

Chinese Medicine Board of Australia

Registrant data

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Introduction

The functions of the Chinese Medicine Board of Australia (the Board) include:

- registering Chinese medicine practitioners and students
- developing standards, codes and guidelines for the Chinese medicine 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 Ahpra's Legislation and Publications at www.ahpra.gov.au/Publications

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 Chinese medicine registration, please see the Board's website: www.chinesemedicineboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx

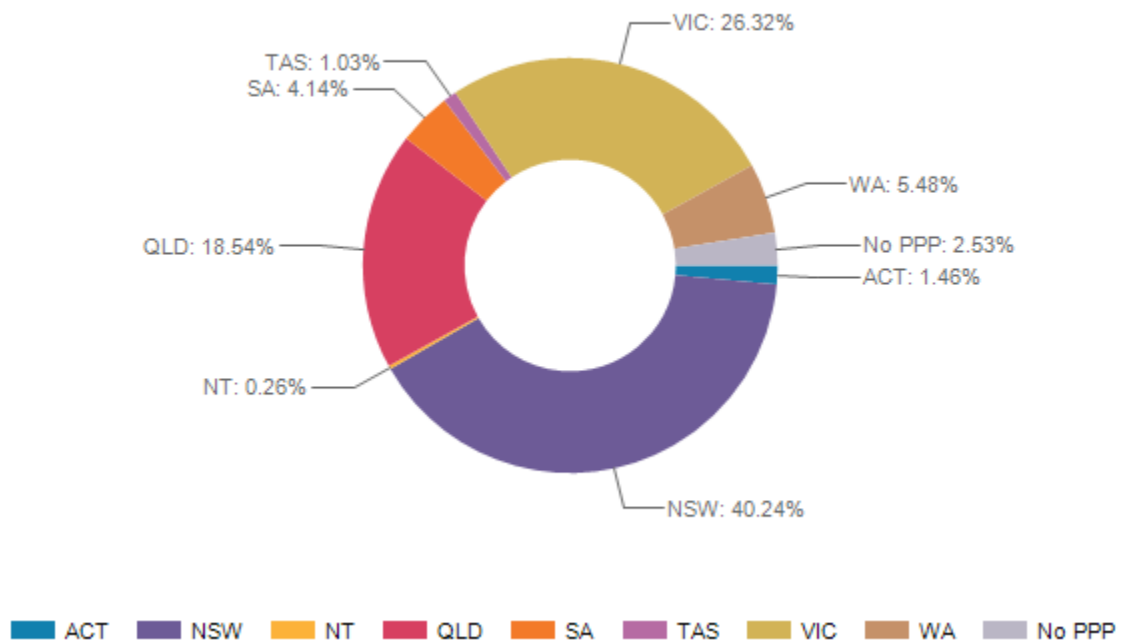
Principal place of practice

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
General	68	1,879	11	854	192	48	1,194	256	49	4,551
General and Non-practising		12		2	1	2	12	1	1	31
Limited		1								1
Non-practising	4	92	2	58	11	1	92	13	75	348
Total	72	1,984	13	914	204	51	1,298	270	125	4,931

Table 1.2 Registrations by principal place of practice percentages



Registration divisions

Table 1.3 Registrations by division

Division	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Acupuncturist	25	423	7	608	126	24	396	112	25	1,746
Acupuncturist and Chinese Herbal Dispenser				2						2
Acupuncturist and Chinese Herbal Dispenser and Chinese Herbal Medicine Practitioner	13	602	3	70	12	7	281	42	30	1,060
Acupuncturist and Chinese Herbal Medicine Practitioner	34	902	3	223	65	20	597	113	66	2,023
Chinese Herbal Dispenser		30		2			3	2	1	38
Chinese Herbal Dispenser and Chinese Herbal Medicine Practitioner		11		1	1		4	1	2	20
Chinese Herbal Medicine Practitioner		16		8			17		1	42
Total	72	1,984	13	914	204	51	1,298	270	125	4,931

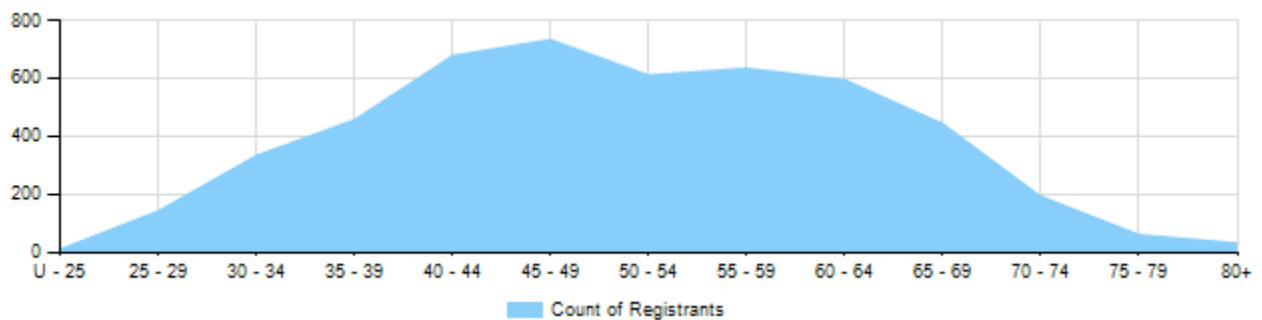
Age group

Registration type

Table 2.1 Registration type by age group

Age group	General	General and Non-practising	Limited	Non-practising	Total
U - 25	10				10
25 - 29	131	2		9	142
30 - 34	306	3		25	334
35 - 39	413	2		43	458
40 - 44	623	4	1	52	680
45 - 49	683	9		43	735
50 - 54	580	2		30	612
55 - 59	589	2		45	636
60 - 64	541	3		52	596
65 - 69	417	1		26	444
70 - 74	177	3		13	193
75 - 79	54			6	60
80+	27			4	31
Total	4,551	31	1	348	4,931

Table 2.2 Registrants 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	37	1,045	7	490	109	28	701	160	27	2,604
	General and Non-practising		6		1	1	2	6	1	1	18
	Non-practising	3	56	1	36	7		61	8	41	213
Total female		40	1,107	8	527	117	30	768	169	69	2,835
Male	General	31	834	4	364	83	20	493	96	22	1,947
	General and Non-practising		6		1			6			13
	Limited		1								1
	Non-practising	1	36	1	22	4	1	31	5	34	135
Total male		32	877	5	387	87	21	530	101	56	2,096
Total		72	1,984	13	914	204	51	1,298	270	125	4,931

Percentage

Table 3.2 Registration by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	55.6%	55.8%	61.5%	57.7%	57.4%	58.8%	59.2%	62.6%	55.2%	57.5%
Male	44.4%	44.2%	38.5%	42.3%	42.6%	41.2%	40.8%	37.4%	44.8%	42.5%