

Chiropractic Board of Australia

Registrant data

Reporting period: 01 October 2023 to 31 December 2023



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Introduction

The functions of the Chiropractic Board of Australia (the Board) include:

- registering chiropractors and students
- developing standards, codes and guidelines for the chiropractic profession
- handling notifications, complaints, investigations and disciplinary hearings
- overseeing the assessment of overseas trained practitioners who wish to practise in Australia, and
- approving accreditation standards and accredited courses of study.

The Board's functions are supported by the [Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency](#) (Ahpra). For information about legislation governing our operations see Ahpra's Legislation & Publications at www.ahpra.gov.au/Publications

The Board has analysed its registration data and produced a number of statistical breakdowns about registrants to share with the profession and community. The Board shares these breakdowns regularly. For more information on chiropractor registration, please see the Board's website: www.chiropracticboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx

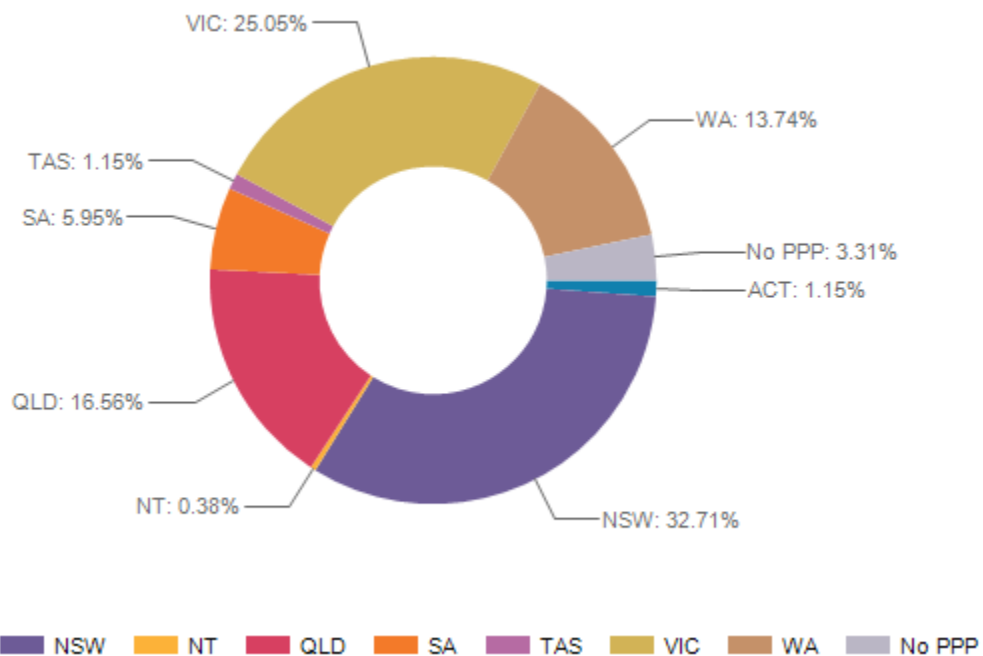
Principal place of practice

Registration type

Table 1.1 Registration type by principal place of practice

Registration types	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
General	68	2,030	24	1,042	375	74	1,513	856	77	6,059
Limited							2			2
Non-practising	7	107	1	40	14	1	122	42	139	473
Total	75	2,137	25	1,082	389	75	1,637	898	216	6,534

Table 1.2 Principal place of practice percentages



Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander practitioners

Table 1.3 Chiropractors who identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander by principal place of practice

PPP	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander practitioners		12		14	1	1	10	5		43
Percentage of all practitioners		0.6 %		1.3 %	0.3 %	1.3 %	0.6 %	0.6 %		0.7 %

Endorsements by type

Table 1.4 Endorsements

Endorsement	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Acupuncture							24			24

The Chiropractic Board does not have an approved program or pathway for acupuncture endorsement. There are currently practitioners with an acupuncture endorsement as a result of Victoria having different legislation before the start of the National Scheme.

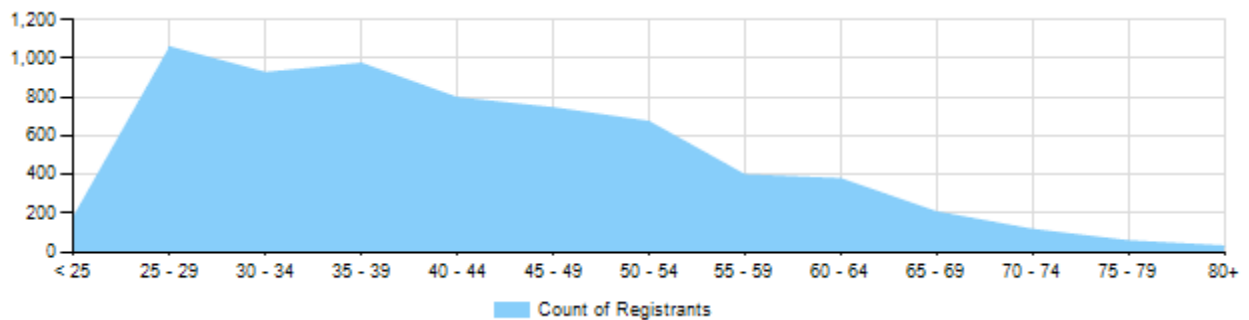
Age group

Registration type

Table 2.1 Registration by age group

Age group	General	Limited	Non-practising	Total
< 25	182		1	183
25 - 29	1,011		48	1,059
30 - 34	858		68	926
35 - 39	896		78	974
40 - 44	741	1	54	796
45 - 49	685	1	58	744
50 - 54	624		49	673
55 - 59	365		32	397
60 - 64	342		35	377
65 - 69	178		27	205
70 - 74	103		12	115
75 - 79	50		6	56
80+	24		5	29
Total	6,059	2	473	6,534

Table 2.2 Registrants by age group



Gender

Registration type

Table 3.1 Registration type by gender

Gender	Registration types	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	General	34	784	11	410	149	27	689	400	27	2,531
	Non-practising	2	48		21	5		65	23	48	212
Total female		36	832	11	431	154	27	754	423	75	2,743
Male	General	34	1,246	13	632	226	47	824	456	50	3,528
	Limited							2			2
	Non-practising	5	59	1	19	9	1	57	19	91	261
Total male		39	1,305	14	651	235	48	883	475	141	3,791
Total		75	2,137	25	1,082	389	75	1,637	898	216	6,534

Percentage

Table 3.2 Registration by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	48.0%	38.9%	44.0%	39.8%	39.6%	36.0%	46.1%	47.1%	34.7%	42.0%
Male	52.0%	61.1%	56.0%	60.2%	60.4%	64.0%	53.9%	52.9%	65.3%	58.0%