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1 Introduction

This report is the second annual compilation of national administration by-product data prepared by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare on Community Aged Care Packages—a Commonwealth-funded program designed to provide assistance to enable frail older people with complex care needs to continue living in the community.

The report contains a set of statistics compiled from the Aged and Community Care Management Information System (ACCMIS), managed and regularly updated by the Commonwealth Department of Health and Aged Care. The aim of this report is to highlight the patterns of service provision and characteristics of recipients of the Community Aged Care Package Program. The data reported provide a summary of:

- growth trends in Community Aged Care Packages over time;
- the number of Community Aged Care Packages as at 30 June 2000;
- the number of outlets providing these packages throughout Australia;
- socio-demographic characteristics of care package recipients;
- service provision in relation to 'special needs' groups;
- the number of admissions and separations between 1 July 1999 and 30 June 2000; and
- State and Territory variations.

To date, not all service-providing outlets are required to periodically report information such as the type of assistance received by care recipients, their levels of dependency and carer support. Some State/Territory offices are collecting a wide range of data, including types of assistance received, carer availability and staff composition. However, generalisation of these practices has not been required at the national level and, hence, these aspects of care packages are outside the scope of this report.

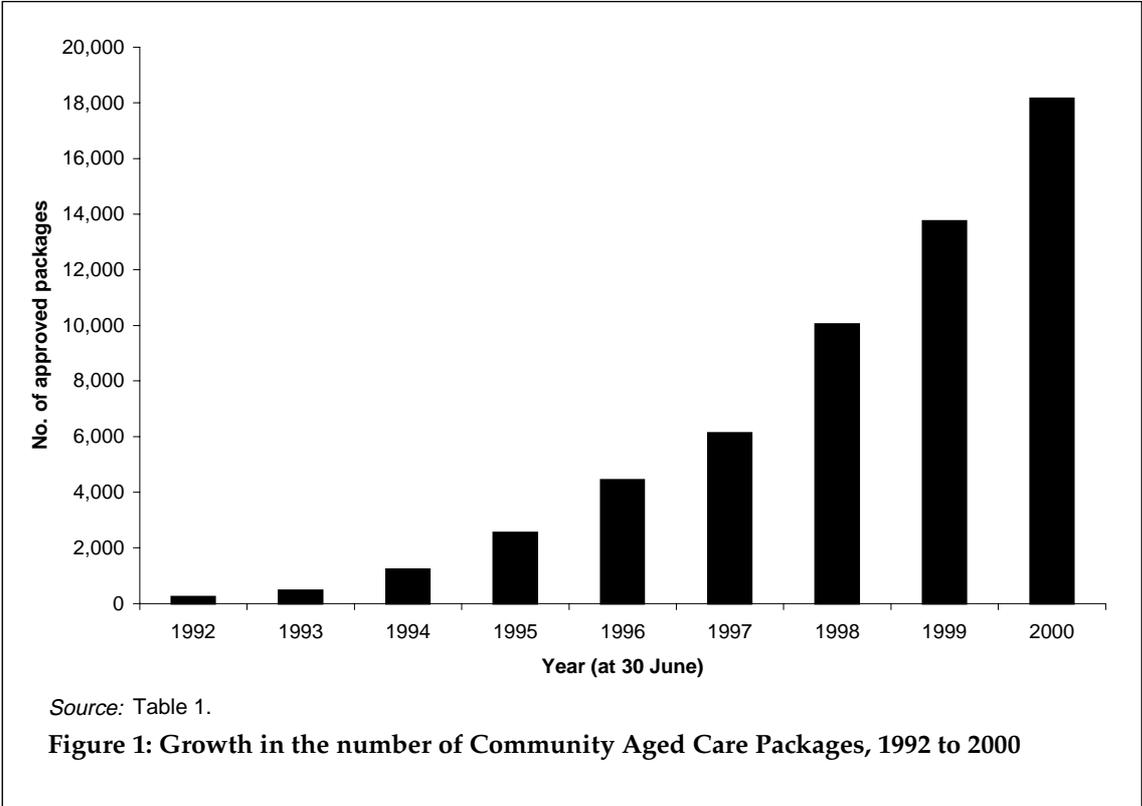
There is a move, however, towards more comprehensive and regular collection of information about care package recipients and the assistance they receive, as well as the nature of the service-providing outlets. It is expected that ACCMIS will cover a broader range of activity of Community Aged Care Packages in the future and hence, future reporting on the Community Aged Care Package Program will be more wide ranging.

For detailed background information on the program as well as earlier data on the use and provision of Community Aged Care Packages, readers should refer to the report entitled *Community Aged Care Packages. How Do They Compare?* (Mathur et al. 1997). National publications such as *Australia's Welfare* (AIHW, various years) and the *Report on Government Services* (SCRCSSP, various years) also report on selected aspects of the program.

2 Main features

2.1 Community Aged Care Packages

Community Aged Care Packages were initiated in 1992 as a Commonwealth-funded program to provide an alternative to low-level residential aged care for older people living in the community. Since 1995, it has been a government policy to provide 10 funded care packages for every 1,000 persons aged 70 years and over. Figure 1 shows that growth in the number of care packages¹ has been rapid since 1992.



As at 30 June 2000 there were 18,149 packages throughout Australia. The majority of these packages were in New South Wales and Victoria (35% and 25%, respectively). Queensland had 17% of the packages, followed by South Australia (9%) and Western Australia (8%),

¹ These care packages are available for use in the community and include packages that are currently in use by care recipients and those temporarily not in use but available. As at 30 June 2000, of the 18,149 care packages available, 16,617 were in use by care recipients. The 18,149 approved packages include 151 places approved as conversions from residential aged care places or restructuring places.

with the remaining 6% of packages distributed across Tasmania (3%), the Australian Capital Territory (2%) and the Northern Territory (1%).

Capital cities accounted for 62% of packages while 4% were in remote centres and other remote areas. The distribution of packages among other metropolitan centres, large rural centres, small rural centres and other rural areas ranged from 8% to 9% (see Table 2).

Overall, the number of packages increased nationally by 32% during the 12 months to 30 June 2000—from 13,753 at 30 June 1999 to 18,149 packages at 30 June 2000. The ratio of packages per thousand persons aged 70 years and over also increased—from 8.4 at 30 June 1999 to 10.8 at 30 June 2000 (see Table 3).

In addition to the care recipients described in this report, there were also Community Aged Care Packages provided from Multi-Purpose Services and services receiving flexible funding under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy. As at 30 June 2000 there were 86 packages provided from Multi-Purpose Services and 81 packages receiving flexible funding under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy.

2.2 The service outlets

As at 30 June 2000 there were 720 service outlets providing packages to 16,617 care recipients² throughout Australia. The majority of outlets (84%) were located in the four largest Australian States, namely New South Wales, Victoria, Queensland and Western Australia. The Australian Capital Territory had the smallest share of outlets providing packages (less than 1%, see Table 4).

The majority of service outlets were operated by the religious and charitable sector (77%). Of the remainder, 16% were run by state and local governments, 6% by the private (commercial) sector, and 1% by ex-service organisations.

On average, there were 25 packages per outlet. However, the outlet size varied greatly across Australia, with the majority of outlets having between 1 and 20 packages (56%), followed by outlets having between 21 and 40 packages (28%). The five largest outlets, each responsible for more than 121 care packages, were located in Victoria (see Table 5).

As expected, outlets operating in remote centres, other remote areas and other rural areas were small in size (the majority had 20 packages or less). Larger outlets of more than 80 packages each can be found operating only in areas of high density population such as capital cities, other metropolitan and large rural centres (with one exception in a small rural centre) (see Table 6).

2.3 Multi-Purpose Services and services receiving flexible funding under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy

In addition to the outlets and packages described in this report as part of the Community Aged Care Packages Program, some additional packages and residential care places are provided from Multi-Purpose Services and services receiving flexible funding under the

² Under existing data reporting arrangements, a number of care recipients receiving assistance under the program are not included in the current national database.

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy. As at 30 June 2000, there were 51 Multi-Purpose Services providing 1,038 residential care places and 86 packages, and 21 services receiving flexible funding under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy providing 267 residential care places and 81 packages. At 30 June 1999, the comparable figures were 815 residential care places and 61 packages for Multi-Purpose Services, and 232 residential care places and 82 packages for services receiving flexible funding under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy.

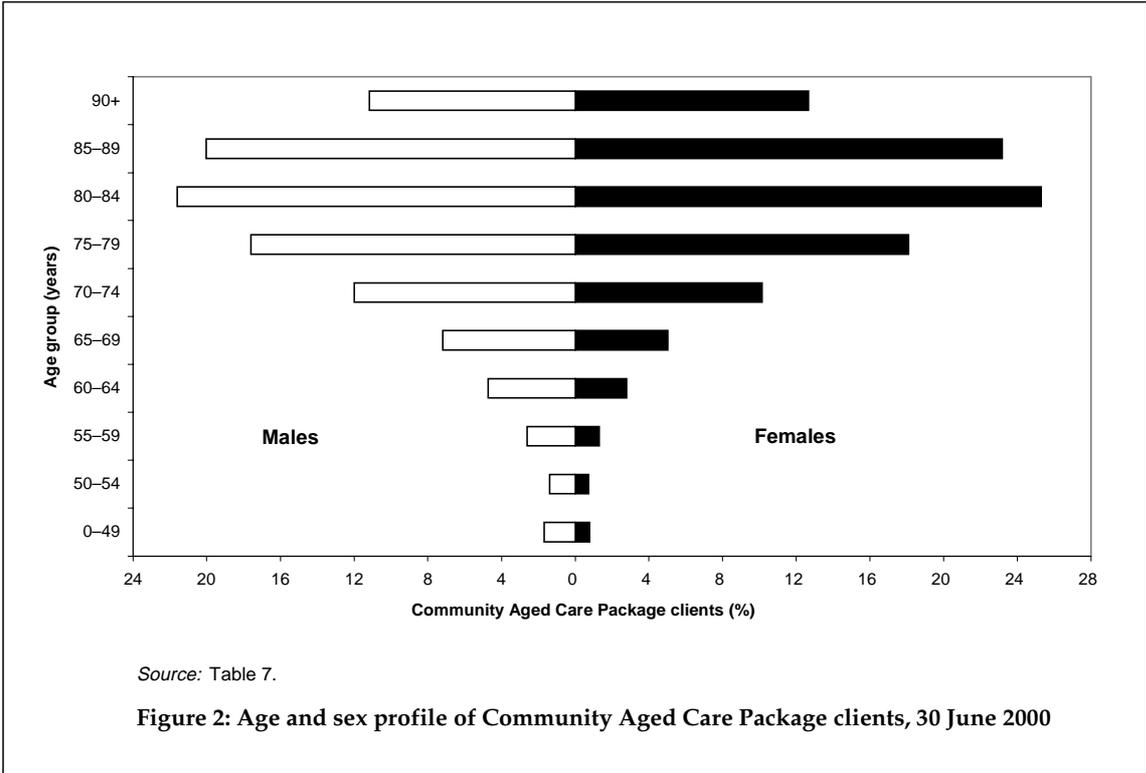
2.4 Client socio-demographic characteristics

Age and sex profiles

As is evident from Table 7, the vast majority of the 16,617 recipients of packages at 30 June 2000 were aged 70 years and over (87%). Those in the 80 and over age category comprised 59% of the total number of recipients, while those aged 90 years and over accounted for 12%.

Female recipients predominated in absolute numbers, as is illustrated in Figure 2, varying between 53% among those aged under 50 years to over 73% among those aged 85 years and over.

Taken together, these age and sex trends result in a client profile where the single largest group of package recipients (56%) are women aged 75 years and over.



Younger care recipients (aged under 65)

Although the program targets older people in the community who have complex care needs, younger people with disabilities can also receive packages if their care needs fit the criteria of the program and if there are no other appropriate services operating in their area (Department of Health and Aged Care 1999). It is not common that younger people with disabilities access the program.

About 7% of care recipients were aged under 65, and only 1% of care recipients were under the age of 50 (see Figure 2 and Table 7).

Indigenous status³

In total, there were 426 package recipients who were identified as Indigenous Australians at 30 June 2000, making up 3% of all package recipients. There was no record of Indigenous people receiving packages in the Australian Capital Territory, while 64% of care recipients in the Northern Territory indicated that they were Indigenous. After the Northern Territory, Western Australia had the next highest proportion of Indigenous care recipients, at 7.6%. The proportion of Indigenous care recipients reported in other States ranged from 0.3% in Victoria to 3.7% in Queensland (see Table 10). In addition, there were 81 packages provided to Indigenous care recipients by flexible services funded under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy.

As shown in Table 11, remote centres and other remote areas of Australia were home to over half the Indigenous care recipients at 30 June 2000. A further third of the Indigenous care recipients were estimated to live in large and small rural centres and other rural areas. The remaining Indigenous care recipients lived in capital cities and other metropolitan centres.

Birthplace and preferred language

Birthplace and preferred language both had an 85% response rate for package recipients. Of those care recipients who reported their birthplace, about 3 in 10 were born overseas (31%). Approximately 10% were born either in the United Kingdom or Ireland while over 13% were born in other areas of Europe. People born in Asia accounted for 3% of package recipients (see Table 12).

Nationally, 88% of all responding care recipients indicated that English was their preferred language, while 9% preferred a European language. Australian Indigenous languages accounted for approximately 1% of all respondents (see Table 13).

Pension status

The pension status recorded for recipients of Community Aged Care Packages was the type of pension received, for example the age pension, the invalid pension, or the repatriation pension.

The proportion of missing data on pension status for packages recipients was considerably higher (a non-response rate of approximately 20%) than for variables such as birthplace and preferred language. Among those for whom data were available, 79% were receiving an age

³ Indigenous Australians are defined in this report as those people who were reported as being of either Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin, or both.

pension, 9% a repatriation pension, and 2% an invalid pension. Care recipients receiving other pensions comprised 10% of those care recipients with known pension status (see Table 14).

Overall, the proportion receiving an invalid pension was higher among men while the proportion of care recipients receiving an age, repatriation or some other pension was higher among women.

Usual residence status

Of the 11,911 care recipients who reported their usual residence status at the time of application for a Community Aged Care Package, the majority were home owners/purchasers (72%). Care recipients who lived in public rental housing comprised 16% while those who lived in a private rental property or board/lodging accounted for the remaining 12% (8% and 4% respectively) (Table 15).

The Northern Territory stood out from the other States and Territories with 61% of all responding care recipients indicating public rental housing as their usual residence status compared with less than 20% in any other State or Territory. Care should be taken when using this figure, given the small number of care recipients in the Northern Territory.

Living arrangements

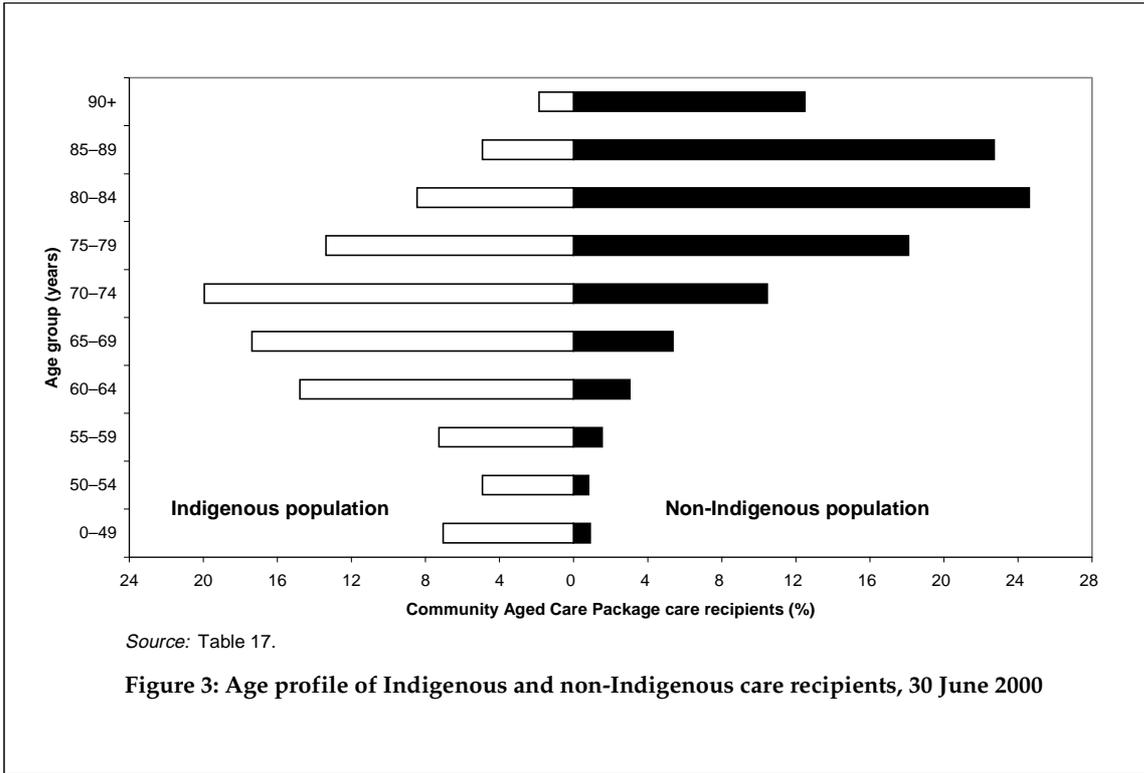
The question care recipients were asked in relation to their living arrangement at the time of application for a package was 'With whom do you normally live?'. Excluding the missing cases, a large proportion of care recipients reported normally living alone (57%) or with their spouse only (26%). Those who reported normally living with brothers and/or sisters made up the smallest group of care recipients, at approximately 1% (see Table 16).

