

Errata—Disability Support Services 2003–04

Page 36—3.6 Income and labour force status

Figures contained in the second last paragraph of this page were replaced. These changes affected Table 3.17, also shown below.

Not surprisingly, employment service users aged 15–64 years were the most likely to report being employed (55%), followed by accommodation support (21%) and community support (18%). Four-fifths (80%) of employment service users in this age group reported that they were in the labour force (Table 3.17).

Table 3.17: Users of CSTDA-funded services aged 15 years or more, labour force status by service group, 2003–04

Service user age and service group	Employed		Unemployed		Not in the labour force		Not stated/ not collected		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Service users aged 15–64 years										
Accommodation support	6,156	21.2	3,400	11.7	17,834	61.3	1,690	5.8	29,080	100.0
Community support	6,885	18.3	4,347	11.5	21,170	56.2	5,236	13.9	37,638	100.0
Community access	5,272	13.6	4,309	11.1	22,316	57.5	6,891	17.8	38,788	100.0
Respite	2,044	15.5	1,291	9.8	8,181	62.1	1,653	12.6	13,169	100.0
Employment	35,417	55.4	15,414	24.1	698	1.1	12,453	19.5	63,982	100.0
Total	41,227	30.4	22,804	16.8	45,573	33.6	26,192	19.3	135,796	100.0
Service users aged 65 years and over										
Accommodation support	91	3.5	55	2.1	2,209	85.2	238	9.2	2,593	100.0
Community support	148	2.6	108	1.9	2,147	38.3	3,210	57.2	5,613	100.0
Community access	95	2.0	95	2.0	3,629	74.6	1,046	21.5	4,865	100.0
Respite	16	3.4	27	5.8	245	52.5	179	38.3	467	100.0
Employment	194	65.8	28	9.5	6	2.0	67	22.7	295	100.0
Total	430	4.0	249	2.3	6,207	57.6	3,888	36.1	10,774	100.0
All service users	41,657	28.4	23,053	15.7	51,780	35.3	30,080	20.5	146,570	100.0

Notes

1. Service user data are estimates after use of a statistical linkage key to account for individuals who received services from more than one service type outlet during the 12-month period. Total for all service groups may not be the sum of components since individuals may have accessed services from more than one service group over the 12-month period. Service user data were not collected for all CSTDA service types (see Section 2.2 for details).
2. Only those aged 15 years or older were asked to respond about labour force status. Working age service users include those CSTDA service users in this age group or service users whose age was unknown but where a response was provided about labour force status.
3. Please refer to AIHW 2003b (CSTDA NMDS Data Guide 2003–04) for full definitions of 'employed', 'unemployed' and 'not in the labour force'.
4. 'Not stated/not collected' includes both service users accessing only 3.02 services for whom primary disability and labour force status data were not collected (see Section 2.2) and other service users with no response. Refer to Table A1.1 for a breakdown of these two categories.

Page 39—3.7 Individualised funding

The last paragraph of this page was replaced with the following paragraph. These changes affected Table 3.19, also shown below.

Service users accessing **respite services (24%)** were the most likely to report receipt of individualised funding. Those in **community support services (17%)** were the least likely (Table 3.19).

Table 3.19: Users of CSTDA-funded services, individual funding status by service group, 2003–04

Service group	Has individualised funding		Does not have individualised funding		Not known		Not stated/ not collected		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Accommodation support	6,992	21.1	22,621	68.2	1,824	5.5	1,738	5.2	33,175	100.0
Community support	12,988	16.5	53,041	67.3	5,834	7.4	6,984	8.9	78,847	100.0
Community access	10,040	21.1	31,228	65.6	2,574	5.4	3,794	8.0	47,636	100.0
Respite	4,893	23.8	13,592	66.2	1,256	6.1	806	3.9	20,547	100.0
Employment	13,812	21.5	50,469	78.5	0	—	0	—	64,281	100.0
Total	31,193	16.6	135,496	72.1	9,190	4.9	11,927	6.4	187,806	100.0

Notes

1. Service user data are estimates after use of a statistical linkage key to account for individuals who received services from more than one service type outlet during the 12-month period. Total for all service groups may not be the sum of components since individuals may have accessed services from more than one service group over the 12-month period. Service user data were not collected for all CSTDA service types (see Section 2.2 for details).
2. Case-based funding is currently being implemented within employment services. Once fully implemented, 100% of employment service users will be funded under this mechanism.
3. 'Not stated/not collected' includes both service users accessing only 3.02 services for whom individualised funding data were not collected (see Section 2.2) and other service users with no response. Refer to Table A1.1 for a breakdown of these two categories.