ssions	Average
Age	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay	Number	Rate	Length of Stay
70 71 72 73	22,542 25,084 27,734 30,578 33,657	1.40% 1.63 1.89 2.21 2.59	418 414 411 406 402	16,413 18,219 20,139 22,247 24,573	1.02% 1.18 1.37 1.61 1.89	625 609 596 583 573	15,478 17,370 19,370 21,525 23,843	.96% 1.13 1.32 1.55 1.83	590 577 567 557 549
75 76 77 78 79	36,955 40,391 43,745 47,029 49,226	3.05 3.59 4.22 4.95 5.76	398 395 392 390 388	27,084 29,689 32,204 34,632 36,233	2.23 2.64 3.11 3.64 4.24	564 556 549 544 539	26,293 28,802 31,209 33,529 35,054	2.17 2.56 3.01 3.53 4.10	542 535 530 526 522
80 81 82 83	51,669 52,616 53,617 53,750 53,371	6.66 7.65 8.75 9.97 11.32	388 389 392 394 398	38,001 38,654 39,311 39,275 38,801	4.90 5.62 6.42 7.28 8.23	536 533 530 527 524	36,745 37,358 37,973 37,913 37,421	4.74 5.43 6.20 7.03 7.93	520 518 517 515 514
85 86 87 88	52,261 50,343 46,838 43,750 38,318	12.81 14.44 16.20 18.06 20.00	401 405 408 410 411	37,741 36,069 33,269 30,801 26,743	9.25 10.35 11.51 12.72 13.96	521 518 515 511 508	36,353 34,685 31,928 29,491 25,542	8.91 9.95 11.04 12.18 13.33	513 512 510 508 506
90 91 92 93	34,445 29,837 26,023 20,965 15,982	21.98 23.98 25.99 28.00 29.99	410 408 405 400 394	23,843 20,498 17,758 14,225 10,795	15.21 16.48 17.74 19.00 20.25	504 500 495 489 483	22,718 19,492 16,862 13,496 10,240	14.50 15.67 16.84 18.02 19.21	502 498 493 487 480
95 96 97 98	12,138 9,169 6,639 4,549 3,094	31.95 33.90 35.82 37.71 39.59	387 380 372 364 356	8,173 6,164 4,463 3,064 2,091	21.51 22.79 24.08 25.40 26.75	476 468 460 452 444	7,757 5,857 4,249 2,923 2,001	20.42 21.65 22.92 24.23 25.59	472 463 454 445 435
100 101 102 103 104	1,788 1,199 790 511 325	41.44 43.29 45.13 46.97 48.81	349 341 333 326 319	1,215 821 545 357 229	28.16 29.63 31.17 32.77 34.45	436 427 419 411 403	1,166 790 527 346 223	27.02 28.53 30.11 31.79 33.56	425 415 406 396 386
105 106 107 108 109	202 122 72 42 24 13	50.66 52.50 54.35 56.20 58.06 59.92	312 305 299 293 287 281	144 89 53 31 18 10	36.21 38.04 39.96 41.95 44.02 46.17	394 386 378 370 362 354	141 87 52 31 18 10	35.42 37.37 39.42 41.56 43.80 46.14	377 367 357 348 338 328
30-64 65-84 85 +	130,666 703,210 399,440	0.13 2.85 18.99	437 400 403	96,753 514,678 279,207	0.10 2.08 13.27	861 567 504	79,482 494,368 266,985	0.08 2.00 12.69	792 544 499
Total	1,249,239	0.53%	405	904,364	0.38%	583	848,757	0.36%	556

TABLE 4

Nursing Home Residents and Prevalence Rates as of October 11, 1985 from the 1985 NNHS by Age and Sex

		Ma	ile		Female				Total			
	Ungrae	duated	Grad	luated	Ungradu	ated	Gra	duated	Ungradu	ated	Gra	duated
Age	Residents	Rate	Rate	Residents	Residents	Rate	Rate	Residents	Residents	Rate	Rate	Residents
<30	7,128	.01%	.01%	8,325	3,580	.01%	.01%	3,964	10,708	.01%	.01%	12,289
30 31 32 33	1,173 1,826 1,854 1,777 2,057	.05 .08 .09 .09 .10	.05 .06 .06 .06	1,156 1,218 1,256 1,274 1,275	739 1,013 352 658 1,059	.03 .05 .02 .03 .05	.03 .03 .03 .04 .04	540 590 641 696 758	1,912 2,839 2,206 2,435 3,116	.04 .07 .05 .06 .08	.04 .04 .05 .05	1,696 1,808 1,897 1,970 2,033
35 36 37 38	293 0	.04 .02 .00 .04 .12	.07 .07 .07 .07 .07	1,255 1,257 1,266 1,353 1,124	554 929 1,300 437 1,738	.03 .05 .07 .02 .11	.04 .05 .05 .06 .07	818 901 996 1,159 1,054	1,252 1,222 1,300 1,319 3,633	.03 .03 .04 .03 .11	.05 .06 .06 .06 .07	2,074 2,159 2,263 2,513 2,178
40 41 42 43	3,762 1,624 0 473 494	.26 .11 .00 .03 .04	.07 .07 .08 .08 .09	1,045 1,079 1,162 1,135 1,125	761 1,399 1,142 292 1,804	.05 .09 .07 .02 .14	.07 .08 .09 .09	1,062 1,174 1,329 1,338 1,327	4,523 3,023 1,142 765 2,298	.15 .10 .04 .03 .09	.07 .08 .08 .09 .09	2,107 2,253 2,491 2,473 2,452
45 46 47 48 49	1,386 1,541 874 1,447 934	.11 .13 .07 .13 .08	.09 .11 .12 .14 .16	1,179 1,293 1,444 1,579 1,754	1,009 1,371 2,703 2,167 1,200	.08 .11 .22 .19	.11 .11 .12 .12 .13	1,347 1,396 1,446 1,455 1,491	2,395 2,912 3,577 3,614 2,134	.10 .12 .15 .16 .09	.10 .11 .12 .13 .14	2,526 2,689 2,890 3,034 3,244
50 51 52 53 54	3,134 2,097 1,115 2,694 2,539	.28 .19 .10 .25 .23	.18 .20 .22 .24 .26	1,971 2,145 2,340 2,601 2,893	2,138 977 2,042 1,231 2,902	.19 .09 .19 .11 .25	.14 .15 .16 .17 .19	1,556 1,607 1,718 1,926 2,219	5,272 3,074 3,157 3,925 5,441	.23 .14 .15 .18 .24	.16 .17 .19 .21 .23	3,528 3,752 4,057 4,526 5,112
55 56 57 58 59	5,175 3,940 5,294 1,691 4,311	.46 .35 .47 .15 .40	.28 .30 .32 .34 .36	3,158 3,359 3,587 3,732 3,867	1,756 2,900 2,303 2,607 5,848	.15 .25 .19 .22 .50	.22 .25 .29 .34 .39	2,553 2,945 3,455 3,985 4,545	6,931 6,840 7,597 4,298 10,159	.30 .30 .33 .19 .45	.25 .28 .31 .34 .37	5,711 6,305 7,042 7,717 8,412

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		Ma	ılc			Fen	nale		Total			
	Ungra	duated	Grad	luated	Ungradi	ated	Gra	duated	Ungradi	iated	Gra	duated
Age	Residents	Rate	Rate	Residents	Residents	Rate	Rate	Residents	Residents	Rate	Rate	Residents
60 61 62 63	3,089 3,042 4,743 6,796 6,234	.29% .29 .46 .66 .62	.39% .41 .45 .49 .55	4,141 4,404 4,612 5,050 5,463	2,932 6,707 6,495 6,082 10,339	.25% .57 .56 .53 .91	.44% .50 .56 .63 .70	5,258 5,946 6,515 7,286 7,927	6,021 9,749 11,238 12,878 16,573	.27% .43 .52 .59 .78	.42% .46 .51 .57 .63	9,399 10,351 11,127 12,336 13,390
65 66 67 68	4,775 4,066 8,623 6,899 6,527	.51 .46 1.01 .85 .86	.61 .69 .78 .89 1.02	5,738 6,066 6,670 7,211 7,750	9,390 10,065 8,824 9,012 14,607	.87 .97 .86 .91 1.54	.77 .85 .94 1.05 1.18	8,350 8,827 9,600 10,368 11,174	14,165 14,131 17,447 15,911 21,134	.70 .74 .93 .88 1.24	.70 .78 .87 .98 1.11	14,088 14,893 16,270 17,579 18,923
70 71 72 73	9,407 7,723 9,883 14,109 9,055	1.31 1.13 1.53 2.34 1.62	1.17 1.35 1.56 1.80 2.07	8,453 9,240 10,034 10,805 11,529	10,783 18,572 17,475 17,314 15,730	1.17 2.06 2.01 2.07 1.97	1.34 1.54 1.80 2.12 2.52	12,352 13,865 15,649 17,721 20,111	20,190 26,295 27,358 31,423 24,785	1.23 1.66 1.81 2.18 1.83	1.27 1.46 1.69 1.98 2.33	20,805 23,105 25,683 28,526 31,640
75 76 77 78 79	13,383 13,534 16,070 13,459 13,461	2.61 2.88 3.77 3.51 3.92	2.38 2.74 3.15 3.62 4.15	12,222 12,856 13,413 13,893 14,259	25,128 27,270 26,271 32,224 36,039	3.31 3.79 3.88 5.08 6.10	3.01 3.61 4.32 5.16 6.14	22,852 25,928 29,232 32,730 36,265	38,511 40,804 42,341 45,683 49,500	3.03 3.43 3.84 4.49 5.30	2.76 3.26 3.87 4.58 5.41	35,074 38,783 42,645 46,622 50,523
80 81 82 83	16,145 15,667 14,102 12,387 13,588	5.29 5.84 6.02 6.08 7.68	4.76 5.45 6.23 7.10 8.08	14,539 14,623 14,601 14,461 14,296	41,043 41,674 46,651 45,121 48,736	7.51 8.30 10.18 10.82 12.94	7.26 8.53 9.94 11.50 13.20	39,679 42,784 45,564 47,953 49,702	57,188 57,341 60,753 57,508 62,324	6.71 7.45 8.77 9.27 11.26	6.36 7.45 8.68 10.06 11.56	54,218 57,407 60,165 62,414 63,998
85 86 87 88 89	14,165 9,603 9,974 11,254 9,055	9.35 7.50 9.34 13.03 13.11	9.16 10.36 11.67 13.08 14.61	13,888 13,273 12,452 11,299 10,086	45,675 42,947 51,918 45,475 50,804	13.55 14.37 19.91 20.22 26.62	15.04 16.99 19.05 21.19 23.40	50,697 50,775 49,682 47,663 44,650	52,550 61,892 56,729	12.24 12.31 16.84 18.22 23.03	13.22 15.00 16.90 18.94 21.06	64,584 64,047 62,134 58,962 54,736

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=		Ma	ıle			Fen	nale		Total			
	Ungra	duated	Grac	luated	Ungradi	ated	Gra	duated	Ungradi	ated	Gra	duated
Age	Residents	Rate	Rate	Residents	Residents	Rate	Rate	Residents	Residents	Rate	Rate	Residents
90 91 92 93 94	10,277 9,648 8,862 9,201 3,381	17.68% 20.19 23.38 31.98 16.38	16.24% 17.97 19.80 21.71 23.72	9,441 8,588 7,505 6,246 4,894	41,008 44,358 34,092 27,306 24,655	25.29% 32.60 30.70 31.09 36.38	25.65% 27.92 30.19 32.44 34.66	41,595 37,991 33,523 28,493 23,492	51,285 54,006 42,954 36,507 28,036	23.28% 29.37 28.84 31.31 31.71	23.17% 25.33 27.54 29.80 32.11	51,036 46,579 41,027 34,740 28,386
95 96 97 98	6,014 3,572 2,299 992 811	39.41 31.92 28.24 18.45 19.91	25.80 27.97 30.22 32.54 34.93	3,938 3,130 2,460 1,749 1,423	22,066 15,957 10,321 6,466 4,932	42.43 38.58 35.35	36.84 38.95 40.99 42.96 44.85	18,633 14,650 10,966 7,859 6,309	28,080 19,529 12,620 7,458 5,743	40.02 36.17	34.28 36.43 38.48 40.60 42.63	22,571 17,779 13,426 9,609 7,732
100 101 102 103 104	1,481 190 261 0 384	65.21 12.28 25.17 .00 86.88	37.41 39.95 42.57 45.27 48.03	849 618 441 308 212	5,951 3,198 1,167 1,922 566	63.23 47.95 25.18 60.84 26.86	46.66 48.37 49.99 51.52 52.96	4,391 3,226 2,317 1,628 1,116	7,432 3,388 1,428 1,922 950	63.61 41.24 25.18 50.07 37.27	44.86 46.78 48.64 50.41 52.11	5,241 3,844 2,758 1,935 1,328
105 106 107 108 109	297 0 0 0 0 0	.00 .00 .00 .00 .00 .00	50.87 53.79 56.77 59.83 62.97 66.17	142 93 60 37 23 13	262	34.67 29.94 47.79 .00 .00	54.30 55.55 56.70 57.76 58.72 59.59	746 486 307 189 113 65	773 262 259 0 0	46.76 25.00 39.97 .00 .00	53.72 55.26 56.71 58.09 59.40 60.61	888 579 368 226 137 78
30–64 65–84 85 + Total	80,884 222,863 111,721 422,596	0.16 2.07 14.22 0.35%	0.16 2.07 14.40 0.35%	78,550 222,659 113,171 422,705	79,886 501,929 481,781 1,067,176	0.16 3.32 23.45 0.87%	0.16 3.32 23.44 0.87%	80,962 500,705 481,560 1,067,191	160,770 724,792 593,502 1,489,772	0.16 2.80 20.90 0.62%	0.16 2.80 20.94 0.62%	159,512 723,364 594,731 1,489,896

produces a rate with the same units of measure as the prevalence rate, as follows:

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(residents admitted per year)/(population) * (average years of residence)
= (residents)/(population)
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Using this relationship, analysts have often tabulated two of these factors and then calculated the third. Among these factors, the prevalence rate can be estimated most accurately from the NNHS; the admission rates are second; and average lengths-of-stay are the least accurate. The prevalence rate is accurate because it is based on a count of the current number of residents, which is precisely the purpose of the Current Resident Survey.

The relationship between incidence rates and prevalence rates is much more complicated than implied by this equation. A more rigorous analysis of the relationship between incidence rates and prevalence rates should take into account several other factors. First, as noted earlier, the populations used in calculating the two rates are different. Thus, the relationship should include a factor (on the left side of the equation) that is equal to the population used in the incidence rate calculation divided by the population used in the prevalence rate calculation. Because this factor is unitless, its need is often not recognized.

Second, the resident population is not made up of admissions in the current year, but of admissions over all prior years. To obtain an estimate of current residents, the admissions in past years should be multiplied by the probability that they are still residents on the date on which prevalence is measured. The number of admissions in past years reflects changes through time in admission rates and the size of the population. The approximation does not reflect these trends; thus, the accuracy of the estimate depends on the stability of admission rates and the population through time. In addition, the probability of a past admission still being a resident depends on the distribution by length-of-stay for each prior age through time, whereas the approximation relies on the average length-of-stay for the current age in the current year. In general, the incidence rate times the average length-of-stay does not accurately reflect the number of current residents with long stays. To the extent that the population is growing and admission rates are increasing, the incidence rate times the average length-of-stay will overestimate the prevalence rate.

Nevertheless, this relationship is a useful concept, because the average length-of-stay is only about one and one-half years. Thus, the distortions resulting from the inaccurate estimate of current residents with long stays

are small. Similarly, the difference between the total population and the noninstitutionalized population is small except for advanced ages. If it is impossible to obtain an accurate measure of one factor, then the relationship can be used to roughly estimate the third. Many analysts use the relationship to estimate the average length-of-stay, which is the most difficult to obtain from the data. The use of this relationship generally results in an underestimate of the average length-of-stay. Because the NCHS publishes data on prevalence rates and average lengths-of-stay, some analysts use it to estimate incidence rates. In this report, however, each of the three factors (admission rate, prevalence rate, and average length-of-stay) was tabulated independently.

The relationship was used as a check for reasonableness. This check was done for the two sets of rates using all stays (under the stay concept and the benefit period concept), but not for the rates for insurable stays. The results of this comparison are shown in Table 5. In general, the relationship based on the rates under the stay concept seems to be closer than that based on the benefit period concept. This is to be expected, because the shorter the average length-of-stay, the more accurate the approximation.

### C. Discharge Rates

The distribution by length-of-stay was obtained by a mortality table construction method, in which the period of observation was the one-year period ending with the date of the interview. Each record in both the discharge survey and the resident survey was tabulated by age at admission (summarized into seven age groups) and duration since admission or duration at discharge. Durations were grouped as follows: For the first 30 days, by day; for the second through the 60th month, by month; from the sixth through the 15th year, by year. (Results for each of the first 30 days are not shown in the attached tables.) Discharge rates were not calculated for durations of more than 15 years because of the sparsity of data. The calculations were performed independently for males, females, and males and females combined, as well as for all stays under the stay concept, all stays under the benefit period concept, and insurable stays under the benefit period concept.

