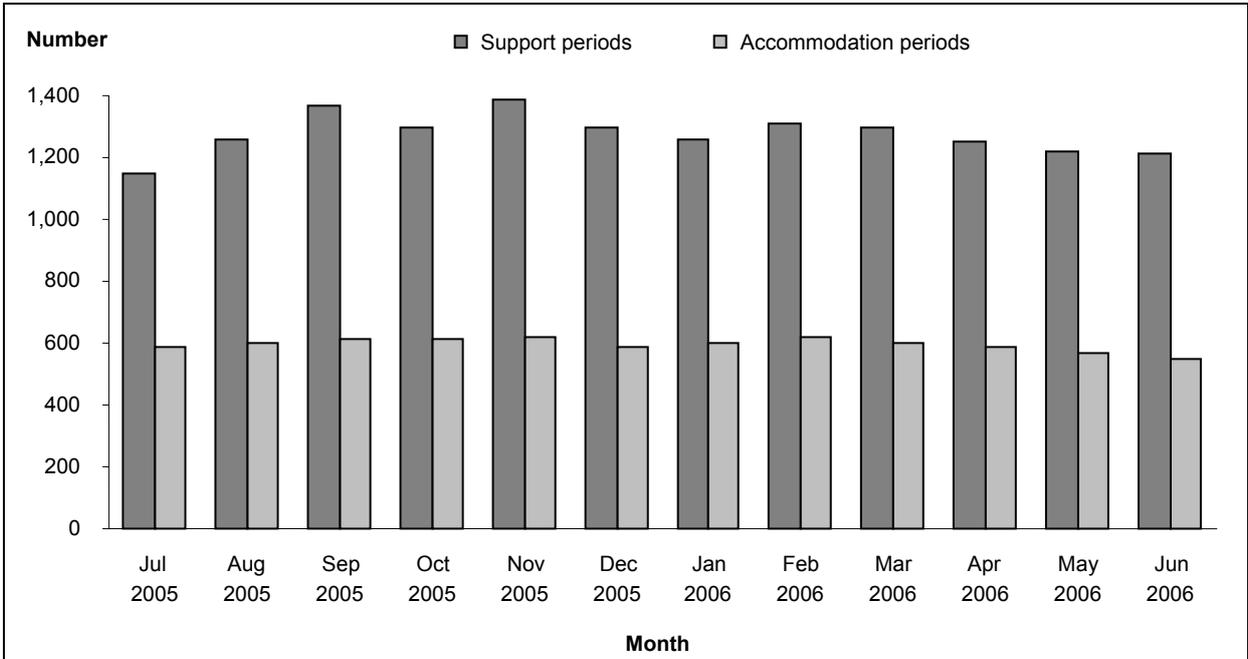


# 3 Level of support

## 3.1 Key chart



Sources: tables 3.3 and 3.4.

**Figure 3.1: SAAP support periods active each day and accommodation periods active each night, average by month, Western Australia, 2005-06 (number)**

## 3.2 Tables

**Table 3.1: SAAP support periods and clients, Western Australia, 2005–06 (number)**

Support periods	12,750
With accommodation	9,200
Without accommodation	3,550
Clients	8,350
Mean number of support periods per client	1.54
Clients per 10,000 population 10+ <sup>(a)</sup>	46

(a) 'Per 10,000 population aged 10+' shows how many people out of every 10,000 aged 10 years and over in the general population became SAAP clients. The rate is estimated by comparing the number of SAAP clients aged 10 years and over with the estimated resident population aged 10 years and over at 30 June 2005 (preliminary estimates).

*Notes*

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 0.
2. Number of clients in this table relates to clients that ever received assistance from a SAAP agency in Western Australia.
3. Support period figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.
4. Client figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

*Sources:* SAAP Client Collection; ABS 2006a.

**Table 3.2: SAAP accompanying child support periods and accompanying children, Western Australia, 2005–06 (number)**

Accompanying child support periods	8,300
With accommodation <sup>(a)</sup>	6,450
Without accommodation <sup>(a)</sup>	1,850
Accompanying children	5,400
Mean number of accompanying child support periods per accompanying child	1.45
Accompanying children per 10,000 population aged 0–17 <sup>(b)</sup>	111

(a) Dates of support and accommodation are not collected for accompanying children. For the purposes of calculating the number of accompanying child support periods with and without a period of accommodation, accompanying children are assumed to have the same periods of support and accommodation as their parent(s) or guardian(s).

(b) 'Per 10,000 population aged 0–17' shows how many children out of every 10,000 aged 17 years and under in the general population accompanied SAAP clients. The rate is estimated by comparing the number of accompanying children aged 17 years and under with the estimated resident population aged 17 years and under at 30 June 2005 (preliminary estimates).

*Notes*

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 0.
2. Number of accompanying children in this table relates to children that ever accompanied a client to a SAAP agency in Western Australia.
3. Accompanying child support period figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.
4. Accompanying children figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

*Sources:* SAAP Client Collection; ABS 2006a.

