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Sex and age	Discharges			Days of care			
	Number in thousands	Percent distribution	Rate per 1,000 population \1	Number in thousands	Percent distribution	Rate per 1,000 population \1	Average length of stay in days
Both sexes							
All ages	36,120	100.0	118.1	175,767	100.0	574.8	4.9
Under 15 years	2,018	5.6	32.6	9,158	5.2	148.0	4.5
Under 1 year	661	1.8	155.1	3,954	2.2	927.8	6.0
1-4 years	571	1.6	33.5	1,774	1.0	104.1	3.1
5-14 years	786	2.2	19.4	3,430	2.0	84.5	4.4
15-44 years	10,480	29.0	83.8	38,682	22.0	309.4	3.7
15-19 years	1,112	3.1	51.8	3,978	2.3	185.4	3.6
20-24 years	1,838	5.1	86.8	6,238	3.5	294.7	3.4
25-34 years	4,104	11.4	99.8	14,316	8.1	348.2	3.5
35-44 years	3,427	9.5	83.0	14,149	8.1	342.8	4.1
45-64 years	9,686	26.8	122.1	49,051	27.9	618.5	5.1
45-54 years	4,550	12.6	102.2	21,250	12.1	477.2	4.7
55-64 years	5,136	14.2	147.7	27,801	15.8	799.3	5.4
65 years and over	13,935	38.6	352.1	78,876	44.9	1,993.3	5.7
65-74 years	5,312	14.7	255.5	28,876	16.4	1,388.8	5.4
75-84 years	5,349	14.8	406.8	31,087	17.7	2,364.4	5.8
85 years and over	3,274	9.1	581.5	18,913	10.8	3,358.9	5.8
Male							
All ages	14,721	100.0	97.9	77,883	100.0	517.8	5.3
Under 15 years	1,139	7.7	36.0	4,955	6.4	156.6	4.4
Under 1 year	382	2.6	175.2	2,109	2.7	968.1	5.5
1-4 years	342	2.3	39.2	1,040	1.3	119.4	3.0
5-14 years	415	2.8	20.0	1,807	2.3	87.0	4.3
15-44 years	2,776	18.9	43.9	13,374	17.2	211.5	4.8
15-19 years	318	2.2	29.0	1,441	1.9	131.2	4.5
20-24 years	364	2.5	33.8	1,800	2.3	167.0	4.9
25-34 years	864	5.9	41.5	4,446	5.7	213.3	5.1
35-44 years	1,230	8.4	59.6	5,686	7.3	275.5	4.6
45-64 years	4,781	32.5	123.5	24,936	32.0	644.4	5.2
45-54 years	2,213	15.0	100.9	10,959	14.1	499.9	5.0
55-64 years	2,568	17.4	153.1	13,977	17.9	833.1	5.4
65 years and over	6,026	40.9	358.2	34,618	44.4	2,057.7	5.7
65-74 years	2,569	17.5	267.8	14,309	18.4	1,491.6	5.6
75-84 years	2,311	15.7	424.2	13,597	17.5	2,496.0	5.9
85 years and over	1,145	7.8	642.5	6,712	8.6	3,765.0	5.9

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Female							
All ages	21,398	100.0	137.7	97,884	100.0	630.0	4.6
Under 15 years	879	4.1	29.1	4,203	4.3	139.0	4.8
Under 1 year	279	1.3	134.0	1,845	1.9	885.6	6.6
1-4 years	229	1.1	27.5	734	0.7	88.1	3.2
5-14 years	371	1.7	18.7	1,624	1.7	81.9	4.4
15-44 years	7,704	36.0	124.7	25,309	25.9	409.7	3.3
15-19 years	794	3.7	75.8	2,537	2.6	242.2	3.2
20-24 years	1,474	6.9	141.9	4,438	4.5	427.2	3.0
25-34 years	3,240	15.1	159.8	9,870	10.1	486.9	3.0
35-44 years	2,196	10.3	106.4	8,463	8.6	410.1	3.9
45-64 years	4,906	22.9	120.8	24,115	24.6	593.7	4.9
45-54 years	2,337	10.9	103.4	10,291	10.5	455.1	4.4
55-64 years	2,568	12.0	142.6	13,824	14.1	767.8	5.4
65 years and over	7,909	37.0	347.7	44,258	45.2	1,945.7	5.6
65-74 years	2,743	12.8	244.9	14,567	14.9	1,300.8	5.3
75-84 years	3,038	14.2	394.5	17,490	17.9	2,271.4	5.8
85 years and over	2,129	9.9	553.2	12,201	12.5	3,170.7	5.7