The contribution of each record to the exposure in the study was determined as the difference between (1) the earlier of the date of discharge or the date of the interview and (2) the later of the date of admission or one year prior to the date of the interview. The exposure was not adjusted to include the time from discharge to the end of the observation period, as would be done under the Balducci Hypothesis. If the total contribution to

TABLE 5

Comparison of Prevalence Rates and Admission Rates from the 1985 NNHS

				Stays Concept		All Stays Benefit Period Concept			
Age	Prevalence Rate (1)	Admission Rate (2)	ALOS (Year) (3)	Estimated Prevalence (2)*(3)	(2)*(3) /(1)	Admission Rate (4)	ALOS (Year) (5)	Estimated Prevalence (4)*(5)	(4)*(5) /(1)
<30	.01%	.01%	1.15	.02%	149.19%	.01%	2.43	.03%	272.22%
30 31 32 33 34	.04 .04 .05 .05 .05	.04 .04 .04 .04 .04	1.15 1.15 1.14 1.14 1.14	.04 .05 .05 .04 .04	109.45 105.85 99.20 91.36 84.63	.03 .03 .03 .03 .02	2.42 2.42 2.42 2.41 2.41	.08 .08 .08 .07 .06	200.83 188.23 166.35 139.49 114.24
35 36 37 38	.05 .06 .06 .06 .07	.04 .04 .04 .05 .05	1.14 1.14 1.14 1.14 1.14	.04 .05 .05 .05 .06	80.55 79.36 80.40 82.19 83.60	.02 .02 .02 .03 .03	2.40 2.40 2.39 2.38 2.38	.05 .05 .06 .07 .08	97.20 91.66 96.69 108.32 121.68
40 41 42 43	.07 .08 .08 .09 .09	.05 .06 .07 .08 .09	1.14 1.14 1.14 1.14 1.14	.06 .07 .07 .09 .10	84.65 86.48 91.21 99.79 110.84	.04 .05 .06 .07 .08	2.37 2.37 2.36 2.36 2.36	.10 .11 .13 .16 .19	134.62 147.75 163.95 184.42 206.49
45 46 47 48 49	.10 .11 .12 .13 .14	.11 .12 .13 .13	1.14 1.15 1.15 1.16 1.16	.12 .14 .15 .15	121.18 126.74 125.09 117.99 109.00	.10 .11 .11 .11	2.36 2.37 2.38 2.39 2.40	.23 .25 .26 .26 .25	224.21 230.26 220.96 200.84 177.69
50 51 52 53	.16 .17 .19 .21 .23	.13 .14 .14 .15 .17	1.17 1.18 1.19 1.20 1.21	.16 .16 .17 .19 .21	100.87 94.94 91.38 90.05 90.51	.10 .10 .10 .11 .12	2.42 2.44 2.45 2.47 2.48	.25 .24 .25 .27 .30	157.18 142.15 133.34 130.30 131.73
55 56 57 58 59	.25 .28 .31 .34 .37	.19 .21 .24 .26 .30	1.22 1.23 1.23 1.24 1.24	.23 .26 .29 .33 .37	92.01 93.86 95.54 96.74 97.83	.14 .16 .17 .19 .22	2.48 2.48 2.47 2.45 2.42	.34 .39 .43 .48	135.42 139.24 141.49 141.40 139.71
60 61 62 63 64	.42 .46 .51 .57 .63	.33 .38 .43 .49 .56	1.24 1.23 1.23 1.22 1.21	.41 .46 .52 .59 .67	99.18 100.80 102.55 104.59 107.28	.24 .27 .30 .34 .40	2.38 2.33 2.27 2.19 2.12	.57 .62 .68 .75 .84	137.57 135.62 134.15 133.50 134.06
65 66 67 68 69	.70 .78 .87 .98 1.11	.64 .75 .88 1.03 1.21	1.20 1.19 1.18 1.17 1.16	.77 .89 1.04 1.20 1.39	110.85 115.18 119.64 123.38 125.91	.46 .55 .64 .76 .88	2.04 1.96 1.89 1.82 1.76	.94 1.07 1.22 1.38 1.55	135.79 138.18 140.30 141.13 140.37

TABLE 5-Continued

			All Stays							
			Stay C	Concept			Benefit Per	iod Concept		
Age	Prevalence Rate (1)	Admission Rate (2)	ALOS (Year) (3)	Estimated Prevalence (2)*(3)	(2)*(3) /(1)	Admission Rate (4)	ALOS (Year) (5)	Estimated Prevalence (4)*(5)	(4)*(5) /(1)	
70 71 72 73	1.27% 1.46 1.69 1.98 2.33	1.40% 1.63 1.89 2.21 2.59	1.15 1.14 1.12 1.11 1.10	1.61% 1.85 2.12 2.46 2.85	126.90% 126.56 125.38 123.91 122.34	1.02% 1.18 1.37 1.61 1.89	1.71 1.67 1.63 1.60 1.57	1.75% 1.97 2.24 2.57 2.97	138.15% 135.15 132.07 129.41 127.16	
75 76 77 78 79	2.76 3.26 3.87 4.58 5.41	3.05 3.59 4.22 4.95 5.76	1.09 1.08 1.07 1.07 1.06	3.33 3.88 4.53 5.28 6.13	120.69 118.97 117.17 115.28 113.30	2.23 2.64 3.11 3.64 4.24	1.54 1.52 1.50 1.49 1.48	3.45 4.02 4.68 5.42 6.26	125.13% 123.08 120.87 118.42 115.74	
80 81 82 83	7.45 8.68 10.06	6.66 7.65 8.75 9.97 11.32	1.06 1.07 1.07 1.08 1.09	7.09 8.17 9.39 10.77 12.34	111.35 109.53 108.08 107.08 106.66	4.90 5.62 6.42 7.28 8.23	1.47 1.46 1.45 1.44 1.44		112.91 110.02 107.19 104.50 102.10	
85 86 87 88	15.00 16.90	12.81 14.44 16.20 18.06 20.00	1.10 1.11 1.12 1.12 1.12	14.09 16.02 18.10 20.28 22.50	106.62 106.83 107.10 107.06 106.80	9.25 10.35 11.51 12.72 13.96	1.43 1.42 1.41 1.40 1.39	13.20 14.68 16.22 17.81 19.42	99.87 97.84 95.97 94.05 92.21	
90 91 92 93	23.17 25.33 27.54 29.80 32.11	21.98 23.98 25.99 28.00 29.99	1.12 1.12 1.11 1.10 1.08	24.69 26.82 28.82 30.69 32.39	106.59 105.86 104.65 102.99 100.87	15.21 16.48 17.74 19.00 20.25	1.38 1.37 1.36 1.34 1.32	21.02 22.57 24.05 25.46 26.79	90.72 89.08 87.32 85.45 83.43	
95 96 97 98	34.28 36.43 38.48 40.60 42.63	31.95 33.90 35.82 37.71 39.59	1.06 1.04 1.02 1.00 .98	33.92 35.30 36.54 37.65 38.66	98.96 96.89 94.95 92.75 90.70	21.51 22.79 24.08 25.40 26.75	1.30 1.28 1.26 1.24 1.22	28.04 29.22 30.36 31.45 32.53	81.79 80.21 78.89 77.48 76.32	
100 101 102 103 104	44.86 46.78 48.64 50.41 52.11	41.44 43.29 45.13 46.97 48.81	.96 .93 .91 .89 .87	39.59 40.44 41.23 41.97 42.66	88.25 86.43 84.77 83.24 81.88	28.16 29.63 31.17 32.77 34.45	1.19 1.17 1.15 1.13 1.10	33.61 34.69 35.78 36.88 38.00	74.92 74.14 73.56 73.16 72.93	
105 106 107 108 109 110	53.72 55.26 56.71 58.09 59.40 60.61	50.66 52.50 54.35 56.20 58.06 59.92	.86 .84 .82 .80 .79 .77	43.32 43.94 44.52 45.08 45.61 46.12	80.63 79.51 78.51 77.61 76.79 76.10	36.21 38.04 39.96 41.95 44.02 46.17	1.08 1.06 1.04 1.01 .99 .97	39.13 40.27 41.41 42.56 43.70 44.83	72.84 72.88 73.02 73.26 73.56 73.96	
30-64 65-84 85 +	0.16 2.80 20.94	0.13 2.85 18.99	1.20 1.10 1.10	0.16 3.12 20.94	99.67 111.66 99.99	0.10 2.08 13.27	2.36 1.55 1.38	0.23 3.24 18.31	145.44 115.75 87.45	
Total	0.62%	0.53%	1.11	0.58%	94.58%	0.38%	1.60	0.61%	98.67%	

exposure of any record spanned two or more durational groups, the appropriate exposure was placed into each interval.

The discharges were also tabulated by sex, age group at admission, and duration interval at discharge. The discharge rates were then calculated by dividing the discharges in each interval by the corresponding exposure. Under the stay concept, all discharges were counted in determining the discharge rate. Under the benefit period concept, those discharges that transferred to another nursing home (either immediately or after a hospital stay) were excluded from the discharges. They were treated like a withdrawal from observation. A total of 39 percent of the discharges ended in a hospital stay followed by readmission to the same or another nursing home or a direct transfer to another home. Excluding these discharges resulted in lower discharge rates and longer lengths-of-stay, the longer length-of-stay offsetting the lower admission rate. By excluding transfers from the discharges, the only discharges that were counted were deaths and recoveries.

The discharge rates were then smoothed by the separate application of the Whittaker-Henderson Type B graduation formula within each set of equally spaced duration cells. Finally, because discharge rates were only calculated up to duration 15 years, it was assumed that the rate after the 15th year was the same as the rate in the 15th year.

Discharge rates were then used to calculate the proportion of nursing home admissions still resident at the end of each interval. This is equivalent to the  $\ell x$  column of a life table with a radix of 1.0. The results of these calculations are shown in Table 6 for all stays under the stay concept, Table 7 for all stays under the benefit period concept, and Table 8 for insurable stays under the benefit period concept.

As mentioned earlier, the distribution by length-of-stay is not as accurately estimated from the NNHS as are the distributions by incidence rates and number of residents on October 11, 1985 (the average date of interview). Therefore, the distributions by length-of-stay were adjusted based on the number of residents on October 11, 1985 tabulated from the survey. An estimate of the number of residents on this date was made from the incidence rates and the fractions shown in Tables 6–8. The total number of residents was estimated separately for the stay concept and for the benefit period concept, while the number of residents without the excluded conditions was estimated for the benefit period concept.

Under each concept, the number of admissions in the U.S. (excluding Alaska and Hawaii) was calculated for each year back to 1970, by applying the admission rates to the July 1 noninstitutionalized population in each year.

TABLE 6

PROPORTION OF ADMISSIONS STILL RESIDENT AT THE END OF THE PERIOD SHOWN;
ALL STAYS; STAY CONCEPT; UNADJUSTED 1985 NNHS EXPERIENCE

Days from				nge at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	5564	65-74	75–84	85-94	95 +
			Males				
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.8747	.8420	.9054	.8635	.8491	.8577	.8721
	.7800	.7441	.7996	.7840	.7298	.7359	.7698
	.7243	.6748	.7315	.6971	.6298	.6622	.7036
	.5620	.4720	.5818	.5540	.4724	.5337	.4936
90.	.4545	.3612	.4744	.4545	.3747	.4420	.3719
121.	.3805	.2964	.3955	.3832	.3107	.3748	.2963
151.	.3278	.2563	.3362	.3306	.2666	.3241	.2463
182.	.2888	.2306	.2908	.2908	.2349	.2848	.2114
212.	.2588	.2133	.2555	.2601	.2109	.2536	.1856
243.	.2348	.2012	.2276	.2358	.1920	.2284	.1657
273.	.2147	.1921	.2053	.2162	.1765	.2075	.1496
304.	.1973	.1847	.1872	.2001	.1632	.1899	.1361
334.	.1818	.1780	.1723	.1866	.1515	.1748	.1248
365.	.1680	.1716	.1597	.1750	.1410	.1618	.1151
547	.1084	.1292	.1096	.1279	.0938	.1091	.0814
	.0715	.0909	.0825	.0986	.0633	.0794	.0648
	.0500	.0659	.0695	.0764	.0402	.0560	.0446
	.0429	.0471	.0601	.0576	.0261	.0364	.0227
	.0416	.0353	.0480	.0438	.0193	.0242	.0105
1460	.0408	.0254	.0338	.0361	.0152	.0168	.0065
	.0366	.0173	.0238	.0319	.0118	.0107	.0058
	.0334	.0119	.0192	.0242	.0093	.0068	.0057
	.0220	.0092	.0106	.0072	.0033	.0018	.0009
	.0135	.0077	.0066	.0025	.0009	.0003	.0003
2920 3285 3650 4015 4380	.0081 .0049 .0031 .0021 .0016	.0067 .0061 .0056 .0051 .0042	.0044 .0030 .0021 .0013 .0008	.0009 .0004 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0002 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0002 .0001 .0001 .0001 .0001
4745	.0014 .0012 .0011 .0010 .0009	.0030 .0018 .0008 .0004 .0002	.0004 .0002 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0008 .0007 .0006 .0006 .0005	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0005	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0004	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0004	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000

TABLE 6-Continued

Davs from				Age at Admissio	n		=======================================
Admission	< 45	45-54	5564	65-74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Female	s			
0	1.0000 .8648 .8048 .7434 .6521	1.0000 .9363 .8426 .7491 .5378	1.0000 .9095 .8192 .7363 .5872	1.0000 .8995 .7864 .6958 .5430	1.0000 .8900 .7839 .7064 .5684	1.0000 .8798 .7854 .7212 .5902	1.0000 .8926 .8349 .7813 .6266
90 121 151 182 212	.5747 .5083 .4509 .4008 .3570	.4149 .3386 .2884 .2536 .2283	.4917 .4282 .3846 .3535 .3303	.4486 .3878 .3471 .3188 .2984	.4761 .4122 .3664 .3325 .3065	.5021 .4407 .3966 .3638 .3385	.5226 .4500 .3975 .3580 .3272
243	.3188 .2855 .2566 .2317 .2104	.2089 .1933 .1800 .1682 .1572	.3120 .2967 .2829 .2700 .2575	.2828 .2699 .2584 .2476 .2369	.2858 .2688 .2543 .2415 .2301	.3181 .3010 .2861 .2726 .2601	.3023 .2814 .2632 .2469 .2322
547 730 912 1095	.1378 .1008 .0693 .0538 .0481	.1031 .0759 .0666 .0607 .0556	.1899 .1437 .1082 .0823 .0709	.1707 .1209 .0908 .0699 .0569	.1772 .1409 .1124 .0863 .0651	.1965 .1461 .1082 .0820 .0628	.1648 .1133 .0681 .0438 .0344
1460 1642 1825 2190 2555	.0394 .0225 .0128 .0094 .0075	.0473 .0295 .0145 .0094 .0067	.0679 .0625 .0521 .0340 .0204	.0487 .0412 .0307 .0142 .0073	.0501 .0380 .0260 .0133 .0055	.0459 .0319 .0236 .0079 .0025	.0284 .0226 .0159 .0097 .0016
2920	.0064 .0057 .0052 .0046 .0037	.0051 .0042 .0036 .0032 .0030	.0117 .0066 .0039 .0024 .0017	.0040 .0023 .0013 .0007 .0004	.0019 .0006 .0002 .0001 .0000	.0007 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
4745	.0025 .0014 .0005 .0002 .0001	.0028 .0027 .0026 .0025 .0024	.0013 .0011 .0009 .0008 .0007	.0002 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0023 .0023 .0022 .0021 .0021	.0006 .0005 .0005 .0004 .0004	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0020 .0019 .0019	.0003 .0003 .0002	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000

TABLE 6-Continued

Days from				Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45–54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Total				
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.8715	.8830	.9072	.8849	.8763	.8741	.8868
	.7888	.7873	.8084	.7854	.7658	.7722	.8164
	.7315	.7143	.7336	.6963	.6807	.7055	.7593
	.5939	.5046	.5833	.5472	.5366	.5750	.5913
90	.4958	.3874	.4815	.4509	.4424	.4860	.4822
	.4236	.3173	.4102	.3862	.3782	.4232	.4082
	.3688	.2730	.3585	.3411	.3328	.3774	.3557
	.3260	.2437	.3200	.3085	.2994	.3429	.3170
	.2915	.2234	.2902	.2840	.2739	.3159	.2873
243	.2629	.2086	.2665	.2649	.2537	.2941	.2636
	.2386	.1971	.2471	.2493	.2370	.2759	.2438
	.2175	.1876	.2307	.2358	.2228	.2601	.2267
	.1990	.1790	.2164	.2238	.2102	.2460	.2118
	.1827	.1708	.2036	.2126	.1989	.2332	.1984
547	.1188	.1231	.1450	.1545	.1469	.1722	.1408
	.0817	.0895	.1094	.1132	.1119	.1275	.0998
	.0566	.0714	.0865	.0861	.0850	.0934	.0618
	.0461	.0569	.0695	.0658	.0633	.0687	.0388
	.0426	.0464	.0578	.0523	.0476	.0513	.0289
1460	.0373	.0360	.0491	.0442	.0368	.0372	.0237
	.0270	.0235	.0414	.0380	.0281	.0254	.0194
	.0203	.0143	.0344	.0285	.0200	.0183	.0139
	.0141	.0106	.0205	.0113	.0096	.0059	.0070
	.0103	.0085	.0125	.0052	.0037	.0018	.0014
2920	.0079 .0062 .0050 .0040 .0032	.0071 .0062 .0055 .0049 .0044	.0078 .0049 .0031 .0020 .0013	.0026 .0014 .0008 .0004 .0002	.0012 .0003 .0001 .0000	.0005 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000
4745	.0025 .0019 .0013 .0010 .0007	.0039 .0034 .0029 .0024 .0020	.0008 .0005 .0003 .0002 .0001	.0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	,0000 ,0000 ,0000 ,0000 ,0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0005 .0003 .0002 .0002 .0001	.0017 .0014 .0012 .0010 .0009	.0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0001	.0007	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0001	.0006	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0000	.0005	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000

TABLE 7

Proportion of Admissions Still Resident at the End of the Period Shown; All Stays; Benefit Period Concept; Unadjusted 1985 NNHS Experience

