

Report on Public Health Administration and Services FY2018

【Digest of Summary Report】

< Mental health and welfare >

- The total number of clients of counseling in mental health and welfare centers was 131,777. The issue most counseled was “social rehabilitation” with 54,782 clients (41.6%), followed by “mental health” with 14,956 clients (11.3%) and “adolescence” with 12,336 clients (9.4%).

(Figure 2)

< Maternal protection >

- The total number of legal abortion was 161,741, a decrease of 2,880 (1.7%) on the previous fiscal year.
- The legal abortion rate (per 1,000 female population of age 15-49) was 6.4, the same ratio with the previous fiscal year.

(Table 7)

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Outline of Report on Public Health Administration and Services

1 Objective

Reports on Public Health Administration and Services is to perceive the actual situation of administration of sanitation in each prefecture, designated city, and core city under laws and orders related to sanitation, in order to gain basic data for administrative management of sanitation.

2 Subjects

Prefectures, designated cities, and core cities

3 Types of Report

Yearly Report (51 tables) and Biennial Report (12 tables)

4 Report Items

Items related to mental health and welfare, nutrition, sanitary inspection, environmental health, food sanitation, veterinary sanitation, medical monitoring, pharmaceutical affairs, maternal protection, specific intractable or pediatric chronic diseases, and rabies control

5 Method and Route of Report

(1) The Prefectural governor, Mayor of designated cities and core cities reported to Director-General for Statistics, Information Policy and Policy Evaluation, Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare (MHLW) by the deadline.

(2) Route of Report

MHLW — Prefectures, designated cities, and core cities

6 Notes

(1) Symbols used in the tables

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| Quantity zero | — |
| Item or category not applicable | · |
| Decreased number or percentage | △ |
| Percentage less than 0.05 | 0.0 |

(2) Values presented are rounded and the sums of the items do not always make up the totals.

(3) The population used to calculate the rates in this outline is the “Population estimates as of Oct 1, 2018” by the Statistics Bureau, Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications.

(4) The data for FY2010 of this outline did not include that of a part of Iwate, Miyagi and Fukushima Prefectures where municipals could not report some of the data due to the Great East Japan Earthquake.