

Section 6

Nursing home resident dependency

The tables in this section describe dependency levels among nursing home residents. Resident dependency levels are based on the Resident Classification Instrument which classifies the residents into five categories. Category 1 represents the highest dependency level and category 5 the lowest.

Table 6.1: Permanent nursing home residents, State/Territory^(a) by sex and level of dependency, 30 June 1997

Sex/State/Territory	High dependency		3	Low dependency		Total
	1	2		4	5	
	Number					
Females						
New South Wales	1,981	9,391	6,645	1,787	315	20,119
Victoria	1,080	5,643	4,011	995	184	11,913
Queensland	827	4,015	2,677	722	138	8,379
Western Australia	336	1,936	1,291	327	65	3,955
South Australia	507	2,255	1,606	434	83	4,885
Tasmania	124	698	535	141	23	1,521
Australian Capital Territory	45	164	128	32	10	379
Northern Territory	11	45	48	8	4	116
<i>Total females</i>	<i>4,911</i>	<i>24,147</i>	<i>16,941</i>	<i>4,446</i>	<i>822</i>	<i>51,267</i>
Males						
New South Wales	730	3,739	2,715	714	125	8,023
Victoria	432	2,176	1,627	396	77	4,708
Queensland	326	1,642	1,169	327	46	3,510
Western Australia	158	766	534	160	24	1,642
South Australia	188	842	681	163	26	1,900
Tasmania	53	270	200	52	5	580
Australian Capital Territory	11	51	49	23	2	136
Northern Territory	10	37	33	6	1	87
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,908</i>	<i>9,523</i>	<i>7,008</i>	<i>1,841</i>	<i>306</i>	<i>20,586</i>
Persons						
New South Wales	2,711	13,130	9,360	2,501	440	28,142
Victoria	1,512	7,819	5,638	1,391	261	16,621
Queensland	1,153	5,657	3,846	1,049	184	11,889
Western Australia	494	2,702	1,825	487	89	5,597
South Australia	695	3,097	2,287	597	109	6,785
Tasmania	177	968	735	193	28	2,101
Australian Capital Territory	56	215	177	55	12	515
Northern Territory	21	82	81	14	5	203
Total	6,819	33,670	23,949	6,287	1,128	71,853

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Table 6.1 (continued): Permanent nursing home residents, State/Territory^(a) by sex and level of dependency, 30 June 1997

Sex/State/Territory	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Per cent					
Females						
New South Wales	9.8	46.7	33.0	8.9	1.6	100.0
Victoria	9.1	47.4	33.7	8.4	1.5	100.0
Queensland	9.9	47.9	31.9	8.6	1.6	100.0
Western Australia	8.5	49.0	32.6	8.3	1.6	100.0
South Australia	10.4	46.2	32.9	8.9	1.7	100.0
Tasmania	8.2	45.9	35.2	9.3	1.5	100.0
Australian Capital Territory	11.9	43.3	33.8	8.4	2.6	100.0
Northern Territory	9.5	38.8	41.4	6.9	3.4	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>9.6</i>	<i>47.1</i>	<i>33.0</i>	<i>8.7</i>	<i>1.6</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
New South Wales	9.1	46.6	33.8	8.9	1.6	100.0
Victoria	9.2	46.2	34.6	8.4	1.6	100.0
Queensland	9.3	46.8	33.3	9.3	1.3	100.0
Western Australia	9.6	46.7	32.5	9.7	1.5	100.0
South Australia	9.9	44.3	35.8	8.6	1.4	100.0
Tasmania	9.1	46.6	34.5	9.0	0.9	100.0
Australian Capital Territory	8.1	37.5	36.0	16.9	1.5	100.0
Northern Territory	11.5	42.5	37.9	6.9	1.1	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>9.3</i>	<i>46.3</i>	<i>34.0</i>	<i>8.9</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
New South Wales	9.6	46.7	33.3	8.9	1.6	100.0
Victoria	9.1	47.0	33.9	8.4	1.6	100.0
Queensland	9.7	47.6	32.3	8.8	1.5	100.0
Western Australia	8.8	48.3	32.6	8.7	1.6	100.0
South Australia	10.2	45.6	33.7	8.8	1.6	100.0
Tasmania	8.4	46.1	35.0	9.2	1.3	100.0
Australian Capital Territory	10.9	41.7	34.4	10.7	2.3	100.0
Northern Territory	10.3	40.4	39.9	6.9	2.5	100.0
Total	9.5	46.9	33.3	8.7	1.6	100.0

(a) 'State/Territory' refers to the location of the nursing home.

