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INTRODUCTION

In 2014 the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Federation (ANMF) established a National Graduate Nurse and Midwife Roundtable which brought together over 30 nursing and midwifery leaders and key industry stakeholders to discuss ways of securing employment opportunities for nursing and midwifery graduates. The Roundtable included representatives of the Council of Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officers, the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia, the Council of Deans of Nursing and Midwifery, the Congress of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Nurse and Midwives, the Australian College of Midwives, federal politicians, public sector and aged care employers, nurse educators, a number of professional nursing associations and, of course, new graduates themselves.

All participants agreed there was a significant problem of underemployment of nurse and midwife graduates, the causes of which are complex and varied, and that further work, which focuses on addressing the key causes, was required. Subsequently, a Working Group of interested Roundtable participants was formed to undertake this further work.

One of the key areas of focus for the Working Group has been ensuring the accuracy of data related to graduates, in terms of numbers graduating, numbers registering and numbers then seeking work in nursing and midwifery. After much discussion and review of the current available data, the group developed and agreed on a minimum data set that is required to make informed predictions and outcomes for future graduate employment.

Five main questions were posed, these included:

1. Numbers of nursing and midwifery student commencements per year in a course leading to registration.
2. Numbers of nursing and midwifery course completions per year in a course leading to registration.
3. Number of new graduates registered (initial registration) from Australian Education providers in a one year period (AIHW data regarding first time registrations).
4. Of the new graduates (initial registration) from Australian Universities, how many are employed in nursing and midwifery.
5. Number of graduate transition places.

The ANMF then worked closely with the Department of Education and Training, National Centre for Vocational Education Research and the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) to drill down on the current available data using the agreed minimum data set as a framework. The ANMF sends correspondence on behalf of the Graduate Working Group to Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officers in each state and territory requesting potential transition/graduate positions for nurses and midwives. The following data booklet has been developed and updated from this completed work, to clearly identify what data is available, what remains outstanding and the limitations with some of the available data.

Limitations

The ANMF has some concerns about the accuracy of data available and presented within the document in terms of providing a complete data set related to graduate nurse and midwife employment. This is primarily due to the ANMF's inability to gain access to some portions of relevant data. These concerns are identified as limitations and notes throughout the document.

GRADUATE DATA SET

1. Numbers of nursing and midwifery student commencements per year in a course leading to registration:

Data Item	Available/ Unavailable	Location/Status
Registered Nurse & Midwives	✓	Table 1.1
Registered Nurse	✓	
Midwife	✓	Table 1.3
Enrolled Nurse (all program enrolments)	✓	Tables 4.1-4.9

Data divided into:

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Nurses and Midwives	✓	Tables 1.5-1.6 & 4.1-4.9
State and Territory	✓	Tables 1.2, 1.4 & 4.1-4.9
Course title – divided into two categories: - Higher Education straight Bachelor and - Double Degree	✓ ✗	Not available
International cohort – visa type	✓ ✓	RNs & midwives Tables 1.1-1.4 ENs Tables 4.1-4.9

2. Numbers of nursing and midwifery course completions per year in a course leading to registration as a:

Data Item	Available/ Unavailable	Location/Status
Registered Nurse & Midwives	✓	Table 2.1
Registered Nurse	✓	
Midwife	✓	Table 2.3
Enrolled Nurse	✓	Table 5.1-5.9

Data divided into:

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Nurses and Midwives	✓	Table 2.5-2.6 & 5.1-5.9
State and Territory	✓	Tables 2.2, 2.4 & 5.1
Course title – divided into two categories: - Higher Education straight Bachelor and - Double Degree	✓ ✗	Not available
International cohort – visa type	✓ ✓	RNs & midwives Tables 2.1-2.4 ENs Tables 5.1-5.9

3. Number of new graduates registered (initial registration) from Australian Education providers in a one year period (NHWDS requested data re first time registrations)

Data Item	Available/ Unavailable	Location/Status
Registered Nurse	✓	Table 6.3
Midwife	✓	Table 6.5
Enrolled Nurse	✓	Table 6.7

Data divided into:

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Nurses and Midwives	✓	Tables 9.1-9.8 & 10.1-10.4
State and Territory	✓	Tables 8.2-8.36
Course title – divided into two categories: - Higher Education straight Bachelor and - Double Degree	✓ ✗	Not available
International cohort – visa type	✓	485 - Temporary graduate 457 - Temporary work

4. Of the new graduates (initial registration) from Australian Universities, how many are employed in nursing and midwifery?

Data Item	Available/ Unavailable	Location/Status
Registered Nurse	✓	Tables 7.11-7.20
Enrolled Nurse	✓	Tables 7.21-7.30
Midwife	✓	Tables 7.31-7.40

Data divided into:

Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Nurses and Midwives	✓	Tables 8.1-8.36
State and Territory	✓	Tables 7.1-7.10 & 8.2-8.9, 8.11-8.18, 8.20-8.27, 8.29-8.36
International cohort – visa type	✓	Tables 9.1-9.4
Full-time/part-time- hours per week	✓	Tables 8.1-8.36
Public sector		Tables 8.1-8.36
Private sector		Tables 8.1-8.36
Aged Care sector (not a sector but available in Principal area and work setting)	✓	Tables 10.1-10.4
Other		
Principal area	✓	Tables 10.1-10.4
Principal work setting: • If working part-time how many are actively looking for full-time work? • If not working in nursing and midwifery, what occupation are they employed in?	✗	Not available

5. Number of graduate transition places

a. Divided into:

State and territory		
Public sector	✓	Table 11.1 Note: Table partially updated with latest data
Private sector	✗	Insufficient data to report
Aged care sector	✗	Insufficient data to report
Part-time/ full-time- hours per week	✗	
Principal area	✗	
Principal work setting	✗	
Number of employers offering structured transition programs	✗	
Number of employers using a state or territory based recruitment tool, such as computer match for recruitment.	✗	

DATA SOURCE & NOTES

<p>TABLES 1.1 to 3.2</p> <p>Student commencements in a course leading to initial registration</p> <p>Number of commencements (Tables 1.5-1.8) and completions (Table 2.5) for Indigenous and Non-Indigenous students</p> <p>Number of completions for initial registration</p> <p>Total student enrolments for initial registration</p>	<p>ANMF data request to Australian Government Department of Education.</p> <p>Notes:</p> <p>Separation of Registered Nurse and Midwife data in Student commencement and completion tables requires further information re how Universities report this. Data is available by 'field of education' ie "Midwifery" but further clarification is required on interpreting this information</p>
<p>TABLES 4.1 to 5.9</p> <p>Enrolled nurses Enrolments (All program enrolments) per year 2015-2022</p> <p>Includes fee for service VET by community educators and private providers</p> <p>Enrolled Nurse completions – All training activity (2015 to 2022)</p>	<p>National Centre for Vocational Education Research (NCVER) 2015 - 2022, Australian vocational education and training statistics: total VET students and courses 2015 - 2022 data tables, NCVER, Adelaide</p> <p>https://www.ncver.edu.au/research-and-statistics/collections/students-and-courses-collection/total-vet-students-and-courses</p> <p>Notes re Tables 4.1 to 5.9:</p> <p>Data in relation to "All training activity" including non-government programs, not available prior to 2014</p>
<p>TABLES 6.1 to 9.8</p> <p>Initial Registration data – covers numbers registering for first time (based on registration ID numbers)</p> <p>Includes workforce status and employment data for RN, MW and EN nationally and by State/Territory</p>	<p>ANMF data request to Health Workforce Division at the Department of Health and Aged Care</p> <p>Data extracted from National Health Workforce Dataset, Nurses and Midwives 2013 - 2023</p> <p>Combination of registration and survey data collected at time of registration renewal</p> <p>Notes:</p> <p>NHWDS initial registration data was used as AHPRA graduate nurse data is unavailable</p> <p>Part 6</p> <p>Numbers re First time registration by country of qualification contains high numbers of "Not stated" or "inadequately described"</p> <p>Part 7</p> <p>Workforce data re First time registrations includes domestic and overseas graduates. It excludes non-respondents</p> <p>Part 10</p> <p>First time registration data by Indigenous status and visa type contains high numbers of not stated or inadequately described responses</p> <p>For full details relating to this dataset provided by NHWDS refer to Notes on page 126</p>

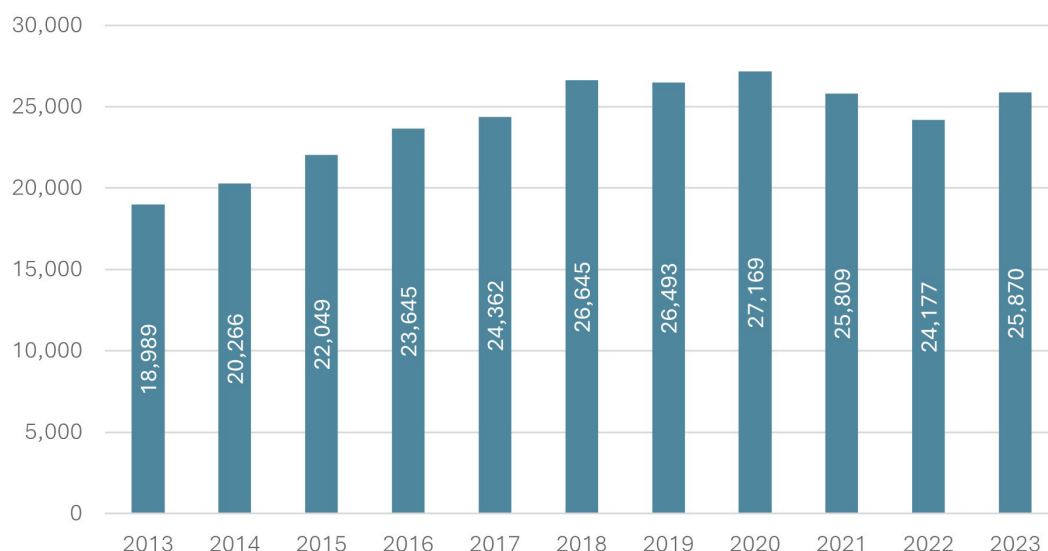
NATIONAL NURSES AND MIDWIVES DATA OVERVIEW

REGISTERED NURSE AND MIDWIFE DATA:

Undergraduate student commencements per year in a course leading to registration 2013 to 2023

- There was a 7% increase in the number of student commencements between 2022 and 2023, with 25,870 commencements in 2023 compared to 24,177 in 2022.
- In 2023, 71% of student commencements were Australian citizens, down from 76% the previous year. The proportion of students on temporary entry permits increased from 19% to 23% in 2023. There was little change in the relative share of other citizenship categories.

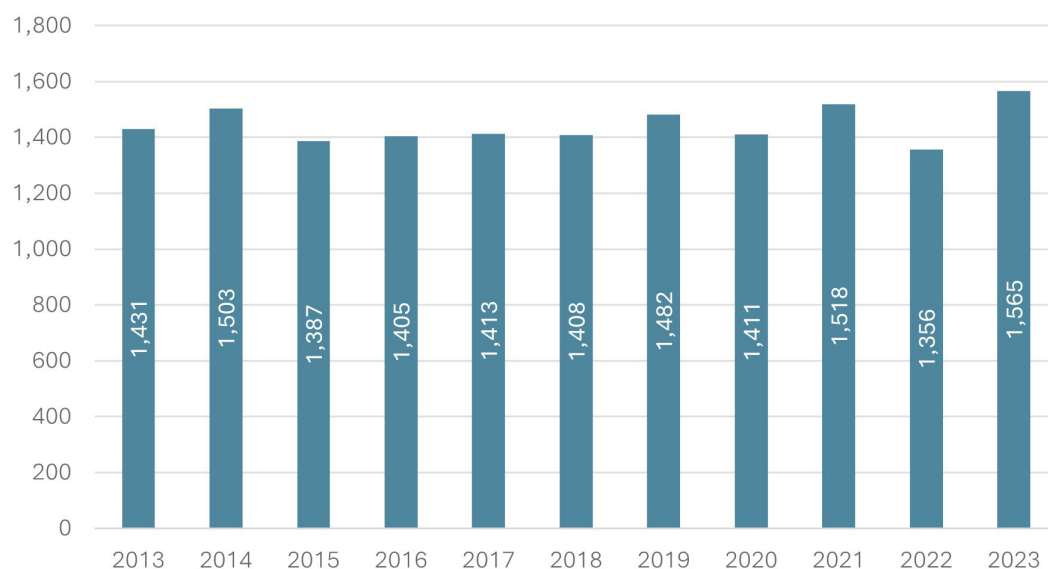
Number of commencements for initial registration as a nurse



Midwifery data (Direct Entry Midwives)

- Midwifery commencements increased by 15% between 2022 and 2023. There had been a decrease between 2021 and 2022, prior to this the number of commencements each year had not changed significantly between 2013 and 2021.
- In 2023, Australian citizens made up 95% of student commencements in midwifery, close to the same as 2021.

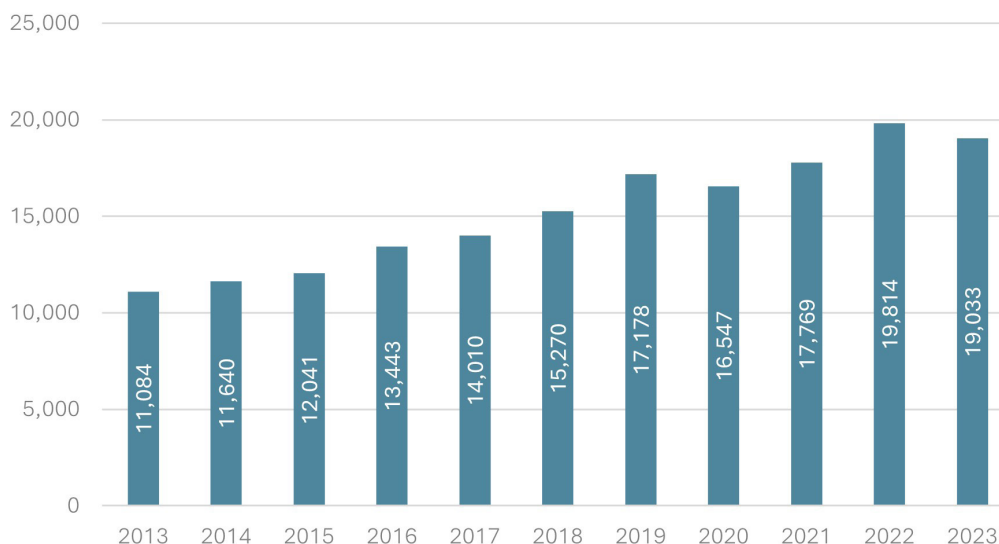
Midwifery data extracted from: Number of commencement by detailed field of education and citizenship - Bachelor's Pass, Bachelor's Graduate entry & Bachelor's Honours numbers



Undergraduate student completions per year in a course leading to registration 2013 to 2023

- Student completions increased by 4% in 2023, with 19,033 completions compared to 19,814 in 2022.
- Australian citizens accounted for 71% of completions in 2022, similar to the previous year (70%).
- The percentage of completions by students holding temporary entry permits slightly decreased from 24.2% in 2022 to 23% in 2023.

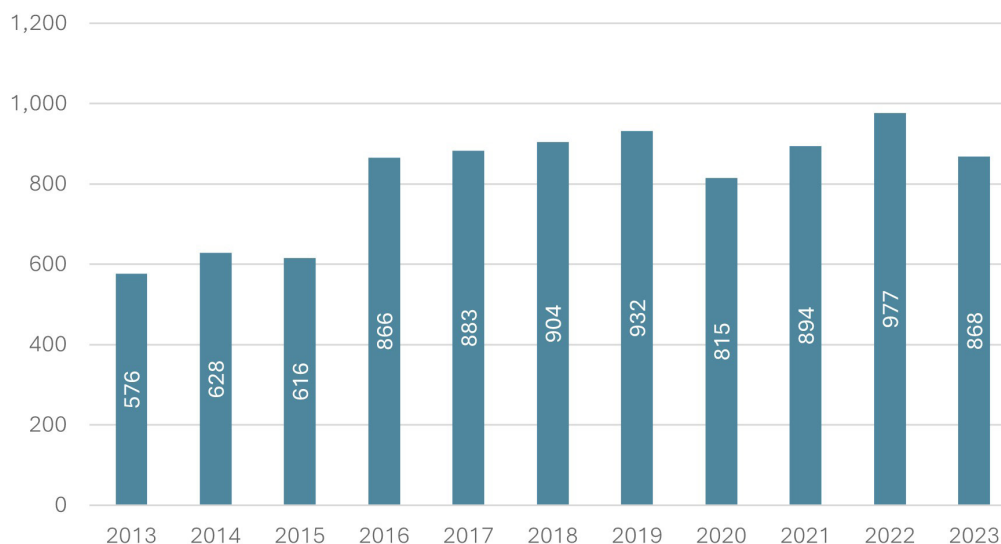
Student Completions



Midwifery data (Direct Entry Midwives)

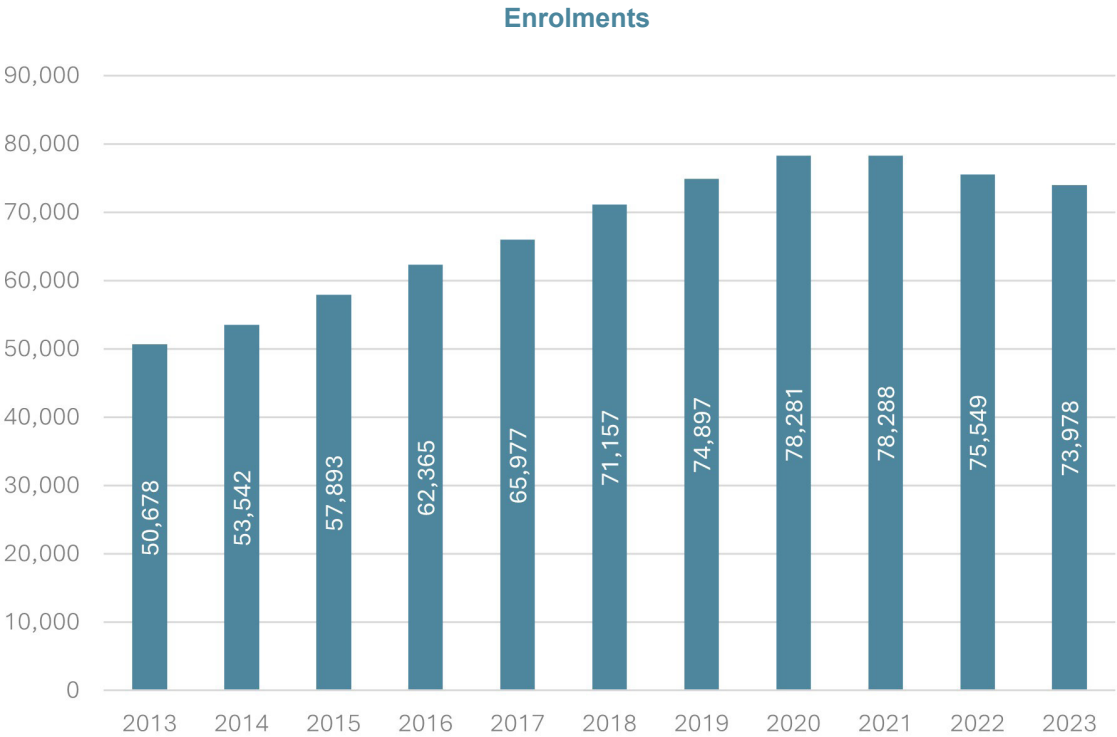
- Between 2013 and 2015, there was a gradual increase in the number of midwifery course completions. The figure increased sharply in 2016 increasing by 2 to 3% each year until 2020 where it decreased almost 13%, increasing again by 9.7% and 9% in 2021 and 2022 respectively.
- In 2023 there was a decrease of 11% in the number of midwifery course completions, similar to the decrease in 2020 (13%). There had previously been increases by 9.7% and 9% in 2021 and 2022 respectively.

Midwifery Completions



Total enrolments for undergraduate nursing and midwifery programs

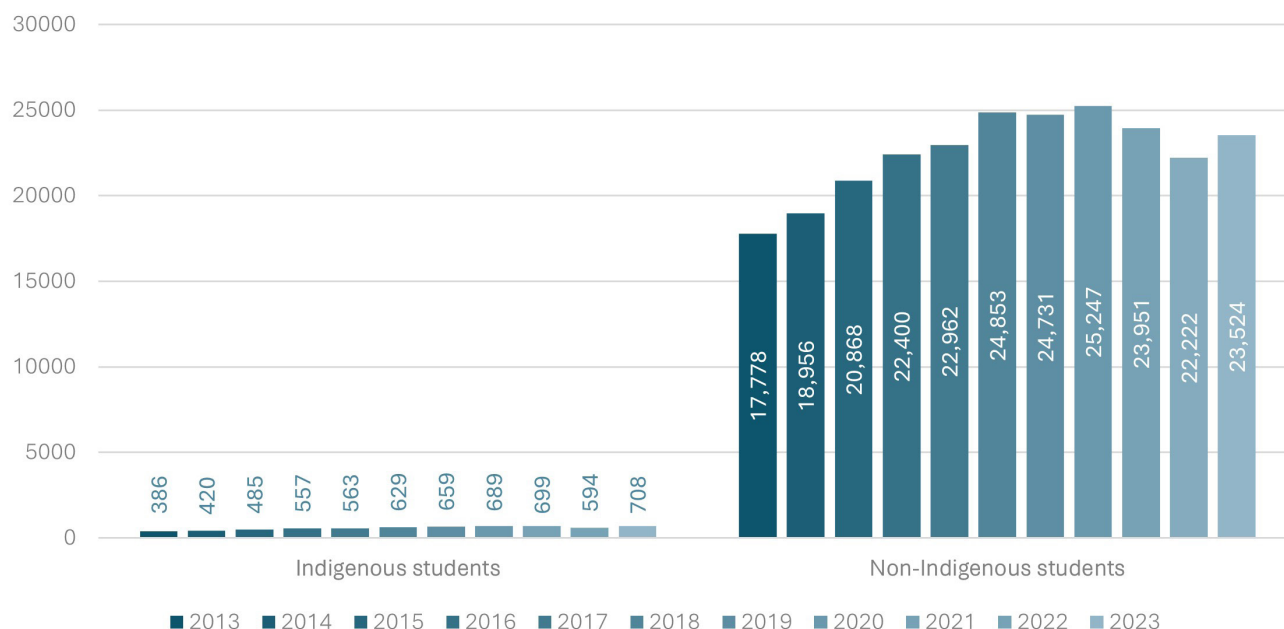
- Total enrolments in 2023 were 73,978, down 2% on the previous year. This is the third consecutive year there has been no growth in total enrolments.
- Australian citizens made up 75% of enrolments in 2023, consistent with previous years. Similarly, the percentage share of students who are permanent residents and those holding temporary entry permits have remained relatively stable over this period.



