

Physiotherapy Board of Australia Registrant Data

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Introduction

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

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

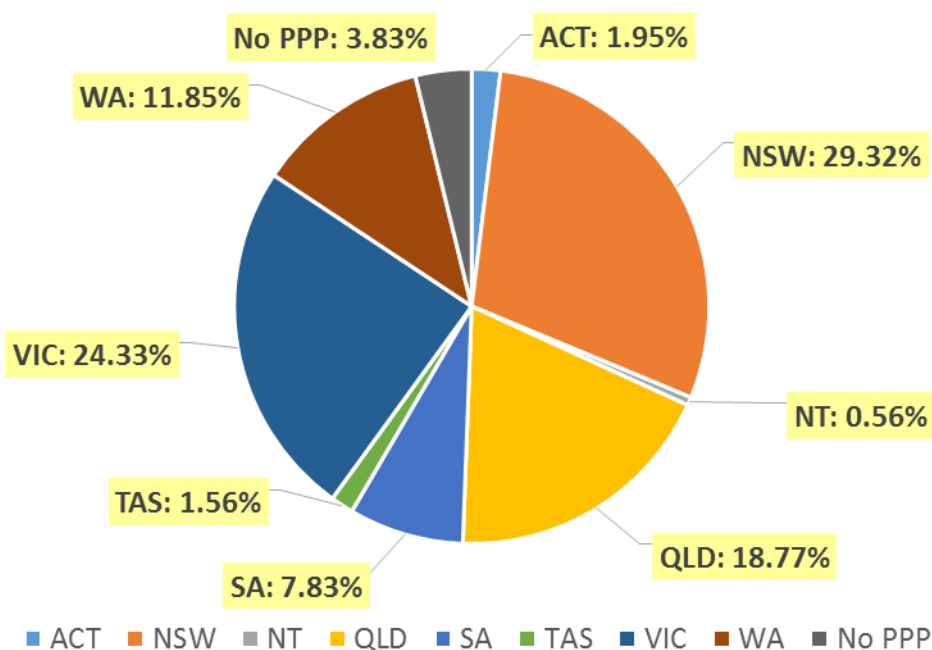
Principal Place of Practice

Registration Type

Table 1.1 Registration type and sub type by principal place of practice

Registration Type	Registration Sub-type	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
General		581	8,572	166	5,518	2,308	457	7,035	3,481	996	29,114
Limited	Postgraduate training or supervised practice	1	64	3	50	31	11	159	35	1	355
	Teaching or research		10		4			2			16
Non-practising		9	254	1	124	38	6	187	82	165	866
Total		591	8,900	170	5,696	2,377	474	7,383	3,598	1,162	30,351

Table 1.2 Registration type by 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							7			7

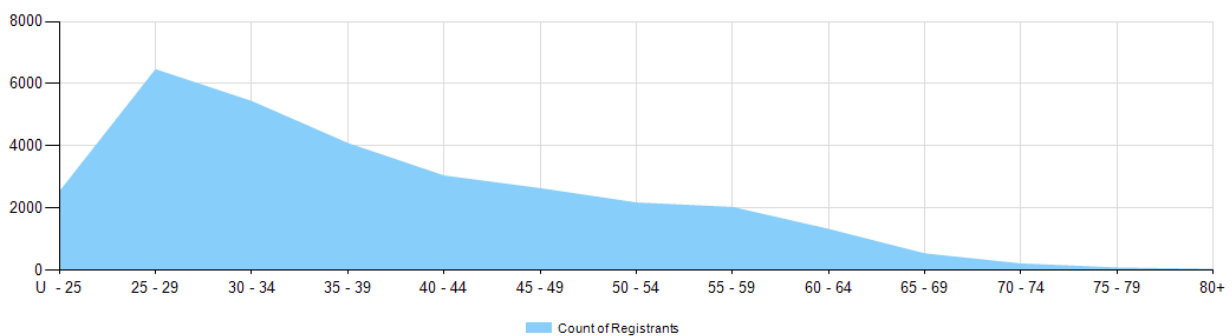
Age Group

Registration Type and Sub type

Table 2.1 Registration by age group

Age Group	General	Limited		Non-practising	Total
		Postgraduate training or supervised practice	Teaching or research		
U - 25	2,496	6		9	2,511
25 - 29	6,211	131		106	6,448
30 - 34	5,149	146	4	124	5,423
35 - 39	3,905	50	1	114	4,070
40 - 44	2,879	16	4	124	3,023
45 - 49	2,516	6	5	90	2,617
50 - 54	2,079		2	75	2,156
55 - 59	1,928			83	2,011
60 - 64	1,249			55	1,304
65 - 69	472			43	515
70 - 74	170			22	192
75 - 79	47			16	63
80+	13			5	18
Total	29,114	355	16	866	30,351

Table 2.2 Registration by age group



Gender

Registration Type

Table 3.1 Gender by state and territory by registration type

Gender	Registration Type	Sub Type	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	General		392	5,665	120	3,659	1,490	324	4,747	2,477	689	19,563
	Limited	Postgrad training or supervised practice		51	2	31	23	7	106	22		242
		Teaching or research		5		4			1			10
	Non-practising			7	207	1	92	33	5	149	60	120
Total Female			399	5,928	123	3,786	1,546	336	5,003	2,559	809	20,489
Male	General		189	2,907	46	1,859	818	133	2,288	1,004	307	9,551
	Limited	Postgrad training or supervised practice	1	13	1	19	8	4	53	13	1	113
		Teaching or research		5					1			6
	Non-practising			2	47		32	5	1	38	22	45
Total Male			192	2,972	47	1,910	831	138	2,380	1,039	353	9,862
Total			591	8,900	170	5,696	2,377	474	7,383	3,598	1,162	30,351

Percentage

Table 4.1 Registrants by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	67.5%	66.6%	72.4%	66.5%	65.0%	70.9%	67.8%	71.1%	69.6%	67.5%
Male	32.5%	33.4%	27.6%	33.5%	35.0%	29.1%	32.2%	28.9%	30.4%	32.5%