Davs from			A	ge at Admissio	n				
Admission	< 45	45-54	55–64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95+		
		Males							
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000		
	.9146	.9218	.9466	.8974	.8844	.8854	.9238		
	.8641	.8612	.8670	.8404	.7942	.7816	.8136		
	.8251	.8523	.8168	.7709	.7145	.7139	.7694		
	.7275	.6959	.7044	.6472	.5842	.6152	.5863		
90	.6499	.5949	.6252	.5600	.4967	.5395	.4650		
121	.5878	.5276	.5680	.4973	.4360	.4806	.3816		
151	.5381	.4816	.5256	.4514	.3924	.4339	.3224		
182	.4981	.4495	.4930	.4174	.3600	.3966	.2791		
212	.4659	.4263	.4672	.3918	.3350	.3662	.2467		
243	.4397	.4088	.4458	.3721	.3149	.3414	.2219		
	.4182	.3949	.4274	.3565	.2981	.3208	.2024		
	.4001	.3830	.4109	.3436	.2834	.3035	.1869		
	.3845	.3721	.3956	.3324	.2702	.2890	.1745		
	.3707	.3613	.3808	.3221	.2580	.2764	.1643		
547	.2981	.2868	.2978	.2629	.1958	.2214	.1333		
	.2338	.2179	.2450	.2116	.1461	.1718	.1200		
	.2009	.1889	.2309	.1830	.1032	.1198	.0854		
	.1934	.1698	.2253	.1595	.0719	.0801	.0419		
	.1921	.1429	.2018	.1311	.0541	.0567	.0239		
1460	.1918	.1254	.1720	.1088	.0426	.0420	.0200		
1642	.1910	.1214	.1562	.0975	.0329	.0298	.0194		
1825	.1907	.0929	.1420	.0820	.0258	.0227	.0178		
2190	.1420	.0820	.1117	.0369	.0167	.0107	.0027		
2555	.1124	.0716	.0869	.0170	.0101	.0007	.0010		
2920	.0926 .0780 .0660 .0551 .0447	.0617 .0521 .0431 .0346 .0269	.0666 .0503 .0374 .0273 .0194	.0081 .0040 .0021 .0011 .0006	.0057 .0031 .0017 .0009 .0005	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0005 .0003 .0002 .0002 .0002		
4745	.0346 .0249 .0163 .0107 .0070	.0202 .0145 .0099 .0068 .0046	.0135 .0091 .0060 .0039 .0026	.0004 .0002 .0002 .0001	.0003 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000 .0000		
6570	.0046 .0030 .0020 .0013 .0008	.0032 .0022 .0015 .0010 .0007	.0017 .0011 .0007 .0005 .0003	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000		
8395	.0006	.0005	.0002	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000		
8760	.0004	.0003	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000		
9125	.0002	.0002	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000		

TABLE 7—Continued

Days from				age at Admissio	n		
Admission	<45	45-54	55–64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Female	s			
0	1.0000 .9225 .8562 .8226 .7892	1.0000 .9776 .8999 .8390 .6791	1.0000 .9246 .8441 .8047 .6854	1.0000 .9211 .8346 .7697 .6482	1.0000 .9315 .8551 .7824 .6742	1.0000 .9159 .8418 .7896 .6727	1.0000 .9134 .8658 .8149 .7360
90	.7509 .7100 .6686 .6284 .5907	.5800 .5165 .4746 .4460 .4256	.6040 .5474 .5077 .4795 .4592	.5669 .5113 .4727 .4454 .4258	.5973 .5414 .4999 .4685 .4441	.5925 .5362 .4959 .4665 .4443	.6664 .6055 .5524 .5065 .4669
243. 273. 304. 334. 365.	.5563 .5258 .4992 .4765 .4574	.4100 .3970 .3850 .3731 .3609	.4441 .4324 .4226 .4138 .4053	.4113 .4000 .3908 .3826 .3750	.4245 .4084 .3945 .3823 .3712	.4269 .4127 .4004 .3892 .3785	.4327 .4030 .3769 .3539 .3333
547	.3950 .3325 .2450 .1943 .1819	.2838 .2392 .2248 .2216 .2122	.3528 .3129 .2736 .2375 .2199	.3247 .2651 .2176 .1860 .1609	.3163 .2720 .2345 .1998 .1682	.3160 .2570 .2104 .1745 .1404	.2468 .1917 .1485 .1185 .0954
1460	.1731 .1441 .1127 .0990	.1967 .1807 .1569 .1271 .1033	.2103 .1953 .1851 .1486 .1155	.1393 .1239 .1149 .0789 .0541	.1399 .1145 .0916 .0559 .0323	.1072 .0820 .0681 .0377 .0154	.0797 .0713 .0573 .0443 .0248
2920. 3285. 3650. 4015. 4380.	.0839 .0786 .0702 .0571 .0401	.0846 .0703 .0596 .0519 .0467	.0881 .0667 .0509 .0398 .0322	.0370 .0255 .0176 .0123 .0087	.0180 .0099 .0054 .0030 .0018	.0046 .0010 .0002 .0000	.0069 .0000 .0000 .0000
4745	.0224 .0084 .0014 .0002 .0000	.0431 .0407 .0390 .0373 .0357	.0274 .0243 .0223 .0204 .0187	.0062 .0046 .0034 .0025 .0019	.0011 .0007 .0005 .0004 .0003	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0342 .0328 .0314 .0300 .0288	.0171 .0157 .0143 .0131 .0120	.0014 .0010 .0008 .0006 .0004	.0002 .0001 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0276 .0264 .0253	.0110 .0101 .0092	.0003 .0002 .0002	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000

TABLE 7—Continued

Days from			-	Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65–74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Total				
0	1.0000 .9170 .8623 .8337 .7590	1.0000 .9444 .8772 .8512 .6929	1.0000 .9364 .8564 .8121 .6962	1.0000 .9115 .8369 .7704 .6480	1.0000 .9149 .8337 .7585 .6433	1.0000 .9072 .8245 .7678 .6557	1.0000 .9164 .8510 .8052 .7003
90	.6945 .6389 .5912 .5505	.5929 .5922 .5262 .4817 .4509 .4287	.6159 .5591 .5182 .4880 .4652	.5645 .5063 .4650 .4352 .4134	.5628 .5052 .4629 .4311 .4064	.5769 .5201 .4784 .4470 .4228	.6160 .5477 .4919 .4461 .4081
243	.4865 .4615 .4402 .4218 .4058	.4119 .3983 .3863 .3749 .3635	.4472 .4323 .4192 .4071 .3954	.3969 .3840 .3733 .3640 .3552	.3867 .3702 .3561 .3435 .3320	.4035 .3876 .3740 .3619 .3507	.3764 .3495 .3264 .3063 .2887
547	.3346 .2679 .2123 .1861 .1802	.2886 .2310 .2079 .1925 .1694	.3258 .2774 .2497 .2272 .2063	.3006 .2437 .2039 .1756 .1493	.2739 .2268 .1867 .1526 .1257	.2905 .2341 .1851 .1468 .1153	.2174 .1728 .1313 .0979 .0771
1460	.1744 .1564 .1360 .1110 .0953	.1518 .1449 .1145 .0976 .0825	.1870 .1722 .1613 .1284 .0997	.1274 .1137 .1017 .0615 .0379	.1035 .0836 .0665 .0411 .0240	.0878 .0663 .0543 .0292 .0110	.0660 .0605 .0487 .0281 .0136
2920	.0841 .0742 .0642 .0529 .0404	.0693 .0579 .0483 .0404 .0339	.0761 .0575 .0434 .0330 .0255	.0239 .0153 .0100 .0067 .0045	.0134 .0074 .0040 .0022 .0013	.0029 .0005 .0001 .0000	.0047 .0008 .0000 .0000
4745	.0276 .0160 .0073 .0033 .0015	.0286 .0244 .0212 .0183 .0159	.0202 .0165 .0140 .0119 .0101	.0031 .0022 .0015 .0011 .0008	.0008 .0005 .0004 .0003 .0002	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0007 .0003 .0001 .0001	.0137 .0119 .0103 .0089 .0077	.0085 .0073 .0062 .0052 .0044	.0006 .0004 .0003 .0002 .0001	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0067 .0058 .0050	.0038 .0032 .0027	.0001 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000

TABLE 8

Proportion of Admissions Still Resident at the End of the Period Shown;
Insurable Stays; Benefit Period Concept; Unadjusted 1985 NNHS Experience

Days from		<u>,,,,, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</u>	A	Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	<45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85–94	95+
			Males				
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.8595	.9029	.9410	.8935	.8826	.8839	.9294
	.8332	.8281	.8530	.8356	.7927	.7792	.8401
	.8016	.8172	.7976	.7616	.7121	.7154	.7939
	.6772	.6794	.6750	.6324	.5840	.6110	.6039
90	.5862	.5907	.5897	.5427	.4973	.5322	.4756
	.5188	.5324	.5286	.4790	.4367	.4717	.3861
	.4684	.4932	.4834	.4329	.3929	.4245	.3217
	.4304	.4662	.4488	.3992	.3602	.3871	.2743
	.4014	.4471	.4213	.3740	.3349	.3571	.2386
243	.3790	.4327	.3986	.3549	.3145	.3326	.2111
	.3610	.4210	.3790	.3399	.2973	.3124	.1897
	.3461	.4102	.3616	.3277	.2824	.2956	.1728
	.3331	.3995	.3455	.3171	.2689	.2814	.1592
	.3210	.3880	.3303	.3074	.2565	.2692	.1484
547	.2549	.2944	.2480	.2502	.1930	.2162	.1169
	.2077	.2067	.1988	.1985	.1420	.1679	.1057
	.1884	.1725	.1864	.1690	.0991	.1159	.0754
	.1844	.1533	.1779	.1446	.0682	.0758	.0368
	.1837	.1303	.1492	.1153	.0507	.0522	.0209
1460	.1834	.1182	.1225	.0926	.0393	.0379	.0176
	.1827	.1153	.1147	.0811	.0296	.0266	.0170
	.1824	.0799	.1134	.0674	.0234	.0203	.0155
	.1397	.0679	.0846	.0298	.0148	.0074	.0024
	.1071	.0563	.0639	.0134	.0088	.0000	.0009
2920	.0818 .0620 .0463 .0340 .0245	.0455 .0358 .0276 .0207 .0151	.0486 .0367 .0274 .0199 .0140	.0062 .0030 .0015 .0008 .0004	.0049 .0027 .0014 .0007 .0004	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0004 .0003 .0002 .0002 .0001
4745	.0171 .0116 .0076 .0049 .0032	.0109 .0076 .0052 .0036 .0025	.0093 .0058 .0033 .0019	.0002 .0002 .0001 .0001 .0000	.0002 .0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000 .0000
6570	.0021 .0014 .0009 .0006 .0004	.0017 .0012 .0008 .0006 .0004	.0006 .0004 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0003	.0003	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0002	.0002	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0001	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000

TABLE 8-Continued

Days from			/	Age at Admissio	n		=
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95+
			Female	s			
0 10 20 30 60	1.0000 .8884 .7935 .7458 .7222	1.0000 .9727 .9126 .8514 .6854	1.0000 .9229 .8401 .8044 .6771	1.0000 .9266 .8390 .7706 .6436	1.0000 .9322 .8531 .7794 .6687	1.0000 .9139 .8403 .7881 .6705	1.0000 .9092 .8592 .8059 .7285
90	.7012 .6820 .6644 .6478 .6319	.5839 .5202 .4799 .4546 .4366	.5924 .5350 .4958 .4688 .4497	.5592 .5019 .4624 .4346 .4148	.5903 .5336 .4918 .4602 .4358	.5900 .5335 .4932 .4637 .4415	.6592 .5979 .5444 .4982 .4585
243	.6164 .6011 .5859 .5707 .5558	.4236 .4141 .4072 .4021 .3972	.4360 .4260 .4177 .4099 .4019	.4002 .3891 .3800 .3721 .3647	.4163 .4002 .3864 .3743 .3633	.4241 .4098 .3975 .3862 .3755	.4243 .3948 .3690 .3462 .3258
547	.4962 .4775 .4012 .3028 .2681	.3306 .2638 .2383 .2334 .2198	.3419 .2925 .2524 .2190 .2037	.3156 .2550 .2049 .1728 .1502	.3087 .2641 .2266 .1916 .1603	.3135 .2566 .2122 .1778 .1446	.2391 .1869 .1485 .1197 .0960
1460	.2508 .2018 .1503 .1307 .1127	.1961 .1880 .1866 .1636 .1384	.1975 .1932 .1921 .1343 .0964	.1316 .1175 .1087 .0739 .0497	.1331 .1089 .0876 .0525 .0298	.1104 .0835 .0696 .0399 .0176	.0799 .0717 .0575 .0445 .0249
2920	.0954 .0788 .0628 .0479 .0346	.1145 .0939 .0776 .0655 .0575	.0712 .0540 .0421 .0339 .0281	.0334 .0225 .0154 .0108 .0077	.0163 .0087 .0047 .0026 .0015	.0060 .0016 .0003 .0001 .0000	.0069 .0000 .0000 .0000
4745	.0233 .0144 .0080 .0045 .0025	.0521 .0485 .0460 .0436 .0413	.0241 .0215 .0197 .0181 .0166	.0057 .0044 .0036 .0029 .0023	.0009 .0006 .0005 .0003 .0003	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0014 .0008 .0004 .0002 .0001	.0392 .0371 .0352 .0334 .0316	.0152 .0139 .0128 .0117 .0107	.0019 .0015 .0012 .0010 .0008	.0002 .0001 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0001 .0000 .0000	.0300 .0284 .0269	.0099 .0090 .0083	.0006 .0005 .0004	.0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000

TABLE 8-Continued

Days from				Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85–94	95+
			Total				
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.8719	.9323	.9326	.9133	.9146	.9054	.9150
	.8178	.8639	.8471	.8376	.8317	.8228	.8538
	.7881	.8366	.8010	.7674	.7556	.7673	.8056
	.7057	.6872	.6760	.6393	.6392	.6531	.6998
90	.6424	.5929	.5911	.5529	.5581	.5731	.6137
	.5935	.5319	.5322	.4933	.5000	.5159	.5435
	.5553	.4918	.4905	.4513	.4575	.4740	.4860
	.5253	.4650	.4602	.4213	.4256	.4425	.4388
	.5012	.4460	.4376	.3995	.4008	.4184	.3997
243	.4816	.4324	.4200	.3832	.3810	.3992	.3673
	.4649	.4225	.4055	.3705	.3646	.3834	.3399
	.4500	.4138	.3928	.3602	.3504	.3699	.3166
	.4362	.4052	.3808	.3512	.3379	.3579	.2963
	.4229	.3957	.3689	.3428	.3264	.3467	.2786
547	.3533	.3113	.2943	.2896	.2681	.2874	.2074
	.3085	.2327	.2421	.2321	.2205	.2327	.1658
	.2683	.2016	.2161	.1905	.1803	.1850	.1284
	.2337	.1848	.1951	.1616	.1459	.1474	.0964
	.2219	.1618	.1736	.1366	.1193	.1163	.0756
1460	.2104	.1459	.1571	.1164	.0979	.0882	.0646
	.1798	.1417	.1516	.1034	.0787	.0659	.0593
	.1476	.1058	.1506	.0921	.0631	.0541	.0477
	.1204	.0912	.1094	.0549	.0382	.0294	.0275
	.0975	.0762	.0805	.0331	.0219	.0117	.0133
2920. 3285. 3650. 4015. 4380.	.0781 .0615 .0473 .0353 .0255	.0622 .0498 .0395 .0314 .0251	.0601 .0453 .0346 .0267 .0208	.0204 .0128 .0082 .0054 .0037	.0120 .0065 .0035 .0019 .0011	.0033 .0007 .0001 .0000	.0046 .0008 .0000 .0000
4745	.0177 .0117 .0073 .0045 .0028	.0204 .0171 .0147 .0127 .0109	.0164 .0130 .0105 .0084 .0067	.0026 .0019 .0014 .0010 .0008	.0007 .0004 .0003 .0002 .0002	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0018 .0011 .0007 .0004 .0003	.0094 .0081 .0070 .0061 .0052	.0054 .0043 .0035 .0028 .0022	.0006 .0004 .0003 .0002 .0002	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0002	.0045	.0018	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0001	.0039	.0014	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0001	.0034	.0012	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000

No trend was assumed in the admission rates through time. It was assumed that the admissions in each year were made uniformly throughout each calendar year. The fraction of each year's admissions still confined on October 11, 1985 was estimated by applying the appropriate fractions from Tables 6–8. This was done as follows: All the estimated admissions on October 11 were counted. For each of the 30 days prior to October 11, the number of admissions still confined on October 11 was estimated by multiplying the estimated number of admissions times the appropriate "proportion of residents still resident." Similar calculations were made for the estimated number of admissions in monthly intervals for the prior 59 months and then in yearly intervals for the prior 10 years.

In general, the resulting estimates of the number of nursing home residents were slightly below the actual as tabulated from the NNHS. The discharge rates were then adjusted downward by applying a constant factor (producing higher proportions of admissions still resident at each duration, and thus longer stays) until the estimated residents matched the tabulated. The results of these calculations are shown in Tables 9–11 for the three sets of utilization data.

This adjustment added several percentage points to the proportion still resident at each duration. For example, compare, for admissions between ages 75 and 84, the proportions still resident at 1 year and at 5 years after admission for total (male and female) insurable stays under the benefit period concept (Tables 8 and 11). Before adjustment, the proportions are 33 percent and 6 percent still resident after 1 year and 5 years, respectively; after adjustment, the proportions are 36 percent and 8 percent, respectively. The longer the stay, the greater the relative adjustment, because the adjustment factor was applied to the rates of discharge between intervals (that is, the rates calculated from the raw data). Thus, the adjusted proportions still resident at each succeeding interval become progressively greater.

