

# Chiropractic Board of Australia

## Registrant data

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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](http://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](http://www.chiropracticboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx)

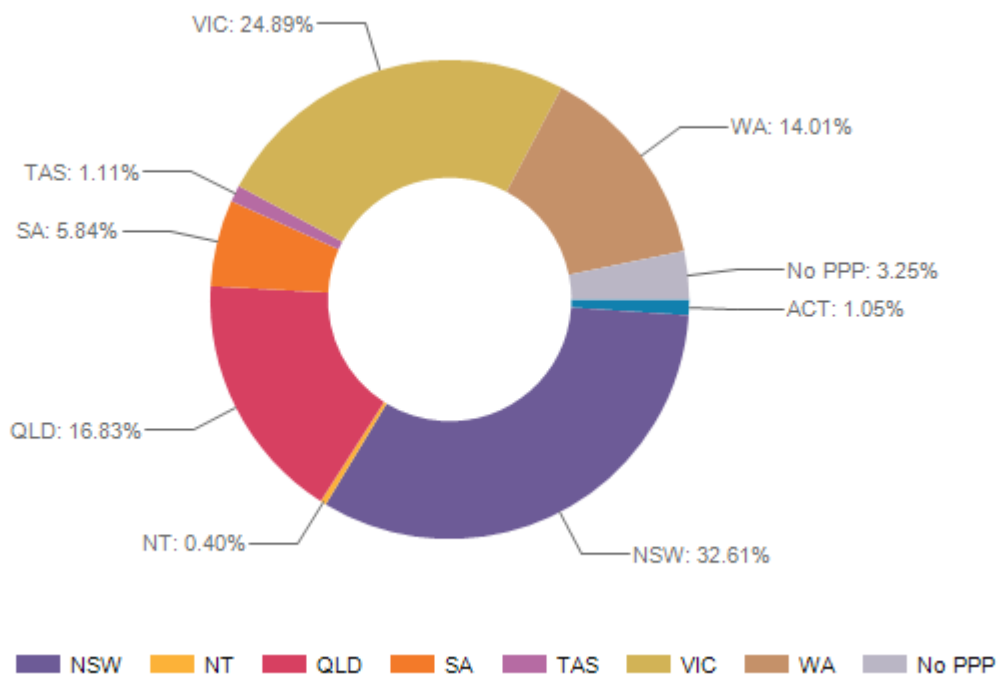
## Principal place of practice

### 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	63	2,040	25	1,067	373	72	1,518	878	77	<b>6,113</b>
Limited										<b>0</b>
Non-practising	6	97	1	36	10	1	113	40	136	<b>440</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>2,137</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1,103</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>1,631</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>6,553</b>

**Table 1.2 Principal place of practice percentages**



### Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander practitioners

**Table 1.3 Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander practitioners by principal place of practice**

PPP	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander practitioners		13		14	1	1	10	4		<b>43</b>
Percentage of all practitioners		0.6 %		1.3 %	0.3 %	1.4 %	0.6 %	0.4 %		<b>0.7 %</b>

## Endorsements by type

**Table 1.4 Endorsements**

Endorsement	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Acupuncture							23			<b>23</b>

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.

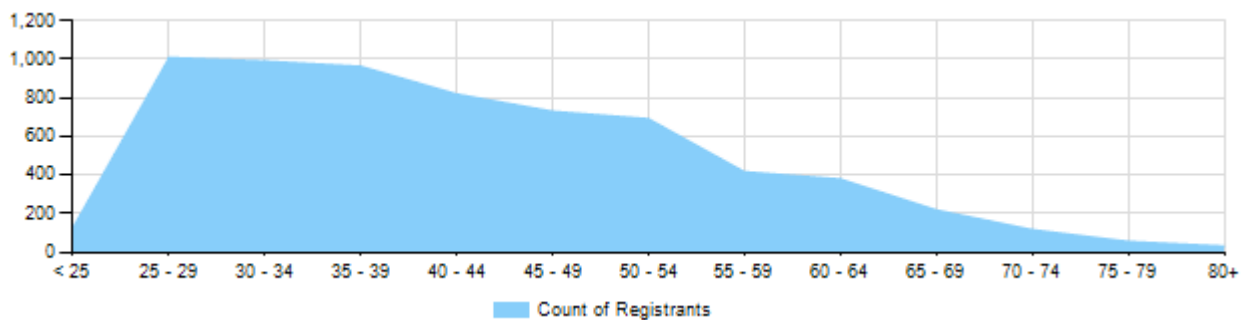
## Age group

### Registration type

**Table 2.1 Registration by age group**

Age group	General	Limited	Non-practising	Total
< 25	130			130
25 - 29	972		38	1,010
30 - 34	932		59	991
35 - 39	887		77	964
40 - 44	763		57	820
45 - 49	670		60	730
50 - 54	646		46	692
55 - 59	389		28	417
60 - 64	347		32	379
65 - 69	197		21	218
70 - 74	104		12	116
75 - 79	50		5	55
80+	26		5	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,113</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>6,553</b>

**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	32	781	12	421	150	27	698	402	26	<b>2,549</b>
	Non-practising	3	48		19	3		59	20	50	<b>202</b>
<b>Total female</b>		<b>35</b>	<b>829</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>440</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>2,751</b>
Male	General	31	1,259	13	646	223	45	820	476	51	<b>3,564</b>
	Non-practising	3	49	1	17	7	1	54	20	86	<b>238</b>
<b>Total male</b>		<b>34</b>	<b>1,308</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>874</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>3,802</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>69</b>	<b>2,137</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1,103</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>1,631</b>	<b>918</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>6,553</b>

### Percentage

**Table 3.2 Registration by gender percentages**

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	50.7%	38.8%	46.2%	39.9%	39.9%	37.0%	46.4%	46.0%	35.7%	<b>42.0%</b>
Male	49.3%	61.2%	53.8%	60.1%	60.1%	63.0%	53.6%	54.0%	64.3%	<b>58.0%</b>