

# Osteopathy Board of Australia

## Registrant data

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## Introduction

The role of the Osteopathy Board of Australia (the Board) include:

- registering osteopaths and students
- developing standards, codes and guidelines for the osteopathy 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 [About AHPRA](#) at [www.ahpra.gov.au/About-AHPRA/What-We-Do/Legislation.aspx](http://www.ahpra.gov.au/About-AHPRA/What-We-Do/Legislation.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 osteopathy registration, please see the Board's website: [www.osteopathyboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx](http://www.osteopathyboard.gov.au/Registration.aspx)

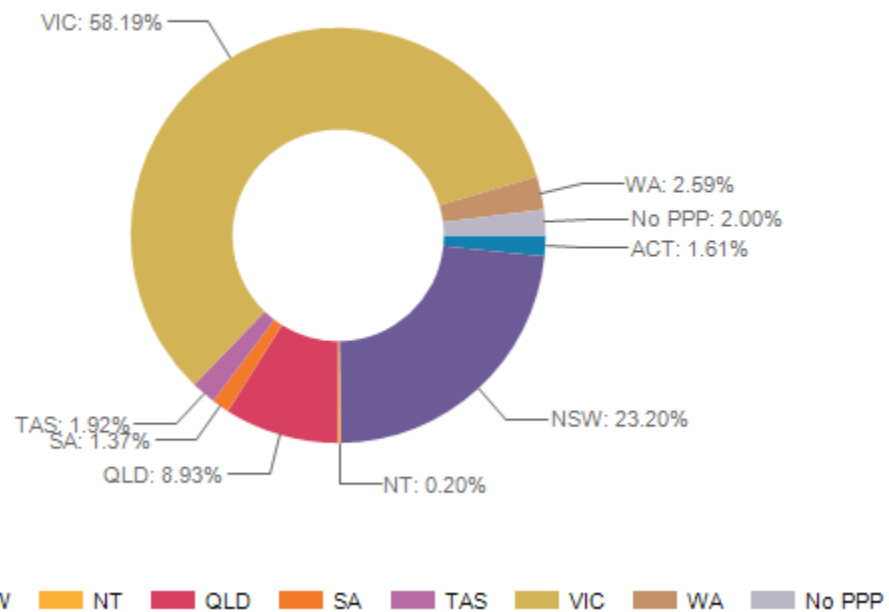
## Principal place of practice

### 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	41	569	5	219	34	48	1,441	65	30	2,452
Provisional				3			1			4
Limited		1								1
Non-practising		22		6	1	1	43	1	21	95
<b>Total</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1,485</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2,552</b>

**Table 1.2 Principal place of practice percentages**



## Endorsements

**Table 1.3 Endorsements**

Endorsement	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Acupuncture							2			2

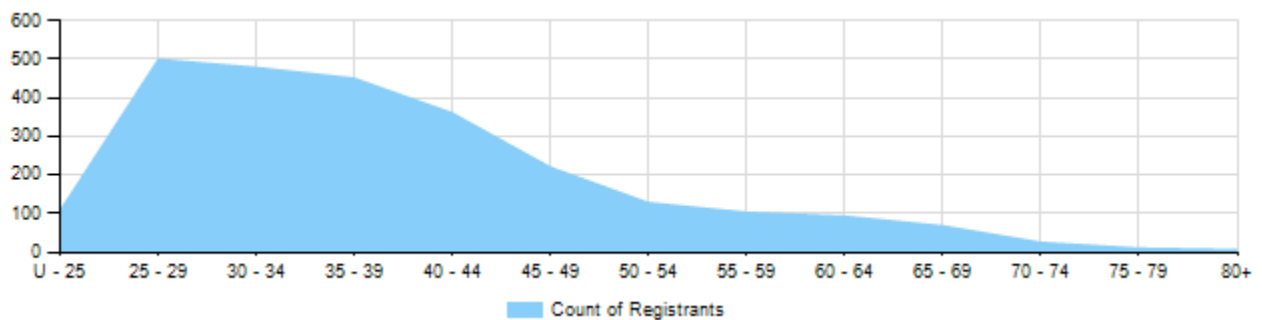
## Age group

### Registration type

**Table 2.1 Registration by age group**

Age group	General	Provisional	Limited	Non-practising	Total
U - 25	106	1		1	<b>108</b>
25 - 29	489	2		9	<b>500</b>
30 - 34	453		1	25	<b>479</b>
35 - 39	430			21	<b>451</b>
40 - 44	347	1		13	<b>361</b>
45 - 49	214			6	<b>220</b>
50 - 54	125			3	<b>128</b>
55 - 59	100			3	<b>103</b>
60 - 64	86			7	<b>93</b>
65 - 69	65			3	<b>68</b>
70 - 74	25				<b>25</b>
75 - 79	7			3	<b>10</b>
80+	5			1	<b>6</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,452</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>2,552</b>

**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	19	254	2	98	17	28	865	37	16	<b>1,336</b>
	Provisional				1						<b>1</b>
	Limited		1								<b>1</b>
	Non-practising		11		1			29		14	<b>55</b>
<b>Total female</b>		<b>19</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1,393</b>
Male	General	22	315	3	121	17	20	576	28	14	<b>1,116</b>
	Provisional				2			1			<b>3</b>
	Non-practising		11		5	1	1	14	1	7	<b>40</b>
<b>Total male</b>		<b>22</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1,159</b>
<b>Total</b>		<b>41</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>1,485</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>2,552</b>

### Percentage

**Table 3.2 Registration by gender percentages**

Gender	ACT	NSW	NT	QLD	SA	TAS	VIC	WA	No PPP	Total
Female	46.3%	44.9%	40.0%	43.9%	48.6%	57.1%	60.2%	56.1%	58.8%	<b>54.6%</b>
Male	53.7%	55.1%	60.0%	56.1%	51.4%	42.9%	39.8%	43.9%	41.2%	<b>45.4%</b>