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Table A1.1: People aged 5-64 years: main disabling conditions by disability status and severity of handicap, by sex, Australia, 1993^(a)

Main disabling conditions	Profound	Severe	Moderate	Mild	Not determined ^(b)	Disability no handicap	Total disability
Males							
Intellectual	17.4	4.8	7.6	8.0	14.3	2.2	54.2
Learning	1.9	1.8	2.1	2.8	9.2	2.7	20.6
Psychiatric	7.8	5.7	7.8	13.5	16.3	16.9	67.9
Acquired brain injury	3.5	3.2	4.3	6.3	5.1	2.5	24.9
Vision	1.8	3.8	0.9	8.9	8.5	14.5	38.4
Hearing	3.5	1.4	2.7	32.4	19.1	121.7	180.8
Speech	2.9	1.1	5.2	1.4	9.4	5.0	25.1
Circulatory	2.7	5.7	6.9	31.6	11.2	11.8	69.9
Respiratory	2.2	9.2	4.4	33.7	23.0	34.0	106.5
Arthritis	4.5	12.7	20.6	36.5	10.7	17.0	102.1
Other musculoskeletal disorder	6.4	23.8	35.5	46.6	21.1	21.5	155.0
Other physical	21.7	11.3	22.9	40.0	30.3	31.7	157.8
Neurological	5.0	5.7	3.2	9.9	10.6	6.9	41.4
Other	1.3	9.6	11.7	20.2	11.1	7.7	61.6
Total	82.5	99.8	136.0	291.9	199.8	296.3	1, 106. 2
Females	02.5	33.0	730.0	231.3	199.0	290.3	1, 100.2
	44.0		5.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	00.0
Intellectual	11.3	4.4	5.2	6.0	8.9	2.5	38.3
Learning	1.8	1.0	1.1	3.0	2.7	0.5	10.1
Psychiatric	6.5	10.6	11.1	24.1	19.1	29.5	100.9
Acquired brain injury	3.8	1.9	1.8	3.8	1.3	3.1	15.7
Vision	2.2	3.5	1.1	4.6	4.1	6.4	21.8
Hearing	2.0	3.6	3.0	23.3	11.5	60.6	104.0
Speech	0.0	8.0	8.0	0.7	2.7	1.4	6.4
Circulatory	1.6	4.9	5.1	16.8	4.7	9.0	42.0
Respiratory	6.5	8.8	9.8	34.9	19.8	31.9	111.7
Arthritis	3.4	25.7	23.1	45.5	13.2	15.2	126.0
Other musculoskeletal disorder	5.0	21.1	26.1	39.0	19.3	15.8	126.3
Other physical	18.4	15.3	19.6	39.7	19.5	21.8	134.3
Neurological	7.8	5.8	4.2	6.2	7.9	11.9	43.8
Other	4.5	3.9	9.4	15.1	4.5	7.0	44.3
Total	74.8	111.2	121.4	262.6	139.2	216.6	925.7
Persons							
Intellectual	28.7	9.1	12.8	14.0	23.2	4.7	92.5
Learning	3.7	2.8	3.2	5.8	12.0	3.3	30.8
Psychiatric	14.2	16.3	18.9	37.6	35.4	46.4	168.8
Acquired brain injury	7.3	5.1	6.1	10.1	6.3	5.6	40.6
Vision	4.0	7.2	1.9	13.5	12.6	20.9	60.2
Hearing	5.5	5.0	5.7	55.7	30.6	182.4	284.8
Speech	3.0	1.9	6.0	2.2	12.1	6.4	31.5
Circulatory	4.3	10.6	12.0	48.3	15.9	20.8	112.0
Respiratory	8.8	18.0	14.2	68.6	42.8	65.8	218.2
Arthritis	7.9	38.4	43.7	82.0	23.9	32.2	228.1
Other musculoskeletal disorder	11.4	44.9	61.6	85.7	40.4	37.4	281.3
Other physical	40.1	26.5	42.6	79.7	49.7	53.5	292.1
Neurological	12.7	11.5	7.5	16.1	18.5	18.8	85.1
Other	5.7	13.5	21.1	35.3	15.6	14.7	105.8
Total	157.3	211.0	257.3	554.5	338.9	512.9	2,031.9

⁽a) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Source: AlHW analysis of ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers data.

⁽b) This group comprises all children with a disability aged 0-4 years and people who had a schooling or employment limitation only.

Table A1.2: Disability/impairment groupings, related to ABS screening questions and ICD code

lmpairment/ Disability	ABS Categories	ABS code	ICD code	Diseases, impairments and conditions
Intellectual	Other mental disorder			
	and part of Mental psychosis	305	299.0	Infantile autism
		307	Search question	Slow at learning or understanding things
		309	317–319	Mental or intellectual retardation/ disability
		317		Behaviour changes
		318		Memory loss
		703	758.0	Down syndrome
		998	998	Refer to Section 4.5.4 in the coding instructions
	EQ30=1	HQ15=08		Slow at learning or understanding things
_earning		316	315.02	Developmental dyslexia
		316	315.0	Reading disorder
		316	315	Specific delays in development
Psychiatric	Mental psychosis	301	303	Alcohol dependence syndrome
		301	304	Drug dependence
		302	291	Alcoholic psychoses
		303	300.0	Anxiety
		303	300.4	Neurotic depression
		303	308.0	Stress
		303	Search question	Receiving treatment for nerves or an emotional condition
		304	307.1	Anorexia nervosa
		304	307.5	Other eating disorder including bulimia
		306	296	Manic depression
		307	Search question	Needs to be helped/supervised in doing things because of mental illness
		310	300–316	Neurotic disorders, personality disorders and non-psychoti mental disorders not elsewhere specified
		310		Cognitive loss/changes
		311	290–294	Organic psychoses
		312	300.2	Phobic disorders, other, including agoraphobia and claustrophobia
		313	295–299	Other psychoses not elsewhere specified
		314	295	Schizophrenic disorders
		315	290	Senile psychoses
	EQ18=1	HQ15=12		Receiving treatment for nerves or an emotional condition
	EQ32=1	HQ15=15		Ever need to be helped or supervised in doing things because of any mental illness
Acquired brain	Head injury/			
injury	stroke/other brain injury	381	348.1	Brain damage
		381	997.0	Brain damage — anoxia (lack of oxygen to brain)
		308	310.9	Mental degeneration due to brain damage
		754	800–804	Head/brain injury — fracture of skull
		754	850–854	Head/brain injury — other

Table A1.2 (continued): Disability/impairment groupings, related to ABS screening questions and ICD code

Impairment/ Disability	ABS Categories	ABS code	ICD code	Diseases, impairments and conditions
		754	Search question	Head injury, stroke or any other brain damage
	EQ24=1,2,3	HQ15=16		Ever suffered a head injury, stroke or any other brain damage
Sensory:				
Deaf and blind	EQ1=1 and EQ4=1	HQ15=01 an	d 03	Total loss of sight and hearing
Vision	Disorders of eye and adnexa	352	366	Cataract
		357	372	Conjunctivitis — not caused by virus
		358	370.0	Corneal ulcer
		362	369	Blindness and low vision
		362	360– 379,743	Disorders of the eye and adnexa
		362	Search question	Loss of sight — full/partial
		365	365	Glaucoma
		368	370	Keratitis
		378	361.3	Retinal defects without detachment
		379	361	Retinal detachments and defects
	EQ1=1 or EQ1=2 and EQ2=2	HQ15=01 or 02		Loss of sight — full or partial
Hearing	Disorders of ear and	359	389.7	Doof mutionnot alcoupers alcouping
	mastoid process			Deaf mutism — not elsewhere classified
		361	388.3	Tinnitus
		361	380–389	Disorders of the ear and mastoid process (code 359 if deaf—mutism)
		361	Search question	Loss of hearing — full/partial
	EQ4=1 or 2	HQ15=03 or	04	Loss of hearing — full/partial
Speech		753	Search question	Speech impairment, loss of speech
	EQ8=1 or EQ8=2	HQ15=05 or	06	Loss of speech — full/partial
Physical	EQ12=1	HQ15=9		Don't have full use of arms or fingers
	EQ14=1	HQ15=10		Have difficulty gripping or holding things such as a cup o pen
	EQ16=1	HQ15=11		Don't have full use of feet or legs
	EQ22=1	HQ15=14		Have any disfigurement or deformity
	Circulatory diseases	401	413	Angina
		402	442	Aneurysm — other
		403	441	Aortic aneurysm
		404	440	Atherosclerosis, thickening of the arteries
		404	414.0	Coronary atherosclerosis, thickening of the arteries
		405	453.9	Blocked veins — unspecified

Table A1.2 (continued): Disability/impairment groupings, related to ABS screening questions and ICD code

lmpairment/ Disability A	BS Categories	ABS code	ICD code	Diseases, impairments and conditions
		406	425	Cardiomyopathy, cardiovascular disease not elsewhere specified
		406	429.2	Cardiovascular disease — other
		407	392-459	Diseases of circulatory system not elsewhere specified
		408	395	Diseases of aortic valve
		409	415–417	Diseases of the pulmonary circulation
		411	391	Rheumatic fever with heart involvement
		412	390	Rheumatic fever without mention of heart involvement
		413	455	Haemorrhoids/piles
Physical: continue	ed	414	423–428	Heart disease — other
		414	429	Heart disease — ill-defined descriptions and complications
		415	401–405	High blood pressure/hypertensive disease
		416	458.9	Low blood pressure/hypotension
		417	410–414	Ischaemic heart disease not elsewhere specified
		419	420	Pericarditis — acute
		420	393–398	Rheumatic heart disease
		421	444	Thrombosis and embolism
		422	454	Varicose veins with ulcer, inflammation
		423	430–438	Cerebrovascular disease — other and ill-defined
R	espiratory diseases	451	501	Asbestosis
		452	493	Asthma
		453	490–491	Bronchitis
		454	478.3- 478.7	Diseases of larynx
		455	518	Other diseases of lung
		456	460-519	Diseases of respiratory system not elsewhere specified
		456	477.9	Sinusitis
		457	492	Emphysema
		458	510	Empyema
		459	511	Pleurisy
		751	477	Allergic rhinitis
	rthritis (osteo and			
rl	heumatoid)	658	716	Arthritis
		669	715	Osteoarthrosis/osteoarthritis
		674	714	Rheumatoid arthritis
		676	719	Joint disorders, other and unspecified

Table A1.2 (continued): Disability/impairment groupings, related to ABS screening questions and ICD code

mpairment/ Disability	ABS Categories	ABS code	ICD code	Diseases, impairments and conditions
	Other musculos keletal			
	disorders	651	887	Amputation of arm(s)
		652	886	Amputation of finger(s)
		653	896	Amputation of foot
		654	887	Amputation of hand(s)
		655	897	Amputation of leg(s)
		656	895	Amputation of toe(s)
		657	720	Ankylosing spondylitis
		659	724	Back disorders, other and unspecified
		660	738.3	Chest and rib deformities
		661	738.1	Head — other deformities of
		662	738.2 744.9	Neck — deformities of
		665	734–738	Limb deformities
		666	724.2	Lumbago
		667	756	Musculoskeletal deformities
		668	710–739	Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue not elsewhere specified
		670	730	Osteomyelitis
		671	733.0	Osteoporosis
		672	727.0	Repetitive strain injury (RSI, tenosynovitis)
		673	725–729	Rheumatism, excluding the back, not elsewhere specifie
		675	724.3	Sciatica
		757	Search question	Disfigurement or deformity
hysical:	All other diseases and			
ontinued	conditions	101	042	Acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS)
		102	045	Acute poliomyelitis
		103	046	Slow virus infection of the central nervous system
		104	001 077	Cholera Conjunctivities due to viruses and chlamydiae
		105 106	077	Conjunctivitis due to viruses and chlamydiae Diphtheria
		107	008.6	Enteritis
		108	053-054	Herpes
		109	033-034	Leprosy
		110	084	Malaria
		111	003–139	Infectious and parasitic diseases not elsewhere specified
		112	053	Shingles
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Table A1.2 (continued): Disability/impairment groupings, related to ABS screening questions and ICD code $\,$

lmpairment/ Disability	ABS Categories	ABS code	ICD code	Diseases, impairments and conditions
		114	037	Tetanus
		115	076	Trachoma
		116	010-018	Tuberculosis
		117	002	Typhoid
		118	098	Chronic urinary tract infection
		151	191	Brain cancer, tumour, neoplasm
		152	174–175	Breast cancer, tumour, neoplasm
		153	140-239	Cancer, tumour, neoplasm — unspecified nature
		154	204	Lymphoid leukaemia
		154	205	Myeloid leukaemia
		155	200	Lymphoma
		156	185	Prostate cancer, tumour, neoplasm
		157	140–239	Cancer, tumour, neoplasm — secondary or specified site
		201	250	Diabetes
		202	240–279	Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases, and immunity disorders not elsewhere specified
		203	240	Goitre — simple and unspecified
		204	274	Gout
		205	243	Congenital hypothyroidism
		205	244	Acquired hypothyroidism
		206	279.10	Immunodeficiency with predominant T-cell defect, unspecified
		207	278.0	Obesity
		208	246	Other disorders of the thyroid
		208	759.2	Disorders of thyroid — other
		251	280–285	Anaemia
		252	287–289	Diseases of blood and blood-forming organs not elsewhere specified
		253	286	Haemophilia
		355	343	Cerebral palsy
		360	344.2	Diplegia
		366	342	Hemiplegia
		370	344.3- 344.5	Monoplegia
		371	335.2	Motor neuron disease
		372	340	Multiple sclerosis
		373	359	Muscular dystrophy

