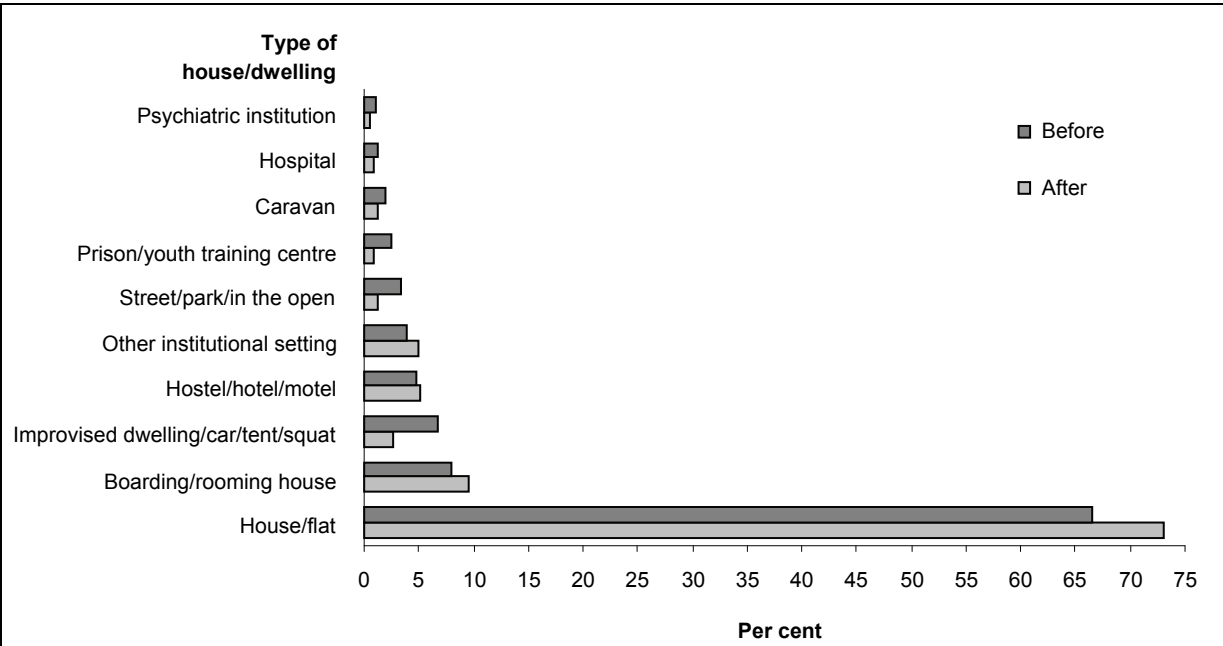


8 Circumstances of clients before and after support

8.1 Key chart



Source: Table 8.5.

Figure 8.1: Type of house/dwelling immediately before and after a support period, Australian Capital Territory, 2005-06 (per cent closed support periods)

8.2 Tables

Table 8.1: SAAP closed support periods: main source of income immediately before and after a support period, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

Main source of income	Closed support periods in which clients needed assistance to obtain/maintain a pension or benefit		All closed support periods	
	Before	After	Before	After
No income	23.7	11.7	11.7	7.7
Government payments	63.1	76.8	77.1	78.9
Other	13.2	11.4	11.2	13.4
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>350</i>	<i>350</i>	<i>2,100</i>	<i>1,900</i>
Number with 'Client left without providing any information'	n.a.	<25	n.a.	150
Number with 'Don't know'	<25	<25	50	100
Number with missing data	<25	<25	<25	50
Total (number)	350	350	2,200	2,200

Note: Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.2: SAAP closed support periods: employment status in the week before and after a support period, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

