

Occupational Therapy Board of Australia

Registrant data

Reporting period: 01 April 2025 to 30 June 2025



**Occupational
Therapy Board**
Ahpra

Table of contents

Introduction.....	3
Principal place of practice.....	4
Registration type	4
Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander practitioners	4
Age group.....	5
Registration type and subtype	5
Gender.....	6
Registration type	6
Percentage	6

Introduction

The role of the Occupational Therapy Board of Australia (the Board) includes:

- registering occupational therapists and students
- developing standards, codes and guidelines for the occupational therapy 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 [About Ahpra](#) at <http://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.

For more information on occupational therapy registration, please see the Board's website www.occupationaltherapyboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx

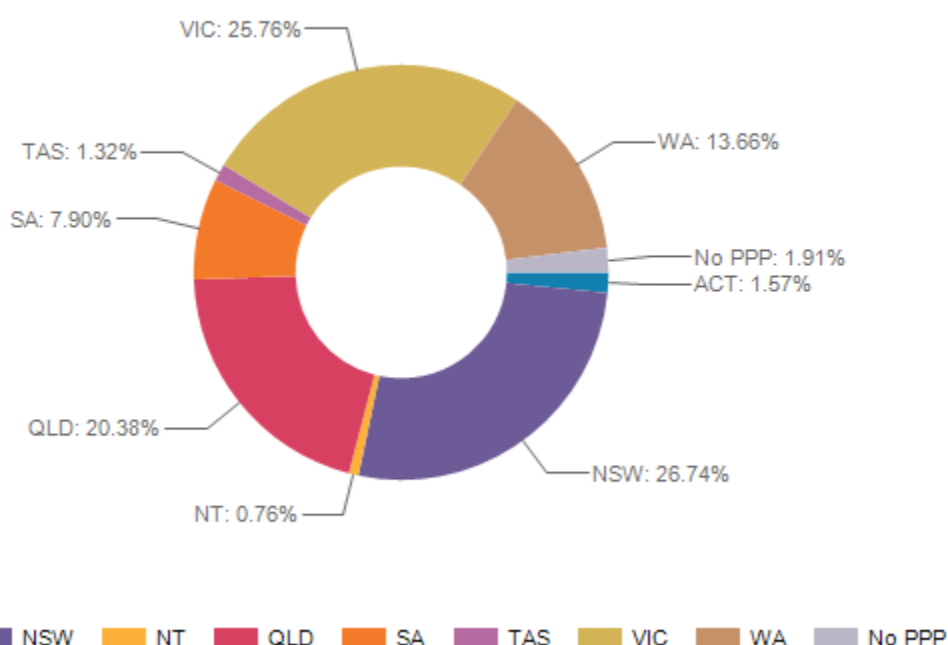
Principal place of practice

Registration type

Table 1.1 Registration type by principal place of practice

Registration types	Registration subtypes	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
General		515	8,925	257	6,797	2,645	432	8,591	4,531	502	33,195
Provisional											0
Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice	10	74		50	7	14	75	18	18	266
	Teaching or Research				1						1
Non-practising		17	205	4	168	67	8	201	153	138	961
Total		542	9,204	261	7,016	2,719	454	8,867	4,702	658	34,423

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	6	89	3	80	12	2	24	20		236
Percentage of all practitioners	1.1 %	1.0 %	1.1 %	1.1 %	0.4 %	0.4 %	0.3 %	0.4 %		0.7 %

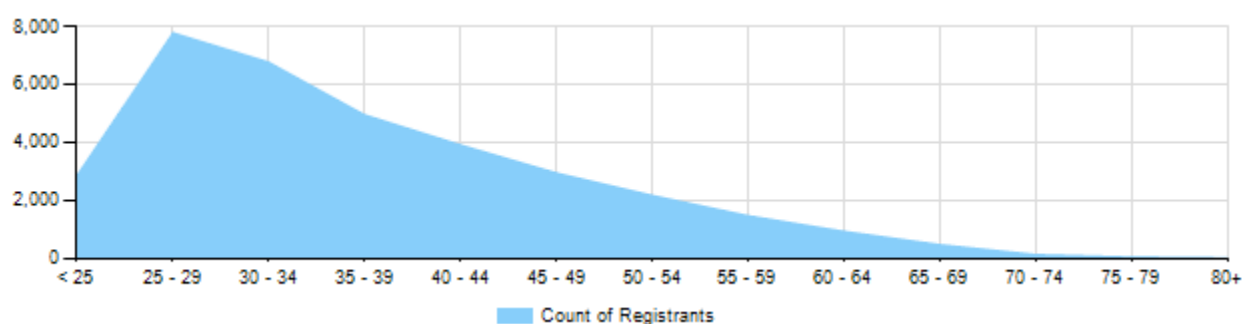
Age group

Registration type and subtype

Table 2.1 Registration by age group

Age group	General	Provisional	Limited		Non-practising	Total
			Postgraduate training or supervised practice	Teaching or research		
< 25	2,832		18		16	2,866
25 - 29	7,548		110		135	7,793
30 - 34	6,527		72	1	177	6,777
35 - 39	4,742		31		183	4,956
40 - 44	3,783		15		117	3,915
45 - 49	2,838		11		94	2,943
50 - 54	2,096		6		64	2,166
55 - 59	1,416		2		47	1,465
60 - 64	862		1		60	923
65 - 69	419				45	464
70 - 74	102				17	119
75 - 79	29				6	35
80+	1					1
Total	33,195	0	266	1	961	34,423

Table 2.2 Registration by age group



Gender

Registration type

Table 3.1 Gender by state and territory by registration type

Gender	Registration types	Registration subtypes	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	General		443	7,970	231	6,086	2,272	387	7,638	4,101	433	29,561
	Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice	8	66		42	6	12	59	16	16	225
		Teaching or Research				1						1
	Non-practising			14	188	4	151	62	8	181	140	122
Total Female			465	8,224	235	6,280	2,340	407	7,878	4,257	571	30,657
Male	General		72	955	26	709	373	45	952	428	69	3,629
	Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice	2	8		8	1	2	16	2	2	41
	Non-practising		3	17		17	5		20	13	16	91
Total Male			77	980	26	734	379	47	988	443	87	3,761
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate	General					2			1	2		5
Total			542	9,204	261	7,016	2,719	454	8,867	4,702	658	34,423

Percentage

Table 3.2 Registrants by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	85.8%	89.4%	90.0%	89.5%	86.1%	89.6%	88.8%	90.5%	86.8%	89.1%
Male	14.2%	10.6%	10.0%	10.5%	13.9%	10.4%	11.1%	9.4%	13.2%	10.9%
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate				<0.1%			<0.1%	<0.1%		<0.1%