identifiable acute exacerbations. The monthly distribution of these incidences, separately and in combination, is indicated in Fig. 1.

There is little difference in the incidence per month of initial episodes ($\chi^2$ with 11 degrees of freedom $= 10.617$—not significant). More exacerbations, however, occurred in July than in any other month, but this increase in July is balanced by a decrease in June and August. When the incidence for three-monthly periods throughout the year is compared, there is no evidence of seasonal preponderance either for total episodes (January to March, 130; April to June, 120; July to September, 131; October to December, 133) or for initial episodes or exacerbations.

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