Table 6.2: Permanent nursing home residents, type of home by sex and level of dependency, 30 June 1997

Sex/type of home	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Number					
Females						
Private for-profit	2,353	11,629	8,104	2,188	409	24,683
Private not-for-profit	1,998	9,755	6,895	1,772	326	20,746
Government and adjusted fees	560	2,763	1,942	486	87	5,838
<i>Total females</i>	<i>4,911</i>	<i>24,147</i>	<i>16,941</i>	<i>4,446</i>	<i>822</i>	<i>51,267</i>
Males						
Private for-profit	909	4,639	3,446	937	144	10,075
Private not-for-profit	653	3,322	2,392	588	99	7,054
Government and adjusted fees	346	1,562	1,170	316	63	3,457
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,908</i>	<i>9,523</i>	<i>7,008</i>	<i>1,841</i>	<i>306</i>	<i>20,586</i>
Persons						
Private for-profit	3,262	16,268	11,550	3,125	553	34,758
Private not-for-profit	2,651	13,077	9,287	2,360	425	27,800
Government and adjusted fees	906	4,325	3,112	802	150	9,295
Total	6,819	33,670	23,949	6,287	1,128	71,853
	Per cent					
Females						
Private for-profit	9.5	47.1	32.8	8.9	1.7	100.0
Private not-for-profit	9.6	47.0	33.2	8.5	1.6	100.0
Government and adjusted fees	9.6	47.3	33.3	8.3	1.5	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>9.6</i>	<i>47.1</i>	<i>33.0</i>	<i>8.7</i>	<i>1.6</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
Private for-profit	9.0	46.0	34.2	9.3	1.4	100.0
Private not-for-profit	9.3	47.1	33.9	8.3	1.4	100.0
Government and adjusted fees	10.0	45.2	33.8	9.1	1.8	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>9.3</i>	<i>46.3</i>	<i>34.0</i>	<i>8.9</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
Private for-profit	9.4	46.8	33.2	9.0	1.6	100.0
Private not-for-profit	9.5	47.0	33.4	8.5	1.5	100.0
Government and adjusted fees	9.7	46.5	33.5	8.6	1.6	100.0
Total	9.5	46.9	33.3	8.7	1.6	100.0

Table 6.3: Permanent nursing home residents, age by sex and level of dependency, 30 June 1997

Sex/age	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Number					
Females						
Under 65	172	833	563	154	27	1,749
65-69	164	681	484	136	20	1,485
70-74	300	1,609	1,134	286	57	3,386
75-79	640	3,058	2,153	516	96	6,463
80-84	1,064	5,330	3,776	1,051	176	11,397
85-89	1,256	6,231	4,497	1,174	225	13,383
90+	1,315	6,405	4,334	1,129	221	13,404
<i>Total females</i>	<i>4,911</i>	<i>24,147</i>	<i>16,941</i>	<i>4,446</i>	<i>822</i>	<i>51,267</i>
Males						
Under 65	191	874	619	167	38	1,889
65-69	156	708	520	106	18	1,508
70-74	267	1,247	888	234	42	2,678
75-79	347	1,710	1,308	352	59	3,776
80-84	411	2,117	1,561	409	62	4,560
85-89	322	1,791	1,279	340	48	3,780
90+	214	1,076	833	233	39	2,395
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,908</i>	<i>9,523</i>	<i>7,008</i>	<i>1,841</i>	<i>306</i>	<i>20,586</i>
Persons						
Under 65	363	1,707	1,182	321	65	3,638
65-69	320	1,389	1,004	242	38	2,993
70-74	567	2,856	2,022	520	99	6,064
75-79	987	4,768	3,461	868	155	10,239
80-84	1,475	7,447	5,337	1,460	238	15,957
85-89	1,578	8,022	5,776	1,514	273	17,163
90+	1,529	7,481	5,167	1,362	260	15,799
Total	6,819	33,670	23,949	6,287	1,128	71,853
	Per cent					
Females						
Under 65	9.8	47.6	32.2	8.8	1.5	100.0
65-69	11.0	45.9	32.6	9.2	1.3	100.0
70-74	8.9	47.5	33.5	8.4	1.7	100.0
75-79	9.9	47.3	33.3	8.0	1.5	100.0
80-84	9.3	46.8	33.1	9.2	1.5	100.0
85-89	9.4	46.6	33.6	8.8	1.7	100.0
90+	9.8	47.8	32.3	8.4	1.6	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>9.6</i>	<i>47.1</i>	<i>33.0</i>	<i>8.7</i>	<i>1.6</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
Under 65	10.1	46.3	32.8	8.8	2.0	100.0
65-69	10.3	46.9	34.5	7.0	1.2	100.0
70-74	10.0	46.6	33.2	8.7	1.6	100.0
75-79	9.2	45.3	34.6	9.3	1.6	100.0
80-84	9.0	46.4	34.2	9.0	1.4	100.0
85-89	8.5	47.4	33.8	9.0	1.3	100.0
90+	8.9	44.9	34.8	9.7	1.6	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>9.3</i>	<i>46.3</i>	<i>34.0</i>	<i>8.9</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
Under 65	10.0	46.9	32.5	8.8	1.8	100.0
65-69	10.7	46.4	33.5	8.1	1.3	100.0
70-74	9.4	47.1	33.3	8.6	1.6	100.0
75-79	9.6	46.6	33.8	8.5	1.5	100.0
80-84	9.2	46.7	33.4	9.1	1.5	100.0
85-89	9.2	46.7	33.7	8.8	1.6	100.0
90+	9.7	47.4	32.7	8.6	1.6	100.0
Total	9.5	46.9	33.3	8.7	1.6	100.0