2.5 'Special needs' groups

There are particular groups of older Australians who are more likely to be disadvantaged in accessing aged care services than older Australians in general. These groups are defined by the *Aged Care Act 1997* as 'special needs' groups, which include those who live in rural or remote areas, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, people from non-English-speaking backgrounds, and people with a personal financial hardship. One of the government's objectives is for the provision of aged care services to specifically target the needs of these groups of people in order for them to have equitable access to the program.

Indigenous care recipients

As mentioned in the previous section, care recipients who were of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin accounted for almost 3% of the total number of Community Aged Care Package recipients at 30 June 2000. The age profile of this subgroup of care recipients is considerably younger than that of the general package recipient population (see Figure 3), with 7% aged under 50, 44% aged between 50 and 69, and 49% aged 70 and over (compared to less than 1%, 11% and 88% respectively for non-Indigenous care recipients).



Using the low series⁴ of the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) experimental projections of the Indigenous population in Australia (ABS 1998) for June 2000, the ratio of Indigenous people receiving Community Aged Care Packages, including the 81 care recipients receiving flexible funding under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy, at 30 June 1999 was 12.0 per 1,000 Indigenous persons aged 50 years and over. The ratio would be 10.6 per 1,000 persons aged 50 years and over if the high series was used. Although there are considerable differences across Australian regions, the ratio indicates that the provision of care to aged Indigenous people was similar to if not above the provision of care to aged people in the general population (10.9 per 1,000 persons aged 70 and over).

Care recipients from non-English-speaking backgrounds

For the purpose of this report, people from non-English-speaking backgrounds are defined as those who were born in countries other than Australia, Ireland, United Kingdom, New Zealand, United States of America, Canada, and South Africa (and hence are defined as those whose first spoken language was not English). Overall, there were 4,133 care recipients from non-English-speaking backgrounds receiving packages at 30 June 2000, accounting for 25% of care recipients who reported their place of birth (see Table 18).

⁴ Two different series were published in the ABS experimental projections of the Indigenous population in Australia for June 2000—high series and low series. Both use the same assumption about future fertility rates, mortality rates, and net migration levels, with the difference being the assumed change in the propensity of the population to identify as being of Indigenous origin. The low series assumes that the 1996 Census propensity to identify as Indigenous will remain constant throughout the projection period while the high series assumes a continuing increase in the propensity to identify as Indigenous throughout this period at the same rate as recorded between 1991 and 1996.

Based on ABS preliminary estimated resident population by country of birth for 2000, the ratio of people from non-English-speaking backgrounds receiving packages at 30 June was 14.1 care recipients per 1,000 persons aged 70 years and over from non-English-speaking backgrounds (ABS 2000b)—a higher rate than that for the general population (10.8 per 1,000 persons aged 70 and over).

Care recipients in financial hardship

For the purposes of the program, a person with financial hardship is defined as someone 'who did not own a home in the two years before the reference time; and at the reference time was in receipt of the maximum basic rate of pension or benefit' (Department of Health and Aged Care 1999). The program requires service providers to allocate a proportion of packages to people in financial hardship. The specified proportion of allocations varies from region to region depending mainly on the existing service provision levels in the region where the outlet is located. Outlets providing Housing Linked Care Packages are specifically obliged to reserve all their places for care recipients in financial hardship.

At 30 June 2000, 720 outlets were providing Community Aged Care Packages throughout Australia. Almost all (99%) were required to allocate at least 10% of their total packages to care recipients in financial hardship, with the majority (79%) having a target set between 11% and 30% (see Table 19). There were 9 outlets with no target and 90 with a requirement to provide more than 90% of their care packages to care recipients in financial hardship. The Northern Territory was a special case with 20 out of 28 outlets having a target of more than 90%, reflecting the higher proportion of people identified as being in financial hardship in this Territory.

The proportion of care recipients identified as those in financial hardship for each State and Territory is presented in Table 21. Of those whose financial hardship status was reported, 46% were in financial hardship and 54% were not. A similar distribution to the national average can be seen in New South Wales, Victoria, Western Australia, South Australia and the Australian Capital Territory. Queensland and Tasmania, on the other hand, showed a predominating number of care recipients in financial hardship, with the Northern Territory reporting 100% of responding care recipients in financial hardship.

When the proportion of packages targeted to people in financial hardship for each State and Territory (see Table 22) is compared to the actual proportion of clients in financial hardship (see Table 21), it is evident that all States and Territories exceeded their targets. In the Northern Territory, all responding clients were financially disadvantaged, the next highest proportion of any State or Territory was 65.3% in Tasmania.

Care recipients in rural and remote areas

As shown in Table 8, 4,844 community aged care recipients lived in rural and remote areas of Australia. This number accounted for 29% of all care recipients at 30 June—26% in rural areas and 3% in remote areas. The age profile for care recipients in these regions appears to be relatively younger than for care recipients in capital cities and other metropolitan areas, with 16% of care recipients under the age of 70 years (compared to some 11% of care recipients in capital cities and metropolitan areas aged under 70). This difference in the age profile is more apparent when care recipients in remote areas are viewed separately, amongst whom care recipients under the age of 70 accounted for approximately 33%.

2.6 Admissions and separations

There were 10,824 care recipients admitted to a Community Aged Care Package between 1 July 1999 and 30 June 2000. During the same period 7,242 care recipients left their service providers (see Tables 24 and 25).

Among those leaving between 1 July 1999 and 30 June 2000, the main reasons reported were that care recipients either left to go to an aged care home (47%) or died (21%). Care recipients leaving for all other reasons such as to be admitted to a hospital or to another community aged care service provider accounted for 32% of care recipients (see Table 25).

This pattern of completed care episodes reflects the patterns seen in most States and Territories. The Northern Territory, again, is an exception with the proportion moving to an aged care home being lower (25% compared with 47% nationally) and the proportion of deaths higher (45% compared to 21% nationally). As mentioned earlier, care must be taken in interpreting results for the Northern Territory given the small number of care recipients in the Northern Territory as a proportion of the national figure.

The proportion of men who left to go to an aged care home was generally lower (44% of male care recipients) than that for women (49%). Conversely, there was a higher proportion of deaths among men (27%) than among women (18%).

Among those who left the service, 20% received care for less than 3 months prior to leaving, 36% for 3 months to a year, and 26% between 1 and 2 years. The number of care recipients who received care for more than 2 years accounted for 18% (see Table 26).

The relationship between length of stay and reasons for separations was also examined (see Table 27). There seems to be no strong correlation between length of stay and reason for separations. However, very short stay (less than 8 weeks) and very long stay (over 4 years) care recipients were less likely to leave a package and enter residential care than other care recipients.

2.7 State and Territory variations

The ratio of package provision varied greatly among States and Territories. With the exception of the Northern Territory, the Australian Capital Territory had the highest ratio of provision at 17.4 packages per 1,000 persons aged 70 years and over, followed by Tasmania (12.4). Other States had ratios of provision ranging from 10.2 to 10.9 packages per 1,000 persons aged 70 years and over. The Northern Territory had a ratio of 46.1 packages per 1,000 persons aged 70 years and over, however, this ratio is not comparable with those of other States and Territories due to the differences in age structure and Indigenous status of the potential clientele in the Northern Territory.

The size of service-providing outlets varied from one package to 179 packages across the country. The Australian Capital Territory had the highest average of 51 packages, with the next largest groups in Victoria (43), South Australia (32) and New South Wales (29). The Northern Territory had the smallest average of 7, followed by Queensland (15), Western Australia (16) and Tasmania (18). All of the outlets in the Northern Territory were of smaller size, with 12 or fewer packages, while 8 outlets in Victoria had 100 packages or more as did 1 outlet in New South Wales.

When compared to those in the other States and the Australian Capital Territory, care recipients in the Northern Territory had the youngest age profile, with 52% under the age of

70. The 'oldest' profile was found in Tasmania where care recipients aged 70 years and over made up approximately 92% compared with the national average of 87%.

The composition of care recipients by origin of birth also varied among States and Territories. In Western Australia, overseas-born care recipients made up 43% while only 6% of care recipients in the Northern Territory were overseas-born. The majority of overseas-born care recipients living in New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia and Tasmania were from other European countries (i.e. non-English-speaking). In the other States and Territories, care recipients who were born in either the United Kingdom or Ireland made up the highest proportion, the exception being Queensland where there was an equal representation of people from each group.

3 Data sources and limitations

The data presented in this paper draw mainly on the aged care data collections on ACCMIS. This data repository contains information gathered through a number of instruments. Among those instruments, the following two are directly relevant to this report:

- the *Aged Care Application and Approval Form* (form 2624). This is a form used for the assessment and approval of a care recipient for either Residential Aged Care, Community Aged Care Packages, or Flexible Care (for example, Extended Aged Care at Home Packages). This form is completed by a delegate of an Aged Care Assessment Team in consultation with the applicant and signed either by the applicant or someone else on behalf of the applicant; and
- the *Provider Claim Form*—a form completed by the service provider for claiming the Community Care subsidy that is payable in respect of the service for a payment period, normally a calendar month.

Other instruments through which information on the service providers are gathered include the *Approved Provider Status Application* and the *Community Care Service Agreement* between the Commonwealth and the service provider.

General population data are from the latest Australian Institute of Health and Welfare's population databases supplied by the Australian Bureau of Statistics.

Care recipients' personal details

All care recipients receiving a Community Aged Care Package must have a valid Aged Care Application and Approval form (i.e. the client must have an 'approved' status). This form is normally valid for a period of 12 months from the date of approval. Approval of applications is a responsibility of Aged Care Assessment Teams and their delegates.

The information entered into ACCMIS from the Aged Care Application and Approval form is the major source for the following data items:

- sex;
- date of birth;
- Indigenous status;
- birthplace;
- preferred language;
- pension status;
- usual residence status (prior to admission); and
- living arrangements (prior to admission).

Some client details, such as financial hardship status, are obtained from the Provider Claim Form.

Care recipients' admission and separation details

The *Provider Claim Form* is sent to the approved service provider at the beginning of a payment period. This form has the details of existing recipients under the care of the service provider (the form would be blank for a new service provider). It is the responsibility of the service provider to check this form for accuracy and record new data and changes relating to new admissions, separations and leave for their care recipients.

The payment claim form is the original source for the following data items:

- date of admission;
- date of separation;
- separation reason; and
- length of stay (derived from date of admission and date of separation).

Service providers' details

Details about community aged care service providers are collected through the *Approved Provider Status Application* and the *Community Care Service Agreement* between the Commonwealth and the service provider. These documents are the primary source for the following data items:

- location of outlets (by both State/Territory and geographic area);
- size of outlets (measured in number of Community Aged Care Packages); and
- financial hardship target percentage.

Limitations of the data

The following points should be noted when interpreting the data presented in this paper:

- The data used for this paper were those available in ACCMIS as at 30 October 2000. However, results may be different for the same period if the data used are taken from a date other than 30 October 2000. This is because the ACCMIS is 'refreshed' periodically and some existing data are revised when this happens.
- The general population figure used in the calculation of the service provision ratio was the ABS estimated resident population at 30 June 2000. The service provision ratios presented in this report may be different to those calculated by the Department of Health and Aged Care due to the variation in population figures used.
- Some socio-demographic characteristics of care recipients were recorded at the time of application and, hence, may not reflect the true characteristics of care recipients while receiving care from the program. These characteristics include the care recipients' pension status, usual residence status, and their living arrangements. Care recipients' actual financial hardship status may also be different from the status at the initial assessment by the service providers.
- Due to the non-compulsory nature of self-identified Indigenous status, the number of package recipients who were of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin presented in this report may be an underestimation of the true representation of Indigenous Australians within the client base of the program.

- Although the location of service-providing outlets can be used to assume the location of Community Aged Care Package care recipients, it is possible that outlets provide services to care recipients who live outside of the outlets' jurisdictions or geographic areas.
- The lack of information on areas such as type of assistance received by care recipients, their levels of dependency and carer support means that analysis of recipients' care needs was outside the scope of this paper.

4 Appendix tables

Tables for Section 2.1

Table 1: Growth in the number of Community Aged Care Packages, 1992 to 2000

| Year ^(a) | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|---------------------|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|
| | Number of packages | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 68 | 25 | 10 | 12 | 120 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 235 |
| 1993 | 138 | 82 | 54 | 26 | 150 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 470 |
| 1994 | 291 | 313 | 253 | 81 | 224 | 43 | 20 | 2 | 1,227 |
| 1995 | 834 | 640 | 443 | 210 | 285 | 98 | 25 | 7 | 2,542 |
| 1996 | 1,517 | 1,104 | 731 | 383 | 468 | 160 | 47 | 21 | 4,431 |
| 1997 | 2,199 | 1,369 | 1,027 | 538 | 634 | 228 | 84 | 45 | 6,124 |
| 1998 | 3,538 | 2,314 | 1,728 | 822 | 989 | 378 | 168 | 109 | 10,046 |
| 1999 | 4,685 | 3,323 | 2,440 | 1,161 | 1,258 | 450 | 266 | 170 | 13,753 |
| 2000 | 6,294 | 4,514 | 3,147 | 1,524 | 1,609 | 566 | 308 | 187 | 18,149 |

(a) As at 30 June.

Table 2: Packages, State/Territory by geographic area, ^(a) 30 June 2000

| | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|--|----------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Number of packages | | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 4,001 | 837 | 405 | 502 | 516 | 0 | 33 | 6,294 |
| Vic | 3,304 | 256 | 451 | 385 | 108 | 0 | 10 | 4,514 |
| Qld | 1,083 | 590 | 486 | 224 | 481 | 76 | 207 | 3,147 |
| WA | 1,076 | 0 | 0 | 124 | 152 | 123 | 49 | 1,524 |
| SA | 1,217 | 0 | 20 | 100 | 252 | 0 | 20 | 1,609 |
| Tas | 220 | 0 | 162 | 45 | 139 | 0 | 0 | 566 |
| ACT | 308 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 308 |
| NT | 43 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 91 | 53 | 187 |
| Australia | 11,252 | 1,683 | 1,524 | 1,380 | 1,648 | 290 | 372 | 18,149 |
| Per cent (column)^(b) | | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 35.6 | 49.7 | 26.6 | 36.4 | 31.3 | 0.0 | 8.9 | 34.7 |
| Vic | 29.4 | 15.2 | 29.6 | 27.9 | 6.6 | 0.0 | 2.7 | 24.9 |
| Qld | 9.6 | 35.1 | 31.9 | 16.2 | 29.2 | 26.2 | 55.6 | 17.3 |
| WA | 9.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.0 | 9.2 | 42.4 | 13.2 | 8.4 |
| SA | 10.8 | 0.0 | 1.3 | 7.2 | 15.3 | 0.0 | 5.4 | 8.9 |
| Tas | 2.0 | 0.0 | 10.6 | 3.3 | 8.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.1 |
| ACT | 2.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.7 |
| NT | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 31.4 | 14.2 | 1.0 |
| Australia | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Per cent (row)^(b) | | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 63.6 | 13.3 | 6.4 | 8.0 | 8.2 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 100.0 |
| Vic | 73.2 | 5.7 | 10.0 | 8.5 | 2.4 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 100.0 |
| Qld | 34.4 | 18.7 | 15.4 | 7.1 | 15.3 | 2.4 | 6.6 | 100.0 |
| WA | 70.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 8.1 | 10.0 | 8.1 | 3.2 | 100.0 |
| SA | 75.6 | 0.0 | 1.2 | 6.2 | 15.7 | 0.0 | 1.2 | 100.0 |
| Tas | 38.9 | 0.0 | 28.6 | 8.0 | 24.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 |
| ACT | 100.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 |
| NT | 23.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 48.7 | 28.3 | 100.0 |
| Australia | 62.0 | 9.3 | 8.4 | 7.6 | 9.1 | 1.6 | 2.0 | 100.0 |

(a) PIE & HSH 1994.

(b) Per cent columns and rows do not always add up to 100 due to rounding.

Note: In addition, there were 86 packages provided by Multi-Purpose Services and 81 flexibly funded packages under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy.

Table 3: Packages per 1,000 persons aged 70 and over,^(a) State/Territory by geographic area,^(b)
30 June 2000

| State/ Territory | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|---------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------|
| | Number of packages | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 11.6 | 10.0 | 12.9 | 9.6 | 6.8 | .. | 7.8 | 10.6 |
| Vic | 11.0 | 15.4 | 20.5 | 13.1 | 1.6 | .. | 7.1 | 10.4 |
| Qld | 8.4 | 13.3 | 11.7 | 9.2 | 11.8 | 16.8 | 34.5 | 10.9 |
| WA | 10.1 | .. | .. | 9.5 | 10.8 | 43.8 | 12.9 | 10.8 |
| SA | 10.3 | .. | 11.1 | 12.7 | 8.8 | .. | 8.5 | 10.2 |
| Tas | 11.5 | .. | 17.6 | 8.0 | 12.2 | .. | 0.0 | 12.4 |
| ACT | 17.4 | .. | .. | .. | 0.0 | .. | .. | 17.4 |
| NT | 20.5 | .. | .. | .. | 0.0 | 128.0 | 54.6 | 46.1 |
| Australia | 10.8 | 11.6 | 14.4 | 10.4 | 6.9 | 36.2 | 19.5 | 10.8 |

(a) State/Territory ratios are calculated using estimated resident population for 2000 (ABS 2001a).