*Standard error of discharges, days of care, and average length of stay*

<i>Both sexes</i>							
All ages	3,772	0.0	12.3	18,502	0.0	60.5	0.13
Under 15 years	479	1.0	7.7	2,172	1.0	35.1	0.35
Under 1 year	173	0.4	40.5	1,055	0.5	247.5	0.70
1-4 years	129	0.3	7.6	422	0.2	24.8	0.22
5-14 years	184	0.4	4.5	779	0.4	19.2	0.28
15-44 years	1,133	0.8	9.1	4,165	0.9	33.3	0.12
15-19 years	170	0.3	7.9	619	0.2	28.8	0.17
20-24 years	220	0.2	10.4	744	0.2	35.2	0.17
25-34 years	435	0.3	10.6	1,507	0.3	36.7	0.12
35-44 years	344	0.2	8.3	1,452	0.3	35.2	0.13
45-64 years	993	0.6	12.5	5,212	0.7	65.7	0.14
45-54 years	466	0.3	10.5	2,276	0.3	51.1	0.13
55-64 years	533	0.4	15.3	3,005	0.5	86.4	0.17
65 years and over	1,440	1.2	36.4	8,560	1.4	216.3	0.17
65-74 years	565	0.5	27.2	3,306	0.6	159.0	0.19
75-84 years	559	0.5	42.5	3,476	0.7	264.4	0.19
85 years and over	336	0.4	59.8	2,009	0.5	356.7	0.24

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<i>Male</i>							
All ages	1,540	0.0	10.2	8,285	0.0	55.1	0.15
Under 15 years	267	1.4	8.4	1,130	1.1	35.7	0.30
Under 1 year	102	0.6	46.6	571	0.6	262.0	0.52
1-4 years	82	0.4	9.4	245	0.2	28.1	0.25
5-14 years	89	0.5	4.3	368	0.4	17.7	0.32
15-44 years	307	0.6	4.9	1,672	1.1	26.4	0.23
15-19 years	52	0.2	4.7	273	0.3	24.8	0.30
20-24 years	44	0.2	4.0	334	0.4	31.0	0.58
25-34 years	102	0.2	4.9	637	0.5	30.5	0.39
35-44 years	126	0.2	6.1	621	0.3	30.1	0.14
45-64 years	485	0.8	12.5	2,680	1.0	69.3	0.16
45-54 years	224	0.4	10.2	1,233	0.5	56.3	0.20
55-64 years	265	0.5	15.8	1,522	0.7	90.7	0.20
65 years and over	624	1.3	37.1	3,744	1.6	222.5	0.18
65-74 years	272	0.6	28.3	1,646	0.8	171.5	0.24
75-84 years	248	0.6	45.5	1,550	0.8	284.6	0.20
85 years and over	118	0.4	66.3	697	0.5	391.0	0.17
<i>Female</i>							
All ages	2,247	0.0	14.5	10,313	0.0	66.4	0.13
Under 15 years	213	0.8	7.1	1,065	0.9	35.2	0.46
Under 1 year	72	0.3	34.8	498	0.4	239.1	1.01
1-4 years	49	0.2	5.8	195	0.2	23.4	0.34
5-14 years	97	0.4	4.9	432	0.4	21.8	0.34
15-44 years	846	1.0	13.7	2,650	1.0	42.9	0.08
15-19 years	122	0.3	11.6	374	0.2	35.7	0.15
20-24 years	185	0.3	17.8	529	0.2	50.9	0.10
25-34 years	346	0.5	17.0	1,013	0.5	50.0	0.07
35-44 years	224	0.3	10.9	876	0.4	42.4	0.15
45-64 years	514	0.6	12.7	2,593	0.6	63.8	0.14
45-54 years	248	0.3	11.0	1,110	0.3	49.1	0.11
55-64 years	272	0.4	15.1	1,558	0.5	86.5	0.20
65 years and over	823	1.2	36.2	4,907	1.4	215.7	0.19
65-74 years	298	0.5	26.6	1,710	0.5	152.7	0.18
75-84 years	318	0.5	41.3	1,997	0.7	259.3	0.22
85 years and over	224	0.4	58.2	1,391	0.7	361.6	0.31

\1 Rates were calculated using U.S. Census Bureau 2000-based postcensal estimates of the civilian population as of July 1, 2009