

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

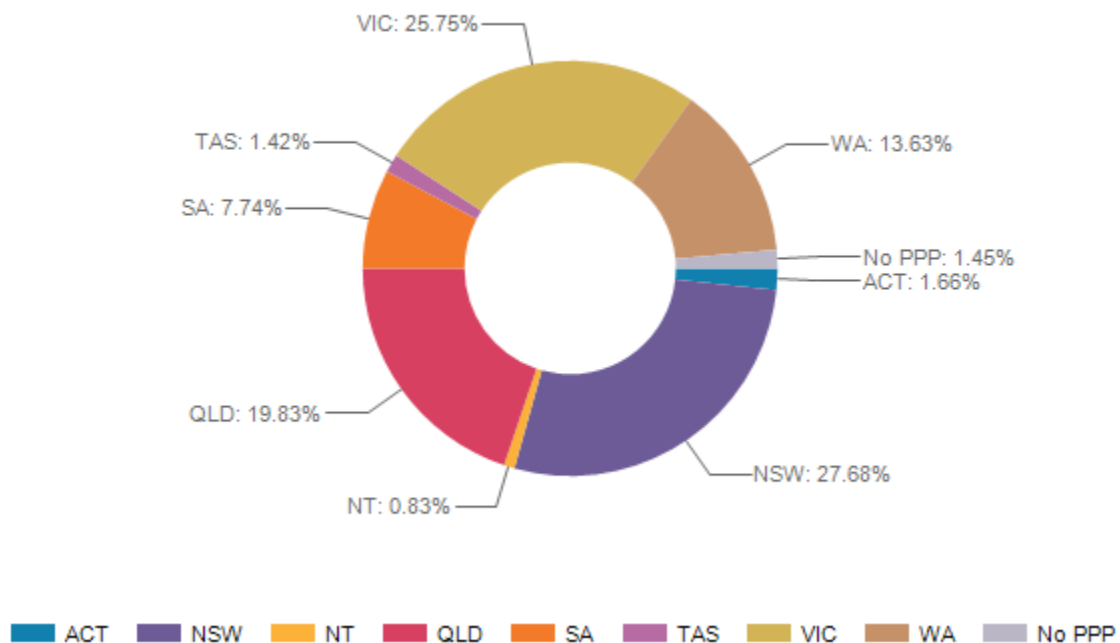
Principal place of practice

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		377	6,469	192	4,603	1,796	333	6,025	3,144	272	23,211
Provisional											0
Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice	1	32	3	13	9	2	25	12	1	98
	Teaching or research	1	1								2
Non-practising		19	141	4	143	53	6	129	115	76	686
Total		398	6,643	199	4,759	1,858	341	6,179	3,271	349	23,997

Table 1.2 Principal place of practice percentages



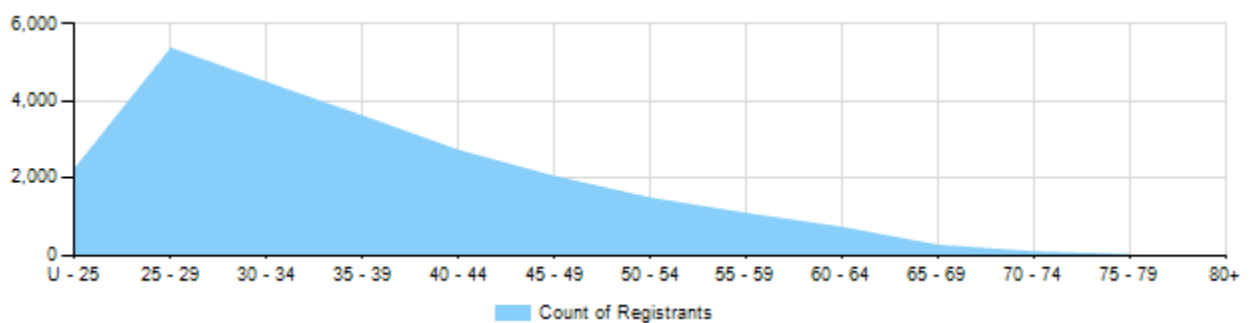
Age group

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	2,230		4		10	2,244
25 - 29	5,216		34		110	5,360
30 - 34	4,297		21		154	4,472
35 - 39	3,441		21	1	137	3,600
40 - 44	2,612		12		84	2,708
45 - 49	1,974		4	1	52	2,031
50 - 54	1,435		1		36	1,472
55 - 59	1,038		1		33	1,072
60 - 64	670				41	711
65 - 69	226				19	245
70 - 74	68				9	77
75 - 79	4				1	5
80+						0
Total	23,211	0	98	2	686	23,997

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		337	5,830	176	4,183	1,573	296	5,495	2,879	241	21,010
	Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice	1	29	3	12	7	2	21	12	1	88
		Teaching or research	1									1
	Non-practising		19	130	4	134	50	6	115	109	68	635
Total Female			358	5,989	183	4,329	1,630	304	5,631	3,000	310	21,734
Male	General		40	639	16	419	223	37	530	265	31	2,200
	Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice		3		1	2		4			10
		Teaching or research		1								1
	Non-practising			11		9	3		14	6	8	51
Total Male			40	654	16	429	228	37	548	271	39	2,262
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate	General					1						1
Total			398	6,643	199	4,759	1,858	341	6,179	3,271	349	23,997

Percentage

Table 3.2 Registrants by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	89.9%	90.2%	92.0%	91.0%	87.7%	89.1%	91.1%	91.7%	88.8%	90.6%
Male	10.1%	9.8%	8.0%	9.0%	12.3%	10.9%	8.9%	8.3%	11.2%	9.4%
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate				<0.1%						<0.1%