(b) 'State/Territory' and 'geographic area' refer to the location of the outlet.

.. Not applicable.

Tables for Section 2.2

Table 4: Outlets,^(a) State/Territory by geographic area,^(b) 30 June 2000

| State/ Territory | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|--|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| Number of outlets | | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 110 | 36 | 12 | 15 | 29 | 0 | 3 | 205 |
| Vic | 76 | 5 | 9 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 104 |
| Qld | 52 | 25 | 26 | 16 | 48 | 11 | 27 | 205 |
| WA | 44 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 18 | 8 | 12 | 89 |
| SA | 37 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 51 |
| Tas | 12 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 32 |
| ACT | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| NT | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 8 | 28 |
| Australia | 343 | 66 | 55 | 50 | 121 | 33 | 52 | 720 |
| Per cent (column)^(b) | | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 32.1 | 54.5 | 21.8 | 30.0 | 24.0 | 0.0 | 5.8 | 28.5 |
| Vic | 22.2 | 7.6 | 16.4 | 14.0 | 5.0 | 0.0 | 1.9 | 14.4 |
| Qld | 15.2 | 37.9 | 47.3 | 32.0 | 39.7 | 33.3 | 51.9 | 28.5 |
| WA | 12.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 14.0 | 14.9 | 24.2 | 23.1 | 12.4 |
| SA | 10.8 | 0.0 | 1.8 | 6.0 | 7.4 | 0.0 | 1.9 | 7.1 |
| Tas | 3.5 | 0.0 | 12.7 | 4.0 | 9.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.4 |
| ACT | 1.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.8 |
| NT | 1.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 42.4 | 15.4 | 3.9 |
| Australia | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Per cent (row)^(b) | | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 53.7 | 17.6 | 5.9 | 7.3 | 14.1 | 0.0 | 1.5 | 100.0 |
| Vic | 73.1 | 4.8 | 8.7 | 6.7 | 5.8 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 100.0 |
| Qld | 25.4 | 12.2 | 12.7 | 7.8 | 23.4 | 5.4 | 13.2 | 100.0 |
| WA | 49.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.9 | 20.2 | 9.0 | 13.5 | 100.0 |
| SA | 72.5 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 5.9 | 17.6 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 100.0 |
| Tas | 37.5 | 0.0 | 21.9 | 6.3 | 34.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 |
| ACT | 100.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 |
| NT | 21.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 50.0 | 28.6 | 100.0 |
| Australia | 47.6 | 9.2 | 7.6 | 6.9 | 16.8 | 4.6 | 7.2 | 100.0 |

(a) PIE & HSH 1994.

(b) Per cent columns and rows do not always add up to 100 due to rounding.

Table 5: Outlets, size by State/Territory, 30 June 2000

| Number of packages | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|--------------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Number of outlets | | | | | | | | |
| 1-20 | 82 | 30 | 161 | 62 | 17 | 21 | 1 | 28 | 402 |
| 21-40 | 76 | 37 | 34 | 22 | 23 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 202 |
| 41-60 | 31 | 13 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 66 |
| 61-80 | 12 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 30 |
| 81-100 | 3 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 12 |
| 101-120 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 121+ | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Total | 205 | 104 | 205 | 89 | 51 | 32 | 6 | 28 | 720 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | | |
| 1-20 | 40.0 | 28.8 | 78.5 | 69.7 | 33.3 | 65.6 | 16.7 | 100.0 | 55.8 |
| 21-40 | 37.1 | 35.6 | 16.6 | 24.7 | 45.1 | 28.1 | 16.7 | 0.0 | 28.1 |
| 41-60 | 15.1 | 12.5 | 3.9 | 4.5 | 11.8 | 6.3 | 33.3 | 0.0 | 9.2 |
| 61-80 | 5.9 | 10.6 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 5.9 | 0.0 | 16.7 | 0.0 | 4.2 |
| 81-100 | 1.5 | 5.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.9 | 0.0 | 16.7 | 0.0 | 1.7 |
| 101-120 | 0.5 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| 121+ | 0.0 | 4.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

Table 6: Outlets, size by geographic area,^(a) 30 June 2000

| Number of packages | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|--------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------|
| | Number of outlets | | | | | | | |
| 1-20 | 127 | 37 | 32 | 27 | 96 | 31 | 52 | 402 |
| 21-40 | 134 | 22 | 13 | 11 | 20 | 2 | 0 | 202 |
| 41-60 | 45 | 5 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 66 |
| 61-80 | 21 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 30 |
| 81-100 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| 101-120 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 121+ | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Total | 343 | 66 | 55 | 50 | 121 | 33 | 52 | 720 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| 1-20 | 37.0 | 56.1 | 58.2 | 54.0 | 79.3 | 93.9 | 100.0 | 55.8 |
| 21-40 | 39.1 | 33.3 | 23.6 | 22.0 | 16.5 | 6.1 | 0.0 | 28.1 |
| 41-60 | 13.1 | 7.6 | 7.3 | 14.0 | 4.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.2 |
| 61-80 | 6.1 | 1.5 | 7.3 | 8.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.2 |
| 81-100 | 3.2 | 0.0 | 1.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.7 |
| 101-120 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| 121+ | 0.9 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

(a) PIE & HSH 1994.

Tables for Section 2.4

Table 7: Care recipients, age by sex and State/Territory, ^(a) 30 June 2000

| | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| Sex/age | Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 15 | 25 | 30 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 92 |
| 50-54 | 18 | 35 | 18 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 84 |
| 55-59 | 42 | 47 | 25 | 20 | 12 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 153 |
| 60-64 | 108 | 94 | 58 | 21 | 22 | 7 | 5 | 11 | 326 |
| 65-69 | 187 | 152 | 103 | 58 | 47 | 17 | 8 | 18 | 590 |
| 70-74 | 416 | 297 | 191 | 101 | 100 | 38 | 25 | 23 | 1,191 |
| 75-79 | 754 | 516 | 347 | 190 | 201 | 69 | 38 | 8 | 2,123 |
| 80-84 | 1,160 | 677 | 484 | 216 | 258 | 112 | 52 | 8 | 2,967 |
| 85-89 | 948 | 663 | 466 | 224 | 260 | 110 | 45 | 3 | 2,719 |
| 90+ | 521 | 338 | 273 | 136 | 133 | 53 | 29 | 3 | 1,486 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>4,169</i> | <i>2,844</i> | <i>1,995</i> | <i>985</i> | <i>1,038</i> | <i>409</i> | <i>204</i> | <i>87</i> | <i>11,731</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 15 | 24 | 24 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 82 |
| 50-54 | 9 | 29 | 15 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 68 |
| 55-59 | 27 | 44 | 22 | 14 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 128 |
| 60-64 | 60 | 72 | 39 | 29 | 14 | 3 | 3 | 11 | 231 |
| 65-69 | 90 | 109 | 58 | 39 | 22 | 12 | 9 | 12 | 351 |
| 70-74 | 182 | 158 | 87 | 70 | 49 | 15 | 10 | 15 | 586 |
| 75-79 | 268 | 217 | 158 | 77 | 84 | 29 | 19 | 8 | 860 |
| 80-84 | 368 | 245 | 206 | 84 | 101 | 26 | 19 | 6 | 1,055 |
| 85-89 | 324 | 254 | 190 | 75 | 80 | 28 | 25 | 3 | 979 |
| 90+ | 193 | 114 | 107 | 57 | 53 | 13 | 9 | 0 | 546 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,536</i> | <i>1,266</i> | <i>906</i> | <i>458</i> | <i>426</i> | <i>127</i> | <i>94</i> | <i>73</i> | <i>4,886</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 30 | 49 | 54 | 19 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 174 |
| 50-54 | 27 | 64 | 33 | 13 | 11 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 152 |
| 55-59 | 69 | 91 | 47 | 34 | 25 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 281 |
| 60-64 | 168 | 166 | 97 | 50 | 36 | 10 | 8 | 22 | 557 |
| 65-69 | 277 | 261 | 161 | 97 | 69 | 29 | 17 | 30 | 941 |
| 70-74 | 598 | 455 | 278 | 171 | 149 | 53 | 35 | 38 | 1,777 |
| 75-79 | 1,022 | 733 | 505 | 267 | 285 | 98 | 57 | 16 | 2,983 |
| 80-84 | 1,528 | 922 | 690 | 300 | 359 | 138 | 71 | 14 | 4,022 |
| 85-89 | 1,272 | 917 | 656 | 299 | 340 | 138 | 70 | 6 | 3,698 |
| 90+ | 714 | 452 | 380 | 193 | 186 | 66 | 38 | 3 | 2,032 |
| Total | 5,705 | 4,110 | 2,901 | 1,443 | 1,464 | 536 | 298 | 160 | 16,617 |

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Table 7 (continued): Care recipients, age by sex and State/Territory,^(a) 30 June 2000

| Sex/age | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|----------------------|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Per cent ^(b) | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 10.3 | 0.8 |
| 50-54 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 1.1 | 0.7 |
| 55-59 | 1.0 | 1.7 | 1.3 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 3.4 | 1.3 |
| 60-64 | 2.6 | 3.3 | 2.9 | 2.1 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 2.5 | 12.6 | 2.8 |
| 65-69 | 4.5 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.9 | 4.5 | 4.2 | 3.9 | 20.7 | 5.0 |
| 70-74 | 10.0 | 10.4 | 9.6 | 10.3 | 9.6 | 9.3 | 12.3 | 26.4 | 10.2 |
| 75-79 | 18.1 | 18.1 | 17.4 | 19.3 | 19.4 | 16.9 | 18.6 | 9.2 | 18.1 |
| 80-84 | 27.8 | 23.8 | 24.3 | 21.9 | 24.9 | 27.4 | 25.5 | 9.2 | 25.3 |
| 85-89 | 22.7 | 23.3 | 23.4 | 22.7 | 25.0 | 26.9 | 22.1 | 3.4 | 23.2 |
| 90+ | 12.5 | 11.9 | 13.7 | 13.8 | 12.8 | 13.0 | 14.2 | 3.4 | 12.7 |
| <i>Total females</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>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 1.0 | 1.9 | 2.6 | 1.7 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 12.3 | 1.7 |
| 50-54 | 0.6 | 2.3 | 1.7 | 1.1 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.7 | 1.4 |
| 55-59 | 1.8 | 3.5 | 2.4 | 3.1 | 3.1 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 9.6 | 2.6 |
| 60-64 | 3.9 | 5.7 | 4.3 | 6.3 | 3.3 | 2.4 | 3.2 | 15.1 | 4.7 |
| 65-69 | 5.9 | 8.6 | 6.4 | 8.5 | 5.2 | 9.4 | 9.6 | 16.4 | 7.2 |
| 70-74 | 11.8 | 12.5 | 9.6 | 15.3 | 11.5 | 11.8 | 10.6 | 20.5 | 12.0 |
| 75-79 | 17.4 | 17.1 | 17.4 | 16.8 | 19.7 | 22.8 | 20.2 | 11.0 | 17.6 |
| 80-84 | 24.0 | 19.4 | 22.7 | 18.3 | 23.7 | 20.5 | 20.2 | 8.2 | 21.6 |
| 85-89 | 21.1 | 20.1 | 21.0 | 16.4 | 18.8 | 22.0 | 26.6 | 4.1 | 20.0 |
| 90+ | 12.6 | 9.0 | 11.8 | 12.4 | 12.4 | 10.2 | 9.6 | 0.0 | 11.2 |
| <i>Total males</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>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 0.5 | 1.2 | 1.9 | 1.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 11.3 | 1.0 |
| 50-54 | 0.5 | 1.6 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 1.9 | 0.9 |
| 55-59 | 1.2 | 2.2 | 1.6 | 2.4 | 1.7 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 6.3 | 1.7 |
| 60-64 | 2.9 | 4.0 | 3.3 | 3.5 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 13.8 | 3.4 |
| 65-69 | 4.9 | 6.4 | 5.5 | 6.7 | 4.7 | 5.4 | 5.7 | 18.8 | 5.7 |
| 70-74 | 10.5 | 11.1 | 9.6 | 11.9 | 10.2 | 9.9 | 11.7 | 23.8 | 10.7 |
| 75-79 | 17.9 | 17.8 | 17.4 | 18.5 | 19.5 | 18.3 | 19.1 | 10.0 | 18.0 |
| 80-84 | 26.8 | 22.4 | 23.8 | 20.8 | 24.5 | 25.7 | 23.8 | 8.8 | 24.2 |
| 85-89 | 22.3 | 22.3 | 22.6 | 20.7 | 23.2 | 25.7 | 23.5 | 3.8 | 22.3 |
| 90+ | 12.5 | 11.0 | 13.1 | 13.4 | 12.7 | 12.3 | 12.8 | 1.9 | 12.2 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

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

(b) Columns do not always add up to 100 due to rounding.

Table 8: Care recipients, age by sex and geographic area, ^(a) 30 June 2000

| Sex/age | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|---------------|
| | Number of care recipients | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 40 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 9 | 13 | 9 | 92 |
| 50-54 | 41 | 9 | 12 | 7 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 84 |
| 55-59 | 78 | 7 | 18 | 16 | 19 | 5 | 10 | 153 |
| 60-64 | 180 | 30 | 35 | 29 | 31 | 11 | 10 | 326 |
| 65-69 | 339 | 49 | 57 | 48 | 60 | 22 | 15 | 590 |
| 70-74 | 710 | 126 | 112 | 89 | 91 | 32 | 31 | 1,191 |
| 75-79 | 1,347 | 187 | 208 | 161 | 170 | 18 | 32 | 2,123 |
| 80-84 | 1,834 | 315 | 260 | 231 | 261 | 31 | 35 | 2,967 |
| 85-89 | 1,708 | 273 | 229 | 225 | 243 | 14 | 27 | 2,719 |
| 90+ | 952 | 153 | 129 | 106 | 122 | 11 | 13 | 1,486 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>7,229</i> | <i>1,157</i> | <i>1,067</i> | <i>918</i> | <i>1,013</i> | <i>161</i> | <i>186</i> | <i>11,731</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 33 | 2 | 9 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 5 | 82 |
| 50-54 | 36 | 2 | 4 | 15 | 6 | 1 | 4 | 68 |
| 55-59 | 72 | 10 | 12 | 11 | 13 | 6 | 4 | 128 |
| 60-64 | 136 | 14 | 18 | 23 | 18 | 8 | 14 | 231 |
| 65-69 | 199 | 28 | 30 | 30 | 36 | 13 | 15 | 351 |
| 70-74 | 356 | 44 | 47 | 45 | 48 | 17 | 29 | 586 |
| 75-79 | 537 | 70 | 71 | 71 | 78 | 14 | 19 | 860 |
| 80-84 | 654 | 97 | 89 | 97 | 97 | 6 | 15 | 1,055 |
| 85-89 | 600 | 114 | 68 | 88 | 92 | 6 | 11 | 979 |
| 90+ | 318 | 65 | 38 | 51 | 60 | 5 | 9 | 546 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>2,941</i> | <i>446</i> | <i>386</i> | <i>445</i> | <i>455</i> | <i>88</i> | <i>125</i> | <i>4,886</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 73 | 10 | 16 | 20 | 16 | 25 | 14 | 174 |
| 50-54 | 77 | 11 | 16 | 22 | 13 | 5 | 8 | 152 |
| 55-59 | 150 | 17 | 30 | 27 | 32 | 11 | 14 | 281 |
| 60-64 | 316 | 44 | 53 | 52 | 49 | 19 | 24 | 557 |
| 65-69 | 538 | 77 | 87 | 78 | 96 | 35 | 30 | 941 |
| 70-74 | 1,066 | 170 | 159 | 134 | 139 | 49 | 60 | 1,777 |
| 75-79 | 1,884 | 257 | 279 | 232 | 248 | 32 | 51 | 2,983 |
| 80-84 | 2,488 | 412 | 349 | 328 | 358 | 37 | 50 | 4,022 |
| 85-89 | 2,308 | 387 | 297 | 313 | 335 | 20 | 38 | 3,698 |
| 90+ | 1,270 | 218 | 167 | 157 | 182 | 16 | 22 | 2,032 |
| Total | 10,170 | 1,603 | 1,453 | 1,363 | 1,468 | 249 | 311 | 16,617 |