Number of commencements for undergraduate nursing and midwifery programs - Indigenous & Non-Indigenous students

- The number of course commencements for Indigenous students have increased from 594 in 2022 to 708 in 2023.
- Overall, Indigenous students made up 2.8% of total student commencements in 2023, similar to the previous year.

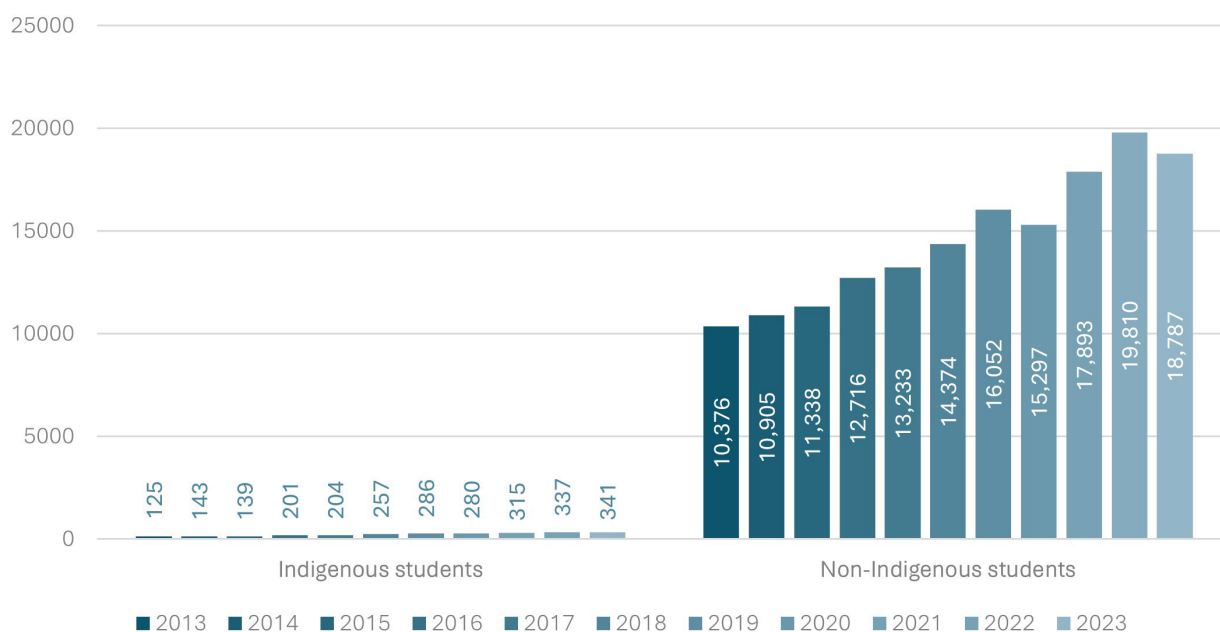
Number of commencements - Indigenous & Non-Indigenous students



Number of completions for undergraduate nursing and midwifery programs - Indigenous & Non-Indigenous students

- In 2023, 341 Indigenous students completed general nursing courses required for initial registration, similar to the previous year.
- Overall, Indigenous students made up 1.8% of total student commencements in 2023, similar to the previous year.

Number of completions - Indigenous & Non-Indigenous students

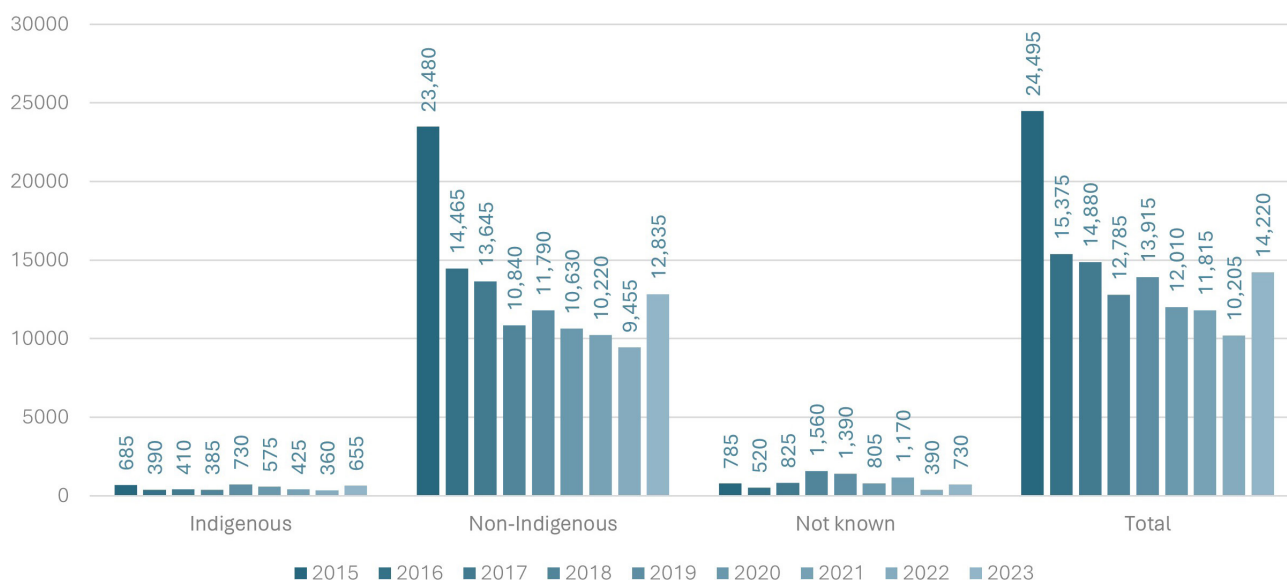


ENROLLED NURSE DATA:

Enrolled nurse - commencing program enrolments

- There were 14,220 commencing program enrolments in 2023, an increase of 39% from the previous year (10,205).
- The number of Indigenous students commencing also largely increased by 82%, with 655 commencing in 2023 compared with 360 in 2022.

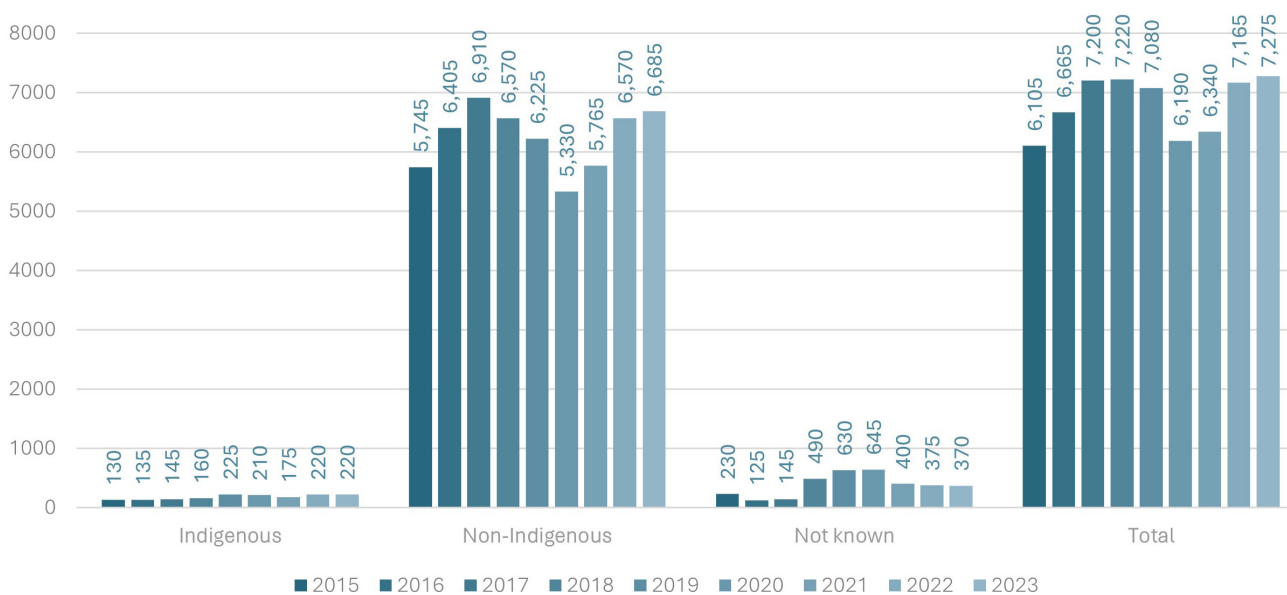
Enrolled nurse - commencing program enrolments



Enrolled nurse - completions

- There was little change in the number of completions in 2023 with 7,275 compared to 7,165 in 2022.
- In 2023, 220 Indigenous students completed the program, same as the previous year.

Enrolled nurse program completions

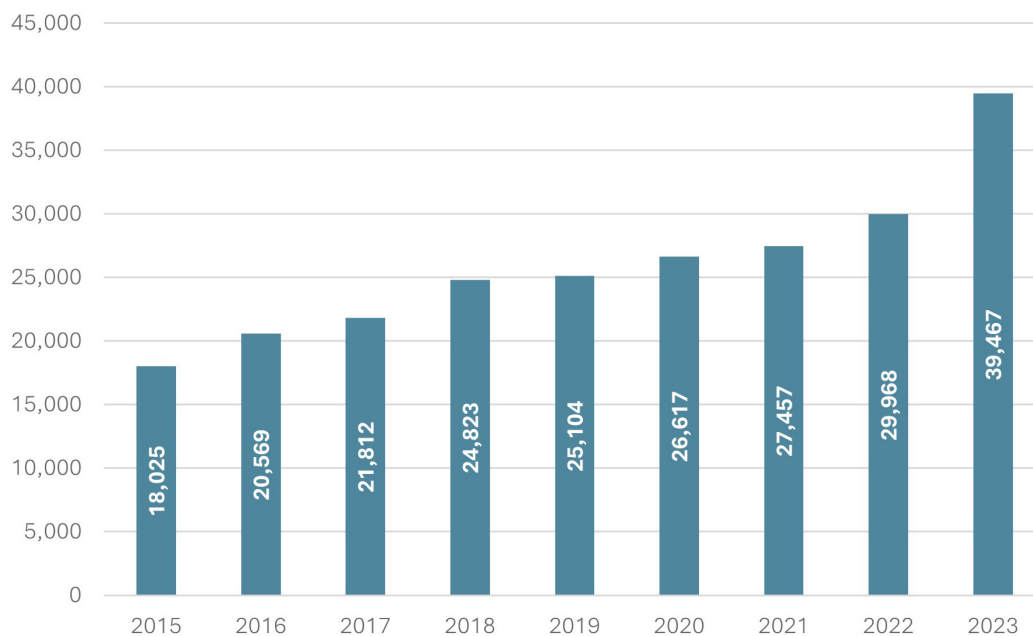


NHWDS FIRST TIME REGISTRATION DATA:

First time registrations - All nurses and midwives [RNs, ENs and Direct Entry Midwives]

- There were 39,467 first time registrations in 2023, a big increase (31%) from the previous year (29,968). There was a more gradual increase in the number between 2015 and 2022.

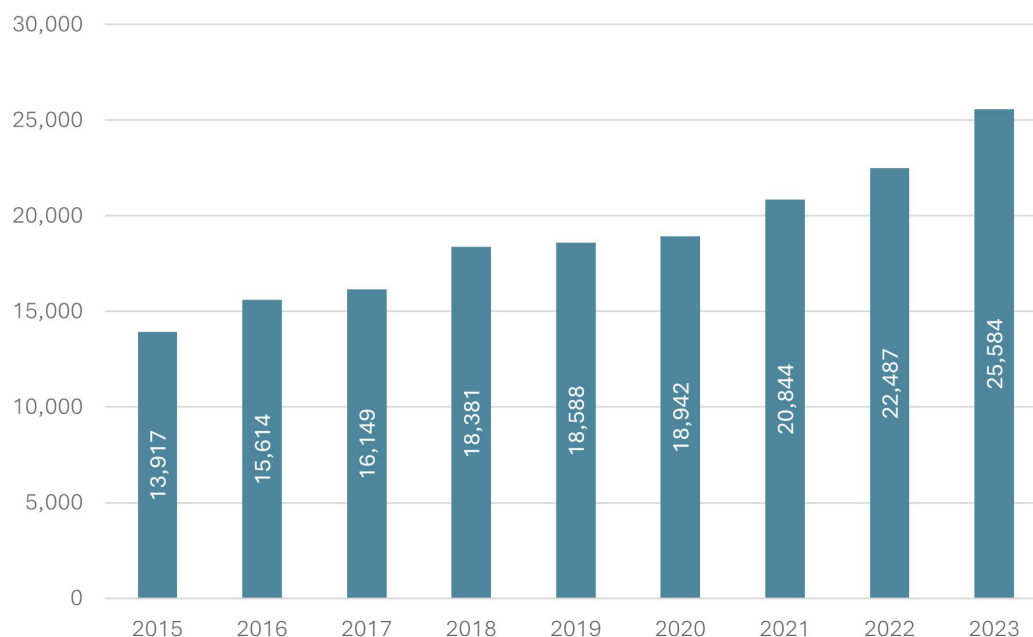
First year of registration - all nurses and midwives



First year of registration - all employed nurses and midwives [RNs, ENs and Direct Entry Midwives]

- The number of employed nurses and midwives (first time registration data) increased almost 14% between 2022 and 2023. The percentage of first time registrants employed was 65%, slightly less than the previous year (75%).

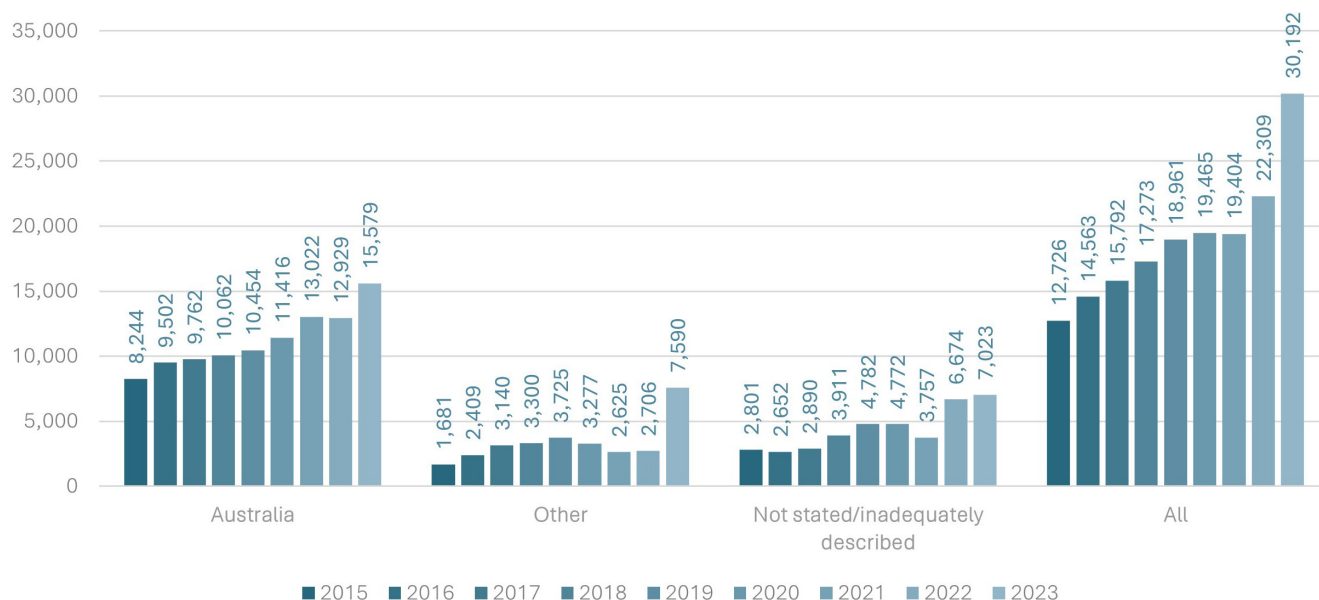
First year of registration - all employed nurses and midwives



First time registrations - Registered Nurses [RNs]

- Numbers of RNs registering for the first time increased by 35% from 22,309 in 2022 to 30,192 in 2023. Since 2014, there has been a 69% increase in the number of first time registrations for RNs.

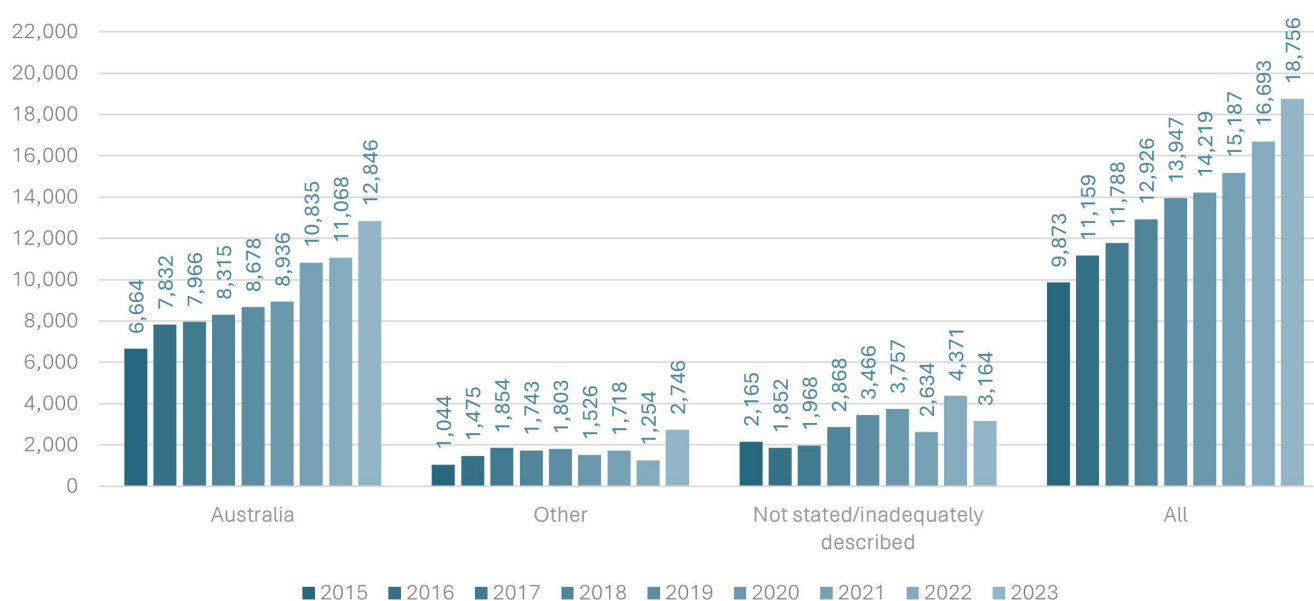
First year of registration - registered nurses by country of first qualification



First time registrations - employed Registered Nurses [RNs]

- The number of first time registered RNs employed in 2023 was 16,693, a 9.9% increase on the previous year's figure of 15,187.
- The 2023 data shows that 75% of RNs registering for the first time were employed, compared to 78% the previous year.

First year of registration - employed registered nurses by country of first qualification

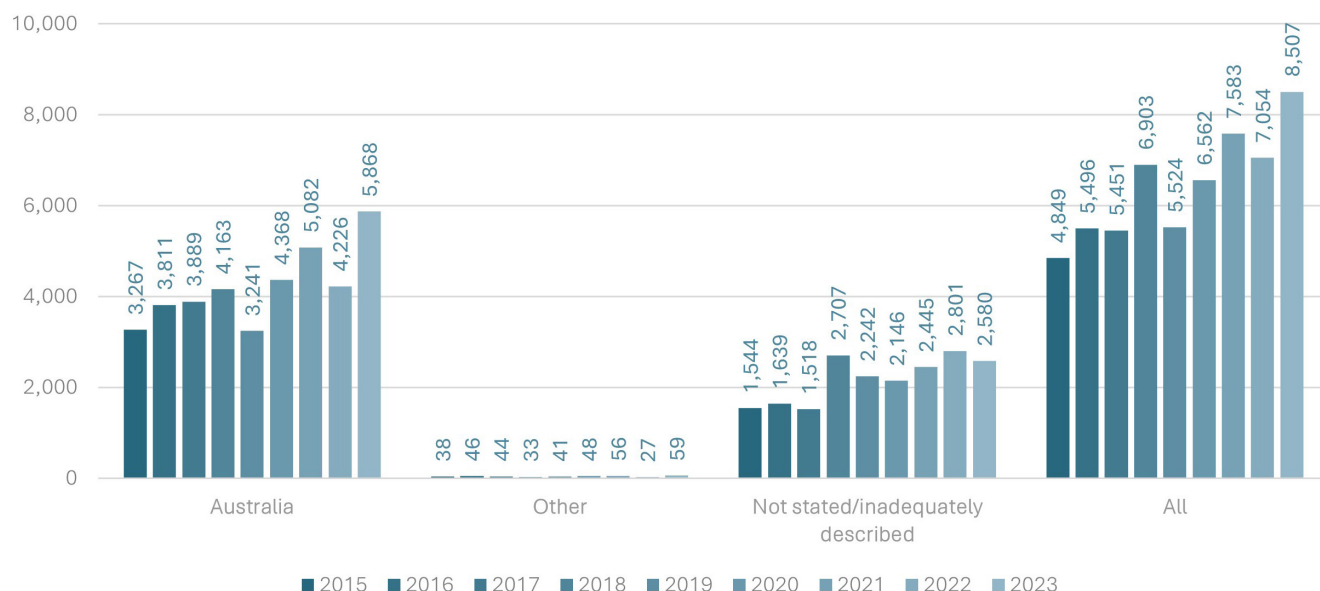


NB: Not stated/inadequately described refers to the number of respondents that did not answer this question on the workforce survey form or answered inadequately and includes non-respondents to the survey.

