

Chiropractic Registrant Data: March 2014

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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
- 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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Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type and sub type by state or territory										
Chiropractic Practitioner	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
General	63	1,546	23	726	352	51	1,203	545	44	4,553
Limited (Total of Sub Types)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teaching or Research	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Practising	3	65	1	20	12	1	76	19	76	273
Total Practitioners	66	1,611	24	746	364	52	1,279	564	120	4,826

Table 1: Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type and sub type by state or territory

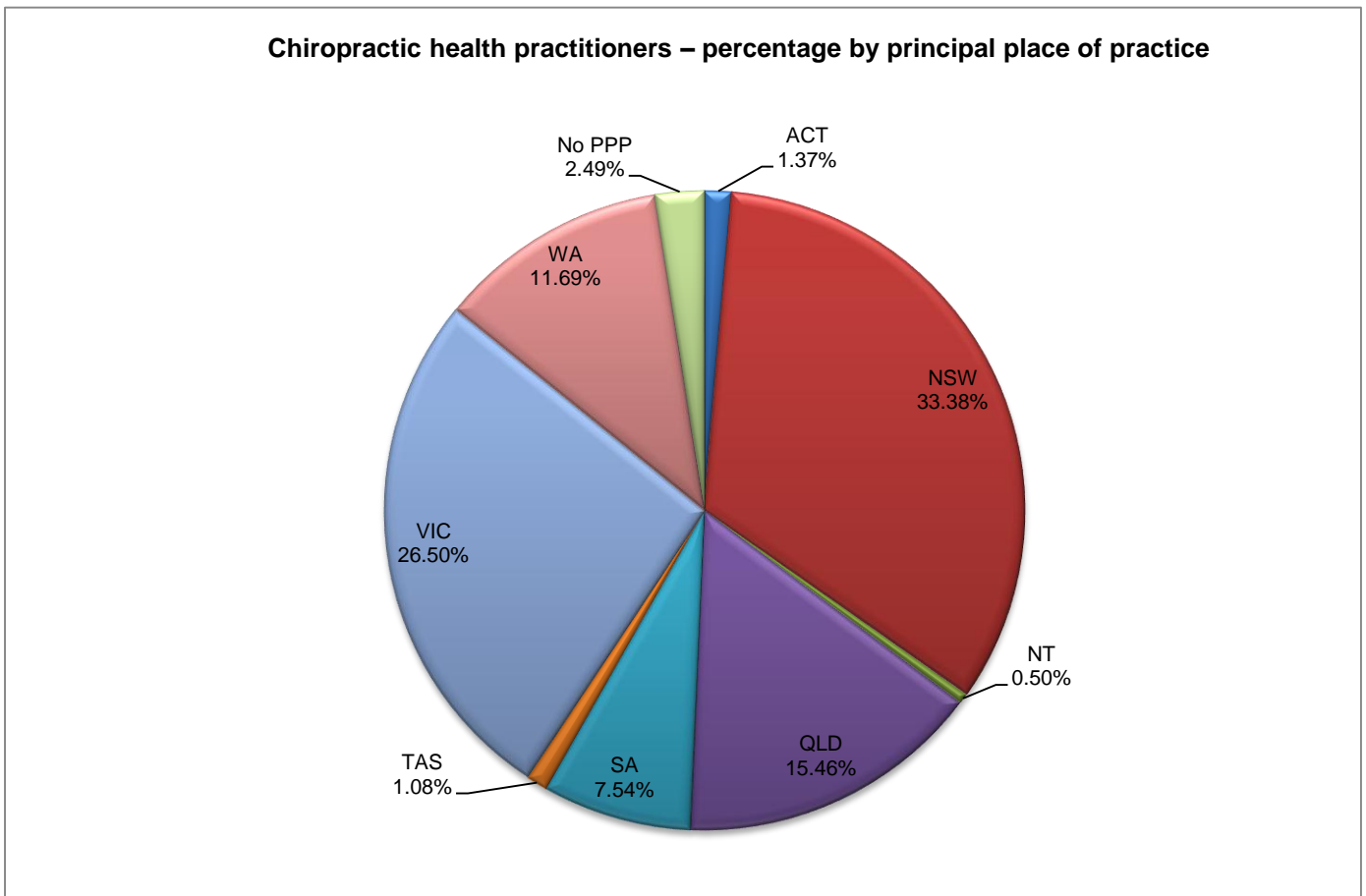


Chart 1: Chiropractic health practitioners – percentage by principal place of practice