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Table 8 (continued): Care recipients, age by sex and geographic area,^(a) 30 June 2000

| Sex/age | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|----------------------|----------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------|
| | Per cent | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 8.1 | 4.8 | 0.8 |
| 50-54 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 2.5 | 2.2 | 0.7 |
| 55-59 | 1.1 | 0.6 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.9 | 3.1 | 5.4 | 1.3 |
| 60-64 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 3.3 | 3.2 | 3.1 | 6.8 | 5.4 | 2.8 |
| 65-69 | 4.7 | 4.2 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.9 | 13.7 | 8.1 | 5.0 |
| 70-74 | 9.8 | 10.9 | 10.5 | 9.7 | 9.0 | 19.9 | 16.7 | 10.2 |
| 75-79 | 18.6 | 16.2 | 19.5 | 17.5 | 16.8 | 11.2 | 17.2 | 18.1 |
| 80-84 | 25.4 | 27.2 | 24.4 | 25.2 | 25.8 | 19.3 | 18.8 | 25.3 |
| 85-89 | 23.6 | 23.6 | 21.5 | 24.5 | 24.0 | 8.7 | 14.5 | 23.2 |
| 90+ | 13.2 | 13.2 | 12.1 | 11.5 | 12.0 | 6.8 | 7.0 | 12.7 |
| <i>Total females</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> |
| Males | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 2.3 | 3.1 | 1.5 | 13.6 | 4.0 | 1.7 |
| 50-54 | 1.2 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 3.4 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 3.2 | 1.4 |
| 55-59 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 3.1 | 2.5 | 2.9 | 6.8 | 3.2 | 2.6 |
| 60-64 | 4.6 | 3.1 | 4.7 | 5.2 | 4.0 | 9.1 | 11.2 | 4.7 |
| 65-69 | 6.8 | 6.3 | 7.8 | 6.7 | 7.9 | 14.8 | 12.0 | 7.2 |
| 70-74 | 12.1 | 9.9 | 12.2 | 10.1 | 10.5 | 19.3 | 23.2 | 12.0 |
| 75-79 | 18.3 | 15.7 | 18.4 | 16.0 | 17.1 | 15.9 | 15.2 | 17.6 |
| 80-84 | 22.2 | 21.7 | 23.1 | 21.8 | 21.3 | 6.8 | 12.0 | 21.6 |
| 85-89 | 20.4 | 25.6 | 17.6 | 19.8 | 20.2 | 6.8 | 8.8 | 20.0 |
| 90+ | 10.8 | 14.6 | 9.8 | 11.5 | 13.2 | 5.7 | 7.2 | 11.2 |
| <i>Total males</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> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 10.0 | 4.5 | 1.0 |
| 50-54 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 0.9 | 2.0 | 2.6 | 0.9 |
| 55-59 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 2.1 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 4.4 | 4.5 | 1.7 |
| 60-64 | 3.1 | 2.7 | 3.6 | 3.8 | 3.3 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 3.4 |
| 65-69 | 5.3 | 4.8 | 6.0 | 5.7 | 6.5 | 14.1 | 9.6 | 5.7 |
| 70-74 | 10.5 | 10.6 | 10.9 | 9.8 | 9.5 | 19.7 | 19.3 | 10.7 |
| 75-79 | 18.5 | 16.0 | 19.2 | 17.0 | 16.9 | 12.9 | 16.4 | 18.0 |
| 80-84 | 24.5 | 25.7 | 24.0 | 24.1 | 24.4 | 14.9 | 16.1 | 24.2 |
| 85-89 | 22.7 | 24.1 | 20.4 | 23.0 | 22.8 | 8.0 | 12.2 | 22.3 |
| 90+ | 12.5 | 13.6 | 11.5 | 11.5 | 12.4 | 6.4 | 7.1 | 12.2 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

(a) PIE & HSH 1994.

Table 9: Care recipients, State/Territory by geographic area,^(a) 30 June 2000

| State/ Territory | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|--|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 3,530 | 813 | 394 | 494 | 444 | 0 | 30 | 5,705 |
| Vic | 2,949 | 243 | 425 | 381 | 102 | 0 | 10 | 4,110 |
| Qld | 1,008 | 547 | 455 | 221 | 440 | 60 | 170 | 2,901 |
| WA | 1,024 | 0 | 0 | 122 | 148 | 112 | 37 | 1,443 |
| SA | 1,126 | 0 | 20 | 100 | 201 | 0 | 17 | 1,464 |
| Tas | 199 | 0 | 159 | 45 | 133 | 0 | 0 | 536 |
| ACT | 298 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 298 |
| NT | 36 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 77 | 47 | 160 |
| Australia | 10,170 | 1,603 | 1,453 | 1,363 | 1,468 | 249 | 311 | 16,617 |
| Per cent (column)^(b) | | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 34.7 | 50.7 | 27.1 | 36.2 | 30.2 | 0.0 | 9.6 | 34.3 |
| Vic | 29.0 | 15.2 | 29.2 | 28.0 | 6.9 | 0.0 | 3.2 | 24.7 |
| Qld | 9.9 | 34.1 | 31.3 | 16.2 | 30.0 | 24.1 | 54.7 | 17.5 |
| WA | 10.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.0 | 10.1 | 45.0 | 11.9 | 8.7 |
| SA | 11.1 | 0.0 | 1.4 | 7.3 | 13.7 | 0.0 | 5.5 | 8.8 |
| Tas | 2.0 | 0.0 | 10.9 | 3.3 | 9.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.2 |
| ACT | 2.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.8 |
| NT | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 30.9 | 15.1 | 1.0 |
| Australia | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Per cent (row)^(b) | | | | | | | | |
| NSW | 61.9 | 14.3 | 6.9 | 8.7 | 7.8 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 100.0 |
| Vic | 71.8 | 5.9 | 10.3 | 9.3 | 2.5 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 100.0 |
| Qld | 34.7 | 18.9 | 15.7 | 7.6 | 15.2 | 2.1 | 5.9 | 100.0 |
| WA | 71.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 8.5 | 10.3 | 7.8 | 2.6 | 100.0 |
| SA | 76.9 | 0.0 | 1.4 | 6.8 | 13.7 | 0.0 | 1.2 | 100.0 |
| Tas | 37.1 | 0.0 | 29.7 | 8.4 | 24.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 |
| ACT | 100.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 100.0 |
| NT | 22.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 48.1 | 29.4 | 100.0 |
| Australia | 61.2 | 9.6 | 8.7 | 8.2 | 8.8 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 100.0 |

(a) 'State/Territory' and 'geographic area' refer to the location of the outlet.

(b) Per cent columns and rows do not always add up to 100 due to rounding.

Table 10: Care recipients, Indigenous status by sex and State/Territory, ^(a) 30 June 2000

| Sex/ | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| Indigenous status | Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 50 | 10 | 65 | 75 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 59 | 275 |
| Non-Indigenous | 4,102 | 2,827 | 1,926 | 906 | 1,031 | 399 | 204 | 28 | 11,423 |
| Unknown/not reported | 17 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 33 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>4,169</i> | <i>2,844</i> | <i>1,995</i> | <i>985</i> | <i>1,038</i> | <i>409</i> | <i>204</i> | <i>87</i> | <i>11,731</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 20 | 4 | 42 | 34 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 44 | 151 |
| Non-Indigenous | 1,514 | 1,259 | 860 | 424 | 420 | 126 | 94 | 29 | 4,726 |
| Unknown/not reported | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,536</i> | <i>1,266</i> | <i>906</i> | <i>458</i> | <i>426</i> | <i>127</i> | <i>94</i> | <i>73</i> | <i>4,886</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 70 | 14 | 107 | 109 | 13 | 10 | 0 | 103 | 426 |
| Non-Indigenous | 5,616 | 4,086 | 2,786 | 1,330 | 1,451 | 525 | 298 | 57 | 16,149 |
| Unknown/not reported | 19 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 42 |
| Total | 5,705 | 4,110 | 2,901 | 1,443 | 1,464 | 536 | 298 | 160 | 16,617 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 1.2 | 0.4 | 3.3 | 7.6 | 0.7 | 2.2 | 0.0 | 67.8 | 2.3 |
| Non-Indigenous | 98.4 | 99.4 | 96.5 | 92.0 | 99.3 | 97.6 | 100.0 | 32.2 | 97.4 |
| Unknown/not reported | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| <i>Total females</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>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 1.3 | 0.3 | 4.6 | 7.4 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 60.3 | 3.1 |
| Non-Indigenous | 98.6 | 99.4 | 94.9 | 92.6 | 98.6 | 99.2 | 100.0 | 39.7 | 96.7 |
| Unknown/not reported | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| <i>Total males</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>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 1.2 | 0.3 | 3.7 | 7.6 | 0.9 | 1.9 | 0.0 | 64.4 | 2.6 |
| Non-Indigenous | 98.4 | 99.4 | 96.0 | 92.2 | 99.1 | 97.9 | 100.0 | 35.6 | 97.2 |
| Unknown/not reported | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

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

Note: In addition, there were 81 flexibly funded packages provided under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy for which no care recipient details were available. The packages are not included in the ACCMIS database from which data presented in this publication are derived.

Table 11: Care recipients, Indigenous status by sex and geographic area, ^(a) 30 June 2000

| Sex/ Indigenous status | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|---------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 37 | 21 | 31 | 20 | 35 | 79 | 52 | 275 |
| Non-Indigenous | 7,168 | 1,135 | 1,032 | 898 | 975 | 81 | 134 | 11,423 |
| Unknown/not reported | 24 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 33 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>7,229</i> | <i>1,157</i> | <i>1,067</i> | <i>918</i> | <i>1,013</i> | <i>161</i> | <i>186</i> | <i>11,731</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 17 | 6 | 15 | 11 | 16 | 47 | 39 | 151 |
| Non-Indigenous | 2,919 | 439 | 370 | 434 | 438 | 40 | 86 | 4,726 |
| Unknown/not reported | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 9 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>2,941</i> | <i>446</i> | <i>386</i> | <i>445</i> | <i>455</i> | <i>88</i> | <i>125</i> | <i>4,886</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 54 | 27 | 46 | 31 | 51 | 126 | 91 | 426 |
| Non-Indigenous | 10,087 | 1,574 | 1,402 | 1,332 | 1,413 | 121 | 220 | 16,149 |
| Unknown/not reported | 29 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 42 |
| Total | 10,170 | 1,603 | 1,453 | 1,363 | 1,468 | 249 | 311 | 16,617 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 0.5 | 1.8 | 2.9 | 2.2 | 3.5 | 49.1 | 28.0 | 2.3 |
| Non-Indigenous | 99.2 | 98.1 | 96.7 | 97.8 | 96.2 | 50.3 | 72.0 | 97.4 |
| Unknown/not reported | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| <i>Total females</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> |
| Males | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 0.6 | 1.3 | 3.9 | 2.5 | 3.5 | 53.4 | 31.2 | 3.1 |
| Non-Indigenous | 99.3 | 98.4 | 95.9 | 97.5 | 96.3 | 45.5 | 68.8 | 96.7 |
| Unknown/not reported | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| <i>Total males</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> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | |
| Indigenous | 0.5 | 1.7 | 3.2 | 2.3 | 3.5 | 50.6 | 29.3 | 2.6 |
| Non-Indigenous | 99.2 | 98.2 | 96.5 | 97.7 | 96.3 | 48.6 | 70.7 | 97.2 |
| Unknown/not reported | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

(a) PIE & HSH 1994.

Note: In addition, there were 81 flexibly funded packages provided under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy for which no care recipient details were available. The packages are not included in the ACCMIS database from which data presented in this publication are derived.

Table 12: Care recipients, birthplace^(a) by sex and State/Territory,^(b) 30 June 2000

| | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| Sex/birthplace | Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 2,524 | 1,884 | 948 | 548 | 555 | 311 | 121 | 65 | 6,956 |
| Other Oceania | 42 | 24 | 26 | 8 | 3 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 110 |
| UK and Ireland | 310 | 248 | 104 | 199 | 104 | 32 | 38 | 2 | 1,037 |
| Former USSR & Baltic States | 49 | 32 | 8 | 8 | 18 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 122 |
| Other Europe | 379 | 421 | 102 | 141 | 115 | 44 | 20 | 0 | 1,222 |
| Southeast Asia | 37 | 28 | 12 | 13 | 16 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 108 |
| Northeast Asia | 64 | 31 | 5 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 113 |
| Southern Asia | 21 | 27 | 4 | 18 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 73 |
| Northern America | 9 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 22 |
| Other America & the Caribbean | 7 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| The Middle East & North Africa | 14 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 28 |
| Africa (excluding North Africa) | 70 | 31 | 4 | 3 | 12 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 123 |
| Other | 15 | 10 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 37 |
| Unknown (not stated) | 628 | 96 | 775 | 30 | 201 | 7 | 12 | 20 | 1,769 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>4,169</i> | <i>2,844</i> | <i>1,995</i> | <i>985</i> | <i>1,038</i> | <i>409</i> | <i>204</i> | <i>87</i> | <i>11,731</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 905 | 826 | 409 | 248 | 231 | 99 | 46 | 51 | 2,815 |
| Other Oceania | 13 | 4 | 16 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 43 |
| UK and Ireland | 114 | 109 | 46 | 79 | 50 | 8 | 18 | 2 | 426 |
| Former USSR & Baltic States | 7 | 18 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 39 |
| Other Europe | 177 | 211 | 49 | 78 | 50 | 18 | 16 | 2 | 601 |
| Southeast Asia | 15 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 34 |
| Northeast Asia | 32 | 11 | 7 | 10 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 65 |
| Southern Asia | 8 | 9 | 2 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 30 |
| Northern America | 6 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 20 |
| Other America & the Caribbean | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| The Middle East & North Africa | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Africa (excluding North Africa) | 26 | 20 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 52 |
| Other | 1 | 4 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Unknown (not stated) | 226 | 43 | 363 | 8 | 71 | 2 | 7 | 17 | 737 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,536</i> | <i>1,266</i> | <i>906</i> | <i>458</i> | <i>426</i> | <i>127</i> | <i>94</i> | <i>73</i> | <i>4,886</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 3,429 | 2,710 | 1,357 | 796 | 786 | 410 | 167 | 116 | 9,771 |
| Other Oceania | 55 | 28 | 42 | 14 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 0 | 153 |
| UK and Ireland | 424 | 357 | 150 | 278 | 154 | 40 | 56 | 4 | 1,463 |
| Former USSR & Baltic States | 56 | 50 | 14 | 10 | 23 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 161 |
| Other Europe | 556 | 632 | 151 | 219 | 165 | 62 | 36 | 2 | 1,823 |
| Southeast Asia | 52 | 31 | 17 | 19 | 21 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 142 |
| Northeast Asia | 96 | 42 | 12 | 14 | 12 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 178 |
| Southern Asia | 29 | 36 | 6 | 25 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 103 |
| Northern America | 15 | 9 | 3 | 7 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 42 |
| Other America & the Caribbean | 8 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| The Middle East & North Africa | 19 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 36 |
| Africa (excluding North Africa) | 96 | 51 | 5 | 5 | 15 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 175 |
| Other | 16 | 14 | 2 | 13 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 51 |
| Unknown (not stated) | 854 | 139 | 1,138 | 38 | 272 | 9 | 19 | 37 | 2,506 |
| Total | 5,705 | 4,110 | 2,901 | 1,443 | 1,464 | 536 | 298 | 160 | 16,617 |

(continued)

Table 12 (continued): Care recipients, birthplace^(a) by sex and State/Territory,^(b) 30 June 2000

| | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Sex/birthplace | Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 60.5 | 66.2 | 47.5 | 55.6 | 53.5 | 76.0 | 59.3 | 74.7 | 59.3 |
| Other Oceania | 1.0 | 0.8 | 1.3 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 0.9 |
| UK and Ireland | 7.4 | 8.7 | 5.2 | 20.2 | 10.0 | 7.8 | 18.6 | 2.3 | 8.8 |
| Former USSR & Baltic States | 1.2 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 1.7 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 1.0 |
| Other Europe | 9.1 | 14.8 | 5.1 | 14.3 | 11.1 | 10.8 | 9.8 | 0.0 | 10.4 |
| Southeast Asia | 0.9 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.9 |
| Northeast Asia | 1.5 | 1.1 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.0 |
| Southern Asia | 0.5 | 0.9 | 0.2 | 1.8 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 |
| Northern America | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Other America & the Caribbean | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| The Middle East & North Africa | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Africa (excluding North Africa) | 1.7 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 1.0 |
| Other | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Unknown (not stated) | 15.1 | 3.4 | 38.8 | 3.0 | 19.4 | 1.7 | 5.9 | 23.0 | 15.1 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 58.9 | 65.2 | 45.1 | 54.1 | 54.2 | 78.0 | 48.9 | 69.9 | 57.6 |
| Other Oceania | 0.8 | 0.3 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 2.1 | 0.0 | 0.9 |
| UK and Ireland | 7.4 | 8.6 | 5.1 | 17.2 | 11.7 | 6.3 | 19.1 | 2.7 | 8.7 |
| Former USSR & Baltic States | 0.5 | 1.4 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.8 |
| Other Europe | 11.5 | 16.7 | 5.4 | 17.0 | 11.7 | 14.2 | 17.0 | 2.7 | 12.3 |
| Southeast Asia | 1.0 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 |
| Northeast Asia | 2.1 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 2.2 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 1.3 |
| Southern Asia | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.2 | 1.5 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 3.2 | 0.0 | 0.6 |
| Northern America | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.4 | 0.4 |
| Other America & the Caribbean | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| The Middle East & North Africa | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Africa (excluding North Africa) | 1.7 | 1.6 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.1 |
| Other | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Unknown (not stated) | 14.7 | 3.4 | 40.1 | 1.7 | 16.7 | 1.6 | 7.4 | 23.3 | 15.1 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Australia | 60.1 | 65.9 | 46.8 | 55.2 | 53.7 | 76.5 | 56.0 | 72.5 | 58.8 |
| Other Oceania | 1.0 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 1.0 | 0.3 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 0.9 |
| UK and Ireland | 7.4 | 8.7 | 5.2 | 19.3 | 10.5 | 7.5 | 18.8 | 2.5 | 8.8 |
| Former USSR & Baltic States | 1.0 | 1.2 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 1.6 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.0 | 1.0 |
| Other Europe | 9.7 | 15.4 | 5.2 | 15.2 | 11.3 | 11.6 | 12.1 | 1.3 | 11.0 |
| Southeast Asia | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.9 |
| Northeast Asia | 1.7 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 1.1 |
| Southern Asia | 0.5 | 0.9 | 0.2 | 1.7 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 0.6 |
| Northern America | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.3 |
| Other America & the Caribbean | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| The Middle East & North Africa | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Africa (excluding North Africa) | 1.7 | 1.2 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 1.1 |
| Other | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Unknown (not stated) | 15.0 | 3.4 | 39.2 | 2.6 | 18.6 | 1.7 | 6.4 | 23.1 | 15.1 |
| Total | 100.0 |

(a) ABS 2000b.

