

Chinese Medicine Board of Australia

Registrant data

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Introduction

The functions of the Chinese Medicine Board of Australia (the Board) include:

- registering Chinese medicine practitioners and students
- developing standards, codes and guidelines for the Chinese medicine 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 and 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 Chinese medicine registration, please see the Board's website: www.chinesemedicineboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx

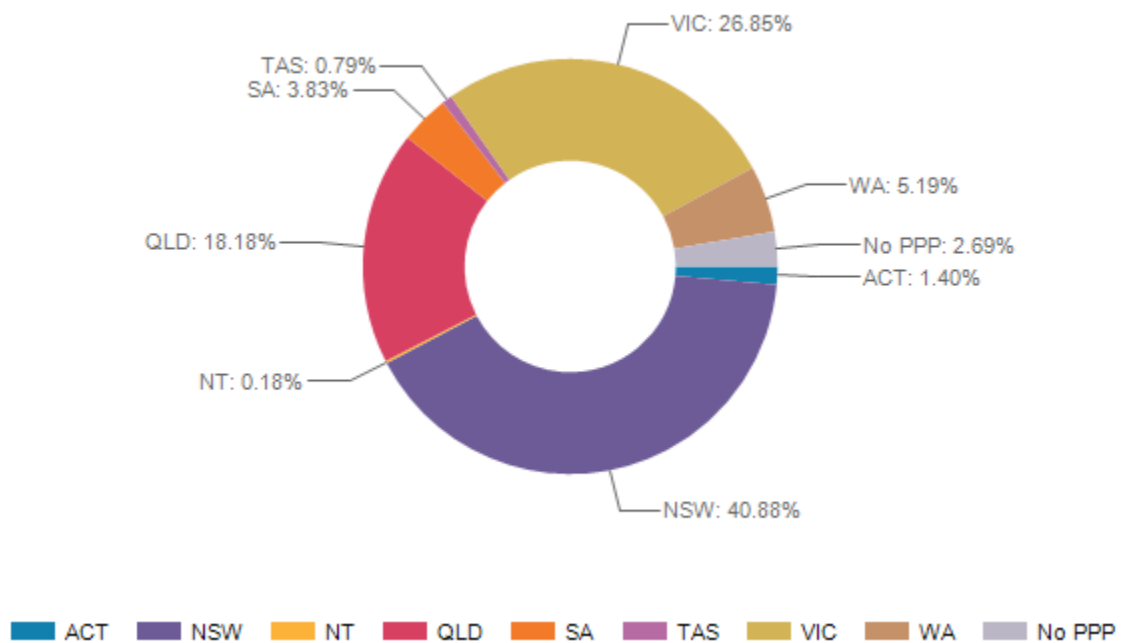
Principal place of practice

Registration type

Table 1.1 Registration type by principal place of practice

Registration types	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
General	68	1,922	8	852	178	38	1,246	243	56	4,611
General and Non-practising		2		1	1			1		5
Limited		2								2
Non-practising	1	82	1	40	9	1	73	11	76	294
Total	69	2,008	9	893	188	39	1,319	255	132	4,912

Table 1.2 Registrations by principal place of practice percentages



Registration divisions

Table 1.3 Registrations by division

Division	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Acupuncturist	25	425	5	591	110	21	421	98	24	1,720
Acupuncturist and Chinese Herbal Dispenser				2						2
Acupuncturist and Chinese Herbal Dispenser and Chinese Herbal Medicine Practitioner	7	570	2	62	12	6	250	39	33	981
Acupuncturist and Chinese Herbal Medicine Practitioner	37	951	2	227	64	12	624	116	70	2,103
Chinese Herbal Dispenser		30		2			3	2	1	38
Chinese Herbal Dispenser and Chinese Herbal Medicine Practitioner		11		2	2		1		2	18
Chinese Herbal Medicine Practitioner		21		7			20		2	50
Total	69	2,008	9	893	188	39	1,319	255	132	4,912

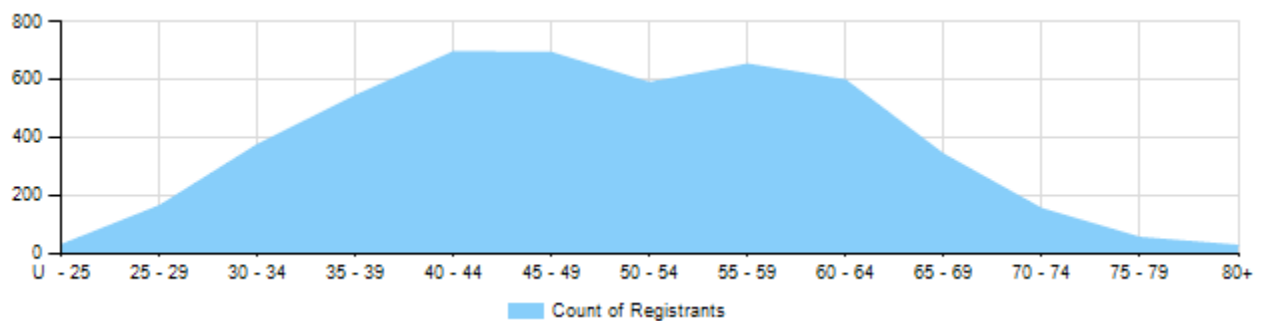
Age group

Registration type

Table 2.1 Registration type by age group

Age group	General	General and Non-practising	Limited	Non-practising	Total
U - 25	28				28
25 - 29	151	1		11	163
30 - 34	338		1	36	375
35 - 39	501			43	544
40 - 44	656	2	1	37	696
45 - 49	664	1		28	693
50 - 54	555			34	589
55 - 59	622	1		30	653
60 - 64	555			43	598
65 - 69	324			17	341
70 - 74	142			11	153
75 - 79	51			2	53
80+	24			2	26
Total	4,611	5	2	294	4,912

Table 2.2 Registrants by age group



Gender

Registration type

Table 3.1 Registration type by gender

Gender	Registration types	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	General	34	1,062	6	475	98	23	716	151	31	2,596
	General and Non-practising					1			1		2
	Non-practising	1	52	1	24	4	1	44	7	42	176
Total female		35	1,114	7	499	103	24	760	159	73	2,774
Male	General	34	860	2	377	80	15	530	92	25	2,015
	General and Non-practising		2		1						3
	Limited		2								2
	Non-practising		30		16	5		29	4	34	118
Total male		34	894	2	394	85	15	559	96	59	2,138
Total		69	2,008	9	893	188	39	1,319	255	132	4,912

Percentage

Table 3.2 Registration by gender percentages

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	50.7%	55.5%	77.8%	55.9%	54.8%	61.5%	57.6%	62.4%	55.3%	56.5%
Male	49.3%	44.5%	22.2%	44.1%	45.2%	38.5%	42.4%	37.6%	44.7%	43.5%