Employment status	Closed support periods in which clients needed assistance in employment and training		All closed support periods	
	Before	After	Before	After
Employed full time	2.6	7.8	5.6	8.6
Employed part time	10.7	18.5	8.6	9.9
Unemployed (looking for work)	35.3	20.2	26.9	22.2
Not in labour force	51.4	53.5	58.9	59.2
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>250</i>	<i>250</i>	<i>2,050</i>	<i>1,800</i>
Number with 'Client left without providing any information'	n.a.	<25	n.a.	250
Number with 'Don't know'	<25	<25	150	150
Number with missing data	—	<25	<25	50
Total (number)	250	250	2,200	2,200

Note: Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.3: SAAP closed support periods: main source of income and employment status after support by length of support, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

After support	1 day or less	>1–7 days	>1–4 weeks	>4–13 weeks	>13–26 weeks	>26–52 weeks	>52 weeks	Total	
								%	Number
Main source of income									
No income	12.3	11.6	9.7	5.0	7.0	(^(*))—	(^(*))—	7.7	150
Government payments	76.5	79.8	78.4	78.4	75.6	85.8	80.2	78.9	1,500
Other	11.1	8.6	11.9	16.6	17.4	(^(*))—	(^(*))—	13.4	250
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>..</i>
Total (row %)	8.3	20.1	23.7	21.4	11.2	8.1	7.1	100.0	..
Total (number)	150	400	450	400	200	150	150	..	1,900
Employment status									
Employed full time	4.8	4.5	12.0	10.1	7.9	9.0	10.8	8.6	150
Employed part time	7.8	4.3	6.0	9.4	16.2	15.7	23.1	9.9	200
Unemployed (looking for work)	30.2	30.3	27.9	18.5	9.0	15.4	16.0	22.2	400
Not in labour force	57.2	61.0	54.1	62.0	66.9	60.0	50.1	59.2	1,050
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>..</i>
Total (row %)	9.0	19.3	21.8	21.0	12.4	9.0	7.5	100.0	..
Total (number)	150	350	400	400	200	150	150	..	1,800

Notes

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 295 (length of support and main source of income, including 'Don't know' and 'client left without providing any information').
2. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 403 (length of support and employment status, including 'Don't know' and 'client left without providing any information').
3. To ensure confidentiality some cells in this table have been replaced with '(^(*))—'. While these cases are not presented separately, they are included in the total.
4. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.4: SAAP closed support periods: student status immediately before and after a support period, by age, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

Student status	5–17 years		18+ years		Total	
	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After
Not a student	42.5	45.9	91.2	90.7	82.3	82.1
Primary/secondary student	54.0	50.9	3.2	2.1	12.5	11.5
Post-secondary student/employment training	3.5	3.2	5.5	7.2	5.2	6.4
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>350</i>	<i>350</i>	<i>1,600</i>	<i>1,400</i>	<i>1,950</i>	<i>1,750</i>
Number with 'Client left without providing any information'	n.a.	<25	n.a.	250	n.a.	250
Number with 'Don't know'	<25	<25	150	100	150	100
Number with missing data	<25	<25	<25	50	50	50
Total (number)	350	350	1,750	1,750	2,150	2,150

Notes

1. Table excludes closed support periods for clients aged 4 years and under.
2. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.5: SAAP closed support periods: type of house/dwelling immediately before and after a support period, Australian Capital Territory, 2005-06 (per cent)

Type of house/dwelling	Closed support periods in which clients needed assistance to obtain/maintain independent housing		All closed support periods	
	Before	After	Before	After
Improvised dwelling/sleeping rough	8.6	3.2	10.0	3.9
Improvised dwelling/car/tent/squat	6.2	2.5	6.7	2.6
Street/park/in the open	2.4	0.7	3.3	1.2
House/dwelling	83.1	93.1	81.3	88.9
House/flat	68.5	77.9	66.5	73.0
Caravan	2.6	1.3	2.0	1.2
Boarding/rooming house	8.0	9.3	8.0	9.6
Hostel/hotel/motel	4.0	4.6	4.8	5.1
Institutional setting	8.3	3.7	8.8	7.2
Hospital	1.3	(*)—	1.3	0.9
Psychiatric institution	1.0	(*)—	1.1	0.5
Prison/youth training centre	2.4	0.7	2.4	0.9
Other institutional setting	3.5	2.3	3.9	5.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>1,100</i>	<i>950</i>	<i>2,050</i>	<i>1,600</i>
Number with 'Client left without providing any information'	n.a.	100	n.a.	300
Number with 'Don't know'	50	100	150	250
Number with missing data	<25	50	<25	50
Total (number)	1,150	1,150	2,200	2,200