Chiropractic health practitioners – endorsements by state or territory										
Chiropractic Practitioner	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Acupuncture	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	-	-	34

Table 2: Chiropractic health practitioners – endorsements by state or territory

Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type by age group					
Chiropractic Practitioner Age Group	Type			Total	% by Age Group
	General	Limited	Non-Practising		
U-25	93	-	0	93	1.93%
25-29	737	-	37	774	16.04%
30-34	726	-	46	772	16.00%
35-39	684	-	52	736	15.25%
40-44	690	-	34	724	15.00%
45-49	449	-	19	468	9.70%
50-54	409	-	25	434	8.99%
55-59	302	-	18	320	6.63%
60-64	215	-	13	228	4.72%
65-69	126	-	12	138	2.86%
70-74	78	-	7	85	1.76%
75-79	32	-	8	40	0.83%
80+	12	-	2	14	0.29%
Total	4,553	0	273	4,826	100.00%

Table 3: Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type by age group

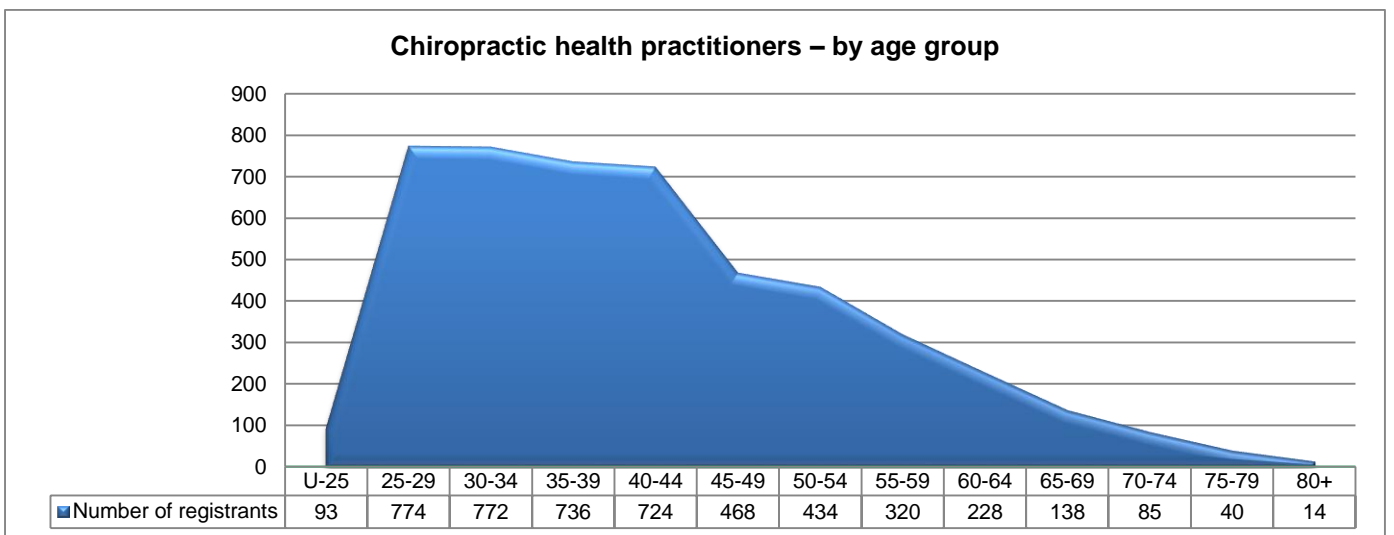


Chart 2: Chiropractic health practitioners – by age group

Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type by gender										
Chiropractic Practitioner	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	31	580	6	251	126	14	514	229	36	1,787
General	29	548	5	244	122	14	474	220	13	1,669
Limited	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Practising	2	32	1	7	4	-	40	9	23	118
Male	35	1,031	18	495	238	38	765	335	84	3,039
General	34	998	18	482	230	37	729	325	31	2,884
Limited	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Practising	1	33	-	13	8	1	36	10	53	155
Total Practitioners	66	1,611	24	746	364	52	1,279	564	120	4,826

Table 4: Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type by gender

Chiropractic health practitioners – percentage by gender										
Chiropractic Practitioner	NSW	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	NSW	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	46.97%	36.00%	25.00%	33.65%	34.62%	26.92%	40.19%	40.60%	30.00%	37.03%
Male	53.03%	64.00%	75.00%	66.35%	65.38%	73.08%	59.81%	59.40%	70.00%	62.97%

Table 5: Chiropractic health practitioners – percentage by gender