First time registrations - Enrolled Nurses [ENs]

- First time registrations for Enrolled Nurses increased by 17% from 7,054 in 2022 to 8,507 in 2023.

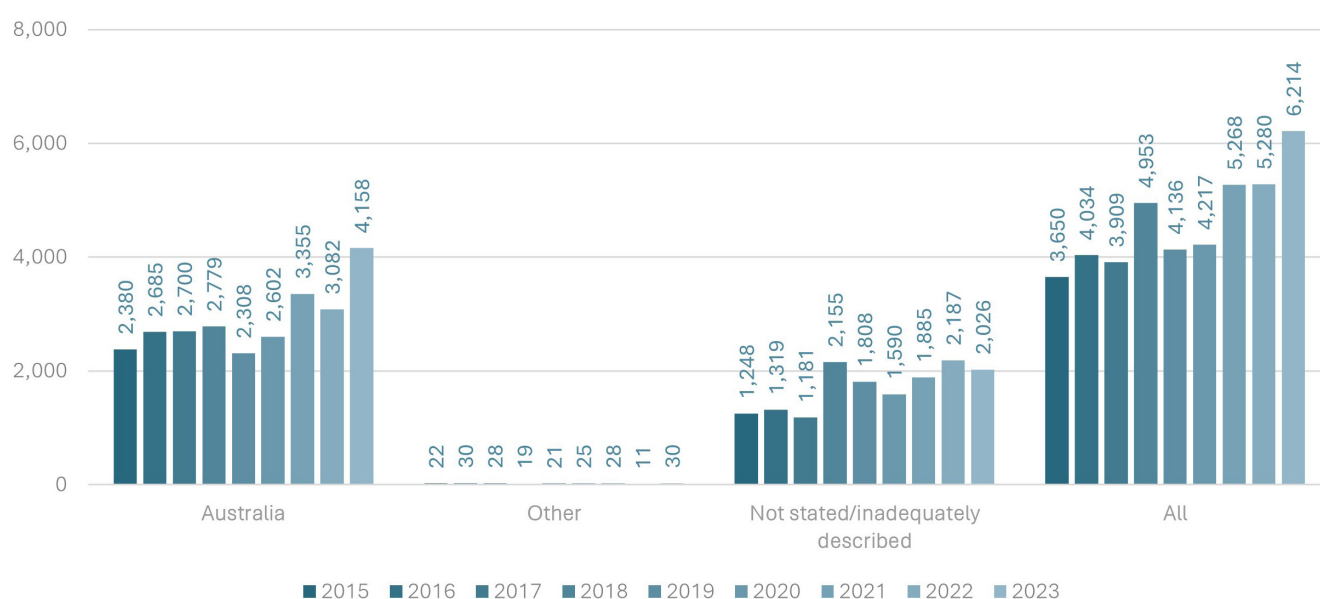
First year of registration - enrolled nurses
by country of first qualification



First time registrations - employed Enrolled Nurses [ENs]

- There was an increase in the number of ENs registering for the first time who were employed, with 6,214 employed in 2023, compared to 5,280 in 2022.
- In 2023, 73% of ENs registering for the first time were employed, consistent with the previous year (75%) and with the period between 2014 and 2019.

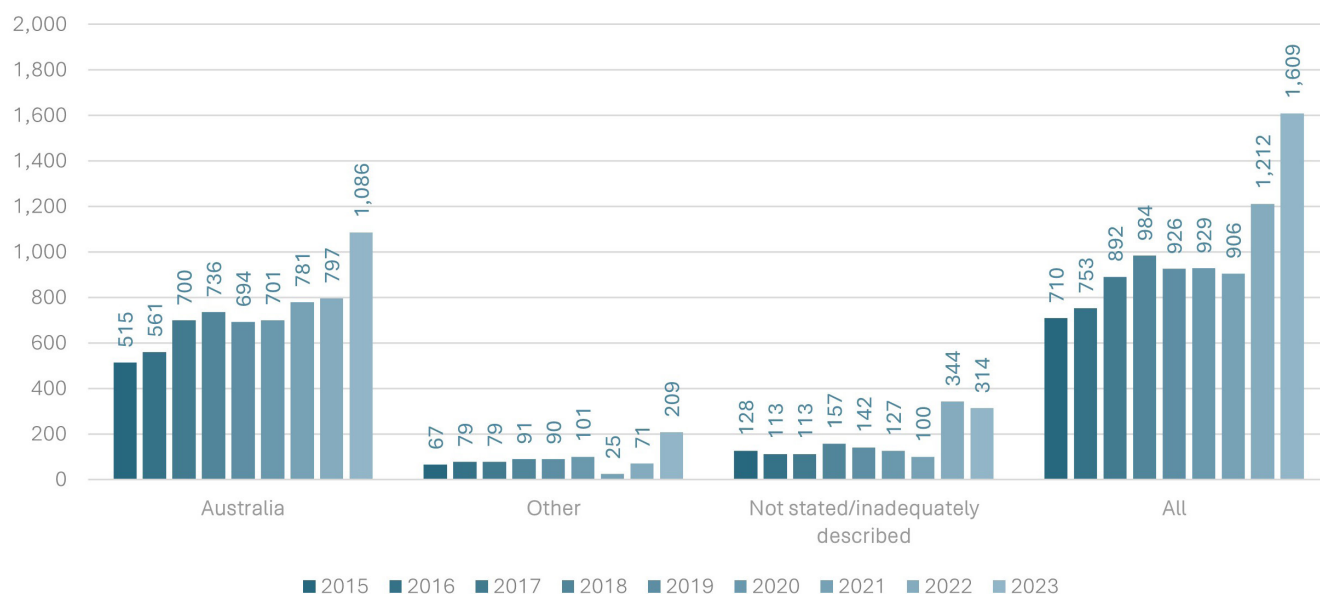
First year of registration - employed enrolled nurses
by country of first qualification



First time registrations – Direct Entry Midwives

- The number of first time registrations for midwives in 2023 was 1,609, almost 400 more than the previous year. This 33% increase in midwife registrations follows a similar increase of 34% between 2021 and 2022.

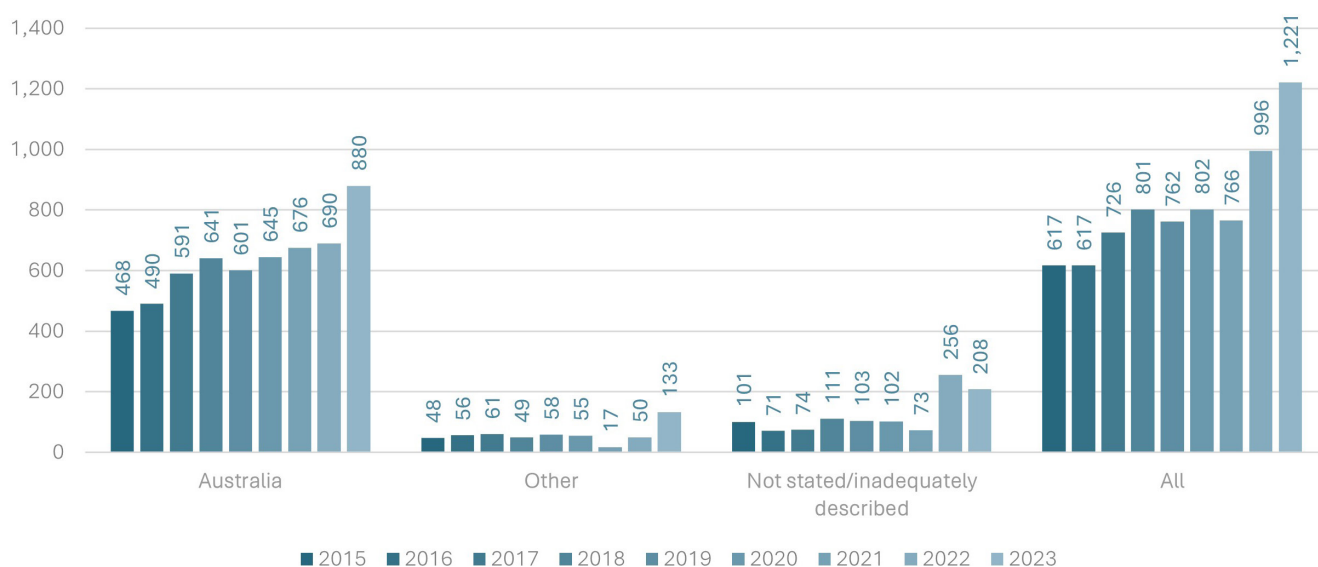
First year of registration - all midwives (regardless of whether working in midwifery) by country of first qualification



First time registrations - employed Direct Entry Midwives

- The number of midwives registering for the first time in 2023 with employment was 1,221, an increase of 26%, compared with 966 in 2022.
- In 2023, 80% of first time registrants were employed, compared to 76% the previous year.

First year of registration - midwives working in midwifery by country of first qualification



PART 1 - STUDENT COMMENCEMENTS PER YEAR IN A COURSE LEADING TO REGISTRATION

Table 1.1: Number of commencements for initial registration as a nurse by citizenship, 2013-2023

A general nursing course required for initial registration

National by citizenship	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australian citizen	15,108	16,174	17,617	18,874	19,071	20,222	19,197	19,949	20,494	18,363	18,365
New Zealand citizen	200	196	214	266	275	271	284	298	300	303	336
Permanent resident	867	959	984	980	1,106	1,201	1,290	1,149	977	852	1,029
Temporary entry permit	2,576	2,717	3,023	3,343	3,770	4,758	5,543	5,608	3,897	4,551	6,048
Other overseas	93	93	76	74	7	0	13	6	62	15	5
Permanent humanitarian visa	145	127	135	108	133	193	166	159	79	93	87
TOTAL	18,989	20,266	22,049	23,645	24,362	26,645	26,493	27,169	25,809	24,177	25,870

(a)The data takes into account the coding of Combined Courses to two fields of education. As a consequence, counting both fields of education for Combined Courses means that the totals may be less than the sum of all broad fields of education

Table 1.2: Number of commencements for initial registration as a nurse by citizenship, 2013-2023

A general nursing course required for initial registration

State/Territory by citizenship		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
TOTAL		18,989	20,266	22,049	23,645	24,362	26,645	26,493	27,169	25,809	24,177	25,870
NSW	Australian citizen	3,487	3,930	4,034	4,082	4,328	4,539	4,578	4,731	4,550	4,602	4,502
	New Zealand citizen	38	34	31	43	41	33	49	46	59	42	58
	Permanent resident	212	246	223	243	315	291	303	254	166	176	198
	Temporary entry permit	659	673	767	885	957	1,083	1,140	1,001	683	849	976
	Other overseas	55	44	33	33	6	0	5	< 5	< 5	6	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	42	34	28	25	39	47	37	31	11	25	20
	TOTAL	4,493	4,961	5,116	5,311	5,686	5,993	6,112	6,063	5,469	5,700	5,754
VIC	Australian citizen	2,492	2,678	2,805	3,700	3,502	3,698	3,296	3,115	3,805	3,174	3,443
	New Zealand citizen	26	31	24	49	54	54	39	45	63	65	72
	Permanent resident	109	107	130	137	147	231	209	215	175	168	227
	Temporary entry permit	441	435	541	666	682	986	1,181	1,189	878	958	1,373
	Other overseas	0	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	28	< 5	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	35	20	22	28	29	49	45	43	26	25	21
	TOTAL	3,103	3,271	3,522	4,580	4,414	5,018	4,770	4,607	4,975	4,390	5,136
QLD	Australian citizen	3,446	3,534	4,134	4,479	4,992	5,164	4,514	4,995	4,528	4,427	4,283
	New Zealand citizen	64	60	79	84	106	116	109	126	88	121	133
	Permanent resident	140	138	152	143	158	185	217	194	184	179	175
	Temporary entry permit	327	413	403	481	595	789	1,029	985	645	897	1,256
	Other overseas	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	20	15	31	17	27	33	28	27	10	17	17
	TOTAL	3,997	4,160	4,799	5,204	5,878	6,287	5,897	6,327	5,455	5,641	5,864

WA	Australian citizen	1,602	1,758	1,748	1,990	2,083	2,157	1,944	2,033	1,829	1,797	1,981
	New Zealand citizen	38	35	43	42	41	27	33	38	33	31	35
	Permanent resident	147	123	140	145	136	139	147	105	101	123	160
	Temporary entry permit	186	193	213	241	292	430	701	391	338	619	947
	Other overseas	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	29	< 5	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	11	11	10	6	9	12	9	9	5	5	13
	TOTAL	1,984	2,120	2,154	2,334	2,561	2,765	2,834	2,576	2,335	2,575	3,136
SA	Australian citizen	1,384	1,278	1,303	1,279	1,281	1,384	1,467	1,624	1,839	1,589	1,513
	New Zealand citizen	6	< 5	0	6	6	< 5	6	8	11	11	5
	Permanent resident	103	98	97	89	101	115	107	107	92	58	83
	Temporary entry permit	451	335	393	377	475	593	576	833	359	519	544
	Other overseas	37	46	41	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	15	21	28	19	21	30	18	23	17	11	5
	TOTAL	1,790	1,778	1,862	1,810	1,884	2,122	2,174	2,595	2,318	2,188	2,150
TAS	Australian citizen	466	437	545	553	435	435	529	468	597	588	511
	New Zealand citizen	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	< 5
	Permanent resident	34	81	63	52	63	27	92	79	61	67	53
	Temporary entry permit	7	< 5	24	26	41	46	55	63	54	87	98
	Permanent humanitarian visa	9	9	5	0	0	< 5	6	6	< 5	< 5	< 5
	TOTAL	516	527	637	631	539	513	682	616	712	747	662
NT	Australian citizen	570	675	719	735	765	835	835	1,042	1,458	232	169
	New Zealand citizen	8	8	11	17	6	11	18	13	16	7	< 5
	Permanent resident	52	55	80	71	102	116	120	114	108	8	23
	Temporary entry permit	70	84	89	93	83	65	81	82	135	111	67
	Other overseas	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	6	< 5	< 5	< 5	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	6	5	5	5	5	< 5	0
	TOTAL	122	827	899	916	962	1,032	1,065	1,256	1,722	358	259
ACT	Australian citizen	161	253	192	227	206	346	340	224	213	222	172
	New Zealand citizen	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent resident	12	17	16	17	12	30	29	21	18	28	12
	Temporary entry permit	31	108	126	94	58	67	107	204	129	91	242
	Permanent humanitarian visa	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5
	TOTAL	209	378	334	338	276	443	476	449	360	341	426
Multi-State	Australian citizen	1,500	1,631	2,137	1,829	1,479	1,664	1,694	1,717	1,675	1,732	1,791
	New Zealand citizen	15	20	22	20	18	21	27	17	26	19	24
	Permanent resident	58	94	83	83	72	67	66	60	72	45	98
	Temporary entry permit	404	472	467	480	587	699	673	860	676	420	545
	Permanent humanitarian visa	8	9	9	7	< 5	14	14	14	< 5	< 5	9
	TOTAL	2,189	2,604	2,718	2,419	2,156	2,465	2,474	2,668	2,449	2,216	2,467

MIDWIVES: (Note further clarification is required re: separation of midwifery data)

Table 1.3: Midwifery data extracted from: Number of commencements by detailed field of education and citizenship 2013-2023 - Bachelor's Pass, Bachelor's Graduate entry & Bachelor's Honours numbers

National by citizenship	Field of Education	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australian citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	48	45	47	66	64	75	62	62	73	75	75
	Bachelor's Honours	< 5	6	< 5	< 5	64	62	42	48	64	57	69
	Bachelor's Pass	1,312	1,386	1,276	1,263	1,219	1,206	1,284	1,229	1,325	1,174	1,350
New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0
	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	<5	0	0	0	< 5
	Bachelor's Pass	20	13	9	18	9	15	24	9	14	18	18
Permanent resident	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	< 5	< 5	6	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0
	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Bachelor's Pass	32	39	31	19	32	14	29	35	33	16	32
Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	8	6	11	11	< 5	< 5	6
	Bachelor's Pass	19	14	24	26	17	15	24	17	9	16	9
Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	7	< 5	< 5	6	< 5	< 5	< 5	6
TOTAL		1,431	1,503	1,387	1,405	1,413	1,408	1,482	1,411	1,518	1,356	1,565

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Table 1.4: Midwifery data by State/Territory extracted from: Number of commencement by detailed field of education and citizenship 2013-2023 - Bachelor's Pass, Bachelor's Graduate entry & Bachelor's Honours numbers

State/Territory	By citizenship	Field of Education	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
NSW	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	218	255	216	192	224	207	245	176	207	200	238
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	8	8	5	< 5	5	< 5	6	6	6	< 5	7
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Pass	0	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	< 5	<5

State/ Territory	By citizenship	Field of Education	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
VIC	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	0	0	61	56	40	43	57	51	61
		Bachelor's Pass	305	324	250	268	286	301	259	268	332	268	294
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	5	< 5	< 5	8	7	6	< 5	< 5	5	0	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	6
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	8	6	11	11	< 5	< 5	6
		Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	7	12	< 5	< 5	7	6	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5

QLD	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	24	57	64	52	53	55	62	61
		Bachelor's Honours	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	299	270	214	210	214	246	250	206	279	234	264
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0
		Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	5	5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	8	< 5	5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	5	0	< 5	< 5	0
		Bachelor's Pass	6	8	7	5	11	< 5	9	8	9	< 5	5
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	9	< 5	< 5	7	5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5

WA	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Pass	46	46	53	57	63	45	49	57	42	44	77
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	5	< 5	7	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5

State/ Territory	By citizenship	Field of Education	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
SA	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0
		Bachelor's Pass	167	186	192	169	160	156	170	170	171	186	173
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	8	5	< 5	< 5	7	0	5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	14	5	7	< 5	6	< 5	7	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	0

NT	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	0
		Bachelor's Pass	50	51	59	83	67	79	81	120	118	92	66
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	6	5	< 5	< 5
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	0	5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0

ACT	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	0
		Bachelor's Pass	46	33	30	38	38	36	37	32	39	38	40
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	0	< 5

Multi-State	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	48	45	47	42	7	11	10	9	18	13	14
		Bachelor's Honours	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	181	221	253	246	167	136	193	200	137	112	198
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	< 5	< 5	6	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	0	0
		Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	6	< 5	< 5
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Table 1.5: Number of commencements for initial registration as a nurse by Indigenous status, 2013-2023

National by Indigenous status	2013			2014			2015		
	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total
Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	333	333	< 5	382	382	0	350	350
Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
Bachelor's Pass	386	17,778	18,164	420	18,956	19,376	485	20,868	21,353
TOTAL	386	18,111	18,497	420	19,338	19,758	485	21,218	21,703

National by Indigenous status	2016			2017			2018		
	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total
Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	393	393	< 5	454	454	< 5	684	684
Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	< 5	0	71	71	0	71	71
Bachelor's Pass	557	22,400	22,957	563	22,962	23,525	629	24,853	25,482
TOTAL	557	22,793	23,350	563	23,487	24,050	629	25,608	26,237

National by Indigenous status	2019			2020			2021		
	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total
Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	594	594	< 5	570	570	0	350	350
Bachelor's Honours	0	66	66	< 5	60	60	< 5	65	65
Bachelor's Pass	659	24,731	25,390	689	25,247	25,936	699	23,951	24,650
TOTAL	659	25,391	26,050	689	25,877	26,566	699	24,366	25,065

National by Indigenous status	2022			2023		
	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total
Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	467	467	< 5	495	495
Bachelor's Honours	< 5	56	56	< 5	82	82
Bachelor's Pass	594	22,222	22,816	708	23,524	24,232
TOTAL	594	22,745	23,339	708	24,101	24,809

Table 1.6: Number of commencements for initial registration as a nurse by Indigenous status, 2013-2023

		Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind
State/Territory/course level		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018	
NSW	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	99	0	142	0	117	0	135	0	96	0	147
	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0
	Bachelors Pass	98	4,083	136	4,480	131	4,667	146	4,881	175	5,269	197	5,476
VIC	Bachelors Graduate Entry	< 5	46	0	47	0	32	0	51	< 5	96	0	81
	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	70	0	65
	Bachelors Pass	49	2,896	38	2,962	40	3,344	56	4,368	39	4,090	59	4,691
QLD	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	42	< 5	51	0	60	< 5	55	0	98	< 5	178
	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	0	0
	Bachelors Pass	117	3,820	112	3,958	184	4,518	201	4,909	200	5,580	211	5,879
WA	Bachelor's Pass	30	1,913	34	2,047	32	2,122	31	2,393	39	2,475	40	2,632
SA	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	146	0	142	0	141	< 5	152	0	164	< 5	278
	Bachelor's Pass	21	1,721	22	1,618	25	1,696	23	1,634	22	1,698	31	1,814
TAS	Bachelor's Pass	13	507	12	522	21	619	18	616	11	529	11	503
NT	Bachelor's Pass	36	668	39	788	30	871	43	877	47	915	49	983
ACT	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	206	6	376	7	328	< 5	338	< 5	277	< 5	437
Multi-State	Bachelor's Pass	21	1,964	21	2,205	15	2,703	35	2,384	28	2,129	27	2,438