Notes

1. To ensure confidentiality some cells in this table have been replaced with '(*)—'. While these cases are not presented separately, they are included in the total.
2. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.6: SAAP closed support periods: type of tenure immediately before and after a support period, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

Type of tenure	Closed support periods in which clients needed assistance to obtain/maintain independent housing		All closed support periods	
	Before	After	Before	After
SAAP/CAP funded accommodation	19.8	19.1	19.8	22.1
SAAP/CAP crisis/short term accommodation	14.5	7.2	14.4	8.5
SAAP/CAP medium/long term accommodation	4.4	11.5	4.5	12.4
Other SAAP/CAP funded accommodation	0.9	0.4	0.9	1.2
No tenure	16.2	5.8	17.6	9.7
Institutional setting	6.6	2.3	7.2	5.6
Improvised dwelling/sleeping rough	7.9	2.9	9.1	3.6
Other	1.7	0.6	1.3	0.5
Tenure	64.0	75.1	62.6	68.2
Purchasing/purchased own home	2.0	0.9	2.2	1.2
Private rental	17.5	15.5	16.9	15.2
Public housing rental	13.5	33.7	14.6	28.0
Community housing rental	1.5	6.9	1.6	5.1
Rent-free accommodation	14.1	7.8	15.1	9.3
Boarding	15.4	10.3	12.2	9.3
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>1,100</i>	<i>900</i>	<i>1,900</i>	<i>1,550</i>
Number with 'Client left without providing any information'	n.a.	100	n.a.	300
Number with 'Don't know'	50	100	250	300
Number with missing data	<25	<25	<25	50
Total (number)	1,150	1,150	2,200	2,200

Note: Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.7: SAAP closed support periods: type of house/dwelling occupied after support by length of support, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

Type of house/dwelling	1 day or less	>1–7 days	>1–4 weeks	>4–13 weeks	>13–26 weeks	>26–52 weeks	>52 weeks	Total	
								%	Number
All closed support periods									
Improvised dwelling/sleeping rough	4.0	8.9	4.9	^(*) —	—	^(*) —	—	3.9	50
Improvised dwelling/car/tent/squat	^(*) —	4.8	3.4	3.4	—	^(*) —	—	2.6	50
Street/park/in the open	^(*) —	4.1	1.5	^(*) —	—	—	—	1.2	<25
House/dwelling	81.5	^(*) —	89.3	^(*) —	^(*) —	^(*) —	^(*) —	88.9	1,450
House/flat	63.8	56.4	66.4	74.3	83.7	88.3	93.7	73.0	1,200
Caravan	3.4	^(*) —	1.4	^(*) —	^(*) —	2.4	^(*) —	1.2	<25
Boarding/rooming house	8.0	10.1	13.7	12.5	7.2	3.0	2.8	9.6	150
Hostel/hotel/motel	6.3	8.3	7.7	3.6	2.6	^(*) —	^(*) —	5.1	100
Institutional setting	14.6	^(*) —	5.8	5.0	^(*) —	^(*) —	^(*) —	7.2	100
Hospital	^(*) —	1.6	1.1	^(*) —	—	—	—	0.9	<25
Psychiatric institution	^(*) —	^(*) —	^(*) —	—	—	^(*) —	^(*) —	0.5	<25
Prison/youth training centre	^(*) —	2.0	^(*) —	^(*) —	^(*) —	—	—	0.9	<25
Other institutional setting	9.4	11.1	3.2	3.7	4.8	2.6	—	5.0	100
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>..</i>
Total (row %)	7.5	16.6	22.1	22.9	12.8	9.7	8.5	100.0	..
Total (number)	100	250	350	350	200	150	150	..	1,600
Closed support periods in which clients were accommodated									
Improvised dwelling/sleeping rough	^(*) —	9.6	5.1	1.2	—	—	—	4.4	50
Improvised dwelling/car/tent/squat	^(*) —	5.2	3.3	^(*) —	—	—	—	2.6	50
Street/park/in the open	^(*) —	4.4	1.8	^(*) —	—	—	—	1.8	<25
House/dwelling	^(*) —	^(*) —	^(*) —	90.6	^(*) —	^(*) —	100.0	87.0	900
House/flat	64.4	54.1	65.6	67.5	80.2	91.6	94.8	68.1	700
Caravan	^(*) —	^(*) —	^(*) —	—	^(*) —	^(*) —	^(*) —	1.1	<25
Boarding/rooming house	9.5	11.0	14.7	16.9	9.0	^(*) —	^(*) —	11.7	100
Hostel/hotel/motel	4.0	9.0	8.3	6.1	^(*) —	^(*) —	—	6.2	50
Institutional setting	15.2	^(*) —	^(*) —	8.2	^(*) —	^(*) —	—	8.6	100
Hospital	4.0	1.7	^(*) —	^(*) —	—	—	—	1.1	<25
Psychiatric institution	—	^(*) —	^(*) —	—	—	—	—	0.4	<25
Prison/youth training centre	—	2.2	^(*) —	^(*) —	—	—	—	1.0	<25
Other institutional setting	11.2	10.5	3.0	6.7	^(*) —	^(*) —	—	6.1	50
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>..</i>
Total (row %)	8.5	24.0	28.9	17.4	6.4	8.1	6.7	100.0	..
Total (number)	100	250	300	200	50	100	50	..	1,050

