

Pharmacy Board of Australia

Registrant data

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Introduction

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

- registering pharmacists and students
- developing standards, codes and guidelines for the pharmacy profession
- handling notifications, complaints, investigations and disciplinary hearings
- overseeing the assessment of overseas trained pharmacists 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 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 pharmacy registration, please see the Board's website: www.pharmacyboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx

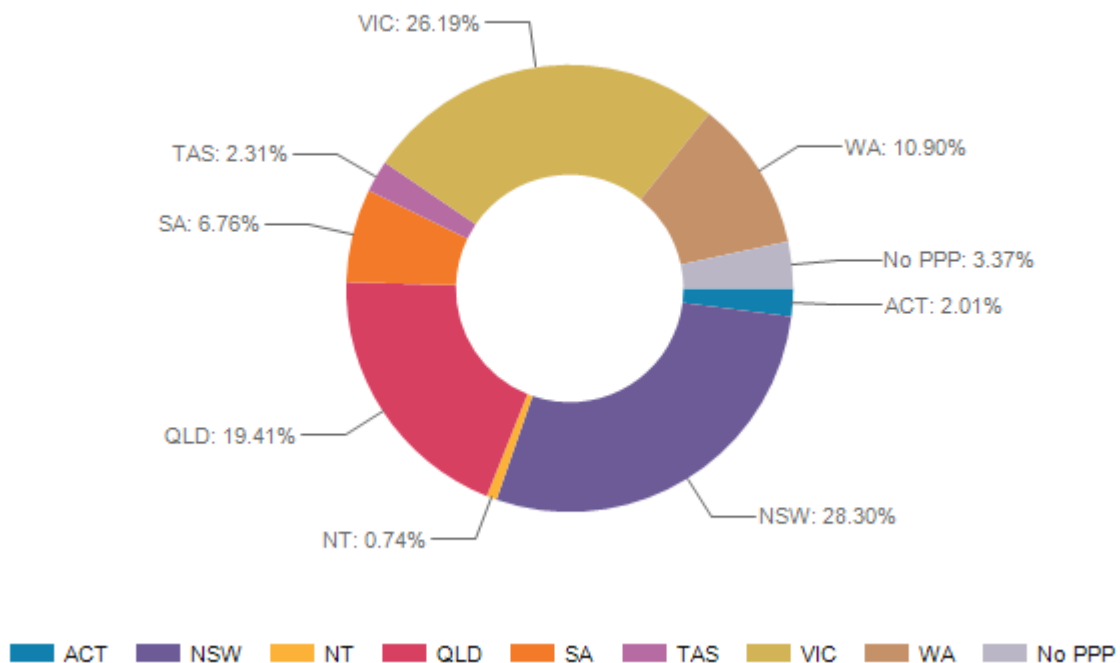
Principal place of practice

Registration type

Table 1.1 Registration type and subtype by principal place of practice

Registration types	Registration subtypes	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
General		718	9,890	246	6,855	2,408	803	9,038	3,850	168	33,976
Provisional		51	802	39	534	164	81	869	313	785	3,638
Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice		12	1	3	5	1	8	8	6	44
Non-practising		16	375	5	204	69	20	338	97	362	1,486
Total		785	11,079	291	7,596	2,646	905	10,253	4,268	1,321	39,144

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	4	46	3	31	6	7	11	12		120
Percentage of all practitioners	0.5 %	0.4 %	1.0 %	0.4 %	0.2 %	0.8 %	0.1 %	0.3 %		0.3 %

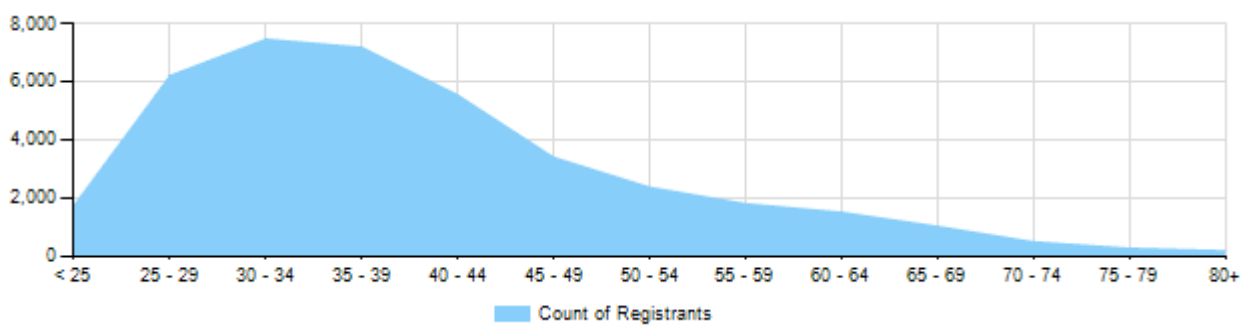
Age group

Registration type and subtype

Table 2.1 Registration by age group

Age group	General	Provisional	Limited	Non-practising	Total
			Postgraduate training or supervised practice		
< 25	852	894		2	1,748
25 - 29	4,984	1,167	17	51	6,219
30 - 34	6,413	841	8	207	7,469
35 - 39	6,468	471	11	238	7,188
40 - 44	5,094	202	6	245	5,547
45 - 49	3,173	44	2	177	3,396
50 - 54	2,227	11		126	2,364
55 - 59	1,684	7		101	1,792
60 - 64	1,396	1		102	1,499
65 - 69	926			88	1,014
70 - 74	426			54	480
75 - 79	205			52	257
80+	128			43	171
Total	33,976	3,638	44	1,486	39,144

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		490	6,256	163	4,438	1,504	505	5,830	2,548	99	21,833
	Provisional		37	538	25	371	108	42	585	210	479	2,395
	Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice		9	1	3	3	1	7	7	2	33
	Limited			9	1	3	3	1	7	7	2	33
	Non-practising			12	248	3	127	38	11	210	55	251
Total Female			539	7,051	192	4,939	1,653	559	6,632	2,820	831	25,216
Male	General		228	3,634	83	2,416	904	298	3,208	1,302	69	12,142
	Provisional		14	264	14	163	55	39	284	103	305	1,241
	Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice		3			2		1	1	4	11
	Limited			3			2		1	1	4	11
	Non-practising			4	127	2	77	31	9	128	42	111
Total Male			246	4,028	99	2,656	992	346	3,621	1,448	489	13,925
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate	General					1						1
	Provisional						1				1	2
Total			785	11,079	291	7,596	2,646	905	10,253	4,268	1,321	39,144

Percentage

Table 3.2 Registrants by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	68.7%	63.6%	66.0%	65.0%	62.5%	61.8%	64.7%	66.1%	62.9%	64.4%
Male	31.3%	36.4%	34.0%	35.0%	37.5%	38.2%	35.3%	33.9%	37.0%	35.6%
Not stated or Intersex or Indeterminate				<0.1%	<0.1%				<0.1%	<0.1%