		2019		2020		2021		2022		2023	
NSW	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	144	0	60	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5
	Bachelors Pass	229	5,611	215	5,654	234	5,089	198	5,391	205	5,428
VIC	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	66	0	59	0	53	< 5	80	0	93
	Bachelor's Honours	0	52	< 5	54	< 5	59	< 5	52	< 5	69
	Bachelors Pass	44	4,471	52	4,172	41	4,528	30	3,918	62	4,563
QLD	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	229	< 5	229	0	137	< 5	205	< 5	225
	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	0	0	0	5	0	< 5	0	10
	Bachelors Pass	209	5,445	236	5,821	194	5,089	205	5,103	266	5,098
WA	Bachelor's Pass	43	2,626	35	2,386	34	2,139	32	2,367	43	2,870
SA	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	155	0	222	0	160	0	182	0	177
	Bachelor's Pass	30	1,989	37	2,336	33	2,125	38	1,968	45	1,930
TAS	Bachelor's Pass	23	660	24	596	19	699	26	724	32	634
NT	Bachelor's Pass	47	1,018	58	1,199	89	1,525	15	237	11	149
ACT	Bachelor's Honours	0	11	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Bachelor's Pass	5	466	5	442	7	354	7	337	5	424
Multi-State	Bachelor's Pass	29	2,445	27	2,641	48	2,403	43	2,177	39	2,428

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PART 2 - STUDENT COMPLETIONS PER YEAR IN A COURSE LEADING TO REGISTRATION

Table 2.1: Number of completions for initial registration as a nurse by citizenship, 2013-2023

A general nursing course required for initial registration

National by citizenship	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australian citizen	8,481	8,991	9,254	10,399	10,849	11,717	12,806	12,196	12,792	13,886	13,498
New Zealand citizen	77	93	105	121	119	177	152	167	171	172	236
Permanent resident	431	467	410	465	512	566	653	561	664	855	831
Temporary entry permit	1,967	1,922	2,141	2,324	2,399	2,741	3,485	3,538	4,032	4,792	4,372
Other overseas	68	87	81	78	62	17	7	< 5	< 5	0	< 5
Permanent humanitarian visa	60	80	50	56	69	52	75	82	107	109	94
TOTAL	11,084	11,640	12,041	13,443	14,010	15,270	17,178	16,547	17,769	19,814	19,033

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Table 2.2: Number of completions for initial registration as a nurse by citizenship, 2013-2023

A general nursing course required for initial registration

State/Territory by citizenship		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
NSW	Australian citizen	1,885	2,181	2,388	2,617	2,733	2,783	2,976	2,789	2,757	3,644	3,346
	New Zealand citizen	12	14	23	19	16	27	30	23	21	29	50
	Permanent resident	99	102	108	120	137	151	191	140	143	227	200
	Temporary entry permit	423	490	565	571	655	680	823	826	599	944	952
	Other overseas	47	53	43	34	16	< 5	7	< 5	< 5	0	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	24	22	8	17	20	13	26	24	26	34	23
	TOTAL	2,490	2,862	3,135	3,378	3,577	3,654	4,053	3,802	3,546	4,878	4,571
VIC	Australian citizen	1,659	1,550	1,570	1,888	1,910	2,112	2,419	2,382	2,559	2,448	2,798
	New Zealand citizen	10	18	9	15	20	30	26	39	29	28	59
	Permanent resident	59	55	33	63	66	80	99	103	125	145	203
	Temporary entry permit	410	308	303	415	443	502	663	690	868	1,079	889
	Other overseas	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	5	14	13	11	9	10	21	22	28	23	31
	TOTAL	2,143	1,945	1,928	2,392	2,448	2,734	3,228	3,236	3,609	3,723	3,980
QLD	Australian citizen	1,827	2,007	2,103	2,228	2,396	2,599	2,770	2,833	3,019	2,509	2,681
	New Zealand citizen	31	36	40	49	45	58	55	64	75	56	64
	Permanent resident	75	72	80	77	78	72	65	100	117	88	103
	Temporary entry permit	339	292	316	347	398	384	467	648	784	736	560
	Other overseas	< 5	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	8	12	10	10	13	9	5	15	10	17	15
	TOTAL	2,280	2,419	2,549	2,711	2,930	3,122	3,362	3,660	4,005	3,406	3,423

WA	Australian citizen	925	1,081	1,041	1,205	1,220	1,448	1,334	1,493	1,397	1,726	1,394
	New Zealand citizen	16	16	17	13	29	34	13	23	18	31	26
	Permanent resident	76	58	69	73	92	77	89	74	84	97	93
	Temporary entry permit	126	126	147	198	210	199	305	486	413	463	534
	Other overseas	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	5	5	< 5	5	8	7	< 5	< 5	12	7	< 5
	TOTAL	1,148	1,286	1,274	1,494	1,559	1,765	1,741	2,076	1,924	2,324	2,047
SA	Australian citizen	809	806	800	872	887	780	901	880	1,192	1,082	1,065
	New Zealand citizen	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	< 5	5	< 5	8
	Permanent resident	49	77	58	57	38	70	66	47	77	56	65
	Temporary entry permit	277	287	272	322	305	385	523	316	750	498	399
	Other overseas	20	34	36	43	45	14	0	0	0	0	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	12	14	10	6	10	5	12	13	18	9	10
	TOTAL	1,167	1,218	1,176	1,300	1,285	1,254	1,507	1,256	2,042	1,645	1,547
TAS	Australian citizen	356	315	224	379	392	410	403	283	355	631	39
	New Zealand citizen	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent resident	21	24	5	29	31	34	38	9	35	133	5
	Temporary entry permit	17	19	7	9	9	19	27	34	49	59	9
	Permanent humanitarian visa	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	7	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0
	TOTAL	394	358	236	417	439	463	468	326	439	823	53
NT	Australian citizen	235	215	187	245	272	291	343	331	383	560	916
	New Zealand citizen	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	5	7	7	7	14
	Permanent resident	16	31	15	11	22	23	34	47	37	53	98
	Temporary entry permit	26	46	34	44	66	58	88	81	65	106	183
	Other overseas	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	7
	TOTAL	277	292	236	305	360	372	470	466	492	726	1,218
ACT	Australian citizen	99	85	78	93	87	128	134	133	97	123	112
	New Zealand citizen	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent resident	6	6	< 5	< 5	< 5	14	15	7	8	10	15
	Temporary entry permit	28	31	72	91	56	70	24	22	45	153	120
	Permanent humanitarian visa	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	< 5
	TOTAL	133	122	150	184	143	212	173	162	150	286	247
Multi-State	Australian citizen	686	751	863	872	952	1,166	1,526	1,072	1,033	1,163	1,147
	New Zealand citizen	5	5	10	15	< 5	16	18	8	13	14	12
	Permanent resident	30	42	38	34	44	45	56	34	38	46	49
	Temporary entry permit	321	323	425	327	257	444	565	435	459	754	726
	Permanent humanitarian visa	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	5	< 5	9	12	< 5
	TOTAL	1,042	1,121	1,336	1,248	1,253	1,676	2,170	1,549	1,552	1,989	1,934

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MIDWIVES: (Note further clarification is required re: separation of midwifery data)

Table 2.3: Midwifery data extracted from: Number of completions by detailed field of education and citizenship, 2013-2023 - Bachelor's Pass, Bachelor's Graduate entry & Bachelor's Honours numbers

National by citizenship	Field of Education	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australian citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	21	18	20	25	54	61	49	53	65	49
	Bachelor's Honours	5	6	< 5	6	6	5	5	43	54	50	41
	Bachelor's Pass	552	584	568	808	821	812	828	691	752	817	750
New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0
	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0
	Bachelor's Pass	5	9	< 5	13	7	10	8	9	12	6	5
Permanent resident	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	0	< 5	< 5
	Bachelor's Pass	11	8	17	10	14	9	10	11	10	17	10
Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	6	7	6
	Bachelor's Pass	8	< 5	13	9	10	14	20	< 5	7	15	7
Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0
	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	0	0
	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0
TOTAL		581	628	616	866	883	904	932	815	894	977	868

(a) The data takes into account the coding of Combined Courses to two fields of education. As a consequence, counting both fields of education for Combined Courses means that the totals may be less than the sum of all broad fields of education.

Table 2.4: Midwifery data by State/Territory extracted from: Number of completions by detailed field of education and citizenship, 2013-2023 - Bachelor's Pass, Bachelor's Graduate entry & Bachelor's Honours numbers

State	By citizenship	Field of Education	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
NSW	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	89	98	95	141	161	141	156	110	130	168	116
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	5	< 5
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	0
VIC	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	40	48	44	38
		Bachelor's Pass	126	167	111	202	169	194	166	135	155	174	162
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	0
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	< 5	< 5
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	6	7	6
		Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	< 5	0	5	5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0	0

State	By citizenship	Field of Education	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
QLD	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	0	< 5	36	52	42	45	58	41
		Bachelor's Honours	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	0
		Bachelor's Pass	107	129	120	170	193	168	160	159	200	150	162
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0
		Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0
WA	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Pass	10	12	24	30	32	32	42	26	27	32	31
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	0
SA	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	< 5	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0
		Bachelor's Pass	81	66	80	118	120	83	98	90	82	99	85
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	6	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	6	0
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	5	< 5	11	5	< 5	< 5	8	< 5	0	5	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	< 5	0	0
NT	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0
		Bachelor's Pass	7	10	10	14	34	41	38	36	35	49	51
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0
ACT	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Honours	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0
		Bachelor's Pass	25	17	29	22	24	16	26	34	31	32	22
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	0
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	0	0
	Temporary entry permit	Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	0
Multi-State	Australian citizen	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	21	18	20	22	18	9	7	8	7	8
		Bachelor's Honours	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5
		Bachelor's Pass	107	85	99	111	88	137	142	101	92	113	121
	New Zealand citizen	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	0
	Permanent resident	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	0
		Bachelor's Pass	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0	0
		Bachelor's Pass	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	0

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Table 2.5: Indigenous and Non-Indigenous students data by State/Territory extracted from: Number of completions by detailed field of education and Indigenous status, 2013-2023

National by Indigenous status									
	2013			2014			2015		
	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total
Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	285	285	0	276	276	0	283	283
Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	< 5	0	< 5	< 5	0	5	5
Bachelor's Pass	125	10,376	10,501	143	10,905	11,048	139	11,338	11,477
TOTAL	125	10,661	10,786	143	11,181	11,324	139	11,626	11,765

	2016			2017			2018		
	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total
Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	286	286	< 5	330	330	< 5	356	356
Bachelor's Honours	0	7	7	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	0
Bachelor's Pass	201	12,716	12,917	204	13,233	13,437	257	14,374	14,631
TOTAL	201	13,009	13,210	204	13,563	13,767	257	14,730	14,987

	2019			2020			2021		
	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total
Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	523	523	< 5	450	450	< 5	621	621
Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	0	< 5	49	49	5	247	252
Bachelor's Pass	286	16,052	16,338	280	15,297	15,577	315	17,893	18,208
TOTAL	286	16,575	16,861	280	15,796	16,076	320	18,761	19,081

	2022			2023		
	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Total
Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	556	556	< 5	515	515
Bachelor's Honours	< 5	218	218	< 5	140	140
Bachelor's Pass	337	19,810	20,147	341	18,787	19,128
TOTAL	337	20,584	20,921	341	19,442	19,783

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Table 2.6: Number of completions for initial registration as a nurse by Indigenous status, 2013-2023

		Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind	Indigenous	Non-Ind
State/Territory/course level		2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018	
NSW	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	107	0	99	0	110	0	105	0	119	0	110
	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0
	Bachelors Pass	33	2,163	47	2,522	50	2,870	58	3,098	72	3,269	70	3,347
VIC	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	68	0	37	0	38	0	30	0	41	0	74
	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0	0	0
	Bachelors Pass	19	1,977	20	1,808	12	1,790	25	2,248	15	2,303	26	2,532
QLD	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	15	0	22	0	30	0	41	< 5	48	< 5	40
	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	0
	Bachelors Pass	39	2,225	43	2,345	37	2,447	66	2,573	60	2,786	96	2,985
WA	Bachelor's Pass	6	1,113	6	1,247	13	1,211	18	1,474	16	1,543	18	1,697
SA	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	95	0	118	0	105	0	110	0	122	0	132
	Bachelor's Honours	0	7	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	5	0	7
	Bachelor's Pass	5	1,068	7	1,094	12	1,063	14	1,178	10	1,155	8	1,118
TAS	Bachelor's Honours	< 5	177	< 5	24	< 5	114	< 5	167	0	103	< 5	134
	Bachelor's Pass	13	382	< 5	358	< 5	234	7	416	11	430	16	450
NT	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Bachelor's Pass	5	273	8	288	6	234	6	299	6	356	8	369
ACT	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	134	0	126	0	155	< 5	183	< 5	145	< 5	212
Multi-State	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	0	0	21	0	20	0	21	0	25	< 5	19
	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	1,041	8	1,117	5	1,334	< 5	1,247	12	1,246	12	1,664

		2019		2020		2021		2022		2023	
NSW	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	147	0	115	0	114	0	76	0	96
	Bachelor's Honours	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	15	0	10	0	10
	Bachelors Pass	93	3,667	88	3,489	110	3,789	130	4,922	132	4,673
VIC	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	65	< 5	69	0	60	0	49	0	62
	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	47	< 5	126	0	126	< 5	101
	Bachelors Pass	27	3,042	22	2,893	20	3,563	34	3,747	40	3,929
QLD	Bachelors Graduate Entry	0	71	< 5	141	< 5	202	< 5	214	< 5	170
	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	10	0	6
	Bachelors Pass	94	3,187	102	3,402	99	4,030	81	3,330	80	3,244
WA	Bachelor's Pass	14	1,662	22	1,918	17	1,911	20	2,435	17	2,096
SA	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	0	240	< 5	125	0	238	0	210	0	179
	Bachelor's Honours	0	7	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	< 5
	Bachelor's Pass	16	1,251	13	1,120	19	1,845	18	1,504	21	1,417
TAS	Bachelor's Honours	< 5	97	< 5	105	< 5	91	< 5	58	0	17
	Bachelor's Pass	13	456	10	356	11	497	18	810	< 5	53
NT	Bachelor's Honours	0	0	0	< 5	0	< 5	0	5	< 5	0
	Bachelor's Pass	11	461	12	455	14	457	17	659	30	1,064
ACT	Bachelor's Pass	< 5	173	< 5	160	< 5	179	5	313	< 5	268
Multi-State	Bachelor's Graduate Entry	< 5	10	0	8	< 5	7	0	7	0	8
	Bachelor's Pass	17	2,153	9	1,544	22	1,622	14	2,090	16	2,043

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PART 3 - TOTAL STUDENT ENROLMENTS BY YEAR

Table 3.1: Number of enrolments for initial registration as a nurse by citizenship, 2013-2023

National by citizenship	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australian citizen	41,119	43,742	47,370	50,963	53,393	56,311	57,367	59,312	60,294	57,639	55,461
New Zealand citizen	446	492	539	628	709	793	805	857	902	918	951
Permanent resident	1,964	2,041	2,160	2,217	2,414	2,763	3,015	2,896	2,845	2,640	2,769
Temporary entry permit	6,566	6,669	7,261	8,024	8,987	10,823	13,183	14,671	13,708	13,940	14,457
Other overseas	201	198	178	161	84	21	19	16	76	26	11
Permanent humanitarian visa	382	400	385	372	390	446	508	529	463	386	329
TOTAL	50,678	53,542	57,893	62,365	65,977	71,157	74,897	78,281	78,288	75,549	73,978

Table 3.2: Number of enrolments in a general nursing course required for initial registration as a nurse, 2013-2023

State/Territory by citizenship		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
NSW	Australian citizen	9,609	10,257	11,153	11,693	12,172	12,641	13,107	13,604	12,722	13,499	12,944
	New Zealand citizen	74	86	88	97	113	119	126	129	141	156	157
	Permanent resident	450	505	527	533	650	729	768	695	532	550	524
	Temporary entry permit	1,707	1,777	1,914	2,131	2,415	2,726	3,047	2,978	2,238	2,733	2,689
	Other overseas	120	89	65	51	21	7	10	< 5	6	6	5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	102	100	89	89	110	127	132	123	89	89	67
	TOTAL	12,062	12,814	13,836	14,594	15,481	16,349	17,190	17,529	15,728	17,033	16,386
VIC	Australian citizen	6,845	6,961	7,388	8,086	8,847	9,706	9,834	9,823	10,434	9,559	9,426
	New Zealand citizen	54	62	58	91	118	143	133	134	155	173	185
	Permanent resident	225	218	239	272	295	416	469	496	538	498	580
	Temporary entry permit	982	915	1,062	1,316	1,501	1,930	2,548	3,035	2,986	2,756	2,884
	Other overseas	0	0	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	< 5	30	6	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	67	65	56	61	64	103	122	133	126	99	87
	TOTAL	8,173	8,221	8,805	9,827	10,825	12,298	13,106	13,621	14,269	13,091	13,162
QLD	Australian citizen	9,282	10,012	10,941	12,060	13,100	14,047	14,010	14,569	14,451	13,390	13,365
	New Zealand citizen	169	172	196	222	248	289	303	344	327	323	348
	Permanent resident	353	341	346	340	350	404	477	489	480	464	491
	Temporary entry permit	965	997	1,043	1,183	1,385	1,733	2,343	2,794	2,699	2,676	3,038
	Other overseas	0	0	0	0	0	0	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	55	61	76	70	72	73	80	99	85	71	66
	TOTAL	10,824	11,583	12,602	13,875	15,155	16,546	17,213	18,295	18,042	16,924	17,308

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WA	Australian citizen	4,858	5,303	5,510	6,078	6,492	6,870	6,941	7,139	7,114	6,593	6,482
	New Zealand citizen	82	87	107	111	127	117	113	122	128	117	125
	Permanent resident	338	298	336	354	338	354	386	303	303	319	380
	Temporary entry permit	466	497	543	609	651	877	1,325	1,328	1,118	1,299	1,716
	Other overseas	0	< 5	0	0	< 5	0	0	0	34	6	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	39	36	36	36	35	30	37	38	36	26	29
	TOTAL	5,783	6,221	6,532	7,188	7,643	8,248	8,802	8,930	8,733	8,360	8,732
SA	Australian citizen	3,651	3,606	3,602	3,611	3,462	3,503	3,825	4,186	4,618	4,448	4,245
	New Zealand citizen	14	11	8	10	12	14	15	16	20	25	21
	Permanent resident	223	221	205	192	198	249	240	227	221	183	184
	Temporary entry permit	995	871	911	958	1,059	1,299	1,444	1,670	1,503	1,388	1,441
	Other overseas	79	104	109	109	61	14	0	0	< 5	0	< 5
	Permanent humanitarian visa	59	63	64	56	63	69	73	68	64	50	40
	TOTAL	5,021	4,876	4,899	4,936	4,855	5,148	5,597	6,167	6,426	6,094	5,931
TAS	Australian citizen	1,193	1,215	1,298	1,354	1,246	1,208	1,198	1,165	1,372	1,403	1,260
	New Zealand citizen	< 5	7	9	6	6	6	< 5	< 5	8	9	6
	Permanent resident	74	120	111	100	113	84	123	135	180	149	130
	Temporary entry permit	54	36	41	49	78	107	130	157	149	172	206
	Permanent humanitarian visa	20	26	23	18	8	< 5	8	9	8	10	9
	TOTAL	1,341	1,404	1,482	1,527	1,451	1,405	1,459	1,466	1,717	1,743	1,611
NT	Australian citizen	1,472	1,653	1,856	2,054	2,149	2,405	2,628	3,026	3,716	2,957	2,036
	New Zealand citizen	13	20	21	33	27	39	45	45	50	46	37
	Permanent resident	121	120	161	182	222	286	312	330	344	247	168
	Temporary entry permit	160	197	226	274	293	277	286	262	333	359	238
	Other overseas	< 5	< 5	< 5	0	0	0	6	5	< 5	< 5	0
	Permanent humanitarian visa	7	10	9	11	12	13	17	22	20	16	9
	TOTAL	1,773	2,000	2,275	2,554	2,703	3,020	3,294	3,690	4,463	3,625	2,488
ACT	Australian citizen	482	559	602	637	645	662	646	660	663	683	605
	New Zealand citizen	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	5	5	5	6
	Permanent resident	22	29	31	38	45	52	55	49	58	68	73
	Temporary entry permit	74	152	237	240	193	167	177	342	430	454	512
	Permanent humanitarian visa	13	14	8	7	6	< 5	5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
	TOTAL	591	754	881	926	894	881	883	1,056	1,156	1,210	1,196
Multi-State	Australian citizen	3,727	4,176	5,020	5,390	5,280	5,269	5,178	5,140	5,204	5,107	5,098
	New Zealand citizen	35	45	49	54	53	62	62	58	68	64	66
	Permanent resident	158	189	204	206	203	189	185	172	189	162	239
	Temporary entry permit	1,163	1,227	1,284	1,264	1,412	1,707	1,883	2,105	2,252	2,103	1,733
	Permanent humanitarian visa	20	25	24	24	20	23	34	34	31	21	19
	TOTAL	5,103	5,662	6,581	6,938	6,968	7,250	7,342	7,509	7,744	7,457	7,155

Source: Tables 1.1 to 3.2
Students, Selected Higher Education Statistics, Australian Government Department of Education and Training

PART 4 - ENROLLED NURSE ENROLMENTS (COMMENCING PROGRAM ENROLMENTS) PER YEAR - INDIGENOUS AND NON-INDIGENOUS STUDENTS

Table 4.1: Commencing program enrolments by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2015																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	195	2,640	75	2,915	-	-	-	-
Victoria	-	-	-	-	0	35	0	35	90	7,900	85	8,075	-	-	-	-
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	210	5,010	370	5,590	-	-	-	-
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	40	-	40	55	3,015	30	3,095	-	-	-	-
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75	1,780	115	1,970	-	-	-	-
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	485	-	500	-	-	-	-
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	50	-	55	-	-	-	-
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	5	140	15	155	-	-	-	-
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	5	1,795	35	1,835	-	-	-	-
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	5	110	5	125	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	0	75	0	80	665	22,920	735	24,320	-	-	-	-

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	0	35	5	40	-	-	-	-	200	2,675	80	2,955
Victoria	0	95	10	100	-	-	-	-	95	8,025	95	8,215
Queensland	-	100	5	105	-	-	-	-	210	5,110	375	5,695
South Australia	5	155	-	155	-	-	-	-	55	3,205	30	3,290
Western Australia	5	25	25	55	-	-	-	-	80	1,800	145	2,025
Tasmania	5	30	-	40	-	-	-	-	25	515	-	540
Northern Territory	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	5	55	-	60
Australian Capital Territory	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	5	140	15	160
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	40	-	40	-	-	-	-	5	1,835	35	1,875
Not known	-	5	0	5	-	-	-	-	5	120	10	135
Total	15	485	50	550	-	-	-	-	685	23,480	785	24,945

