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**Year Ending December 31, 1980**

	SOUTH EASTERN		SOUTHCENTRAL		NORTHERN		TOTAL	
	1980	1979	1980	1979	1980	1979	1980	1979
Amebiasis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Botulism	0	0	3	0	0	5	3	5
Brucellosis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Chickenpox	126	72	115	201	237	53	478	326
Diphtheria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Dysentery</b>								
Salmonella	1	4	46	48	8	18	55	70
Shigella	5	2	224	24	19	19	248	45
Encephalitis	4	0	5	10	2	2	11	12
Gonorrhea	261	222	2,935	3,479	1,125	1,543	4,321	5,244
Hepatitis A	4	22	20	29	3	12	27	63
Hepatitis B	0	2	30	16	3	8	33	26
Hepatitis, Unspecified	4	12	15	13	9	3	28	28
Malaria	1	0	3	0	3	0	7	0
<b>Meningitis</b>								
Aseptic	4	3	15	43	5	12	24	58
Bacterial	2	4	39	35	8	19	49	58
Meningococcal	0	2	13	4	1	0	14	6
Mumps	5	0	7	14	3	1	15	15
Pertussis	0	2	3	8	2	0	5	10
Rheumatic Fever	0	0	2	4	0	1	2	5
Rubella	0	0	6	4	6	0	12	4
Rubeola	0	0	6	17	0	0	6	17
<b>Syphilis</b>								
Early (PS & EL)	1	3	15	35	10	7	26	45
Late	1	1	17	14	8	6	26	21
Congenital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Trichinosis	0	0	3	40	0	2	3	42
Tuberculosis	8	14	47	57	21	19	76	90
Tularemia	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1
Typhoid	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1
Rabies in Animals	0	0	24	11	30	8	54	19

Since only a portion of all reportable illnesses are reported, these figures represent trend rather than actual incidence. More complete reporting of case to the Department of Health & Social Services will result in more accurate statistics. The above figures represent both military and civilian reporting.

Estimated Total Population (including military):	1979	1980
Southeast Region:	51,300	53,613
Southcentral Region:	272,500	264,124
Northern Region:	82,600	82,594
Totals:	406,400	400,331