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

Table 13: Care recipients, preferred language^(a) by sex and State/Territory,^(b) 30 June 2000

| Sex/ preferred language | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|
| | Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Australian Indigenous | 0 | 0 | 4 | 28 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 42 | 75 |
| English | 3,167 | 2,343 | 1,147 | 821 | 728 | 385 | 184 | 21 | 8,796 |
| Northern European | 31 | 47 | 0 | 13 | 10 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 107 |
| Southern European | 195 | 219 | 36 | 56 | 51 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 564 |
| Eastern European | 82 | 92 | 9 | 37 | 25 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 256 |
| Southwest Asian & North African | 30 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 42 |
| Southern Asian | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Southeast Asian | 20 | 14 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 48 |
| Eastern Asian | 54 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 79 |
| African (excluding North African) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Oceanic | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Other and unknown | 586 | 113 | 785 | 20 | 206 | 8 | 12 | 24 | 1,754 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>4,169</i> | <i>2,844</i> | <i>1,995</i> | <i>985</i> | <i>1,038</i> | <i>409</i> | <i>204</i> | <i>87</i> | <i>11,731</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Australian Indigenous | 0 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 52 |
| English | 1,150 | 1,039 | 507 | 370 | 321 | 119 | 77 | 14 | 3,597 |
| Northern European | 11 | 16 | 2 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 46 |
| Southern European | 77 | 107 | 10 | 33 | 15 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 245 |
| Eastern European | 34 | 47 | 8 | 14 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 121 |
| Southwest Asian & North African | 17 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26 |
| Southern Asian | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 |
| Southeast Asian | 9 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| Eastern Asian | 28 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45 |
| African (excluding North African) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Oceanic | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other and unknown | 209 | 46 | 368 | 9 | 68 | 3 | 9 | 21 | 733 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,536</i> | <i>1,266</i> | <i>906</i> | <i>458</i> | <i>426</i> | <i>127</i> | <i>94</i> | <i>73</i> | <i>4,886</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Australian Indigenous | 0 | 0 | 5 | 43 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 78 | 127 |
| English | 4,317 | 3,382 | 1,654 | 1,191 | 1,049 | 504 | 261 | 35 | 12,393 |
| Northern European | 42 | 63 | 2 | 21 | 16 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 153 |
| Southern European | 272 | 326 | 46 | 89 | 66 | 1 | 8 | 1 | 809 |
| Eastern European | 116 | 139 | 17 | 51 | 35 | 13 | 6 | 0 | 377 |
| Southwest Asian & North African | 47 | 14 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 68 |
| Southern Asian | 4 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 10 |
| Southeast Asian | 29 | 15 | 6 | 6 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 65 |
| Eastern Asian | 82 | 10 | 11 | 11 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 124 |
| African (excluding North African) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Oceanic | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Other and unknown | 795 | 159 | 1,153 | 29 | 274 | 11 | 21 | 45 | 2,487 |
| Total | 5,705 | 4,110 | 2,901 | 1,443 | 1,464 | 536 | 298 | 160 | 16,617 |

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**Table 13 (continued): Care recipients, preferred language^(a) by sex and State/Territory,^(b)
30 June 2000**

| Sex/ preferred language | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| | Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Australian Indigenous | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 2.8 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 48.3 | 0.6 |
| English | 76.0 | 82.4 | 57.5 | 83.4 | 70.1 | 94.1 | 90.2 | 24.1 | 75.0 |
| Northern European | 0.7 | 1.7 | 0.0 | 1.3 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.9 |
| Southern European | 4.7 | 7.7 | 1.8 | 5.7 | 4.9 | 0.2 | 2.9 | 0.0 | 4.8 |
| Eastern European | 2.0 | 3.2 | 0.5 | 3.8 | 2.4 | 2.2 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 2.2 |
| Southwest Asian & North African | 0.7 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| Southern Asian | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Southeast Asian | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| Eastern Asian | 1.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 |
| African (excluding North African) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Oceanic | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other and unknown | 14.1 | 4.0 | 39.3 | 2.0 | 19.8 | 2.0 | 5.9 | 27.6 | 15.0 |
| <i>Total females</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>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Australian Indigenous | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 3.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 49.3 | 1.1 |
| English | 74.9 | 82.1 | 56.0 | 80.8 | 75.4 | 93.7 | 81.9 | 19.2 | 73.6 |
| Northern European | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.2 | 1.7 | 1.4 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 0.9 |
| Southern European | 5.0 | 8.5 | 1.1 | 7.2 | 3.5 | 0.0 | 2.1 | 1.4 | 5.0 |
| Eastern European | 2.2 | 3.7 | 0.9 | 3.1 | 2.3 | 3.1 | 4.3 | 0.0 | 2.5 |
| Southwest Asian & North African | 1.1 | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 |
| Southern Asian | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Southeast Asian | 0.6 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Eastern Asian | 1.8 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.9 |
| African (excluding North African) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Oceanic | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other and unknown | 13.6 | 3.6 | 40.6 | 2.0 | 16.0 | 2.4 | 9.6 | 28.8 | 15.0 |
| <i>Total males</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>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Australian Indigenous | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 3.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 48.8 | 0.8 |
| English | 75.7 | 82.3 | 57.0 | 82.5 | 71.7 | 94.0 | 87.6 | 21.9 | 74.6 |
| Northern European | 0.7 | 1.5 | 0.1 | 1.5 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.9 |
| Southern European | 4.8 | 7.9 | 1.6 | 6.2 | 4.5 | 0.2 | 2.7 | 0.6 | 4.9 |
| Eastern European | 2.0 | 3.4 | 0.6 | 3.5 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 2.3 |
| Southwest Asian & North African | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| Southern Asian | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| Southeast Asian | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| Eastern Asian | 1.4 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 |
| African (excluding North African) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Oceanic | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
| Other and unknown | 13.9 | 3.9 | 39.7 | 2.0 | 18.7 | 2.1 | 7.0 | 28.1 | 15.0 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

(a) ABS 2000b.

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

Table 14: Care recipients, pension status by sex and State/Territory,^(a) 30 June 2000

| Sex/ pension status | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| | Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Aged pension | 2,813 | 2,247 | 620 | 804 | 651 | 284 | 127 | 52 | 7,598 |
| Invalid pension | 30 | 26 | 24 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 104 |
| Repatriation pension | 267 | 244 | 36 | 68 | 45 | 39 | 20 | 0 | 719 |
| Other pension | 205 | 20 | 429 | 47 | 119 | 69 | 37 | 6 | 932 |
| Unknown | 849 | 309 | 779 | 56 | 221 | 15 | 18 | 22 | 2,380 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>4,164</i> | <i>2,846</i> | <i>1,888</i> | <i>985</i> | <i>1,040</i> | <i>409</i> | <i>204</i> | <i>86</i> | <i>11,733</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Aged pension | 953 | 901 | 247 | 345 | 237 | 74 | 46 | 45 | 2,848 |
| Invalid pension | 33 | 23 | 23 | 15 | 12 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 115 |
| Repatriation pension | 151 | 190 | 36 | 52 | 33 | 25 | 14 | 0 | 501 |
| Other pension | 81 | 7 | 187 | 29 | 58 | 20 | 23 | 6 | 411 |
| Unknown | 313 | 146 | 416 | 15 | 86 | 7 | 8 | 17 | 1,009 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,531</i> | <i>1,267</i> | <i>909</i> | <i>456</i> | <i>426</i> | <i>127</i> | <i>94</i> | <i>73</i> | <i>4,884</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Aged pension | 3,766 | 3,148 | 867 | 1,149 | 888 | 358 | 173 | 97 | 10,446 |
| Invalid pension | 63 | 49 | 47 | 25 | 16 | 3 | 5 | 11 | 219 |
| Repatriation pension | 418 | 434 | 72 | 120 | 78 | 64 | 34 | 0 | 1,220 |
| Other pension | 286 | 27 | 616 | 76 | 177 | 89 | 60 | 12 | 1,343 |
| Unknown | 1,162 | 455 | 1,195 | 71 | 307 | 22 | 26 | 39 | 3,389 |
| Total | 5,695 | 4,113 | 2,797 | 1,441 | 1,466 | 536 | 298 | 159 | 16,617 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Aged pension | 67.6 | 79.0 | 32.8 | 81.6 | 62.6 | 69.4 | 62.3 | 60.5 | 64.8 |
| Invalid pension | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 7.0 | 0.9 |
| Repatriation pension | 6.4 | 8.6 | 1.9 | 6.9 | 4.3 | 9.5 | 9.8 | 0.0 | 6.1 |
| Other pension | 4.9 | 0.7 | 22.7 | 4.8 | 11.4 | 16.9 | 18.1 | 7.0 | 7.9 |
| Unknown | 20.4 | 10.9 | 41.3 | 5.7 | 21.3 | 3.7 | 8.8 | 25.6 | 20.3 |
| <i>Total females</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>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Aged pension | 62.2 | 71.1 | 27.2 | 75.7 | 55.6 | 58.3 | 48.9 | 61.6 | 58.3 |
| Invalid pension | 2.2 | 1.8 | 2.5 | 3.3 | 2.8 | 0.8 | 3.2 | 6.8 | 2.4 |
| Repatriation pension | 9.9 | 15.0 | 4.0 | 11.4 | 7.7 | 19.7 | 14.9 | 0.0 | 10.3 |
| Other pension | 5.3 | 0.6 | 20.6 | 6.4 | 13.6 | 15.7 | 24.5 | 8.2 | 8.4 |
| Unknown | 20.4 | 11.5 | 45.8 | 3.3 | 20.2 | 5.5 | 8.5 | 23.3 | 20.7 |
| <i>Total males</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>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Aged pension | 66.1 | 76.5 | 31.0 | 79.7 | 60.6 | 66.8 | 58.1 | 61.0 | 62.9 |
| Invalid pension | 1.1 | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 1.1 | 0.6 | 1.7 | 6.9 | 1.3 |
| Repatriation pension | 7.3 | 10.6 | 2.6 | 8.3 | 5.3 | 11.9 | 11.4 | 0.0 | 7.3 |
| Other pension | 5.0 | 0.7 | 22.0 | 5.3 | 12.1 | 16.6 | 20.1 | 7.5 | 8.1 |
| Unknown | 20.4 | 11.1 | 42.7 | 4.9 | 20.9 | 4.1 | 8.7 | 24.5 | 20.4 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

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

Table 15: Care recipients, usual residence status by sex and State/Territory,^(a) 30 June 2000

| Sex/usual residence status | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| | Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Home owner/purchased | 2,542 | 1,115 | 830 | 655 | 608 | 281 | 132 | 8 | 6,171 |
| Public housing | 491 | 203 | 137 | 175 | 147 | 54 | 36 | 40 | 1,283 |
| Private rental | 175 | 142 | 126 | 55 | 57 | 54 | 10 | 6 | 625 |
| Board/lodging | 127 | 47 | 75 | 48 | 27 | 17 | 12 | 4 | 357 |
| Missing/not stated | 828 | 1,343 | 829 | 52 | 200 | 3 | 14 | 28 | 3,297 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>4,163</i> | <i>2,850</i> | <i>1,997</i> | <i>985</i> | <i>1,039</i> | <i>409</i> | <i>204</i> | <i>86</i> | <i>11,733</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Home owner/purchased | 931 | 458 | 345 | 301 | 249 | 88 | 60 | 8 | 2,440 |
| Public housing | 183 | 109 | 75 | 77 | 63 | 17 | 19 | 27 | 570 |
| Private rental | 81 | 76 | 57 | 29 | 22 | 10 | 2 | 5 | 282 |
| Board/lodging | 57 | 22 | 36 | 25 | 16 | 11 | 5 | 11 | 183 |
| Missing/not stated | 279 | 604 | 395 | 24 | 76 | 1 | 8 | 22 | 1,409 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,531</i> | <i>1,269</i> | <i>908</i> | <i>456</i> | <i>426</i> | <i>127</i> | <i>94</i> | <i>73</i> | <i>4,884</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Home owner/purchased | 3,473 | 1,573 | 1,175 | 956 | 857 | 369 | 192 | 16 | 8,611 |
| Public housing | 674 | 312 | 212 | 252 | 210 | 71 | 55 | 67 | 1,853 |
| Private rental | 256 | 218 | 183 | 84 | 79 | 64 | 12 | 11 | 907 |
| Board/lodging | 184 | 69 | 111 | 73 | 43 | 28 | 17 | 15 | 540 |
| Missing/not stated | 1,107 | 1,947 | 1,224 | 76 | 276 | 4 | 22 | 50 | 4,706 |
| Total | 5,694 | 4,119 | 2,905 | 1,441 | 1,465 | 536 | 298 | 159 | 16,617 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Home owner/purchased | 61.1 | 39.1 | 41.6 | 66.5 | 58.5 | 68.7 | 64.7 | 9.3 | 52.6 |
| Public housing | 11.8 | 7.1 | 6.9 | 17.8 | 14.1 | 13.2 | 17.6 | 46.5 | 10.9 |
| Private rental | 4.2 | 5.0 | 6.3 | 5.6 | 5.5 | 13.2 | 4.9 | 7.0 | 5.3 |
| Board/lodging | 3.1 | 1.6 | 3.8 | 4.9 | 2.6 | 4.2 | 5.9 | 4.7 | 3.0 |
| Missing/not stated | 19.9 | 47.1 | 41.5 | 5.3 | 19.2 | 0.7 | 6.9 | 32.6 | 28.1 |
| <i>Total females</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>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Home owner/purchased | 60.8 | 36.1 | 38.0 | 66.0 | 58.5 | 69.3 | 63.8 | 11.0 | 50.0 |
| Public housing | 12.0 | 8.6 | 8.3 | 16.9 | 14.8 | 13.4 | 20.2 | 37.0 | 11.7 |
| Private rental | 5.3 | 6.0 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 5.2 | 7.9 | 2.1 | 6.8 | 5.8 |
| Board/lodging | 3.7 | 1.7 | 4.0 | 5.5 | 3.8 | 8.7 | 5.3 | 15.1 | 3.7 |
| Missing/not stated | 18.2 | 47.6 | 43.5 | 5.3 | 17.8 | 0.8 | 8.5 | 30.1 | 28.8 |
| <i>Total males</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>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Home owner/purchased | 61.0 | 38.2 | 40.4 | 66.3 | 58.5 | 68.8 | 64.4 | 10.1 | 51.8 |
| Public housing | 11.8 | 7.6 | 7.3 | 17.5 | 14.3 | 13.2 | 18.5 | 42.1 | 11.2 |
| Private rental | 4.5 | 5.3 | 6.3 | 5.8 | 5.4 | 11.9 | 4.0 | 6.9 | 5.5 |
| Board/lodging | 3.2 | 1.7 | 3.8 | 5.1 | 2.9 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 9.4 | 3.2 |
| Missing/not stated | 19.4 | 47.3 | 42.1 | 5.3 | 18.8 | 0.7 | 7.4 | 31.4 | 28.3 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

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

Table 16: Care recipients, living arrangements^(a) by sex and State/Territory,^(b) 30 June 2000

| Sex/ living arrangements | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------------|
| | Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Alone | 2,255 | 1,627 | 705 | 595 | 539 | 285 | 123 | 5 | 6,134 |
| Spouse only | 720 | 642 | 247 | 206 | 195 | 75 | 41 | 3 | 2,129 |
| Spouse and others | 89 | 78 | 39 | 28 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 253 |
| Brothers/sisters | 34 | 35 | 7 | 11 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 104 |
| Child only | 154 | 167 | 64 | 35 | 34 | 15 | 9 | 0 | 478 |
| Child and child's family | 101 | 105 | 58 | 49 | 17 | 7 | 11 | 21 | 369 |
| Other family | 48 | 47 | 33 | 29 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 19 | 187 |
| Other | 86 | 58 | 23 | 16 | 34 | 14 | 1 | 14 | 246 |
| Missing/not stated | 678 | 85 | 824 | 16 | 194 | 4 | 13 | 19 | 1,833 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>4,165</i> | <i>2,844</i> | <i>2,000</i> | <i>985</i> | <i>1,040</i> | <i>409</i> | <i>204</i> | <i>86</i> | <i>11,733</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Alone | 609 | 518 | 259 | 199 | 175 | 70 | 32 | 14 | 1,876 |
| Spouse only | 473 | 519 | 170 | 175 | 131 | 43 | 46 | 1 | 1,558 |
| Spouse and others | 62 | 69 | 26 | 20 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 197 |
| Brothers/sisters | 13 | 11 | 8 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 40 |
| Child only | 37 | 27 | 7 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 87 |
| Child and child's family | 32 | 25 | 13 | 16 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 100 |
| Other family | 17 | 17 | 18 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 85 |
| Other | 42 | 41 | 23 | 17 | 33 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 169 |
| Missing/not stated | 247 | 39 | 286 | 6 | 67 | 2 | 7 | 18 | 772 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,532</i> | <i>1,266</i> | <i>810</i> | <i>456</i> | <i>426</i> | <i>127</i> | <i>94</i> | <i>73</i> | <i>4,884</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Alone | 2,864 | 2,145 | 964 | 794 | 714 | 355 | 155 | 19 | 8,010 |
| Spouse only | 1,193 | 1,161 | 417 | 381 | 326 | 118 | 87 | 4 | 3,687 |
| Spouse and others | 151 | 147 | 65 | 48 | 23 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 450 |
| Brothers/sisters | 47 | 46 | 15 | 12 | 12 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 144 |
| Child only | 191 | 194 | 71 | 44 | 37 | 17 | 11 | 0 | 565 |
| Child and child's family | 133 | 130 | 71 | 65 | 19 | 7 | 15 | 29 | 469 |
| Other family | 65 | 64 | 51 | 42 | 7 | 3 | 4 | 36 | 272 |
| Other | 128 | 99 | 46 | 33 | 67 | 21 | 2 | 19 | 415 |
| Missing/not stated | 925 | 124 | 1,110 | 22 | 261 | 6 | 20 | 37 | 2,605 |
| Total | 5,697 | 4,110 | 2,810 | 1,441 | 1,466 | 536 | 298 | 159 | 16,617 |

