

# Chiropractic Board of Australia

## Registrant data

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## Introduction

The functions of the Chiropractic Board of Australia (the Board) include:

- registering chiropractors and students
- developing standards, codes and guidelines for the chiropractic 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 & Publications at [www.ahpra.gov.au/Publications](http://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 chiropractor registration, please see the Board's website: [www.chiropracticboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx](http://www.chiropracticboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx)

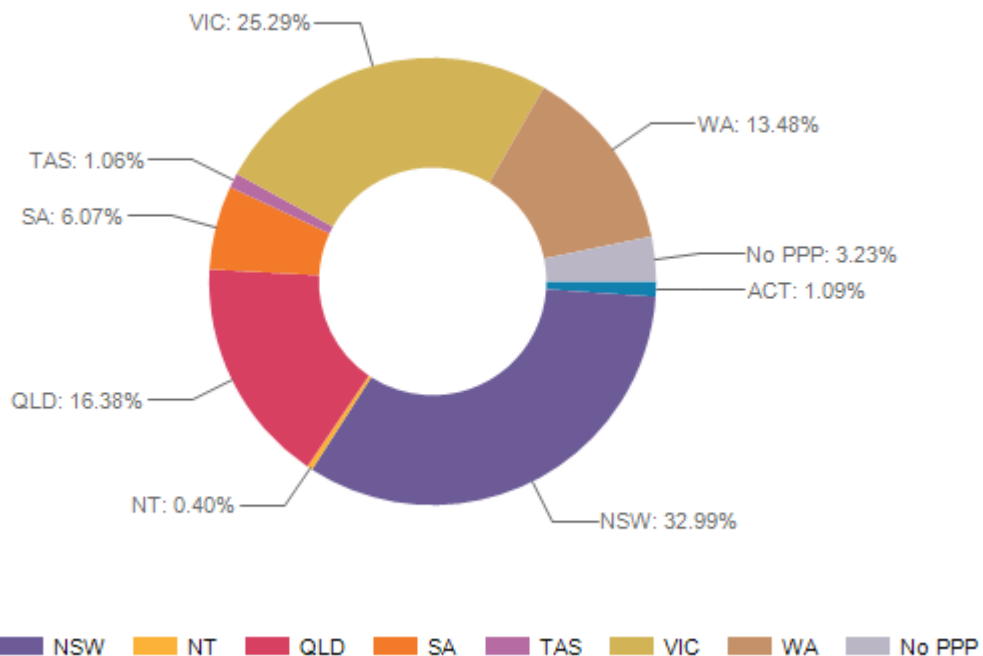
## Principal place of practice

### 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	65	1,994	25	998	369	66	1,485	815	73	<b>5,890</b>
Limited							2			<b>2</b>
Non-practising	4	88		36	14	1	109	36	131	<b>419</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>2,082</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>1,034</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1,596</b>	<b>851</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>6,311</b>

**Table 1.2 Principal place of practice percentages**



## Endorsements by type

**Table 1.3 Endorsements**

Endorsement	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Acupuncture							25			<b>25</b>

The Chiropractic Board does not have an approved program or pathway for acupuncture endorsement. There are currently practitioners with an acupuncture endorsement as a result of Victoria having different legislation before the start of the National Scheme.

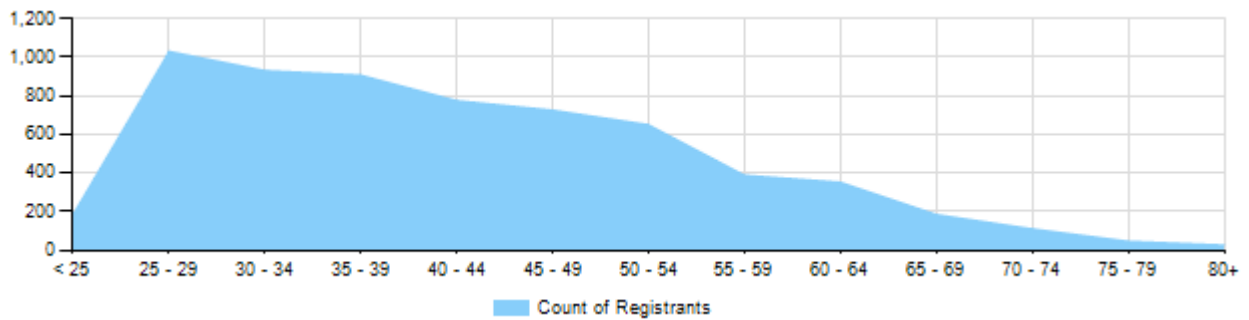
## Age group

### Registration type

**Table 2.1 Registration by age group**

Age group	General	Limited	Non-practising	Total
< 25	185		1	186
25 - 29	995		36	1,031
30 - 34	858		73	931
35 - 39	846		61	907
40 - 44	719	1	55	775
45 - 49	671	1	54	726
50 - 54	610		40	650
55 - 59	358		30	388
60 - 64	321		31	352
65 - 69	165		19	184
70 - 74	100		10	110
75 - 79	40		5	45
80+	22		4	26
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,890</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>6,311</b>

**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	31	768	13	393	147	23	675	379	24	<b>2,453</b>
	Non-practising	2	41		17	4	1	58	21	46	<b>190</b>
<b>Total female</b>		<b>33</b>	<b>809</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>733</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>2,643</b>
Male	General	34	1,226	12	605	222	43	810	436	49	<b>3,437</b>
	Limited							2			<b>2</b>
	Non-practising	2	47		19	10		51	15	85	<b>229</b>
<b>Total male</b>		<b>36</b>	<b>1,273</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>863</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>3,668</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>69</b>	<b>2,082</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>1,034</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1,596</b>	<b>851</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>6,311</b>

### Percentage

**Table 3.2 Registration by gender percentages**

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	47.8%	38.9%	52.0%	39.7%	39.4%	35.8%	45.9%	47.0%	34.3%	<b>41.9%</b>
Male	52.2%	61.1%	48.0%	60.3%	60.6%	64.2%	54.1%	53.0%	65.7%	<b>58.1%</b>