Table A1.2 (continued): Disability/impairment groupings, related to ABS screening questions and ICD code

lmpairment/ Disability	ABS Categories	ABS code	ICD code	Diseases, impairments and conditions
Physical: continued	All other diseases and conditions	374	344	Paralysis — other
		375	344.1	Paraplegia
		376	332	Parkinson's disease
		377	344	Quadriplegia
		410	421	Endocarditis — acute and subacute
		418	422	Myocarditis, acute
		501	571	Cirrhosis of the liver
		502	520–579	Diseases of digestive system not elsewhere specified
		503	532	Duodenal ulcer
		504	575	Gall bladder — other diseases of
		505	571.4	Hepatitis — chronic
		506	550–553	Hernia
		507	571.1	Liver disease — acute alcoholic
		508	570–573	Liver discusse — acute alcoholic Liver discusse — acute alcoholic
		509	577	Pancreas — diseases of
		510	531	Stomach ulcer
		510	533–534	Stomach ulcer
		551	603–629	Diseases and disorders of genital organs and breast
		552	580–599	Diseases of the urinary system not elsewhere specified
		553	596	Bladder disorders
		554	590	Kidney infections
		555	600–602	Diseases and disorders of prostate
		556	584–586	Renal failure — acute/chronic
		557	004 000	Incontinence
		601	680–709	Skin and subcutaneous tissue — diseases of
		663	Search question	Incomplete use of arms/fingers
		663	Search question	Difficulty gripping/holding things such as pen or cup
		664	Search question	Incomplete use of feet/legs
		701	758	Chromosomal anomalies
		702	749	Cleft palate
		702	740–759	Congenital anomalies — other
		704	741	Spina bifida
		752		Speech impediment
lot known'		755	Search question	Blackouts, fits or loses consciousness
Not known'		756	Search question	Restricted in physical activity/physical work
lot known'		758	Search question	Receiving treatment/medication for a long-term condition/ailment
Not known'		999	630–676	Inappropriate condition — refer to section 4.5.1 in the coding instructions
lot known'	EQ10=1	HQ15=07 (7	55)	Blackouts, fits or loses consciousness
Not known'	EQ20=1	HQ15=13 (7	56)	Restricted in physical activity/physical work

Table A1.2 (continued): Disability/impairment groupings, related to ABS screening questions and ICD code

Impairment/	ADS Cotomorios	ABS code	ICD code	Discours impairments and conditions	
Disability	ABS Categories	ABS code ICD code		Diseases, impairments and conditions	
'Not known'	EQ27=1	HQ15=18 (7	'58)	Receiving treatment/medication for a long-term condition/ailment	
Neurological	Nervous system	351	331.0	Alzheimer's disease	
		353	324–326	Inflammatory diseases of the central nervous system not elsewhere specified	
		353	333-358	Diseases of the central nervous system — unspecified	
		353	740	Disorders of central nervous system — hereditary, congenital, degenerative	
		354	330-331	Cerebral degeneration	
		356	348	Brain — other conditions	
		363	323	Encephalitis, myelitis, encephalomyelitis	
		364	345	Epilepsy	
		367	357	Neuropathy — inflammatory and toxic	
		367	356	Neuropathy	
		369	320-322	Meningitis	
		380	334	Spinocerebellar disease	

Note: * The codes for search questions refer to the survey search questions only, no corresponding International Classification of Disease code appropriate. In the cases where the condition is coded to the search questions (refer to section 4.5 in the coding instructions) use the ABS codes.

 $^{^{\}star}$ HQ refers to question asked in households: EQ refers to question asked in establishments.

Table A2.1: People aged 5-64 years with a severe or profound handicap in households ('000), main disabling conditions by whether there were reported unmet needs for formal help,(a) by number of activities needing assistance,(b) Australia, 1993(c)

		Profound han	dicap			Severe handi	сар	
-	Number of ac	tivities needin	g help		Number of act	tivities needing	help	
Main disabling conditions	1	2	3	Total	1	2	3	Total
People with reported unmet ne	eds for formal h	elp						
Intellectual	3.2	0.3	2.4	5.9	2.8	0.6	0.0	3.4
Learning	0.6	0.0	0.9	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Psychiatric	2.6	1.0	0.0	3.6	5.7	0.2	0.0	5.9
Acquired brain injury	0.4	0.5	0.4	1.3	0.4	1.7	0.5	2.6
Vision	1.3	0.1	0.0	1.4	2.3	1.1	0.0	3.4
Hearing	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	2.1
Speech	0.9	0.0	0.5	1.4	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.5
Circulatory	0.5	1.0	0.0	1.5	5.9	0.0	0.0	5.9
Respiratory	1.1	1.3	0.0	2.4	1.9	1.5	0.0	3.4
Arthritis	1.0	3.1	0.0	4.1	10.4	6.3	0.4	17.1
Other musculoskeletal disorder	0.7	3.6	0.0	4.3	12.6	9.2	0.0	21.8
Other physical	3.4	5.2	3.3	11.8	7.2	3.0	0.6	10.8
Neurological	0.7	0.6	0.0	1.3	2.1	1.0	0.0	3.1
Other	1.1	0.8	0.3	2.2	3.3	1.3	0.0	4.5
Total	17.3	17.6	7.7	42.7	57.2	25.8	1.5	84.5
People with no reported unme	t needs for forma	l help						
Intellectual	7.5	0.6	9.5	17.6	5.8	0.0	0.0	5.8
Learning	1.2	0.0	0.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.4	2.8
Psychiatric	3.2	1.6	2.3	7.1	8.7	1.5	0.1	10.3
Acquired brain injury	2.9	0.4	2.0	5.3	2.5	0.0	0.0	2.5
Vision	1.0	1.1	0.3	2.4	3.0	0.4	0.5	3.9
Hearing	3.6	0.0	1.9	5.4	2.6	0.0	0.3	2.9
Speech	1.4	0.0	0.0	1.4	1.4	0.0	0.0	1.4
Circulatory	1.2	0.9	0.0	2.2	4.6	0.2	0.0	4.7
Respiratory	3.5	2.1	0.6	6.3	8.9	5.1	0.6	14.6
Arthritis	2.3	1.4	0.0	3.6	16.4	4.9	0.0	21.3
Other musculoskeletal disorder	3.4	3.2	0.0	6.7	14.9	8.2	0.0	23.1
Other physical	11.8	8.3	3.8	24.0	11.1	4.7	0.0	15.8
Neurological	4.4	2.4	2.5	9.2	4.7	3.6	0.0	8.4
Other	2.9	0.2		3.1	4.4	4.5		8.9
Total	50.2	22.3	0.0 22.9	95.5	90.3	34.3	0.0 1.9	126.5
Total people with a profound o	or severe handica	n in household						
		•		00.4	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.1
Intellectual	10.7 1.7	0.9 0.0	11.8	23.4 2.8	8.6 1.2	0.6	0.0	9.1
Learning			1.0			1.2	0.4	2.8
Psychiatric	5.8	2.6	2.3	10.6	14.5	1.7	0.1	16.2
Acquired brain injury	3.2	0.9	2.5	6.6	2.9	1.7	0.5	5.1
Vision	2.3	1.2	0.3	3.8	5.3	1.5	0.5	7.2
Hearing	3.6	0.0	1.9	5.4	4.7	0.0	0.3	5.0
Speech	2.4	0.0	0.5	2.8	1.9	0.0	0.0	1.9
Circulatory	1.7	2.0	0.0	3.6	10.5	0.2	0.0	10.6
Respiratory	4.6	3.5	0.6	8.7	10.8	6.6	0.6	18.0
Arthritis	3.2	4 5	0.0	7.8	26.7	11.2	0.4	38.4
Other musculoskeletal disorder	4.1	6.8	0.0	10.9	27.5	17.4	0.0	44.9
Other physical	15.2	13.5	7.1	35.8	18.3	7.6	0.6	26.5
Neurological	5.1	3.0	2.5	10.6	6.8	4.7	0.0	11.5
Other	4.0	10.4	0.3	5.3	7.7	5.8	0.0	13.5
Total	67.6	39.9	30.6	138.1	147.5	60.2	3.3	211.0

⁽a) Unmet need was defined as having reported at least one reason for receiving no help or not enough help from formal assistance.

Source: AlHW analysis of ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers data

⁽b) Activities include self-care, mobility and verbal communication.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A3.1: Government contribution (\$m)(a) by service type, by jurisdiction, 1996-97

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	WA	SA	Tas.	ACT	NT	Total
Accommodation support		266.7	97.6	93.6	87.4	34.9	13.0	5.9	599.1
Community support		49.0	23.2	3.6	20.3	4.5	1.8	1.7	104.0
Community access		65.9	13.7	10.7	5.8	6.3	0.9	1.5	104.8
Respite		19.1	14.2	14.0	4.6	3.2	1.8	0.9	57.7
Employment		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other		7.7	0.0	16.5	5.9	0.4	0.0		30.6
Other support		11.6	1.5	0.8	1.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	15.0
Total service type contribution		420.0	150.1	139.2	125.0	49.3	17.5	10.1	911.2

⁽a) Includes both recurrent and capital expenditure. Excludes government administration expenditure.

Source: State and Territory draft returns to the Industry Commission for the Report on Government Service Provision, 1996–97.

Table A3.2: Group homes: expenditure,(a) receipts, places and costs to government per place, by auspice and by jurisdiction, 1996–97

	NSW ^(b)	Vic.	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT .	Australia
Existing services 1996–97									
Government contribution (\$ million)									
Government		104.4	33.3	18.2	8.6	1.6	9.0	_	175.0
Non-government		43.3	14.3	14.4	12.7	17.5	1.5	5.4	109.1
All group homes		147.7	47.5	32.6	21.2	19.1	10.5	5.4	284.0
Receipts (\$ million)									
Government		2.7	0.2	1.1	0.3	0.0	0.3	_	4.7
Non-government		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
All group homes		2.7	0.2	1.1	0.3	0.0	0.3	_	4.7
Places (number of)									
Government		1,928	537	393	181	22	131	_	3,192
Non-government		1,428	1,022	538	385	321	83	117	3,894
All group homes		3,356	1,559	931	566	343	214	117	7,086
Existing services — government contribution per place per annum									
Government		\$52,746	\$61,645	\$43,405	\$45,429	\$72,864	\$66,002		\$53,361
Non-government		\$30,352	\$13,955	\$26,754	\$32,934	\$54,395	\$18,433	\$46,001	\$28,005
All group homes		\$43,217	\$30,382	\$35,004	\$36,930	\$55,580	\$47,561	\$46,001	\$39,427

⁽a) Includes recurrent and minor capital expenditure. Major capital valued over \$50,000 is excluded.

Source: State and Territory draft returns to the Industry Commission for the Report on Government Service Provision, 1996–97.

⁽b) New South Wales did not provide Industry Commission data for 1996–97. The Industry Commission's report for 1995–96 showed \$60,372 as New South Wales' average cost per place for government group homes and \$50,603 as its average government contribution per place to non-government group homes (SCRCSSP 1997).

Table A3.3: Recipients of CSDA-funded services, service provider estimates of annual recipient numbers, service type by State and Territory, 1996

Service type	NSW	Vic.	Qld	WA	SA	Tas.	ACT	NT	Total
In-home and other accommodation support	2,466	7,395	1,876	2,191	1,466	112	65	129	15,700
Community access/ day programs	24,311	27,214	2,398	1,995	3,279	3,861	409	290	63,757
Respite	11,918	4,111	4,292	1,544	1,690	1,497	226	537	25,815

Notes

Source: 1996 CSDA MDS collection unpublished data, and Australian Capital Territory and Western Australian data provided directly by departments.

^{1.} An individual may be counted more than once if more than one service type was accessed on the 'snapshot' day.

^{2.} All data are for 1995–96, with the exception of Western Australia, where data were collected in June 1997 for 1996–97.

Questions for the States and Territories

1. Please fill in **Tables 1-3** attached, as far as you can. Also:

Table 4: Current costs

- a. Please provide us with a copy of the material you are now sending to the Industry Commission, relating to 1996–97 costs of services the 4-page paper survey form.
- b. Please also provide **expenditure** on CSDA grants in 1996–97 for in-home support (CSDA MDS service types 1.04, 1.05, 1.06, 1.07) and the **numbers of clients** receiving these service types. (If you are unable to provide these figures, we will use 1995–96 figures from the CSDA MDS collection, and inflate them to 1996–97.)
- 2. Do you have data on the costs of provision of services to rural and remote communities? Or services to Indigenous people? If so, please enclose.
- 3. We will be applying marginal costs (derived from Table 1 attached) to only a proportion of the statistically estimated unmet demand. For other people we will assume that the person will receive the lowest possible amount of care, respite, or day activity (consistent with the need to provide conservative estimates).
 - What are the nature (e.g. hours, location) and costs of very low levels of respite, accommodation support or day programs per person per year in your jurisdiction?
- 4. What increases in the level of supply (numbers of places) have occurred in your jurisdiction since 1993 in:
 - accommodation, accommodation support, respite
 - day programs?
- 5. Are there any special features of your jurisdiction which should be considered in understanding cost differentials, for instance:
 - higher costs (e.g. price of real estate)
 - lower current provision levels (e.g. Queensland)?

Assumptions

It will be assumed that new demand will NOT be met by placement in large institutions. We will assume that any unmet demand for accommodation services will be met by accommodation and support outside large institutions. This reflects an apparent general policy of placing people in 'least intrusive, least cost' services.

Counting rules

The six service types we are using are based on the CSDA MDS, and are as follows: Accommodation support is divided into:

- (i) institutional accommodation (CSDA MDS service type codes 1.01, 1.02)
- (ii) group homes (1.03)
- (iii) in-home accommodation support (1.04, 1.05, 1.06, 1.07)
- (iv) day programs (CSDA MDS codes 3.01 to 3.03)
- (v) respite (residential or centre-based 4.02)
- (vi) in-home respite (CSDA MDS codes 4.01, 4.03, 4.04).