Table 6.4: People admitted to nursing homes for permanent care,^(a) State/Territory^(b) by sex and latest level of dependency, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/State/Territory	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Number					
Females						
New South Wales	866	3,927	2,195	489	94	7,571
Victoria	572	2,427	1,373	397	81	4,850
Queensland	333	1,612	882	205	34	3,066
Western Australia	165	786	440	128	25	1,544
South Australia	207	996	588	149	23	1,963
Tasmania	57	292	171	49	9	578
Australian Capital Territory	14	81	48	15	3	161
Northern Territory	2	31	11	5	1	50
<i>Total females</i>	<i>2,216</i>	<i>10,152</i>	<i>5,708</i>	<i>1,437</i>	<i>270</i>	<i>19,783</i>
Males						
New South Wales	473	2,387	1,272	331	67	4,530
Victoria	305	1,385	791	199	55	2,735
Queensland	208	953	548	132	36	1,877
Western Australia	101	495	280	69	15	960
South Australia	140	590	328	88	20	1,166
Tasmania	27	184	102	18	9	340
Australian Capital Territory	7	36	22	7	4	76
Northern Territory	2	27	17	3	0	49
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,263</i>	<i>6,057</i>	<i>3,360</i>	<i>847</i>	<i>206</i>	<i>11,733</i>
Persons						
New South Wales	1,339	6,314	3,467	820	161	12,101
Victoria	877	3,812	2,164	596	136	7,585
Queensland	541	2,565	1,430	337	70	4,943
Western Australia	266	1,281	720	197	40	2,504
South Australia	347	1,586	916	237	43	3,129
Tasmania	84	476	273	67	18	918
Australian Capital Territory	21	117	70	22	7	237
Northern Territory	4	58	28	8	1	99
Total	3,479	16,209	9,068	2,284	476	31,516

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Table 6.4 (continued): People admitted to nursing homes for permanent care,^(a) State/Territory^(b) by sex and latest level of dependency, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/State/Territory	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Per cent					
Females						
New South Wales	11.4	51.9	29.0	6.5	1.2	100.0
Victoria	11.8	50.0	28.3	8.2	1.7	100.0
Queensland	10.9	52.6	28.8	6.7	1.1	100.0
Western Australia	10.7	50.9	28.5	8.3	1.6	100.0
South Australia	10.5	50.7	30.0	7.6	1.2	100.0
Tasmania	9.9	50.5	29.6	8.5	1.6	100.0
Australian Capital Territory	8.7	50.3	29.8	9.3	1.9	100.0
Northern Territory	4.0	62.0	22.0	10.0	2.0	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>11.2</i>	<i>51.3</i>	<i>28.9</i>	<i>7.3</i>	<i>1.4</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
New South Wales	10.4	52.7	28.1	7.3	1.5	100.0
Victoria	11.2	50.6	28.9	7.3	2.0	100.0
Queensland	11.1	50.8	29.2	7.0	1.9	100.0
Western Australia	10.5	51.6	29.2	7.2	1.6	100.0
South Australia	12.0	50.6	28.1	7.5	1.7	100.0
Tasmania	7.9	54.1	30.0	5.3	2.6	100.0
Australian Capital Territory	9.2	47.4	28.9	9.2	5.3	100.0
Northern Territory	4.1	55.1	34.7	6.1	0.0	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>10.8</i>	<i>51.6</i>	<i>28.6</i>	<i>7.2</i>	<i>1.8</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
New South Wales	11.1	52.2	28.7	6.8	1.3	100.0
Victoria	11.6	50.3	28.5	7.9	1.8	100.0
Queensland	10.9	51.9	28.9	6.8	1.4	100.0
Western Australia	10.6	51.2	28.8	7.9	1.6	100.0
South Australia	11.1	50.7	29.3	7.6	1.4	100.0
Tasmania	9.2	51.9	29.7	7.3	2.0	100.0
Australian Capital Territory	8.9	49.4	29.5	9.3	3.0	100.0
Northern Territory	4.0	58.6	28.3	8.1	1.0	100.0
Total	11.0	51.4	28.8	7.2	1.5	100.0

(a) Each person is counted once regardless of the number of admissions this resident had during the period.

(b) 'State/Territory' refers to the location of the nursing home.

