

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Metropolitan Areas, and Total for Nine Suburban Areas,\* registered during September, 1920.

Causes of Death	Auckland Metropolitan Area.		Wellington Metropolitan Area.		Christchurch Metropolitan Area.		Dunedin Metropolitan Area.		Nine Suburban Areas.		Total
	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	
<b>I.—GENERAL DISEASES.</b>											
<i>(a.) Epidemic Diseases.</i>											
1. Typhoid Fever .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	1	5
6. Measles .. .. .	..	..	1	..	7	4	9	..	3	1	25
7. Scarlet Fever .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
8. Whooping-cough .. ..	..	1	4	..	3	..	..	..	5	..	13
9. Diphtheria .. .. .	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	5
10. Influenza .. .. .	1	12	..	1	1	5	..	..	..	1	21
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases.</i>											
28. Pulmonary Tuberculosis .. ..	..	5	..	5	1	6	..	6	..	5	28
30. Tubercular Meningitis .. .. .	2	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	7
32. Tuberculosis of Spine .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
33. Tuberculosis of the Joints .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2
34. Tubercular Glands of Neck .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
35. General Tuberculosis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
37. Syphilis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	3
39. Cancer of Jaw .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
40. " Stomach and Liver .. .. .	..	3	..	2	..	3	..	2	..	2	12
41. " Intestines, Rectum .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	4
42. " Female Genital Organs .. .. .	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	2	6
43. " Breast .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	3	7
44. " Skin .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Kidney .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
45. " Larynx .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
45. " Mesentery .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Neck .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Spine .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Thyroid .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
45. " Glands .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
45. Disseminated Cancer .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	5
48. Chronic Rheumatism .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
50. Diabetes .. .. .	..	1	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	3	8
51. Exophthalmic Goitre .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
52. Addison's Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
54. Anæmia .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
55. Acidosis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
59. Morphinism .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. .. .	4	39	5	19	15	29	10	17	10	24	172
<b>II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.</b>											
61. Meningitis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	5
61A. Cerebro-spinal Meningitis .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	2
63. Insular Sclerosis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy ..	..	7	..	6	..	2	..	6	..	3	24
65. Cerebral Softening .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
66. Paralysis without Specified Cause ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
67. General Paralysis of Insane .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	4
68. Other forms of Mental Alienation ..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
69. Epilepsy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
71. Convulsions of Infants .. .. .	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3
74. Tumour of Brain .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
74. Congenital Imbecile .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. .. .	1	13	2	7	1	6	1	8	1	9	49
<b>III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.</b>											
77. Pericarditis .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
79. Organic Diseases of Heart .. .. .	..	25	..	11	..	14	..	14	..	21	85
80. Angina Pectoris .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	3
81. Diseases of Arteries, &c. .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	3	8
82. Embolism and Thrombosis .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
83. Phlebitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals .. .. .	..	29	..	14	..	14	..	19	..	25	101
<b>IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.</b>											
87. Laryngitis .. .. .	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
88. Goitre .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
89. Acute Bronchitis .. .. .	..	3	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	7
90. Chronic Bronchitis .. .. .	..	6	..	2	..	6	..	4	..	9	27
91. Broncho-pneumonia .. .. .	1	1	5	..	4	2	..	..	2	1	16
92. Pneumonia .. .. .	1	14	3	6	..	6	1	1	2	5	39
93. Pleurisy .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	5
94. Pulmonary Congestion .. .. .	..	2	..	..	1	1	..	2	..	..	6
96. Asthma .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	3
98. Miner's Phthisis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
98. Abscess of Lung .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals .. .. .	3	28	10	10	5	18	1	8	4	21	108

Excluding Gisborne; returns not yet received.