

# Female SAAP clients and children escaping domestic and family violence 2003-04: Victoria supplementary tables

Table 1: SAAP clients: profile of female SAAP clients escaping domestic violence, Victoria, 2003-04 (per cent)

	Indigenous Australians	Australian- born non- Indigenous	English proficiency group 1	English proficiency group 2-4	Total	
					%	Number
<b>Total female clients escaping domestic violence</b>	..	..	..	..	..	<b>9,600</b>
<b>Age</b>						
<15	1.3	0.9	( <sup>1</sup> )—	0.2	0.8	50
15-19	9.6	7.7	( <sup>a</sup> )3.4	3.5	6.7	600
20-24	16.0	14.7	11.7	10.1	13.7	1,250
25-29	20.6	16.8	13.4	16.5	16.8	1,550
30-34	15.8	20.3	20.7	17.0	19.3	1,800
35-44	27.3	27.2	33.6	32.5	28.6	2,650
45-64	9.4	11.3	16.1	18.3	13.0	1,200
65+	—	1.0	1.0	1.8	1.1	100
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	..
<b>Total (%)</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>68.3</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	..
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>6,300</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>2,050</b>	..	<b>9,250</b>
<b>Mean age (years)</b>	<b>31.2</b>	<b>32.9</b>	<b>35.8</b>	<b>36.2</b>	..	<b>33.7</b>
<b>Median age (years)</b>	<b>31.0</b>	<b>32.0</b>	<b>35.0</b>	<b>35.0</b>	..	<b>33.0</b>
<b>Mean number of support periods per client</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.6</b>	..	<b>1.6</b>

(a) Includes a small proportion of clients in which cells have been merged to ensure confidentiality.

*Notes*

1. Number excluded due to errors or omissions (weighted): 354 age by cultural and linguistic diversity.
2. To ensure confidentiality some cells in this table have been replaced with (<sup>1</sup>)—. While these cases are not presented separately, they are included in the total.
3. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 2: SAAP support periods: cultural and linguistic diversity of female SAAP clients escaping domestic violence by presenting unit (with accompanying children and without accompanying children), Victoria, 2003–04 (per cent)**

Cultural and linguistic diversity	With accompanying children	Without accompanying children	Total	
			%	Number
Indigenous Australians	62.9	37.1	100.0	850
Australian-born non-Indigenous	61.9	38.1	100.0	9,700
English proficiency group 1	63.1	36.9	100.0	550
English proficiency group 2–4	60.2	39.8	100.0	3,300
<b>Total (%)</b>	<b>61.6</b>	<b>38.4</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>8,850</b>	<b>5,500</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>14,400</b>

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1. Number excluded due to errors or omissions (weighted): 459.
2. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 3: SAAP support periods: source of referral or information for female clients escaping domestic violence and for other clients, Victoria, 2003–04**

Source of referral/information	Female domestic violence group		Other clients	
	%	Number	%	Number
Self	35.7	4,850	64.5	30,600
Family	2.2	300	2.5	1,200
Friends	2.9	400	3.2	1,500
School/other educational institution	0.8	100	1.0	500
Community services department	3.3	450	1.6	800
Police/legal unit	5.0	700	0.7	350
Prison/correction institution	0.2	<25	0.6	300
Hospital/health/medical services	3.2	450	2.1	1,000
Psychiatric unit	0.6	100	0.9	450
Telephone/crisis referral agency	15.8	2,150	2.9	1,400
SAAP agency/worker	15.0	2,050	8.1	3,850
Other government department	5.2	700	3.2	1,500
Other non-government organisation	8.3	1,150	7.5	3,550
Other	1.8	250	1.1	550
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>13,650</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>47,450</b>

*Notes*

1. Number of support periods excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 1,030 female domestic violence group, 3,563 other clients.
2. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
3. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 4: SAAP closed support periods: length of support for female SAAP clients escaping domestic violence, by cultural and linguistic diversity, Victoria, 2003–04 (per cent)**