Table 6.5: People admitted to nursing homes for permanent care,^(a) type of home by sex and latest level of dependency, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/type of home	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Number					
Females						
Private for-profit	1,093	4,988	2,796	692	132	9,701
Private not-for-profit	853	3,903	2,184	535	103	7,578
Government and adjusted fees	270	1,261	728	210	35	2,504
<i>Total females</i>	<i>2,216</i>	<i>10,152</i>	<i>5,708</i>	<i>1,437</i>	<i>270</i>	<i>19,783</i>
Males						
Private for-profit	646	3,084	1,658	431	101	5,920
Private not-for-profit	411	1,896	1,065	261	66	3,699
Government and adjusted fees	206	1,077	637	155	39	2,114
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,263</i>	<i>6,057</i>	<i>3,360</i>	<i>847</i>	<i>206</i>	<i>11,733</i>
Persons						
Private for-profit	1,739	8,072	4,454	1,123	233	15,621
Private not-for-profit	1,264	5,799	3,249	796	169	11,277
Government and adjusted fees	476	2,338	1,365	365	74	4,618
Total	3,479	16,209	9,068	2,284	476	31,516
	Per cent					
Females						
Private for-profit	11.3	51.4	28.8	7.1	1.4	100.0
Private not-for-profit	11.3	51.5	28.8	7.1	1.4	100.0
Government and adjusted fees	10.8	50.4	29.1	8.4	1.4	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>11.2</i>	<i>51.3</i>	<i>28.9</i>	<i>7.3</i>	<i>1.4</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
Private for-profit	10.9	52.1	28.0	7.3	1.7	100.0
Private not-for-profit	11.1	51.3	28.8	7.1	1.8	100.0
Government and adjusted fees	9.7	50.9	30.1	7.3	1.8	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>10.8</i>	<i>51.6</i>	<i>28.6</i>	<i>7.2</i>	<i>1.8</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
Private for-profit	11.1	51.7	28.5	7.2	1.5	100.0
Private not-for-profit	11.2	51.4	28.8	7.1	1.5	100.0
Government and adjusted fees	10.3	50.6	29.6	7.9	1.6	100.0
Total	11.0	51.4	28.8	7.2	1.5	100.0

(a) Each person is counted once regardless of the number of admissions this resident had during the period.

Table 6.6: People admitted to nursing homes for permanent care,^(a) age at admission by sex and latest level of dependency, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/age	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
Number						
Females						
Under 65	62	319	182	59	8	630
65-69	70	335	181	47	12	645
70-74	166	785	488	110	29	1,578
75-79	320	1,436	817	224	40	2,837
80-84	547	2,561	1,351	346	45	4,850
85-89	591	2,659	1,509	362	71	5,192
90+	460	2,057	1,180	289	65	4,051
<i>Total females</i>	<i>2,216</i>	<i>10,152</i>	<i>5,708</i>	<i>1,437</i>	<i>270</i>	<i>19,783</i>
Males						
Under 65	84	422	222	48	20	796
65-69	79	407	232	71	10	799
70-74	164	762	429	115	25	1,495
75-79	223	1,100	616	148	38	2,125
80-84	287	1,515	849	216	57	2,924
85-89	279	1,188	661	154	35	2,317
90+	147	663	351	95	21	1,277
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,263</i>	<i>6,057</i>	<i>3,360</i>	<i>847</i>	<i>206</i>	<i>11,733</i>
Persons						
Under 65	146	741	404	107	28	1,426
65-69	149	742	413	118	22	1,444
70-74	330	1,547	917	225	54	3,073
75-79	543	2,536	1,433	372	78	4,962
80-84	834	4,076	2,200	562	102	7,774
85-89	870	3,847	2,170	516	106	7,509
90+	607	2,720	1,531	384	86	5,328
Total	3,479	16,209	9,068	2,284	476	31,516
Per cent						
Females						
Under 65	9.8	50.6	28.9	9.4	1.3	100.0
65-69	10.9	51.9	28.1	7.3	1.9	100.0
70-74	10.5	49.7	30.9	7.0	1.8	100.0
75-79	11.3	50.6	28.8	7.9	1.4	100.0
80-84	11.3	52.8	27.9	7.1	0.9	100.0
85-89	11.4	51.2	29.1	7.0	1.4	100.0
90+	11.4	50.8	29.1	7.1	1.6	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>11.2</i>	<i>51.3</i>	<i>28.9</i>	<i>7.3</i>	<i>1.4</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
Under 65	10.6	53.0	27.9	6.0	2.5	100.0
65-69	9.9	50.9	29.0	8.9	1.3	100.0
70-74	11.0	51.0	28.7	7.7	1.7	100.0
75-79	10.5	51.8	29.0	7.0	1.8	100.0
80-84	9.8	51.8	29.0	7.4	1.9	100.0
85-89	12.0	51.3	28.5	6.6	1.5	100.0
90+	11.5	51.9	27.5	7.4	1.6	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>10.8</i>	<i>51.6</i>	<i>28.6</i>	<i>7.2</i>	<i>1.8</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
Under 65	10.2	52.0	28.3	7.5	2.0	100.0
65-69	10.3	51.4	28.6	8.2	1.5	100.0
70-74	10.7	50.3	29.8	7.3	1.8	100.0
75-79	10.9	51.1	28.9	7.5	1.6	100.0
80-84	10.7	52.4	28.3	7.2	1.3	100.0
85-89	11.6	51.2	28.9	6.9	1.4	100.0
90+	11.4	51.1	28.7	7.2	1.6	100.0
Total	11.0	51.4	28.8	7.2	1.5	100.0