Table 4.2: Commencing program enrolments by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2016																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled-Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	1,445	25	1,575	5	75	0	85
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	3,820	15	3,875	5	130	-	130
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	110	2,940	185	3,235	15	310	15	340
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	1,755	10	1,795	-	-	-	-
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	1,855	175	2,095	-	30	25	55
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	185	-	190	-	0	-	0
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	40	-	40	-	0	-	0
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	85	10	100	-	-	-	-
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1,435	25	1,460	-	20	-	20
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	40	5	45	-	0	-	0
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	360	13,600	450	14,410	20	570	45	635

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	0	20	0	25	-	-	-	-	110	1,545	30	1,685
Victoria	-	60	-	60	-	-	-	-	40	4,010	15	4,065
Queensland	5	70	5	80	-	-	-	-	130	3,320	205	3,655
South Australia	0	85	-	85	-	-	-	-	30	1,840	10	1,880
Western Australia	-	10	20	30	-	-	-	-	70	1,895	220	2,180
Tasmania	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	5	195	-	200
Northern Territory	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	0	45	-	45
Australian Capital Territory	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	0	90	10	100
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	35	-	35	-	-	-	-	5	1,485	25	1,515
Not known	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	0	45	5	50
Total	10	295	25	330	-	-	-	-	390	14,465	520	15,375

Table 4.3: Commencing program enrolments by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2017																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	160	70	240	110	1,605	50	1,765
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	265	60	330	40	3,840	40	3,920
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	620	95	745	140	3,115	70	3,325
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	175	35	210	20	685	10	710
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	45	5	55	30	940	35	1,010
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	0	5	10	195	-	205
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	15	-	5	-	5
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	5	0	115	20	135
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	165	30	195	0	1,425	290	1,715
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	0	5	-	10	0	10
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	1,450	300	1,805	350	11,930	520	12,805

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	20	0	20	-	-	-	-	120	1,785	125	2,030
Victoria	-	60	0	60	-	25	0	25	45	4,190	100	4,335
Queensland	0	125	5	135	-	5	-	5	170	3,865	175	4,210
South Australia	0	15	-	15	-	-	-	-	25	870	45	940
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	985	40	1,065
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	200	0	210
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	20
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	115	20	140
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	0	1,595	315	1,915
Not known	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	15	5	20
Total	5	225	5	235	-	35	0	35	410	13,645	825	14,880

Table 4.4: Commencing program enrolments by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2018																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	10	65	80	125	1,845	65	2,035
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	20	35	50	2,960	55	3,060
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	100	105	115	2,625	205	2,945
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	5	35	25	815	10	850
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	50	825	100	975
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0	0	5	150	-	155
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	5	35	-	40
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	110	15	135
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	55	0	1,330	850	2,185
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	0	20	0	25
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	70	250	320	380	10,720	1,305	12,405

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	20	125	1,860	135	2,120
Victoria	-	-	-	-	0	25	5	30	50	3,000	75	3,120
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	115	2,660	310	3,085
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	845	15	885
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	825	105	975
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	150	0	160
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	5	40	-	45
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	115	15	135
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	1,330	905	2,240
Not known	-	-	-	-	0	55	5	60	0	20	0	25
Total	-	-	-	-	0	55	5	60	385	10,840	1560	12,785

Table 4.5: Commencing program enrolments by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2019																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	325	2,925	110	3,365
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	135	4,065	175	4,370
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	130	2,325	340	2,795
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	535	35	625
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	660	185	900
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	180	0	195
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	15
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	85	20	110
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	910	505	1,420
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	20	15	35
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	730	11,715	1,390	13,835

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	325	2,930	110	3,370
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	15	135	4,080	175	4,385
Queensland	-	-	-	-	0	50	0	55	135	2,375	340	2,850
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	55	535	35	630
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	5	0	5	50	665	185	900
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	20	180	0	200
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	15
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	85	20	110
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	910	505	1,420
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	20	15	35
Total	-	-	-	-	0	75	0	80	730	11,790	1,390	13,915

Table 4.6: Commencing program enrolments by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2020																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	1,630	65	1,895
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	3,775	100	3,970
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	160	2,755	175	3,090
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	685	30	750
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	805	140	1,000
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	155	0	165
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	25	-	25
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	80	20	105
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	675	275	955
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	25	0	30
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	575	10,610	805	11,990

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	1,630	65	1895
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	100	3,775	100	3,970
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	160	2,755	175	3,090
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	40	685	30	755
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	55	805	140	1,005
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	155	0	165
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	25	-	25
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	0	85	20	105
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	10	0	15	5	685	275	970
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	25	0	30
Total	-	-	-	-	-	20	0	20	575	10,630	805	12,010

Table 4.7: Commencing program enrolments by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2021																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non- Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	115	1,665	75	1,855
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	3,210	65	3,330
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	145	2,555	155	2,850
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	685	15	730
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	765	110	930
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	225	-	250
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	10	-	10
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	95	10	105
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	990	740	1,730
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	0	5
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	425	10,200	1,170	11,795

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	0	120	1,665	75	1,855
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	50	3,215	65	3,330
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	145	2,560	155	2,855
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	30	690	15	735
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	765	110	930
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	225	-	250
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	10	-	10
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	95	10	105
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	10	0	10	-	1,000	740	1,740
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	0	5
Total	-	-	-	-	0	20	0	20	425	10,220	1,170	11,815

Table 4.8: Commencing program enrolments by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2022																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	850	20	935
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	1,575	40	1,665
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	1,270	50	1,380
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	400	10	430
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	700	20	735
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	235	-	250
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	25	-	30
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	90	10	95
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	720	60	780
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	230	5,865	215	6,310

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				HLT54121 - Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	575	15	640	125	1,420	30	1,575
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	1620	15	1660	75	3,195	60	3,325
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	40	900	45	990	100	2,170	100	2,370
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	5	25	5	30	20	430	15	460
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	0	200	15	905	20	940
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	235	-	250
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	5	25	-	30
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	90	10	95
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	5	260	95	360	5	985	160	1,150
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	-	5	-	5
Total	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	125	3,585	175	3,885	360	9,455	390	10,205

Table 4.9: Commencing program enrolments by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2023																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	25
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	100	0	110
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	35	-	40
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	10
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	45	0	45
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	280	50	330
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	505	50	565

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				HLT54121 - Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	125	1,355	10	1,490	125	1,380	10	1515
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90	3,635	40	3,770	100	3,740	45	3,880
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	250	2,955	165	3,370	250	2,955	165	3,370
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	675	5	725	40	680	5	725
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	1,375	60	1,485	50	1,415	60	1,525
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	290	-	310	20	290	-	310
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	20	0	20	0	30	0	30
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	125	5	130	0	170	5	175
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65	1,870	390	2,325	65	2,160	440	2,665
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	15	-	15	0	15	-	15
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	645	12,320	680	13,640	655	12,835	730	14,220

Tables 4.1-4.9 Source: National VET Provider Collection 2015-23 and National VET in Schools Collection 2015-23

PART 5 - ENROLLED NURSE COMPLETIONS PER YEAR IN A PROGRAM LEADING TO REGISTRATION - ALL TRAINING ACTIVITY - INDIGENOUS AND NON-INDIGENOUS STUDENTS

Table 5.1: Program completions by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2015																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	50	800	35	890	-	-	-	-
Victoria	-	-	-	-	0	10	-	10	10	1,875	35	1,920	-	-	-	-
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	990	90	1,105	-	-	-	-
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	15	585	15	615	-	-	-	-
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	15	485	15	510	-	-	-	-
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	95	-	95	-	-	-	-
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	15	-	15	-	-	-	-
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	0	45	-	-	-	-
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	-	645	5	650	-	-	-	-
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	5	35	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	0	20	-	20	120	5,560	200	5,880	-	-	-	-

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	15	5	20	-	-	-	-	50	820	40	915
Victoria	-	30	5	40	-	-	-	-	15	1,915	40	1,970
Queensland	-	10	0	10	-	-	-	-	25	1,000	90	1,115
South Australia	0	70	-	70	-	-	-	-	15	660	15	690
Western Australia	0	10	15	30	-	-	-	-	15	495	30	540
Tasmania	5	15	-	20	-	-	-	-	5	110	-	115
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	15	-	15
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	0	45
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	15	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	660	5	665
Not known	-	5	0	5	-	-	-	-	-	35	5	40
Total	5	170	30	205	-	-	-	-	130	5,750	230	6,110

Table 5.2: Program completions by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2016																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	995	15	1,055	-	-	-	-
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	2,005	15	2,035	-	-	-	-
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	40	1,225	45	1,310	-	-	-	-
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	715	0	720	-	-	-	-
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	630	15	665	-	-	-	-
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	90	-	100	-	-	-	-
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	0	10	-	-	-	-
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	40	5	50	-	-	-	-
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	605	15	625	-	-	-	-
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	10	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	135	6,330	115	6,580	-	-	-	-

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	15	-	15	-	-	-	-	45	1,010	15	1,070
Victoria	-	25	0	25	-	-	-	-	15	2,025	15	2,060
Queensland	0	10	-	15	-	-	-	-	40	1,240	45	1,325
South Australia	0	45	-	45	-	-	-	-	5	760	0	765
Western Australia	-	10	5	15	-	-	-	-	20	640	25	680
Tasmania	0	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	10	105	-	110
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	0	10
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	40	5	50
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	20	-	20	-	-	-	-	0	630	15	645
Not known	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	15
Total	5	135	10	145	-	-	-	-	135	6,465	125	6,730

Table 5.3: Program completions by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2017																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	890	15	945	0	15	-	15
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	2,360	15	2,395	-	20	-	20
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	1,400	75	1,510	0	65	5	70
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	490	5	505	0	0	-	0
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	25	675	20	720	-	-	-	-
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	150	0	160	-	-	-	-
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	20	-	20	-	-	-	-
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	55	10	70	-	-	-	-
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	755	10	765	-	30	-	30
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	10	-	10	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	135	6,810	150	7,095	5	130	5	135

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	15	-	15	-	-	-	-	40	915	15	975
Victoria	-	15	-	15	-	-	0	0	20	2,400	15	2,435
Queensland	-	20	0	25	-	-	-	-	35	1,485	80	1,600
South Australia	0	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	10	500	5	520
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	675	20	720
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	150	0	160
Northern Territory	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	0	20	-	25
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	55	10	70
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	15	-	15	-	-	-	-	0	800	10	805
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	10	-	10
Total	0	75	0	80	-	-	0	0	145	7,015	155	7,315

Table 5.4: Program completions by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2018																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	215	75	300	40	770	20	830
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	920	30	960	5	1,005	10	1,020
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	300	100	420	35	970	25	1,030
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	435	15	460	5	210	0	215
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	230	15	255	15	385	15	415
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	55	0	60	-	25	-	25
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	15	-	20	-	-	-	-
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	-	55	10	60
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	445	75	520	-	415	95	510
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	10	-	10	-	10
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	2,630	310	3,000	100	3,845	180	4,125

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	50	985	95	1,130
Victoria	-	15	-	15	-	15	-	15	15	1,950	40	2,010
Queensland	-	5	-	5	-	0	-	0	55	1,275	125	1,455
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	10	650	15	675
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	615	30	670
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	80	0	85
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	15	-	20
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	10	65
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	860	170	1,030
Not known	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	20
Total	-	25	-	25	-	15	-	15	160	6,515	490	7,165

Table 5.5: Program completions by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2019																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	1,055	30	1,165
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	1,940	40	2,015
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	1,405	40	1,490
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	335	5	360
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	415	45	485
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	140	-	140
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	55	10	65
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	910	455	1,380
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	5	15
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	225	6,270	630	7,125

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	1,055	30	1,165
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	35	1,940	40	2,015
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	45	1,405	40	1,490
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	20	340	5	365
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	415	45	485
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	140	-	140
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	55	10	65
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	910	455	1,380
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	5	15
Total	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	225	6,275	630	7,130

Table 5.6: Program completions by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2020																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75	990	40	1,110
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	1,545	25	1,600
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	60	1,155	130	1,345
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	435	20	480
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	15	415	65	490
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	110	-	120
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	10	0	10
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	65	5	75
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	810	360	1,170
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	0	10
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	220	5,540	650	6,410

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75	990	40	1,110
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	30	1,550	25	1,600
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	1,155	130	1,345
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	25	435	20	480
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	415	65	495
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	110	-	120
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	10	0	10
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	0	65	5	75
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	810	360	1,170
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	0	10
Total	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	220	5,545	650	6,415

Table 5.7: Program completions by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2021																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	870	15	935
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	2,035	20	2,085
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	1,275	85	1,415
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	355	5	365
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	480	90	600
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	80	0	85
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	20
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	60	10	75
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	585	215	800
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	5,760	445	6,385

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	870	15	935
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	30	2,035	20	2,090
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	55	1,275	85	1,415
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	5	355	5	370
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	30	480	90	600
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	80	0	85
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	20
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	60	10	75
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	-	590	215	805
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Total	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	10	180	5,770	445	6,395

Table 5.8: Program completions by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2022																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	1,200	35	1,305
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	2,045	25	2,090
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75	1,510	60	1,645
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	385	5	395
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	610	20	660
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	125	-	130
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	45	5	50
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	765	230	1,000
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	220	6,695	375	7,290

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				HLT54121 - Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	0	-	-	-	-	70	1,200	35	1,310
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	25	2,045	25	2,095
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	75	1,510	60	1,645
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	5	390	5	400
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	610	20	660
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	125	-	130
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	45	5	50
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	-	-	-	-	5	765	230	1,000
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5
Total	-	-	-	-	0	5	-	10	-	-	-	-	220	6,705	375	7,300

Table 5.9: Program completions by Students status, State/territory of residence, Type of accreditation and Indigenous status

Year 2023																
Type of Accreditation	HLT43407 - Certificate IV in Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT51607 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 nursing)				HLT51612 - Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled- Division 2 nursing)				HLT54115 - Diploma of Nursing			
Indigenous status	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Not Known	Total
State/territory of residence																
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	925	10	990
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	1,915	20	1,975
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	55	1,155	35	1,245
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	360	5	380
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	495	10	515
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	175	-	195
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	15	-	15
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	75	5	85
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	925	265	1,190
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	5	-	5
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	6,035	350	6,590

	HLT61107 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/ Division 2 nursing)				HLT64115 - Advanced Diploma of Nursing				HLT54121 - Diploma of Nursing				Total			
New South Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	70	-	75	60	995	10	1,065
Victoria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	220	-	225	40	2,135	20	2,200
Queensland	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	10	125	15	150	65	1,280	50	1,395
South Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	-	0	-	0	15	360	5	385
Western Australia	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	0	85	0	85	10	580	10	600
Tasmania	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	20	-	25	25	195	-	220
Northern Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	0	0	15	-	20
Australian Capital Territory	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	75	5	85
Other Australian Territories or Dependencies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseas	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	-	115	5	120	0	1,045	265	1,310
Not known	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	5	-	5
Total	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	20	645	20	680	220	6,685	370	7,275

Tables 5.1-5.9 Source: National VET Provider Collection 2015-22 and National VET in Schools Collection 2015-23

PART 6 - NHWDS DATA RE FIRST TIME REGISTRATIONS

Table 6.1: First year of registration by country of first qualification, all nurses and midwives, 2015-2023

Initial qualification country in nursing or midwifery	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australia	11,823	13,692	14,073	14,681	14,137	16,214	18,492	17,576	21,966
Other	1,775	2,516	3,254	3,414	3,842	3,409	2,693	2,787	7,803
Not stated/inadequately described	4,427	4,361	4,485	6,728	7,125	6,994	6,272	9,605	9,698
All	18,025	20,569	21,812	24,823	25,104	26,617	27,457	29,968	39,467

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

Table 6.2: First year of registration by country of first qualification, all employed nurses and midwives, 2015-2023

Initial qualification country in nursing or midwifery	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australia	9,336	10,849	11,017	11,483	11,370	11,940	14,525	14,531	17,465
Other	1,105	1,549	1,937	1,803	1,872	1,598	1,751	1,308	2,886
Not stated/inadequately described	3,476	3,216	3,195	5,095	5,346	5,404	4,568	6,648	5,233
All	13,917	15,614	16,149	18,381	18,588	18,942	20,844	22,487	25,584

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

Table 6.3: First year of registration for registered nurses by country of first qualification, 2015-2023

Initial qualification country in nursing or midwifery	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australia	8,244	9,502	9,762	10,062	10,454	11,416	13,022	12,929	15,579
Other	1,681	2,409	3,140	3,300	3,725	3,277	2,625	2,706	7,590
Not stated/inadequately described	2,801	2,652	2,890	3,911	4,782	4,772	3,757	6,674	7,023
All	12,726	14,563	15,792	17,273	18,961	19,465	19,404	22,309	30,192

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

Table 6.4: First year of registration for employed registered nurses by country of first qualification, 2015-2023

Initial qualification country in nursing or midwifery	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australia	6,664	7,832	7,966	8,315	8,678	8,936	10,835	11,068	12,846
Other	1,044	1,475	1,854	1,743	1,803	1,526	1,718	1,254	2,746
Not stated/inadequately described	2,165	1,852	1,968	2,868	3,466	3,757	2,634	4,371	3,164
All	9,873	11,159	11,788	12,926	13,947	14,219	15,187	16,693	18,756

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

Table 6.5: First year of registration for all registered midwives (regardless of whether working in midwifery) by country of first qualification, 2015-2023

Initial qualification country in nursing or midwifery	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australia	515	561	700	736	694	701	781	797	1,086
Other	67	79	79	91	90	101	25	71	209
Not stated/inadequately described	128	113	113	157	142	127	100	344	314
All	710	753	892	984	926	929	906	1,212	1,609

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

Table 6.6: First year of registration for all registered employed midwives (regardless of whether working in midwifery) by country of first qualification, 2015-2023

Initial qualification country in nursing or midwifery	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australia	468	490	591	641	601	645	676	690	880
Other	48	56	61	49	58	55	17	50	133
Not stated/inadequately described	101	71	74	111	103	102	73	256	208
All	617	617	726	801	762	802	766	996	1,221

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

Table 6.7: First year of registration for enrolled nurses by country of first qualification, 2015-2023

Initial qualification country in nursing or midwifery	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australia	3,267	3,811	3,889	4,163	3,241	4,368	5,082	4,226	5,868
Other	38	46	44	33	41	48	56	27	59
Not stated/inadequately described	1,544	1,639	1,518	2,707	2,242	2,146	2,445	2,801	2,580
All	4,849	5,496	5,451	6,903	5,524	6,562	7,583	7,054	8,507

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

Table 6.8: First year of registration for employed enrolled nurses by country of first qualification, 2015-2023

Initial qualification country in nursing or midwifery	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Australia	2,380	2,685	2,700	2,779	2,308	2,602	3,355	3,082	4,158
Other	22	30	28	19	21	25	28	11	30
Not stated/inadequately described	1,248	1,319	1,181	2,155	1,808	1,590	1,885	2,187	2,026
All	3,650	4,034	3,909	4,953	4,137	4,217	5,268	5,280	6,214

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

Tables 6.1-6.8 Source: NHWDS Nursing and Midwifery, 2013-2023

For further information on these tables, refer to the 'Notes' sheet

PART 7 - NEW REGISTRANTS BY WORKFORCE STATUS – NHWDS DATA RE FIRST TIME REGISTRATIONS

Table 7.1: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2014

Year 2014	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	4,619	4,571	3,445	1,724	1,545	358	241	202	16,705
Employed in nursing or midwifery	3,956	3,848	2,808	1,374	1,187	315	215	177	13,880
On extended leave	84	97	65	32	35	10	NP	NP	328
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	579	626	572	318	323	33	23	23	2,497
Employed elsewhere	188	246	250	123	161	13	NP	NP	1,001
Not employed	391	380	322	195	162	20	18	8	1,496
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	325	325	213	181	78	14	15	14	1,165
Overseas	142	125	70	74	23	NP	8	NP	449
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	172	189	134	104	51	12	7	9	678
Employed elsewhere	90	97	77	58	20	7	NP	NP	358
Not employed	82	92	57	46	31	NP	NP	NP	320
Retired from regular work	11	11	9	NP	NP	0	0	0	38
Total nurses and midwives	4,944	4,896	3,658	1,905	1,623	372	256	216	17,870

Table 7.2: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2015

Year 2015	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	4,514	4,186	3,706	1,804	1,507	335	227	188	16,467
Employed in nursing or midwifery	3,928	3,601	3,137	1,498	1,075	303	211	162	13,915
On extended leave	91	102	87	24	20	NP	NP	6	336
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	495	483	482	282	412	NP	11	20	2,216
Employed elsewhere	205	205	223	159	219	15	NP	NP	1,039
Not employed	290	278	259	123	193	16	9	9	1,177
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	250	276	182	135	60	11	13	14	941
Overseas	51	46	39	33	11	NP	NP	6	193
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	182	224	138	101	46	9	8	8	716
Employed elsewhere	103	117	77	51	27	NP	NP	6	390
Not employed	79	107	61	50	19	NP	NP	NP	326
Retired from regular work	17	6	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	32
Total nurses and midwives	4,764	4,462	3,888	1,939	1,567	346	240	202	17,408

NP = not published

Table 7.3: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2016

Year 2016	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	5,332	4,870	4,073	1,810	1,588	357	323	221	18,574
Employed in nursing or midwifery	4,575	4,214	3,478	1,452	1,096	316	286	190	15,607
On extended leave	93	88	65	54	30	NP	NP	NP	337
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	664	568	530	304	462	NP	NP	NP	2,630
Employed elsewhere	285	273	268	164	275	20	22	20	1,327
Not employed	379	295	262	140	187	18	12	10	1,303
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	247	366	242	136	93	17	23	16	1,140
Overseas	83	105	93	48	17	NP	6	NP	358
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	150	254	147	84	71	14	16	12	748
Employed elsewhere	72	146	77	49	34	6	6	8	398
Not employed	78	108	70	35	37	NP	10	NP	350
Retired from regular work	14	7	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	34
Total nurses and midwives	5,579	5,236	4,315	1,946	1,681	374	346	237	19,714