(continued)

**Table 16 (continued): Care recipients, living arrangements^(a) by sex and State/Territory,^(b)
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| Sex/ living arrangements | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| | Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Alone | 54.1 | 57.2 | 35.3 | 60.4 | 51.8 | 69.7 | 60.3 | 5.8 | 52.3 |
| Spouse only | 17.3 | 22.6 | 12.4 | 20.9 | 18.8 | 18.3 | 20.1 | 3.5 | 18.1 |
| Spouse and others | 2.1 | 2.7 | 2.0 | 2.8 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 4.7 | 2.2 |
| Brothers/sisters | 0.8 | 1.2 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.5 | 1.2 | 0.9 |
| Child only | 3.7 | 5.9 | 3.2 | 3.6 | 3.3 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 0.0 | 4.1 |
| Child and child's family | 2.4 | 3.7 | 2.9 | 5.0 | 1.6 | 1.7 | 5.4 | 24.4 | 3.1 |
| Other family | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 2.9 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 1.5 | 22.1 | 1.6 |
| Other | 2.1 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 0.5 | 16.3 | 2.1 |
| Missing/not stated | 16.3 | 3.0 | 41.2 | 1.6 | 18.7 | 1.0 | 6.4 | 22.1 | 15.6 |
| <i>Total females</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>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Alone | 39.8 | 40.9 | 32.0 | 43.6 | 41.1 | 55.1 | 34.0 | 19.2 | 38.4 |
| Spouse only | 30.9 | 41.0 | 21.0 | 38.4 | 30.8 | 33.9 | 48.9 | 1.4 | 31.9 |
| Spouse and others | 4.0 | 5.5 | 3.2 | 4.4 | 2.3 | 2.4 | 1.1 | 8.2 | 4.0 |
| Brothers/sisters | 0.8 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.5 | 0.8 |
| Child only | 2.4 | 2.1 | 0.9 | 2.0 | 0.7 | 1.6 | 2.1 | 0.0 | 1.8 |
| Child and child's family | 2.1 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 3.5 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 4.3 | 11.0 | 2.0 |
| Other family | 1.1 | 1.3 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 1.1 | 23.3 | 1.7 |
| Other | 2.7 | 3.2 | 2.8 | 3.7 | 7.7 | 5.5 | 1.1 | 6.8 | 3.5 |
| Missing/not stated | 16.1 | 3.1 | 35.3 | 1.3 | 15.7 | 1.6 | 7.4 | 24.7 | 15.8 |
| <i>Total males</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>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Alone | 50.3 | 52.2 | 34.3 | 55.1 | 48.7 | 66.2 | 52.0 | 11.9 | 48.2 |
| Spouse only | 20.9 | 28.2 | 14.8 | 26.4 | 22.2 | 22.0 | 29.2 | 2.5 | 22.2 |
| Spouse and others | 2.7 | 3.6 | 2.3 | 3.3 | 1.6 | 0.9 | 0.3 | 6.3 | 2.7 |
| Brothers/sisters | 0.8 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 3.1 | 0.9 |
| Child only | 3.4 | 4.7 | 2.5 | 3.1 | 2.5 | 3.2 | 3.7 | 0.0 | 3.4 |
| Child and child's family | 2.3 | 3.2 | 2.5 | 4.5 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 5.0 | 18.2 | 2.8 |
| Other family | 1.1 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 2.9 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 22.6 | 1.6 |
| Other | 2.2 | 2.4 | 1.6 | 2.3 | 4.6 | 3.9 | 0.7 | 11.9 | 2.5 |
| Missing/not stated | 16.2 | 3.0 | 39.5 | 1.5 | 17.8 | 1.1 | 6.7 | 23.3 | 15.7 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

(a) 'Living arrangements' refers to the living arrangements of the client at the time of application for a package.

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

Tables for Section 2.5

Table 17: Care recipients, Indigenous status by age group, 30 June 2000

| Sex/age | Indigenous | | Non-Indigenous | | Unknown | | Total care recipients | |
|----------------------|------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| | No. | % | No. | % | No. | % | No. | % |
| Females | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 14 | 5.1 | 78 | 0.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 92 | 0.8 |
| 50-54 | 11 | 4.0 | 72 | 0.6 | 1 | 3.0 | 84 | 0.7 |
| 55-59 | 18 | 6.5 | 135 | 1.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 153 | 1.3 |
| 60-64 | 44 | 16.0 | 281 | 2.5 | 1 | 3.0 | 326 | 2.8 |
| 65-69 | 49 | 17.8 | 540 | 4.7 | 1 | 3.0 | 590 | 5.0 |
| 70-74 | 60 | 21.8 | 1,128 | 9.9 | 3 | 9.1 | 1,191 | 10.2 |
| 75-79 | 37 | 13.5 | 2,082 | 18.2 | 4 | 12.1 | 2,123 | 18.1 |
| 80-84 | 24 | 8.7 | 2,934 | 25.7 | 9 | 27.3 | 2,967 | 25.3 |
| 85-89 | 15 | 5.5 | 2,696 | 23.6 | 8 | 24.2 | 2,719 | 23.2 |
| 90+ | 3 | 1.1 | 1,477 | 12.9 | 6 | 18.2 | 1,486 | 12.7 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>275</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>11,423</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>33</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>11,731</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 16 | 10.6 | 66 | 1.4 | 0 | 0.0 | 82 | 1.7 |
| 50-54 | 10 | 6.6 | 58 | 1.2 | 0 | 0.0 | 68 | 1.4 |
| 55-59 | 13 | 8.6 | 114 | 2.4 | 1 | 11.1 | 128 | 2.6 |
| 60-64 | 19 | 12.6 | 210 | 4.4 | 2 | 22.2 | 231 | 4.7 |
| 65-69 | 25 | 16.6 | 326 | 6.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 351 | 7.2 |
| 70-74 | 25 | 16.6 | 560 | 11.8 | 1 | 11.1 | 586 | 12.0 |
| 75-79 | 20 | 13.2 | 839 | 17.8 | 1 | 11.1 | 860 | 17.6 |
| 80-84 | 12 | 7.9 | 1,041 | 22.0 | 2 | 22.2 | 1,055 | 21.6 |
| 85-89 | 6 | 4.0 | 972 | 20.6 | 1 | 11.1 | 979 | 20.0 |
| 90+ | 5 | 3.3 | 540 | 11.4 | 1 | 11.1 | 546 | 11.2 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>151</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>4,726</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>4,886</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 30 | 7.0 | 144 | 0.9 | 0 | 0.0 | 174 | 1.0 |
| 50-54 | 21 | 4.9 | 130 | 0.8 | 1 | 2.4 | 152 | 0.9 |
| 55-59 | 31 | 7.3 | 249 | 1.5 | 1 | 2.4 | 281 | 1.7 |
| 60-64 | 63 | 14.8 | 491 | 3.0 | 3 | 7.1 | 557 | 3.4 |
| 65-69 | 74 | 17.4 | 866 | 5.4 | 1 | 2.4 | 941 | 5.7 |
| 70-74 | 85 | 20.0 | 1,688 | 10.5 | 4 | 9.5 | 1,777 | 10.7 |
| 75-79 | 57 | 13.4 | 2,921 | 18.1 | 5 | 11.9 | 2,983 | 18.0 |
| 80-84 | 36 | 8.5 | 3,975 | 24.6 | 11 | 26.2 | 4,022 | 24.2 |
| 85-89 | 21 | 4.9 | 3,668 | 22.7 | 9 | 21.4 | 3,698 | 22.3 |
| 90+ | 8 | 1.9 | 2,017 | 12.5 | 7 | 16.7 | 2,032 | 12.2 |
| Total | 426 | 100.0 | 16,149 | 100.0 | 42 | 100.0 | 16,617 | 100.0 |

Notes: 1. Percentage columns do not always add up to 100 due to rounding.

2. In addition, there were 81 flexibly funded packages provided under the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Aged Care Strategy for which no care recipient details were available. The packages are not included in the ACCMIS database from which data presented in this publication are derived.

Table 18: Care recipients, English-speaking status by age group, 30 June 2000

| Sex/age | Non-English-speaking | | English-speaking | | Unknown | | Total care recipients | |
|----------------------|----------------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| | No. | % | No. | % | No. | % | No. | % |
| Females | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 23 | 0.8 | 69 | 0.8 | 0 | 0.0 | 92 | 0.8 |
| 50-54 | 19 | 0.7 | 65 | 0.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 84 | 0.7 |
| 55-59 | 31 | 1.1 | 121 | 1.4 | 1 | 1.5 | 153 | 1.3 |
| 60-64 | 81 | 2.8 | 243 | 2.8 | 2 | 3.0 | 326 | 2.8 |
| 65-69 | 151 | 5.3 | 429 | 4.9 | 10 | 15.2 | 590 | 5.0 |
| 70-74 | 335 | 11.7 | 846 | 9.6 | 10 | 15.2 | 1,191 | 10.2 |
| 75-79 | 591 | 20.6 | 1,512 | 17.2 | 20 | 30.3 | 2,123 | 18.1 |
| 80-84 | 720 | 25.1 | 2,237 | 25.4 | 10 | 15.2 | 2,967 | 25.3 |
| 85-89 | 595 | 20.7 | 2,113 | 24.0 | 11 | 16.7 | 2,719 | 23.2 |
| 90+ | 323 | 11.3 | 1,161 | 13.2 | 2 | 3.0 | 1,486 | 12.7 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>2,869</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>8,796</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>66</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>11,731</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 23 | 1.8 | 59 | 1.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 82 | 1.7 |
| 50-54 | 11 | 0.9 | 57 | 1.6 | 0 | 0.0 | 68 | 1.4 |
| 55-59 | 32 | 2.5 | 94 | 2.6 | 2 | 8.0 | 128 | 2.6 |
| 60-64 | 63 | 5.0 | 168 | 4.7 | 0 | 0.0 | 231 | 4.7 |
| 65-69 | 82 | 6.5 | 267 | 7.4 | 2 | 8.0 | 351 | 7.2 |
| 70-74 | 145 | 11.5 | 435 | 12.1 | 6 | 24.0 | 586 | 12.0 |
| 75-79 | 230 | 18.2 | 626 | 17.4 | 4 | 16.0 | 860 | 17.6 |
| 80-84 | 271 | 21.4 | 779 | 21.7 | 5 | 20.0 | 1,055 | 21.6 |
| 85-89 | 245 | 19.4 | 730 | 20.3 | 4 | 16.0 | 979 | 20.0 |
| 90+ | 162 | 12.8 | 382 | 10.6 | 2 | 8.0 | 546 | 11.2 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,264</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>3,597</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>100.0</i> | <i>4,886</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 46 | 1.1 | 128 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 174 | 1.0 |
| 50-54 | 30 | 0.7 | 122 | 1.0 | 0 | 0.0 | 152 | 0.9 |
| 55-59 | 63 | 1.5 | 215 | 1.7 | 3 | 3.3 | 281 | 1.7 |
| 60-64 | 144 | 3.5 | 411 | 3.3 | 2 | 2.2 | 557 | 3.4 |
| 65-69 | 233 | 5.6 | 696 | 5.6 | 12 | 13.2 | 941 | 5.7 |
| 70-74 | 480 | 11.6 | 1,281 | 10.3 | 16 | 17.6 | 1,777 | 10.7 |
| 75-79 | 821 | 19.9 | 2,138 | 17.3 | 24 | 26.4 | 2,983 | 18.0 |
| 80-84 | 991 | 24.0 | 3,016 | 24.3 | 15 | 16.5 | 4,022 | 24.2 |
| 85-89 | 840 | 20.3 | 2,843 | 22.9 | 15 | 16.5 | 3,698 | 22.3 |
| 90+ | 485 | 11.7 | 1,543 | 12.5 | 4 | 4.4 | 2,032 | 12.2 |
| Total | 4,133 | 100.0 | 12,393 | 100.0 | 91 | 100.0 | 16,617 | 100.0 |

Note: Percentage columns do not always add up to 100 due to rounding.

Table 19: Outlets, financial hardship target percentage by State/Territory, 30 June 2000

| FDP target percentage | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| | Number of outlets | | | | | | | | |
| 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| 1-10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 11-20 | 74 | 17 | 99 | 29 | 36 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 273 |
| 21-30 | 92 | 53 | 83 | 41 | 6 | 12 | 6 | 0 | 293 |
| 31-40 | 6 | 15 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36 |
| 41-50 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| 51-60 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| 61-70 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 71-80 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| 81-90 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 6 |
| 91-100 | 25 | 18 | 8 | 15 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 20 | 90 |
| Total | 205 | 104 | 205 | 89 | 51 | 32 | 6 | 28 | 720 |
| | Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| 0 | 2.9 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 3.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.3 |
| 1-10 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| 11-20 | 36.1 | 16.3 | 48.3 | 32.6 | 70.6 | 56.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 37.9 |
| 21-30 | 44.9 | 51.0 | 40.5 | 46.1 | 11.8 | 37.5 | 100.0 | 0.0 | 40.7 |
| 31-40 | 2.9 | 14.4 | 4.9 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 5.0 |
| 41-50 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.0 | 3.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.8 |
| 51-60 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.6 | 0.4 |
| 61-70 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| 71-80 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.1 | 0.3 |
| 81-90 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 17.9 | 0.8 |
| 91-100 | 12.2 | 17.3 | 3.9 | 16.9 | 3.9 | 6.3 | 0.0 | 71.4 | 12.5 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

Table 20: Outlets, financial hardship percentage by geographic area, ^(a) 30 June 2000

| FDP target percentage | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------|
| | Number of outlets | | | | | | | |
| 0 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| 1-10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| 11-20 | 138 | 11 | 21 | 27 | 54 | 5 | 17 | 273 |
| 21-30 | 129 | 42 | 29 | 18 | 52 | 5 | 18 | 293 |
| 31-40 | 26 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 36 |
| 41-50 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| 51-60 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 61-70 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 71-80 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| 81-90 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 6 |
| 91-100 | 37 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 17 | 11 | 90 |
| Total | 343 | 66 | 55 | 50 | 121 | 33 | 52 | 720 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| 0 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.3 |
| 1-10 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.9 | 0.1 |
| 11-20 | 40.2 | 16.7 | 38.2 | 54.0 | 44.6 | 15.2 | 32.7 | 37.9 |
| 21-30 | 37.6 | 63.6 | 52.7 | 36.0 | 43.0 | 15.2 | 34.6 | 40.7 |
| 31-40 | 7.6 | 3.0 | 3.6 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 9.1 | 1.9 | 5.0 |
| 41-50 | 0.3 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 0.0 | 1.9 | 0.8 |
| 51-60 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 1.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.4 |
| 61-70 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.1 |
| 71-80 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.8 | 0.3 |
| 81-90 | 0.6 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 9.1 | 1.9 | 0.8 |
| 91-100 | 10.8 | 13.6 | 1.8 | 8.0 | 9.1 | 51.5 | 21.2 | 12.5 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

(a) PIE & HSH 1994.

