Report on Regional Public Health Services and Health Promotion Services 2017

【Digest of Summary Report】

・The number of persons who were submitted “pregnancy notification” to municipalities was 986,003 in the 2017 fiscal year, and the largest number was “submitted within 11 weeks(within 3 months)” with 916,723 and that was accounted for 93.0% of the total number of submitted persons. The ratio is the highest since the data was totaled in 2003.

・The number of the full-time public health nurse (per 100,000 population) of the public health center and municipalities of the 2017 fiscal year-end: the number of “Nationwide” was 20.4, and the largest number was “Shimane prefecture” with 42.4 by prefectures, the second largest number was “Kouchi prefecture” with 39.3, the third largest number was “Wakayama prefecture” with 34.3.

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Outline of Report on Regional Public Health Services and Health Promotion Services

1 Objective
Report on Regional Public Health Services and Health Promotion Services is to perceive the development, etc. of health care policy based on regional characteristics with a view to health management and improvement of local residents by public health center and municipality that implement the policy, thereby obtaining basic data for efficient and effective promotion of the regional health care policy by government and local public agencies.

2 Subjects
Public health centers and municipalities nationwide

3 Type of Report
Fiscal yearly report

4 Report Items
(1) Regional Public Health Services (the Regional Public Health Act, the Mother and Child Health Act and the Vaccination Act, etc.)
  Mother and Child Health, Health Promotion, Dental Health, Mental Health and Welfare,
  Health Education and Situation of Staffing, etc
(2) Health Promotion Services (the Health Promotion Act NO.17 section 1 and NO.19-2)
  Health examination, Exercise therapy, Home-visit instruction,
  Examinees of Cancer, etc

5 Method and Route of Report
(1) The Prefectural governor, Mayor of designated cities and core cities reported to
  Director-General for Statistics and Information Policy, Ministry of Health, Labour and
  Welfare within a certain period.
(2) Route of Report

6 Notes
(1) The responsible agencies for Report on Regional Public Health Services and Health Promotion
  Services (hereafter, the Reports) are “Public health centers” and “Municipalities” for Report on
  Regional Public Health Services and “Municipalities” for Report on Health Promotion
  Services.
(2) In the Reports, “Cities of cabinet order” means cities with public health centers, and “Special
  wards” means Tokyo’s 23 wards.
(3) The population used to calculate the rates “per 100,000 population” in this outline is the
  “Population based on Residential Basic Book (as of 1 January 2018)” by the Ministry of
  Internal Affairs and Communications.
(4) Symbols used in the tables
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(5) Values presented in percentages are rounded and the sums of the items do not always make up the totals.

(6) In case of the modification in this outline, we will place the corrigenda on MHLW’s homepage. URL (http://www.mhlw.go.jp/toukei/list/32-19.html)