Table 7.4: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2017

Year 2017	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	5,600	5,213	4,166	1,833	1,555	406	375	224	19,372
Employed in nursing or midwifery	4,857	4,404	3,452	1,456	1,074	375	330	190	16,138
On extended leave	91	106	74	40	49	NP	NP	NP	371
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	652	703	640	337	432	NP	NP	NP	2,863
Employed elsewhere	297	366	317	191	269	9	20	19	1,488
Not employed	355	337	323	146	163	19	20	12	1,375
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	383	446	266	151	108	26	27	17	1,424
Overseas	106	115	58	42	10	NP	NP	10	352
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	272	323	205	109	95	22	20	7	1,053
Employed elsewhere	163	206	111	73	61	NP	14	NP	645
Not employed	109	117	94	36	34	8	NP	NP	408
Retired from regular work	NP	8	NP	0	NP	0	0	0	19
Total nurses and midwives	5,983	5,659	4,432	1,984	1,663	432	402	241	20,796

NP = not published

Table 7.5: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2018

Year 2018	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	5,920	6,405	4,638	2,053	1,827	494	396	271	22,004
Employed in nursing or midwifery	5,160	5,330	3,841	1,549	1,469	451	338	229	18,367
On extended leave	104	157	83	48	41	10	6	9	458
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	656	918	714	456	317	33	52	33	3,179
Employed elsewhere	288	428	350	253	156	13	20	25	1,533
Not employed	368	490	364	203	161	20	32	8	1,646
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	353	570	272	203	107	29	24	16	1,574
Overseas	110	186	60	53	18	NP	7	NP	443
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	227	372	205	144	89	24	17	10	1,088
Employed elsewhere	105	187	103	67	45	7	NP	NP	527
Not employed	122	185	102	77	44	17	NP	NP	561
Retired from regular work	16	12	7	NP	0	NP	0	0	43
Total nurses and midwives	6,273	6,975	4,910	2,256	1,934	523	420	287	23,578

Table 7.6: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2019

Year 2019	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	6,313	5,991	4,658	2,052	1,708	467	398	276	21,863
Employed in nursing or midwifery	5,559	5,178	3,822	1,598	1,396	420	352	243	18,568
On extended leave	164	133	102	56	44	14	8	7	528
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	590	680	734	398	268	33	38	26	2,767
Employed elsewhere	260	302	413	208	139	7	21	14	1,364
Not employed	330	378	321	190	129	26	17	12	1,403
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	332	468	274	212	93	19	23	9	1,430
Overseas	135	193	109	86	35	NP	11	NP	578
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	187	267	156	121	56	14	NP	NP	817
Employed elsewhere	98	153	96	74	34	11	NP	NP	477
Not employed	89	114	60	47	22	NP	NP	NP	340
Retired from regular work	10	8	9	NP	NP	NP	0	0	35
Total nurses and midwives	6,645	6,459	4,932	2,264	1,801	486	421	285	23,293

NP = not published

Table 7.7: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2020

Year 2020	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	6,806	6,626	5,019	2,142	1,936	498	461	271	23,759
Employed in nursing or midwifery	5,686	5,124	4,089	1,627	1,452	407	343	203	18,931
On extended leave	175	153	99	54	54	13	NP	NP	564
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	945	1,349	831	461	430	78	NP	NP	4,264
Employed elsewhere	367	596	386	228	202	27	49	41	1,896
Not employed	578	753	445	233	228	51	57	23	2,368
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	396	484	284	170	118	22	21	15	1,510
Overseas	104	107	50	53	19	0	NP	NP	340
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	283	367	224	114	94	21	16	12	1,131
Employed elsewhere	137	195	123	66	44	10	NP	NP	589
Not employed	146	172	101	48	50	11	7	7	542
Retired from regular work	9	10	10	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	39
Total nurses and midwives	7,202	7,110	5,303	2,312	2,054	520	482	286	25,269

Table 7.8: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2021

Year 2021	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	6,927	6,552	5,264	2,470	2,186	NP	550	NP	24,821
Employed in nursing or midwifery	5,868	5,525	4,419	2,101	1,801	488	391	232	20,825
On extended leave	202	132	91	63	64	NP	14	NP	582
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	857	895	754	306	321	NP	145	NP	3,414
Employed elsewhere	478	514	423	191	193	NP	89	NP	1,961
Not employed	379	381	331	115	128	NP	56	NP	1,453
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	300	455	321	151	99	36	NP	NP	1,400
Overseas	67	93	79	42	NP	NP	NP	NP	329
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	217	349	234	102	64	29	NP	NP	1,022
Employed elsewhere	126	212	136	59	30	15	NP	NP	597
Not employed	91	137	98	43	34	14	NP	NP	425
Retired from regular work	16	13	8	7	NP	NP	NP	-	49
Total nurses and midwives	7,227	7,007	5,585	2,621	2,285	623	583	290	26,221

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Table 7.9: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2022

Year 2022	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	6669	6563	5469	2662	2439	620	451	264	25,137
Employed in nursing or midwifery	5943	5835	4872	2433	2158	580	389	231	22,441
On extended leave	193	182	159	60	72	14	8	6	694
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	533	546	438	169	209	26	54	27	2,002
Employed elsewhere	277	307	256	83	124	11	40	19	1,117
Not employed	256	239	182	86	85	15	14	8	885
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	596	529	403	159	165	35	42	18	1,947
Overseas	63	55	38	16	12	NP	NP	NP	194
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	427	418	304	123	127	23	32	15	1,469
Employed elsewhere	264	257	172	61	72	NP	22	NP	866
Not employed	163	161	132	62	55	NP	10	NP	603
Retired from regular work	106	56	61	20	26	NP	NP	0	284
Total nurses and midwives	7,265	7,092	5,872	2,821	2,604	655	493	282	27,084

Table 7.10: All new registrants by workforce status, Nurses and Midwives, 2023

Year 2023	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	7,868	7,768	5,801	2,926	2,700	665	583	312	28,623
Employed in nursing or midwifery	7,020	6,858	5,140	2,615	2,407	603	536	267	25,446
On extended leave	194	189	138	63	56	14	15	10	679
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	654	721	523	248	237	48	32	35	2,498
Employed elsewhere	341	391	275	138	138	20	16	17	1,336
Not employed	313	330	248	110	99	28	16	18	1,162
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	883	795	645	316	235	59	65	21	3,019
Overseas	103	94	55	35	18	NP	11	NP	321
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	552	583	452	236	172	47	37	16	2,095
Employed elsewhere	344	358	275	139	100	29	25	9	1,279
Not employed	208	225	177	97	72	18	12	7	816
Retired from regular work	228	118	138	45	45	NP	17	NP	603
Total nurses and midwives	8,751	8,563	6,446	3,242	2,935	724	648	333	31,642

NP = not published

Table 7.11: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2014

Year 2014	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	3,647	3,008	2,183	1,234	948	227	185	173	11,605
Employed in nursing or midwifery	3,096	2,536	1,784	955	725	204	163	153	9,616
On extended leave	65	47	42	22	19	NP	NP	NP	205
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	486	425	357	257	204	17	19	19	1,784
Employed elsewhere	152	146	152	101	85	NP	NP	NP	658
Not employed	334	279	205	156	119	10	16	7	1,126
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	284	206	140	144	62	10	12	13	871
Overseas	137	120	66	66	22	NP	7	NP	425
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	136	78	70	76	37	NP	NP	8	418
Employed elsewhere	74	41	36	43	13	6	NP	NP	221
Not employed	62	37	34	33	24	NP	NP	NP	197
Retired from regular work	11	8	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	28
Total nurses and midwives	3,931	3,214	2,323	1,378	1,010	237	197	186	12,476

Table 7.12: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2015

Year 2015	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	3,510	2,733	2,474	1,266	967	250	166	156	11,522
Employed in nursing or midwifery	3,058	2,426	2,134	1,071	667	224	156	135	9,871
On extended leave	71	57	51	20	13	NP	NP	6	222
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	381	250	289	175	287	NP	NP	15	1,429
Employed elsewhere	154	103	133	100	154	11	NP	NP	666
Not employed	227	147	156	75	133	14	NP	NP	763
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	200	131	118	102	41	6	12	7	617
Overseas	49	42	35	29	10	NP	NP	6	177
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	135	88	81	72	29	NP	8	NP	418
Employed elsewhere	75	40	48	35	15	NP	NP	0	220
Not employed	60	48	33	37	14	NP	NP	NP	198
Retired from regular work	16	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	22
Total nurses and midwives	3,710	2,864	2,592	1,368	1,008	256	178	163	12,139

NP = not published

Table 7.13: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2016

Year 2016	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	4,151	3,178	2,721	1,338	905	265	252	179	12,989
Employed in nursing or midwifery	3,597	2,831	2,399	1,085	626	243	221	151	11,153
On extended leave	66	47	44	37	14	NP	NP	0	211
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	488	300	278	216	265	NP	NP	28	1,625
Employed elsewhere	205	140	144	114	145	9	18	18	793
Not employed	283	160	134	102	120	12	11	10	832
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	199	190	163	95	55	14	17	13	746
Overseas	70	94	82	44	14	NP	NP	NP	314
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	117	95	79	49	36	11	12	9	408
Employed elsewhere	58	54	41	30	17	NP	6	NP	216
Not employed	59	41	38	19	19	6	6	NP	192
Retired from regular work	12	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	24
Total nurses and midwives	4,350	3,368	2,884	1,433	960	279	269	192	13,735

Table 7.14: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2017

Year 2017	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	4,418	3,534	2,802	1,365	941	288	284	186	13,818
Employed in nursing or midwifery	3,866	3,056	2,411	1,110	661	270	247	156	11,777
On extended leave	65	62	46	32	26	NP	NP	NP	238
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	487	416	345	223	254	17	34	27	1,803
Employed elsewhere	207	189	183	127	138	NP	NP	19	885
Not employed	280	227	162	96	116	13	16	8	918
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	300	291	170	117	57	23	21	14	993
Overseas	99	111	52	41	9	NP	NP	9	332
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	196	173	115	76	46	19	NP	NP	644
Employed elsewhere	109	111	65	53	33	12	NP	NP	393
Not employed	87	62	50	23	13	7	NP	NP	251
Retired from regular work	NP	7	NP	0	NP	0	0	0	17
Total nurses and midwives	4,718	3,825	2,972	1,482	998	311	305	200	14,811

NP = not published

Table 7.15: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2018

Year 2018	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	4,648	4,050	3,037	1,368	1,086	318	307	232	15,046
Employed in nursing or midwifery	4,084	3,504	2,634	1,058	878	298	255	202	12,913
On extended leave	71	89	45	38	21	NP	NP	7	283
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	493	457	358	272	187	NP	NP	23	1,850
Employed elsewhere	213	171	173	150	81	NP	18	17	827
Not employed	280	286	185	122	106	9	29	6	1,023
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	272	347	180	136	53	18	16	12	1,034
Overseas	98	180	57	47	13	NP	6	NP	410
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	165	162	118	87	40	15	10	6	603
Employed elsewhere	72	65	58	36	12	NP	7	NP	256
Not employed	93	97	60	51	28	10	NP	NP	347
Retired from regular work	9	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	0	21
Total nurses and midwives	4,920	4,397	3,217	1,504	1,139	336	323	244	16,080

Table 7.16: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2019

Year 2019	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	5,050	4,199	3,332	1,529	1,097	378	322	229	16,136
Employed in nursing or midwifery	4,489	3,703	2,797	1,199	906	344	285	205	13,928
On extended leave	126	75	65	42	27	11	6	7	359
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	435	421	470	288	164	23	31	17	1,849
Employed elsewhere	167	155	264	149	76	NP	15	NP	839
Not employed	268	266	206	139	88	18	16	9	1,010
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	266	332	189	161	63	17	19	8	1,055
Overseas	130	180	96	79	30	NP	10	NP	532
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	129	145	89	79	31	13	NP	NP	499
Employed elsewhere	61	80	53	50	21	10	NP	NP	285
Not employed	68	65	36	29	10	NP	NP	NP	214
Retired from regular work	7	7	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	24
Total nurses and midwives	5,316	4,531	3,521	1,690	1,160	395	341	237	17,191

NP = not published

Table 7.17: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2020

Year 2020	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	5,347	4,548	3,588	1,536	1,256	352	336	243	17,206
Employed in nursing or midwifery	4,550	3,692	3,063	1,202	974	294	257	182	14,214
On extended leave	137	98	69	37	23	NP	11	NP	387
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	660	758	456	297	259	NP	68	NP	2,605
Employed elsewhere	241	263	206	140	109	14	32	38	1,043
Not employed	419	495	250	157	150	35	36	20	1,562
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	298	257	175	118	69	13	17	13	960
Overseas	99	100	48	52	19	0	NP	NP	325
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	192	154	121	65	48	13	12	10	615
Employed elsewhere	97	85	70	33	18	NP	8	NP	319
Not employed	95	69	51	32	30	8	NP	NP	296
Retired from regular work	7	NP	6	NP	NP	0	NP	0	20
Total nurses and midwives	5,645	4,805	3,763	1,654	1,325	365	353	256	18,166

Table 7.18: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2021

Year 2021	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	5,299	4,208	3,631	1,837	1,392	438	339	250	17,394
Employed in nursing or midwifery	4,622	3,739	3,173	1,603	1,187	363	276	211	15,174
On extended leave	145	80	54	51	31	11	NP	NP	381
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	532	389	404	183	174	64	NP	NP	1,839
Employed elsewhere	284	202	218	103	98	23	NP	NP	995
Not employed	248	187	186	80	76	41	NP	NP	844
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	198	242	165	99	47	29	24	NP	807
Overseas	56	70	64	36	20	NP	6	NP	259
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	130	165	94	56	27	NP	16	NP	512
Employed elsewhere	75	100	53	33	16	NP	12	NP	301
Not employed	55	65	41	23	11	NP	NP	NP	211
Retired from regular work	12	7	7	7	-	NP	NP	-	36
Total nurses and midwives	5,497	4,450	3,796	1,936	1,439	467	363	253	18,201

NP = not published

Table 7.19: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2022

Year 2022	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	5274	4489	3848	1924	1619	500	282	227	18,163
Employed in nursing or midwifery	4776	4185	3496	1799	1472	468	261	198	16,655
On extended leave	163	99	111	40	46	13	NP	NP	482
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	335	205	241	85	101	19	NP	NP	1,026
Employed elsewhere	160	105	139	39	53	9	NP	NP	528
Not employed	175	100	102	46	48	10	NP	NP	498
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	439	335	272	108	99	29	28	16	1,326
Overseas	57	53	34	13	11	NP	NP	NP	175
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	285	239	187	80	69	NP	23	NP	913
Employed elsewhere	171	150	108	37	36	NP	16	NP	533
Not employed	114	89	79	43	33	NP	7	NP	380
Retired from regular work	97	43	51	15	19	NP	NP	0	238
Total nurses and midwives	5,713	4,824	4,120	2,032	1,718	529	310	243	19,489

Table 7.20: All new registrants with registered nurse division registration by workforce status, 2023

Year 2023	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	6,213	5,171	4,027	2,175	1,569	456	445	268	20,324
Employed in nursing or midwifery	5,659	4,778	3,669	2,010	1,445	427	414	228	18,630
On extended leave	150	116	82	42	26	9	10	9	444
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	404	277	276	123	98	20	21	31	1,250
Employed elsewhere	195	125	126	53	34	NP	NP	15	563
Not employed	209	152	150	70	64	NP	NP	16	687
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	730	522	446	211	144	50	47	15	2,165
Overseas	99	90	51	31	16	NP	NP	NP	296
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	417	334	282	140	91	40	27	11	1,342
Employed elsewhere	258	193	167	80	51	22	NP	NP	793
Not employed	159	141	115	60	40	18	NP	NP	549
Retired from regular work	214	98	113	40	37	NP	NP	NP	527
Total nurses and midwives	6,943	5,693	4,473	2,386	1,713	506	492	283	22,489

NP = not published

Table 7.21: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2014

Year 2014	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	817	1,467	1,162	460	541	131	39	NP	4,617
Employed in nursing or midwifery	710	1,223	937	390	412	111	35	15	3,833
On extended leave	18	48	23	10	15	NP	NP	NP	114
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	89	196	202	60	114	NP	NP	NP	661
Employed elsewhere	36	99	94	23	77	6	NP	NP	335
Not employed	53	97	108	37	37	10	NP	0	342
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	38	115	69	31	15	NP	NP	NP	268
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	35	108	61	28	13	NP	NP	NP	245
Employed elsewhere	16	56	38	15	6	NP	NP	0	131
Not employed	19	52	23	13	7	NP	0	NP	114
Retired from regular work	0	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	0
Total nurses and midwives	855	1,582	1,231	491	556	135	41	20	4,911

Table 7.22: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2015

Year 2015	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	888	1,362	1,132	506	503	79	40	23	4,533
Employed in nursing or midwifery	758	1,088	911	396	372	73	34	18	3,650
On extended leave	19	43	32	NP	7	0	NP	NP	101
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	111	231	189	NP	124	NP	NP	NP	655
Employed elsewhere	49	102	90	59	67	NP	NP	NP	367
Not employed	62	129	99	47	57	NP	NP	NP	394
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	47	137	62	29	17	NP	0	6	298
Overseas	0	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	0
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	46	128	55	28	15	NP	0	6	278
Employed elsewhere	27	74	29	16	10	NP	0	6	162
Not employed	19	54	26	12	NP	NP	0	0	111
Retired from regular work	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0	0	0
Total nurses and midwives	935	1,499	1,194	535	520	84	40	29	4,836

NP = not published

Table 7.23: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2016

Year 2016	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	1,052	1,601	1,247	427	633	91	55	27	5,133
Employed in nursing or midwifery	853	1,298	983	324	430	72	49	24	4,033
On extended leave	26	39	21	17	16	NP	NP	NP	119
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	173	264	243	86	187	NP	NP	NP	953
Employed elsewhere	79	132	120	49	124	11	NP	NP	515
Not employed	94	132	123	37	63	6	NP	0	455
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	38	161	76	40	33	NP	NP	NP	348
Overseas	6	9	10	NP	NP	0	0	0	25
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	30	147	66	35	31	NP	NP	NP	309
Employed elsewhere	14	88	35	19	15	NP	0	NP	171
Not employed	16	59	31	16	16	NP	NP	0	138
Retired from regular work	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0	0	0	0
Total nurses and midwives	1,090	1,762	1,323	467	666	94	58	30	5,490

Table 7.24: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2017

Year 2017	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	1,015	1,595	1,233	435	547	116	74	25	5,040
Employed in nursing or midwifery	830	1,272	937	313	363	103	68	23	3,909
On extended leave	26	42	27	8	21	NP	NP	NP	124
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	159	281	269	114	163	NP	NP	NP	986
Employed elsewhere	88	174	126	64	127	NP	NP	0	579
Not employed	71	107	143	50	36	6	NP	NP	413
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	76	146	87	33	46	NP	NP	NP	388
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0	0	0
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	74	144	83	33	44	NP	NP	NP	378
Employed elsewhere	54	93	43	20	25	NP	NP	NP	235
Not employed	20	51	40	13	19	NP	0	NP	143
Retired from regular work	0	NP	0	0	NP	0	0	0	0
Total nurses and midwives	1,091	1,741	1,320	468	593	119	79	27	5,438

NP = not published

Table 7.25: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2018

Year 2018	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	1,094	2,252	1,457	656	669	168	68	31	6,395
Employed in nursing or midwifery	903	1,732	1,091	465	530	146	63	22	4,952
On extended leave	31	65	36	9	19	NP	NP	NP	160
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	160	455	330	182	120	NP	NP	NP	1,247
Employed elsewhere	74	256	168	103	69	8	NP	7	685
Not employed	86	199	162	79	51	11	NP	NP	588
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	71	211	84	64	48	10	NP	NP	488
Overseas	6	NP	0	NP	NP	0	0	0	6
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	58	203	82	57	44	9	NP	NP	453
Employed elsewhere	32	118	42	31	32	NP	NP	NP	255
Not employed	26	85	40	26	12	7	NP	0	194
Retired from regular work	7	7	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0	14
Total nurses and midwives	1,165	2,463	1,541	720	717	178	73	33	6,890

Table 7.26: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2019

Year 2019	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	1,091	1,666	1,176	495	563	83	59	NP	5,133
Employed in nursing or midwifery	902	1,360	912	374	443	71	50	24	4,136
On extended leave	35	57	33	12	17	NP	NP	0	154
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	154	249	231	109	103	NP	NP	NP	846
Employed elsewhere	92	139	132	60	62	NP	6	NP	491
Not employed	62	110	99	49	41	7	NP	NP	368
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	63	126	76	47	27	0	NP	NP	339
Overseas	NP	9	12	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	21
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	56	116	59	41	24	0	NP	0	296
Employed elsewhere	36	71	37	23	13	0	NP	0	180
Not employed	20	45	22	18	11	0	NP	0	116
Retired from regular work	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	0	0
Total nurses and midwives	1,154	1,792	1,252	542	590	83	63	33	5,509

NP = not published

Table 7.27: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2020

Year 2020	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	1,281	1,971	1,303	578	622	143	103	20	6,021
Employed in nursing or midwifery	963	1,330	909	398	425	110	64	13	4,212
On extended leave	34	53	30	17	30	NP	NP	NP	164
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	284	588	364	163	167	NP	NP	NP	1,566
Employed elsewhere	125	335	178	88	90	13	17	NP	846
Not employed	159	253	186	75	77	16	21	NP	787
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	89	213	104	50	49	9	NP	NP	514
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	0	0
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	86	204	98	47	46	8	NP	NP	489
Employed elsewhere	38	108	49	32	26	NP	NP	NP	253
Not employed	48	96	49	15	20	NP	NP	0	228
Retired from regular work	NP	7	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	7
Total nurses and midwives	1,370	2,184	1,407	628	671	152	107	22	6,541