### D. Continuance Tables and Average Length-of-Stay

For pricing, the distribution of days by length-of-stay is more important than the distribution of residents by length-of-stay. The number of days in each interval was estimated as the average number of residents in the life table (that is, the average of the k at the beginning and at the end of the interval, taking into account that discharges can only occur at integral days) times the number of days in the interval. The number of days above each threshold was then calculated by summing from the end of the life table

TABLE 9

Proportion of Admissions Still Resident at the End of the Period Shown;
All Stays; Stay Concept; Adjusted to Match 1985 NNHS Residents

Days from				Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Males				
0 10 20 30 60	1.0000 .9004 .8230 .7766 .6399	1.0000 .8739 .7932 .7347 .5614	1.0000 .9250 .8391 .7826 .6569	1.0000 .8913 .8263 .7536 .6322	1.0000 .8797 .7812 .6961 .5595	1.0000 .8867 .7864 .7240 .6136	1.0000 .8983 .8146 .7591 .5813
90 121 151 182 212	.5438 .4744 .4228 .3833 .3521	.4579 .3934 .3517 .3240 .3049	.5617 .4884 .4309 .3852 .3485	.5431 .4761 .4248 .3847 .3528	.4687 .4058 .3606 .3269 .3008	.5309 .4675 .4179 .3781 .3456	.4688 .3940 .3418 .3038 .2747
243	.3264 .3044 .2851 .2676 .2515	.2913 .2810 .2725 .2647 .2572	.3186 .2941 .2737 .2566 .2419	.3270 .3057 .2878 .2725 .2592	.2796 .2618 .2463 .2325 .2198	.3186 .2957 .2760 .2589 .2437	.2515 .2323 .2159 .2018 .1895
547	.1788 .1294 .0978 .0868 .0848	.2060 .1567 .1219 .0938 .0748	.1804 .1446 .1264 .1128 .0945	.2030 .1656 .1357 .1088 .0879	.1600 .1178 .0827 .0591 .0467	.1792 .1399 .1065 .0761 .0554	.1447 .1211 .0904 .0536 .0295
1460 1642 1825 2190 2555	.0835 .0767 .0713 .0522 .0364	.0579 .0429 .0320 .0264 .0229	.0719 .0548 .0463 .0301 .0212	.0755 .0686 .0553 .0248 .0120	.0388 .0318 .0265 .0131 .0056	.0417 .0293 .0207 .0088 .0030	.0203 .0186 .0183 .0061 .0031
2920	.0249 .0171 .0122 .0092 .0076	.0206 .0191 .0181 .0166 .0144	.0156 .0117 .0088 .0064 .0044	.0062 .0034 .0020 .0012 .0008	.0022 .0008 .0003 .0001 .0000	.0008 .0002 .0000 .0000	.0019 .0014 .0011 .0009 .0008
4745	.0065 .0059 .0054 .0050 .0046	.0113 .0077 .0044 .0024 .0014	.0028 .0016 .0008 .0004 .0002	.0006 .0004 .0003 .0002 .0002	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0007 .0007 .0007 .0001 .0000
6570	.0043 .0039 .0036 .0034 .0031	.0008 .0004 .0002 .0001	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0029 .0026 .0024	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000

TABLE 9-Continued

Days from				Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	<45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Female	s			
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.8924	.9497	.9283	.9203	.9127	.9045	.9148
	.8435	.8743	.8552	.8283	.8263	.8275	.8681
	.7926	.7973	.7866	.7525	.7615	.7739	.8240
	.7162	.6208	.6616	.6228	.6447	.6636	.6960
90	.6495	.5094	.5771	.5378	.5625	.5858	.6053
	.5906	.4359	.5186	.4805	.5032	.5296	.5393
	.5382	.3851	.4771	.4409	.4593	.4880	.4898
	.4912	.3486	.4468	.4128	.4260	.4563	.4516
	.4491	.3213	.4238	.3920	.3998	.4314	.4212
243	.4114	.2999	.4054	.3759	.3786	.4110	.3960
	.3776	.2824	.3897	.3624	.3609	.3937	.3745
	.3476	.2671	.3756	.3504	.3456	.3783	.3555
	.3211	.2533	.3622	.3389	.3320	.3643	.3382
	.2980	.2404	.3490	.3273	.3197	.3512	.3224
547	.2144	.1730	.2751	.2535	.2607	.2822	.2468
	.1679	.1363	.2213	.1937	.2179	.2238	.1843
	.1254	.1230	.1773	.1548	.1826	.1770	.1240
	.1029	.1143	.1432	.1263	.1486	.1426	.0880
	.0942	.1067	.1274	.1075	.1192	.1158	.0727
1460	.0807	.0941	.1231	.0952	.0971	.0906	.0626
	.0521	.0651	.1155	.0835	.0782	.0683	.0523
	.0336	.0376	.1001	.0664	.0583	.0540	.0398
	.0266	.0273	.0729	.0384	.0359	.0257	.0277
	.0224	.0211	.0500	.0237	.0194	.0120	.0095
2920	.0198 .0181 .0169 .0153 .0129	.0172 .0147 .0131 .0121 .0113	.0332 .0219 .0147 .0104 .0079	.0153 .0101 .0067 .0044 .0028	.0095 .0044 .0020 .0009 .0005	.0051 .0018 .0005 .0001 .0000	.0021 .0004 .0001 .0000
4745	.0098 .0063 .0031 .0015 .0007	.0108 .0104 .0102 .0099 .0096	.0065 .0056 .0050 .0045 .0041	.0017 .0010 .0005 .0002 .0001	.0003 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0004 .0002 .0001 .0000	.0094 .0091 .0089 .0087 .0085	.0037 .0033 .0030 .0027 .0024	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0000	.0082	.0021	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0000	.0080	.0019	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0000	.0078	.0017	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000

TABLE 9-Continued

Days from	I		A	Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95+
			Total				
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.8978	.9071	.9265	.9086	.9017	.8999	.9101
	.8303	.8290	.8464	.8275	.8112	.8166	.8529
	.7826	.7681	.7844	.7529	.7397	.7607	.8058
	.6670	.5911	.6582	.6263	.6168	.6503	.6658
90	.5805	.4834	.5680	.5398	.5318	.5713	.5694
	.5141	.4147	.5020	.4790	.4712	.5133	.5008
	.4620	.3692	.4524	.4351	.4268	.4697	.4503
	.4199	.3381	.4141	.4025	.3932	.4359	.4118
	.3850	.3160	.3839	.3774	.3669	.4091	.3815
243.	.3554	.2996	.3593	.3575	.3456	.3869	.3568
273.	.3296	.2867	.3388	.3409	.3278	.3681	.3357
304.	.3067	.2757	.3211	.3264	.3123	.3515	.3173
334.	.2862	.2658	.3055	.3134	.2985	.3366	.3009
365.	.2678	.2563	.2913	.3011	.2859	.3228	.2859
547	.1915	.1985	.2236	.2346	.2256	.2547	.2189
	.1431	.1548	.1793	.1841	.1825	.2015	.1673
	.1075	.1298	.1493	.1486	.1472	.1581	.1152
	.0915	.1086	.1258	.1205	.1169	.1243	.0802
	.0861	.0927	.1090	.1007	.0937	.0990	.0638
1460	.0775	.0760	.0958	.0882	.0766	.0770	.0545
	.0602	.0545	.0839	.0783	.0619	.0573	.0467
	.0482	.0370	.0725	.0626	.0476	.0443	.0360
	.0367	.0296	.0496	.0329	.0282	.0208	.0219
	.0290	.0248	.0344	.0189	.0146	.0095	.0082
2920	.0236	.0217	.0242	.0116	.0069	.0040	.0022
	.0197	.0194	.0172	.0074	.0030	.0014	.0006
	.0166	.0177	.0123	.0048	.0013	.0004	.0003
	.0140	.0163	.0088	.0031	.0006	.0001	.0002
	.0118	.0150	.0063	.0020	.0003	.0000	.0002
4745	.0098 .0079 .0061 .0047 .0036	.0137 .0123 .0108 .0094 .0082	.0045 .0033 .0024 .0017 .0012	.0013 .0007 .0004 .0002 .0001	.0002 .0001 .0001 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0028 .0022 .0017 .0013 .0010	.0072 .0063 .0055 .0048 .0042	.0009 .0006 .0005 .0003 .0002	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0008	.0037	.0002	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0006	.0032	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0005	.0028	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000

TABLE 10

Proportion of Admissions Still Resident at the End of the Period Shown;
All Stays; Benefit Period Concept; Adjusted to Match 1985 NNHS Residents

Days from			,	Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95+
	Maies						
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.9212	.9279	.9508	.9053	.8932	.8941	.9297
	.8743	.8716	.8770	.8522	.8090	.7973	.8272
	.8379	.8633	.8301	.7872	.7340	.7335	.7858
	.7468	.7176	.7250	.6710	.6109	.6402	.6137
	.6734	.6218	.6501	.5878	.5268	.5678	.4969
121	.6143	.5570	.5954	.5272	.4675	.5107	.4149
151	.5665	.5124	.5544	.4825	.4245	.4651	.3557
182	.5278	.4809	.5229	.4491	.3922	.4282	.3118
212	.4963	.4581	.4976	.4237	.3672	.3981	.2785
243	.4707	.4408	.4767	.4041	.3469	.3732	.2527
	.4495	.4270	.4586	.3885	.3299	.3525	.2323
	.4316	.4152	.4423	.3756	.3150	.3351	.2160
	.4162	.4043	.4271	.3643	.3015	.3203	.2027
	.4024	.3935	.4125	.3540	.2890	.3075	.1919
547	.3294	.3183	.3290	.2937	.2243	.2508	.1583
	.2635	.2473	.2751	.2406	.1714	.1987	.1437
	.2292	.2169	.2604	.2105	.1246	.1427	.1052
	.2213	.1966	.2546	.1855	.0894	.0986	.0548
	.2200	.1679	.2301	.1549	.0689	.0719	.0327
1460	.2197	.1488	.1987	.1306	.0553	.0545	.0278
	.2188	.1444	.1818	.1180	.0436	.0398	.0270
	.2184	.1130	.1666	.1007	.0348	.0310	.0250
	.1672	.1008	.1339	.0497	.0236	.0160	.0055
	.1351	.0891	.1065	.0251	.0150	.0022	.0023
2920	.1132 .0968 .0831 .0705 .0583	.0777 .0667 .0560 .0459 .0365	.0837 .0649 .0495 .0372 .0274	.0130 .0070 .0039 .0022 .0013	.0090 .0052 .0030 .0017 .0010	.0002 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0013 .0009 .0006 .0005
4745	.0461 .0342 .0233 .0159 .0109	.0281 .0208 .0147 .0105 .0074	.0197 .0138 .0094 .0065 .0044	.0008 .0006 .0004 .0003 .0002	.0006 .0004 .0003 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0004 .0004 .0004 .0000 .0000
6570	.0074 .0051 .0035 .0024 .0016	.0053 .0037 .0026 .0019 .0013	.0030 .0021 .0014 .0010 .0007	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0011	.0009	.0004	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0007	.0007	.0003	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0005	.0005	.0002	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000

TABLE 10-Continued

Days from	Age at Admission						
Admission	< 45	45-54	55–64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95+
Females							
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.9285	.9794	.9304	.9272	.9368	.9223	.9201
	.8669	.9076	.8556	.8468	.8659	.8536	.8759
	.8356	.8509	.8189	.7860	.7979	.8047	.8284
	.8044	.7017	.7072	.6719	.6965	.6951	.7546
90	.7685	.6075	.6299	.5943	.6233	.6188	.6890
	.7300	.5463	.5756	.5407	.5697	.5648	.6310
	.6908	.5055	.5372	.5031	.5295	.5257	.5801
	.6526	.4775	.5098	.4765	.4989	.4970	.5358
	.6166	.4574	.4899	.4572	.4750	.4753	.4973
243.	.5835	.4420	.4751	.4428	.4558	.4582	.4638
273.	.5541	.4291	.4636	.4317	.4398	.4442	.4345
304.	.5283	.4172	.4539	.4225	.4260	.4320	.4086
334.	.5062	.4053	.4452	.4144	.4139	.4208	.3856
365.	.4875	.3931	.4367	.4068	.4028	.4102	.3650
547	.4261	.3153	.3845	.3564	.3478	.3475	.2769
	.3637	.2694	.3443	.2957	.3028	.2874	.2196
	.2748	.2545	.3044	.2467	.2642	.2392	.1737
	.2220	.2511	.2673	.2136	.2280	.2014	.1412
	.2091	.2413	.2490	.1869	.1946	.1649	.1157
1460	.1997	.2251	.2389	.1637	.1643	.1288	.0980
	.1688	.2082	.2233	.1471	.1367	.1007	.0886
	.1347	.1828	.2126	.1372	.1114	.0849	.0724
	.1196	.1509	.1740	.0977	.0714	.0501	.0574
	.1096	.1248	.1383	.0694	.0437	.0228	.0340
2920.	.1027	.1041	.1081	.0493	.0259	.0081	.0115
3285.	.0968	.0879	.0840	.0351	.0151	.0023	.0009
3650.	.0872	.0756	.0657	.0252	.0089	.0005	.0001
4015.	.0723	.0666	.0525	.0182	.0053	.0001	.0000
4380.	.0525	.0604	.0433	.0133	.0033	.0000	.0000
4745	.0311 .0133 .0030 .0007 .0002	.0562 .0533 .0512 .0492 .0473	.0373 .0335 .0309 .0285 .0263	.0098 .0074 .0056 .0043 .0033	.0021 .0015 .0011 .0008 .0006	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0455 .0437 .0420 .0403 .0388	.0242 .0223 .0206 .0190 .0175	.0025 .0019 .0015 .0011 .0009	.0004 .0003 .0002 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0000	.0372	.0162	.0007	.0001	.0000	.0000
8760	.0000	.0358	.0149	.0005	.0001	.0000	.0000
9125	.0000	.0344	.0138	.0004	.0001	.0000	.0000

TABLE 10-Continued

Days from				Age at Admissio	п		S
Admission	<45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95 +
			Total	- Indian			
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.9234	.9488	.9414	.9183	.9215	.9144	.9228
	.8727	.8864	.8672	.8489	.8459	.8374	.8621
	.8459	.8623	.8258	.7868	.7755	.7843	.8193
	.7762	.7147	.7173	.6717	.6672	.6790	.7212
90	.7155	.6192	.6412	.5920	.5904	.6038	.6413
	.6628	.5557	.5868	.5359	.5347	.5492	.5759
	.6173	.5125	.5473	.4957	.4936	.5086	.5219
	.5782	.4823	.5180	.4665	.4624	.4779	.4772
	.5448	.4604	.4957	.4450	.4380	.4541	.4398
243	.5162	.4439	.4781	.4286	.4184	.4351	.4083
	.4918	.4304	.4634	.4158	.4021	.4193	.3815
	.4709	.4184	.4505	.4052	.3880	.4058	.3583
	.4528	.4071	.4386	.3958	.3753	.3936	.3380
	.4371	.3957	.4270	.3871	.3638	.3824	.3202
547	.3660	.3201	.3573	.3320	.3048	.3217	.2467
	.2984	.2609	.3082	.2739	.2563	.2638	.1998
	.2410	.2369	.2798	.2325	.2144	.2127	.1553
	.2135	.2207	.2566	.2027	.1781	.1719	.1186
	.2073	.1962	.2348	.1745	.1490	.1377	.0952
1460.	.2012	.1774	.2145	.1509	.1246	.1071	.0825
1642.	.1820	.1699	.1989	.1359	.1025	.0828	.0762
1825.	.1600	.1369	.1872	.1227	.0831	.0690	.0624
2190.	.1329	.1183	.1521	.0781	.0539	.0396	.0381
2555.	.1157	.1015	.1208	.0505	.0332	.0169	.0200
2920	.1031 .0920 .0806 .0676 .0529	.0865 .0735 .0623 .0529 .0450	.0945 .0733 .0567 .0442 .0349	.0333 .0223 .0152 .0105 .0074	.0198 .0116 .0067 .0040 .0024	.0054 .0013 .0003 .0001 .0000	.0079 .0018 .0001 .0000
4745	.0375 .0230 .0115 .0057 .0029	.0386 .0334 .0293 .0257 .0225	.0282 .0235 .0202 .0174 .0150	.0053 .0038 .0028 .0021 .0015	.0016 .0011 .0008 .0006 .0004	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0014 .0007 .0004 .0002 .0001	.0197 .0173 .0151 .0133 .0116	.0129 .0111 .0096 .0082 .0071	.0011 .0008 .0006 .0004 .0003	.0003 .0002 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0000	.0102	.0061	.0002	.0001	.0000	.0000
8760	.0000	.0089	.0053	.0002	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0000	.0078	.0045	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000

TABLE 11

Proportion of Admissions Still Resident at the End of the Period Shown;
Insurable Stays; Benefit Period Concept; Adjusted to Match 1985 NNHS Residents

