

Chiropractic Registrant Data: March 2013

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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](http://www.ahpra.gov.au) (AHPRA). For information about legislation governing our operations see [AHPRA's Legislation & Publications](http://www.ahpra.gov.au/Legislation-and-Publications.aspx) 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

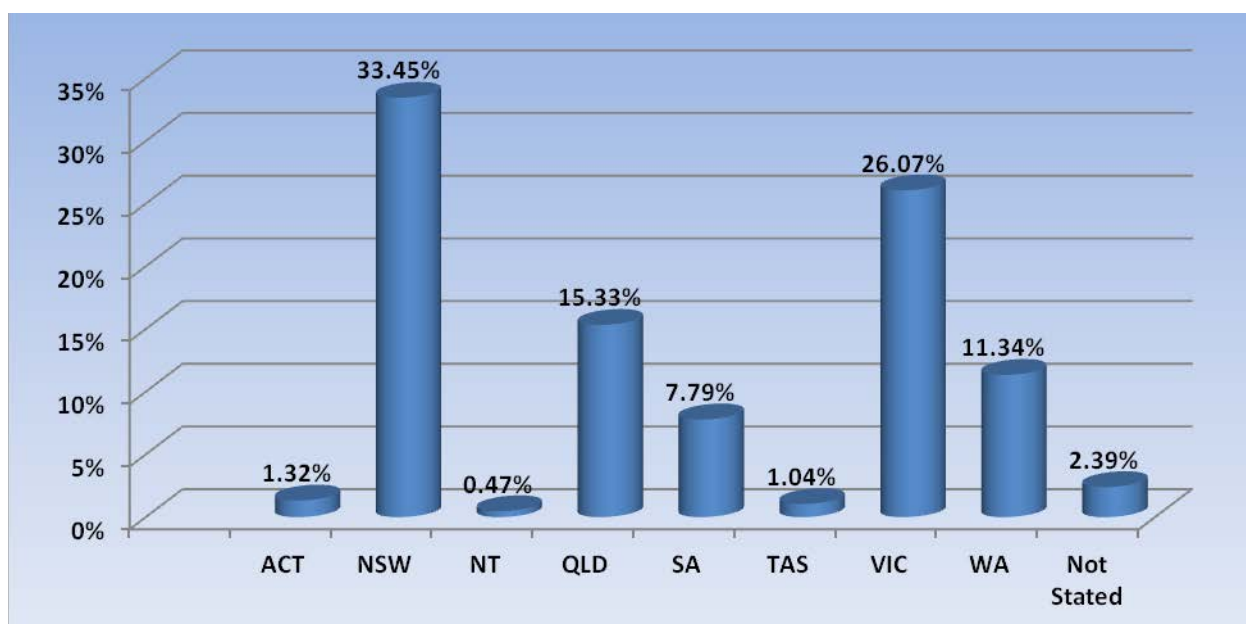
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Chiropractors: State and territory by registration type

| State | General | Limited | | Non-practising | Total | % By State |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|------------|
| | | Area of need | Public interest | | | |
| ACT | 60 | | | 1 | 61 | 1.32% |
| NSW | 1,495 | | | 56 | 1,551 | 33.45% |
| NT | 21 | | | 1 | 22 | 0.47% |
| QLD | 689 | | | 22 | 711 | 15.33% |
| SA | 344 | | | 17 | 361 | 7.79% |
| TAS | 47 | | 1 | | 48 | 1.04% |
| VIC | 1,165 | | 3 | 78 | 1,246 | 26.87% |
| WA | 510 | | | 16 | 526 | 11.34% |
| Not Stated | 39 | 1 | 3 | 68 | 111 | 2.39% |
| Total | 4,370 | 1 | 7 | 259 | 4,637 | |