(a) Each person is counted once regardless of the number of admissions this resident had during the period.

Table 6.7: Separated permanent nursing home residents,^(a) State/Territory^(b) by sex and level of dependency at separation, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/State/Territory	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Number					
Females						
New South Wales	906	4,012	2,203	552	119	7,792
Victoria	530	2,528	1,376	374	64	4,872
Queensland	343	1,481	861	207	50	2,942
Western Australia	173	810	436	99	21	1,539
South Australia	222	957	568	128	41	1,916
Tasmania	60	315	153	42	5	575
Australian Capital Territory	11	77	56	9	2	155
Northern Territory	5	27	16	2	1	51
<i>Total females</i>	<i>2,250</i>	<i>10,207</i>	<i>5,669</i>	<i>1,413</i>	<i>303</i>	<i>19,842</i>
Males						
New South Wales	504	2,360	1,370	358	73	4,665
Victoria	270	1,396	779	203	33	2,681
Queensland	206	955	544	131	31	1,867
Western Australia	92	494	259	64	12	921
South Australia	105	590	322	81	15	1,113
Tasmania	40	161	105	19	5	330
Australian Capital Territory	11	43	19	10	4	87
Northern Territory	4	22	15	7	0	48
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,232</i>	<i>6,021</i>	<i>3,413</i>	<i>873</i>	<i>173</i>	<i>11,712</i>
Persons						
New South Wales	1,410	6,372	3,573	910	192	12,457
Victoria	800	3,924	2,155	577	97	7,553
Queensland	549	2,436	1,405	338	81	4,809
Western Australia	265	1,304	695	163	33	2,460
South Australia	327	1,547	890	209	56	3,029
Tasmania	100	476	258	61	10	905
Australian Capital Territory	22	120	75	19	6	242
Northern Territory	9	49	31	9	1	99
Total	3,482	16,228	9,082	2,286	476	31,554

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Table 6.7 (continued): Separated permanent nursing home residents,^(a) State/Territory^(b) by sex and level of dependency at separation, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/State/Territory	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Per cent					
Females						
New South Wales	11.6	51.5	28.3	7.1	1.5	100.0
Victoria	10.9	51.9	28.2	7.7	1.3	100.0
Queensland	11.7	50.3	29.3	7.0	1.7	100.0
Western Australia	11.2	52.6	28.3	6.4	1.4	100.0
South Australia	11.6	49.9	29.6	6.7	2.1	100.0
Tasmania	10.4	54.8	26.6	7.3	0.9	100.0
Australian Capital Territory	7.1	49.7	36.1	5.8	1.3	100.0
Northern Territory	9.8	52.9	31.4	3.9	2.0	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>11.3</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>28.6</i>	<i>7.1</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
New South Wales	10.8	50.6	29.4	7.7	1.6	100.0
Victoria	10.1	52.1	29.1	7.6	1.2	100.0
Queensland	11.0	51.2	29.1	7.0	1.7	100.0
Western Australia	10.0	53.6	28.1	6.9	1.3	100.0
South Australia	9.4	53.0	28.9	7.3	1.3	100.0
Tasmania	12.1	48.8	31.8	5.8	1.5	100.0
Australian Capital Territory	12.6	49.4	21.8	11.5	4.6	100.0
Northern Territory	8.3	45.8	31.3	14.6	0.0	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>10.5</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>29.1</i>	<i>7.5</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
New South Wales	11.3	51.2	28.7	7.3	1.5	100.0
Victoria	10.6	52.0	28.5	7.6	1.3	100.0
Queensland	11.4	50.7	29.2	7.0	1.7	100.0
Western Australia	10.8	53.0	28.3	6.6	1.3	100.0
South Australia	10.8	51.1	29.4	6.9	1.8	100.0
Tasmania	11.0	52.6	28.5	6.7	1.1	100.0
Australian Capital Territory	9.1	49.6	31.0	7.9	2.5	100.0
Northern Territory	9.1	49.5	31.3	9.1	1.0	100.0
Total	11.0	51.4	28.8	7.2	1.5	100.0

(a) Each person is counted once regardless of the number of separations this resident had during the period.

