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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 intends to share these breakdowns regularly.

For more information on psychology registration, please see the Board's registration standards: <http://www.psychologyboard.gov.au/Registration-Standards.aspx>.

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Psychologists: Registration Type by State

State	Registration Type				
	General	Limited	Non-Practising	Provisional	Grand Total
ACT	637	1	22	116	776
NSW	8350		180	1181	9711
NT	162		1	39	202
QLD	4128		91	843	5062
SA	1198		37	183	1418
TAS	418		9	81	508
VIC	6333		143	1310	7786
WA	2419		61	481	2961
Not supplied	407		30	22	459
Total	24052	1	574	4256	28883

Psychologists: by area of practice endorsement and by state or territory

Approved area of practice endorsement	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	Not supplied	Total
Clinical neuropsychology	2	96	-	60	18	10	201	18	6	411
Clinical psychology	96	1501	18	581	357	109	1100	769	32	4564
Community psychology	-	7	-	3	1	-	24	7	1	43
Counselling psychology	8	178	1	59	7	6	392	102	9	762
Educational and developmental psychology	3	125	-	63	25	16	154	51	6	443
Forensic psychology	7	126	8	47	23	6	96	33	1	347
Health Psychology	4	39	2	31	18	9	74	3	1	181
Organisational psychology	15	110	2	43	25	1	101	36	2	335
Sport and exercise psychology	3	18	-	21	6	1	12	6	1	68
Total	138	2200	31	908	480	158	2154	1025	60	7154

Psychologists: Registration by age and type

Age	Registration Type				Grand Total
	General	Limited	Non-Practising	Provisional	
20 - 25	193		4	1113	1310
26 - 30	2703		55	1404	4162
31 - 35	3355		117	569	4041
36 - 40	3620		107	358	8085
41 - 45	2782	1	67	320	3170
46 - 50	2550		37	236	2823
51 - 55	2758		32	158	2948
56 - 60	2718		37	60	2815
61 - 65	2134		47	30	2211
66 - 70	851		43	5	899
71 - 75	253		12		265
76 - 80	83		9		92
81 - 85	29		4		33
86 - 90	12		2		14
Not supplied	11		1	3	15
Total	24052	1	574	4256	28883

Psychologists: Registration by sex by state

Sex	State	Registration Type					Grand total
		General	Limited	Non-Practising	Provisional	Total	
Female	ACT	494	1	18	95	608	22,434
	NSW	6421		140	992	7553	
	NT	114		1	34	149	
	QLD	3164		77	702	3943	
	SA	839		30	156	1025	
	TAS	326		9	71	406	
	VIC	4882		119	1079	6080	
	WA	1860		58	406	2324	
	Not supplied	304		25	17	346	
Male	ACT	143		4	21	168	6,420
	NSW	1927		40	187	2154	
	NT	48			5	53	
	QLD	964		14	141	1119	
	SA	359		7	27	393	
	TAS	92			9	101	
	VIC	1435		24	227	1686	
	WA	559		3	73	635	
	Not supplied	101		5	5	111	
Not supplied	NSW	2			2	4	29
	TAS				1	1	
	VIC	16			4	20	
	WA				2	2	
	Not supplied	2				2	
Total		24052	1	574	4256	28945	28883