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	SOUTHEASTERN		SOUTHCENTRAL		NORTHERN		TOTAL	
	1974	1973	1974	1973	1974	1973	1974	1973
Amebiasis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Botulism	0	0	3	9	2	0	5	9
Brucellosis	0	0	0	0	4	1	4	1
Chickenpox	139	62	233	496	118	97	490	655
Diphtheria	3	2	1	0	0	0	4	2
Dysentery								
Salmonella	42	3	36	47	40	15	118	65
Shigella	1	1	8	28	41	20	50	49
Enteropath E. coli	4	7	8	14	30	40	42	61
Encephalitis	0	0	2	1	1	0	3	1
Gonorrhea	234	214	2,162	2,053	865	757	3,261	3,024
Hepatitis A	22	13	71	77	190	159	283	249
Hepatitis B	1	1	43	37	7	3	51	41
Hepatitis, Unspecified	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0
Malaria	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
Meningitis	0	2	0	14	0	0	0	16
Aseptic	0	0	4	5	0	0	4	5
Bacterial	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	0
Meningococcal	1	0	5	8	0	3	6	11
Mumps	3	81	131	678	18	179	152	938
Pertussis	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	4
Rheumatic Fever	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
Rubella	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	19
Rubeola	0	65	0	0	0	0	0	65
Syphilis								
Early (PS & EL)	9	0	10	24	5	5	24	29
Late	7	0	80	0	7	0	94	0
Congenital	0	0	4	0	0	0	4	0
Trichinosis	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Tuberculosis	11	26	62	51	37	35	110	112
Tularemia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Typhoid	0	0	2	3	0	1	2	4
Rabies in Animals	0	0	8	2	5	6	13	8

Since only a portion of all reportable illnesses are reported, these figures represent trends rather than actual incidence. More Complete reporting of cases to the Department of Health & Social Services will result in more accurate statistics.

Total Population (7/1/73):	326,870
Southeastern Region:	45,330
Southcentral Region:	209,660
Northern Region:	71,880