

Chiropractic Registrant Data: June 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	62	1,554	23	735	352	51	1,210	547	43	4,577
Limited (Total of Sub Types)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Teaching or Research	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Practising	3	65	1	18	12	2	73	17	77	268
Total Practitioners	65	1,619	24	753	364	53	1,283	564	120	4,845

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

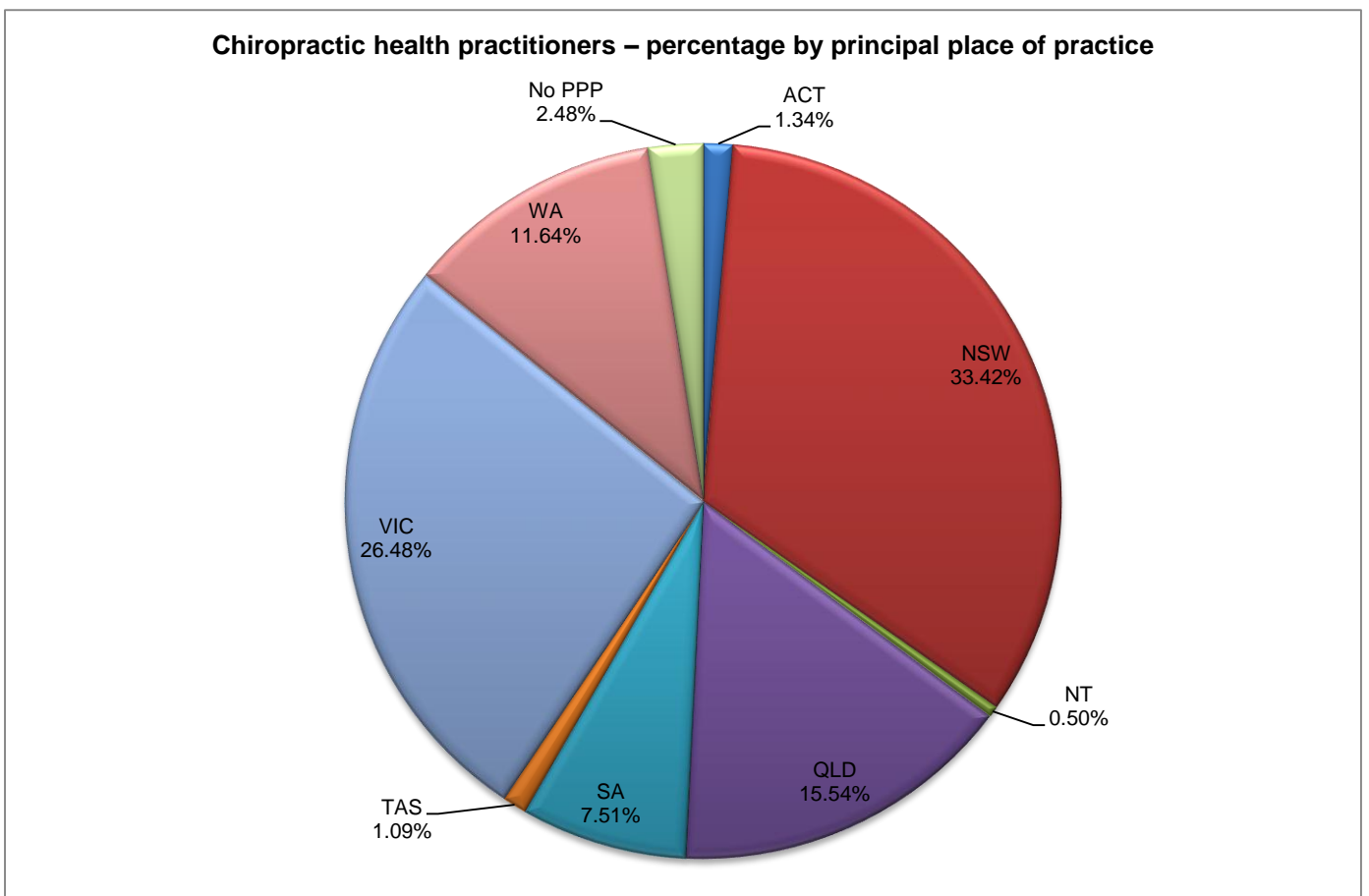


Chart 1: Chiropractic health practitioners – percentage by principal place of practice