Table 7.28: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2021

Year 2021	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	1,489	2,299	1,517	628	716	141	188	27	7,005
Employed in nursing or midwifery	1,111	1,747	1,142	491	548	118	93	14	5,264
On extended leave	57	53	36	12	32	-	8	-	198
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	321	499	339	125	136	23	87	13	1,543
Employed elsewhere	192	307	197	90	92	11	48	13	950
Not employed	129	192	142	35	44	12	39	-	593
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	98	208	145	51	50	6	NP	NP	565
Overseas	NP	23	15	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	69
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	83	179	130	NP	35	6	NP	NP	484
Employed elsewhere	48	109	78	26	14	NP	NP	NP	284
Not employed	35	70	52	20	21	NP	-	-	200
Retired from regular work	NP	6	-	-	NP	-	-	-	12
Total nurses and midwives	1,587	2,507	1,662	679	766	147	193	29	7,570

NP = not published

Table 7.29: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2022

Year 2022	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	1220	1982	1477	716	752	NP	NP	NP	6,427
Employed in nursing or midwifery	997	1574	1240	614	622	106	102	23	5,278
On extended leave	30	80	45	19	24	NP	NP	NP	203
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	193	328	192	83	106	NP	36	NP	946
Employed elsewhere	115	201	114	43	69	NP	31	NP	576
Not employed	78	127	78	40	37	NP	NP	0	370
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	150	195	117	49	66	NP	NP	NP	596
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	12
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	138	181	103	43	58	NP	NP	NP	540
Employed elsewhere	92	108	55	24	36	NP	NP	NP	325
Not employed	46	73	48	19	22	NP	NP	0	215
Retired from regular work	8	12	10	NP	7	0	NP	0	44
Total nurses and midwives	1,370	2,177	1,594	765	818	119	151	29	7,023

Table 7.30: All new registrants with enrolled nurse division registration by workforce status, 2023

Year 2023	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	1,475	2,492	1,608	695	1,037	202	121	33	7,663
Employed in nursing or midwifery	1,184	1,983	1,316	551	872	170	106	28	6,210
On extended leave	43	71	53	22	30	NP	NP	NP	229
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	248	438	239	122	135	NP	NP	NP	1,224
Employed elsewhere	145	264	146	85	103	14	NP	NP	766
Not employed	103	174	93	37	32	NP	NP	NP	458
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	143	263	182	105	80	NP	16	NP	804
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	18
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	127	241	158	95	70	NP	9	NP	713
Employed elsewhere	81	160	101	59	46	7	NP	NP	465
Not employed	46	81	57	36	24	NP	NP	-	248
Total nurses and midwives	1,618	2,755	1,790	800	1,117	212	137	38	8,467

NP = not published

Table 7.31: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2014

Year 2014	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	174	182	154	49	NP	NP	NP	15	574
Employed in nursing or midwifery	167	170	136	45	56	NP	NP	12	586
On extended leave	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	NP	0
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	0
Employed elsewhere	0	NP	6	0	NP	0	0	0	6
Not employed	NP	NP	9	NP	6	0	0	NP	15
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	8	6	6	7	NP	0	NP	0	27
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	6	0	0	0	0	6
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0
Employed elsewhere	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0	0	0
Not employed	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0	NP	0	0
Total nurses and midwives	182	188	160	56	66	NP	19	15	686

Table 7.32: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2015

Year 2015	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	125	205	176	52	53	6	NP	NP	617
Employed in nursing or midwifery	120	195	163	49	48	6	NP	NP	581
On extended leave	NP	NP	7	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	7
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	NP	6	NP	NP	0	0	0	6
Employed elsewhere	NP	NP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Not employed	NP	NP	6	NP	NP	0	0	0	6
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	NP	16	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	16
Overseas	NP	0	0	NP	0	0	NP	0	0
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	16	NP	NP	NP	0	0	NP	16
Employed elsewhere	NP	9	NP	0	NP	0	0	0	9
Not employed	0	7	NP	NP	0	0	0	NP	7
Total nurses and midwives	130	221	181	57	55	6	23	15	688

NP = not published

Table 7.33: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2016

Year 2016	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	133	210	168	NP	59	NP	20	17	607
Employed in nursing or midwifery	128	196	153	56	45	NP	20	17	615
On extended leave	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	0	0
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	NP	NP	NP	14	NP	0	0	14
Employed elsewhere	NP	6	NP	NP	7	NP	0	0	13
Not employed	NP	6	7	NP	7	0	0	0	20
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	14	20	9	NP	6	0	NP	0	49
Overseas	7	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	7
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	6	15	NP	0	NP	0	NP	0	21
Employed elsewhere	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0	0	0
Not employed	NP	10	NP	0	NP	0	NP	0	10
Total nurses and midwives	147	230	177	62	NP	NP	23	17	656

Table 7.34: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2017

Year 2017	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	178	241	234	NP	78	NP	NP	NP	731
Employed in nursing or midwifery	172	226	191	49	55	NP	15	14	722
On extended leave	0	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	0
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	6	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	6
Employed elsewhere	NP	NP	17	0	NP	0	NP	NP	17
Not employed	NP	NP	24	0	16	0	NP	NP	40
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	10	17	13	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	40
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	NP	0
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	14	9	0	NP	0	NP	NP	23
Employed elsewhere	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	NP	NP	0
Not employed	NP	9	6	0	NP	0	0	0	15
Total nurses and midwives	188	258	247	51	83	NP	18	19	864

NP = not published

Table 7.35: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2018

Year 2018	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	188	267	254	43	82	8	NP	NP	842
Employed in nursing or midwifery	183	251	218	39	70	7	23	10	801
On extended leave	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	0
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0
Employed elsewhere	NP	NP	14	0	7	NP	0	NP	21
Not employed	NP	7	19	NP	NP	0	0	NP	26
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	11	20	12	NP	6	NP	NP	NP	49
Overseas	6	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	6
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	15	9	NP	NP	0	NP	NP	24
Employed elsewhere	NP	9	NP	0	NP	0	0	NP	9
Not employed	NP	6	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	6
Total nurses and midwives	199	287	266	47	88	NP	27	15	929

Table 7.36: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2019

Year 2019	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	NP	291	226	NP	NP	NP	18	18	553
Employed in nursing or midwifery	181	266	180	37	57	NP	18	17	756
On extended leave	NP	9	6	NP	0	0	0	0	15
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	16	40	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	56
Employed elsewhere	NP	12	18	0	NP	0	0	NP	30
Not employed	0	NP	22	NP	0	NP	0	0	22
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	NP	20	12	NP	NP	NP	0	0	32
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	15	10	NP	NP	NP	0	0	25
Employed elsewhere	NP	7	7	NP	0	NP	0	0	14
Not employed	NP	8	NP	0	NP	0	0	0	8
Total nurses and midwives	190	311	238	47	62	8	18	18	892

NP = not published

Table 7.37: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2020

Year 2020	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	189	286	215	NP	71	NP	23	8	792
Employed in nursing or midwifery	182	265	200	55	65	NP	23	8	798
On extended leave	NP	6	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	6
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	15	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	15
Employed elsewhere	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	0
Not employed	NP	10	10	NP	NP	0	0	0	20
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	9	23	6	NP	0	0	0	0	38
Overseas	NP	NP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	18	6	NP	0	0	0	0	24
Employed elsewhere	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	0	0	0
Not employed	NP	13	NP	NP	0	0	0	0	13
Total nurses and midwives	198	309	221	60	71	NP	23	8	890

Table 7.38: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2021

Year 2021	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	172	266	218	43	89	9	23	15	835
Employed in nursing or midwifery	162	247	196	40	77	7	22	13	764
On extended leave	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	15
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	7	16	19	NP	11	NP	-	-	56
Employed elsewhere	NP	7	9	NP	NP	-	-	-	22
Not employed	NP	9	10	NP	NP	NP	-	-	34
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	9	18	13	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	48
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-	-	-	NP
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	NP	16	11	-	NP	NP	NP	-	39
Employed elsewhere	NP	12	6	-	-	-	NP	-	22
Not employed	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	-	17
Total nurses and midwives	181	284	231	44	91	10	27	15	883

NP = not published

Table 7.39: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2022

Year 2022	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	240	380	263	64	NP	NP	NP	NP	1,106
Employed in nursing or midwifery	219	336	238	56	84	15	31	10	989
On extended leave	NP	10	9	NP	NP	0	0	0	29
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	17	34	16	NP	7	NP	NP	NP	88
Employed elsewhere	NP	12	11	NP	6	NP	NP	NP	47
Not employed	10	22	NP	NP	NP	0	NP	0	41
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	21	7	18	8	NP	NP	NP	NP	63
Overseas	NP	0	0	NP	0	0	NP	0	7
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	8	NP	17	NP	0	0	NP	NP	33
Employed elsewhere	NP	0	10	NP	0	0	NP	0	16
Not employed	NP	NP	7	NP	0	0	0	NP	17
Retired from regular work	11	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	0	0	23
Total nurses and midwives	261	387	281	72	96	20	39	13	1,169

Table 7.40: All new registrants with midwife registration by workforce status, 2023

Year 2023	State								
Type of accreditation	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
In the nursing and midwifery workforce	277	400	309	126	120	20	24	15	1,291
Employed in nursing or midwifery	263	373	290	121	111	16	NP	15	1,212
On extended leave	7	9	9	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	33
Looking for work in nursing or midwifery	7	18	10	NP	NP	NP	-	-	46
Employed elsewhere	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	-	-	-	13
Not employed	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-	33
Not in the nursing or midwifery workforce	56	51	45	16	24	NP	9	NP	207
Overseas	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	14
Not looking for work in nursing or midwifery	28	33	25	10	16	NP	NP	NP	117
Employed elsewhere	17	14	13	NP	6	NP	NP	NP	59
Not employed	11	19	12	NP	10	-	NP	-	58
Retired from regular work	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	76
Total nurses and midwives	333	451	354	142	144	24	33	17	1,498

NP = not published

Tables 7.1-7.40 Source: NHWDS Nursing and Midwifery Practitioners, 2013-2023

"All" figures exclude registrants where State / location data is missing

For further information on these tables, refer to the 'Notes' sheet

PART 8 - EMPLOYED NEW REGISTRANTS WHERE INITIAL QUALIFICATION IN AUSTRALIA

Employed new registrants - All Nurses and Midwives

Table 8.1: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, all nurses and midwives, Australia, 2015-2023

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	9,336	10,848	11,017	11,482	11,369	11,939	14,522	14,529	17,457
Average weekly hours worked	34.3	34.3	33.7	33.8	34.0	33.2	33.8	35.6	35.3
FTE	8,428.2	9,796.3	9,782.7	10,225.4	10,159.9	0,422.3	12,931.1	3,598.1	16,197.4
FTE rate	289.7	336.4	326.1	339.5	331.3	338.2	431.3	462.4	532.6
Number with public sector hours	5,945	6,884	7,049	7,352	7,348	7,674	8,678	9,287	11,180
Number with private sector hours	3,634	4,215	4,226	4,367	4,276	4,510	6,243	5,724	6,778
Part time (percent)	54.9	54.5	58.9	60.3	60.4	63.7	62.2	57.9	59.3
Women (percent)	89.1	88.1	88.4	87.9	87.6	87.7	87.8	87.6	87.4
Indigenous (percent)	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.5	1.9	2.2
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	4,211	4,780	4,970	5,240	5,200	5,453	6,710	6,517	7,399
Aged 25–34 (number)	2,926	3,514	3,575	3,789	3,830	3,897	4,527	4,539	5,771
Aged 35–44 (number)	1,347	1,604	1,539	1,535	1,540	1,689	2,008	1,956	2,262
Aged 45–54 (number)	689	780	771	716	659	728	871	856	1,014
Aged 55+ (number)	163	170	162	202	140	172	406	661	1,011
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	6,899	7,973	7,927	8,291	8,177	8,505	10,343	10,475	12,917
Number in Inner regional areas	1,590	1,869	1,978	2,052	2,123	2,227	2,781	2,613	2,973
Number in Outer regional areas	699	836	904	928	871	990	1,176	1,177	1,309
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	148	170	208	211	NP	217	222	264	258
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.2: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics - All Nurses and Midwives, New South Wales, 2015-2023

New South Wales									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	2,676	3,164	3,323	3,324	3,353	3,464	3,994	3,678	4,681
Average weekly hours worked	36.4	36.4	36.3	36.5	36.7	36.1	36.2	37.4	37.2
FTE	2,565.8	3,034.6	3,178.2	3,192.3	3,240.8	3,288.0	3,809.7	3,618.0	4,583.2
FTE rate	33.7	39.2	40.4	40	40.1	40.3	47.1	44.3	54.9
Number with public sector hours	1,769	2,085	2,244	2,229	2,324	2,345	2,503	2,345	3,151
Number with private sector hours	973	1,135	1,134	1,144	1,080	1,179	1,577	1,427	1,652
Part time (percent)	31.9	31.9	32.6	32.6	31.9	35.9	38.1	35.3	36.1
Women (percent)	86.4	84.8	86.1	86.3	85.9	86.8	87.1	87.1	87.6
Indigenous (percent)	2.8	2.5	3.0	3.0	3.3	3.5	3.2	2.2	3.0
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	1,108	1,266	1,364	1,475	1,455	1,547	1,820	1,640	2,034
Aged 25–34 (number)	924	1,122	1,203	1,157	1,223	1,152	1,279	1,150	1,501
Aged 35–44 (number)	385	497	484	436	427	489	543	447	567
Aged 45–54 (number)	217	230	223	193	207	225	231	223	260
Aged 55+ (number)	42	49	49	63	41	51	121	218	319
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	2,086	2,427	2,546	2,585	2,574	2,664	3,017	2,830	3,664
Number in Inner regional areas	472	592	594	566	624	629	779	687	842
Number in Outer regional areas	109	124	158	151	138	152	184	146	157
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	9	21	25	22	NP	19	14	15	18
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.3: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, All Nurses and Midwives, Victoria, 2015-2023

Victoria									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	2,419	2,865	2,974	3,157	3,126	3,186	3,814	3,827	4,549
Average weekly hours worked	32.8	32.7	31.8	32.1	32.2	31.8	32.5	34.3	34.2
FTE	2,090.0	2,463.4	2,492.2	2,664.4	2,652.6	2,668.8	3,259.9	3,449.9	4,095.5
FTE rate	34.7	39.9	39.6	41.5	40.6	40.4	49.8	52.1	60.1
Number with public sector hours	1,627	1,854	1,941	2,064	2,165	2,153	2,465	2,618	3,025
Number with private sector hours	845	1,095	1,121	1,158	1,022	1,088	1,468	1,328	1,674
Part time (percent)	67.0	66.5	75.9	77.5	78.1	80.8	77.0	69.8	71.0
Women (percent)	90.5	88.7	89.2	87.6	89.0	88.7	89.0	88.6	87.0
Indigenous (percent)	0.8	0.7	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.3	0.9	1.0
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	1,247	1,473	1,549	1,599	1,581	1,566	1,926	1,966	2,095
Aged 25–34 (number)	713	870	895	1,007	1,022	1,037	1,100	1,076	1,453
Aged 35–44 (number)	275	342	343	347	366	387	473	440	555
Aged 45–54 (number)	138	151	153	158	125	152	214	195	240
Aged 55+ (number)	46	29	34	46	32	44	101	150	206
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	1,842	2,196	2,237	2,346	2,354	2,358	2,826	2,950	3,514
Number in Inner regional areas	483	547	600	689	658	689	843	738	883
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	122	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	152
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.4: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics - All Nurses and Midwives, Queensland, 2015-2023

Queensland									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	2,144	2,550	2,419	2,567	2,498	2,823	3,304	3,249	3,734
Average weekly hours worked	33.3	33.6	32.9	32.6	33.0	31.4	32.7	34.5	33.9
FTE	1,878.7	2,254.5	2,093.3	2,202.7	2,166.3	2,334.9	2,843.5	2,950.0	3,331.2
FTE rate	39.3	46.5	42.5	44.0	42.5	45.1	54.5	55.4	61.0
Number with public sector hours	1,290	1,582	1,416	1,494	1,366	1,684	1,737	1,898	2,164
Number with private sector hours	912	1,034	1,058	1,131	1,198	1,218	1,651	1,482	1,678
Part time (percent)	66.3	65.0	71.6	72.6	72.1	75.4	71.0	67.8	69.4
Women (percent)	89.9	89.7	89.2	89.1	88.2	87.3	88.1	88.1	88.0
Indigenous (percent)	1.6	2.5	2.5	3.5	3.5	2.9	3.1	2.8	3.2
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	906	1,026	1,066	1,130	1,105	1,263	1,463	1,385	1,478
Aged 25–34 (number)	657	828	764	813	812	914	1,013	1,024	1,232
Aged 35–44 (number)	361	406	354	378	374	417	495	488	531
Aged 45–54 (number)	181	230	197	197	172	188	237	210	250
Aged 55+ (number)	39	60	38	49	35	41	96	142	243
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	1,463	1,760	1,567	1,712	1,602	1,801	2,125	2,058	2,567
Number in Inner regional areas	342	387	430	422	487	542	650	642	602
Number in Outer regional areas	286	347	344	358	345	405	457	467	474
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	53	56	78	75	64	75	72	82	91
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.5: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics - All Nurses and Midwives, Western Australia, 2015-2023

Western Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	880	923	947	926	934	906	1,361	1,534	1,792
Average weekly hours worked	36.1	35.5	34.3	34.4	33.0	33.0	33.6	37.0	36.0
FTE	836.4	862.4	854.8	838.5	809.9	786.6	1,203.6	1,493.6	1,699.5
FTE rate	32.9	33.7	33.0	32.0	30.4	28.9	43.8	53.6	59.0
Number with public sector hours	486	495	582	568	560	505	752	963	1,121
Number with private sector hours	413	442	391	379	397	418	658	639	709
Part time (percent)	56.3	58.0	60.3	63.0	66.6	69.0	67.5	58.3	61.8
Women (percent)	92.2	93.6	92.6	91.5	88.8	90.1	87.8	87.5	89.2
Indigenous (percent)	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.7	2.8	2.7	1.9	1.7
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	425	440	433	404	391	397	608	648	758
Aged 25–34 (number)	246	271	260	279	326	277	429	460	563
Aged 35–44 (number)	136	145	151	151	150	147	213	263	284
Aged 45–54 (number)	62	58	84	68	60	72	80	112	98
Aged 55+ (number)	11	9	19	24	7	13	31	51	89
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	757	791	767	736	746	712	1,121	1,273	1,503
Number in Inner regional areas	51	46	63	59	67	64	89	86	104
Number in Outer regional areas	43	56	70	90	73	71	97	90	109
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	29	30	47	41	48	59	54	85	76
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.6: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics - All Nurses and Midwives, South Australia, 2015-2023

South Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	738	744	742	877	835	896	1,249	1,400	1,732
Average weekly hours worked	31.7	32.0	30.9	32.4	32.7	31.5	32.5	34.6	33.8
FTE	615.4	626.7	603.4	747.1	718.6	742.8	1,067.1	1,275.2	1,541.3
FTE rate	36.2	36.6	34.9	42.7	40.6	41.4	59.2	70.0	83.2
Number with public sector hours	444	450	439	604	525	556	715	873	1,060
Number with private sector hours	326	311	322	301	345	362	574	575	720
Part time (percent)	64.1	62.9	70.2	67.2	67.4	70.4	68.9	65.1	71.0
Women (percent)	88.2	88.0	87.5	87.0	86.0	86.5	86.2	84.9	85.6
Indigenous (percent)	1.9	2.2	1.2	1.6	1.8	1.8	1.5	1.2	1.2
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	308	321	315	383	394	408	540	586	658
Aged 25–34 (number)	245	230	249	309	240	288	449	503	660
Aged 35–44 (number)	120	129	111	131	137	142	169	187	212
Aged 45–54 (number)	50	55	56	47	47	47	57	64	104
Aged 55+ (number)	15	9	11	7	17	11	34	60	98
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	608	587	605	704	684	715	979	1,084	1,307
Number in Inner regional areas	48	67	47	61	64	68	128	127	175
Number in Outer regional areas	64	74	76	82	66	89	112	158	210
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	18	16	14	30	21	24	30	31	40
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.7: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics - All Nurses and Midwives, Tasmania, 2015-2023

Tasmania									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	244	281	310	314	292	297	371	415	456
Average weekly hours worked	33.3	33.0	33.4	33.8	34.1	32.8	35.2	36.5	35.8
FTE	214.1	244.2	272.1	279.1	261.8	256.4	344.0	398.2	429.5
FTE rate	41.6	47.2	51.5	51.7	47.4	45.5	60.6	69.7	74.9
Number with public sector hours	150	189	205	178	174	185	210	275	312
Number with private sector hours	103	101	116	144	129	117	169	150	164
Part time (percent)	74.2	75.4	72.9	72.6	75.0	81.5	71.4	64.6	67.8
Women (percent)	92.6	87.9	90.6	89.8	89.4	90.2	88.4	89.4	84.6
Indigenous (percent)	3.7	NP	3.6	3.9	5.8	3.4	3.8	2.2	3.7
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	112	118	117	122	135	130	172	158	174
Aged 25–34 (number)	61	73	86	93	98	84	106	146	164
Aged 35–44 (number)	39	46	54	53	35	51	53	60	55
Aged 45–54 (number)	26	35	NP	38	NP	26	28	30	35
Aged 55+ (number)	6	9	NP	8	NP	6	12	21	28
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Inner regional areas	194	230	244	255	223	235	292	333	367
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	NP	NP	59	NP	NP	NP	72	NP
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	10	NP
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.8: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics - All Nurses and Midwives, Australian Capital Territory, 2015-2023