Table 1: Costs of additional services: for new demand

Please provide expected costs per place for group homes and expected costs per client for other services, when you are setting up NEW services to meet currently unmet demand in the following service categories.

(For instance, do you expect it to be more or less expensive than your current average costs?) If you do not expect to use a particular category of service to meet unmet demand, cross its box.

RECURRENT

	Non-government services	Government services
Group homes (\$ per place)		
High support (e.g. 24 hours)		
Medium support (e.g. 11–16 hours)		
Low (e.g. 6–10 hours)		
<6 hours		
All group homes		
In-home support (\$ per client)		
Respite (\$ per client)		
Residential/centre		
In-home		
Day programs (\$ per client)		
CAPITAL		
Group homes (\$ per place)		
In-home support (\$ per client)		
Respite (\$ per client)		
Residential/centre		
In-home		
Day programs (\$ per client)		

Please include the source of the data and the method of estimation (as attachments if possible).

Table A3.4 (continued): Second request for information from jurisdictions

Table 2: Explanations of costs in Table 1

Please provide information explaining your figures on the costs of new services for people with unmet demand (Table 1). This justification is particularly important where the new services have different cost structures from existing services.

The justification could include details of strategies being used for each type of service including:

- (a) use of non-government services;
- (b) dependency level of new clients compared to existing clients;
- (c) sources of funds for capital including equipment;
- (d) nature of funding such as packages, which may span a number of different service types; and
- (e) other matters, such as changes in awards.

Group homes	
In-home support	
Respite	
Residential	
In-home	
Day programs	

Table 3: Information about unmet demand

Thinking about unmet demand, do you have any knowledge about whether people needing accommodation, support, respite and day program services have needs equivalent to current clients, or whether they may need lower intensity services?

(This information will be used to check orders of magnitude of other statistical estimates of unmet demand.)

	Numbers of people needing services equivalent to average current service delivery	Numbers of people needing lower intensity services
Group homes		
High support		
Medium support		
Low support		
In-home support		
Respite		
Residential		
In-home		
Day programs		

Please indicate data source and method of estimation.

Table A3.5: Expected net cost to government of new services, New South Wales

RECURRENT	
Group homes (per place per annum)	
High support	n.a.
Medium support	n.a.
Low support	n.a.
Lowest support	n.a.
All group homes	\$64,902 ^(a)
In-home accommodation support (per client per annum)	
Attendant care	\$44,248
Outreach/other	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Respite (per client per annum)	
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	\$8,500 ^(b)
All respite	n.a.
Day programs (per client per annum)	n.a.
All services	\$16,500 ^(c)
CAPITAL	
Group homes (per place)	n.a.
In-home support (per client)	n.a.
Respite (per client)	n.a.
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
Day programs (\$ per client)	n.a.

⁽a) Based on the average cost of the 300 supported accommodation initiative.

Source: Ageing and Disability Department, New South Wales.

⁽b) Based on 28 days of 12 hours @ \$25 per hour.

⁽c) Based on the current high support need Post School Options funding formula.

Table A3.6: Expected net cost to government of new services, Victoria

Recurrent	
Group homes (per place per annum)	
High support	n.a.
Medium support	\$57,400 ^(a)
Low support	\$44,950
Lowest support	\$23,330
All group homes	n.a.
In-home accommodation support (per client per annum)	
Attendant care	\$42,000 (max.)
Outreach/other	\$5,000
All services	n.a.
Respite (per client per annum)	
Residential/centre	\$44,950
In-home/package	n.a.
All respite	n.a.
Day programs (per client per annum)	n.a.
All services	\$11,701
Capital	
Group homes (per place)	\$72,235
In-home support (per client)	_
Respite (per client)	n.a.
Residential/centre	\$72,235
In-home/package	n.a.
Day programs (\$ per client)	
	\$18,123 ^(b)
	\$21,200 ^(c)

⁽a) Victoria expects to target high to very high support need clients (needing at least sleep-over support) as new residents in group homes. Therefore future costs are expected to increase. Lower need people will receive in-home accommodation support.

Source: Department of Human Services, Victoria.

⁽b) If existing facilities can be used.

⁽c) If new facilities are required.

Table A3.7: Expected net cost to government of new services, Queensland

Recurrent	
Group homes (per place per annum)	
High support	\$70,000
Medium support	\$32,000 to \$47,000
Low support	\$17,500 to \$30,000
Lowest support	\$0 to \$17,500
All group homes	n.a.
In-home accommodation support (per client per annum)	ı
Attendant care	\$0 to \$30,000
Outreach/other	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Respite (per client per annum)	
Residential/centre	\$0 to \$30,000
In-home/package	\$0 to \$30,000
All respite	n.a.
Day programs (\$ per client per annum)	
Post-school options	\$16,500
Community access	\$17,000
Capital	
Group homes (per place)	n.a.
In-home support (per client)	n.a.
Respite (per client)	n.a.
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
Day programs (\$ per client)	n.a.

Source: Department of Families, Youth and Community Care, Queensland.

Table A3.8: Expected net cost to government of new services, Western Australia

Recurrent	
Group homes (per place per annum)	
High support	\$74,000
Medium support	\$60,000
Low support	\$29,000
Lowest support	n.a
All group homes	\$46,379 ^{(a}
In-home accommodation support (per client per annum)	
Attendant care	\$32,781 ^{(a}
Outreach/other	n.a
All services	n.a.
Respite (per client per annum)	
Residential/centre	\$47,379 ^{(b}
In-home/package	\$4,241 ^{(c}
All respite	n.a.
Day programs (per client per annum)	
Low support, full-time	\$6,000 ^{(d}
High support, full-time	\$18,000 ^{(d}
All services	n.a
Capital	
Group homes (per place)	n.a
In-home support (per client)	n.a
Respite (per client)	n.a
Residential/centre	n.a
In-home/package	n.a
Day programs (per client)	\$6,470 ^{(a}

⁽a) Based on average cost to government for 1996–97 funding round.

Source: Disability Services Commission, Western Australia.

⁽b) The estimated annual cost of a residential respite place.

⁽c) Based on respite provision via Local Area Coordination.

⁽d) Based on the Post School Options funding formula.

Table A3.9: Expected net cost to government of new services, South Australia

Recurrent	
Group homes (per place per annum)	
High support	n.a.
Medium support	n.a.
Low support	n.a.
Lowest support	n.a.
All group homes	n.a.
In-home accommodation support (per client per annum)	
Attendant care	n.a.
Outreach/other	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Respite (per client per annum)	
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
All respite	n.a.
Day programs (per client per annum)	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Capital	
Group homes (per place)	n.a.
In-home support (per client)	n.a.
Respite (per client)	n.a.
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
Day programs (per client)	n.a.

Note: No information was provided for this table.

Table A3.10: Expected net cost to government of new services, Tasmania

Recurrent	
Group homes (per place per annum)	
High support	n.a.
Medium support	n.a.
Low support	n.a.
Lowest support	n.a.
All group homes	n.a.
In-home accommodation support (per client per annum)	
Attendant care	n.a.
Outreach/other	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Respite (per client per annum)	
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
All respite	n.a.
Day programs (per client per annum)	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Capital	
Group homes (per place)	n.a.
In-home support (per client)	n.a.
Respite (per client)	n.a.
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
Day programs (per client)	n.a.

Note: Tasmania reported that 1997–98 costs to government were not expected to be significantly higher than for 1996–97.

Table A3.11: Expected net cost to government of new services, Australian Capital Territory

Recurrent	
Group homes (per place per annum)	
High support	n.a.
Medium support	n.a.
Low support	n.a.
Lowest support	n.a.
All group homes	n.a.
In-home accommodation support (per client per annun	m)
Attendant care	\$25,000 to \$44,000
Outreach/other	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Respite (per client per annum)	
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
All respite	n.a.
Day programs (per client per annum)	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Capital	
Group homes (per place)	n.a.
In-home support (per client)	n.a.
Respite (per client)	n.a.
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
Day programs (per client)	n.a.

Table A3.12: Expected net cost to government of new services, Northern Territory

Recurrent	
Group homes (per place per annum)	
High support	Up to \$120,000
Medium support	n.a.
Low support	n.a.
Lowest support	n.a.
All group homes	\$50,000
In-home accommodation support (per client per annum)	
Attendant care	\$32,700
Outreach/other	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Respite (per client per annum)	
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
All respite	n.a.
Day programs (per client per annum)	n.a.
All services	n.a.
Capital	
Group homes (per place)	n.a.
In-home support (per client)	n.a.
Respite (per client)	
Residential/centre	n.a.
In-home/package	n.a.
Day programs (per client)	n.a.

Source: Department of Health and Community Services, Northern Territory.

Table A3.13: Average number of residents in group homes by jurisdiction

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total
Number of residents	2,286	2,204	1,453	727	523	267	209	101	7,770
Number of homes	515	460	277	140	115	23	44	8	1,582
Average number of residents	4.4	4.8	5.2	5.2	4.5	11.6	4.8	12.6	4.9

Source: Black et al. (forthcoming).

Table A4.1: Summary of assumptions of population projections

Component	Assumption
Mortality — Australia	1992–94 mortality rates decline to the year 2004 according to short-term rates of decline and from 2004–51 according to long-term rates of decline.
Mortality — States	State-specific mortality rates (except the Northern Territory) converge to the rates for Australia as a whole in the year 2004 and then decline to 2051 according to long-term rates of decline (i.e. 2004–51 mortality rates are the same as for Australia as whole).
	Northern Territory mortality rates decline to the year 2004 according to short-term (Australian) rates of decline and then from 2004–51 according to long-term (Australian) rates of decline.
Fertility 1 — Australia	The total fertility rate for 1994 of 1.85 children per woman remains unchanged.
Fertility 1 — States	For the States and Territories, fertility rates are State-specific and trend from the total fertility rate for 1994 to rates that are determined as ratios of the Australian fertility rate in the year 2004. These ratios, i.e. relative differentials between States and the Australian rate, remain constant from 2004–51.
Fertility 2 — Australia	The total fertility rate declines from 1.85 children per woman in 1994 to 1.75 in the year 2004, after which it remains unchanged.
Fertility 2 — States	For the States and Territories, fertility rates are State-specific and trend from the total fertility rate for 1994 to rates that are determined as ratios of the Australian fertility rate in the year 2004. These ratios, i.e. relative differentials between States and the Australian rate, remain constant from 2004–51.
Overseas migration 1	Annual net migration gain declining from 120,000 in 1995–96 to 70,000 in 1998–99 and then remaining unchanged.
Overseas migration 2	Annual net migration gain declining from 120,000 in 1995–96 to 100,000 in 1997–98 and then remaining unchanged.
Overseas migration 3	Zero net migration gain throughout the projection period to enable an assessment of the effect of overseas migration on population growth.
Interstate migration 1	'Large' net gains and losses for most States and Territories, commensurate with annual net gains of 38,000 for Queensland and 6,000 for Western Australia. After a transitional period from 1995 to the year 2000, annual net gains and losses remain unchanged.
Interstate migration 2	'Medium' net gains and losses for most Sates and Territories, commensurate with annual net gains of 29,000 for Queensland and 4,000 for Western Australia. After a transitional period from 1995 to the year 2000, annual net gains and losses remain unchanged.
Interstate migration 3	'Small' net gains and losses for most States and Territories commensurate with annual net gains of 21,000 for Queensland and 2,000 for Western Australia. After a transitional period from 1995 to the year 2000, annual net gains and losses remain unchanged.

Source: Adapted from ABS 1996a.

Table A4.2: People aged under 65 years, Indigenous factor by State and Territory, calculation data and results, 1993 and 1996

	NSW	Vic.	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
People under 65 years									
Indigenous people	103,700	21,900	97,900	52,500	20,700	14,400	2,900	48,200	362,100
Non-Indigenous people	5,318,000	3,969,500	2,868,600	1,529,900	1,247,000	399,800	282,800	127,800	15,743,200
All people (weighted)	5,525,300	4,013,200	3,064,300	1,634,900	1,288,400	428,500	288,600	224,300	16,467,500
All people (weighted per person)	1.02	1.01	1.03	1.03	1.02	1.03	1.01	1.27	1.02
Indigenous factor	99.67	98.34	101.03	101.05	99.40	101.19	98.80	124.60	100.00

Notes

- 1. Data are estimates. They are rounded to the nearest 100 or 0.01, though unrounded figures have been used for further calculations.
- 2. Data for the Indigenous people and non-Indigenous people are from the 1996 Australian Census.
- 3. Data for all people (weighted) were calculated by multiplying the data for Indigenous people by two and adding the data for non-Indigenous people data. Hence Indigenous people are weighted at 2 and non-Indigenous people at 1.
- 4. Data for all people (weighted per person) were calculated by dividing the all people (weighted) data by the sum of the Indigenous people data and the non-Indigenous people data.
- 5. The Indigenous factors adjust the data for all people (weighted per person) to figures relative to an arbitrary figure for Australia of 100. They were calculated by multiplying the all people (weighted per person) data by 100 and dividing by the all people (weighted per person) figure for Australia.

Source: ABS 1997 Australian Demographic Statistics, March Quarter 1997, Cat. No. 3101.0.

