numbers of sickbeds") shall be the number specified in the following items for the category specified respectively in those items:

- 一 療養病床及び一般病床 前条第一号に規定する区域ごとに別表第七の一の項に掲げる式によりそれぞれの病床の種別に応じ算定した数の合計数。この場合において、同一都道府県における当該数の合計数は、同表の二の項に掲げる式により算定した数の当該同一都道府県における合計数に都道府県内対応見込患者数(当該都道府県の区域以外の区域に所在する病院及び診療所の入院患者のうち当該都道府県の区域に住所を有する者の数を上限として、当該都道府県の区域において医療が提供されると見込まれる患者の数として都道府県知事が他の関係都道府県の知事に協議して定める数をいう。以下同じ。)を加えた数から、都道府県外対応見込患者数(当該都道府県の区域に所在する病院及び診療所の入院患者のうち当該都道府県の区域以外の区域において医療が提供されると見込まれる患者の数として都道府県知事が他の関係都道府県の知事に協議して定める数をいう。以下同じ。)を減じた数を超えないものとする。
- (i) long-term care beds and general beds: the sum of numbers calculated using the expressions set forth in row 1 of Appended Table 7 for each of the zones prescribed in item (i) of the preceding Article according to the classes of sickbeds; in this case, the sum of those numbers in the same prefecture shall not be over a value obtained by subtracting the expected number of patients to treat outside prefecture (which means the number specified by the prefectural governor through consultation with the governors of related prefectures as the number of patients to whom medical care is expected to be provided in other zones than those of the prefecture with the limit of the number of inpatients who have their address in other zone than those of the prefecture, of the inpatients of hospitals and clinics located in the zones of the prefecture; the same applies hereinafter) from a value obtained by adding the expected number of patients to treat in prefecture (which means the number specified by the prefectural governor through consultation with the governors of related prefectures as the number of patients to whom medical care is expected to be provided in the zones of the prefecture with the limit of the number of inpatients who have their address in the zones of the prefecture, of the inpatients of hospitals and clinics located in other zones than those of the prefecture; the same applies hereinafter) to the sum of numbers calculated using the expression set forth in row 2 of the said Table in that same prefecture;
- 二 精神病床 都道府県の区域ごとに別表第七の三の項に掲げる式により算定した数
- (ii) psychiatric hospital beds: a number calculated using the expression set forth in row 3 of Appended Table 7 for each of the zones of a prefecture;
- 三 結核病床 都道府県の区域ごとに結核の予防及び結核患者に対する適正な医療の 提供を図るため必要なものとして都道府県知事が定める数