

Occupational Therapy Board of Australia

Registrant data

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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

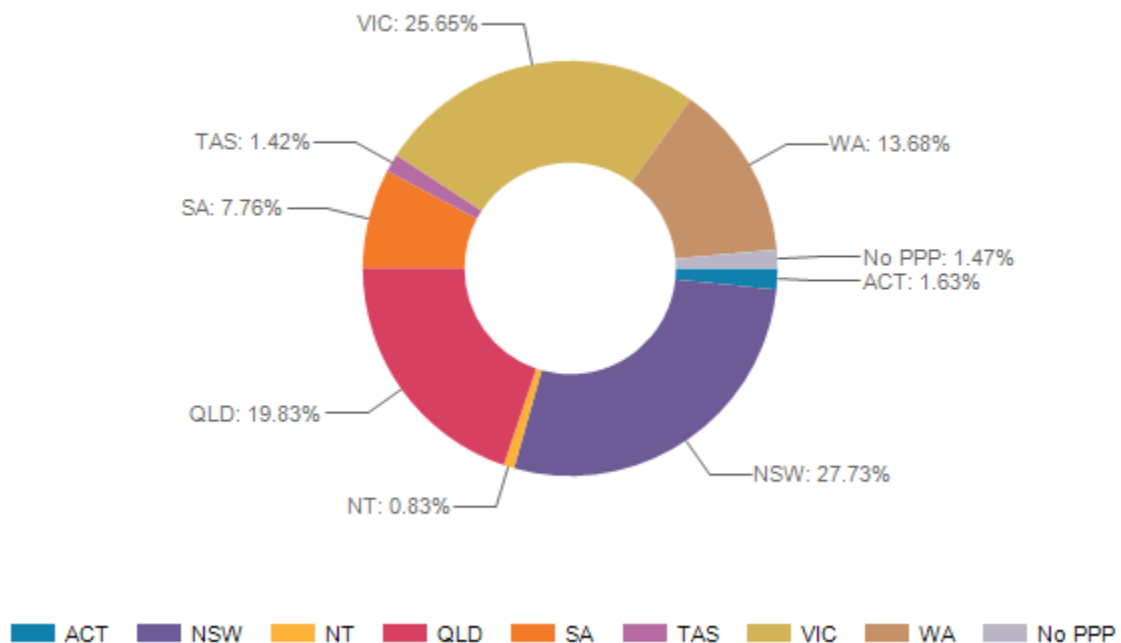
Principal place of practice

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		368	6,442	192	4,572	1,787	332	5,954	3,131	269	23,047
Provisional											0
Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice	1	24	3	11	7	1	22	10	1	80
	Teaching or research	1	1								2
Non-practising		19	144	4	145	55	6	138	119	80	710
Total		389	6,611	199	4,728	1,849	339	6,114	3,260	350	23,839

Table 1.2 Principal place of practice percentages



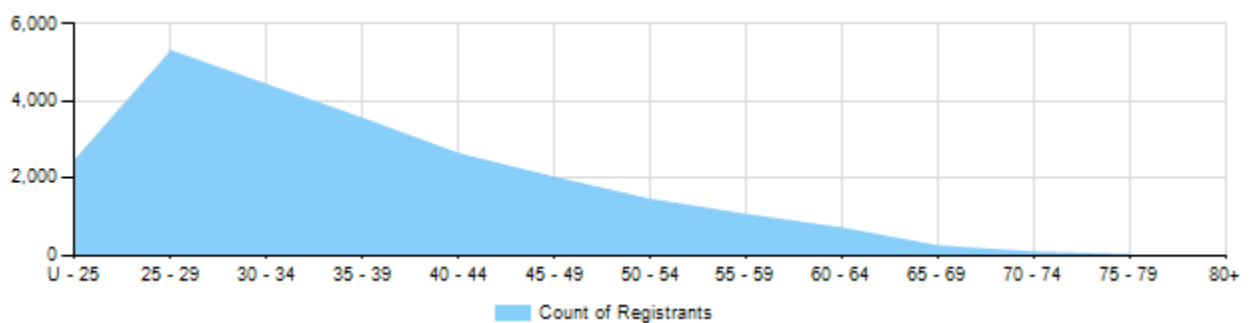
Age group

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		
U - 25	2,449		4		13	2,466
25 - 29	5,144		24		126	5,294
30 - 34	4,235		21		159	4,415
35 - 39	3,390		17	1	133	3,541
40 - 44	2,526		11		91	2,628
45 - 49	1,956		2	1	51	2,010
50 - 54	1,402		1		35	1,438
55 - 59	1,011				34	1,045
60 - 64	655				40	695
65 - 69	211				20	231
70 - 74	65				7	72
75 - 79	3				1	4
80+						0
Total	23,047	0	80	2	710	23,839

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		328	5,805	176	4,153	1,566	294	5,431	2,868	239	20,860
	Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice	1	21	3	10	5	1	18	10	1	70
		Teaching or research	1									1
	Non-practising		19	135	4	136	52	6	126	113	71	662
Total Female			349	5,961	183	4,299	1,623	301	5,575	2,991	311	21,593
Male	General		40	637	16	418	221	38	523	263	30	2,186
	Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice		3		1	2		4			10
		Teaching or research		1								1
	Non-practising			9		9	3		12	6	9	48
Total Male			40	650	16	428	226	38	539	269	39	2,245
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate	General					1						1
Total			389	6,611	199	4,728	1,849	339	6,114	3,260	350	23,839

Percentage

Table 3.2 Registrants by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	89.7%	90.2%	92.0%	90.9%	87.8%	88.8%	91.2%	91.7%	88.9%	90.6%
Male	10.3%	9.8%	8.0%	9.1%	12.2%	11.2%	8.8%	8.3%	11.1%	9.4%
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate				<0.1%						<0.1%