Days from				nge at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95 +
			Males				
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.8701	.9103	.9456	.9016	.8915	.8927	.9348
	.8456	.8408	.8640	.8477	.8077	.7950	.8519
	.8160	.8306	.8122	.7785	.7319	.7350	.8088
	.6995	.7017	.6973	.6570	.6107	.6362	.6307
90	.6130	.6175	.6163	.5712	.5273	.5608	.5074
	.5482	.5613	.5576	.5095	.4682	.5022	.4195
	.4992	.5233	.5137	.4645	.4250	.4559	.3552
	.4619	.4970	.4799	.4311	.3925	.4190	.3070
	.4333	.4783	.4528	.4061	.3671	.3890	.2702
243	.4110	.4641	.4303	.3871	.3465	.3645	.2417
	.3931	.4525	.4109	.3720	.3291	.3442	.2191
	.3782	.4419	.3935	.3597	.3139	.3271	.2011
	.3650	.4312	.3774	.3490	.3001	.3127	.1866
	.3529	.4198	.3621	.3392	.2873	.3002	.1749
547	.2856	.3259	.2784	.2808	.2213	.2454	.1405
	.2366	.2355	.2271	.2270	.1670	.1946	.1281
	.2163	.1995	.2141	.1957	.1200	.1384	.0940
	.2121	.1789	.2051	.1697	.0852	.0938	.0487
	.2113	.1541	.1745	.1378	.0648	.0666	.0290
1460	.2110	.1409	.1456	.1126	.0514	.0496	.0247
	.2102	.1377	.1370	.0997	.0396	.0359	.0240
	.2100	.0984	.1356	.0842	.0319	.0280	.0221
	.1647	.0849	.1039	.0410	.0211	.0117	.0049
	.1293	.0715	.0806	.0203	.0132	.0009	.0020
2920. 3285. 3650. 4015. 4380.	.1012 .0786 .0604 .0457 .0338	.0589 .0474 .0373 .0287 .0217	.0627 .0487 .0373 .0280 .0203	.0102 .0053 .0029 .0016 .0009	.0079 .0045 .0026 .0014 .0008	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0011 .0008 .0006 .0005 .0004
4745	.0245 .0172 .0117 .0080 .0054	.0160 .0116 .0083 .0059 .0042	.0141 .0092 .0056 .0034 .0021	.0006 .0004 .0002 .0002 .0001	.0005 .0003 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0004 .0003 .0003 .0000
6570	.0037 .0025 .0017 .0012 .0008	.0030 .0021 .0015 .0011 .0008	.0012 .0008 .0005 .0003 .0002	.0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0005	.0006	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0004	.0004	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0003	.0003	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000

TABLE 11-Continued

Days from				ige at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45–54	55 <b>–64</b>	6574	75–84	85-94	95+
			Female	S			
0	1.0000 .8969 .8084 .7636	1.0000 .9749 .9193 .8625 .7078	1.0000 .9289 .8520 .8185 .6994	1.0000 .9323 .8509 .7869 .6676	1.0000 .9374 .8641 .7952 .6912	1.0000 .9206 .8522 .8033 .6931	1.0000 .9162 .8697 .8200 .7476
90. 121. 151. 182. 212.	.7215 .7034 .6866 .6709 .6557	.6113 .5500 .5108 .4860 .4683	.6189 .5637 .5257 .4994 .4807	.5871 .5317 .4932 .4660 .4464	.6167 .5622 .5217 .4909 .4669	.6165 .5622 .5231 .4943 .4725	.6821 .6238 .5724 .5277 .4890
243	.6410 .6263 .6117 .5971 .5828	.4555 .4461 .4393 .4342 .4293	.4672 .4573 .4491 .4415 .4335	.4320 .4209 .4119 .4040 .3966	.4476 .4317 .4181 .4060 .3951	.4554 .4413 .4291 .4179 .4072	.4555 .4264 .4007 .3779 .3574
547	.5251 .5068 .4319 .3336 .2983	.3627 .2947 .2685 .2634 .2492	.3737 .3237 .2827 .2481 .2322	.3472 .2854 .2335 .1996 .1755	.3401 .2947 .2560 .2195 .1862	.3450 .2870 .2411 .2049 .1695	.2690 .2146 .1737 .1425 .1164
1460	.2805 .2298 .1753 .1543 .1347	.2244 .2159 .2144 .1901 .1631	.2256 .2211 .2199 .1590 .1178	.1554 .1400 .1303 .0920 .0643	.1570 .1306 .1068 .0675 .0406	.1323 .1023 .0866 .0525 .0255	.0983 .0890 .0727 .0576 .0342
2920	.1157 .0972 .0790 .0618 .0459	.1372 .1145 .0962 .0825 .0731	.0894 .0695 .0555 .0455 .0384	.0448 .0314 .0223 .0161 .0119	.0237 .0136 .0078 .0046 .0029	.0100 .0032 .0009 .0002 .0001	.0115 .0009 .0001 .0000
4745	.0321 .0208 .0123 .0073 .0043	.0669 .0626 .0596 .0567 .0540	.0334 .0300 .0277 .0256 .0236	.0091 .0072 .0059 .0049 .0040	.0019 .0013 .0010 .0007 .0006	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0026 .0015 .0009 .0005 .0003	.0514 .0490 .0466 .0444 .0423	.0218 .0202 .0186 .0172 .0159	.0033 .0027 .0022 .0018 .0015	.0004 .0003 .0002 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0002 .0001 .0001	.0402 .0383 .0365	.0147 .0136 .0125	.0012 .0010 .0008	.0001 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000

TABLE 11-Continued

Davs from	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Total				
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.8816	.9375	.9378	.9200	.9212	.9127	.9216
	.8312	.8741	.8584	.8496	.8441	.8358	.8647
	.8033	.8487	.8154	.7839	.7728	.7838	.8197
	.7261	.7092	.6983	.6635	.6633	.6765	.7206
90	.6662	.6197	.6177	.5810	.5858	.6003	.6391
	.6195	.5610	.5610	.5234	.5298	.5451	.5719
	.5828	.5221	.5206	.4824	.4883	.5044	.5162
	.5538	.4960	.4910	.4529	.4570	.4736	.4700
	.5305	.4774	.4688	.4313	.4325	.4498	.4316
243	.5114	.4639	.4515	.4151	.4128	.4309	.3993
	.4950	.4541	.4371	.4025	.3965	.4152	.3720
	.4805	.4456	.4245	.3922	.3823	.4017	.3484
	.4669	.4370	.4126	.3832	.3697	.3897	.3279
	.4539	.4276	.4008	.3747	.3581	.3785	.3099
547	.3847	.3431	.3256	.3209	.2989	.3186	.2364
	.3396	.2626	.2722	.2619	.2497	.2624	.1925
	.2988	.2301	.2452	.2184	.2076	.2126	.1522
	.2631	.2125	.2232	.1878	.1710	.1725	.1169
	.2509	.1880	.2005	.1609	.1421	.1388	.0935
1460	.2389	.1710	.1829	.1389	.1185	.1077	.0810
	.2068	.1664	.1770	.1246	.0970	.0823	.0748
	.1725	.1273	.1760	.1120	.0791	.0688	.0612
	.1432	.1112	.1316	.0704	.0504	.0399	.0374
	.1182	.0944	.0997	.0447	.0306	.0177	.0196
2920. 3285. 3650. 4015. 4380.	.0965 .0776 .0611 .0469 .0349	.0783 .0640 .0519 .0420 .0343	.0764 .0591 .0463 .0366 .0292	.0288 .0189 .0127 .0087 .0062	.0179 .0103 .0059 .0035 .0021	.0061 .0017 .0004 .0001 .0000	.0078 .0018 .0001 .0000
4745	.0250 .0172 .0112 .0073 .0048	.0284 .0241 .0211 .0184 .0161	.0235 .0190 .0156 .0127 .0104	.0045 .0033 .0026 .0020 .0015	.0013 .0009 .0007 .0005 .0004	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0031 .0020 .0013 .0009 .0006	.0140 .0123 .0107 .0094 .0082	.0085 .0070 .0057 .0047 .0038	.0012 .0009 .0007 .0005 .0004	.0003 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0004	.0071	.0031	.0003	.0001	.0000	,0000
8760	.0002	.0062	.0026	.0002	.0000	.0000	,0000
9125	.0002	.0055	.0021	.0002	.0000	.0000	,0000

back to the interval. (This is equivalent to the Tx column in a life table.) The results of these calculations are shown in Tables 12–17.

The average length-of-stay was calculated from these tables in a manner similar to that for life expectancy. The total number of days after the admission date (from the radix of 1.0 admissions) is the average length-of-stay. The averages derived in this manner are shown at the bottom of Tables 12–17. The averages for both the unadjusted and the adjusted discharge rates are shown. The adjusted averages (Tables 12–14) are significantly longer than the unadjusted (Tables 15–17). For example, compare, for admissions between 75 and 84, the average lengths-of-stay for total (male and female) for insurable stays under the benefit period concept. Before adjustment it is 458 days, and after adjustment it is 521 days.

The authors believe that the adjusted continuance tables and average lengthsof-stay are more accurate than the unadjusted, not only because the adjusted have been controlled to the reliable counts of residents on the survey date, but also because of the questionable reliability and the sparsity of data on long stays.

The average lengths-of-stay based on the adjusted continuance tables were graduated in the same manner as the admission rates, except that the graduated number of admissions was used as the weight in the average length-of-stay graduation and the ungraduated at each age of an interval was taken as the average length-of-stay over the whole interval. The graduated average lengths-of-stay are shown in Tables 1–3. The graduation process preserved the total number of days for all admissions.

TABLE 12

Proportion of Days after the Period Shown;
All Stays; Stay Concept; Unadjusted 1985 NNHS Experience

Days from			A	nge at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85–94	95+
			Males				
0	1.0000 .9594 .9267 .8972 .8209	1.0000 .9559 .9216 .8905 .8154	1.0000 .9566 .9216 .8904 .8094	1.0000 .9583 .9249 .8950 .8188	1.0000 .9432 .8997 .8618 .7699	1.0000 .9500 .9118 .8781 .7913	1.0000 .9379 .8884 .8444 .7362
90	.7605 .7093 .6672 .6293 .5967	.7608 .7163 .6800 .6469 .6178	.7442 .6887 .6435 .6035 .5698	.7574 .7046 .6610 .6219 .5882	.6992 .6400 .5918 .5485 .5112	.7204 .6590 .6082 .5624 .5233	.6580 .5954 .5463 .5034 .4674
243. 273. 304. 334. 365.	.5663 .5396 .5143 .4917 .4702	.5896 .5637 .5381 .5143 .4905	.5389 .5122 .4871 .4649 .4437	.5570 .5294 .5031 .4795 .4567	.4764 .4455 .4162 .3899 .3646	.4870 .4553 .4254 .3989 .3736	.4344 .4058 .3791 .3554 .3329
547	.3726 .3082 .2653 .2322 .2018	.3702 .2830 .2210 .1761 .1436	.3446 .2733 .2168 .1678 .1271	.3462 .2625 .1979 .1482 .1110	.2474 .1681 .1163 .0832 .0606	.2566 .1738 .1142 .0737 .0475	.2277 .1470 .0861 .0495 .0321
1460	.1717 .1436 .1184 .0782 .0525	.1193 .1025 .0910 .0741 .0606	.0963 .0751 .0591 .0366 .0236	.0815 .0563 .0350 .0117 .0045	.0430 .0293 .0187 .0057 .0014	.0294 .0174 .0098 .0022 .0003	.0232 .0166 .0102 .0030 .0017
2920. 3285. 3650. 4015. 4380.	.0369 .0275 .0218 .0180 .0153	.0491 .0388 .0295 .0209 .0135	.0153 .0097 .0059 .0034 .0017	.0020 .0010 .0005 .0003 .0002	.0003 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0011 .0008 .0006 .0005 .0003
4745	.0131 .0113 .0096 .0082 .0069	.0077 .0038 .0017 .0007 .0003	.0008 .0003 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0002 .0001 .0000 .0000
6570	.0057 .0046 .0036 .0027 .0019	.0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0012 .0006 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000
ALOS*	251	227	242	245	179	205	165

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 12-Continued

Days from				Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55–64	65–74	75–84	85-94	95+
	···		Female	s			
0	1.0000 .9648 .9360 .9088 .8361	1.0000 .9572 .9209 .8894 .8117	1.0000 .9707 .9465 .9249 .8694	1.0000 .9644 .9358 .9109 .8477	1.0000 .9658 .9385 .9142 .8515	1.0000 .9670 .9405 .9166 .8539	1.0000 .9618 .9302 .9007 .8233
90	.7721 .7138 .6638 .6179 .5784	.7541 .7070 .6690 .6351 .6058	.8242 .7843 .7501 .7181 .6893	.7971 .7529 .7154 .6802 .6486	.8001 .7550 .7166 .6811 .6496	.8016 .7549 .7148 .6771 .6435	.7601 .7048 .6581 .6151 .5774
243	.5420 .5105 .4813 .4558 .4320	.5784 .5541 .5306 .5095 .4891	.6614 .6359 .6107 .5874 .5645	.6179 .5896 .5617 .5358 .5102	.6195 .5921 .5655 .5411 .5171	.6109 .5812 .5521 .5253 .4989	.5416 .5094 .4784 .4503 .4230
547	.3257 .2500 .1969 .1585 .1264	.3947 .3301 .2782 .2311 .1883	.4512 .3665 .3026 .2543 .2158	.3839 .2942 .2292 .1795 .1405	.3964 .3014 .2259 .1663 .1214	.3669 .2673 .1940 .1388 .0969	.2920 .1988 .1390 .1026 .0769
1460	.0980 .0784 .0679 .0538 .0431	.1497 .1210 .1055 .0879 .0759	.1803 .1468 .1173 .0732 .0453	.1077 .0797 .0571 .0291 .0157	.0870 .0608 .0415 .0180 .0067	.0652 .0428 .0268 .0085 .0024	.0559 .0388 .0258 .0087 .0011
2920	.0342 .0266 .0197 .0135 .0083	.0672 .0603 .0545 .0495 .0449	.0289 .0196 .0142 .0110 .0089	.0087 .0048 .0026 .0014 .0007	.0022 .0007 .0002 .0001 .0000	.0005 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
4745	.0043 .0018 .0006 .0002 .0001	.0406 .0365 .0326 .0289 .0252	.0074 .0062 .0052 .0043 .0035	.0003 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0217 .0183 .0150 .0118 .0087	.0028 .0022 .0017 .0013 .0009	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0057 .0028 .0000	.0006 .0003 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000
ALOS*	287	246	356	292	304	312	271

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 12—Continued

Days from			-	Age at Admissio	n					
Admission	<45	45–54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95+			
	Total									
0	1.0000 .9609 .9293 .9003 .8243	1.0000 .9585 .9249 .8949 .8215	1.0000 .9641 .9350 .9089 .8417	1.0000 .9624 .9322 .9056 .8380	1.0000 .9600 .9286 .9008 .8304	1.0000 .9635 .9346 .9086 .8408	1.0000 .9574 .9226 .8904 .8074			
90	.7619 .7074 .6619 .6207 .5852	.7676 .7236 .6880 .6557 .6274	.7873 .7402 .7009 .6651 .6339	.7837 .7367 .6971 .6605 .6282	.7738 .7247 .6836 .6457 .6125	.7846 .7348 .6923 .6528 .6179	.7414 .6847 .6377 .5949			
243. 273. 304. 334. 365.	.5523 .5235 .4964 .4725 .4499	.6004 .5758 .5517 .5295 .5076	.6044 .5781 .5529 .5300 .5078	.5973 .5693 .5420 .5169 .4923	.5809 .5525 .5250 .4999 .4754	.5844 .5541 .5247 .4979 .4716	.5225 .4913 .4613 .4343 .4081			
547	.3476 .2780 .2307 .1953 .1645	.4000 .3227 .2641 .2169 .1791	.4009 .3225 .2620 .2136 .1743	.3718 .2839 .2185 .1684 .1297	.3551 .2644 .1954 .1433 .1047	.3423 .2459 .1753 .1233 .0850	.2833 .1930 .1332 .0965 .0716			
1460	.1362 .1137 .0976 .0735 .0564	.1485 .1266 .1131 .0947 .0806	.1410 .1129 .0892 .0551 .0345	.0978 .0706 .0482 .0219 .0110	.0750 .0523 .0353 .0144 .0050	.0564 .0365 .0225 .0069 .0019	.0520 .0358 .0232 .0075			
2920	.0437 .0338 .0260 .0197 .0146	.0692 .0594 .0508 .0432 .0363	.0218 .0139 .0089 .0057 .0037	.0058 .0032 .0017 .0009 .0005	.0016 .0005 .0001 .0001	.0004 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000			
\$745 5110 5475 5840 5205	.0107 .0076 .0054 .0038 .0026	.0302 .0248 .0201 .0162 .0130	.0024 .0015 .0010 .0006 .0004	.0002 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	0000. 0000. 0000. 0000.			
5570 5935 7300 7665	.0018 .0012 .0008 .0005 .0003	.0102 .0079 .0060 .0043 .0029	.0002 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	0000. 0000. 0000. 0000.			
3395 3760 9125	.0002 .0001 .0000	.0018 .0008 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	0000. 0000. 0000.			
ALOS*	260	247	292	274	258	282	243			