Length of support	Indigenous Australians	Australian born non- Indigenous	English proficiency group 1	English proficiency groups 2–4	Total	
					%	Number
1 day or less	26.4	28.6	30.8	31.8	29.3	3,750
2–7 days	18.8	12.1	15.6	13.1	12.8	1,650
>1–2 weeks	8.8	6.3	3.1	5.1	6.0	750
>2–4 weeks	12.2	9.6	7.5	8.4	9.4	1,200
>4–13 weeks	18.0	23.9	21.7	20.8	22.7	2,900
>13–26 weeks	8.4	10.8	11.5	10.2	10.5	1,350
>26–52 weeks	4.5	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.1	800
>52 weeks	3.0	2.7	3.7	4.5	3.2	400
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>..</i>
<b>Total (%)</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>67.0</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>2,950</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>12,850</b>
<b>Mean length (days)</b>	<b>52.7</b>	<b>60.4</b>	<b>69.2</b>	<b>76.5</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>64.0</b>
<b>Median length (days)</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>19.0</b>	<b>16.0</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>17.0</b>

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1. Number excluded due to errors or omissions (weighted): 372 length of support by cultural and linguistic diversity.
2. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 5: SAAP closed support periods in which clients were accommodated: length of accommodation of female SAAP clients escaping domestic violence, by cultural and linguistic diversity, Victoria, 2003–04 (per cent)**

Length of accommodation	Indigenous Australians	Australian born non- Indigenous	English proficiency group 1	English proficiency groups 2–4	Total	
					%	Number
1 day	18.8	14.3	10.2	15.5	14.8	500
2–7 days	30.6	21.1	27.4	22.9	22.6	750
>1–2 weeks	10.7	10.8	6.4	7.8	9.8	350
>2–4 weeks	13.1	12.0	14.3	10.7	11.9	400
>4–13 weeks	15.5	21.7	20.6	20.9	20.9	700
>13–26 weeks	5.7	10.2	14.1	10.1	10.0	350
>26–52 weeks	4.1	6.4	4.2	6.6	6.2	200
>52 weeks	1.6	3.5	2.8	5.5	3.8	150
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>..</i>
<b>Total (%)</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>62.8</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>2,150</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3,400</b>
<b>Mean length (days)</b>	<b>37.3</b>	<b>65.3</b>	<b>60.3</b>	<b>83.0</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>67.0</b>
<b>Median length (days)</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>18.0</b>

*Notes*

1. Number excluded due to errors or omissions (weighted): 97 length of accommodation by cultural and linguistic diversity.
2. Figures for length and mean and median length of accommodation exclude accommodation starting and ending on the same day.
3. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 6: SAAP closed support periods: services requested by female clients escaping domestic violence compared to services requested by other clients, by provision, Victoria, 2003-04 (per cent)**

