

Medical Radiation Practice Board of Australia

Registrant data

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**Medical Radiation
Practice Board
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Introduction

The role of the Medical Radiation Practice Board of Australia (the Board) is to:

- register medical radiation practitioners and students
- develop standards, codes and guidelines for the medical radiation profession
- investigate notifications and complaints
- where necessary, conduct panel hearings and refer serious matters to Tribunal hearings
- oversee the assessment of overseas trained practitioners who wish to practise in Australia, and
- approve 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 [About Ahpra](#) at www.ahpra.gov.au/About-Ahpra/What-We-Do/Legislation.aspx

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.

Pandemic response sub-register

In April 2020, Ahpra and National Boards established a temporary pandemic response sub-register for up to 12 months to help fast track the return to the workforce of experienced and qualified health practitioners to assist with the COVID-19 pandemic. In early April 2021, the Commonwealth Health Minister requested that medical radiation practitioners (as well as nurses, midwives, pharmacists, and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health practitioners) be added to the sub-register for up to 12 months to help with the COVID-19 response. These medical radiation practitioners are included in these statistics. Please see the [COVID-19](#) page on Ahpra's website for more information.

For more information on medical radiation practitioner registration, please see the Board's website: www.medicalradiationpracticeboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx

Principal place of practice

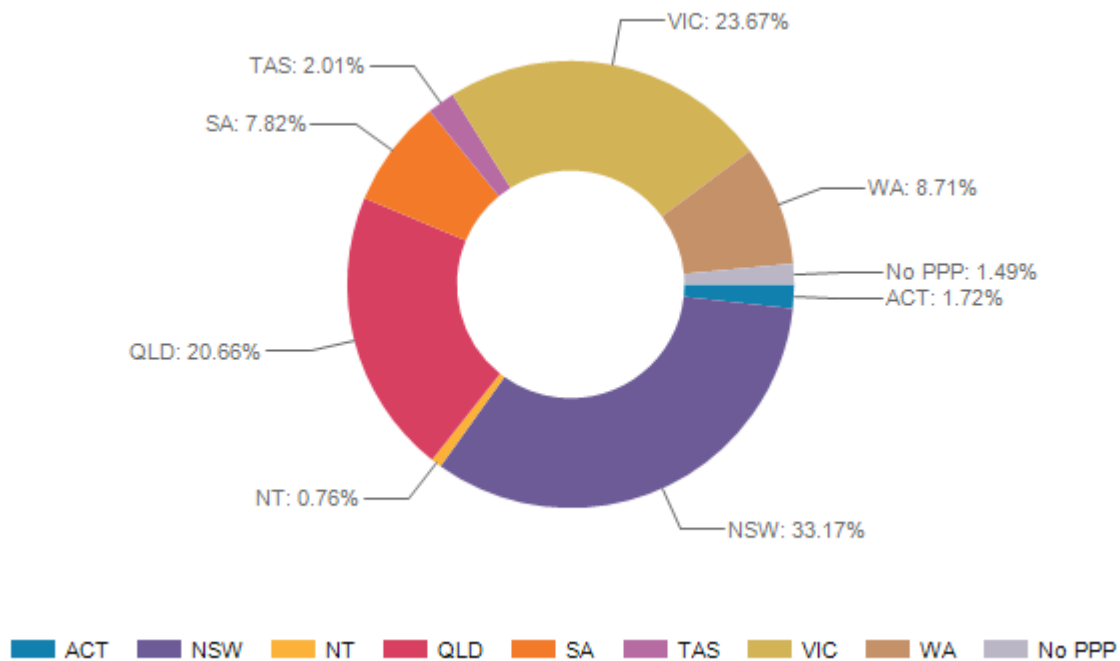
Registration type

Table 1.1 Registration type by principal place of practice

Registration types	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total	Dec 2021
General	320	6,209	141	3,865	1,471	375	4,395	1,633	225	18,634	18,378
General and Non-practising		1								1	0
Provisional		11	1	6	1		26	2	1	48	58
Limited										0	3
Non-practising	11	165	4	106	33	12	135	41	61	568	440
Total	331	6,386	146	3,977	1,505	387	4,556	1,676	287	19,251*	18,879

* Total figure includes 15 medical radiation practitioners on the Pandemic response sub-register. For more information go to the [COVID-19](#) page on the Ahpra website.