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 13

PROPORTION OF DAYS AFTER THE PERIOD SHOWN;
ALL STAYS; BENEFIT PERIOD CONCEPT; UNADJUSTED 1985 NNHS EXPERIENCE

Days from			F	Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95+
			Males				
0	1.0000 .9873 .9763 .9660 .9375	1.0000 .9835 .9696 .9562 .9198	1.0000 .9849 .9722 .9605 .9285	1.0000 .9775 .9589 .9417 .8960	1.0000 .9673 .9411 .9173 .8561	1.0000 .9685 .9436 .9212 .8612	1.0000 .9553 .9186 .8855 .7998
90	.9121 .8886 .8679 .8482 .8304	.8895 .8622 .8384 .8158 .7951	.9005 .8746 .8516 .8294 .8092	.8570 .8218 .7912 .7622 .7360	.8052 .7597 .7206 .6839 .6511	.8090 .7613 .7200 .6812 .6467	.7332 .6778 .6332 .5938 .5605
243	.8132 .7974 .7819 .7674 .7530	.7748 .7559 .7369 .7192 .7013	.7894 .7710 .7527 .7357 .7188	.7105 .6870 .6636 .6418 .6199	.6193 .5904 .5620 .5358 .5101	.6136 .5837 .5545 .5277 .5013	.5298 .5028 .4773 .4544 .4321
547	.6784 .6191 .5712 .5271 .4840	.6083 .5366 .4792 .4275 .3828	.6325 .5637 .5034 .4446 .3896	.5053 .4124 .3357 .2680 .2110	.3808 .2827 .2117 .1620 .1263	.3656 .2569 .1771 .1228 .0859	.3199 .2217 .1405 .0926 .0687
1460	.4409 .3981 .3552 .2806 .2236	.3447 .3095 .2775 .2273 .1833	.3418 .3002 .2616 .1966 .1457	.1641 .1239 .0880 .0413 .0201	.0986 .0771 .0603 .0359 .0205	.0588 .0393 .0251 .0067 .0004	.0521 .0370 .0223 .0065 .0036
2920	.1776 .1394 .1071 .0800 .0576	.1451 .1124 .0851 .0629 .0452	.1064 .0764 .0539 .0374 .0254	.0102 .0054 .0030 .0018 .0011	.0114 .0063 .0035 .0021 .0013	0000. 0000. 0000. 0000.	.0025 .0018 .0014 .0010 .0007
4745	.0398 .0265 .0172 .0112 .0072	.0317 .0218 .0148 .0100 .0067	.0170 .0112 .0073 .0047 .0031	.0007 .0004 .0003 .0002 .0001	.0008 .0005 .0004 .0002 .0002	,0000, 0000, 0000, 0000,	.0005 .0003 .0001 .0000
6570	.0047 .0030 .0019 .0011 .0006	.0045 .0030 .0019 .0012 .0007	.0020 .0013 .0008 .0005 .0003	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0003 .0001 .0000	.0004 .0002 .0000	.0001 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	0000. 0000. 0000.	.0000 .0000 .0000
*Average length	813	636	711	463	317	331	236

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 13-Continued

Days from			- /	Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Female	s			,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.9869	.9879	.9881	.9825	.9811	.9790	.9765
	.9761	.9774	.9782	.9680	.9652	.9615	.9566
	.9657	.9679	.9690	.9549	.9507	.9453	.9379
	.9359	.9427	.9439	.9197	.9119	.9016	.8858
90	.9075	.9218	.9221	.8896	.8780	.8638	.8387
	.8796	.9029	.9021	.8619	.8466	.8289	.7945
	.8542	.8864	.8843	.8375	.8188	.7980	.7556
	.8294	.8706	.8671	.8140	.7921	.7682	.7189
	.8069	.8561	.8512	.7923	.7677	.7410	.6862
243.	.7851	.8417	.8355	.7708	.7437	.7140	.6549
273.	.7651	.8283	.8207	.7507	.7215	.6889	.6269
304.	.7456	.8148	.8057	.7304	.6993	.6637	.5998
334.	.7275	.8022	.7916	.7112	.6786	.6400	.5752
365.	.7097	.7896	.7773	.6917	.6578	.6163	.5513
547	.6154	.7246	.6997	.5860	.5468	.4902	.4349
	.5326	.6722	.6314	.4966	.4511	.3858	.3454
	.4682	.6256	.5712	.4244	.3692	.3013	.2766
	.4197	.5803	.5189	.3635	.2985	.2312	.2221
	.3779	.5363	.4723	.3113	.2390	.1740	.1787
1460	.3376	.4947	.4279	.2660	.1889	.1289	.1431
	.3018	.4565	.3863	.2265	.1477	.0949	.1124
	.2731	.4221	.3473	.1904	.1142	.0678	.0856
	.2255	.3646	.2788	.1318	.0663	.0292	.0440
	.1831	.3179	.2245	.0916	.0377	.0098	.0157
2920	.1440	.2798	.1827	.0641	.0213	.0025	.0028
	.1075	.2484	.1509	.0452	.0123	.0005	.0000
	.0740	.2221	.1267	.0322	.0073	.0001	.0000
	.0454	.1995	.1081	.0231	.0045	.0000	.0000
	.0236	.1796	.0933	.0168	.0030	.0000	.0000
4745	.0095 .0026 .0004 .0001 .0000	.1614 .1444 .1282 .1128 .0980	.0811 .0704 .0609 .0521 .0441	.0123 .0090 .0066 .0048 .0035	.0020 .0014 .0010 .0007 .0005	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0838 .0702 .0572 .0447 .0328	.0367 .0300 .0238 .0182 .0130	.0025 .0018 .0012 .0008 .0005	.0004 .0002 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0000	.0214	.0083	.0003	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0000	.0105	.0040	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
ALOS*	811	900	888	603	561	500	445

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 13—Continued

Days from			A	ge at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Total				
0	1.0000 .9865 .9751 .9642 .9334	1.0000 .9854 .9729 .9611 .9295	1.0000 .9865 .9752 .9647 .9361	1.0000 .9807 .9647 .9500 .9110	1.0000 .9777 .9593 .9425 .8981	1.0000 .9768 .9577 .9402 .8930	1.0000 .9730 .9503 .9291 .8711
90	.9054 .8788 .8550 .8322 .8116	.9031 .8793 .8586 .8388 .8207	.9112 .8882 .8677 .8480 .8299	.8777 .8472 .8205 .7948 .7715	.8599 .8249 .7942 .7649 .7383	.8522 .8146 .7815 .7498 .7209	.8204 .7741 .7340 .6966 .6637
243	.7916 .7733 .7553 .7387 .7221	.8029 .7862 .7695 .7539 .7382	.8119 .7952 .7785 .7628 .7471	.7484 .7269 .7053 .6850 .6645	.7123 .6883 .6644 .6422 .6201	.6926 .6663 .6402 .6158 .5913	.6324 .6044 .5775 .5530 .5293
547	.6358 .5648 .5090 .4626 .4198	.6567 .5923 .5380 .4877 .4424	.6641 .5948 .5342 .4790 .4290	.5546 .4634 .3891 .3254 .2711	.5039 .4073 .3278 .2624 .2090	.4625 .3564 .2724 .2056 .1530	.4127 .3212 .2502 .1967 .1562
1460	.3778 .3388 .3044 .2464 .1978	.4024 .3653 .3319 .2789 .2338	.3835 .3422 .3036 .2366 .1839	.2248 .1847 .1483 .0936 .0603	.1647 .1288 .0999 .0583 .0332	.1120 .0813 .0572 .0235 .0073	.1228 .0933 .0671 .0310 .0115
2920	.1556 .1184 .0858 .0583 .0363	.1958 .1639 .1373 .1151 .0965	.1433 .1124 .0891 .0714 .0579	.0395 .0264 .0179 .0123 .0085	.0187 .0107 .0063 .0039 .0025	.0017 .0003 .0000 .0000	.0029 .0004 .0000 .0000
4745	.0203 .0101 .0046 .0021 .0010	.0809 .0676 .0562 .0463 .0377	.0474 .0389 .0319 .0259 .0208	.0060 .0042 .0029 .0021 .0014	.0017 .0012 .0008 .0006 .0004	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0004 .0002 .0001 .0000	.0303 .0239 .0184 .0136 .0094	.0165 .0129 .0097 .0071 .0049	.0010 .0007 .0004 .0003 .0002	.0003 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0058 .0027 .0000	.0030 .0014 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000
ALOS*	775	728	789	543	472	451	388

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 14

Proportion of Days after the Period Shown;
Insurable Stays; Benefit Period Concept; Unadjusted 1985 NNHS Experience

Days from			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95+
			Males				
0	1.0000 .9860 .9741 .9626 .9315	1.0000 .9821 .9672 .9531 .9144	1.0000 .9815 .9661 .9520 .9140	1.0000 .9757 .9556 .9372 .8886	1.0000 .9665 .9398 .9154 .8529	1.0000 .9675 .9419 .9187 .8568	1.0000 .9528 .9131 .8771 .7836
90	.9049 .8808 .8600 .8404 .8228	.8815 .8515 .8249 .7992 .7756	.8813 .8515 .8254 .8005 .7780	.8475 .8107 .7788 .7488 .7217	.8007 .7540 .7139 .6763 .6427	.8034 .7549 .7131 .6739 .6391	.7114 .6518 .6045 .5632 .5289
243. 273. 304. 334. 365.	.8058 .7902 .7748 .7604 .7462	.7520 .7299 .7076 .6867 .6656	.7561 .7360 .7162 .6979 .6799	.6954 .6711 .5470 .6244 .6018	.6102 .5806 .5516 .5249 .4987	.6058 .5757 .5463 .5193 .4927	.4977 .4709 .4458 .4235 .4022
547	.6726 .6137 .5634 .5156 .4684	.5574 .4796 .4210 .3694 .3249	.5897 .5204 .4605 .4027 .3510	.4834 .3883 .3110 .2439 .1888	.3676 .2692 .1989 .1503 .1159	.3561 .2463 .1660 .1123 .0767	.2971 .2059 .1302 .0856 .0635
1460 1642 1825 2190 2555	.4211 .3742 .3272 .2444 .1810	.2860 .2493 .2169 .1703 .1311	.3086 .2717 .2358 .1735 .1268	.1449 .1083 .0761 .0348 .0164	.0895 .0693 .0539 .0314 .0176	.0512 .0331 .0200 .0042 .0000	.0482 .0341 .0205 .0060 .0033
2920. 3285. 3650. 4015. 4380.	.1325 .0956 .0678 .0471 .0321	.0990 .0733 .0533 .0381 .0268	.0914 .0646 .0444 .0295 .0189	.0080 .0041 .0022 .0013 .0007	.0095 .0051 .0027 .0014 .0008	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0023 .0017 .0013 .0009 .0007
4745	.0214 .0141 .0091 .0059 .0038	.0186 .0128 .0087 .0059 .0040	.0115 .0067 .0038 .0022 .0012	.0005 .0003 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0004 .0002 .0001 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0005 .0003 .0001 .0000
6570	.0025 .0016 .0010 .0006 .0003	.0027 .0018 .0012 .0007 .0004	.0007 .0004 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0002 .0001 .0000	.0002 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000
ALOS*	710	578	579	428	309	320	223

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 14-Continued

Days from			/	Age at Admissio	n						
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95+				
		Females									
0	1.0000 .9895 .9812 .9734 .9513	1.0000 .9893 .9801 .9715 .9490	1.0000 .9872 .9767 .9668 .9401	1.0000 .9817 .9665 .9527 .9162	1.0000 .9804 .9641 .9491 .9093	1.0000 .9791 .9618 .9458 .9025	1.0000 .9763 .9563 .9375 .8854				
90	.9298 .9083 .8880 .8676 .8484	.9304 .9136 .8990 .8848 .8717	.9172 .8962 .8776 .8596 .8430	.8851 .8567 .8318 .8078 .7858	.8746 .8426 .8143 .7872 .7625	.8651 .8306 .8001 .7707 .7438	.8382 .7941 .7553 .7186 .6861				
243	.8289 .8106 .7921 .7747 .7572	.8586 .8463 .8338 .8219 .8098	.8265 .8109 .7951 .7802 .7650	.7640 .7435 .7229 .7034 .6837	.7382 .7157 .6933 .6723 .6513	.7172 .6924 .6676 .6443 .6209	.6551 .6273 .6004 .5761 .5525				
547	.6621 .5726 .4911 .4272 .3759	.7441 .6914 .6472 .6050 .5642	.6833 .6138 .5541 .5024 .4563	.5765 .4863 .4146 .3553 .3047	.5392 .4431 .3611 .2908 .2321	.4967 .3936 .3094 .2389 .1807	.4378 .3501 .2813 .2259 .1816				
1460	.3279 .2861 .2542 .2027 .1581	.5271 .4930 .4594 .3968 .3428	.4121 .3694 .3269 .2552 .2044	.2603 .2213 .1857 .1281 .0891	.1829 .1425 .1095 .0625 .0349	.1345 .0999 .0725 .0329 .0121	.1455 .1143 .0870 .0447 .0160				
2920	.1200 .0881 .0621 .0418 .0267	.2975 .2603 .2296 .2040 .1820	.1676 .1401 .1189 .1022 .0886	.0629 .0453 .0334 .0251 .0193	.0195 .0111 .0066 .0041 .0027	.0036 .0009 .0002 .0000	.0029 .0000 .0000 .0000				
4745	.0161 .0092 .0051 .0029 .0016	.1624 .1444 .1275 .1114 .0962	.0771 .0671 .0580 .0497 .0421	.0151 .0119 .0093 .0073 .0057	.0019 .0013 .0010 .0007 .0005	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000				
6570	.0009 .0005 .0003 .0001	.0818 .0682 .0553 .0430 .0314	.0351 .0287 .0228 .0174 .0125	.0043 .0033 .0024 .0017 .0011	.0004 .0002 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000				
8395 8760 9125	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0203 .0099 .0000	.0080 .0038 .0000	.0007 .0003 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000				
ALOS*	995	1019	829	578	543	504	440				

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 14-Continued

Days from			1	ge at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95 +
			Total				
0	1.0000 .9872 .9767 .9666 .9386	1.0000 .9847 .9718 .9596 .9268	1.0000 .9846 .9718 .9599 .9280	1.0000 .9795 .9625 .9470 .9059	1.0000 .9770 .9581 .9408 .8952	1.0000 .9767 .9576 .9400 .8928	1.0000 .9724 .9492 .9276 .8683
90	.9133 .8893 .8677 .8467 .8274	.8992 .8741 .8520 .8306 .8109	.9006 .8754 .8532 .8320 .8125	.8711 .8396 .8120 .7856 .7616	.8561 .8204 .7891 .7592 .7322	.8520 .8146 .7816 .7501 .7214	.8165 .7694 .7289 .6912 .6582
243 273 304 334 365	.8083 .7905 .7727 .7561 .7394	.7913 .7728 .7541 .7364 .7185	.7933 .7754 .7575 .7407 .7239	.7380 .7159 .6938 .6730 .6521	.7058 .6814 .6572 .6347 .6122	.6933 .6672 .6413 .6170 .5928	.6269 .5991 .5723 .5481 .5247
547	.6513 .5757 .5099 .4527 .4010	.6249 .5542 .4980 .4470 .4015	.6367 .5666 .5066 .4522 .4037	.5396 .4468 .3724 .3097 .2570	.4947 .3975 .3181 .2532 .2009	.4649 .3593 .2753 .2080 .1549	.4104 .3211 .2508 .1971 .1564
1460	.3511 .3063 .2690 .2077 .1578	.3612 .3235 .2896 .2377 .1936	.3601 .3197 .2797 .2111 .1610	.2120 .1732 .1382 .0859 .0546	.1576 .1226 .0945 .0542 .0303	.1135 .0826 .0586 .0248 .0081	.1230 .0934 .0672 .0311 .0115
2920	.1176 .0857 .0608 .0419 .0280	.1572 .1278 .1042 .0856 .0707	.1239 .0960 .0749 .0588 .0462	.0356 .0238 .0163 .0115 .0082	.0168 .0094 .0054 .0033 .0021	.0020 .0004 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0029 .0004 .0000 .0000
4745	.0181 .0114 .0071 .0044 .0027	.0587 .0489 .0405 .0333 .0271	.0364 .0286 .0224 .0174 .0134	.0060 .0044 .0033 .0024 .0018	.0014 .0010 .0007 .0005 .0003	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	0000. 0000. 0000. 0000.
5570	.0017 .0010 .0006 .0004 .0002	.0217 .0171 .0131 .0097 .0067	.0102 .0077 .0056 .0039 .0026	.0013 .0009 .0006 .0004 .0003	.0002 .0002 .0001 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	0000. 0000. 0000. 0000.
8395 8760 9125	.0001 .0000 .0000	.0041 .0019 .0000	.0015 .0007 .0000	.0002 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	0000. 0000. 0000.
ALOS*	797	693	691	512	458	449	380

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 15

Proportion of Days after the Period Shown;
All Stays; Stay Concept; Adjusted to Match 1985 NNHS Residents

Days from			P	ge at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95 +
			Males				
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.9751	.9729	.9720	.9723	.9626	.9658	.9592
	.9545	.9510	.9489	.9495	.9328	.9387	.9257
	.9355	.9308	.9277	.9286	.9061	.9141	.8952
	.8847	.8795	.8710	.8733	.8382	.8485	.8166
90	.8422	.8391	.8229	.8264	.7826	.7924	.7550
	.8044	.8043	.7801	.7843	.7336	.7417	.7027
	.7722	.7747	.7439	.7483	.6921	.6983	.6595
	.7423	.7470	.7106	.7149	.6536	.6579	.6203
	.7158	.7220	.6817	.6854	.6196	.6224	.5863
243	.6906	.6976	.6545	.6574	.5871	.5887	.5544
	.6680	.6748	.6303	.6321	.5577	.5586	.5260
	.6461	.6521	.6071	.6076	.5293	.5296	.4987
	.6262	.6308	.5862	.5852	.5033	.5033	.4742
	.6069	.6094	.5658	.5632	.4780	.4778	.4504
547	.5144	.4974	.4660	.4523	.3544	.3537	.3336
	.4473	.4102	.3886	.3629	.2631	.2588	.2385
	.3986	.3434	.3242	.2900	.1976	.1854	.1623
	.3587	.2915	.2665	.2305	.1515	.1311	.1110
	.3213	.2512	.2166	.1831	.1171	.0924	.0824
1460	.2843	.2190	.1765	.1436	.0889	.0635	.0652
	.2492	.1949	.1465	.1087	.0657	.0424	.0515
	.2169	.1769	.1224	.0779	.0466	.0277	.0382
	.1629	.1487	.0857	.0390	.0205	.0101	.0208
	.1241	.1249	.0611	.0211	.0081	.0031	.0142
2920	.0972	.1038	.0434	.0123	.0029	.0008	.0106
	.0789	.0846	.0303	.0076	.0010	.0002	.0083
	.0660	.0666	.0204	.0050	.0003	.0000	.0065
	.0567	.0499	.0131	.0034	.0001	.0000	.0051
	.0493	.0349	.0079	.0024	.0000	.0000	.0038
4745	.0431 .0377 .0327 .0282 .0240	.0225 .0133 .0075 .0042 .0023	.0044 .0022 .0011 .0005 .0003	.0017 .0012 .0009 .0007 .0005	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0027 .0017 .0007 .0002 .0000
6570	.0201 .0165 .0131 .0101 .0073	.0013 .0007 .0004 .0002 .0001	.0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0003 .0002 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0046	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0022	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
ALOS*	416	377	379	374	276	305	254