Type of service	Female domestic violence group					Other clients				
	Unmet	Referred	Provided	Total	Closed support periods (number)	Unmet	Referred	Provided	Total	Closed support periods (number)
<b>Housing/accommodation</b>										
SAAP/CAP accommodation	4.8	21.4	73.8	100.0	5,550	9.1	21.3	69.6	100.0	12,050
Assistance to obtain/maintain short-term accommodation	8.6	22.9	68.5	100.0	3,050	8.4	20.3	71.2	100.0	10,450
Assistance to obtain/maintain independent housing	10.7	21.8	67.6	100.0	3,900	9.3	15.6	75.1	100.0	12,600
<b>Financial/employment</b>										
Assistance to obtain/maintain government payment	8.6	19.6	71.7	100.0	2,050	5.1	17.5	77.4	100.0	3,050
Employment/training assistance	17.2	32.3	50.5	100.0	600	15.2	29.5	55.3	100.0	2,450
Financial assistance/material aid	3.8	11.6	84.5	100.0	4,450	2.8	15.2	82.1	100.0	21,850
Financial counselling	8.8	29.1	62.1	100.0	1,350	9.8	20.0	70.2	100.0	3,400
<b>Counselling</b>										
Incest/sexual assault	9.7	30.6	59.7	100.0	650	16.0	35.0	49.0	100.0	450
Domestic violence	3.8	9.3	86.9	100.0	8,800	18.3	20.4	61.3	100.0	300
Family/relationship	6.3	14.5	79.2	100.0	2,950	11.8	15.9	72.3	100.0	4,250
Emotional/other	1.8	1.8	96.3	100.0	8,700	2.5	3.1	94.4	100.0	13,150
Assistance with problem gambling	18.2	20.0	61.8	100.0	50	23.2	28.9	47.8	100.0	250
<b>General support/advocacy</b>										
Living skills/personal development	8.7	11.5	79.8	100.0	1,050	9.9	4.6	85.5	100.0	3,950
Assistance with legal issues/court support	6.9	16.1	77.0	100.0	3,850	9.0	20.0	71.0	100.0	2,400
Advice/information	1.1	0.3	98.6	100.0	9,650	0.7	1.0	98.3	100.0	26,750
Retrieval/storage/removal of belongings	11.9	8.8	79.4	100.0	1,550	2.5	3.8	93.7	100.0	3,050
Advocacy/liaison on behalf of client	1.6	1.1	97.2	100.0	6,900	1.5	2.9	95.6	100.0	15,250
Brokerage services	4.0	6.2	89.8	100.0	900	2.7	7.6	89.7	100.0	1,550
<b>Specialist services</b>										
Psychological services	12.6	59.3	28.1	100.0	900	17.5	39.7	42.7	100.0	900
Psychiatric services	13.2	45.8	41.0	100.0	350	10.4	35.9	53.7	100.0	1,550
Pregnancy support	8.2	22.1	69.7	100.0	300	9.9	24.1	66.0	100.0	500
Family planning support	9.5	29.1	61.5	100.0	200	12.1	28.4	59.5	100.0	300
Drug/alcohol support or intervention	16.3	26.8	57.0	100.0	750	14.1	24.7	61.2	100.0	3,250
Physical disability services	13.5	28.4	58.1	100.0	100	14.0	42.1	43.9	100.0	150
Intellectual disability services	11.0	38.4	50.7	100.0	100	18.0	31.0	51.0	100.0	200
Culturally appropriate support	4.5	12.0	83.5	100.0	1,500	4.3	13.0	82.7	100.0	850
Interpreter services	1.7	20.0	78.3	100.0	600	6.1	12.6	81.3	100.0	250
Assistance with immigration issues	7.9	21.7	70.4	100.0	350	6.2	21.0	72.8	100.0	200
Health/medical services	6.7	35.9	57.4	100.0	2,050	4.7	24.5	70.8	100.0	4,750
<b>Basic support and services</b>										
<b>n.e.s.</b>										
Meals	1.4	1.8	96.8	100.0	2,500	0.7	2.4	96.8	100.0	7,450
Laundry/shower facilities	1.2	0.5	98.3	100.0	2,000	1.1	0.8	98.1	100.0	4,350
Recreation	3.6	3.0	93.5	100.0	1,400	2.3	1.7	95.9	100.0	3,950
Transport	2.3	2.5	95.1	100.0	3,650	2.6	2.2	95.3	100.0	6,000
Other	2.8	8.7	88.6	100.0	1,150	1.1	5.0	94.0	100.0	9,350

**Notes**

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 258 female domestic violence group, 1,460 other clients (cases with no information on service requirements or provision).
2. Clients can request more than 1 service type in any particular support period.
3. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 7: SAAP closed support periods: circumstances of female SAAP clients escaping domestic violence before and after support, by cultural and linguistic diversity, Victoria, 2003–04 (per cent)**

