

5. Re: Medical Health Monthly Report

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MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 60

COUNCIL MEETING Sept. 25/72

Following for your information is the report of the Medical Health Officer covering the activities of his Department for the month of August, 1972.

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MONTHLY REPORT

M. J. Shelley
Municipal Manager

Dear Sir:

I have the pleasure of submitting a report for this Department for the month of August 1972.

Physical examinations for the kindergarten children who will be starting school in September continued throughout the month. The advantages of having these examinations throughout the summer months is two fold, the parents have the opportunity of having the defects corrected before school opening and also the teachers may be alerted in September of any handicaps or any physical difficulties which may impede the child's learning capabilities.

A new routine for Pre-natal classes was tried out during July and August. Classes were held three mornings a week for two weeks instead of the usual once a week series. Reaction from nurses and mothers was favorable and it is likely that this routine will be adopted for summer months in the future. Evening classes continued as well with a very heavy enrollment.

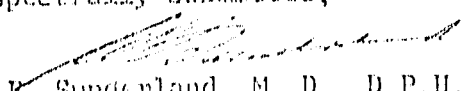
The public health nurses continued to screen the applicants for the Meals on Wheels program. There are 58 people receiving these meals which are delivered to the homes from three depots in Burnaby. These depots are located in Southeast Burnaby, Southwest Burnaby and North Burnaby. Many dozens of volunteers arrange regular delivery and visiting for those people who have requested this service. The advantage of the nurses visiting is to assess any other needs that these people may have as they are all handicapped or aged.

It is with regret that we report the death this month of Miss Mary Shand the first Nursing Supervisor of the Burnaby Health Department. Miss Shand served with the Burnaby Health Department from 1938 until 1952.

Considerable larviciding in stagnant waters, ditches, etc. for the control of mosquitoes has been carried on throughout the Municipality. To date Burnaby has not aerial sprayed or adulticided.

There was a slight increase in the incidence of Communicable disease this month with a total of 22 cases reported. Of these there were 10 infectious hepatitis, 5 tuberculosis, 3 each chickenpox and pediculosis and 1 salmonellosis.

Respectfully submitted,


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MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER

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BIRTHS AND DEATHS

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Births	180	Infant Deaths	-
Total Deaths	64	Still Births	5
Neonatal Deaths (First 30 days)	2		

<u>COMMUNICABLE DISEASES</u>	<u>THIS MONTH</u>	<u>LAST MONTH</u>	<u>Aug 1971</u>
Whooping Cough	-	-	-
Chickenpox	3	5	-
Measles	-	-	-
Scarlet Fever	-	-	-
Rubella	-	-	-
Impetigo	-	-	-
Mumps	-	5	-
Ringworm	-	-	-
Conjunctivitis	-	-	-
Scabies	-	-	-
Pediculosis	3	-	-
Poliomyelitis	-	-	-
Salmonellosis	1	1	-
Meningitis	-	-	-
Infectious Hepatitis	10	4	3
Tuberculosis (New Case)	5	5	-
	<u>22</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>3</u>

SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES

	<u>Board</u>	<u>Non-Board</u>
No. of Schools supervised	51	12
School Enrolment	27,677	1965
No. of visits to schools by P.H.N.'s	81	4
No. of visits to schools by M.H.O.'s	7	-

CHILD CARE FACILITIES

	<u>Number Under Supervision</u>	<u>Enrolment</u>
Nursery or Play Schools	18	480
Kindergartens (Non-Board)	5	46
Group Day Care Centres	10	246

CHILD HEALTH CENTRES

No. of Centres	15
No. of Sessions	23

<u>Attendance</u>	<u>New</u>	<u>Revisit</u>
Under 28 days	6	-
28 days up to 1 year	81	176
1 year up to 4 years	23	228
5 years up to 19 years	12	87

No. Visits to Child Health Centres		No. Visits to Health Unit Clinics	
- by Public Health Nurses	112	- by Public Health Nurses	21
- by Registered Nurses	3	- by Registered Nurses	5
No. Volunteer Hours donated to this service		- 58	

Families and Individuals Under Continuing Public Health Supervision

No. of Families Under Supervision	1213
No. Individual cases in special categories	
- Mental Hygiene	84
- Geriatrics	54
- Rheumatic Fever	31
- Tuberculosis	53
No. of Visits - Maternal Health	
- ante-partum	4
- post-partum	2
- Health Promotion	429
- Disease Control	
- Tuberculosis	41
- Other Communicable Diseases	1
- Mental Illness	4
- Other Non, Com. Diseases	17
- Home Assessment	3

TUBERCULOSIS NURSING

No. Pulmonary Cases Under Supervision	38
No. Non Pulmonary Cases Under Supervision	15
No. Patients receiving Oral drugs	63
No. Patients receiving Streptomycin	6
No. Streptomycin injections given	22
No. T.B. visits by P.H.N.'s	41
No. Survey X-rays taken	312

CLASSES FOR EXPECTANT PARENTS

No. Sessions	19	Revisit -- Female	174
Attendance -- New -- Female	61	-- Male	74
-- Male	34	Visits to Classes by P.H.N.'s	20

TOTAL VISITS TO ALL CATEGORIES

MATERNAL HEALTH HEALTH PROMOTION DISEASE CONTROL HOME ASSESSMENT

Under 28 days	-	166	-	-
28 days - 1 yr.	-	40	1	-
1 yr. - 4 yrs.	-	42	2	-
5 yrs. - 19 yrs.	1	101	17	-
20 yrs. - 59 yrs.	5	48	36	-
60 yrs. & over	-	31	7	3
	6	428	63	3

NO. OF IMMUNIZATIONS AND TESTS

	SPX.	POLIO	COMPLETED DPT & DT	OTHER D.M.	MEASLES	RUPELLA	PPD	OTHER TESTS	TOTAL
Under 1 yr.	-	95	29	112	-	1	-	-	237
1-4 yrs.	-	73	9	60	57	61	-	-	260
5 - 19 yrs.	12	43	3	48	3	19	-	4	132
20 - 59 yrs.	62	3	-	110	-	-	-	2	177
60 & over	7	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	10
	81	214	41	333	60	81	-	6	816

PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTORS

<u>Food Section</u>		<u>Sanitation Section</u>		<u>Quarantine Section</u>	
Total Inspections	232	Total Inspections	734	Samples for Com. Dis.	13
Complaints	6	Complaints	296	Epidemiology	10
Samples Taken	-	Water Samples	150	Other	-

AUDIOLOGIST REPORT

No. Routine Screening Tests (Gr. 1 & 6)	-
No. Referral Screening Tests	-
No. Failing Tests and Referred to S.M.O.	-
No. Failing Tests	-
No. Audiograms	-

SPEECH THERAPISTS' REPORT

Attendance:	No. Therapy Sessions:
- for Assessment -- New	-- Individual
-- Revisit	-- Group
- for Therapy -- New	No. Referrals:
-- Revisit	-- to Private Physician
No. Consultations	-- to others

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICE

PSYCHOLOGIST

Psychologist's Cases	9
Psychologist's Evaluations	9
Conferences -- Unit	-
-- School	-
Consultations -- Unit	14
-- School	-
Treatment Sessions	-
In-Service Discussions	1