Table A4.3: Projected population $^{(a)}$ of persons with a profound or severe handicap ('000), by age and sex, New South Wales, 1996–2003

	Number with profound or severe handicap ^(b)									
Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003		
Males										
5–14	12.6	12.7	12.8	12.8	12.9	13.0	13.1	13.2		
15–19	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8		
20-29	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.6	6.5		
30–44	16.2	16.3	16.4	16.5	16.7	16.8	16.9	17.0		
45-64	26.1	26.8	27.5	28.3	29.1	30.0	30.8	31.7		
65+	43.5	44.9	46.2	47.6	49.1	50.7	52.3	53.8		
Total 5-64	64.4	65.4	66.4	67.3	68.3	69.2	70.2	71.2		
Total 15-64	51.8	52.7	53.6	54.4	55.4	56.2	57.1	58.0		
Total	107.9	110.3	112.6	114.9	117.4	119.9	122.5	125.0		
Females										
5-14	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0		
15–19	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.0		
20-29	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.7	7.6		
30-44	17.2	17.3	17.5	17.6	17.8	18.1	18.3	18.4		
45-64	29.5	30.2	31.0	31.8	32.7	33.6	34.5	35.5		
65+	95.4	97.9	100.2	102.5	104.9	107.8	110.3	112.6		
Total 5-64	66.1	67.1	68.1	69.1	70.2	71.3	72.4	73.5		
Total 15-64	57.4	58.4	59.3	60.3	61.3	62.3	63.4	64.4		
Total	161.5	165.0	168.3	171.7	175.1	179.1	182.7	186.0		
Persons										
5-14	21.3	21.4	21.6	21.7	21.8	21.9	22.0	22.2		
15–19	5.5	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7		
20-29	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.9	14.7	14.5	14.3	14.2		
30–44	33.3	33.7	33.9	34.2	34.5	34.9	35.2	35.4		
45-64	55.6	57.0	58.5	60.1	61.8	63.5	65.3	67.2		
65+	138.9	142.7	146.4	150.1	154.0	158.6	162.7	166.4		
Tota 5-64	130.5	132.5	134.5	136.4	138.4	140.5	142.6	144.6		
Total 15-64	109.2	111.1	112.9	114.8	116.7	118.6	120.5	122.4		
Total	269.4	275.3	280.9	286.6	292.5	299.0	305.2	311.0		

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

Source: AIHW analysis of ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers data; ABS 1996a.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.4: Projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap ('000), by age and sex, Victoria, 1996–2003

		Nι	ımber with	profound o	r severe ha	ndicap ^(b)		
Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3
15–19	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
20–29	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.8
30–44	11.8	11.8	11.9	12.0	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.2
45-64	18.9	19.4	19.8	20.3	20.8	21.4	22.0	22.5
65+	31.9	32.9	33.7	34.6	35.6	36.7	37.7	38.6
Total 5–64	47.0	47.6	48.1	48.6	49.1	49.7	50.3	50.8
Total 15-64	37.8	38.4	38.9	39.4	39.9	40.4	41.0	41.5
Total	78.9	80.5	81.8	83.2	84.8	86.4	88.0	89.5
Females								
5–14	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3
15–19	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
20–29	6.1	6.1	6.0	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.5
30-44	12.8	12.8	12.9	13.0	13.1	13.3	13.4	13.4
45-64	21.7	22.2	22.8	23.3	24.0	24.6	25.3	26.0
65+	69.8	71.4	72.9	74.5	76.2	78.2	79.8	81.3
Tota 5-64	48.8	49.5	50.1	50.7	51.3	52.0	52.7	53.3
Total 15-64	42.6	43.2	43.8	44.4	45.1	45.7	46.4	47.0
Total	118.7	120.9	122.9	125.1	127.5	130.2	132.5	134.6
Persons								
5–14	15.4	15.4	15.5	15.5	15.5	15.6	15.6	15.7
15–19	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1
20-29	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.0	10.9	10.7	10.4	10.3
30–44	24.5	24.7	24.8	25.0	25.2	25.4	25.5	25.6
45-64	40.6	41.6	42.6	43.6	44.8	46.0	47.2	48.5
65+	101.8	104.3	106.6	109.1	111.8	114.9	117.5	119.9
Total 5-64	95.8	97.0	98.2	99.3	100.5	101.7	103.0	104.2
Total 15-64	80.4	81.6	82.7	83.8	84.9	86.1	87.3	88.5
Total	197.6	201.3	204.8	208.4	212.3	216.6	220.5	224.1

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

Source: AIHW analysis of ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers data; ABS 1996a.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.5: Projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap ('000), by age and sex, Queensland, 1996-2003

		Nι	ımber with	profound o	r severe ha	ndicap ^(b)		
Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.8
15–19	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
20-29	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
30–44	8.7	8.8	9.0	9.1	9.3	9.5	9.6	9.8
45–64	13.9	14.5	15.0	15.6	16.2	16.8	17.5	18.1
65+	22.2	23.1	23.9	24.8	25.7	26.8	27.8	28.8
Total 5-64	35.2	36.1	37.0	37.9	38.7	39.6	40.5	41.4
Tota∣ 15–64	28.0	28.8	29.6	30.4	31.2	32.0	32.8	33.6
Total	57.4	59.2	60.9	62.7	64.5	66.4	68.3	70.2
Females								
5–14	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.3
15–19	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8
20–29	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5
30–44	9.3	9.5	9.7	9.8	10.1	10.3	10.5	10.7
45–64	15.5	16.1	16.7	17.4	18.0	18.7	19.5	20.2
65+	45.1	46.7	48.2	49.8	51.5	53.3	55.0	56.6
Tota∣ 5–64	35.7	36.7	37.6	38.5	39.5	40.5	41.5	42.4
Tota⊺15–64	30.9	31.8	32.6	33.5	34.4	35.3	36.3	37.2
Total	80.8	83.3	85.9	88.4	91.0	93.7	96.4	99.0
Persons								
5–14	12.0	12.2	12.3	12.5	12.6	12.7	12.9	13.1
15–19	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5
20–29	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.5
30–44	18.0	18.3	18.7	19.0	19.3	19.7	20.1	20.5
45–64	29.4	30.5	31.7	33.0	34.3	35.6	36.9	38.3
65+	67.3	69.7	72.2	74.6	77.2	80.0	82.8	85.4
Tota∣ 5–64	70.9	72.8	74.6	76.4	78.2	80.1	82.0	83.9
Total 15-64	58.9	60.6	62.3	64.0	65.7	67.3	69.1	70.8
Total	138.2	142.6	146.8	151.1	155.4	160.1	164.7	169.2

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.6: Projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap ('000), by age and sex, Western Australia, 1996–2003

		Nι	ımber with	profound o	r severe ha	ndicap ^(b)		4.0 0.9 2.1 5.1 9.4 13.6 21.5 35.0				
Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003				
Males												
5–14	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0				
15–19	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9				
20–29	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1				
30–44	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1				
45–64	7.3	7.6	7.9	8.2	8.5	8.8	9.1	9.4				
65+	10.8	11.1	11.5	11.8	12.3	12.7	13.2	13.6				
Total 5-64	18.8	19.2	19.5	19.9	20.3	20.7	21.1	21.5				
Total 15–64	14.9	15.3	15.6	16.0	16.4	16.7	17.1	17.5				
Total	29.5	30.3	31.0	31.7	32.5	33.4	34.2	35.0				
Females												
5–14	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7				
15–19	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9				
20–29	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4				
30–44	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.5				
45–64	8.1	8.4	8.7	9.0	9.4	9.7	10.1	10.4				
65+	22.4	23.0	23.7	24.3	25.1	25.9	26.6	27.2				
Total 5-64	19.0	19.4	19.8	20.2	20.6	21.1	21.5	22.0				
Tota∣ 15–64	16.4	16.8	17.2	17.6	18.0	18.4	18.9	19.3				
Total	41.3	42.4	43.5	44.5	45.7	46.9	48.1	49.2				
Persons												
5–14	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6				
15–19	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8				
20–29	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5				
30–44	9.8	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.4	10.5	10.6				
45–64	15.4	16.0	16.6	17.2	17.8	18.5	19.2	19.8				
65+	33.1	34.2	35.1	36.1	37.3	38.6	39.7	40.8				
Tota∣ 5–64	37.7	38.5	39.3	40.1	40.9	41.7	42.6	43.4				
Total 15–64	31.2	32.0	32.8	33.6	34.4	35.2	36.0	36.8				
Total	70.9	72.7	74.5	76.2	78.2	80.3	82.3	84.2				

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.7: Projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap ('000), by age and sex, South Australia, 1996–2003

		Nι	ımber with	profound o	r severe ha	ndicap ^(b)		_
Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
15–19	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
20-29	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
30–44	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0
45-64	6.2	6.4	6.5	6.7	6.9	7.1	7.3	7.5
65+	11.7	12.0	12.4	12.7	13.1	13.5	13.8	14.1
Tota 5-64	15.3	15.4	15.6	15.7	15.9	16.1	16.3	16.4
Total 15-64	12.3	12.5	12.6	12.8	13.0	13.2	13.3	13.5
Total	27.0	27.5	28.0	28.5	29.0	29.5	30.1	30.5
Females								
5-14	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
15–19	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
20-29	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
30-44	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2
45-64	7.2	7.4	7.5	7.7	7.9	8.1	8.4	8.6
65+	25.5	26.1	26.7	27.3	27.9	28.6	29.1	29.7
Total 5-64	15.8	15.9	16.1	16.3	16.5	16.7	16.9	17.1
Total 15-64	13.8	13.9	14.1	14.3	14.5	14.7	14.9	15.1
Total	41.3	42.1	42.8	43.6	44.4	45.2	46.0	46.7
Persons								
5–14	5.0	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
15–19	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
20-29	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1
30-44	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2
45–64	13.5	13.7	14.1	14.4	14.8	15.2	15.6	16.0
65+	37.3	38.2	39.1	40.0	41.0	42.0	42.9	43.8
Tota 5-64	31.1	31.4	31.7	32.0	32.4	32.7	33.1	33.5
Total 15-64	26.1	26.4	26.7	27.1	27.5	27.9	28.3	28.6
Total	68.3	69.6	70.8	72.0	73.4	74.8	76.1	77.3

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.8: Projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap ('000), by age and sex, Tasmania, 1996–2003

		Nι	ımber with	profound o	r severe ha	ndicap ^(b)		1.0 0.2 0.5 1.2 2.4 4.1 5.3						
Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003						
Males														
5–14	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0						
15–19	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2						
20-29	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5						
30–44	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2						
45-64	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.4						
65+	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1						
Tota 5-64	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3						
Total 15-64	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3						
Total	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.9	9.0	9.2	9.3						
Females														
5-14	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7						
15–19	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2						
20-29	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5						
30-44	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3						
45-64	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.7						
65+	7.3	7.5	7.7	7.8	8.0	8.2	8.4	8.6						
Total 5-64	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.5						
Total 15-64	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8						
Total	12.4	12.6	12.8	13.0	13.3	13.5	13.8	14.0						
Persons														
5-14	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6						
15-19	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5						
20-29	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0						
30–44	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5						
45–64	4.3	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.9	5.0	5.2						
65+	10.7	11.0	11.2	11.5	11.7	12.1	12.4	12.6						
Tota 5-64	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.3	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.7						
Total 15-64	8.3	8.4	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8	9.0	9.1						
Total	20.8	21.1	21.4	21.8	22.1	22.6	23.0	23.4						

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.9: Projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap ('000), by age and sex, Australian Capital Territory, 1996–2003

		Nι	ımber with	profound o	r severe ha	ndicap ^(b)		
Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
15-19	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
20-29	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
30–44	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
45-64	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5
65+	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6
Total 5-64	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6
Total 15-64	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.0
Total	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.2
Females								
5-14	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
15–19	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
20–29	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
30-44	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0
45-64	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7
65+	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.3
Total 5-64	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.8
Total 15-64	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3
Total	5.9	6.0	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.7	6.9	7.1
Persons								
5-14	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
15-19	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
20–29	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
30–44	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9
45–64	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.2
65+	3.7	3.8	4.0	4.1	4.3	4.5	4.7	4.9
Tota∣ 5–64	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.3	7.4
Total 15-64	5.5	5.6	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.2	6.4
Total	10.3	10.6	10.8	11.1	11.4	11.7	12.0	12.3

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.10: Projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap ('000), by age and sex, Northern Territory, 1996–2003

		Nι	ımber with	profound o	r severe ha	ndicap ^(b)		
Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
15–19	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
20-29	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3
30–44	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
45–64	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9
65+	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5
Total 5-64	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2
Total 15-64	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7
Total	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.7
Females								
5-14	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
15–19	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
20–29	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
30–44	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
45–64	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9
65+	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7
Total 5-64	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2
Total 15-64	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9
Total	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.9
Persons								
5-14	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
15-19	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
20–29	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
30–44	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
45–64	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8
65+	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.2
Tota 5-64	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.4
Total 15-64	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.6
Total	4.6	4.8	4.9	5.0	5.2	5.3	5.5	5.6

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.11: Changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, by age and sex, Australia, 1996–2003

		% ch	anges in nui	mber with pr	ofound or se	evere handic	ap ^(b)	
Age	1996–1997	1997–1998	1998–1999	1999–2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997–2003
Males								
5–14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	0.8	0.2	-0.2	-0.8	-1.3	-1.3	-0.6	-3.9
30–44	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.6	5.1
45-64	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	19.5
65+	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.1	2.9	20.1
Total 5-64	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	9.5
Total 15-64	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.7	11.1
Total	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.1	13.7
Females								
5–14	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	0.6	0.1	-0.5	-0.9	-1.4	-1.3	-0.6	-4.5
30-44	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.2	0.7	6.5
45-64	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	19.5
65+	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.2	16.0
Total 5-64	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	10.4
Total 15-64	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	11.5
Total	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.1	2.0	13.7
Persons								
5–14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.3
20-29	0.7	0.1	-0.3	-0.9	-1.3	-1.3	-0.6	-4.2
30–44	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.1	0.6	5.8
45–64	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	19.5
65+	2.9	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.1	2.6	2.4	17.3
Total 5-64	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	9.9
Total 15-64	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	11.3
Total	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.0	13.7