Table 21: Care recipients, financial status by sex and State/Territory, ^(a) 30 June 2000

| Sex/ FDP status | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 1,359 | 759 | 616 | 396 | 351 | 209 | 81 | 63 | 3,834 |
| No | 1,720 | 1,195 | 708 | 488 | 414 | 116 | 123 | 0 | 4,764 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>3,079</i> | <i>1,954</i> | <i>1,324</i> | <i>884</i> | <i>765</i> | <i>325</i> | <i>204</i> | <i>63</i> | <i>8,598</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 548 | 390 | 307 | 211 | 160 | 64 | 40 | 53 | 1,773 |
| No | 571 | 518 | 320 | 188 | 163 | 29 | 54 | 0 | 1,843 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,119</i> | <i>908</i> | <i>627</i> | <i>399</i> | <i>323</i> | <i>93</i> | <i>94</i> | <i>53</i> | <i>3,616</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 1,907 | 1,149 | 923 | 607 | 511 | 273 | 121 | 116 | 5,607 |
| No | 2,291 | 1,713 | 1,028 | 676 | 577 | 145 | 177 | 0 | 6,607 |
| Total | 4,198 | 2,862 | 1,951 | 1,283 | 1,088 | 418 | 298 | 116 | 12,214 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 44.1 | 38.8 | 46.5 | 44.8 | 45.9 | 64.3 | 39.7 | 100.0 | 44.6 |
| No | 55.9 | 61.2 | 53.5 | 55.2 | 54.1 | 35.7 | 60.3 | 0.0 | 55.4 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 49.0 | 43.0 | 49.0 | 52.9 | 49.5 | 68.8 | 42.6 | 100.0 | 49.0 |
| No | 51.0 | 57.0 | 51.0 | 47.1 | 50.5 | 31.2 | 57.4 | 0.0 | 51.0 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 45.4 | 40.1 | 47.3 | 47.3 | 47.0 | 65.3 | 40.6 | 100.0 | 45.9 |
| No | 54.6 | 59.9 | 52.7 | 52.7 | 53.0 | 34.7 | 59.4 | 0.0 | 54.1 |
| Total | 100.0 |

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

Note: Unknown and missing cases for financial hardship status excluded from calculations = 4,403 (3,133 females and 1,270 males).

Table 22: Packages, financial hardship target by State/Territory, ^(a) 30 June 2000

| Targeted to financial hardship | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Number of packages | | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 1,741 | 1,432 | 734 | 509 | 369 | 141 | 92 | 178 | 5,195 |
| No | 4,553 | 3,082 | 2,413 | 1,015 | 1,240 | 425 | 216 | 10 | 12,954 |
| Total | 6,294 | 4,514 | 3,147 | 1,524 | 1,609 | 566 | 308 | 187 | 18,149 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 27.7 | 31.7 | 23.3 | 33.4 | 22.9 | 24.8 | 30.0 | 94.9 | 28.6 |
| No | 72.3 | 68.3 | 76.7 | 66.6 | 77.1 | 75.2 | 70.0 | 5.1 | 71.4 |
| Total | 100.0 |

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

Table 23: Care recipients, financial hardship status by sex and geographic area,^(a) 30 June 2000

| Sex/ FDP status | Capital cities | Other metropolitan centres | Large rural centres | Small rural centres | Other rural areas | Remote centres | Other remote areas | Total |
|----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------|
| Number of care recipients | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 2,453 | 247 | 281 | 389 | 282 | 101 | 81 | 3,834 |
| No | 3,295 | 503 | 283 | 331 | 289 | 14 | 49 | 4,764 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>7,234</i> | <i>1,148</i> | <i>1,069</i> | <i>919</i> | <i>1,014</i> | <i>161</i> | <i>186</i> | <i>11,731</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 1,107 | 90 | 101 | 216 | 139 | 58 | 62 | 1,773 |
| No | 1,273 | 182 | 95 | 152 | 112 | 2 | 27 | 1,843 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>2,941</i> | <i>442</i> | <i>386</i> | <i>445</i> | <i>455</i> | <i>88</i> | <i>125</i> | <i>4,882</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 3,560 | 337 | 382 | 605 | 421 | 159 | 143 | 5,607 |
| No | 4,568 | 685 | 378 | 483 | 401 | 16 | 76 | 6,607 |
| Total | 10,175 | 1,590 | 1,455 | 1,364 | 1,469 | 249 | 311 | 16,617 |
| Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 33.9 | 21.5 | 26.3 | 42.3 | 27.8 | 62.7 | 43.5 | 32.7 |
| No | 45.5 | 43.8 | 26.5 | 36.0 | 28.5 | 8.7 | 26.3 | 40.6 |
| <i>Total females</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> |
| Males | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 37.6 | 20.4 | 26.2 | 48.5 | 30.5 | 65.9 | 49.6 | 36.3 |
| No | 43.3 | 41.2 | 24.6 | 34.2 | 24.6 | 2.3 | 21.6 | 37.8 |
| <i>Total males</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> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | |
| Yes | 35.0 | 21.2 | 26.3 | 44.4 | 28.7 | 63.9 | 46.0 | 33.7 |
| No | 44.9 | 43.1 | 26.0 | 35.4 | 27.3 | 6.4 | 24.4 | 39.8 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

(a) 'Geographic area' refers to the location of the outlet (PIE & HSH 1994).

Note: Unknown and missing cases for financial hardship status excluded from calculations = 4,403 (3,133 females and 1,270 males).

Tables for Section 2.6

Table 24: Admissions, age at admission by sex and State/Territory, ^(a) 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000

| | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|----------------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|---------------|
| Sex/age | Number of admissions | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 11 | 17 | 18 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 54 |
| 50-54 | 13 | 22 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50 |
| 55-59 | 26 | 43 | 15 | 18 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 109 |
| 60-64 | 61 | 59 | 34 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 2 | 7 | 185 |
| 65-69 | 138 | 90 | 69 | 35 | 19 | 9 | 6 | 4 | 370 |
| 70-74 | 302 | 197 | 130 | 59 | 53 | 14 | 18 | 4 | 777 |
| 75-79 | 544 | 357 | 249 | 136 | 122 | 41 | 19 | 7 | 1475 |
| 80-84 | 770 | 492 | 344 | 171 | 131 | 64 | 35 | 4 | 2011 |
| 85-89 | 560 | 443 | 261 | 144 | 123 | 53 | 36 | 0 | 1620 |
| 90+ | 289 | 195 | 148 | 86 | 56 | 23 | 18 | 0 | 815 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>2,714</i> | <i>1,915</i> | <i>1,273</i> | <i>670</i> | <i>521</i> | <i>210</i> | <i>135</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>7,466</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 8 | 15 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 42 |
| 50-54 | 4 | 19 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 40 |
| 55-59 | 20 | 23 | 13 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 74 |
| 60-64 | 35 | 45 | 16 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 117 |
| 65-69 | 60 | 70 | 39 | 20 | 10 | 8 | 9 | 5 | 221 |
| 70-74 | 154 | 115 | 65 | 56 | 24 | 8 | 8 | 2 | 432 |
| 75-79 | 223 | 166 | 120 | 82 | 49 | 15 | 14 | 5 | 674 |
| 80-84 | 238 | 179 | 164 | 65 | 50 | 11 | 14 | 0 | 721 |
| 85-89 | 248 | 170 | 132 | 53 | 54 | 17 | 14 | 2 | 690 |
| 90+ | 124 | 78 | 67 | 40 | 29 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 347 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>1,114</i> | <i>880</i> | <i>634</i> | <i>342</i> | <i>232</i> | <i>66</i> | <i>65</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>3,358</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 19 | 32 | 29 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 96 |
| 50-54 | 17 | 41 | 12 | 11 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 90 |
| 55-59 | 46 | 66 | 28 | 26 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 183 |
| 60-64 | 96 | 104 | 50 | 19 | 12 | 6 | 5 | 10 | 302 |
| 65-69 | 198 | 160 | 108 | 55 | 29 | 17 | 15 | 9 | 591 |
| 70-74 | 456 | 312 | 195 | 115 | 77 | 22 | 26 | 6 | 1,209 |
| 75-79 | 767 | 523 | 369 | 218 | 171 | 56 | 33 | 12 | 2,149 |
| 80-84 | 1,008 | 671 | 508 | 236 | 181 | 75 | 49 | 4 | 2,732 |
| 85-89 | 808 | 613 | 393 | 197 | 177 | 70 | 50 | 2 | 2,310 |
| 90+ | 413 | 273 | 215 | 126 | 85 | 28 | 21 | 1 | 1,162 |
| Total | 3,828 | 2,795 | 1,907 | 1,012 | 753 | 276 | 200 | 53 | 10,824 |

(continued)

**Table 24 (continued): Admissions, age at admission by sex and State/Territory,^(a)
1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000**

| | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|----------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Sex/age | Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 1.4 | 0.9 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 7.1 | 0.7 |
| 50-54 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.7 |
| 55-59 | 1.0 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 2.7 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 1.5 |
| 60-64 | 2.2 | 3.1 | 2.7 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 1.5 | 25.0 | 2.5 |
| 65-69 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 5.4 | 5.2 | 3.6 | 4.3 | 4.4 | 14.3 | 5.0 |
| 70-74 | 11.1 | 10.3 | 10.2 | 8.8 | 10.2 | 6.7 | 13.3 | 14.3 | 10.4 |
| 75-79 | 20.0 | 18.6 | 19.6 | 20.3 | 23.4 | 19.5 | 14.1 | 25.0 | 19.8 |
| 80-84 | 28.4 | 25.7 | 27.0 | 25.5 | 25.1 | 30.5 | 25.9 | 14.3 | 26.9 |
| 85-89 | 20.6 | 23.1 | 20.5 | 21.5 | 23.6 | 25.2 | 26.7 | 0.0 | 21.7 |
| 90+ | 10.6 | 10.2 | 11.6 | 12.8 | 10.7 | 11.0 | 13.3 | 0.0 | 10.9 |
| <i>Total females</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>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 0.7 | 1.7 | 1.7 | 0.9 | 0.4 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 16.0 | 1.3 |
| 50-54 | 0.4 | 2.2 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.2 |
| 55-59 | 1.8 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 2.3 | 2.6 | 1.5 | 0.0 | 12.0 | 2.2 |
| 60-64 | 3.1 | 5.1 | 2.5 | 2.9 | 1.7 | 1.5 | 4.6 | 12.0 | 3.5 |
| 65-69 | 5.4 | 8.0 | 6.2 | 5.8 | 4.3 | 12.1 | 13.8 | 20.0 | 6.6 |
| 70-74 | 13.8 | 13.1 | 10.3 | 16.4 | 10.3 | 12.1 | 12.3 | 8.0 | 12.9 |
| 75-79 | 20.0 | 18.9 | 18.9 | 24.0 | 21.1 | 22.7 | 21.5 | 20.0 | 20.1 |
| 80-84 | 21.4 | 20.3 | 25.9 | 19.0 | 21.6 | 16.7 | 21.5 | 0.0 | 21.5 |
| 85-89 | 22.3 | 19.3 | 20.8 | 15.5 | 23.3 | 25.8 | 21.5 | 8.0 | 20.5 |
| 90+ | 11.1 | 8.9 | 10.6 | 11.7 | 12.5 | 7.6 | 4.6 | 4.0 | 10.3 |
| <i>Total males</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>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| 0-49 | 0.5 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 0.9 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 11.3 | 0.9 |
| 50-54 | 0.4 | 1.5 | 0.6 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.8 |
| 55-59 | 1.2 | 2.4 | 1.5 | 2.6 | 1.5 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 5.7 | 1.7 |
| 60-64 | 2.5 | 3.7 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 18.9 | 2.8 |
| 65-69 | 5.2 | 5.7 | 5.7 | 5.4 | 3.9 | 6.2 | 7.5 | 17.0 | 5.5 |
| 70-74 | 11.9 | 11.2 | 10.2 | 11.4 | 10.2 | 8.0 | 13.0 | 11.3 | 11.2 |
| 75-79 | 20.0 | 18.7 | 19.3 | 21.5 | 22.7 | 20.3 | 16.5 | 22.6 | 19.9 |
| 80-84 | 26.3 | 24.0 | 26.6 | 23.3 | 24.0 | 27.2 | 24.5 | 7.5 | 25.2 |
| 85-89 | 21.1 | 21.9 | 20.6 | 19.5 | 23.5 | 25.4 | 25.0 | 3.8 | 21.3 |
| 90+ | 10.8 | 9.8 | 11.3 | 12.5 | 11.3 | 10.1 | 10.5 | 1.9 | 10.7 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

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

Table 25: Separations, separation mode by sex and State/Territory,^(a) 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000

| Sex/ separation mode | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| | Number of separations | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Death | 314 | 192 | 166 | 68 | 66 | 29 | 21 | 14 | 870 |
| To hospital | 85 | 39 | 112 | 43 | 18 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 309 |
| To residential service | 852 | 627 | 389 | 198 | 178 | 70 | 58 | 8 | 2,380 |
| To other CACP | 155 | 72 | 40 | 42 | 10 | 13 | 5 | 5 | 342 |
| Automatic | 9 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| Other community/ holiday | 84 | 66 | 51 | 18 | 24 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 254 |
| Other | 297 | 193 | 116 | 72 | 31 | 10 | 20 | 2 | 741 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>1,796</i> | <i>1,191</i> | <i>874</i> | <i>442</i> | <i>327</i> | <i>135</i> | <i>111</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>4,908</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Death | 211 | 161 | 129 | 50 | 54 | 16 | 11 | 8 | 640 |
| To hospital | 39 | 20 | 44 | 15 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 133 |
| To residential service | 325 | 273 | 180 | 101 | 95 | 19 | 19 | 4 | 1,016 |
| To other CACP | 66 | 26 | 17 | 17 | 9 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 142 |
| Automatic | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Other community/ holiday | 27 | 22 | 23 | 15 | 8 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 99 |
| Other | 106 | 89 | 51 | 26 | 14 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 298 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>776</i> | <i>595</i> | <i>444</i> | <i>224</i> | <i>185</i> | <i>48</i> | <i>45</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>2,334</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Death | 525 | 353 | 295 | 118 | 120 | 45 | 32 | 22 | 1,510 |
| To hospital | 124 | 59 | 156 | 58 | 23 | 16 | 5 | 1 | 442 |
| To residential service | 1,177 | 900 | 569 | 299 | 273 | 89 | 77 | 12 | 3,396 |
| To other CACP | 221 | 98 | 57 | 59 | 19 | 17 | 5 | 8 | 484 |
| Automatic | 11 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Other community/ holiday | 111 | 88 | 74 | 33 | 32 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 353 |
| Other | 403 | 282 | 167 | 98 | 45 | 12 | 29 | 3 | 1,039 |
| Total | 2,572 | 1,786 | 1,318 | 666 | 512 | 183 | 156 | 49 | 7,242 |

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Table 25 (continued): Separations, separation mode by sex and State/Territory, ^(a) 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000

| Sex/ separation mode | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|---------------------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| | Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| Death | 17.5 | 16.1 | 19.0 | 15.4 | 20.2 | 21.5 | 18.9 | 43.8 | 17.7 |
| To hospital | 4.7 | 3.3 | 12.8 | 9.7 | 5.5 | 6.7 | 1.8 | 3.1 | 6.3 |
| To residential service | 47.4 | 52.6 | 44.5 | 44.8 | 54.4 | 51.9 | 52.3 | 25.0 | 48.5 |
| To other CACP | 8.6 | 6.0 | 4.6 | 9.5 | 3.1 | 9.6 | 4.5 | 15.6 | 7.0 |
| Automatic | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Other community/ holiday | 4.7 | 5.5 | 5.8 | 4.1 | 7.3 | 3.0 | 4.5 | 6.3 | 5.2 |
| Other | 16.5 | 16.2 | 13.3 | 16.3 | 9.5 | 7.4 | 18.0 | 6.3 | 15.1 |
| <i>Total females</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>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| Death | 27.2 | 27.1 | 29.1 | 22.3 | 29.2 | 33.3 | 24.4 | 47.1 | 27.4 |
| To hospital | 5.0 | 3.4 | 9.9 | 6.7 | 2.7 | 14.6 | 6.7 | 0.0 | 5.7 |
| To residential service | 41.9 | 45.9 | 40.5 | 45.1 | 51.4 | 39.6 | 42.2 | 23.5 | 43.5 |
| To other CACP | 8.5 | 4.4 | 3.8 | 7.6 | 4.9 | 8.3 | 0.0 | 17.6 | 6.1 |
| Automatic | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.3 |
| Other community/ holiday | 3.5 | 3.7 | 5.2 | 6.7 | 4.3 | 0.0 | 6.7 | 5.9 | 4.2 |
| Other | 3.5 | 3.7 | 5.2 | 6.7 | 4.3 | 0.0 | 6.7 | 5.9 | 4.2 |
| <i>Total males</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>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| Death | 20.4 | 19.8 | 22.4 | 17.7 | 23.4 | 24.6 | 20.5 | 44.9 | 20.9 |
| To hospital | 4.8 | 3.3 | 11.8 | 8.7 | 4.5 | 8.7 | 3.2 | 2.0 | 6.1 |
| To residential service | 45.8 | 50.4 | 43.2 | 44.9 | 53.3 | 48.6 | 49.4 | 24.5 | 46.9 |
| To other CACP | 8.6 | 5.5 | 4.3 | 8.9 | 3.7 | 9.3 | 3.2 | 16.3 | 6.7 |
| Automatic | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.2 |
| Other community/ holiday | 4.3 | 4.9 | 5.6 | 5.0 | 6.3 | 2.2 | 5.1 | 6.1 | 4.9 |
| Other | 15.7 | 15.8 | 12.7 | 14.7 | 8.8 | 6.6 | 18.6 | 6.1 | 14.3 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