**Table 3.3: SAAP support periods: number of support periods active each day, average by month and district, Western Australia, 2005–06**

Date	Armadale	Canning-ton	Frem-antle	Gold-fields	Great Southern	Joonalup	Kim-berley	Metro/State	Midland
July 2005	20	150	130	20	30	20	50	220	30
August 2005	20	160	140	30	40	20	50	240	60
September 2005	20	160	140	20	30	20	60	260	130
October 2005	20	170	120	20	20	20	60	260	60
November 2005	20	170	130	30	30	20	60	270	100
December 2005	20	170	130	20	30	20	50	270	50
January 2006	20	180	130	20	20	20	50	250	40
February 2006	20	200	130	20	20	20	60	220	90
March 2006	20	190	130	30	20	20	70	200	80
April 2006	20	200	120	30	10	30	70	200	70
May 2006	20	200	110	20	10	30	70	200	70
June 2006	20	210	110	30	10	30	60	200	40
<b>Support periods: total number of days</b>	<b>6,890</b>	<b>66,030</b>	<b>46,070</b>	<b>9,200</b>	<b>8,130</b>	<b>8,140</b>	<b>21,700</b>	<b>85,120</b>	<b>24,600</b>

*(continued below)*

Date	Mirra-booka	Murch-ison	Peel	Perth	Pilbara	Rocking-ham	South-west	Wheat-belt	Total
July 2005	30	20	20	280	30	10	60	20	1,150
August 2005	30	20	20	280	40	10	90	20	1,260
September 2005	20	10	20	290	50	10	110	20	1,370
October 2005	20	20	20	280	50	10	130	20	1,300
November 2005	20	20	20	280	50	10	120	20	1,390
December 2005	20	20	20	270	50	10	120	20	1,300
January 2006	30	20	20	260	40	10	130	20	1,260
February 2006	20	20	20	260	40	20	130	20	1,310
March 2006	20	20	20	260	40	20	130	20	1,300
April 2006	20	20	20	270	40	10	90	20	1,250
May 2006	20	20	20	260	30	10	100	20	1,220
June 2006	30	20	30	270	30	10	100	20	1,210
<b>Support periods: total number of days</b>	<b>9,030</b>	<b>7,110</b>	<b>7,960</b>	<b>98,940</b>	<b>14,490</b>	<b>4,390</b>	<b>40,110</b>	<b>7,750</b>	<b>465,640</b>

*Notes*

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (unweighted): 0.
2. Please refer to the counting rules (Appendix 1, Section A1.4 of the national report) for the method used to calculate the monthly average.
3. Figures are unweighted and have not been adjusted for agency non-participation and/or client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Administrative Data and Client Collections.

**Table 3.4: SAAP support periods with accommodation: number of accommodation periods active each night, average by month and district, Western Australia, 2005-06**

Date	Armadale	Canning-ton	Frem-antle	Gold-fields	Great Southern	Joonalup	Kim-berley	Metro/State	Midland
July 2005	10	40	80	20	10	20	20	50	10
August 2005	10	40	70	20	10	20	20	60	20
September 2005	20	40	60	20	10	20	30	60	20
October 2005	10	40	70	20	10	20	30	60	20
November 2005	10	40	80	20	10	20	30	70	20
December 2005	20	40	80	10	10	20	20	60	20
January 2006	20	40	70	10	10	20	20	70	20
February 2006	20	40	70	20	10	20	20	70	20
March 2006	20	30	70	20	10	20	20	70	30
April 2006	20	30	60	20	10	20	20	70	30
May 2006	10	30	50	10	10	20	20	70	30
June 2006	10	30	50	10	10	20	20	70	20
<b>Accommodation periods: total number of nights</b>	<b>5,600</b>	<b>13,140</b>	<b>24,030</b>	<b>5,630</b>	<b>2,910</b>	<b>6,720</b>	<b>8,520</b>	<b>22,700</b>	<b>7,850</b>

*(continued below)*

Date	Mirra-booka	Murch-ison	Peel	Perth	Pilbara	Rocking-ham	South-west	Wheat-belt	Total
July 2005	20	10	10	230	10	10	20	—	590
August 2005	20	10	10	230	10	10	20	—	600
September 2005	20	10	10	240	10	10	30	—	610
October 2005	20	10	10	240	10	10	30	—	610
November 2005	20	20	10	230	20	10	20	—	620
December 2005	20	10	10	230	10	0	30	—	590
January 2006	20	10	10	220	10	10	30	—	600
February 2006	20	20	10	230	10	10	30	—	620
March 2006	20	10	10	230	10	10	30	—	600
April 2006	20	10	10	240	10	10	20	10	590
May 2006	20	10	10	230	10	10	20	10	570
June 2006	20	10	10	230	—	10	20	—	550
<b>Accommodation periods: total number of nights</b>	<b>6,430</b>	<b>4,600</b>	<b>3,810</b>	<b>82,220</b>	<b>3,630</b>	<b>2,700</b>	<b>8,690</b>	<b>1,350</b>	<b>210,520</b>

*Notes*

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (unweighted): 84.
2. Please refer to the counting rules (Appendix 1, Section A1.4 of the national report) for the method used to calculate the monthly average.
3. Figures are unweighted and have not been adjusted for agency non-participation and/or client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Administrative Data and Client Collections.