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.12: Changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, by age and sex, New South Wales, 1996–2003

		% ch	anges in nu	mber with pr	ofound or se	evere handic	ap ^(b)	3.6 3.2 –5.1						
Age	1996–1997	1997–1998	1998–1999	1999–2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997–2003						
Males														
5-14	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.7	3.6						
15–19	0.7	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.2	0.1	0.2	3.2						
20-29	0.5	0.0	-0.3	-0.9	-1.5	-1.6	-1.0	-5.1						
30–44	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.4	4.2						
45-64	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	18.2						
65+	3.3	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.1	2.9	19.9						
Total 5-64	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	8.8						
Total 15-64	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	10.0						
Total	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.0	13.3						
Females														
5–14	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.6	3.3						
15–19	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.5	4.2						
20-29	0.6	0.1	-0.5	-1.0	-1.6	-1.4	-0.8	-5.2						
30–44	0.9	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.4	1.2	0.6	6.0						
45-64	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.8	17.6						
65+	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.8	2.3	2.0	15.0						
Total 5-64	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.5	9.4						
Total 15-64	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.6	10.4						
Total	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.0	1.8	12.8						
Persons														
5–14	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.6	3.5						
15–19	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.3	0.2	0.3	3.7						
20-29	0.6	0.0	-0.4	-1.0	-1.6	-1.5	-0.9	-5.2						
30–44	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.5	5.2						
45-64	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	17.8						
65+	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.9	2.6	2.3	16.6						
Tota 5-64	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	9.1						
Total 15-64	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	10.2						
Total	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.1	1.9	13.0						

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.13: Changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, by age and sex, Victoria, 1996–2003

		% cha	anges in nun	nber with pr	ofound or s	evere handi	cap ^(b)	
Age	1996–1997	1997–1998	1998–1999	1999–2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002–2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	1.5
15–19	-0.2	0.2	0.2	0.6	0.0	0.3	0.0	1.3
20-29	0.2	-0.3	-1.0	-1.5	-1.9	-2.0	-1.2	-7.6
30-44	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.2	3.0
45-64	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.6	16.3
65+	2.9	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.1	2.7	2.4	17.5
Total 5-64	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	6.9
Total 15-64	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3	8.2
Total	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.7	11.2
Females								
5-14	0.3	0.4	0.3	-0.1	0.2	0.4	0.1	1.4
15–19	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.8	-0.1	-0.1	0.4	1.2
20-29	-0.2	-0.7	-1.2	-1.6	-2.1	-2.0	-1.3	-8.6
30-44	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.3	4.3
45-64	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.7	16.8
65+	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.7	2.1	1.9	13.9
Tota 5-64	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	7.8
Total 15-64	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.4	8.8
Total	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.1	1.8	1.6	11.4
Persons								
5-14	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.2	1.4
15–19	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.2	1.2
20-29	0.0	-0.5	-1.1	-1.6	-2.0	-2.0	-1.3	-8.1
30–44	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.2	3.7
45-64	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.6	16.6
65+	2.5	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.8	2.3	2.0	15.0
Total 5-64	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.2	7.4
Total 15-64	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	8.5
Total	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.6	11.3

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.14: Changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, by age and sex, Queensland, 1996–2003

		% cha	anges in nur	nber with pi	ofound or s	evere handi	cap ^(b))						
Age	1996–1997	1997–1998	1998–1999	1999–2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002–2003	1997-2003						
Males														
5-14	1.4	1.2	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.4	7.3						
15–19	1.8	2.3	1.8	1.7	1.1	0.6	0.1	7.8						
20-29	2.0	1.0	0.7	0.1	-0.3	-0.4	0.1	1.2						
30-44	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.6	10.7						
45-64	4.1	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.7	3.6	24.9						
65+	3.9	3.6	3.6	3.8	4.0	3.9	3.5	24.6						
Total 5-64	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.2	14.6						
Total 15-64	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.4	16.4						
Total	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.7	18.5						
Females														
5–14	1.7	1.0	1.1	0.8	1.2	1.4	1.5	7.1						
15–19	1.5	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.3	0.8	0.1	8.3						
20-29	1.6	0.9	0.3	-0.4	-0.8	-0.7	-0.1	-0.8						
30-44	2.1	1.8	1.8	2.1	2.3	2.2	1.7	12.5						
45–64	3.9	3.9	4.0	3.9	3.9	3.8	3.8	25.7						
65+	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.0	21.3						
Total 5-64	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	15.7						
Total 15-64	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	17.0						
Total	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.1	2.9	2.7	18.8						
Persons														
5-14	1.5	1.1	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.4	7.2						
15–19	1.6	2.2	1.8	1.9	1.2	0.7	0.1	8.0						
20-29	1.7	1.0	0.5	-0.2	-0.6	-0.6	0.0	0.1						
30-44	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.6	11.6						
45-64	4.0	3.9	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	25.3						
65+	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.7	3.4	3.1	22.4						
Total 5-64	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	15.1						
Total 15-64	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	16.7						
Total	3.2	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.7	18.7						

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.15: Changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, by age and sex, Western Australia, 1996–2003

		% ch	anges in nu	mber with p	rofound or s	evere handi	cap ^(b)	
Age	1996–1997	1997–1998	1998–1999	1999–2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002–2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.3	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.7	2.0
15–19	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.7	1.2	1.1	0.3	7.4
20-29	1.9	1.3	0.5	0.1	-0.5	-0.4	0.6	1.7
30-44	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	0.9	6.6
45-64	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.4	23.7
65+	3.3	3.1	3.1	3.7	3.7	3.4	3.2	22.0
Total 5-64	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.9	12.0
Total 15-64	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	14.5
Total	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.4	15.7
Females								
5-14	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.4	0.8	0.9	2.6
15–19	1.4	1.5	1.3	2.2	1.4	0.9	0.5	8.0
20-29	1.8	1.1	0.8	0.3	-0.3	-0.3	0.6	2.2
30–44	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.0	7.1
45-64	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.6	3.6	3.4	24.0
65+	3.1	2.7	2.7	3.1	3.3	2.7	2.4	18.0
Total 5-64	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.0	13.3
Total 15-64	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.2	14.9
Total	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.4	2.3	15.9
Persons								
5-14	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.7	2.3
15–19	1.4	1.4	1.4	2.0	1.3	1.0	0.4	7.7
20-29	1.8	1.2	0.7	0.2	-0.4	-0.3	0.6	1.9
30-44	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.4	0.9	6.8
45-64	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.4	23.9
65+	3.2	2.8	2.8	3.3	3.4	2.9	2.7	19.3
Tota 5-64	2.2	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.0	12.6
Total 15-64	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	14.7
Total	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.3	15.8

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.16: Changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, by age and sex, South Australia, 1996–2003

		% cha	inges in nun	nber with pr	ofound or s	evere handi	cap ^(b)	
Age	1996–1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002–2003	1997–2003
Males								
5-14	-0.2	-0.1	-0.6	-0.3	-0.5	-0.2	-0.3	-2.0
15–19	0.0	1.2	1.6	1.3	0.8	0.0	-0.3	4.6
20-29	-0.7	-1.2	-1.3	-1.8	-2.0	-1.6	-0.8	-8.4
30-44	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.2	-0.2	1.7
45-64	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.7	17.0
65+	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.4	2.3	17.2
Total 5-64	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.0	6.4
Total 15-64	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	8.4
Total	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.6	11.1
Females								
5-14	-0.3	0.1	-0.3	-0.3	-0.3	-0.2	-0.1	-1.1
15–19	0.7	1.1	2.0	1.6	0.4	-0.1	-0.6	4.5
20-29	-0.7	-1.1	-1.5	-1.7	-1.6	-1.3	-0.7	-7.6
30-44	0.1	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.2	-0.1	1.8
45-64	2.0	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.5	16.2
65+	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.4	1.9	1.8	13.5
Total 5-64	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.1	7.1
Total 15-64	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	8.3
Total	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.0	1.7	1.6	11.1
Persons								
5-14	-0.2	-0.1	-0.5	-0.3	-0.4	-0.2	-0.2	-1.7
15–19	0.4	1.1	1.8	1.5	0.6	-0.1	-0.5	4.5
20-29	-0.7	-1.1	-1.4	-1.7	-1.8	-1.4	-0.8	-8.0
30–44	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.2	-0.1	1.8
45-64	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.6	16.6
65+	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.1	2.0	14.6
Tota 5-64	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.1	6.8
Total 15-64	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	8.4
Total	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.6	11.1

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.17: Changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, by age and sex, Tasmania, 1996-2003

		% ch	anges in nui	mber with p	rofound or s	evere handi	cap ^(b)	
Age	1996–1997	1997–1998	1998–1999	1999–2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002–2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	-1.1	-0.9	-0.3	-1.0	-0.8	-0.8	-0.5	-4.3
15–19	0.6	1.4	0.3	1.5	-0.2	-0.3	-1.5	1.2
20-29	-0.2	-0.6	-1.0	-1.6	-1.8	-1.3	-0.5	-6.8
30-44	-0.6	-0.3	0.2	0.1	-0.2	-0.3	-0.7	-1.2
45-64	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.7	2.9	3.0	2.8	17.9
65+	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.2	2.8	2.7	2.7	16.2
Total 5-64	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.9	5.6
Total 15-64	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.2	8.1
Total	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.7	1.7	1.7	10.0
Females								
5-14	-0.8	-1.0	-0.9	-0.6	-1.2	-0.9	-0.8	-5.3
15–19	1.0	0.9	1.1	2.1	0.0	-0.6	-0.6	2.9
20-29	-1.1	-1.1	-1.2	-1.6	-1.6	-1.5	-0.6	-7.3
30-44	-0.1	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.0	-0.5	-0.1
45-64	2.3	2.4	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.7	17.4
65+	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.6	2.2	2.1	14.4
Total 5-64	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	6.5
Total 15-64	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	8.4
Total	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.7	11.2
Persons								
5-14	-1.0	-0.9	-0.6	-0.8	-1.0	-0.8	-0.6	-4.7
15–19	0.8	1.1	0.7	1.8	-0.1	-0.4	-1.0	2.1
20-29	-0.7	-0.9	-1.1	-1.6	-1.7	-1.4	-0.6	-7.1
30-44	-0.3	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0	-0.1	-0.6	-0.6
45-64	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.7	17.6
65+	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.7	2.4	2.3	15.0
Total 5-64	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	6.1
Total 15-64	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.2	8.3
Total	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.7	10.7

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.18: Changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, by age and sex, Australian Capital Territory, 1996–2003

		% ch	anges in nui	mber with p	rofound or s	evere handi	cap ^(b)	
Age	1996–1997	1997–1998	1998–1999	1999–2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002–2003	1997-2003
Males								
5–14	-0.1	-0.2	-1.0	-0.9	-0.2	0.4	0.5	-1.4
15–19	0.6	0.3	0.0	-0.2	-0.5	-0.5	-1.1	-2.0
20-29	2.4	2.4	2.1	0.8	-0.4	-1.9	-1.3	1.6
30-44	0.2	0.6	0.6	1.7	2.1	2.6	2.5	10.4
45-64	3.7	3.1	3.3	2.8	3.0	3.6	2.9	20.3
65+	4.2	4.5	4.1	4.9	5.3	4.1	4.3	30.4
Total 5-64	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.9	1.7	10.1
Total 15–64	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.2	1.9	12.9
Total	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.5	2.5	15.6
Females								
5–14	-0.3	-0.5	-0.1	-0.3	-0.2	0.4	0.8	0.2
15–19	-0.1	-0.2	-1.0	-0.9	-1.8	-1.2	-1.0	-6.1
20-29	2.5	2.5	1.8	1.3	0.0	-1.1	-1.5	3.0
30-44	-0.2	0.1	0.5	1.1	1.9	2.3	2.3	8.5
45-64	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.1	2.7	3.3	3.1	20.4
65+	4.2	3.7	3.8	4.1	4.7	4.0	3.8	26.8
Tota∣ 5–64	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.9	1.8	10.9
Total 15-64	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.8	2.0	2.0	12.4
Total	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.0	2.8	2.8	17.8
Persons								
5-14	-0.2	-0.3	-0.6	-0.7	-0.2	0.4	0.6	-0.8
15–19	0.2	0.0	-0.6	-0.6	-1.2	-0.9	-1.0	-4.1
20-29	2.5	2.5	1.9	1.1	-0.2	-1.5	-1.4	2.3
30-44	0.0	0.3	0.6	1.4	2.0	2.4	2.4	9.5
45-64	3.6	3.3	3.3	2.9	2.9	3.4	3.0	20.4
65+	4.2	4.0	3.9	4.4	4.9	4.0	4.0	28.0
Total 5-64	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.9	1.8	10.5
Total 15-64	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.0	12.6
Total	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.6	16.9

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.19: Changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, by age and sex, Northern Territory, 1996–2003

		% ch	anges in nui	mber with p	rofound or s	evere handi	cap ^(b)	
Age	1996–1997	1997–1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	1.4	0.5	1.3	0.2	0.8	0.4	0.1	3.4
15–19	1.7	2.8	0.6	1.2	0.0	0.6	0.8	6.3
20-29	2.1	1.1	1.2	0.9	1.2	1.3	1.8	7.7
30-44	0.4	-0.5	-0.3	-0.2	-0.2	0.1	-0.2	-1.3
45-64	4.9	4.9	4.6	4.2	4.1	3.7	3.5	27.7
65+	5.5	4.5	4.1	5.3	8.1	6.1	6.0	39.2
Total 5-64	2.4	1.9	2.0	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.5	11.0
Total 15-64	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	13.3
Total	2.8	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.8	2.4	2.3	15.2
Females								
5–14	1.9	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.4	-0.2	0.5	3.2
15–19	3.4	3.8	3.7	2.0	0.6	0.3	-0.8	9.9
20-29	0.1	-0.5	-1.2	-1.6	-0.8	1.0	1.3	-1.8
30-44	1.6	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.7	0.6	0.3	6.5
45-64	5.7	5.2	5.3	5.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	35.2
65+	5.0	5.4	4.0	4.3	7.0	5.6	5.1	35.8
Total 5-64	2.9	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.2	14.8
Total 15-64	3.1	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.5	17.1
Total	3.4	3.0	2.7	2.9	3.4	3.0	2.9	19.4
Persons								
5-14	1.6	0.6	1.1	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.3	3.3
15–19	2.5	3.3	2.2	1.6	0.3	0.5	0.0	8.1
20-29	1.0	0.2	-0.1	-0.4	0.1	1.1	1.5	2.5
30–44	1.0	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.0	2.7
45-64	5.3	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.5	4.3	4.2	31.4
65+	5.2	5.0	4.1	4.7	7.5	5.8	5.5	37.2
Total 5-64	2.6	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.9	12.9
Total 15-64	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.2	15.3
Total	3.1	2.7	2.5	2.6	3.1	2.7	2.6	17.4

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers.

