

Deaths.

Urban Areas.	Number of Deaths.					Rate per 1,000 of Mean Population.				
	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.
Auckland	1,428	1,636	1,504	1,591	1,554	10·68	11·13	9·53	9·67	9·26
Wellington	1,061	1,081	967	966	962	11·14	10·64	9·00	8·73	8·58
Christchurch	999	1,242	1,014	1,063	1,158	10·77	11·83	9·60	9·65	10·21
Dunedin	778	910	742	784	857	11·32	12·34	10·27	10·67	11·42
Hamilton	*	*	*	126	125	*	*	*	8·43	8·14
Gisborne	114	118	113	110	117	9·00	8·05	7·82	7·37	7·74
Napier	161	210	167	159	186	10·64	12·65	9·72	9·00	10·41
Hastings	*	*	*	71	95	*	*	*	5·25	6·92
New Plymouth	84	124	127	126	134	8·58	11·21	10·04	9·33	9·62
Wanganui	213	222	178	193	221	10·91	10·00	7·57	7·99	9·04
Palmerston North	148	152	136	128	158	10·57	9·92	8·05	7·31	8·97
Nelson	95	131	105	117	137	9·54	12·50	9·88	10·75	12·27
Timaru	125	145	139	167	153	9·11	9·65	8·96	10·41	9·30
Invercargill	173	190	153	154	212	9·68	9·95	8·22	7·86	10·51
Totals	5,379†	6,161†	5,350†	5,755	6,069	10·69†	11·16†	9·33†	9·26	9·57

Infantile Mortality—Deaths under One Year of Age.

Urban Areas.	Number of Deaths under One Year of Age.					Rate per 1,000 Births.				
	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.
Auckland	128	158	173	138	141	49·17	48·47	54·44	43·64	43·99
Wellington	120	177	137	116	101	59·64	73·69	60·92	49·30	46·87
Christchurch	95	168	115	118	141	51·77	71·28	53·64	54·30	66·14
Dunedin	56	95	69	55	58	45·42	59·30	4·88	40·03	43·41
Hamilton	*	*	*	25	18	*	*	*	65·82	43·69
Gisborne	19	20	33	24	15	57·58	57·31	89·43	67·04	43·73
Napier	12	42	35	18	16	32·70	92·92	94·09	51·28	45·98
Hastings	*	*	*	13	16	*	*	*	36·83	57·35
New Plymouth	10	12	12	18	12	37·74	30·77	37·50	53·10	38·46
Wanganui	37	39	32	23	36	76·92	65·00	87·71	43·56	68·31
Palmerston North	16	19	29	18	28	48·93	47·26	71·60	44·67	72·73
Nelson	9	10	8	9	7	42·06	44·44	35·71	41·71	28·93
Timaru	10	13	16	12	18	34·48	37·36	43·78	34·48	62·28
Invercargill	11	19	22	12	16	29·73	39·83	53·14	32·17	35·16
Totals	523†	772†	681†	599	623	50·64†	60·01†	56·46†	46·74	50·16

Infantile Mortality—Deaths under Five Years of Age.

Urban Areas.	Number of Deaths under Five Years of Age.					Percentage of Total Deaths.				
	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.
Auckland	177	234	238	193	186	12·39	14·30	15·82	12·13	11·97
Wellington	158	240	177	152	134	14·90	22·20	18·30	15·73	13·93
Christchurch	123	222	146	142	166	12·31	17·87	14·40	13·36	14·34
Dunedin	94	134	89	74	73	12·08	14·73	11·99	9·44	8·52
Hamilton	*	*	*	34	28	*	*	*	26·98	22·40
Gisborne	25	27	43	28	21	21·93	22·88	38·05	25·45	17·95
Napier	18	52	41	20	23	11·18	24·76	24·55	12·58	12·37
Hastings	*	*	*	16	21	*	*	*	22·54	22·11
New Plymouth	14	16	18	22	18	16·67	12·90	14·17	17·46	13·43
Wanganui	49	46	41	32	44	23·00	20·72	23·03	16·58	19·91
Palmerston North	22	25	31	24	32	14·86	16·45	22·79	18·75	20·25
Nelson	11	15	12	9	10	11·58	11·45	11·43	7·69	7·30
Timaru	19	24	20	15	22	15·20	16·55	14·39	8·98	14·38
Invercargill	19	32	24	15	22	10·98	16·84	15·19	9·74	10·38
Totals	729†	1,067†	880†	776	800	13·55†	17·32†	16·45†	13·48	13·18

* Not available.

† Excluding Hamilton and Hastings urban areas.