

Podiatry Board of Australia

Registrant data

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Introduction

The role of the Podiatry Board of Australia (the Board) includes:

- registering podiatrists, podiatric surgeons and students
- developing standards, codes and guidelines for the podiatry profession
- handling notifications and complaints
- where necessary, conducting panel hearings and referring serious matters to tribunal 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](#).

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 podiatry registration, please see the Board's website www.podiatryboard.gov.au/

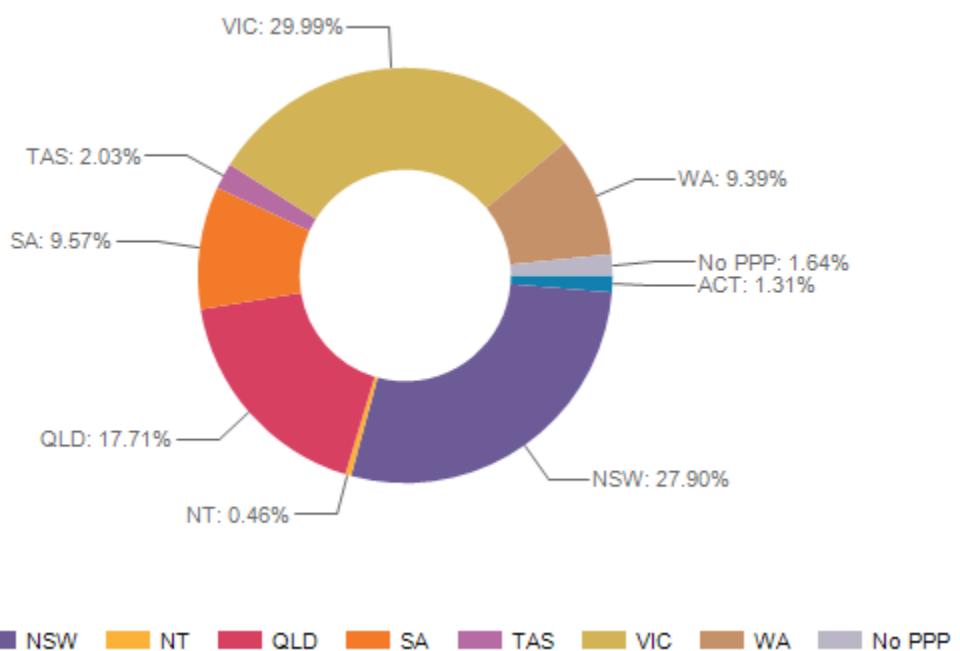
Principal place of practice

Registration type

Table 1.1 Registration type and subtype by principal place of practice

Registration types	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
General	80	1,704	29	1,084	591	123	1,849	558	73	6,091
General and Specialist	2	6		1	3		6	20	2	40
Non-practising	1	60		39	13	6	48	18	29	214
Total	83	1,770	29	1,124	607	129	1,903	596	104	6,345

Table 1.2 Registration type by 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		23		9	3	2	10	4		51
Percentage of all practitioners		1.3%		0.8%	0.5%	1.6%	0.5%	0.7%		0.8%

Endorsements

Table 1.4 Endorsements

Endorsement	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Scheduled medicines	2	35	3	47	26	10	173	51		347

Specialties

Table 1.5 Specialty

Speciality	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Podiatric Surgeon										
Podiatric Surgery	2	6		1	3		6	20	2	40
Total	2	6		1	3		6	20	2	40

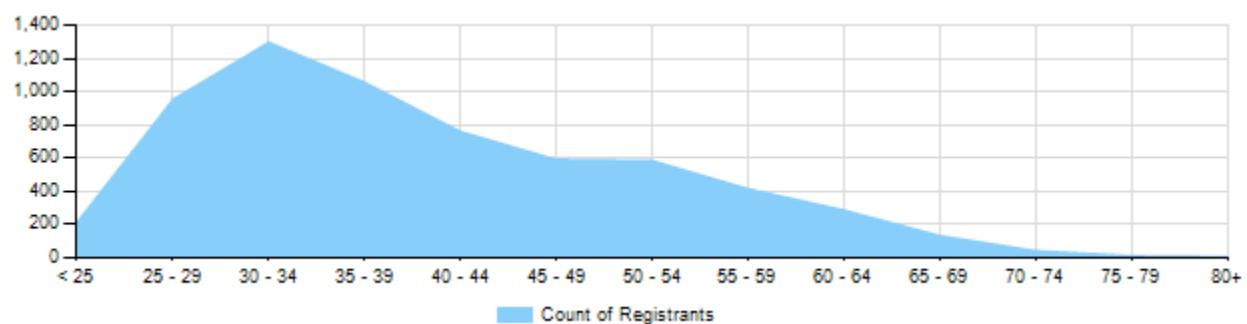
Age group

Registration type

Table 2.1 Registration by age group

Age group	General	General and Specialist	Non-practising	Total
< 25	211		2	213
25 - 29	939		17	956
30 - 34	1,248	1	52	1,301
35 - 39	1,022	5	32	1,059
40 - 44	730	6	25	761
45 - 49	568	5	18	591
50 - 54	549	9	27	585
55 - 59	391	7	16	414
60 - 64	263	5	17	285
65 - 69	123	2	5	130
70 - 74	37		2	39
75 - 79	7		1	8
80+	3			3
Total	6,091	40	214	6,345

Table 2.2 Registration by age group



Gender

Registration type

Table 3.1 Gender by state and territory by registration type

Gender	Registration types	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	General	37	955	21	634	349	82	1,138	347	40	3,603
	General and Specialist		2							9	11
	Non-practising		33		31	8	5	30	15	20	142
Total female		37	990	21	665	357	87	1,168	371	60	3,756
Male	General	43	749	8	450	242	41	711	211	33	2,488
	General and Specialist	2	4		1	3		6	11	2	29
	Non-practising	1	26		8	5	1	18	3	9	71
Total male		46	779	8	459	250	42	735	225	44	2,588
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate	Non-practising		1								1
Total Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total		83	1,770	29	1,124	607	129	1,903	596	104	6,345

Percentage

Table 3.2 Registration by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	44.6%	55.9%	72.4%	59.2%	58.8%	67.4%	61.4%	62.2%	57.7%	59.2%
Male	55.4%	44.0%	27.6%	40.8%	41.2%	32.6%	38.6%	37.8%	42.3%	40.8%
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate		<0.1%								<0.1%