Table A4.20: Intellectual disability group: projected population $^{(a)}$ of persons with a profound or severe handicap $^{(b)}$ ('000), by age and sex, Australia, $^{(c)}$ 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5-14	22.5	22.6	22.7	22.8	22.9	23.0	23.2	23.3
15–19	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8
20-29	10.0	10.0	10.0	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.7	9.7
30-44	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.9	7.9
45-64	10.1	10.4	10.6	10.9	11.2	11.5	11.8	12.1
65+	26.3	27.2	28.1	29.1	30.2	31.3	32.3	33.3
Tota∣ 5–64	54.7	55.1	55.5	55.9	56.3	56.8	57.3	57.9
Total 15-64	32.2	32.5	32.8	33.1	33.4	33.8	34.2	34.6
Total	80.9	82.3	83.6	85.0	86.5	88.1	89.6	91.1
Females								
5-14	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.9
15–19	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8
20-29	9.4	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.3	9.1	9.1	9.0
30–44	10.8	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.3	11.4
45–64	9.3	9.6	9.8	10.1	10.4	10.7	10.9	11.2
65+	57.9	59.9	61.7	63.8	66.0	68.4	70.5	72.4
Total 5–64	46.5	46.9	47.4	47.8	48.2	48.5	48.9	49.3
Total 15–64	35.9	36.3	36.7	37.1	37.5	37.8	38.1	38.4
Total	104.4	106.8	109.1	111.6	114.1	116.9	119.4	121.7
Persons								
5-14	33.0	33.2	33.4	33.5	33.6	33.8	34.0	34.2
15–19	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.4	11.5	11.6	11.6	11.6
20–29	19.5	19.4	19.4	19.3	19.1	18.9	18.8	18.7
30–44	18.2	18.3	18.4	18.5	18.7	19.0	19.2	19.3
45-64	19.5	19.9	20.5	21.0	21.5	22.1	22.7	23.3
65+	84.2	87.1	89.9	92.9	96.1	99.7	102.8	105.6
Tota∣ 5–64	101.2	102.0	102.9	103.6	104.5	105.3	106.2	107.1
Total 15-64	68.1	68.8	69.5	70.2	70.9	71.6	72.3	72.9
Total	185.3	189.1	192.7	196.5	200.6	205.0	209.0	212.8

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.21: Learning disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia, ^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5-14	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0
15–19	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
20-29	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
30–44	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
45-64	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
65+	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total 5-64	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3
Total 15–64	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
Total	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3
Females								
5-14	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9
15–19	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
20–29	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
30-44	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2
45-64	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
65+	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
Total 5-64	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6
Total 15-64	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7
Total	6.6	6.7	6.8	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.1
Persons								
5-14	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9
15–19	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
20–29	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0
30-44	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6
45-64	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
65+	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
Total 5-64	10.4	10.5	10.6	10.6	10.7	10.7	10.8	10.9
Total 15-64	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	5.0	5.0
Total	11.8	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.2	12.3	12.4

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.22: Psychiatric disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia, ^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.2
15–19	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5
20-29	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.0	8.9	8.8
30–44	11.8	11.9	12.0	12.1	12.2	12.4	12.6	12.7
45-64	19.8	20.4	21.0	21.6	22.2	22.8	23.4	24.0
65+	36.6	38.0	39.3	40.8	42.3	44.0	45.5	47.0
Total 5–64	51.0	51.8	52.5	53.2	54.0	54.7	55.5	56.2
Total 15–64	44.1	44.8	45.5	46.2	46.9	47.7	48.4	49.0
Total	87.6	89.8	91.8	94.0	96.3	98.7	101.0	103.2
Females								
5–14	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3
15–19	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5
20-29	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.3
30–44	15.8	15.9	16.1	16.2	16.4	16.6	16.8	16.9
45-64	21.1	21.8	22.4	23.1	23.8	24.6	25.3	26.0
65+	82.5	85.1	87.5	90.2	92.9	95.9	98.4	100.8
Total 5-64	52.9	53.8	54.8	55.6	56.5	57.3	58.1	59.0
Total 15–64	47.8	48.7	49.6	50.5	51.3	52.1	52.9	53.7
Total	135.4	138.9	142.3	145.8	149.4	153.2	156.6	159.8
Persons								
5–14	12.0	12.1	12.1	12.2	12.2	12.3	12.3	12.4
15–19	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.0
20-29	16.7	16.9	16.9	16.8	16.7	16.5	16.3	16.2
30–44	27.6	27.8	28.0	28.3	28.6	29.0	29.4	29.6
45-64	40.9	42.1	43.4	44.7	46.1	47.4	48.7	50.0
65+	119.2	123.1	126.9	130.9	135.2	139.9	144.0	147.8
Tota 5-64	103.8	105.6	107.3	108.9	110.5	112.1	113.6	115.1
Total 15-64	91.8	93.5	95.1	96.7	98.3	99.8	101.3	102.7
Total	223.0	228.7	234.1	239.8	245.7	251.9	257.6	262.9

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.23: Acquired brain injury disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5-14	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.7
15-19	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
20-29	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.2
30-44	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.8
45-64	20.3	20.9	21.4	22.0	22.7	23.4	24.1	24.8
65+	40.2	41.5	42.7	44.1	45.5	47.1	48.5	49.9
Total 5-64	42.8	43.6	44.2	44.9	45.7	46.4	47.2	47.9
Total 15–64	35.4	36.1	36.8	37.5	38.1	38.8	39.5	40.3
Total	83.0	85.0	87.0	89.0	91.2	93.4	95.7	97.8
Females								
5-14	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.6
15–19	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5
20-29	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5
30-44	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.8
45-64	14.9	15.4	15.9	16.4	16.8	17.3	17.8	18.2
65+	55.4	56.9	58.4	59.9	61.5	63.3	64.9	66.4
Total 5-64	35.6	36.2	36.8	37.4	38.0	38.6	39.1	39.6
Total 15-64	29.2	29.8	30.4	31.0	31.5	32.1	32.6	33.1
Total	91.0	93.1	95.2	97.3	99.5	101.9	104.0	106.0
Persons								
5-14	13.7	13.8	13.9	13.9	14.0	14.0	14.1	14.2
15-19	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	3.9	3.9
20–29	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.0	8.9	8.8	8.7
30-44	16.7	16.9	17.0	17.1	17.3	17.4	17.5	17.6
45-64	35.2	36.2	37.3	38.4	39.5	40.7	41.9	43.1
65+	95.6	98.4	101.1	104.0	107.0	110.4	113.4	116.3
Total 5-64	78.4	79.8	81.1	82.3	83.6	84.9	86.3	87.6
Total 15-64	64.7	65.9	67.2	68.4	69.7	70.9	72.1	73.3
Total	174.0	178.2	182.2	186.3	190.7	195.3	199.7	203.8

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.24: Visual disability group: projected population $^{(a)}$ of persons with a profound or severe handicap $^{(b)}$ ('000), by age and sex, Australia, $^{(c)}$ 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males	,							
5-14	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3
15–19	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4
20–29	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
30–44	8.5	8.5	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.9
45–64	5.9	6.1	6.2	6.3	6.5	6.7	6.9	7.2
65+	31.9	33.1	34.3	35.6	37.0	38.4	39.8	41.0
Total 5–64	19.0	19.2	19.4	19.6	19.9	20.2	20.5	20.8
Total 15–64	16.8	17.0	17.2	17.4	17.7	17.9	18.2	18.5
Total	50.8	52.3	53.7	55.2	56.9	58.6	60.3	61.8
Females								
5-14	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3
15–19	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
20–29	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8
30–44	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
45-64	6.8	6.9	7.1	7.3	7.5	7.7	8.0	8.2
65+	75.8	78.0	80.2	82.5	84.9	87.7	90.0	92.2
Total 5–64	15.7	15.9	16.2	16.5	16.7	16.9	17.2	17.4
Total 15-64	12.5	12.8	13.0	13.2	13.5	13.7	13.9	14.1
Total	91.4	94.0	96.4	99.0	101.6	104.6	107.2	109.6
Persons								
5-14	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5	5.5	5.6
15–19	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1
20-29	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.8
30-44	10.8	10.8	10.9	11.0	11.1	11.2	11.3	11.3
45-64	12.7	13.0	13.3	13.6	14.0	14.4	14.9	15.4
65+	107.6	111.1	114.5	118.1	121.9	126.1	129.8	133.2
Total 5–64	34.7	35.2	35.6	36.1	36.6	37.1	37.7	38.2
Total 15–64	29.3	29.8	30.2	30.7	31.1	31.6	32.1	32.6
Total	142.3	146.3	150.1	154.2	158.5	163.2	167.5	171.4

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.25: Hearing disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3
15–19	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
20-29	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
30–44	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
45-64	19.0	19.5	20.0	20.6	21.2	21.9	22.6	23.4
65+	52.8	54.6	56.4	58.3	60.5	62.8	65.1	67.1
Total 5-64	29.3	29.9	30.5	31.1	31.8	32.5	33.3	34.1
Total 15-64	25.2	25.7	26.3	26.9	27.6	28.3	29.1	29.8
Total	82.1	84.5	86.9	89.4	92.3	95.4	98.4	101.2
Females								
5–14	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.5
15-19	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
20-29	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.5
30-44	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.2	7.2
45-64	12.7	12.9	13.2	13.6	14.0	14.4	14.9	15.4
65+	101.6	105.0	108.3	111.9	115.6	119.7	123.2	126.4
Total 5-64	28.9	29.3	29.7	30.1	30.6	31.1	31.6	32.2
Total 15-64	23.6	23.9	24.3	24.7	25.1	25.6	26.2	26.7
Total	130.5	134.3	137.9	142.0	146.1	150.8	154.8	158.6
Persons								
5–14	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.8
15–19	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2
20-29	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0
30-44	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.1	10.2	10.4	10.5
45-64	31.6	32.4	33.2	34.1	35.2	36.3	37.5	38.8
65+	154.4	159.6	164.7	170.1	176.1	182.5	188.3	193.5
Total 5-64	58.2	59.2	60.2	61.2	62.4	63.6	65.0	66.3
Total 15-64	48.8	49.7	50.6	51.6	52.7	53.9	55.2	56.5
Total	212.6	218.8	224.8	231.4	238.4	246.1	253.2	259.8

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.26: Speech disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males	,							
5–14	12.8	12.9	12.9	13.0	13.0	13.1	13.2	13.3
15–19	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
20-29	10.3	10.3	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.0	9.9
30–44	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.5
45-64	8.6	8.8	9.0	9.3	9.5	9.7	10.0	10.2
65+	21.6	22.4	23.1	23.9	24.7	25.6	26.4	27.2
Total 5-64	40.7	41.1	41.4	41.7	41.9	42.2	42.4	42.7
Total 15–64	27.9	28.2	28.5	28.7	28.9	29.1	29.3	29.5
Total	62.3	63.4	64.5	65.6	66.7	67.8	68.9	69.9
Females								
5-14	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.0
15–19	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7
20-29	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.1
30-44	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.1	6.1
45-64	6.4	6.6	6.8	7.0	7.3	7.5	7.7	7.9
65+	35.0	36.0	37.0	38.0	39.1	40.4	41.6	42.6
Total 5-64	29.6	30.0	30.3	30.6	30.9	31.2	31.5	31.8
Total 15–64	20.9	21.2	21.5	21.8	22.0	22.3	22.6	22.8
Total	64.6	66.0	67.3	68.6	70.0	71.6	73.1	74.4
Persons								
5–14	21.5	21.6	21.7	21.8	21.9	22.0	22.1	22.2
15–19	6.3	6.3	6.4	6.4	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.6
20-29	15.6	15.7	15.6	15.6	15.4	15.3	15.1	15.0
30-44	12.0	12.0	12.1	12.1	12.2	12.4	12.5	12.6
45-64	15.0	15.4	15.9	16.3	16.8	17.2	17.6	18.1
65+	56.6	58.4	60.1	61.9	63.8	66.1	68.0	69.8
Tota 5-64	70.3	71.0	71.7	72.3	72.8	73.4	73.9	74.5
Total 15-64	48.8	49.4	50.0	50.5	51.0	51.4	51.8	52.3
Total	126.9	129.4	131.8	134.1	136.7	139.4	141.9	144.3