(b) 'State/Territory' refers to the location of the nursing home.

Table 6.8: Separated permanent nursing home residents,^(a) type of home by sex and level of dependency at separation, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/type of home	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
Number						
Females						
Private for-profit	1,121	4,970	2,760	673	144	9,668
Private not-for-profit	840	3,832	2,181	542	110	7,505
Government and adjusted fees	289	1,405	728	198	49	2,669
<i>Total females</i>	<i>2,250</i>	<i>10,207</i>	<i>5,669</i>	<i>1,413</i>	<i>303</i>	<i>19,842</i>
Males						
Private for-profit	626	2,989	1,697	426	90	5,828
Private not-for-profit	374	1,950	1,146	289	48	3,807
Government and adjusted fees	232	1,082	570	158	35	2,077
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,232</i>	<i>6,021</i>	<i>3,413</i>	<i>873</i>	<i>173</i>	<i>11,712</i>
Persons						
Private for-profit	1,747	7,959	4,457	1,099	234	15,496
Private not-for-profit	1,214	5,782	3,327	831	158	11,312
Government and adjusted fees	521	2,487	1,298	356	84	4,746
Total	3,482	16,228	9,082	2,286	476	31,554
Per cent						
Females						
Private for-profit	11.6	51.4	28.5	7.0	1.5	100.0
Private not-for-profit	11.2	51.1	29.1	7.2	1.5	100.0
Government and adjusted fees	10.8	52.6	27.3	7.4	1.8	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>11.3</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>28.6</i>	<i>7.1</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
Private for-profit	10.7	51.3	29.1	7.3	1.5	100.0
Private not-for-profit	9.8	51.2	30.1	7.6	1.3	100.0
Government and adjusted fees	11.2	52.1	27.4	7.6	1.7	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>10.5</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>29.1</i>	<i>7.5</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
Private for-profit	11.3	51.4	28.8	7.1	1.5	100.0
Private not-for-profit	10.7	51.1	29.4	7.3	1.4	100.0
Government and adjusted fees	11.0	52.4	27.3	7.5	1.8	100.0
Total	11.0	51.4	28.8	7.2	1.5	100.0

(a) Each person is counted once regardless of the number of separations this resident had during the period.

Table 6.9: Separated permanent nursing home residents,^(a) age at separation by sex and level of dependency at separation, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/age	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
Number						
Females						
Under 65	58	216	116	29	8	427
65-69	48	200	112	33	5	398
70-74	128	544	275	76	9	1,032
75-79	216	1,060	600	129	34	2,039
80-84	448	1,935	1,092	303	63	3,841
85-89	608	2,643	1,476	375	81	5,183
90+	744	3,609	1,998	468	103	6,922
<i>Total females</i>	<i>2,250</i>	<i>10,207</i>	<i>5,669</i>	<i>1,413</i>	<i>303</i>	<i>19,842</i>
Males						
Under 65	63	292	150	43	8	556
65-69	62	300	161	38	9	570
70-74	112	610	332	89	18	1,161
75-79	220	1,067	546	146	22	2,001
80-84	291	1,365	808	206	47	2,717
85-89	264	1,348	827	205	47	2,691
90+	220	1,039	589	146	22	2,016
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,232</i>	<i>6,021</i>	<i>3,413</i>	<i>873</i>	<i>173</i>	<i>11,712</i>
Persons						
Under 65	121	508	266	72	16	983
65-69	110	500	273	71	14	968
70-74	240	1,154	607	165	27	2,193
75-79	436	2,127	1,146	275	56	4,040
80-84	739	3,300	1,900	509	110	6,558
85-89	872	3,991	2,303	580	128	7,874
90+	964	4,648	2,587	614	125	8,938
Total	3,482	16,228	9,082	2,286	476	31,554
Per cent						
Females						
Under 65	13.6	50.6	27.2	6.8	1.9	100.0
65-69	12.1	50.3	28.1	8.3	1.3	100.0
70-74	12.4	52.7	26.6	7.4	0.9	100.0
75-79	10.6	52.0	29.4	6.3	1.7	100.0
80-84	11.7	50.4	28.4	7.9	1.6	100.0
85-89	11.7	51.0	28.5	7.2	1.6	100.0
90+	10.7	52.1	28.9	6.8	1.5	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>11.3</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>28.6</i>	<i>7.1</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
Under 65	11.3	52.5	27.0	7.7	1.4	100.0
65-69	10.9	52.6	28.2	6.7	1.6	100.0
70-74	9.6	52.5	28.6	7.7	1.6	100.0
75-79	11.0	53.3	27.3	7.3	1.1	100.0
80-84	10.7	50.2	29.7	7.6	1.7	100.0
85-89	9.8	50.1	30.7	7.6	1.7	100.0
90+	10.9	51.5	29.2	7.2	1.1	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>10.5</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>29.1</i>	<i>7.5</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
Under 65	12.3	51.7	27.1	7.3	1.6	100.0
65-69	11.4	51.7	28.2	7.3	1.4	100.0
70-74	10.9	52.6	27.7	7.5	1.2	100.0
75-79	10.8	52.6	28.4	6.8	1.4	100.0
80-84	11.3	50.3	29.0	7.8	1.7	100.0
85-89	11.1	50.7	29.2	7.4	1.6	100.0
90+	10.8	52.0	28.9	6.9	1.4	100.0
Total	11.0	51.4	28.8	7.2	1.5	100.0

(a) Each person is counted once regardless of the number of separations this resident had during the period.