Notes

- Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 628 closed support periods (including 'Don't know' and 'client left without providing any information'); 463 closed accommodated support periods (including 'Don't know' and 'client left without providing any information').
- To ensure confidentiality some cells in this table have been replaced with ^(*)—'. While these cases are not presented separately, they are included in the total.
- Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.8: SAAP closed support periods: type of tenure after support by length of support, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

Type of tenure	1 day	>1–7	>1–4	>4–13	>13–26	>26–52	>52	Total	
	or less	days	weeks	weeks	weeks	weeks	weeks	%	Number
All closed support periods									
SAAP/CAP funded accommodation	(?)	(?)	(?)	30.3	(?)	(?)	(?)	22.1	350
SAAP/CAP crisis/short term accommodation	13.5	14.9	9.0	9.7	5.1	(?)	(?)	8.5	150
SAAP/CAP medium/long term accommodation	3.3	11.6	13.5	19.6	11.7	8.6	5.8	12.4	200
Other SAAP/CAP funded accommodation	(?)	(?)	(?)	1.0	(?)	(?)	(?)	1.2	<25
No tenure	(?)	19.4	(?)	8.2	6.1	(?)	(?)	9.7	150
Institutional setting	13.6	11.8	4.6	2.7	4.3	(?)	(?)	5.6	100
Improvised dwelling/sleeping rough	(?)	7.5	4.5	3.8	(?)	—	—	3.6	50
Other	—	—	(?)	1.7	(?)	—	—	0.5	<25
Tenure	64.3	(?)	(?)	61.5	(?)	84.9	91.4	68.2	1,050
Purchasing/purchased own home	(?)	(?)	(?)	1.1	(?)	(?)	(?)	1.2	<25
Private rental	13.2	13.7	22.4	16.0	16.7	6.2	8.7	15.2	250
Public housing rental	22.9	10.8	10.6	22.3	35.4	64.6	69.3	28.0	450
Community housing rental	(?)	2.9	11.1	3.6	5.0	(?)	3.6	5.1	100
Rent-free accommodation	12.1	15.8	13.0	8.5	5.5	(?)	(?)	9.3	150
Boarding	10.3	7.8	9.2	10.1	11.8	7.8	7.8	9.3	150
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>..</i>
Total (row %)	7.4	16.4	21.6	22.9	12.7	10.1	8.8	100.0	..
Total (number)	100	250	350	350	200	150	150	..	1,550
Closed support periods in which clients were accommodated									
SAAP/CAP funded accommodation	(?)	(?)	(?)	41.6	26.4	(?)	3.4	25.0	250
SAAP/CAP crisis/short term accommodation	11.9	15.2	8.4	11.7	(?)	(?)	—	9.7	100
SAAP/CAP medium/long term accommodation	(?)	11.6	14.3	27.9	13.4	8.8	(?)	13.7	150
Other SAAP/CAP funded accommodation	(?)	(?)	(?)	2.0	(?)	—	(?)	1.5	<25
No tenure	(?)	20.1	(?)	4.7	5.5	(?)	—	10.6	100
Institutional setting	15.4	11.9	5.1	3.3	(?)	(?)	—	6.5	50
Improvised dwelling/sleeping rough	(?)	8.2	4.6	(?)	—	—	—	3.7	50
Other	—	—	(?)	(?)	(?)	—	—	0.4	<25
Tenure	63.8	(?)	66.8	53.7	68.1	(?)	96.6	64.4	650
Purchasing/purchased own home	(?)	(?)	—	(?)	(?)	—	—	0.5	<25
Private rental	15.2	14.4	21.9	13.9	11.3	8.4	10.2	15.5	150
Public housing rental	16.5	8.9	7.3	14.9	39.7	71.7	79.4	22.4	200
Community housing rental	(?)	3.2	13.5	4.9	7.5	(?)	(?)	6.4	50
