

Table B14 Work of Clinical Genetic Service 1999 and 2000

<b>Genetic Counselling Service</b>		
<b>Type of Counselling</b>	<b>Number of Family Attendances</b>	
	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>
Autosomal chromosome disorder	284	358
Sex differentiation / chromosome disorder	643	679
Systemic disorder	1 465	1 733
Dysmorphology & recognisable syndrome	691	841
Others	39	48
Prenatal diagnosis	140	29
<b>Total</b>	<b>3 262</b>	<b>3 688</b>

<b>Cytogenetic Laboratory</b>		
	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>
Number of studies	9 144	8 596
Number of molecular studies	8 000	7 358
<b>Total</b>	<b>17 144</b>	<b>15 954</b>

<b>Screening Programme for Congenital Hypothyroidism &amp; Glucose-6-phosphate Dehydrogenase Deficiency</b>		
	<b>1999</b>	<b>2000</b>
<b>Number of Live Births in Public Hospitals</b>	<b>32 795</b>	<b>34 541</b>
<b>Number of Babies Screened</b>		
- Male	17 065	18 027
- Female	15 730	16 513
<b>Total</b>	<b>32 795</b>	<b>34 540</b>
<b>Number of Babies Confirmed with Congenital Hypothyroidism</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Number of Babies with G6PD Deficiency</b>		
- Male	756	833
- Female	63	80
<b>Total</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>913</b>
<b>Percentage of Babies Screened with G6PD Deficiency</b>		
- Male	4.43%	4.62%
- Female	0.40%	0.48%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.50%</b>	<b>2.64%</b>