Table 6.10: Separated permanent nursing home residents,^(a) separation mode by sex and level of dependency at separation, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/separation mode	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
Number						
Females						
Death	2,015	9,170	5,110	1,274	266	17,835
Return to community	90	422	233	57	12	814
To hospital	39	150	70	21	11	291
To hostel	32	161	82	26	0	301
To other nursing home	46	173	103	20	10	352
Other	28	131	71	15	4	249
<i>Total females</i>	<i>2,250</i>	<i>10,207</i>	<i>5,669</i>	<i>1,413</i>	<i>303</i>	<i>19,842</i>
Males						
Death	1,072	5,230	3,023	757	151	10,233
Return to community	72	312	156	37	11	588
To hospital	25	157	77	17	5	281
To hostel	13	97	46	24	1	181
To other nursing home	29	140	72	28	1	270
Other	21	85	39	10	4	159
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,232</i>	<i>6,021</i>	<i>3,413</i>	<i>873</i>	<i>173</i>	<i>11,712</i>
Persons						
Death	3,087	14,400	8,133	2,031	417	28,068
Return to community	162	734	389	94	23	1,402
To hospital	64	307	147	38	16	572
To hostel	45	258	128	50	1	482
To other nursing home	75	313	175	48	11	622
Other	49	216	110	25	8	408
Total	3,482	16,228	9,082	2,286	476	31,554
Per cent						
Females						
Death	11.3	51.4	28.7	7.1	1.5	100.0
Return to community	11.1	51.8	28.6	7.0	1.5	100.0
To hospital	13.4	51.5	24.1	7.2	3.8	100.0
To hostel	10.6	53.5	27.2	8.6	0.0	100.0
To other nursing home	13.1	49.1	29.3	5.7	2.8	100.0
Other	11.2	52.6	28.5	6.0	1.6	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>11.3</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>28.6</i>	<i>7.1</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
Death	10.5	51.1	29.5	7.4	1.5	100.0
Return to community	12.2	53.1	26.5	6.3	1.9	100.0
To hospital	8.9	55.9	27.4	6.0	1.8	100.0
To hostel	7.2	53.6	25.4	13.3	0.6	100.0
To other nursing home	10.7	51.9	26.7	10.4	0.4	100.0
Other	13.2	53.5	24.5	6.3	2.5	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>10.5</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>29.1</i>	<i>7.5</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
Death	11.0	51.3	29.0	7.2	1.5	100.0
Return to community	11.6	52.4	27.7	6.7	1.6	100.0
To hospital	11.2	53.7	25.7	6.6	2.8	100.0
To hostel	9.3	53.5	26.6	10.4	0.2	100.0
To other nursing home	12.1	50.3	28.1	7.7	1.8	100.0
Other	12.0	52.9	27.0	6.1	2.0	100.0
Total	11.0	51.4	28.8	7.2	1.5	100.0

(a) Each person is counted once regardless of the number of separations this resident had during the period.

