

History of Dorset County Hospital
Statistical Paper No. 3 (Supplement 2)

DORSET COUNTY HOSPITAL CHILDREN AGED UNDER 8 YEARS ADMITTED AS IN-PATIENTS 1850-59

	Male		Female		Total	
	Number	%	Number	%	Number	%
Total in-patients	51	50.5	50	49.5	101	100.0
Case type						
Medical cases	1	2.0	3	6.0	4	4.0
Surgical cases	50	98.0	47	94.0	97	96.0
Total	51	100.0	50	100.0	101	100.0
Admission type						
Accident	13	25.5	7	14.0	20	19.8
Medical emergency	1	2.0	0	0.0	1	1.0
Recommended by						
an individual	30	58.8	38	76.0	68	67.3
a parish collection	3	5.9	2	4.0	5	5.0
a Poor Law Union						
- Cerne	2	3.9	2	4.0	4	4.0
- Dorchester	0	0.0	1	2.0	1	1.0
- Weymouth	1	2.0	0	0.0	1	1.0
Not stated	1	2.0	0	0.0	1	1.0
Total	51	100.0	50	100.0	101	100.0
Age at admission						
Under 1 year old	4	7.8	11	22.0	15	14.9
1 year	3	5.9	2	4.0	5	5.0
2 years	4	7.8	5	10.0	9	8.9
3 years	4	7.8	1	2.0	5	5.0
4 years	6	11.8	4	8.0	10	9.9
5 years	9	17.6	7	14.0	16	15.8
6 years	7	13.7	9	18.0	16	15.8
7 years	14	27.5	11	22.0	25	24.8
Total	51	100.0	50	100.0	101	100.0
Outcome						
Survived	48	94.1	46	92.0	94	93.1
Died	3	5.9	4	8.0	7	6.9
Total	51	100.0	50	100.0	101	100.0