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.27: Circulatory disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
15–19	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
20–29	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.6
30–44	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
45-64	20.9	21.4	22.0	22.6	23.3	24.1	24.9	25.6
65+	56.4	58.3	60.2	62.2	64.4	66.8	69.0	71.1
Total 5-64	27.6	28.2	28.8	29.5	30.2	30.9	31.6	32.4
Total 15-64	26.9	27.6	28.2	28.9	29.6	30.3	31.0	31.7
Total	83.9	86.6	89.1	91.7	94.6	97.7	100.7	103.5
Females								
5-14	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
15–19	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
20-29	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0
30–44	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.9
45–64	20.4	20.9	21.4	22.1	22.8	23.5	24.4	25.3
65+	135.9	139.5	143.0	146.5	150.2	154.6	158.2	161.7
Total 5–64	29.6	30.1	30.7	31.4	32.1	32.9	33.9	34.8
Total 15-64	28.3	28.8	29.4	30.1	30.8	31.6	32.6	33.5
Total	165.5	169.7	173.7	177.9	182.4	187.5	192.1	196.5
Persons								
5–14	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0
15–19	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
20–29	5.8	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.6	5.6
30–44	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.0
45-64	41.3	42.3	43.4	44.7	46.1	47.6	49.2	50.9
65+	192.3	197.9	203.2	208.7	214.7	221.4	227.3	232.8
Total 5-64	57.1	58.3	59.5	60.9	62.4	63.8	65.5	67.2
Total 15-64	55.3	56.4	57.6	59.0	60.4	61.9	63.6	65.2
Total	249.4	256.2	262.7	269.6	277.0	285.2	292.8	300.0

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.28: Respiratory disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	14.3	14.4	14.5	14.5	14.6	14.6	14.7	14.8
15–19	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4
20-29	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2
30–44	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6
45-64	10.7	11.0	11.2	11.5	11.8	12.2	12.6	13.0
65+	20.9	21.4	22.0	22.6	23.2	23.8	24.4	25.0
Total 5-64	34.8	35.3	35.7	36.1	36.5	37.0	37.5	37.9
Total 15–64	20.5	20.8	21.2	21.6	22.0	22.3	22.7	23.1
Total	55.7	56.7	57.7	58.6	59.7	60.7	61.9	62.9
Females								
5-14	9.3	9.4	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.6	9.7
15–19	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
20-29	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7
30-44	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.7	7.8	7.9	8.0
45-64	16.5	17.0	17.5	18.1	18.6	19.2	19.8	20.3
65+	34.4	35.1	35.8	36.4	37.0	37.9	38.6	39.4
Total 5-64	39.7	40.4	41.0	41.7	42.3	43.0	43.7	44.4
Total 15-64	30.4	31.0	31.6	32.2	32.8	33.5	34.1	34.7
Total	74.2	75.5	76.8	78.0	79.3	80.9	82.4	83.8
Persons								
5-14	23.7	23.8	23.9	24.0	24.1	24.2	24.3	24.5
15–19	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1
20-29	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.0	6.9	6.8
30-44	10.7	10.8	10.9	11.0	11.2	11.4	11.5	11.6
45-64	27.3	28.0	28.8	29.6	30.5	31.4	32.4	33.3
65+	55.3	56.6	57.8	58.9	60.2	61.7	63.0	64.3
Tota 5-64	74.5	75.6	76.7	77.7	78.8	80.0	81.2	82.4
Total 15-64	50.9	51.8	52.8	53.7	54.8	55.8	56.8	57.9
Total	129.8	132.2	134.4	136.7	139.0	141.6	144.2	146.7

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.29: Arthritis disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
15–19	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
20–29	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1
30–44	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5
45-64	29.9	30.8	31.7	32.6	33.7	34.7	35.8	37.0
65+	48.3	49.9	51.4	53.0	54.8	56.7	58.6	60.3
Total 5-64	39.9	40.9	41.9	43.0	44.0	45.1	46.2	47.3
Total 15–64	39.9	40.9	41.9	43.0	44.0	45.1	46.2	47.3
Total	88.2	90.8	93.3	96.0	98.8	101.8	104.7	107.6
Females								
5-14	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
15–19	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
20-29	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6
30-44	12.3	12.4	12.5	12.6	12.8	13.0	13.1	13.2
45-64	44.1	45.4	46.8	48.3	49.8	51.3	52.9	54.5
65+	138.6	142.3	145.8	149.5	153.1	157.2	160.6	163.8
Total 5-64	59.0	60.5	62.0	63.6	65.3	67.0	68.7	70.4
Total 15–64	58.9	60.3	61.9	63.4	65.1	66.8	68.5	70.2
Total	197.7	202.8	207.9	213.1	218.4	224.2	229.3	234.2
Persons								
5-14	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
15–19	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
20-29	3.8	3.9	4.0	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.8	3.7
30-44	19.4	19.7	19.8	20.0	20.2	20.4	20.6	20.8
45-64	74.0	76.2	78.5	80.9	83.4	86.0	88.7	91.5
65+	186.9	192.2	197.3	202.5	207.9	213.9	219.2	224.1
Total 5-64	98.9	101.5	104.0	106.6	109.3	112.0	114.9	117.7
Total 15-64	98.8	101.3	103.8	106.4	109.1	111.8	114.7	117.5
Total	285.9	293.7	301.2	309.1	317.2	325.9	334.0	341.8

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.30: Other musculoskeletal disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1
15–19	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
20-29	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.4	5.4
30–44	22.5	22.8	23.0	23.2	23.3	23.5	23.7	23.8
45-64	26.4	27.2	28.1	29.0	29.8	30.7	31.6	32.5
65+	26.6	27.4	28.1	28.9	29.7	30.6	31.4	32.3
Total 5–64	58.8	60.0	61.1	62.2	63.2	64.3	65.3	66.2
Total 15–64	55.8	56.9	58.0	59.1	60.2	61.2	62.2	63.1
Total	85.4	87.4	89.3	91.1	93.0	94.9	96.7	98.5
Females								
5–14	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1
15–19	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
20-29	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.9
30–44	21.5	21.7	21.9	22.2	22.4	22.7	22.9	23.0
45-64	22.6	23.2	23.9	24.6	25.3	26.0	26.8	27.5
65+	71.9	73.9	75.8	77.7	79.8	82.3	84.4	86.4
Total 5-64	54.1	55.1	56.1	57.0	58.0	58.9	59.8	60.7
Total 15-64	50.1	51.1	52.1	53.0	53.9	54.9	55.8	56.6
Total	126.0	129.0	131.8	134.7	137.7	141.2	144.2	147.1
Persons								
5–14	7.0	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.1	7.2	7.2
15–19	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5
20-29	9.6	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.4	9.3
30–44	44.0	44.5	44.9	45.3	45.8	46.2	46.6	46.9
45-64	48.9	50.4	52.0	53.6	55.2	56.8	58.4	60.0
65+	98.6	101.3	103.9	106.6	109.5	112.8	115.9	118.7
Total 5-64	112.9	115.1	117.2	119.2	121.2	123.2	125.1	126.9
Total 15-64	105.9	108.0	110.1	112.1	114.1	116.0	117.9	119.7
Total	211.5	216.4	221.1	225.8	230.7	236.0	241.0	245.6

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.31: Other physical disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5–14	14.6	14.7	14.8	14.8	14.8	14.9	15.0	15.1
15–19	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5
20-29	9.3	9.5	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.4	9.2	9.1
30–44	25.3	25.5	25.7	25.9	26.1	26.3	26.5	26.6
45-64	50.0	51.5	53.0	54.6	56.3	58.0	59.7	61.3
65+	89.5	92.4	95.2	98.1	101.3	104.7	108.0	111.2
Total 5-64	102.5	104.6	106.5	108.4	110.3	112.1	113.9	115.6
Total 15–64	88.0	89.9	91.8	93.6	95.4	97.2	98.9	100.5
Total	192.1	197.0	201.7	206.5	211.6	216.8	221.9	226.8
Females								
5–14	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.9	10.9	11.0	11.0	11.1
15–19	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6
20-29	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.5	10.4	10.3
30–44	25.6	25.8	26.1	26.3	26.6	27.0	27.3	27.4
45-64	57.7	59.3	61.1	62.9	64.8	66.8	68.8	70.9
65+	199.9	205.3	210.4	215.8	221.4	227.8	233.4	238.5
Total 5-64	108.1	110.2	112.2	114.3	116.5	118.7	121.0	123.3
Total 15-64	97.4	99.4	101.4	103.5	105.6	107.8	110.0	112.2
Total	308.0	315.5	322.7	330.1	337.9	346.6	354.4	361.8
Persons								
5–14	25.3	25.5	25.6	25.7	25.8	25.9	26.0	26.2
15–19	6.7	6.8	6.9	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.1	7.1
20-29	20.1	20.3	20.4	20.4	20.2	19.9	19.6	19.4
30–44	50.8	51.3	51.8	52.2	52.7	53.3	53.8	54.1
45-64	107.7	110.8	114.1	117.5	121.1	124.7	128.5	132.2
65+	289.4	297.7	305.6	313.9	322.6	332.6	341.4	349.7
Total 5-64	210.6	214.8	218.8	222.8	226.8	230.8	234.9	239.0
Total 15-64	185.3	189.3	193.2	197.1	201.1	204.9	208.9	212.8
Total	500.0	512.5	524.4	536.6	549.5	563.4	576.4	588.7

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.32: Neurological disability group: projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap^(b) ('000), by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Males								
5-14	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4
15–19	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
20-29	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7
30–44	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6
45–64	9.4	9.8	10.2	10.5	10.8	11.1	11.3	11.6
65+	11.4	11.8	12.0	12.3	12.7	13.1	13.4	13.8
Total 5-64	26.3	26.9	27.4	27.8	28.1	28.5	28.7	29.0
Total 15–64	22.1	22.6	23.1	23.5	23.8	24.1	24.4	24.6
Total	37.7	38.6	39.4	40.1	40.8	41.5	42.2	42.8
Females								
5-14	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2
15–19	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
20-29	6.9	6.9	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.6
30-44	8.7	8.8	8.8	8.9	9.1	9.2	9.4	9.5
45–64	11.2	11.6	11.9	12.3	12.7	13.1	13.6	14.0
65+	25.9	26.6	27.3	28.0	28.8	29.7	30.5	31.2
Total 5-64	33.3	33.8	34.2	34.7	35.2	35.7	36.3	36.8
Total 15-64	27.3	27.7	28.2	28.6	29.1	29.6	30.1	30.6
Total	59.1	60.4	61.5	62.7	64.0	65.4	66.8	68.1
Persons								
5–14	10.2	10.3	10.3	10.4	10.4	10.5	10.5	10.6
15–19	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2
20–29	10.7	10.8	10.8	10.8	10.7	10.5	10.4	10.3
30–44	15.9	16.1	16.2	16.4	16.6	16.8	17.0	17.1
45-64	20.7	21.4	22.1	22.8	23.5	24.2	24.9	25.6
65+	37.3	38.3	39.3	40.3	41.5	42.8	43.9	45.0
Total 5-64	59.6	60.6	61.6	62.5	63.3	64.2	65.0	65.8
Total 15-64	49.3	50.3	51.2	52.1	52.9	53.7	54.5	55.2
Total	96.9	99.0	100.9	102.8	104.8	107.0	108.9	110.8

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.33: Intellectual disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	-0.1	-0.4	-0.5	-0.8	-0.8	-0.8	-0.2	-3.4
30-44	0.3	0.4	0.6	1.3	1.7	1.7	1.0	6.8
45-64	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.7	16.8
65+	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.3	3.0	22.3
Total 5-64	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.9	5.0
Total 15-64	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.1	6.4
Total	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.7	10.7
Females								
5–14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	0.1	-0.3	-0.6	-1.0	-1.1	-0.9	-0.4	-4.2
30–44	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.5	4.9
45-64	2.6	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	16.8
65+	3.3	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.7	3.0	2.7	20.9
Total 5-64	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	5.0
Total 15-64	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	5.6
Total	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.1	1.9	13.9
Persons								
5–14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.3	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.3
20-29	0.0	-0.3	-0.6	-0.9	-1.0	-0.9	-0.3	-3.8
30-44	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.2	0.7	5.7
45-64	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	16.8
65+	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.5	3.7	3.1	2.8	21.3
Tota 5-64	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	5.0
Total 15-64	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	6.0
Total	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.0	1.8	12.5

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.34: Learning disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996–1997	1997–1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	-0.5	-0.6	-0.7	-0.8	-0.7	-0.6	0.0	-3.2
30-44	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.9	0.5	3.0
45-64	1.8	2.1	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.6	3.1	18.9
65+	-0.9	-1.3	-0.9	-0.7	0.5	2.2	3.1	2.9
Total 5-64	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.6	2.3
Total 15-64	0.0	-0.1	0.0	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.6
Total	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.6	2.3
Females								
5-14	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	2.2	1.1	0.0	-0.8	-2.2	-2.2	-1.4	-5.5
30-44	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.5	4.9
45-64	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.7	2.4	2.9	2.9	16.3
65+	1.6	1.2	1.8	1.1	0.6	1.4	2.0	8.4
Total 5-64	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	4.5
Total 15-64	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.6	5.3
Total	1.1	0.9	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.9	5.3
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.4
20-29	0.3	-0.1	-0.5	-0.8	-1.1	-1.1	-0.4	-3.9
30-44	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.5	4.6
45-64	2.0	2.1	2.4	2.7	2.5	3.0	3.0	16.8
65+	1.6	1.2	1.7	1.1	0.6	1.4	2.0	8.3
Total 5-64	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	3.4
Total 15-64	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	4.0
Total	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.8	4.0