Table 6.11: Separated permanent nursing home residents,^(a) length of stay by sex and level of dependency at separation, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/length of stay	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Number					
Females						
<4 weeks	234	1,083	633	136	24	2,110
4-<8 weeks	143	663	386	103	26	1,321
8-<13 weeks	131	534	290	77	16	1,048
13-<26 weeks	186	863	477	106	39	1,671
26-<39 weeks	148	627	328	87	15	1,205
39-<52 weeks	102	522	258	70	9	961
1-<2 years	334	1,482	827	233	33	2,909
2-<3 years	229	1,060	637	171	23	2,120
3-<4 years	199	788	491	110	28	1,616
4-<5 years	148	657	355	89	27	1,276
5-<10 years	297	1,479	742	177	44	2,739
10+ years	99	449	245	54	19	866
<i>Total females</i>	<i>2,250</i>	<i>10,207</i>	<i>5,669</i>	<i>1,413</i>	<i>303</i>	<i>19,842</i>
Males						
<4 weeks	183	945	519	138	31	1,816
4-<8 weeks	109	515	331	73	12	1,040
8-<13 weeks	87	395	206	54	9	751
13-<26 weeks	154	701	383	106	13	1,357
26-<39 weeks	91	437	268	71	13	880
39-<52 weeks	70	355	170	45	9	649
1-<2 years	179	932	533	139	20	1,803
2-<3 years	121	559	316	83	29	1,108
3-<4 years	63	373	225	54	9	724
4-<5 years	45	248	133	33	9	468
5-<10 years	97	416	252	58	11	834
10+ years	33	145	77	19	8	282
<i>Total males</i>	<i>1,232</i>	<i>6,021</i>	<i>3,413</i>	<i>873</i>	<i>173</i>	<i>11,712</i>
Persons						
<4 weeks	417	2,028	1,152	274	55	3,926
4-<8 weeks	252	1,178	717	176	38	2,361
8-<13 weeks	218	929	496	131	25	1,799
13-<26 weeks	340	1,564	860	212	52	3,028
26-<39 weeks	239	1,064	596	158	28	2,085
39-<52 weeks	172	877	428	115	18	1,610
1-<2 years	513	2,414	1,360	372	53	4,712
2-<3 years	350	1,619	953	254	52	3,228
3-<4 years	262	1,161	716	164	37	2,340
4-<5 years	193	905	488	122	36	1,744
5-<10 years	394	1,895	994	235	55	3,573
10+ years	132	594	322	73	27	1,148
Total	3,482	16,228	9,082	2,286	476	31,554

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Table 6.11 (continued): Separated permanent nursing home residents,^(a) length of stay by sex and level of dependency at separation, 1 July 1996 to 30 June 1997

Sex/length of stay	High dependency			Low dependency		Total
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Per cent					
Females						
<4 weeks	11.1	51.3	30.0	6.4	1.1	100.0
4-<8 weeks	10.8	50.2	29.2	7.8	2.0	100.0
8-<13 weeks	12.5	51.0	27.7	7.3	1.5	100.0
13-<26 weeks	11.1	51.6	28.5	6.3	2.3	100.0
26-<39 weeks	12.3	52.0	27.2	7.2	1.2	100.0
39-<52 weeks	10.6	54.3	26.8	7.3	0.9	100.0
1-<2 years	11.5	50.9	28.4	8.0	1.1	100.0
2-<3 years	10.8	50.0	30.0	8.1	1.1	100.0
3-<4 years	12.3	48.8	30.4	6.8	1.7	100.0
4-<5 years	11.6	51.5	27.8	7.0	2.1	100.0
5-<10 years	10.8	54.0	27.1	6.5	1.6	100.0
10+ years	11.4	51.8	28.3	6.2	2.2	100.0
<i>Total females</i>	<i>11.3</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>28.6</i>	<i>7.1</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Males						
<4 weeks	10.1	52.0	28.6	7.6	1.7	100.0
4-<8 weeks	10.5	49.5	31.8	7.0	1.2	100.0
8-<13 weeks	11.6	52.6	27.4	7.2	1.2	100.0
13-<26 weeks	11.3	51.7	28.2	7.8	1.0	100.0
26-<39 weeks	10.3	49.7	30.5	8.1	1.5	100.0
39-<52 weeks	10.8	54.7	26.2	6.9	1.4	100.0
1-<2 years	9.9	51.7	29.6	7.7	1.1	100.0
2-<3 years	10.9	50.5	28.5	7.5	2.6	100.0
3-<4 years	8.7	51.5	31.1	7.5	1.2	100.0
4-<5 years	9.6	53.0	28.4	7.1	1.9	100.0
5-<10 years	11.6	49.9	30.2	7.0	1.3	100.0
10+ years	11.7	51.4	27.3	6.7	2.8	100.0
<i>Total males</i>	<i>10.5</i>	<i>51.4</i>	<i>29.1</i>	<i>7.5</i>	<i>1.5</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Persons						
<4 weeks	10.6	51.7	29.3	7.0	1.4	100.0
4-<8 weeks	10.7	49.9	30.4	7.5	1.6	100.0
8-<13 weeks	12.1	51.6	27.6	7.3	1.4	100.0
13-<26 weeks	11.2	51.7	28.4	7.0	1.7	100.0
26-<39 weeks	11.5	51.0	28.6	7.6	1.3	100.0
39-<52 weeks	10.7	54.5	26.6	7.1	1.1	100.0
1-<2 years	10.9	51.2	28.9	7.9	1.1	100.0
2-<3 years	10.8	50.2	29.5	7.9	1.6	100.0
3-<4 years	11.2	49.6	30.6	7.0	1.6	100.0
4-<5 years	11.1	51.9	28.0	7.0	2.1	100.0
5-<10 years	11.0	53.0	27.8	6.6	1.5	100.0
10+ years	11.5	51.7	28.0	6.4	2.4	100.0
Total	11.0	51.4	28.8	7.2	1.5	100.0

(a) Each person is counted once regardless of the number of separations this resident had during the period.