Chiropractic health practitioners – endorsements by state or territory										
Chiropractic Practitioner	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Acupuncture	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	-	-	33

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	100	-	-	100	2.06%
25-29	747	-	34	781	16.12%
30-34	733	-	43	776	16.02%
35-39	683	-	52	735	15.17%
40-44	693	-	35	728	15.03%
45-49	448	-	19	467	9.64%
50-54	410	-	24	434	8.96%
55-59	302	-	18	320	6.60%
60-64	213	-	14	227	4.69%
65-69	126	-	12	138	2.85%
70-74	78	-	7	85	1.75%
75-79	32	-	8	40	0.83%
80+	12	-	2	14	0.29%
Total	4,577	-	268	4,845	100.00%

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

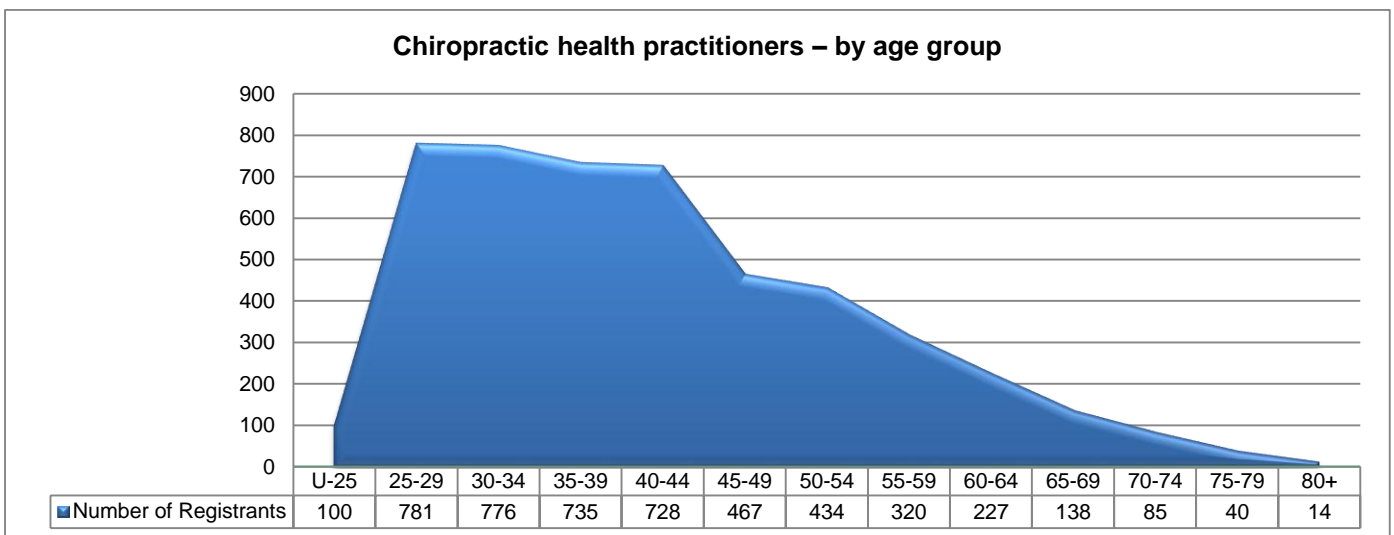


Chart 2: Chiropractic health practitioners – by age group

Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type by gender										
Chiropractic Practitioner	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	30	586	5	256	125	14	518	230	35	1,799
General	28	554	4	251	121	13	479	224	12	1,686
Limited	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Practising	2	32	1	5	4	1	39	6	23	113
Male	35	1,033	19	497	239	39	765	334	85	3,046
General	34	1,000	19	484	231	38	731	323	31	2,891
Limited	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Practising	1	33	-	13	8	1	34	11	54	155
Total Practitioners	65	1,619	24	753	364	53	1,283	564	120	4,845

Table 4: Chiropractic health practitioners – registration type by gender

Chiropractic health practitioners – percentage by gender										
Chiropractic Practitioner	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	46.15%	36.20%	20.83%	34.00%	34.34%	26.42%	40.37%	40.78%	29.17%	37.13%
Male	53.85%	63.80%	79.17%	66.00%	65.66%	73.58%	59.63%	59.22%	70.83%	62.87%

Table 5: Chiropractic health practitioners – percentage by gender