	Indigenous Australians		Australian-born non-Indigenous		English proficiency group 1		English proficiency groups 2–4	
	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
<b>Employment status</b>								
Employed full-time	1.3	1.3	3.9	4.1	5.1	4.4	5.5	5.0
Employed part-time/casual	4.0	3.3	8.6	9.0	12.8	12.4	8.6	8.4
Unemployed (looking for work)	12.8	12.5	13.6	13.5	15.9	16.7	8.6	9.2
Not in labour force	81.9	82.9	73.9	73.4	66.2	66.5	77.3	77.4
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>650</i>	<i>550</i>	<i>7,800</i>	<i>7,000</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>450</i>	<i>2,800</i>	<i>2,600</i>
Number with missing data	100	200	800	1,600	50	50	150	400
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>2,950</b>	<b>2,950</b>
<b>Source of income</b>								
No income	5.2	4.5	3.9	2.8	8.5	7.2	19.3	12.5
No income, awaiting pension/benefit	0.4	( <sup>(i)</sup> )—	0.5	0.5	1.3	1.2	0.8	0.7
Government pension/benefit	90.9	92.3	84.5	86.7	71.4	76.2	59.6	70.0
Other	3.5	( <sup>(a)</sup> )3.2	11.0	10.0	18.8	15.5	20.4	16.8
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>600</i>	<i>8,050</i>	<i>7,300</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>450</i>	<i>2,800</i>	<i>2,550</i>
Number with missing data	50	150	550	1,300	<25	50	200	450
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>2,950</b>	<b>2,950</b>
<b>Type of accommodation</b>								
SAAP or other emergency accommodation	21.3	36.1	14.4	25.4	17.3	32.4	17.0	34.1
Living rent-free in house/flat	10.3	8.1	10.8	7.4	6.5	4.5	8.2	6.0
Private rental	12.9	7.5	26.0	22.6	30.6	25.4	24.3	19.7
Public or community housing	30.9	27.9	16.6	18.9	13.4	16.8	13.0	13.7
Rooming house/hostel/hotel/caravan	4.5	5.9	4.9	4.2	4.2	4.1	1.2	1.0
Boarding in a private home	12.3	8.3	10.1	8.2	9.3	5.0	8.6	8.1
Own home	1.6	1.0	12.4	9.5	14.6	8.9	25.4	15.5
Living in a car/tent/park/street/squat	2.8	( <sup>(i)</sup> )—	2.5	1.3	2.2	1.4	0.8	0.4
Institutional	2.0	2.5	1.0	1.1	( <sup>(i)</sup> )—	( <sup>(i)</sup> )—	0.9	0.9
Other	1.5	( <sup>(a)</sup> )2.7	1.3	1.5	( <sup>(a)</sup> )1.9	( <sup>(a)</sup> )1.5	0.7	0.7
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>550</i>	<i>8,100</i>	<i>6,950</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>400</i>	<i>2,800</i>	<i>2,500</i>
Number with missing data	100	250	500	1,700	50	100	150	500
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>2,950</b>	<b>2,950</b>
<b>Living situation</b>								
With parent(s)	6.1	3.7	5.9	4.1	1.3	1.0	3.3	2.0
With relatives/friends short-term	15.0	12.3	10.7	7.6	10.4	7.3	9.1	8.0
With relatives/friends long-term	3.1	2.8	1.6	2.5	1.3	1.2	2.2	3.2
With spouse/partner with children	24.0	6.6	27.7	9.8	33.9	11.1	34.9	14.1
With spouse/partner without children	14.1	3.1	14.4	5.7	15.7	4.8	15.9	4.7
Alone with children	24.0	44.3	25.3	43.5	23.7	47.2	20.3	37.1
Alone	7.3	11.1	9.3	15.9	9.5	15.7	6.1	12.8
With other unrelated persons	4.7	10.8	4.2	8.2	4.0	9.5	6.7	12.8
Other	1.7	5.3	0.9	2.8	0.3	2.2	1.5	5.2
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>700</i>	<i>550</i>	<i>7,900</i>	<i>6,750</i>	<i>500</i>	<i>400</i>	<i>2,850</i>	<i>2,550</i>
Number with missing data	50	200	700	1,850	<25	100	100	450
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>8,600</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>2,950</b>	<b>2,950</b>

(a) Includes a small proportion of closed support periods in which cells have been merged to ensure confidentiality.

**Notes**

1. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
2. To ensure confidentiality some cells in this table have been replaced with (<sup>(i)</sup>)—. While these cases are not presented separately, they are included in the total.
3. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 8: SAAP closed support periods: circumstances of female clients escaping domestic violence before and after support, compared with the circumstances before and after support for other clients, Victoria, 2003–04 (per cent)**