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.35: Psychiatric disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	0.4	0.0	-0.3	-0.8	-1.1	-1.1	-0.4	-3.7
30-44	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.3	1.5	1.4	0.9	6.8
45-64	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.5	17.8
65+	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.5	3.1	23.5
Total 5-64	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	8.6
Total 15-64	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.4	9.5
Total	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.1	14.9
Females								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	1.2	0.4	-0.3	-0.9	-1.7	-1.6	-0.9	-4.8
30-44	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.6	6.0
45-64	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.9	19.4
65+	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.2	2.7	2.4	18.5
Total 5-64	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	9.5
Total 15-64	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	10.2
Total	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.2	2.0	15.0
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.3
20-29	0.8	0.2	-0.3	-0.8	-1.3	-1.3	-0.6	-4.2
30-44	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.4	1.3	0.7	6.4
45-64	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.7	18.7
65+	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.4	2.9	2.6	20.1
Total 5-64	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.3	9.1
Total 15-64	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	9.8
Total	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.2	2.1	15.0

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.36: Acquired brain injury disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996–1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000–2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	1.5	0.7	0.0	-0.7	-1.6	-1.7	-1.0	-4.2
30-44	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.4	3.1
45-64	2.6	2.6	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.0	19.1
65+	3.3	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.1	2.8	20.3
Total 5-64	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	10.0
Total 15-64	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.8	11.5
Total	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.2	15.0
Females								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	-0.2	-0.4	-0.7	-1.0	-1.0	-0.8	-0.2	-4.0
30-44	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.0	0.6	6.0
45-64	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.6	2.6	18.9
65+	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	3.0	2.5	2.3	16.6
Total 5-64	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	9.5
Total 15-64	2.0	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.5	10.9
Total	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.1	1.9	13.9
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	14.2
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.3	0.5	0.3	0.1	3.9
20-29	0.6	0.1	-0.3	-0.9	-1.3	-1.2	-0.6	8.7
30-44	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.5	17.6
45-64	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.8	43.1
65+	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.1	2.7	2.5	116.3
Total 5-64	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	87.6
Total 15-64	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	73.3
Total	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.1	14.4

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.37: Visual disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	3.0
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	2.9	1.5	0.5	-0.7	-2.2	-2.4	-1.7	-4.9
30-44	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.9	1.0	0.6	4.3
45-64	2.0	1.8	2.5	2.8	3.0	3.8	3.7	18.9
65+	3.8	3.6	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.5	3.1	23.9
Total 5-64	1.2	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.6	1.5	8.2
Total 15-64	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.8	1.6	8.9
Total	2.9	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.5	18.1
Females								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	2.6	1.3	0.1	-0.8	-2.3	-2.4	-1.6	-5.7
30-44	1.6	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.3	4.8
45-64	2.3	2.5	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.2	3.0	18.8
65+	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.3	2.7	2.4	18.1
Total 5-64	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	9.2
Total 15-64	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.5	1.6	1.6	10.8
Total	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.7	3.0	2.5	2.2	16.6
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.3	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.3
20-29	2.7	1.4	0.3	-0.8	-2.3	-2.4	-1.6	-5.4
30-44	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.5	4.4
45-64	2.2	2.2	2.7	2.9	3.0	3.5	3.3	18.9
65+	3.3	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.5	2.9	2.6	19.9
Total 5-64	1.5	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.5	8.7
Total 15-64	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.4	1.7	1.6	9.7
Total	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.0	2.6	2.4	17.2

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.38: Hearing disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996–1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000–2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5–14	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	0.9	0.3	-0.2	-0.8	-1.3	-1.4	-0.7	-3.9
30-44	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.6	4.9
45–64	2.7	2.6	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.5	3.3	20.1
65+	3.6	3.2	3.3	3.8	3.9	3.5	3.1	22.8
Total 5-64	2.0	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.3	14.0
Total 15-64	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.8	2.6	15.8
Total	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.2	3.3	3.2	2.9	19.7
Females								
5–14	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	1.4	0.6	-0.2	-0.9	-1.8	-1.8	-1.0	-5.0
30–44	0.4	0.4	0.7	1.2	1.8	1.6	0.9	6.7
45-64	2.0	2.3	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.5	3.2	19.0
65+	3.3	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.6	2.9	2.6	20.4
Total 5-64	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.9	1.7	9.9
Total 15-64	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.2	1.9	11.5
Total	2.9	2.7	2.9	3.0	3.2	2.7	2.4	18.1
Persons								
5–14	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	1.0	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.1
20-29	1.3	0.5	-0.2	-0.9	-1.7	-1.6	-0.9	-4.7
30-44	0.6	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.5	1.4	0.8	6.1
45-64	2.4	2.5	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.5	3.3	19.7
65+	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.7	3.1	2.8	21.2
Tota∣ 5–64	1.7	1.6	1.8	1.9	1.9	2.2	2.0	12.0
Tota∣ 15–64	1.9	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.5	2.3	13.7
Total	2.9	2.7	2.9	3.1	3.2	2.9	2.6	18.7

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.39: Speech disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap, ^(b) by age and sex, Australia, ^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	0.3	-0.1	-0.4	-0.8	-1.0	-1.0	-0.4	-3.6
30-44	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.4	2.8
45-64	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.2	2.1	15.4
65+	3.6	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.2	2.9	21.6
Total 5-64	1.0	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.7	4.0
Total 15-64	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7	4.5
Total	1.9	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.6	1.5	10.2
Females								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15-19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	0.4	0.0	-0.5	-0.9	-1.3	-1.2	-0.5	-4.4
30-44	0.3	0.3	0.6	1.2	1.8	1.6	0.9	6.6
45-64	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.7	19.5
65+	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.9	3.4	2.8	2.5	18.3
Total 5-64	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.9	6.2
Total 15-64	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.1	7.5
Total	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.3	2.0	1.8	12.8
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.3	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.3
20-29	0.4	-0.1	-0.4	-0.8	-1.1	-1.1	-0.4	-3.9
30-44	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.7	1.1	1.2	0.7	4.6
45-64	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.4	2.4	17.1
65+	3.2	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.0	2.7	19.6
Total 5-64	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	4.9
Total 15-64	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	5.8
Total	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.7	11.5

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.40: Circulatory disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996–1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000–2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.7	0.6	2.8
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	1.9	0.9	0.1	-0.7	-1.7	-1.9	-1.2	-4.4
30-44	1.7	1.3	1.1	0.3	-0.2	-0.1	0.0	2.4
45-64	2.6	2.6	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.1	19.6
65+	3.5	3.2	3.3	3.6	3.7	3.3	3.0	21.8
Total 5-64	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.3	14.8
Total 15-64	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.4	15.1
Total	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.1	2.8	19.5
Females								
5-14	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.6	2.8
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	-0.5	-0.6	-0.8	-1.0	-0.8	-0.6	-0.1	-3.9
30-44	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.6	2.0	1.6	1.0	9.0
45-64	2.4	2.5	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.8	3.6	20.8
65+	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.9	2.4	2.2	15.9
Tota 5-64	1.8	1.9	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.9	2.7	15.5
Total 15-64	1.9	1.9	2.3	2.5	2.5	3.0	2.8	16.1
Total	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.8	2.5	2.3	15.8
Persons								
5-14	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.7	0.6	2.8
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.3
20-29	0.6	0.1	-0.4	-0.9	-1.3	-1.2	-0.6	-4.1
30–44	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.6	6.3
45-64	2.5	2.5	2.9	3.2	3.1	3.6	3.3	20.2
65+	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.1	2.7	2.4	17.6
Total 5-64	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.6	15.2
Total 15-64	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.6	15.6
Total	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.9	2.7	2.4	17.1

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.41: Respiratory disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996-1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	1.8	0.8	0.1	-0.7	-1.7	-1.8	-1.1	-4.4
30-44	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.6	1.6	1.3	0.8	8.0
45-64	2.2	2.2	2.6	2.9	2.9	3.3	3.1	18.3
65+	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.4	16.5
Total 5-64	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	7.6
Total 15-64	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.7	10.9
Total	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	11.0
Females								
5-14	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.7	0.6	2.8
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	-0.5	-0.6	-0.8	-1.0	-0.8	-0.6	-0.1	-3.8
30-44	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.2	1.5	1.3	0.8	6.6
45-64	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.9	19.4
65+	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.8	2.3	2.0	1.9	12.0
Total 5-64	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.6	10.0
Total 15-64	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	12.2
Total	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.7	10.9
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.2
20-29	0.5	0.1	-0.4	-0.9	-1.2	-1.2	-0.5	-4.1
30-44	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.3	1.5	1.3	0.8	7.0
45-64	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.0	19.0
65+	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.5	2.2	2.1	13.7
Total 5-64	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4	8.9
Total 15-64	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	11.6
Total	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.7	11.0

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.42: Arthritis disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996–1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	2.5	1.3	0.3	-0.7	-2.0	-2.2	-1.5	-4.7
30-44	1.2	1.0	0.9	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.3	3.9
45-64	3.0	2.8	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.2	20.0
65+	3.3	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.0	20.8
Total 5-64	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.4	15.6
Total 15-64	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.4	15.6
Total	3.0	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.7	18.5
Females								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	2.2	1.1	0.0	-0.8	-2.2	-2.2	-1.4	-5.5
30-44	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.5	1.3	0.8	6.8
45-64	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	19.9
65+	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.2	2.0	15.1
Total 5-64	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.4	16.2
Total 15-64	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.4	16.3
Total	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.3	2.1	15.5
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.3
20-29	2.4	1.2	0.2	-0.8	-2.1	-2.2	-1.5	-5.0
30-44	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.0	0.6	5.7
45-64	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.1	20.0
65+	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.5	2.3	16.6
Total 5-64	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	16.0
Total 15-64	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.4	16.0
Total	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.5	2.3	16.4

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.43: Other musculoskeletal disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996–1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	3.0
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	1.1	0.4	-0.1	-0.8	-1.4	-1.4	-0.8	-4.0
30-44	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.5	4.8
45-64	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.7	19.2
65+	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.6	17.7
Total 5-64	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	10.4
Total 15-64	2.1	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	10.8
Total	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.1	1.9	1.8	12.7
Females								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	1.4	0.6	-0.2	-0.9	-1.8	-1.7	-1.0	-5.0
30-44	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.0	0.6	6.1
45–64	2.8	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.7	18.5
65+	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.7	3.1	2.6	2.4	16.9
Total 5-64	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.4	10.2
Total 15-64	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	10.8
Total	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.2	2.0	14.1
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.3	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.3
20-29	1.2	0.5	-0.2	-0.8	-1.6	-1.6	-0.9	-4.4
30-44	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.6	5.4
45–64	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.7	18.9
65+	2.8	2.5	2.6	2.7	3.1	2.7	2.5	17.1
Total 5-64	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	10.3
Total 15-64	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	10.8
Total	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.1	1.9	13.5

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.44: Other physical disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996–1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000–2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5–14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	2.0	1.0	0.2	-0.7	-1.8	-1.9	-1.2	-4.4
30–44	1.0	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.5	4.4
45-64	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.7	19.0
65+	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.2	2.9	20.3
Total 5-64	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.5	10.6
Total 15-64	2.2	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.7	11.8
Total	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.2	15.1
Females								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	0.7	0.1	-0.4	-0.9	-1.4	-1.3	-0.7	-4.6
30–44	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.1	0.7	6.2
45-64	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0	19.5
65+	2.7	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.9	2.4	2.2	16.2
Total 5-64	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	11.9
Total 15-64	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.0	12.9
Total	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.6	2.3	2.1	14.7
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.2	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.3
20-29	1.3	0.5	-0.1	-0.8	-1.6	-1.6	-0.9	-4.5
30–44	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.6	5.3
45-64	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	19.3
65+	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.1	2.7	2.4	17.5
Total 5-64	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	11.3
Total 15-64	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	12.4
Total	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.3	2.1	14.9

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.

Table A4.45: Neurological disability group: percentage changes in the projected population^(a) of persons with a profound or severe handicap,^(b) by age and sex, Australia,^(c) 1996–2003

Age	1996–1997	1997-1998	1998-1999	1999-2000	2000-2001	2001–2002	2002-2003	1997-2003
Males								
5-14	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.0	4.0
20-29	1.8	0.8	0.1	-0.7	-1.7	-1.8	-1.1	-4.3
30-44	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.5	4.8
45-64	3.9	3.6	3.1	2.9	2.8	2.1	2.2	17.9
65+	2.8	2.5	2.4	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.7	17.4
Total 5-64	2.1	1.8	1.5	1.3	1.1	0.9	1.0	7.9
Total 15-64	2.4	2.1	1.7	1.5	1.3	1.0	1.0	8.9
Total	2.3	2.0	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.5	10.8
Females								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	4.5
20-29	0.6	0.1	-0.5	-0.9	-1.4	-1.3	-0.6	-4.5
30-44	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.4	1.8	1.5	0.9	8.0
45-64	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.4	21.5
65+	2.9	2.6	2.6	2.8	3.2	2.6	2.4	17.4
Total 5-64	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.5	9.1
Total 15-64	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	10.4
Total	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.1	1.9	12.7
Persons								
5-14	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.6	2.9
15–19	0.7	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.5	0.3	0.1	4.1
20-29	1.0	0.3	-0.3	-0.9	-1.5	-1.5	-0.8	-4.4
30-44	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.2	0.7	6.5
45-64	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.9	19.9
65+	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.8	3.1	2.7	2.5	17.4
Total 5-64	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	8.6
Total 15-64	2.0	1.8	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.4	9.7
Total	2.2	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.8	12.0

⁽a) ABS population projections (Series A) as at 30 June.

⁽b) Estimated numbers were calculated using national age- and sex-specific prevalence rates derived from the ABS 1993 Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers. The estimates were based on all reported disabling conditions.

⁽c) Estimates of 1,900 or less have a relative standard error (RSE) of 50% or more. Estimates of 8,000 or less have an RSE of 25% or more. These estimates should be interpreted accordingly.