

Chiropractic registrant data: March 2015

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Introduction

The functions of the Chiropractic Board of Australia (the Board) include:

- registering the 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](http://www.ahpra.gov.au) (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: <http://www.chiropracticboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx>

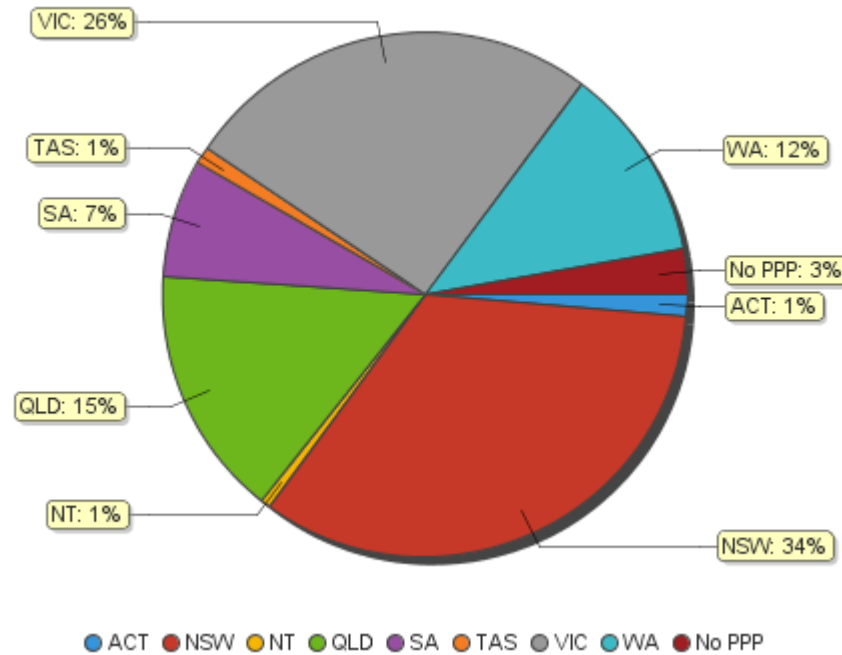
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Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type and sub type by state or territory

Chiropractic practitioners		Principal place of practice									Total
Registration type	Registration subtype	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	
General		62	1,620	24	750	346	49	1,214	580	43	4,688
Limited	Public interest									1	1
	Teaching or Research										
Non-practising		3	63	1	21	16	2	74	14	96	290
Total		65	1,683	25	771	362	51	1,288	594	140	4,979

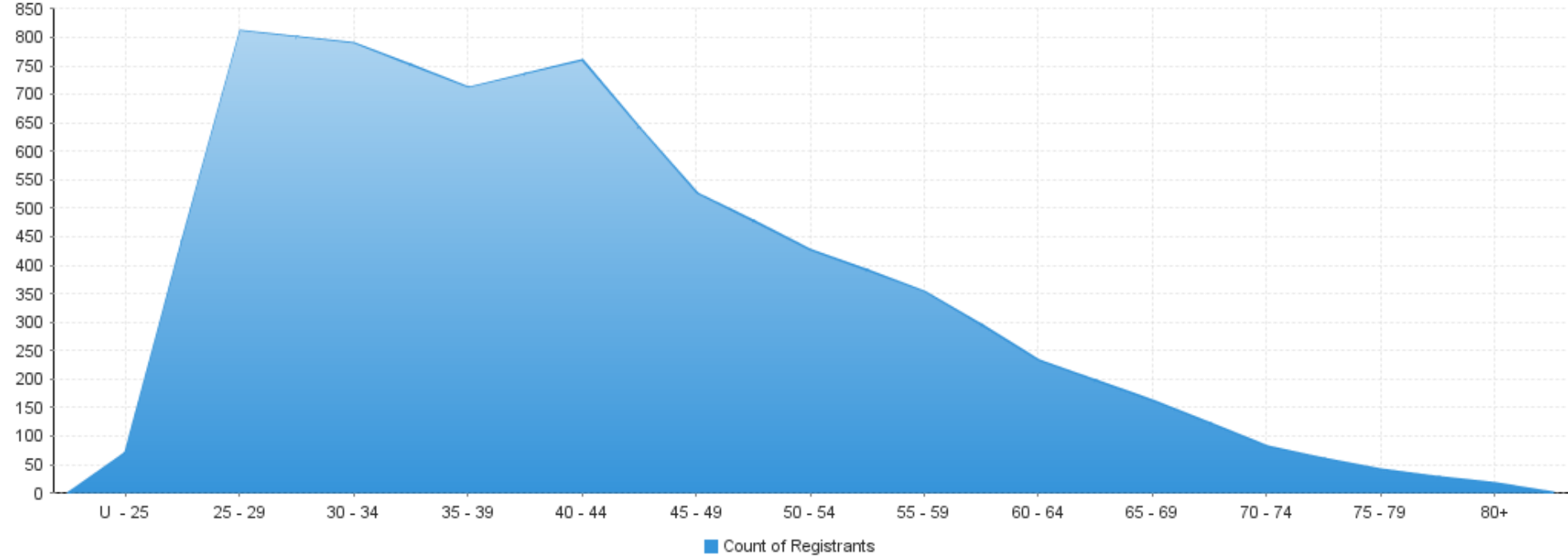
Chiropractic health practitioners – percentage by principal place of practice



Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type and sub type by age group

Chiropractic practitioners		Registration type and sub type			Total
Age group	General	Limited		Non-practising	
		Public interest	Teaching or research		
U - 25	70				70
25 - 29	776			36	812
30 - 34	749			41	790
35 - 39	655			57	712
40 - 44	725	1		33	759
45 - 49	500			26	526
50 - 54	405			21	426
55 - 59	329			25	354
60 - 64	216			16	232
65 - 69	144			17	161
70 - 74	72			9	81
75 - 79	33			7	40
80+	14			2	16
Total	4,688	1		290	4,979

Chiropractic health practitioners – by age group



Age Group	U - 25	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 - 44	45 - 49	50 - 54	55 - 59	60 - 64	65 - 69	70 - 74	75 - 79	80+
Count of Registrants	70	812	790	712	759	526	426	354	232	161	81	40	16

Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type and sub type by gender

Chiropractic health practitioners			Principal place of practice									Total
Gender	Registration type	Registration sub type	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	
Female	General		29	575	5	256	120	13	481	246	11	1,736
	Limited	Public interest										
		Teaching or research										
	Non-practising		2	33	1	7	7	1	40	4	34	129
Sub Total			31	608	6	263	127	14	521	250	45	1,865
Male	General		33	1,045	19	494	226	36	733	334	32	2,952
	Limited	Public interest									1	1
		Teaching or research										
	Non-practising		1	30		14	9	1	34	10	62	161
Sub Total			34	1,075	19	508	235	37	767	344	95	3,114
Total			65	1,683	25	771	362	51	1,288	594	140	4,979

Chiropractic health practitioners – percentage by gender

Chiropractic health practitioners		Principal place of practice									Total
Gender		ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	
Female		47.69%	36.13%	24.00%	34.11%	35.08%	27.45%	40.45%	42.09%	32.14%	37.46%
Male		52.31%	63.87%	76.00%	65.89%	64.92%	72.55%	59.55%	57.91%	67.86%	62.54%