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

Table 26: Separations, length of stay by sex and State/Territory,^(a) 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000

| Sex/ length of stay | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------------|
| | Number of separations | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| <4 weeks | 96 | 86 | 48 | 17 | 8 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 265 |
| 4-<8 weeks | 115 | 77 | 72 | 34 | 11 | 7 | 11 | 1 | 328 |
| 8-<13 weeks | 140 | 72 | 67 | 34 | 17 | 6 | 8 | 1 | 345 |
| 13-<26 weeks | 245 | 168 | 115 | 66 | 41 | 16 | 12 | 2 | 665 |
| 26-<39 weeks | 180 | 164 | 107 | 53 | 41 | 7 | 10 | 4 | 566 |
| 39-<52 weeks | 190 | 110 | 95 | 39 | 36 | 13 | 19 | 2 | 504 |
| 1-<2 years | 454 | 323 | 224 | 109 | 95 | 34 | 26 | 7 | 1,272 |
| 2-<3 years | 205 | 122 | 104 | 53 | 42 | 30 | 18 | 12 | 586 |
| 3-<4 years | 95 | 46 | 21 | 19 | 13 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 206 |
| 4+ years | 76 | 23 | 21 | 18 | 23 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 171 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>1,796</i> | <i>1,191</i> | <i>874</i> | <i>442</i> | <i>327</i> | <i>135</i> | <i>111</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>4,908</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| <4 weeks | 42 | 48 | 24 | 10 | 5 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 135 |
| 4-<8 weeks | 66 | 33 | 37 | 18 | 12 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 174 |
| 8-<13 weeks | 68 | 45 | 36 | 21 | 12 | 4 | 6 | 0 | 192 |
| 13-<26 weeks | 95 | 93 | 61 | 39 | 27 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 337 |
| 26-<39 weeks | 93 | 84 | 53 | 24 | 30 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 287 |
| 39-<52 weeks | 89 | 60 | 51 | 24 | 16 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 248 |
| 1-<2 years | 190 | 154 | 113 | 55 | 52 | 14 | 10 | 5 | 593 |
| 2-<3 years | 79 | 53 | 46 | 22 | 20 | 11 | 6 | 2 | 239 |
| 3-<4 years | 30 | 16 | 12 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 72 |
| 4+ years | 24 | 9 | 11 | 5 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 57 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>776</i> | <i>595</i> | <i>444</i> | <i>224</i> | <i>185</i> | <i>48</i> | <i>45</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>2,334</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| <4 weeks | 138 | 134 | 72 | 27 | 13 | 5 | 10 | 1 | 400 |
| 4-<8 weeks | 181 | 110 | 109 | 52 | 23 | 10 | 15 | 2 | 502 |
| 8-<13 weeks | 208 | 117 | 103 | 55 | 29 | 10 | 14 | 1 | 537 |
| 13-<26 weeks | 340 | 261 | 176 | 105 | 68 | 24 | 20 | 8 | 1,002 |
| 26-<39 weeks | 273 | 248 | 160 | 77 | 71 | 7 | 12 | 5 | 853 |
| 39-<52 weeks | 279 | 170 | 146 | 63 | 52 | 18 | 21 | 3 | 752 |
| 1-<2 years | 644 | 477 | 337 | 164 | 147 | 48 | 36 | 12 | 1,865 |
| 2-<3 years | 284 | 175 | 150 | 75 | 62 | 41 | 24 | 14 | 825 |
| 3-<4 years | 125 | 62 | 33 | 25 | 18 | 9 | 4 | 2 | 278 |
| 4+ years | 100 | 32 | 32 | 23 | 29 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 228 |
| Total | 2,572 | 1,786 | 1,318 | 666 | 512 | 183 | 156 | 49 | 7,242 |

(continued)

Table 26 (continued): Separations, length of stay by sex and State/Territory, ^(a)
1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000

| Sex/ length of stay | NSW | Vic | Qld | WA | SA | Tas | ACT | NT | Australia |
|------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Per cent | | | | | | | | |
| Females | | | | | | | | | |
| <4 weeks | 5.3 | 7.2 | 5.5 | 3.8 | 2.4 | 3.7 | 4.5 | 0.0 | 5.4 |
| 4-<8 weeks | 6.4 | 6.5 | 8.2 | 7.7 | 3.4 | 5.2 | 9.9 | 3.1 | 6.7 |
| 8-<13 weeks | 7.8 | 6.0 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 5.2 | 4.4 | 7.2 | 3.1 | 7.0 |
| 13-<26 weeks | 13.6 | 14.1 | 13.2 | 14.9 | 12.5 | 11.9 | 10.8 | 6.3 | 13.5 |
| 26-<39 weeks | 10.0 | 13.8 | 12.2 | 12.0 | 12.5 | 5.2 | 9.0 | 12.5 | 11.5 |
| 39-<52 weeks | 10.6 | 9.2 | 10.9 | 8.8 | 11.0 | 9.6 | 17.1 | 6.3 | 10.3 |
| 1-<2 years | 25.3 | 27.1 | 25.6 | 24.7 | 29.1 | 25.2 | 23.4 | 21.9 | 25.9 |
| 2-<3 years | 11.4 | 10.2 | 11.9 | 12.0 | 12.8 | 22.2 | 16.2 | 37.5 | 11.9 |
| 3-<4 years | 5.3 | 3.9 | 2.4 | 4.3 | 4.0 | 5.9 | 1.8 | 6.3 | 4.2 |
| 4+ years | 4.2 | 1.9 | 2.4 | 4.1 | 7.0 | 6.7 | 0.0 | 3.1 | 3.5 |
| <i>Total females</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Males | | | | | | | | | |
| <4 weeks | 5.4 | 8.1 | 5.4 | 4.5 | 2.7 | 0.0 | 11.1 | 5.9 | 5.8 |
| 4-<8 weeks | 8.5 | 5.5 | 8.3 | 8.0 | 6.5 | 6.3 | 8.9 | 5.9 | 7.5 |
| 8-<13 weeks | 8.8 | 7.6 | 8.1 | 9.4 | 6.5 | 8.3 | 13.3 | 0.0 | 8.2 |
| 13-<26 weeks | 12.2 | 15.6 | 13.7 | 17.4 | 14.6 | 16.7 | 17.8 | 35.3 | 14.4 |
| 26-<39 weeks | 12.0 | 14.1 | 11.9 | 10.7 | 16.2 | 0.0 | 4.4 | 5.9 | 12.3 |
| 39-<52 weeks | 11.5 | 10.1 | 11.5 | 10.7 | 8.6 | 10.4 | 4.4 | 5.9 | 10.6 |
| 1-<2 years | 24.5 | 25.9 | 25.5 | 24.6 | 28.1 | 29.2 | 22.2 | 29.4 | 25.4 |
| 2-<3 years | 10.2 | 8.9 | 10.4 | 9.8 | 10.8 | 22.9 | 13.3 | 11.8 | 10.2 |
| 3-<4 years | 3.9 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.1 | 4.4 | 0.0 | 3.1 |
| 4+ years | 24.5 | 25.9 | 25.5 | 24.6 | 28.1 | 29.2 | 22.2 | 29.4 | 25.4 |
| <i>Total males</i> | <i>100.0</i> |
| Persons | | | | | | | | | |
| <4 weeks | 5.4 | 7.5 | 5.5 | 4.1 | 2.5 | 2.7 | 6.4 | 2.0 | 5.5 |
| 4-<8 weeks | 7.0 | 6.2 | 8.3 | 7.8 | 4.5 | 5.5 | 9.6 | 4.1 | 6.9 |
| 8-<13 weeks | 8.1 | 6.6 | 7.8 | 8.3 | 5.7 | 5.5 | 9.0 | 2.0 | 7.4 |
| 13-<26 weeks | 13.2 | 14.6 | 13.4 | 15.8 | 13.3 | 13.1 | 12.8 | 16.3 | 13.8 |
| 26-<39 weeks | 10.6 | 13.9 | 12.1 | 11.6 | 13.9 | 3.8 | 7.7 | 10.2 | 11.8 |
| 39-<52 weeks | 10.8 | 9.5 | 11.1 | 9.5 | 10.2 | 9.8 | 13.5 | 6.1 | 10.4 |
| 1-<2 years | 25.0 | 26.7 | 25.6 | 24.6 | 28.7 | 26.2 | 23.1 | 24.5 | 25.8 |
| 2-<3 years | 11.0 | 9.8 | 11.4 | 11.3 | 12.1 | 22.4 | 15.4 | 28.6 | 11.4 |
| 3-<4 years | 4.9 | 3.5 | 2.5 | 3.8 | 3.5 | 4.9 | 2.6 | 4.1 | 3.8 |
| 4+ years | 3.9 | 1.8 | 2.4 | 3.5 | 5.7 | 6.0 | 0.0 | 2.0 | 3.1 |
| Total | 100.0 |

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

Table 27: Separations, length of stay by separation mode, 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000

| Length of stay | Number of separations | | | | | | | Total |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|--------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Death | To hospital | To residential aged care | To other CACP outlet | Automatic | Other community/holiday | Other | |
| <4 weeks | 77 | 22 | 107 | 25 | 3 | 31 | 134 | 399 |
| 4-<8 weeks | 100 | 26 | 196 | 24 | 0 | 31 | 126 | 503 |
| 8-<13 weeks | 99 | 31 | 266 | 25 | 0 | 24 | 93 | 538 |
| 13-<26 weeks | 188 | 62 | 482 | 43 | 2 | 57 | 170 | 1,004 |
| 26-<39 weeks | 184 | 53 | 414 | 54 | 0 | 40 | 110 | 855 |
| 39-<52 weeks | 150 | 43 | 373 | 56 | 1 | 36 | 93 | 752 |
| 1-<2 years | 404 | 117 | 947 | 125 | 3 | 80 | 189 | 1,865 |
| 2-<3 years | 180 | 59 | 403 | 59 | 1 | 32 | 88 | 822 |
| 3-<4 years | 49 | 13 | 132 | 37 | 8 | 15 | 23 | 277 |
| 4+ years | 79 | 16 | 79 | 36 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 227 |
| Total | 1,510 | 442 | 3,399 | 484 | 18 | 351 | 1,038 | 7,242 |
| Per cent (column) | | | | | | | | |
| <4 weeks | 5.1 | 5.0 | 3.1 | 5.2 | 16.7 | 8.8 | 12.9 | 5.5 |
| 4-<8 weeks | 6.6 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 5.0 | 0.0 | 8.8 | 12.1 | 6.9 |
| 8-<13 weeks | 6.6 | 7.0 | 7.8 | 5.2 | 0.0 | 6.8 | 9.0 | 7.4 |
| 13-<26 weeks | 12.5 | 14.0 | 14.2 | 8.9 | 11.1 | 16.2 | 16.4 | 13.9 |
| 26-<39 weeks | 12.2 | 12.0 | 12.2 | 11.2 | 0.0 | 11.4 | 10.6 | 11.8 |
| 39-<52 weeks | 9.9 | 9.7 | 11.0 | 11.6 | 5.6 | 10.3 | 9.0 | 10.4 |
| 1-<2 years | 26.8 | 26.5 | 27.9 | 25.8 | 16.7 | 22.8 | 18.2 | 25.8 |
| 2-<3 years | 11.9 | 13.3 | 11.9 | 12.2 | 5.6 | 9.1 | 8.5 | 11.4 |
| 3-<4 years | 3.2 | 2.9 | 3.9 | 7.6 | 44.4 | 4.3 | 2.2 | 3.8 |
| 4+ years | 5.2 | 3.6 | 2.3 | 7.4 | 0.0 | 1.4 | 1.2 | 3.1 |
| Total | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Per cent (row) | | | | | | | | |
| <4 weeks | 19.3 | 5.5 | 26.8 | 6.3 | 0.8 | 7.8 | 33.6 | 100.0 |
| 4-<8 weeks | 19.9 | 5.2 | 39.0 | 4.8 | 0.0 | 6.2 | 25.0 | 100.0 |
| 8-<13 weeks | 18.4 | 5.8 | 49.4 | 4.6 | 0.0 | 4.5 | 17.3 | 100.0 |
| 13-<26 weeks | 18.7 | 6.2 | 48.0 | 4.3 | 0.2 | 5.7 | 16.9 | 100.0 |
| 26-<39 weeks | 21.5 | 6.2 | 48.4 | 6.3 | 0.0 | 4.7 | 12.9 | 100.0 |
| 39-<52 weeks | 19.9 | 5.7 | 49.6 | 7.4 | 0.1 | 4.8 | 12.4 | 100.0 |
| 1-<2 years | 21.7 | 6.3 | 50.8 | 6.7 | 0.2 | 4.3 | 10.1 | 100.0 |
| 2-<3 years | 21.9 | 7.2 | 49.0 | 7.2 | 0.1 | 3.9 | 10.7 | 100.0 |
| 3-<4 years | 17.7 | 4.7 | 47.7 | 13.4 | 2.9 | 5.4 | 8.3 | 100.0 |
| 4+ years | 34.8 | 7.0 | 34.8 | 15.9 | 0.0 | 2.2 | 5.3 | 100.0 |
| Total | 20.9 | 6.1 | 46.9 | 6.7 | 0.2 | 4.8 | 14.3 | 100.0 |

5 Glossary

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| Admission | A date on which the client begins to receive community aged care package assistance from the outlet. Admission date may also be referred to as 'date of commencement'. |
| Birthplace (or country of birth) | |
| <i>Other Oceania</i> | Includes New Zealand, New Caledonia, Papua New Guinea, Kiribati, Cook Islands, Fiji, American Samoa, and Tonga. |
| <i>UK and Ireland</i> | Includes Great Britain and Ireland. |
| <i>Former USSR & Baltic States</i> | Includes Ukrainian SSR, USSR, and Byelorussian SSR. |
| <i>Other Europe</i> | Includes Albania, Cyprus, Greece, Italy, Malta, Portugal, Spain, Yugoslavia, Austria, Belgium, France, Germany, Liechtenstein, Netherlands, Denmark, Finland, Norway, Sweden, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Poland, Romania, and Switzerland. |
| <i>Southeast Asia</i> | Includes Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Burma, the Philippines, Singapore, Viet Nam, East Timor, and Thailand. |
| <i>Northeast Asia</i> | Includes China, Hong Kong, Japan, Korea, and Macau. |
| <i>Southern Asia</i> | Includes Afghanistan, India, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka. |
| <i>Northern America</i> | Includes Canada and the United States of America. |
| <i>Other America & the Caribbean</i> | Includes Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Paraguay, Uruguay, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Mexico, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Netherlands Antilles, British Virgin Islands, Jamaica, and Peru. |
| <i>The Middle East & North Africa</i> | Includes Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Syrian Arab Republic, Turkey, Egypt, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Mauritania, Sudan, and Kuwait. |
| <i>Africa (excluding North Africa)</i> | Includes United Republic of Cameroon, Central African Republic, Comoros, Kenya, Mauritius, South Africa, Seychelles, Swaziland, Zambia, Zimbabwe and Mozambique. |
| Geographic areas | |
| <i>Capital city</i> | State and Territory capital city statistical divisions |
| <i>Other metropolitan centre</i> | Urban centre of population 100,000 or more |
| <i>Large rural centre</i> | Urban centre population between 25,000 and 99,999 |
| <i>Small rural centre</i> | Urban centre population between 10,000 and 24,999 |
| <i>Other rural area</i> | Urban centre population less than 10,000 |
| <i>Remote centre</i> | Urban centre population 5,000 or over |
| <i>Other remote area</i> | Urban centre population less than 5,000 |

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| Leave | A situation where the client temporarily ceases to receive services from the outlet to take a holiday, to enter hospital or to temporarily receive alternative care. |
| Living arrangements | Refers to the cohabitation prior to the client's application for a Community Aged Care Package. |
| Low-level residential care | Refers to general accommodation services provided in residential facilities, such as meals, laundry, and room cleaning, together with additional daily personal assistance such as bathing, showering, and personal hygiene. Care also includes organising and supervising and administering of medication; toileting and continence management; meal assistance; transfer; mobility; dressing/undressing; fitting of sensory/communication aids; assessment and referral for appropriate support; communication assistance; together with provision of special diets and emotional support. |
| Preferred language | |
| <i>Australian Indigenous</i> | Includes all Australian Indigenous languages. |
| <i>Northern European</i> | Includes Danish, German, Irish, Netherlandic, Norwegian, Swedish, Welsh, Yiddish, and Dutch. |
| <i>Southern European</i> | Includes French, Greek, Italian, Maltese, Portuguese, and Spanish. |
| <i>Eastern European</i> | Includes Albanian, Bosnian, Bulgarian, Croatian, Czech, Estonian, Finnish, Hungarian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Macedonian, Polish, Romanian, Russian, Serbian, Slovak, and Ukrainian. |
| <i>Southwest Asian and North African</i> | Includes Arabic, Turkish, Hebrew, and Persian. |
| <i>Southern Asian</i> | Includes Hindi, Tamil, Bengali, Sinhalese, and Urdu. |
| <i>Southeast Asian</i> | Includes Burmese, Khmer, Lao, Thai, Filippino, Bahasa (Indonesian & Malay), Timorese, and Vietnamese. |
| <i>Eastern Asian</i> | Includes Chinese (various dialects), Japanese, Korean. |
| <i>African</i> | Afrikaans. |
| <i>Oceanic</i> | Includes Fijian, Samoan, Tongan, and other South Pacific languages. |
| Separation | A situation when the client ceases to receive Community Aged Care Package service from an outlet. This does not mean that the client ceases to receive service from the Community Aged Care Package Program. |

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| Service-providing outlet | An organisation or incorporated body which has been approved to provide Community Aged Care Package services. The outlet also has the responsibility to plan, coordinate, and manage the provision of community care services to its care recipients. |
| Usual residence status | Refers to the housing tenure prior to the client's application for a Community Aged Care Package. |

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