Table 1.2 Principal place of practice percentages



Divisions

Table 1.3 By area of division

Division	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Diagnostic Radiographer	243	5,037	128	3,129	1,192	293	3,509	1,339	240	15,110
Diagnostic Radiographer and Nuclear Medicine Technologist		2		7	1		1	2		13
Diagnostic Radiographer and Radiation Therapist				1			1			2
Nuclear Medicine Technologist	34	470	8	211	114	19	353	97	13	1,319
Radiation Therapist	54	877	10	629	198	75	692	238	34	2,807
Total	331	6,386	146	3,977	1,505	387	4,556	1,676	287	19,251

Indigenous status

Table 1.4 Indigenous status by principal place of practice

Indigenous Status/PPP	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Aboriginal	7	56	2	21	5	5	13	3		112
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander	1	1		6	1		1			10
Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander	313	6,193	137	3,854	1,487	376	4,444	1,652	236	18,692
Preferred not to say	8	57	5	54	6	4	31	12		177
Torres Strait Islander				1						1

Age group

Registration type

Table 2.1 Registration by age group

Age group	General	General and Non-practising	Provisional	Limited	Non-practising	Total
< 25	1,695		11		6	1,712
25 - 29	3,643		9		84	3,736
30 - 34	3,146		14		120	3,280
35 - 39	2,744		4		98	2,846
40 - 44	2,056	1	6		69	2,132
45 - 49	1,584		3		59	1,646
50 - 54	1,331		1		33	1,365
55 - 59	992				28	1,020
60 - 64	829				38	867
65 - 69	477				21	498
70 - 74	118				9	127
75 - 79	17				3	20
80+	2					2
Total	18,634	1	48	0	568	19,251

Divisions

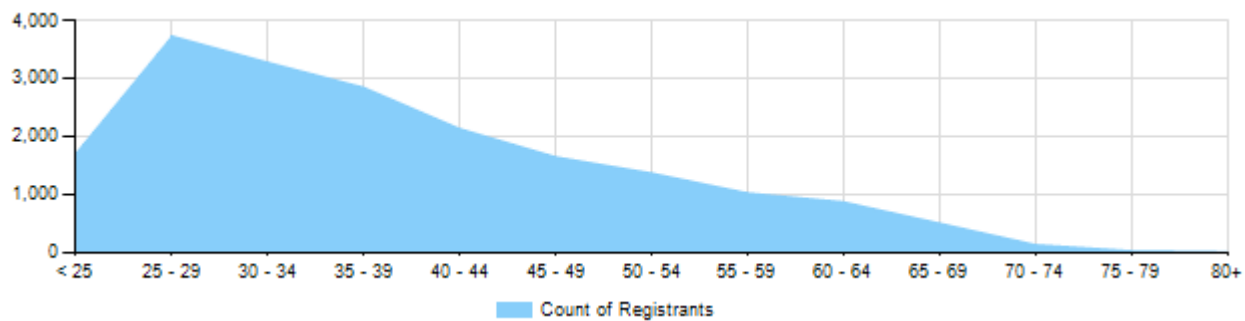
Table 2.2 Divisions by age group

Age group	Diagnostic Radiographer	Diagnostic Radiographer and Nuclear Medicine Technologist	Diagnostic Radiographer and Radiation Therapist	Nuclear Medicine Technologist	Radiation Therapist	Total
< 25	1,368			103	241	1,712
25 - 29	2,951			269	516	3,736
30 - 34	2,560			249	471	3,280
35 - 39	2,092			209	545	2,846
40 - 44	1,597	4		170	361	2,132
45 - 49	1,260	3	1	121	261	1,646
50 - 54	1,091	3	1	87	183	1,365
55 - 59	871	2		51	96	1,020
60 - 64	731	1		36	99	867
65 - 69	445			22	31	498
70 - 74	123			2	2	127
75 - 79	19				1	20
80+	2					2
Total	15,110	13	2	1,319	2,807	19,251

Table 2.3 Pandemic subregister by area of division and age

Division / Age group	ACT	NSW	QLD	SA	VIC	Total
Diagnostic Radiographer	1	4	1	1	8	15
25 - 29					1	1
30 - 34			1	1	1	3
35 - 39		1			2	3
40 - 44					2	2
45 - 49					1	1
50 - 54					1	1
55 - 59		1				1
60 - 64	1					1
65 - 69		1				1
75 - 79		1				1
Total	1	4	1	1	8	15

Table 2.4 Registration 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	212	4,246	94	2,635	1,081	269	2,975	1,094	170	12,776
	General and Non-practising		1								1
	Provisional		7		5	1		16	2	1	32
	Non-practising	10	114	4	75	25	6	107	32	45	418
Total female		222	4,368	98	2,715	1,107	275	3,098	1,128	216	13,227
Male	General	108	1,963	47	1,229	390	106	1,418	539	55	5,855
	Provisional		4	1	1			10			16
	Non-practising	1	51		31	8	6	28	9	16	150
Total male		109	2,018	48	1,261	398	112	1,456	548	71	6,021
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate	General				1			2			3
Total Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate		0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3
Total		331	6,386	146	3,977	1,505	387	4,556	1,676	287	19,251

Percentage

Table 3.2 Registration by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	67.1%	68.4%	67.1%	68.3%	73.6%	71.1%	68.0%	67.3%	75.3%	68.7%
Male	32.9%	31.6%	32.9%	31.7%	26.4%	28.9%	32.0%	32.7%	24.7%	31.3%
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate				<0.1%			<0.1%			<0.1%