	Female domestic violence group		Other clients	
	Before	After	Before	After
<b>Employment status</b>				
Employed full-time	4.2	4.1	2.0	3.0
Employed part-time/casual	8.5	8.7	5.9	7.5
Unemployed (looking for work)	12.4	12.6	33.0	30.4
Not in labour force	74.8	74.6	59.0	59.2
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>12,050</i>	<i>10,850</i>	<i>27,600</i>	<i>25,000</i>
Number with missing data	1,200	2,400	19,300	21,900
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>13,250</b>	<b>13,250</b>	<b>46,900</b>	<b>46,900</b>
<b>Main source of income</b>				
No income	7.8	5.4	4.7	3.2
No income, awaiting pension/benefit	0.6	0.6	1.1	0.7
Government pension/benefit	78.5	82.6	90.3	91.5
Other	13.1	11.4	3.9	4.6
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>12,300</i>	<i>11,150</i>	<i>43,100</i>	<i>40,900</i>
Number with missing data	900	2,050	3,800	6,000
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>13,250</b>	<b>13,250</b>	<b>46,900</b>	<b>46,900</b>
<b>Type of accommodation</b>				
SAAP or other emergency housing	15.5	28.4	11.4	13.7
Living rent-free in house/flat	10.0	7.0	12.3	8.7
Private rental	25.0	21.2	16.2	18.4
Public or community housing	16.3	17.9	10.0	14.6
Rooming house/hostel/hotel/caravan	4.0	3.5	17.6	19.6
Boarding in a private home	9.9	8.1	11.6	7.8
Own home	15.0	10.5	1.1	1.0
Living in a car/tent/park/street/squat	2.1	1.1	10.9	7.8
Institutional	1.0	1.1	3.8	2.9
Other	1.2	1.3	5.0	5.6
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>12,350</i>	<i>10,600</i>	<i>41,550</i>	<i>37,750</i>
Number with missing data	850	2,650	5,350	9,100
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>13,250</b>	<b>13,250</b>	<b>46,900</b>	<b>46,900</b>
<b>Living situation</b>				
With parent(s)	5.1	3.4	10.9	7.3
With relatives/friends short-term	10.6	8.0	17.7	9.1
With relatives/friends long-term	1.9	2.6	3.3	5.3
With spouse/partner with children	29.3	10.7	7.9	8.5
With spouse/partner without children	14.8	5.3	7.9	8.0
Alone with children	23.9	42.0	10.6	14.9
Alone	8.4	14.9	27.9	31.9
With other unrelated persons	4.9	9.6	13.0	14.1
Other	1.1	3.5	0.8	0.9
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>12,300</i>	<i>10,550</i>	<i>27,600</i>	<i>24,300</i>
Number with missing data	950	2,700	19,250	22,600
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>13,250</b>	<b>13,250</b>	<b>46,900</b>	<b>46,900</b>

*Notes*

1. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
2. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 9: SAAP closed support periods: legal processes of female SAAP clients escaping domestic violence before and after support, by cultural and linguistic diversity, Victoria, 2003–04 (per cent)**

Legal process	Indigenous Australians		Australian-born non-Indigenous		English proficiency group 1		English proficiency groups 2–4	
	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Protection or guardianship order (including wardship or equivalent)	9.6	6.8	5.2	4.5	3.3	3.8	3.2	4.0
Intervention/protection/restraining order/apprehended violence order (as a result of violence perpetrated AGAINST the CLIENT)	43.4	44.0	53.3	56.1	54.2	56.3	51.3	50.4
Intervention/protection/restraining order/apprehended violence order (as a result of violence perpetrated BY the CLIENT)	9.5	13.6	8.7	9.2	8.6	9.7	9.2	8.9
Other legal processes	55.7	52.6	45.5	43.3	44.8	51.1	48.0	50.8
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>2,350</b>	<b>2,450</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>900</b>

*Notes*

- 1 Number excluded due to errors or omissions (weighted): 691 before, 1,492 after.
- 2 Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
- 3 Clients were able to select multiple legal processes, so percentages do not total 100.
- 4 Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 10: SAAP closed support periods: case management details for female clients escaping domestic violence compared to other clients, Victoria, 2003–04**

Existence of support plan	Female domestic violence group		Other clients	
	%	Number	%	Number
Yes	53.3	6,500	38.3	16,950
No	15.4	1,900	47.8	21,150
Not appropriate	31.3	3,800	13.8	6,100
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12,200</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>44,200</b>

*Notes*

1. Number excluded due to errors or omissions (weighted): 810 female domestic violence group, 2,502 other group.
2. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
3. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 11: SAAP accompanying children: profile of children accompanying female SAAP clients escaping domestic violence, Victoria, 2003–04 (per cent)**

	Male	Female	Total	
			%	Number
<b>Total children accompanying women escaping domestic violence</b>	..	..	..	<b>10,750</b>
<b>Age of accompanying child</b>				
0–4 years	40.9	40.4	40.6	4,350
5–12 years	45.6	45.2	45.4	4,900
13–15 years	9.7	11.0	10.3	1,100
16–17 years	3.8	3.4	3.6	400
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	..
<b>Total (%)</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	..
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>5,400</b>	<b>5,400</b>	..	<b>10,750</b>
<b>Mean number of accompanying child support periods per accompanying child</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>1.3</b>	..	<b>1.3</b>

