Chiropractic Board of Australia
Registrant data

Reporting period: 01 October 2019 to 31 December 2019
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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
- overseeing the assessment of overseas trained practitioners 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 Ahpra’s Legislation & Publications at www.ahpra.gov.au/Publications.

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 chiropractor registration, please see the Board’s website: www.chiropracticboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx
Principal place of practice

Registration type

Table 1.1 Registration type by principal place of practice

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Table 1.2 Principal place of practice percentages

Endorsements by type

Table 1.3 Endorsements

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#### Registration type

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**Table 2.2 Registrants by age group**
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### Registration type

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#### Percentage

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