Rent-free accommodation	16.8	16.1	15.3	(?)	(?)	—	—	11.8	100
Boarding	10.9	7.8	8.8	7.4	(?)	6.9	(?)	7.9	100
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>..</i>
Total (row %)	8.4	23.7	28.1	17.9	6.4	8.5	7.0	100.0	..
Total (number)	100	250	300	200	50	100	50	..	1,000

Notes

- Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 306 closed support periods (including 'Don't know' and 'client left without providing any information'); 222 closed accommodated support periods (including 'Don't know' and 'client left without providing any information').
- To ensure confidentiality some cells in this table have been replaced with '(?)'. While these cases are not presented separately, they are included in the total.
- Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.9: SAAP closed support periods: living situation immediately before and after a support period, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

Living situation	Before	After
With both parents	2.7	2.0
With one parent and parent's spouse/partner	2.2	(*)—
With one parent	5.3	4.2
With foster family	0.6	(*)—
With relatives/friends temporary	19.0	10.7
With relatives/friends long-term	3.8	4.0
With spouse/partner	7.8	5.1
With spouse/partner and child(ren)	10.4	10.8
Alone	16.4	21.1
Alone with child(ren)	6.9	14.2
With other unrelated persons	21.8	23.2
Other	3.1	3.3
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
<i>Total (number with valid data)</i>	<i>2,100</i>	<i>1,700</i>
Number with 'Client left without providing any information'	n.a.	300
Number with 'Don't know'	100	200
Number with missing data	<25	50
Total (number)	2,200	2,200

Notes

1. To ensure confidentiality some cells in this table have been replaced with '(*)—'. While these cases are not presented separately, they are included in the total.
2. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.10: SAAP closed support periods: existence of a case management plan, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

Case management plan	%	Number
Yes	66.0	1,400
No, client did not agree to one	4.3	100
No, support period too short	29.5	650
No, other reason	0.3	<25
Total	100.0	2,150

Notes

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 164.
2. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

Table 8.11: SAAP closed support periods where a case management plan was in place by the end of support: extent to which the client's case management goals were achieved, Australian Capital Territory, 2005–06 (per cent)

Achievement of goals	%	Number
All goals achieved	26.7	400
Most or some goals achieved	63.2	900
No goals achieved	10.1	150
Total	100.0	1,400

Notes

1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 9.
2. Figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.

Source: SAAP Client Collection.

