

Keeping Track of Health: NYC & NYS

New York City children are more likely to be hospitalized for preventable illness than children in the rest of the state: 1999 (Fig. 95)

Principle Diagnosis	New York City	Per 10,000 Children	Rest of State	Per 10,000 Children
Asthma	14,098	65.5	5,386	17.6
Pneumonia	5,490	25.5	4,256	13.9
Acute Respiratory Infections	7,671	35.6	6,006	19.6
Psychosis/ Neurosis	2,673	12.4	3,334	10.9
Dehydration	3,219	14.9	3,435	11.2
Middle Ear Infection	753	3.5	478	1.6
Lead Poisoning	107	0.5	60	0.2
Tuberculosis	58	0.3	20	0.1
Mastoiditis	59	0.3	73	0.2

Fewer New York City children are vaccinated: 1994–2000 (Figure 96)

