

## Appendix 32

### Health

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>Doctor per 1,000 population</b>	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.6
<b>Nurse per 1,000 population</b>	3.1	3.1	3.5	3.6	3.7
<b>Hospital bed per 1,000 population</b>	2.2 <sup>r</sup>	2.2 <sup>r</sup>	2.3 <sup>r</sup>	2.5 <sup>r</sup>	2.4
<b>Clinics<sup>1</sup></b>					
Medical clinic	201	190	175	164	152
Chinese medicine clinic	150	143	135	120	118
Dental clinic	71	73	65	61	58
Comprehensive clinic	259	287	308	319	346
<b>Registered health personnel<sup>1</sup></b>					
Doctors	1 514	1 592	1 674	1 726	1 730
Doctors of Chinese medicine	398	411	468	512	526
Chinese medicine practitioners	200	196	191	187	172
Dentists	167	174	184	193	207
Odontologists	58	57	53	49	48
Nurses	1 854	1 990	2 279	2 342	2 397
Therapists	141	197	246	257	292
Masseurs	13	13	13	12	12
Acupuncturists	6	6	7	7	6
<b>Main causes of death (%)</b>					
Neoplasms	37.4	36.6	36.7	36.6	34.8
Diseases of the circulatory system	24.4	23.8	25.2	24.4	24.7
Diseases of the respiratory system	16.7	16.6	16.0	17.0	19.2
Diseases of the digestive system	2.9	2.0	3.1	3.0	3.1
Diseases of the genitourinary system	2.8	2.9	3.2	3.7	2.7
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	3.9	4.4	2.9	2.2	2.4

<sup>r</sup> Revised figures

<sup>1</sup> Source: Administrative data from the Health Bureau