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 15—Continued

Days from				Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95 +
			Female	s			
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.9764	.9747	.9809	.9763	.9766	.9767	.9732
	.9566	.9529	.9648	.9567	.9574	.9576	.9505
	.9377	.9334	.9501	.9392	.9398	.9399	.9290
	.8858	.8831	.9109	.8929	.8931	.8921	.8710
90	.8389	.8429	.8774	.8539	.8529	.8505	.8213
	.7948	.8082	.8468	.8185	.8163	.8121	.7762
	.7560	.7790	.8198	.7875	.7842	.7782	.7368
	.7194	.7520	.7940	.7578	.7538	.7457	.6996
	.6871	.7282	.7704	.7307	.7263	.7161	.6663
243.	.6565	.7053	.7472	.7039	.6995	.6871	.6340
273.	.6294	.6846	.7256	.6790	.6749	.6603	.6045
304.	.6036	.6644	.7042	.6542	.6505	.6337	.5757
334.	.5806	.6459	.6842	.6310	.6280	.6090	.5492
365.	.5586	.6277	.6643	.6078	.6055	.5843	.5230
547	.4544	.5392	.5621	.4891	.4890	.4567	.3921
	.3743	.4733	.4806	.3981	.3921	.3542	.2916
	.3136	.4177	.4153	.3274	.3113	.2737	.2207
	.2664	.3661	.3627	.2699	.2440	.2091	.1723
	.2255	.3184	.3187	.2224	.1902	.1570	.1355
1460	.1882	.2743	.2774	.1809	.1464	.1150	.1039
	.1603	.2394	.2379	.1443	.1110	.0831	.0772
	.1431	.2178	.2022	.1132	.0832	.0586	.0556
	.1179	.1897	.1452	.0703	.0451	.0263	.0242
	.0974	.1687	.1046	.0448	.0226	.0110	.0069
2920.	.0797	.1521	.0772	.0289	.0109	.0040	.0015
3285.	.0638	.1383	.0591	.0185	.0053	.0012	.0003
3650.	.0492	.1262	.0470	.0116	.0027	.0003	.0001
4015.	.0357	.1153	.0387	.0071	.0016	.0001	.0000
4380.	.0239	.1052	.0327	.0041	.0010	.0000	.0000
4745	.0144 .0077 .0037 .0018 .0009	.0956 .0864 .0775 .0688 .0603	.0280 .0240 .0205 .0173 .0145	.0023 .0012 .0006 .0003 .0002	.0007 .0005 .0003 .0003 .0002	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0004 .0002 .0001 .0000	.0521 .0440 .0362 .0286 .0212	.0119 .0096 .0076 .0057 .0040	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0000	.0139	.0026	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0000	.0069	.0012	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
ALOS*	435	420	553	444	449	449	391

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 15—Continued

Days from				Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65–74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Total				
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
	.9753	.9752	.9768	.9750	.9731	.9745	.9707
	.9547	.9546	.9575	.9543	.9513	.9538	.9461
	.9355	.9358	.9399	.9356	.9315	.9347	.9230
	.8837	.8875	.8927	.8864	.8795	.8832	.8615
90	.8391	.8492	.8526	.8447	.8354	.8387	.8097
	.7987	.8162	.8165	.8071	.7956	.7978	.7634
	.7637	.7882	.7852	.7744	.7611	.7620	.7236
	.7311	.7622	.7559	.7435	.7285	.7278	.6862
	.7023	.7389	.7298	.7156	.6993	.6969	.6530
243	.6749	.7162	.7046	.6884	.6710	.6669	.6210
	.6504	.6953	.6818	.6634	.6451	.6394	.5919
	.6269	.6745	.6595	.6387	.6196	.6122	.5636
	.6057	.6552	.6389	.6158	.5961	.5871	.5377
	.5852	.6359	.6187	.5931	.5729	.5622	.5123
547	.4873	.5376	.5173	.4773	.4545	.4350	.3852
	.4146	.4616	.4375	.3866	.3592	.3338	.2865
	.3609	.4003	.3724	.3147	.2825	.2546	.2149
	.3180	.3486	.3177	.2562	.2208	.1920	.1660
	.2795	.3052	.2712	.2085	.1720	.1428	.1298
1460	.2435	.2683	.2304	.1674	.1322	.1037	.0997
	.2134	.2400	.1947	.1312	.0999	.0741	.0739
	.1902	.2205	.1634	.1001	.0742	.0518	.0526
	.1533	.1916	.1148	.0585	.0388	.0228	.0230
	.1246	.1680	.0813	.0359	.0188	.0094	.0076
2920	.1017	.1478	.0579	.0227	.0087	.0034	.0023
	.0828	.1299	.0414	.0144	.0041	.0010	.0009
	.0670	.1138	.0297	.0091	.0021	.0003	.0005
	.0537	.0990	.0213	.0057	.0011	.0001	.0003
	.0424	.0854	.0153	.0034	.0007	.0000	.0001
4745	.0330 .0253 .0192 .0145 .0109	.0730 .0617 .0517 .0429 .0352	.0109 .0078 .0056 .0039 .0028	.0020 .0011 .0006 .0003 .0002	.0005 .0004 .0003 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0081 .0059 .0042 .0029 .0019	.0285 .0227 .0175 .0130 .0091	.0019 .0013 .0009 .0006 .0004	.0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0001 .0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395	.0011	.0057	.0002	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
8760	.0005	.0026	.0001	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
9125	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000	.0000
ALOS*	418	420	457	418	389	410	357

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 16

Proportion of Days after the Period Shown;
All Stays; Benefit Period Concept; Adjusted to Match 1985 NNHS Residents

Days from				Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95 +
			Males				
0	1.0000 .9889 .9793 .9702 .9449	1.0000 .9857 .9736 .9619 .9298	1.0000 .9867 .9756 .9652 .9366	1.0000 .9802 .9635 .9481 .9068	1.0000 .9714 .9483 .9271 .8720	1.0000 .9720 .9496 .9292 .8743	1.0000 .9612 .9291 .8999 .8232
90	.9221 .9009 .8820 .8639 .8475	.9027 .8779 .8562 .8354 .8163	.9113 .8876 .8664 .8459 .8271	.8711 .8384 .8097 .7823 .7575	.8253 .7831 .7465 .7118 .6806	.8259 .7813 .7422 .7053 .6722	.7624 .7107 .6684 .6306 .5982
243	.8315 .8167 .8022 .7886 .7750	.7974 .7798 .7621 .7455 .7287	.8086 .7914 .7742 .7582 .7422	.7332 .7107 .6883 .6672 .6461	.6503 .6225 .5951 .5697 .5447	.6402 .6111 .5827 .5564 .5304	.5680 .5414 .5160 .4930 .4706
547	.7040 .6465 .5992 .5554 .5125	.6406 .5712 .5147 .4632 .4183	.6596 .5926 .5332 .4752 .4206	.5344 .4424 .3651 .2963 .2376	.4173 .3185 .2451 .1921 .1531	.3955 .2854 .2026 .1444 .1035	.3560 .2547 .1696 .1172 .0895
1460	.4696 .4269 .3842 .3091 .2502	.3794 .3434 .3103 .2574 .2104	.3726 .3303 .2910 .2236 .1697	.1884 .1458 .1073 .0554 .0295	.1221 .0975 .0780 .0488 .0295	.0728 .0500 .0331 .0101 .0013	.0697 .0515 .0337 .0133 .0081
2920	.2018 .1608 .1258 .0958 .0708	.1692 .1335 .1031 .0780 .0576	.1271 .0938 .0682 .0487 .0343	.0163 .0094 .0056 .0035 .0022	.0175 .0104 .0062 .0039 .0025	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0057 .0043 .0033 .0025 .0019
4745	.0504 .0348 .0236 .0159 .0107	.0416 .0295 .0207 .0145 .0101	.0237 .0162 .0110 .0074 .0050	.0015 .0010 .0007 .0005 .0003	.0017 .0012 .0008 .0006 .0004	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0013 .0008 .0003 .0000
6570	.0071 .0047 .0030 .0019 .0011	.0070 .0047 .0032 .0020 .0012	.0033 .0022 .0014 .0009 .0005	.0002 .0001 .0001 .0001 .0000	.0003 .0002 .0001 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0006 .0002 .0000	.0007 .0003 .0000	.0003 .0001 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000
ALOS*	936	737	813	527	364	374	272

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 16-Continued

Days from			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	ge at Admissio	n		***************************************
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	8594	95+
			Female	s			
0	1.0000 .9883 .9787 .9693 .9424	1.0000 .9897 .9807 .9725 .9504	1.0000 .9896 .9810 .9728 .9505	1.0000 .9847 .9719 .9602 .9286	1.0000 .9832 .9690 .9559 .9206	1.0000 .9811 .9654 .9507 .9106	1.0000 .9790 .9612 .9443 .8971
90	.9167 .8913 .8681 .8453 .8246	.9319 .9149 .9000 .8856 .8723	.9310 .9127 .8964 .8806 .8660	.9011 .8757 .8531 .8311 .8108	.8894 .8603 .8343 .8091 .7861	.8755 .8428 .8137 .7854 .7594	.8540 .8134 .7772 .7428 .7120
243	.8043 .7856 .7673 .7504 .7336	.8591 .8467 .8343 .8226 .8108	.8514 .8376 .8237 .8105 .7972	.7906 .7717 .7525 .7343 .7159	.7633 .7421 .7210 .7011 .6811	.7336 .7095 .6853 .6624 .6395	.6824 .6556 .6296 .6059 .5827
547	.6438 .5641 .5009 .4521 .4096	.7499 .6998 .6549 .6110 .5684	.7243 .6593 .6016 .5507 .5051	.6151 .5288 .4578 .3971 .3445	.5737 .4799 .3986 .3276 .2671	.5165 .4131 .3281 .2563 .1969	.4680 .3780 .3072 .2502 .2039
1460	.3685 .3316 .3016 .2509 .2052	.5280 .4905 .4565 .3988 .3511	.4614 .4203 .3815 .3126 .2570	.2982 .2574 .2199 .1579 .1137	.2153 .1722 .1364 .0838 .0507	.1491 .1122 .0822 .0383 .0146	.1652 .1315 .1017 .0546 .0214
2920	.1629 .1231 .0864 .0546 .0297	.3115 .2783 .2500 .2254 .2034	.2130 .1788 .1521 .1311 .1140	.0824 .0601 .0442 .0328 .0245	.0306 .0188 .0119 .0078 .0053	.0046 .0012 .0003 .0001 .0000	.0049 .0004 .0000 .0000
4745	.0131 .0042 .0010 .0002 .0001	.1833 .1643 .1462 .1289 .1122	.0996 .0870 .0756 .0650 .0552	.0184 .0138 .0104 .0077 .0057	.0038 .0027 .0020 .0015 .0011	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0961 .0807 .0659 .0516 .0379	.0462 .0379 .0303 .0232 .0167	.0042 .0030 .0021 .0015 .0009	.0008 .0005 .0004 .0002 .0002	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0248 .0121 .0000	.0107 .0051 .0000	.0005 .0002 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 0000. 0000.
ALOS*	915	1054	1023	690	633	560	502

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 16-Continued

Days from			P	ge at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75-84	85-94	95+
	······································		Total				
0	1.0000 .9881 .9780 .9683 .9409	1.0000 .9874 .9767 .9665 .9388	1.0000 .9882 .9783 .9690 .9436	1.0000 .9830 .9688 .9558 .9207	1.0000 .9803 .9640 .9489 .9087	1.0000 .9792 .9621 .9462 .9030	1.0000 .9761 .9559 .9369 .8845
90	.9156 .8915 .8698 .8489 .8299	.9153 .8939 .8751 .8570 .8404	.9212 .9002 .8815 .8633 .8465	.8902 .8621 .8373 .8133 .7913	.8737 .8413 .8126 .7851 .7599	.8652 .8300 .7988 .7686 .7411	.8382 .7954 .7581 .7229 .6917
243. 273. 304. 334. 365.	.8113 .7942 .7773 .7617 .7461	.8239 .8085 .7931 .7785 .7639	.8299 .8144 .7988 .7841 .7693	.7695 .7491 .7287 .7093 .6898	.7352 .7124 .6896 .6683 .6470	.7140 .6887 .6635 .6399 .6162	.6619 .6350 .6090 .5853 .5622
547	.6640 .5952 .5402 .4937 .4506	.6873 .6255 .5727 .5234 .4788	.6908 .6242 .5654 .5114 .4621	.5843 .4954 .4217 .3578 .3026	.5342 .4389 .3594 .2928 .2376	.4902 .3848 .2997 .2307 .1753	.4467 .3543 .2810 .2246 .1809
1460	.4082 .3686 .3334 .2730 .2217	.4389 .4017 .3679 .3132 .2661	.4169 .3755 .3366 .2684 .2135	.2549 .2131 .1749 .1160 .0783	.1911 .1528 .1213 .0748 .0452	.1313 .0976 .0705 .0315 .0112	.1443 .1115 .0822 .0406 .0165
2920	.1765 .1363 .1007 .0701 .0453	.2258 .1915 .1623 .1376 .1167	.1702 .1365 .1103 .0900 .0741	.0536 .0373 .0263 .0187 .0134	.0273 .0166 .0104 .0068 .0046	.0032 .0008 .0002 .0000	.0049 .0009 .0001 .0000
4745	.0266 .0142 .0071 .0035 .0018	.0987 .0833 .0698 .0581 .0477	.0614 .0510 .0422 .0347 .0282	.0097 .0070 .0051 .0037 .0026	.0032 .0023 .0017 .0012 .0009	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0009 .0004 .0002 .0001 .0000	.0387 .0308 .0238 .0177 .0124	.0226 .0177 .0136 .0100 .0069	.0019 .0013 .0009 .0006 .0004	.0006 .0004 .0003 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0077 .0036 .0000	.0043 .0020 .0000	.0002 .0001 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000
ALOS*	884	850	907	621	537	507	440

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 17

PROPORTION OF DAYS AFTER THE PERIOD SHOWN;
INSURABLE STAYS; BENEFIT PERIOD CONCEPT; ADJUSTED TO MATCH 1985 NNHS RESIDENTS

Davs from				Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	<45	45-54	55-64	6574	75–84	85-94	95+
			Males				
0	1.0000 .9878 .9773 .9672 .9396	1.0000 .9844 .9713 .9589 .9245	1.0000 .9839 .9705 .9580 .9243	1.0000 .9786 .9607 .9442 .9003	1.0000 .9707 .9470 .9253 .8689	1.0000 .9711 .9480 .9270 .8703	1.0000 .9590 .9243 .8926 .8092
90 121 151 182 212	.9156 .8937 .8746 .8565 .8401	.8949 .8675 .8432 .8195 .7976	.8949 .8678 .8438 .8208 .7999	.8626 .8283 .7985 .7701 .7444	.8210 .7776 .7400 .7044 .6724	.8208 .7753 .7357 .6983 .6648	.7433 .6878 .6429 .6033 .5698
243	.8242 .8095 .7949 .7813 .7678	.7757 .7551 .7343 .7147 .6949	.7795 .7607 .7420 .7248 .7077	.7192 .6959 .6727 .6509 .6291	.6413 .6128 .5848 .5589 .5333	.6326 .6032 .5745 .5480 .5218	.5391 .5124 .4872 .4647 .4430
547	.6971 .6395 .5897 .5420 .4951	.5925 .5166 .4583 .4063 .3609	.6210 .5530 .4935 .4359 .3839	.5134 .4189 .3408 .2721 .2148	.4039 .3044 .2314 .1793 .1415	.3856 .2741 .1906 .1328 .0931	.3345 .2393 .1591 .1098 .0838
1460	.4480 .4012 .3544 .2710 .2056	.3209 .2829 .2490 .1988 .1561	.3406 .3025 .2653 .2000 .1498	.1683 .1290 .0941 .0474 .0245	.1117 .0885 .0704 .0432 .0256	.0640 .0427 .0269 .0069 .0006	.0652 .0481 .0314 .0124 .0076
2920. 3285. 3650. 4015. 4380.	.1543 .1143 .0834 .0598 .0421	.1204 .0914 .0682 .0502 .0364	.1107 .0803 .0569 .0391 .0259	.0131 .0073 .0042 .0026 .0016	.0148 .0084 .0048 .0027 .0016	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0054 .0040 .0031 .0023 .0017
4745	.0292 .0199 .0134 .0091 .0061	.0261 .0185 .0131 .0092 .0064	.0166 .0102 .0062 .0037 .0022	.0011 .0007 .0005 .0003 .0002	.0009 .0006 .0004 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0012 .0007 .0003 .0000
6570	.0040 .0027 .0017 .0011 .0006	.0045 .0030 .0020 .0013 .0008	.0013 .0008 .0005 .0003 .0001	.0001 .0001 .0001 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0003 .0001 .0000	.0004 .0002 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000	.0000
ALOS*	820	667	669	488	355	361	258