*Notes*

1. Number excluded due to errors or omissions (weighted): 61 gender by age.
2. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
3. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 12: SAAP support periods: female SAAP clients escaping domestic violence with accompanying children, by cultural background and number of accompanying children, Victoria, 2003–04 (per cent)**

Number of accompanying children	Indigenous Australians	Australian-born non-Indigenous	People born overseas EP1	People born overseas EP2–4	Total	
					%	Number
One child	33.9	38.6	31.8	42.7	38.9	2,600
Two children	31.3	31.7	31.5	35.6	32.5	2,150
Three children	17.1	18.5	16.3	13.5	17.2	1,150
Four children	11.8	7.9	9.9	5.1	7.6	500
Five or more children	5.9	3.2	10.5	3.2	3.7	250
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	..
<b>Total (%)</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>68.0</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	..
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>4,500</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>1,450</b>	..	<b>6,650</b>

*Notes*

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 340 cultural and linguistic diversity.
2. Some clients who presented with accompanying children did not provide any information about these children.
3. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
4. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

**Table 13: SAAP closed accompanying child support periods: SAAP services requested for children accompanying female clients escaping domestic violence compared with services requested for children accompanying other clients, by provision, Victoria, 2003–04 (per cent)**

Type of service	Domestic violence group					Other clients				
	Unmet	Referred	Provided	Total	Closed support periods (number)	Unmet	Referred	Provided	Total	Closed support periods (number)
<b>Accommodation</b>										
SAAP/CAP accommodation	1.6	10.4	88.0	100.0	3,250	5.2	12.8	81.9	100.0	1,450
<b>School liaison/child care</b>										
School liaison	8.0	8.1	84.0	100.0	1,100	3.8	9.2	87.1	100.0	650
Child care	3.3	19.8	76.9	100.0	800	5.7	45.3	49.0	100.0	300
<b>Counselling</b>										
Help with behavioural problems	4.1	27.8	68.1	100.0	800	6.4	34.8	58.8	100.0	300
Sexual/physical abuse counselling/support	8.4	37.5	54.1	100.0	400	6.3	58.7	34.9	100.0	50
Skills education	6.7	21.9	71.5	100.0	100	(*)—	(*)—	70.2	100.0	100
General counselling/support	4.8	11.9	83.3	100.0	1,550	5.9	18.9	75.1	100.0	350
<b>General support/advocacy</b>										
Access arrangements	4.6	30.9	64.5	100.0	400	3.7	12.0	84.2	100.0	100
Advice/information	1.1	1.1	97.8	100.0	1,900	2.1	2.0	95.9	100.0	950
Brokerage services	1.9	5.6	92.5	100.0	300	4.5	10.0	85.5	100.0	250
Advocacy	1.3	1.6	97.1	100.0	1,800	2.4	1.6	96.0	100.0	1,000
<b>Specialist services</b>										
Culturally sensitive services	2.3	10.9	86.8	100.0	400	(*)—	(*)—	80.9	100.0	100
Health/medical services	4.4	34.6	61.0	100.0	750	7.8	50.5	41.7	100.0	350
<b>Basic support and other services n.e.s.</b>										
Meals	0.7	0.4	98.9	100.0	2,100	1.2	2.9	95.9	100.0	450
Showers/hygiene	1.2	0.9	97.9	100.0	1,400	(*)—	(*)—	87.5	100.0	150
Recreation	1.7	3.3	95.1	100.0	1,450	2.5	5.6	91.9	100.0	450
Transport	0.9	0.5	98.5	100.0	2,350	2.2	—	97.8	100.0	600
Other	1.2	18.9	79.8	100.0	700	2.1	13.2	84.7	100.0	950

**Notes**

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 6,629 female domestic violence group. 6,746 other clients (cases with no information on service requirements or provision).
2. Table excludes high-volume records because not all items were included on the high-volume form.
3. In groups of service types, an accompanying child may require more than one type of service within the group. Percentages for broad groups relate to all needs and not to support periods. For individual types of services, a need can be recorded only once within a support period, so percentages relate to accompanying child support periods.
4. To ensure confidentiality some cells in this table have been replaced with (\*). While these cases are not presented separately, they are included in the total.
5. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.