

Appendix 33

Health

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Doctor per 1,000 population	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.0
Nurse per 1,000 population	4.0	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4
Hospital bed per 1,000 population	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.6	2.7
Clinics					
Medical clinic	109	103	99	94	85
Chinese medicine clinic	89	83	79	70	65
Dental clinic	44	42	40	33	30
Comprehensive clinic	427	449	464	472	490
Registered health personnel¹					
Doctors	1 888	1 965	1 980	2 030	2 055
Doctors of Chinese medicine/Chinese medicine practitioners	709	724	728	732	707
Dentists/Odontologists	307	306	306	304	288
Nurses	2 742	2 863	2 980	3 058	3 039
Medical laboratory technicians	292	295	293	306	296
Physiotherapists	211	237	245	266	278
Occupational therapists	123	164	156	174	177
Speech therapists	53	63	75	91	109
Psychotherapists	84	86	86	89	85
Pharmacists	820	831	827	846	712
Pharmacist assistants	313	346	339	346	311
Main causes of death (%)					
Neoplasms	38.1	32.8	29.6	38.1	41.3
Diseases of the circulatory system	23.9	29.3	27.4	24.0	26.5
Diseases of the respiratory system	14.2	13.8	16.8	15.0	6.7
Diseases of the digestive system	3.0	2.4	2.5	2.7	1.9
Diseases of the genitourinary system	4.1	4.4	4.4	3.2	3.0
Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases	3.0	4.6	5.5	3.5	5.9

¹ From 2021 onwards, the number of medical professionals is compiled based on the registration information of the Health Bureau and the Pharmaceutical Administration Bureau according to Law no. 18/2020 “Professional Qualification and Registration of Health Practitioners”.