State of Medical Institutions

Overview

Changes in the Number of Medical Institutions (hospitals and clinics)

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(Note) The figures in parentheses indicate the total number of public medical institutions.

Detailed Data 1

Changes in the Number of Hospitals by the Establishe and by the Number of Beds

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### Detailed Data 2

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### Detailed Data 3

**Changes in the Number of Beds by Bed Type and Number of Beds per Hospital**

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Source: "Survey of Medical Institutions", Statistics and Information Department, Minister's Secretariat, MHLW

(Notes)
1. "Other beds, etc." represent those other than psychiatric, infectious disease, and tuberculosis hospital beds.
3. For 2001-2002, general beds represent general beds and transitional former other beds (excluding transitional former sanatorium type wards).

### Detailed Data 4

**Changes in Bed Utilization Rate and Average Length of Stay by Bed Type**

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Source: "Hospital Report", Statistics and Information Department, Minister's Secretariat, MHLW

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