

Chiropractic Registrant Data: December 2012

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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
- assessing overseas trained practitioners who wish to practise in Australia
- approving accreditation standards and accredited courses of study.

The Board's functions are supported by Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA). For information about legislation governing our operations see AHPRA's Legislation & Publications at http://www.ahpra.gov.au/Legislation-and-Publications.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 chiropractic registration, please see the Board's website: www.chiropracticboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx

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Please Note: The numbers in this report reflect the National Board's registration data as at 31 December 2012. These statistics include approximately 110 registrants who did not renew their registration by the end of the registration renewal late period for this profession, and were removed from the register on 3 January 2013, as required by the National Law.

Chiropractors: State and territory by registration type

State	General	Limited		Non-practising	Total	% By State
		Area of need	Public interest			
ACT	58			1	59	1.28%
NSW	1,462			51	1,513	32.82%
NT	24			2	26	0.56%
QLD	691			18	709	15.38%
SA	343			17	360	7.81%
TAS	46		1		47	1.02%
VIC	1,161		3	80	1,244	26.98%
WA	515			15	530	11.5%
Not Stated	49	1	2	70	122	2.65%
Total	4,349	1	6	254	4,610	

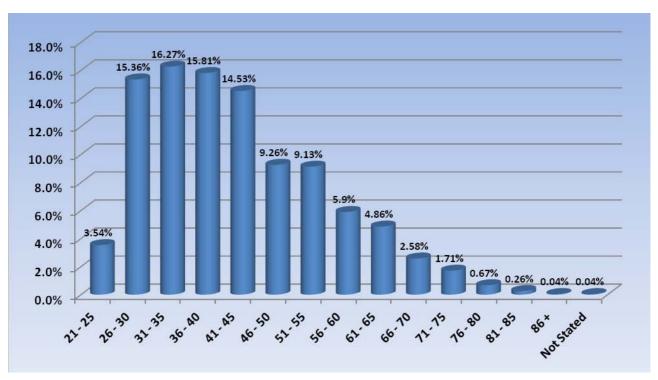
% By state



Chiropractors: Age by registration type

Age Group	General	Limited		Non- practising	Total	% By Age Group
		Area of need	Public interest			
21 - 25	161			2	163	3.54%
26 - 30	672			36	708	15.36%
31 - 35	700			50	750	16.27%
36 - 40	694			35	729	15.81%
41 - 45	642		1	27	670	14.53%
46 - 50	403		1	23	427	9.26%
51 - 55	400			21	421	9.13%
56 - 60	255		2	15	272	5.9%
61 - 65	205	1	1	18	225	4.86%
66 - 70	108			11	119	2.58%
71 - 75	70			9	79	1.71%
76 - 80	27			4	31	0.67%
81 - 85	8		1	3	12	0.26%
86 +	2				2	0.04%
Not Stated	2				2	0.04%
Total	4,349	1	6	254	4,610	

% By age group



Chiropractors: Gender by state and territory by registration type

Sex	State	General	Limited		Non- practising	Total Count	% By Sex By State
			Area of need	Public interest			
Female	ACT	26			1	27	0.59%
	NSW	518			21	539	11.69%
	NT	7			2	9	0.2%
	QLD	215			7	222	4.82%
	SA	113			6	119	2.58%
	TAS	12				12	0.26%
	VIC	444			35	479	10.39%
	WA	207			6	213	4.62%
	Not Stated	13		1	23	37	0.8%
	Sub total	1,555		1	101	1,657	35.94%
Male	ACT	32				32	0.69%
	NSW	942			30	972	21.08%
	NT	17				17	0.37%
	QLD	476			11	487	10.56%
	SA	230			11	241	5.23%
	TAS	34		1		35	0.76%
	VIC	717		3	45	765	16.59%
	WA	307			9	316	6.85%
	Not Stated	36	1	1	47	85	1.84%
	Sub total	2,791	1	5	153	2,950	63.99%
Not	NSW	2				2	0.04%
Stated	WA	1				1	0.02%
	Sub total	3				3	0.07%
Total		4,349	1	6	254	4,610	

Chiropractors: Endorsement type by state and territory

Endorsement	VIC	Total
Acupuncture	38	38
Total	38	38