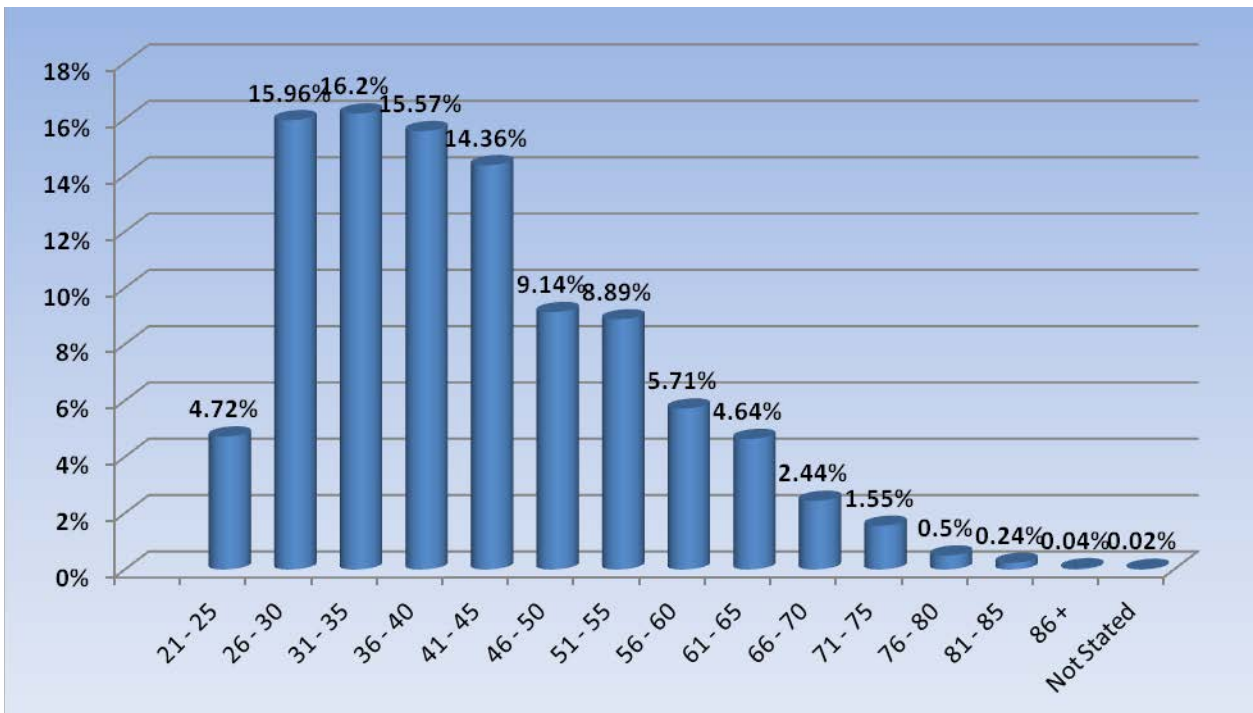
% By state



Chiropractors: Age by registration type

| Age Group | General | Limited | | Non-practising | Total | % By Age Group |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | Area of need | Public interest | | | |
| 21 - 25 | 215 | | | 4 | 219 | 4.72% |
| 26 - 30 | 698 | | | 42 | 740 | 15.96% |
| 31 - 35 | 700 | | | 51 | 751 | 16.2% |
| 36 - 40 | 685 | | | 37 | 722 | 15.57% |
| 41 - 45 | 638 | | 2 | 26 | 666 | 14.36% |
| 46 - 50 | 399 | | 1 | 24 | 424 | 9.14% |
| 51 - 55 | 393 | | | 19 | 412 | 8.89% |
| 56 - 60 | 248 | | 2 | 15 | 265 | 5.71% |
| 61 - 65 | 199 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 216 | 4.64% |
| 66 - 70 | 103 | | | 10 | 113 | 2.44% |
| 71 - 75 | 61 | | | 11 | 72 | 1.55% |
| 76 - 80 | 20 | | | 3 | 23 | 0.5% |
| 81 - 85 | 8 | | 1 | 2 | 11 | 0.24% |
| 86 + | 2 | | | | 2 | 0.04% |
| Not Stated | 1 | | | | 1 | 0.02% |
| Total | 4,370 | 1 | 7 | 259 | 4,637 | |

% 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 | 0.58% |
| | NSW | 532 | | | 25 | 557 | 12.01% |
| | NT | 5 | | | 1 | 6 | 0.13% |
| | QLD | 218 | | | 9 | 227 | 4.9% |
| | SA | 114 | | | 7 | 121 | 2.61% |
| | TAS | 12 | | | | 12 | 0.26% |
| | VIC | 445 | | | 37 | 482 | 10.39% |
| | WA | 208 | | | 7 | 215 | 4.64% |
| | Not Stated | 9 | | 1 | 22 | 32 | 0.69% |
| | Sub total | 1,569 | | 1 | 109 | 1,679 | 36.21% |
| Male | ACT | 34 | | | | 34 | 0.73% |
| | NSW | 963 | | | 31 | 994 | 21.44% |
| | NT | 16 | | | | 16 | 0.35% |
| | QLD | 471 | | | 13 | 484 | 10.44% |
| | SA | 230 | | | 10 | 240 | 5.18% |
| | TAS | 35 | | 1 | | 36 | 0.78% |
| | VIC | 720 | | 3 | 41 | 764 | 16.48% |
| | WA | 302 | | | 9 | 311 | 6.71% |
| | Not Stated | 30 | 1 | 2 | 46 | 79 | 1.7% |
| | Sub total | 2,801 | 1 | 6 | 150 | 2,958 | 63.79% |
| Total | | 4,370 | 1 | 7 | 259 | 4,637 | |

Chiropractors: Endorsement type by state and territory

| Endorsement | VIC | Total |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|
| Acupuncture | 38 | 38 |
| Total | 38 | 38 |