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 17—Continued

Days from			A	Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65-74	75–84	85-94	95 +
			Female	s			
0	1.0000 .9905 .9829 .9758 .9554	1.0000 .9908 .9828 .9754 .9556	1.0000 .9889 .9797 .9711 .9474	1.0000 .9840 .9706 .9584 .9257	1.0000 .9826 .9680 .9546 .9184	1.0000 .9813 .9657 .9511 .9115	1.0000 .9789 .9610 .9441 .8968
90	.9356 .9156 .8968 .8778 .8598	.9390 .9238 .9105 .8974 .8854	.9268 .9078 .8908 .8742 .8589	.8974 .8714 .8483 .8259 .8054	.8865 .8568 .8303 .8048 .7814	.8768 .8445 .8158 .7879 .7622	.8538 .8131 .7770 .7428 .7121
243	.8417 .8245 .8072 .7908 .7743	.8733 .8619 .8504 .8393 .8281	.8436 .8292 .8145 .8006 .7865	.7849 .7656 .7462 .7278 .7091	.7583 .7369 .7154 .6953 .6751	.7368 .7130 .6892 .6667 .6441	.6827 .6561 .6304 .6069 .5840
547	.6841 .5988 .5206 .4580 .4068	.7667 .7166 .6739 .6330 .5934	.7098 .6436 .5862 .5358 .4906	.6070 .5199 .4494 .3901 .3389	.5665 .4722 .3908 .3200 .2601	.5231 .4210 .3364 .2644 .2041	.4710 .3826 .3119 .2540 .2068
1460	.3587 .3164 .2833 .2290 .1813	.5570 .5234 .4903 .4281 .3738	.4470 .4047 .3627 .2906 .2380	.2934 .2531 .2160 .1550 .1121	.2091 .1665 .1313 .0795 .0474	.1553 .1179 .0877 .0428 .0176	.1676 .1335 .1032 .0554 .0217
2920	.1400 .1050 .0759 .0527 .0350	.3276 .2889 .2565 .2290 .2051	.1986 .1684 .1446 .1254 .1095	.0821 .0612 .0464 .0359 .0282	.0283 .0172 .0109 .0072 .0050	.0062 .0019 .0006 .0002 .0001	.0049 .0004 .0000 .0000
4745	.0221 .0134 .0079 .0047 .0027	.1836 .1637 .1449 .1270 .1099	.0958 .0838 .0728 .0626 .0533	.0224 .0180 .0144 .0114 .0090	.0036 .0026 .0019 .0014 .0011	.0001 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0016 .0009 .0005 .0003 .0002	.0937 .0783 .0636 .0496 .0363	.0446 .0366 .0293 .0225 .0162	.0070 .0053 .0039 .0028 .0019	.0008 .0005 .0004 .0003 .0002	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0001 .0000 .0000	.0236 .0115 .0000	.0103 .0050 .0000	.0011 .0005 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000
ALOS*	1107	1186	959	664	614	565	497

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

TABLE 17—Continued

Days from			P	Age at Admissio	n		
Admission	< 45	45-54	55-64	65–74	75–84	85-94	95+
			Total		,		
0	1.0000 .9887 .9793 .9702 .9449	1.0000 .9868 .9756 .9650 .9360	1.0000 .9866 .9754 .9650 .9367	1.0000 .9820 .9670 .9532 .9163	1.0000 .9797 .9629 .9474 .9062	1.0000 .9792 .9620 .9461 .9029	1.0000 .9756 .9550 .9356 .8821
90	.9219 .8999 .8800 .8605 .8426	.9113 .8886 .8685 .8489 .8308	.9120 .8892 .8689 .8493 .8313	.8846 .8554 .8298 .8051 .7825	.8703 .8372 .8080 .7799 .7543	.8651 .8301 .7990 .7691 .7417	.8350 .7915 .7538 .7184 .6871
243	.8247 .8081 .7914 .7757 .7599	.8127 .7956 .7782 .7618 .7452	.8134 .7967 .7800 .7643 .7485	.7602 .7393 .7183 .6985 .6785	.7292 .7059 .6828 .6612 .6396	.7148 .6897 .6647 .6412 .6177	.6573 .6305 .6046 .5811 .5582
547	.6760 .6031 .5388 .4824 .4310	.6574 .5895 .5345 .4841 .4388	.6659 .5981 .5394 .4858 .4376	.5704 .4797 .4058 .3427 .2887	.5253 .4293 .3497 .2835 .2292	.4926 .3877 .3027 .2333 .1775	.4448 .3544 .2818 .2251 .1812
1460	.3812 .3361 .2980 .2344 .1817	.3984 .3603 .3256 .2716 .2250	.3939 .3531 .3127 .2424 .1896	.2422 .2015 .1645 .1079 .0721	.1836 .1461 .1153 .0700 .0417	.1331 .0992 .0723 .0331 .0124	.1445 .1118 .0824 .0406 .0165
2920	.1384 .1032 .0753 .0535 .0370	.1859 .1536 .1273 .1061 .0888	.1494 .1184 .0943 .0754 .0604	.0492 .0344 .0245 .0178 .0132	.0247 .0149 .0092 .0059 .0039	.0038 .0010 .0003 .0001	.0050 .0009 .0001 .0000 .0000
4745	.0249 .0164 .0106 .0069 .0045	.0746 .0626 .0524 .0435 .0357	.0484 .0387 .0308 .0243 .0190	.0099 .0075 .0057 .0043 .0032	.0027 .0020 .0014 .0010 .0007	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
6570	.0029 .0018 .0011 .0007 .0004	.0288 .0229 .0177 .0131 .0092	.0147 .0112 .0083 .0059 .0039	.0023 .0017 .0012 .0008 .0005	.0005 .0004 .0002 .0002 .0001	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000 .0000
8395 8760 9125	.0002 .0001 .0000	.0057 .0026 .0000	.0024 .0011 .0000	.0003 .0001 .0000	.0001 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000	.0000 .0000 .0000
ALOS*	904	805	798	586	521	505	431

<sup>\*</sup>Average length-of-stay.

## APPENDIX A

ESTIMATION OF THE NONINSTITUTIONALIZED POPULATION
OF THE CONTIGUOUS UNITED STATES,
INCLUDING THE ARMED FORCES OVERSEAS, ON APRIL 12, 1985,
AND OF THE TOTAL POPULATION OF THE CONTIGUOUS UNITED STATES,
INCLUDING THE ARMED FORCES OVERSEAS, ON OCTOBER 11, 1985

There are many estimates of the U.S. population, each of which represents a slightly different concept of types of persons included. The appropriate one must be determined to obtain meaningful admission rates. The most commonly quoted estimate is probably the Resident Population as counted by the Bureau of the Census every ten years and estimated (and projected) for other dates. This is the count on which congressional districts are determined. Other estimates include (1) the Total Population Including Armed Forces Overseas, (2) the Total Population Adjusted for Net Census Undercount, and (3) the Social Security Area Population, which includes the populations of Puerto Rico and other Outlying Areas controlled by the U.S. whose residents are covered by the Social Security program. Each of the these populations is progressively larger than the preceding one. A subset of the Resident Population is the Civilian Population, which excludes the Armed Forces stationed in the U.S. A subset of the Total Population Including Armed Forces Overseas is the Noninstitutionalized Population.

The desired population for the admission rates calculated in this report is the April 12, 1985 Noninstitutionalized Population (which includes the Armed Forces Overseas) Adjusted for Net Census Undercount and Excluding Alaska and Hawaii. The Armed Forces Overseas data were included in the desired population, because such a person who needed to be confined would likely be returned to the U.S. The adjustment for the net census undercount results in a more accurate estimate of the number of persons residing in the U.S. than the official count of residents, because (as the name of the adjustment implies) many persons are missed in the decennial census. Persons who were not counted by the census can be admitted to a nursing home, however, and be included in the National Nursing Home Survey (NNHS). Residents of Alaska and Hawaii could not be in the NNHS, so they were excluded from the desired population.

The desired population for the prevalence rates calculated in this report is the October 11, 1985 Total Population (Including Armed Forces Overseas) of the U.S. Adjusted for the Net Census Undercount and Excluding Alaska and Hawaii.

To estimate the desired noninstitutionalized population, the first step was to obtain an estimate of the July 1, 1984 total population from the Current Population Reports of the Bureau of the Census (P-25, No. 1045, issued January 1990). This provided an estimate by single year of age through age 99 and then the total for ages 100 and over. The population aged 100 and over was distributed by single year of age through age 110 according to the Lx column of the 1985 Life Table produced by the Office of the Actuary, Social Security Administration. In some cases, the population 99 and over was redistributed between age 99 and ages 100 and over to make a smoother progression through ages 98, 99, and 100.

Estimates of the resident populations of Alaska and Hawaii were obtained in age groups from the Bureau of the Census (P-25, No. 1044, issued August 1989). Within each age group, the population of each state was assumed to be distributed in proportion to the total U.S. population. These populations were subtracted from the total U.S. to obtain the total population of the 48 states plus Washington, D.C., that is, the contiguous U.S.

The Bureau of the Census publishes factors by age and sex to adjust estimates of the total population for the net census undercount (referred to as completeness-of-coverage estimates) and for the noninstitutionalized (P-25, No. 1045 has the factors for April 1, 1980). These factors were applied to the total population of the contiguous U.S. to obtain an estimate of the noninstitutionalized population including the undercount in this area. The factors are published by single year of age through age 99, with a single factor for ages 100 and over. For completeness of coverage, the aggregate factor for ages 100 and over was applied for each age. For the noninstitutionalized, the factor for each age 100 and over was taken as a percentage of the factor at the previous age. The percentage was calculated to produce the published aggregate factor for all ages 100 and over.

The above procedure was performed to obtain estimates of the noninstitutionalized population by sex on July 1 of 1984 and 1985. An estimate of the noninstitutionalized population on April 12, 1985 was obtained by linearly interpolating between the two July 1 populations. The resulting population estimate is shown in Table A1. The total population was obtained by summing the male and female populations.

The table on the next page summarizes the derivation of the April 12, 1985 noninstitutionalized population in broad age groups.

## Noninstitutionalized Population of the Contiguous U.S., Including Armed Forces Overseas and the Undercount, April 12, 1985 (Thousands)

	July 1, 1985					
Age Group	U.S. Population Including Armed Forces Overseas	Alaska and Hawaii	Undercount	Institu- tionalized	Change from April 12	April 12 Study Population
<65 65-84 85+	210,739 25,847 2,693	-1,456 -107 -9	3,365 - 19 131	-1,233 -933 -699	- 379 - 102 - 12	211,036 24,686 2,104
Total	239,279	-1,572	3,477	2,865	- 493	237,826

The same procedure (except for the application of the noninstitutionalized factor) was followed to estimate the desired total population on July 1 of 1985 and 1986. An estimate of the desired population on October 11, 1985 was obtained by linearly interpolating between the two July 1 population estimates. The estimated population is also shown in Table A1. The following table summarizes the derivation of the October 11, 1985 total population in broad age groups.

## Total Population of the Contiguous U.S., Including Armed Forces Overseas and the Undercount, October 11, 1985 (thousands)

	July 1, 1985	Adjustments						
Age Group	U.S. Population Including Armed Forces Overseas	Alaska and Hawaii	Undercount	Change to October 11	October 11 Study Population			
<65	210,739 25,847 2,693	-1,456 -107 -9	3,365 - 19 131	487 154 25	213,135 25,875 2,840			
Total	239,279	-1,572	3,477	666	241,850			

TABLE A1

POPULATION INCLUDING ARMED FORCES OVERSEAS OF CONTIGUOUS U.S.
INCLUDING UNDERCOUNT

	Noninstitut	ionalized as of Apri	1 12, 1985	Total as of October 11, 1985		
Age	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
<30	58,018,946	55,787,645	113,806,591	58,468,311	55,844,930	114,313,241
30	2,152,017	2,092,942	4,244,959	2,202,965	2,117,828	4,320,793
31	2,103,645	2,053,028	4,156,673	2,157,823	2,082,588	4,240,411
32	2,047,533	2,000,079	4,047,612	2,100,803	2,033,359	4,134,162
33	1,990,433	1,949,825	3,940,258	2,040,932	1,980,679	4,021,611
34	1,930,135	1,900,732	3,830,867	1,983,450	1,933,893	3,917,343
35 36 37 38	1,873,337 1,863,566 1,879,600 1,869,836 1,442,208	1,847,234 1,843,911 1,861,478 1,851,560 1,443,180	3,720,571 3,707,477 3,741,078 3,721,396 2,885,388	1,914,313 1,886,951 1,871,332 1,967,142 1,605,293	1,872,609 1,852,710 1,842,667 1,934,449 1,591,414	3,786,922 3,739,661 3,713,999 3,901,591 3,196,707
40	1,462,284	1,462,816	2,925,100	1,465,299	1,458,139	2,923,438
41	1,487,743	1,489,361	2,977,104	1,477,962	1,473,254	2,951,216
42	1,511,583	1,511,425	3,023,008	1,539,612	1,532,357	3,071,969
43	1,347,310	1,354,092	2,701,402	1,427,962	1,425,803	2,853,765
44	1,269,647	1,278,291	2,547,938	1,313,771	1,316,604	2,630,375
45	1,223,447	1,233,279	2,456,726	1,250,021	1,254,874	2,504,895
46	1,207,643	1,219,001	2,426,644	1,223,039	1,229,829	2,452,868
47	1,179,025	1,194,309	2,373,334	1,204,487	1,213,839	2,418,326
48	1,130,297	1,148,118	2,278,415	1,155,691	1,168,882	2,324,573
49	1,116,665	1,138,628	2,255,293	1,127,313	1,145,944	2,273,257
50	1,102,367	1,125,391	2,227,758	1,118,852	1,138,612	2,257,464
51	1,064,380	1,091,963	2,156,343	1,083,964	1,106,606	2,190,570
52	1,061,048	1,098,565	2,159,613	1,063,595	1,095,045	2,158,640
53	1,082,732	1,129,240	2,211,972	1,074,982	1,116,186	2,191,168
54	1,105,452	1,156,410	2,261,862	1,099,322	1,148,735	2,248,057
55	1,112,872	1,162,913	2,275,785	1,114,600	1,162,741	2,277,341
56	1,107,428	1,172,673	2,280,101	1,110,672	1,168,239	2,278,911
57	1,111,265	1,188,677	2,299,942	1,117,129	1,186,989	2,304,118
58	1,081,733	1,177,254	2,258,987	1,097,097	1,185,316	2,282,413
59	1,065,977	1,173,989	2,239,966	1,071,087	1,174,676	2,245,763
60	1,072,808	1,188,935	2,261,743	1,074,831	1,188,467	2,263,298
61	1,046,810	1,169,306	2,216,116	1,063,054	1,184,880	2,247,934
62	1,016,454	1,145,372	2,161,826	1,025,455	1,154,470	2,179,925
63	1,020,153	1,151,425	2,171,578	1,024,251	1,157,226	2,181,477
64	975,095	1,109,320	2,084,415	1,000,718	1,135,981	2,136,699
65 66 67 68	784,409	1,055,994 1,022,548 1,006,362 966,455 928,335	1,966,304 1,886,779 1,844,240 1,750,864 1,667,416	940,731 882,441 854,805 809,525 758,985	1,084,032 1,039,064 1,021,811 991,323 950,471	2,024,763 1,921,505 1,876,616 1,800,848 1,709,456
70 71 72 73 74	665,554 624,366 580,564	905,183 877,413 843,744 805,487 764,272	1,608,644 1,542,967 1,468,110 1,386,051 1,299,894	720,131 683,612 644,177 601,879 557,382	923,859 900,297 871,340 836,948 798,858	

TABLE A1-Continued

=	Noninstitu	Noninstitutionalized as of April 12, 1985			Total as of October 11, 1985		
Age	Male	Female	Total	Malc	Female	Total	
75	491,105	721,193	1,212,298	513,177	759,251	1,272,428	
76	446,416	678,122	1,124,538	469,126	718,802	1,187,928	
77	403,474	632,158	1,035,632	425,715	676,510	1,102,225	
78	362,394	588,335	950,729	383,851	634,000	1,017,851	
79	319,974	534,855	854,829	343,280	590,655	933,935	
80	283,768	492,198	775,966	305,343	546,578	851,921	
81	246,328	441,284	687,612	268,266	501,820	770,086	
82	214,621	398,135	612,756	234,403	458,394	692,797	
83	184,509	354,768	539,277	203,568	416,977	620,545	
84	158,717	312,886	471,603	176,913	376,488	553,401	
85 86 87 88	112,023 91,045	273,614 236,539 198,035 169,302 134,302	407,990 348,562 289,080 242,209 191,609	151,528 128,121 106,743 86,370 69,045	337,182 298,859 260,827 224,918 190,824	488,710 426,980 367,570 311,288 259,869	
90	47,236	109,475	156,711	58,139	162,176	220,315	
91	36,931	87,470	124,401	47,791	136,080	183,871	
92	28,868	71,242	100,110	37,909	111,043	148,952	
93	21,215	53,668	74,883	28,768	87,827	116,595	
94	14,749	38,551	53,300	20,637	67,773	88,410	
95	10,671	27,317	37,988	15,262	50,583	65,845	
96	7,658	19,393	27,051	11,190	37,612	48,802	
97	5,288	13,251	18,539	8,141	26,750	34,891	
98	3,286	8,778	12,064	5,376	18,293	23,669	
99	2,368	5,448	7,816	4,074	14,066	18,140	
100	1,046	3,268	4,314	2,271	9,412	11,683	
101	601	2,168	2,769	1,547	6,669	8,216	
102	340	1,410	1,750	1,037	4,634	5,671	
103	188	900	1,088	680	3,159	3,839	
104	103	561	664	442	2,107	2,549	
105 106 107 108 109	55 29 15 7 4	342 204 118 67 37 19	397 233 133 74 41 21	280 173 106 62 37 20	1,373 875 542 327 193 109	1,653 1,048 648 389 230 129	
30–64 65–84 85 +	48,114,528	49,114,722	97,229,250	49,055,770	49,765,890	98,821,660	
	10,356,782	14,329,727	24,686,509	10,777,310	15,097,478	25,874,788	
	648,318	1,455,479	2,103,797	785,749	2,054,213	2,839,962	
Total	117,138,574	120,687,573	237,826,147	119,087,140	122,762,511	241,849,651	