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Introduction

The Psychology Board of Australia (the Board) is responsible for registering psychologists and provisional psychologists, setting professional standards and guiding the profession. Its main function is to protect the public.

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 psychology registration, please see the Board's website:
<http://www.psychologyboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx>

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Psychologists: Registration Type by State and Territory

State or territory	General	Limited	Non-practising	Provisional	Total
ACT	640	1	36	113	790
NSW	8,563		382	1,097	10,042
NT	178		5	33	216
QLD	4,267		170	769	5,206
SA	1,238		66	160	1,464
TAS	432		25	66	523
VIC	6,415		216	1,348	7,979
WA	2,529		96	453	3,078
Not supplied or overseas	303		40	4	347
Total	24,565	1	1,036	4,043	29,645

Psychologists: Registration by Age and Type

Age Group	General	Limited	Non-practising	Provisional	Total
21 - 25	175		1	1,039	1,215
26 - 30	2,708		101	1,370	4,179
31 - 35	3,442		190	554	4,186
36 - 40	3,663		184	338	4,185
41 - 45	3,006	1	123	301	3,431
46 - 50	2,585		60	193	2,838
51 - 55	2,757		61	154	2,972
56 - 60	2,676		74	60	2,810
61 - 65	2,166		108	30	2,304
66 - 70	981		87	4	1,072
71 - 75	277		26		303
76 - 80	89		10		99
81 - 85	22		8		30
86 +	13		3		16
Not supplied	5				5
Total	24,565	1	1,036	4,043	29,645

Psychologists: Registration by Sex by State and Territory

Sex	State	General	Limited	Non-practising	Provisional	Total
			Teaching or research			
Female	ACT	500	1	28	94	623
	NSW	6,618		301	917	7,836
	NT	128		4	28	160
	QLD	3,280		143	641	4,064
	SA	882		51	139	1,072
	TAS	339		23	58	420
	VIC	4,976		185	1,127	6,288
	WA	1,951		88	381	2,420
	Not supplied or overseas	214		33	4	251
	Sub total	18,888	1	856	3,389	23,134
Male	ACT	140		8	19	167
	NSW	1,943		81	179	2,203
	NT	50		1	5	56
	QLD	987		27	128	1,142
	SA	356		15	21	392
	TAS	93		2	8	103
	VIC	1,425		31	220	1,676
	WA	578		8	71	657
	Not supplied or overseas	88		7		95
	Sub total	5,660		180	651	6,491
Not Stated	NSW	2			1	3
	VIC	14			1	15
	WA				1	1
	Not Supplied	1				1
	Sub total	17			3	20
Total		24,565	1	1,036	4,043	29,645

Psychologists: by area of practice endorsement and by State or Territory

Area of practice endorsement	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	NoNot supplied or overseas	Total
Clinical neuropsychology	4	108		69	19	9	227	21	5	462
Clinical psychology	112	1,676	21	680	397	126	1,248	835	39	5,134
Community psychology		6		3	1		28	10	1	49
Counselling psychology	8	187	2	64	7	6	408	109	11	802
Educational and developmental psychology	4	126		67	26	16	158	52	6	455
Forensic psychology	8	151	8	51	23	7	107	36	4	395
Health psychology	4	51	2	39	16	9	97	3	1	222
Organisational psychology	13	116	2	49	27	1	112	35	2	357
Sport and exercise psychology	3	17		19	8	1	14	7	1	70
Total	156	2,438	35	1,041	524	175	2,399	1,108	70	7,946