Australian Capital Territory									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	143	212	205	208	217	255	275	280	362
Average weekly hours worked	37.0	37.4	36.5	36.4	35.3	35.1	34.7	36.0	37.8
FTE	139.3	208.5	197.1	199.1	201.3	235.4	251.1	265.1	360.1
FTE rate	35.2	51.7	47.3	46.3	45.6	52.2	55.4	58.0	77.2
Number with public sector hours	109	147	146	141	147	165	178	207	236
Number with private sector hours	38	67	62	73	74	96	105	83	136
Part time (percent)	30.1	34.0	29.3	37.5	45.6	45.1	48.0	45.4	41.4
Women (percent)	85.3	85.4	83.9	88.0	85.7	85.5	84.7	87.1	86.5
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	NP	NP	3.3	NP	2.6	2.2	2.1
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	66	93	94	88	94	102	128	97	142
Aged 25–34 (number)	45	77	71	78	70	97	95	120	142
Aged 35–44 (number)	20	26	28	26	31	39	32	43	41
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	11	16
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	9	21
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	143	212	205	208	217	255	275	280	362
Number in Inner regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Outer regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.9: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics - All Nurses and Midwives, Northern Territory, 2015-2023

Northern Territory									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	92	109	97	109	114	112	154	146	151
Average weekly hours worked	36.5	35.6	35.9	35.7	36.2	37.1	37.5	38.6	39.5
FTE	88.3	102.0	91.6	102.3	108.6	109.3	152.2	148.2	157.1
FTE rate	36.1	41.5	36.9	41.2	43.8	43.9	61.1	59.2	62.2
Number with public sector hours	70	82	76	74	87	81	118	108	111
Number with private sector hours	24	30	22	37	31	32	41	40	45
Part time (percent)	45.7	48.6	46.4	44.0	44.7	34.8	39.0	27.4	27.2
Women (percent)	89.1	86.2	90.7	86.2	84.2	86.6	86.4	86.3	84.8
Indigenous (percent)	6.6	NP	NP	5.5	NP	NP	3.9	2.1	4.3
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	39	43	32	39	45	40	53	37	60
Aged 25–34 (number)	35	43	47	53	39	48	56	60	56
Aged 35–44 (number)	11	13	14	13	20	17	30	28	17
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	11	11
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	10	7
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Inner regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Outer regional areas	56	66	59	68	71	77	106	106	122
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	36	43	38	41	43	35	48	40	29
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

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**Table 8.10: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia,
Selected statistics, Registered Nurses, Australia, 2015-2023**

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	6,664	7,832	7,966	8,314	8,677	8,936	10,833	11,066	12,840
Average weekly hours worked	35.7	35.7	35.0	35.0	34.9	34.0	34.9	36.3	36.0
FTE	6,266.6	7,367.2	7,341.3	7,661.6	7,962.1	8,002.8	9,946.6	10,561.0	12,162.0
FTE rate	213.8	248.5	241.8	249.2	261.4	256.1	330.2	355.9	404.3
Number with public sector hours	4,599	5,436	5,513	5,766	5,974	6,146	6,955	7,471	8,868
Number with private sector hours	2,206	2,546	2,586	2,672	2,840	2,960	4,153	3,934	4,352
Part time (percent)	49.0	48.4	53.7	55.6	57.3	60.5	58.6	55.3	56.4
Women (percent)	89.0	87.5	88.0	87.6	87.0	86.8	87.4	87.2	87.0
Indigenous (percent)	1.6	1.4	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.3	1.5	1.7
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	3,387	3,836	4,080	4,212	4,342	4,343	5,350	5,347	5,933
Aged 25–34 (number)	2,122	2,583	2,571	2,806	2,939	2,982	3,370	3,384	4,051
Aged 35–44 (number)	783	941	897	902	977	1,126	1,351	1,299	1,482
Aged 45–54 (number)	311	394	340	315	357	397	485	501	578
Aged 55+ (number)	61	78	78	79	62	88	277	535	796
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	5,025	5,910	5,864	6,190	6,352	6,478	7,783	8,109	9,699
Number in Inner regional areas	1,064	1,242	1,341	1,333	1,520	1,540	1,974	1,936	2,016
Number in Outer regional areas	464	544	605	628	648	741	897	832	925
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	111	136	156	163	157	177	179	189	200

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Table 8.11: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Registered nurses, New South Wales, 2015-2023

New South Wales									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	2,096	2,525	2,615	2,653	2,693	2,701	3,118	2,958	3,689
Average weekly hours worked	37.1	37.2	37.1	37.2	37.4	36.8	37.2	38.0	37.8
FTE	2,043.9	2,469.7	2,553.4	2,593.9	2,650.8	2,618.4	3,053.1	2,961.8	3,674.0
FTE rate	26.8	31.9	32.5	32.6	33.0	32.3	37.7	36.3	44.0
Number with public sector hours	1,404	1,701	1,788	1,812	1,912	1,833	1,986	1,908	2,545
Number with private sector hours	736	862	861	868	816	914	1,190	1,122	1,243
Part time (percent)	27.7	27.2	27.7	27.8	27.4	30.6	32.1	31.0	31.7
Women (percent)	86.3	83.7	85.1	85.7	85.3	85.6	86.4	86.5	87.4
Indigenous (percent)	2.1	1.7	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.9	2.9	1.9	2.4
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	919	1,069	1,156	1,251	1,233	1,230	1,434	1,346	1,651
Aged 25–34 (number)	764	924	963	965	1,009	938	1,040	951	1,163
Aged 35–44 (number)	267	357	351	294	311	361	397	339	429
Aged 45–54 (number)	120	143	112	108	117	142	155	137	177
Aged 55+ (number)	26	32	33	35	23	30	92	185	269
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	1,704	2,010	2,078	2,127	2,121	2,121	2,396	2,331	2,940
Number in Inner regional areas	324	411	417	405	454	451	568	515	621
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	86	102	101	102	113	143	101	116
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	18	18	20	16	16	11	11	12

NP = not published

Table 8.12: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Registered nurses, Victoria, 2015-2023

Victoria									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	1,663	1,956	2,019	2,162	2,334	2,320	2,792	2,870	3,171
Average weekly hours worked	35.3	34.9	33.6	33.7	33.3	32.9	33.6	35.2	35.3
FTE	1,543.7	1,797.0	1,784.6	1,918.8	2,045.4	2,007.2	2,466.8	2,662.1	2,942.7
FTE rate	25.6	29.1	28.3	29.9	31.3	30.4	37.7	40.2	43.2
Number with public sector hours	1,271	1,457	1,516	1,649	1,786	1,783	2,020	2,128	2,350
Number with private sector hours	415	543	538	540	574	575	848	819	928
Part time (percent)	59.7	59.6	72.8	75.9	77.7	80.6	75.9	68.5	69.3
Women (percent)	91.3	89.1	89.5	87.9	88.6	88.5	88.7	88.2	86.8
Indigenous (percent)	0.8	0.6	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.2	0.9	0.7
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	1,007	1,150	1,236	1,246	1,319	1,261	1,518	1,645	1,665
Aged 25–34 (number)	480	580	582	685	752	751	817	761	910
Aged 35–44 (number)	119	155	149	176	205	230	295	259	328
Aged 45–54 (number)	46	62	39	41	48	64	97	95	110
Aged 55+ (number)	11	9	13	14	10	14	65	110	158
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	1,320	1,559	1,590	1,691	1,843	1,770	2,165	2,286	2,587
Number in Inner regional areas	286	324	359	394	418	456	542	499	505
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	73	70	NP	NP	NP	NP	85	79
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	-	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.13: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Registered nurses, Queensland, 2015-2023

Queensland									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	1,475	1,781	1,726	1,831	1,903	2,160	2,469	2,443	2,719
Average weekly hours worked	34.4	34.8	33.9	33.4	33.8	32.0	33.8	34.8	34.4
FTE	1,336.7	1,631.5	1,537.8	1,609.4	1,691.2	1,819.8	2,197.9	2,236.5	2,460.6
FTE rate	28.0	33.7	31.2	32.1	33.2	35.2	42.1	42.0	45.1
Number with public sector hours	970	1,251	1,127	1,169	1,140	1,414	1,421	1,532	1,734
Number with private sector hours	540	571	629	693	805	803	1,108	1,003	1,067
Part time (percent)	63.3	60.9	68.7	70.7	69.9	73.9	68.6	67.0	68.9
Women (percent)	90.0	88.9	89.3	89.2	87.3	86.0	87.6	87.2	86.7
Indigenous (percent)	1.8	1.8	2.2	3.0	3.3	3.0	2.7	2.2	2.4
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	722	814	875	912	932	1,035	1,193	1,124	1,162
Aged 25–34 (number)	442	604	533	591	608	702	744	767	903
Aged 35–44 (number)	214	228	205	216	244	288	334	313	342
Aged 45–54 (number)	84	112	97	94	105	106	134	123	135
Aged 55+ (number)	13	23	16	18	14	29	64	116	177
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	979	1,237	1,077	1,211	1,186	1,359	1,520	1,530	1,828
Number in Inner regional areas	248	266	323	300	382	405	507	500	451
Number in Outer regional areas	205	230	260	263	281	327	380	346	364
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	43	48	66	57	54	69	62	67	76

NP = not published

Table 8.14: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Registered nurses, Western Australia, 2015-2023

Western Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	602	678	695	637	689	648	1,031	1,179	1,378
Average weekly hours worked	37.2	36.3	35.2	35.5	33.7	33.5	33.9	37.5	36.3
FTE	589.9	648.2	643.4	594.9	611.1	570.5	920.7	1,162.4	1,315.3
FTE rate	23.2	25.4	24.9	22.7	22.9	21.0	33.5	41.7	45.7
Number with public sector hours	380	390	455	413	428	379	606	784	901
Number with private sector hours	237	298	258	233	274	282	463	444	507
Part time (percent)	50.5	53.4	55.0	58.6	64.3	66.0	66.0	56.3	60.7
Women (percent)	90.7	93.7	92.4	90.9	89.1	89.8	88.0	87.6	88.5
Indigenous (percent)	1.5	1.5	2.0	1.9	1.3	2.2	2.0	1.1	1.1
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	318	345	361	299	308	291	486	524	630
Aged 25–34 (number)	170	209	194	205	253	213	319	351	430
Aged 35–44 (number)	80	89	89	95	91	98	158	188	192
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	44	31	NP	NP	47	76	56
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	NP	7	7	NP	NP	21	40	70
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	521	587	585	518	561	511	850	996	1,165
Number in Inner regional areas	36	37	35	36	49	45	74	70	79
Number in Outer regional areas	24	28	42	49	45	45	65	59	74
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	21	26	33	34	34	47	42	54	60

NP = not published

Table 8.15: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Registered nurses, South Australia, 2015-2023

South Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	472	448	464	591	547	628	841	992	1,130
Average weekly hours worked	33.8	34.3	33.0	34.1	34.2	33.0	33.8	35.1	34.3
FTE	420.4	404.6	403.4	529.6	492.3	545.7	747.1	915.3	1,021.3
FTE rate	24.7	23.6	23.3	30.3	27.8	30.4	41.4	50.3	55.1
Number with public sector hours	312	322	298	421	376	407	526	666	785
Number with private sector hours	176	133	176	189	182	231	346	359	378
Part time (percent)	55.1	54.0	61.6	59.7	64.0	66.9	65.6	65.1	70.0
Women (percent)	87.3	87.7	87.1	86.0	85.2	85.8	85.9	85.4	86.1
Indigenous (percent)	NP	1.6	NP	2.1	1.7	1.4	1.7	0.7	1.2
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	236	241	241	306	305	308	433	476	513
Aged 25–34 (number)	154	124	153	193	143	201	261	315	366
Aged 35–44 (number)	61	59	40	69	64	91	95	116	113
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	18	NP	NP	26	22	31	35	66
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	6	NP	NP	9	6	21	50	72
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	401	365	392	494	466	532	672	788	888
Number in Inner regional areas	23	30	NP	32	28	30	72	83	93
Number in Outer regional areas	38	44	46	50	42	53	78	103	125
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	10	9	NP	15	11	13	19	18	24

NP = not published

Table 8.16: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Registered nurses, Tasmania, 2015-2023

Tasmania									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	182	213	230	203	241	200	263	324	336
Average weekly hours worked	34.0	33.3	34.4	35.3	34.2	33.6	36.4	36.9	36.3
FTE	162.6	186.8	208.5	188.8	217.1	176.8	252.1	314.9	321.1
FTE rate	31.6	36.1	39.5	35.0	39.3	31.4	44.4	55.2	56.0
Number with public sector hours	125	153	163	140	147	142	171	230	259
Number with private sector hours	60	67	71	68	99	59	95	100	92
Part time (percent)	74.2	77.9	71.3	68.5	76.3	81.0	70.3	64.5	69.9
Women (percent)	93.4	87.3	89.6	90.1	89.2	90.5	90.1	88.5	84.2
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	2.7	4.0	5.0	4.0	3.8	NP	3.4
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	98	106	111	97	124	108	147	139	144
Aged 25–34 (number)	48	55	62	61	81	59	75	117	116
Aged 35–44 (number)	27	31	36	28	24	20	29	35	33
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	6	17	19
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	6	16	24
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Inner regional areas	147	174	186	166	189	153	211	269	267
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	NP	NP	37	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP

NP = not published

Table 8.17: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Registered nurses, Australian Capital Territory, 2015-2023

Australian Capital Territory									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	100	152	142	149	175	185	180	178	291
Average weekly hours worked	37.4	38.8	37.0	36.7	35.2	35.1	35.7	38.8	38.8
FTE	98.5	155.2	138.4	143.8	161.9	171.1	169.0	181.6	296.9
FTE rate	24.9	38.5	33.2	33.4	36.7	38.0	37.3	39.8	63.6
Number with public sector hours	76	101	103	98	111	117	118	132	200
Number with private sector hours	28	53	41	55	67	73	68	54	100
Part time (percent)	26.0	25.7	26.1	34.2	43.4	41.6	41.1	32.6	36.1
Women (percent)	85.0	86.2	81.7	86.6	85.7	83.8	84.4	86.0	85.2
Indigenous (percent)	-	NP	NP	NP	3.5	NP	NP	NP	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	52	77	72	67	82	78	89	62	119
Aged 25–34 (number)	36	54	49	61	58	76	63	74	111
Aged 35–44 (number)	9	13	16	16	23	24	17	25	32
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	9	10
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	8	19
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	100	152	142	149	175	185	180	178	291
Number in Inner regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Outer regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.18: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Registered nurses, Northern Territory, 2015-2023

Northern Territory									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	74	79	75	88	95	94	139	122	126
Average weekly hours worked	36.3	35.7	36.3	35.5	36.9	37.7	38.2	39.4	39.2
FTE	70.7	74.2	71.7	82.3	92.2	93.3	139.8	126.4	130.1
FTE rate	28.9	30.2	28.9	33.1	37.2	37.5	56.1	50.5	51.5
Number with public sector hours	61	61	63	64	74	71	107	91	94
Number with private sector hours	14	19	12	26	23	23	35	33	37
Part time (percent)	47.3	53.2	41.3	40.9	41.1	30.9	35.3	21.3	26.2
Women (percent)	89.2	83.5	89.3	84.1	84.2	87.2	84.9	84.4	85.7
Indigenous (percent)	8.2	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	4.4	NP	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	35	34	28	34	39	32	50	31	49
Aged 25–34 (number)	28	33	35	45	35	42	51	48	52
Aged 35–44 (number)	6	NP	NP	NP	15	14	26	24	13
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	9	NP
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	-	-	-	NP	NP	NP	10	NP
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Inner regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Outer regional areas	44	47	44	52	56	64	96	86	101
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	30	32	31	36	39	30	43	36	25

NP = not published

Employed new registrants - Enrolled Nurses

Table 8.19: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, Australia, 2015-2023

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	2,380	2,684	2,700	2,779	2,308	2,601	3,354	3,082	4,156
Average weekly hours worked	30.4	30.2	29.9	30.3	30.5	30.1	30.4	33.1	33.1
FTE	1,904.1	2,133.7	2,125.0	2,216.6	1,854.0	2,061.6	2,687.5	2,684.4	3,621.6
FTE rate	63.8	74.9	72.2	78.3	57.5	68.3	89.1	91.7	112.8
Number with public sector hours	1,074	1,136	1,202	1,219	1,014	1,153	1,397	1,476	1,887
Number with private sector hours	1,408	1,648	1,619	1,669	1,407	1,522	2,078	1,739	2,384
Part time (percent)	70.7	71.4	74.0	74.0	71.5	73.9	73.5	66.8	67.4
Women (percent)	88.0	88.2	88.0	87.1	87.5	88.7	87.8	87.7	87.2
Indigenous (percent)	2.6	3.5	3.1	3.3	3.8	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.4
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	723	843	766	890	717	954	1,222	1,003	1,262
Aged 25–34 (number)	723	810	882	855	768	786	1,063	1,061	1,589
Aged 35–44 (number)	476	580	569	536	467	473	585	583	709
Aged 45–54 (number)	364	361	403	379	279	307	364	327	398
Aged 55+ (number)	94	90	80	119	77	81	120	108	198
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	1,649	1,796	1,777	1,793	1,537	1,714	2,315	2,060	2,846
Number in Inner regional areas	486	589	596	665	539	625	745	625	902
Number in Outer regional areas	211	268	281	279	200	228	259	327	352
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	34	31	46	42	31	34	35	70	56
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.20: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, New South Wales, 2015-2023

New South Wales									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	499	540	575	523	532	621	750	595	851
Average weekly hours worked	33.7	33.0	32.9	33.0	33.2	32.5	32.2	34.2	34.5
FTE	442.8	468.5	497.1	454.8	465.0	530.5	634.9	535.0	772.2
FTE rate	5.8	6.1	6.3	5.7	5.8	6.6	7.8	6.6	9.3
Number with public sector hours	289	290	327	282	289	379	400	326	475
Number with private sector hours	231	268	268	263	259	256	377	290	395
Part time (percent)	51.1	54.3	54.8	57.0	54.1	58.6	62.5	56.1	55.3
Women (percent)	84.8	87.0	87.3	86.0	85.7	89.4	87.9	87.1	86.7
Indigenous (percent)	5.6	6.0	5.4	4.8	6.6	5.4	4.1	3.5	5.0
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	160	164	155	170	172	262	335	237	315
Aged 25–34 (number)	134	166	192	153	175	168	196	174	299
Aged 35–44 (number)	96	117	111	98	84	98	120	84	120
Aged 45–54 (number)	95	77	102	76	84	73	72	74	72
Aged 55+ (number)	14	16	15	26	17	20	27	26	45
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	322	345	358	337	355	425	529	396	610
Number in Inner regional areas	130	157	156	137	146	156	180	152	197
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	NP	54	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	38
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	NP	7	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	6
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.21: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, Victoria, 2015-2023

Victoria									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	696	845	901	937	716	800	994	900	1,319
Average weekly hours worked	27.3	27.5	27.7	28.2	28.6	28.7	29.5	31.2	31.9
FTE	499.9	610.9	657.8	694.6	538.8	604.5	771.2	738.7	1,107.2
FTE rate	8.3	9.9	10.4	10.8	8.2	9.2	11.8	11.1	16.2
Number with public sector hours	304	335	376	360	310	308	413	443	618
Number with private sector hours	421	549	578	615	440	509	625	498	742
Part time (percent)	82.5	81.5	82.0	80.5	79.1	81.0	79.4	73.4	74.1
Women (percent)	87.6	86.7	87.8	86.1	89.1	88.1	89.1	89.1	86.7
Indigenous (percent)	NP	1.1	1.7	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.3	1.5
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	222	302	296	333	238	282	396	307	407
Aged 25–34 (number)	219	268	292	297	239	260	279	303	532
Aged 35–44 (number)	132	167	181	158	146	145	168	162	215
Aged 45–54 (number)	91	88	111	117	71	84	116	95	122
Aged 55+ (number)	32	20	21	32	22	29	35	33	43
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	469	577	596	605	443	531	639	614	877
Number in Inner regional areas	191	221	239	290	234	226	295	234	373
Number in Outer regional areas	36	47	NP	NP	39	43	NP	NP	69
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	-	-	NP	NP	-	-	NP	NP	-
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.22: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, Queensland, 2015-2023

Queensland									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	594	685	612	641	496	569	740	706	889
Average weekly hours worked	30.7	30.8	30.6	30.6	30.3	29.3	29.2	33.3	32.6
FTE	480.2	554.6	493.0	516.1	395.9	438.0	567.9	619.6	763.5
FTE rate	10.1	11.4	10.0	10.3	7.8	8.5	10.9	11.6	14.0
Number with public sector hours	247	248	213	233	139	186	226	274	316
Number with private sector hours	371	462	421	433	378	403	536	465	600
Part time (percent)	72.4	73.7	77.6	77.2	78.4	80.0	78.2	70.5	69.5
Women (percent)	88.2	90.2	87.4	87.2	89.1	90.0	88.2	89.7	90.2
Indigenous (percent)	1.2	4.8	3.2	5.2	3.9	2.7	4.0	3.6	5.7
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	161	195	163	189	142	200	235	210	255
Aged 25–34 (number)	187	186	209	187	175	178	241	235	296
Aged 35–44 (number)	125	154	128	140	97	101	141	160	167
Aged 45–54 (number)	96	114	91	95	61	78	92	76	109
Aged 55+ (number)	25	36	21	30	21	12	31	25	62
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	429	457	432	434	351	378	537	457	639
Number in Inner regional areas	83	112	97	106	80	115	129	120	136
Number in Outer regional areas	73	108	74	87	55	70	66	116	101
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	9	8	9	14	10	6	8	13	13
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.23: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, Western Australia, 2015-2023

Western Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	263	220	234	270	225	237	322	346	385
Average weekly hours worked	33.6	33.2	31.6	32.1	30.8	31.9	32.4	35.6	35.3
FTE	232.4	192.2	194.9	227.9	182.2	198.9	274.9	323.8	358.0
FTE rate	9.1	7.5	7.5	8.7	6.8	7.3	10.0	11.6	12.4
Number with public sector hours	93	91	110	139	113	108	137	170	191
Number with private sector hours	174	133	132	143	122	133	196	195	201
Part time (percent)	69.2	70.0	75.2	73.0	73.3	75.1	72.4	64.2	64.4
Women (percent)	95.1	92.7	92.7	92.2	86.7	89.9	87.0	87.0	90.9
Indigenous (percent)	3.0	4.6	2.6	3.7	6.3	4.7	5.0	4.5	3.8
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	103	89	67	98	71	96	120	120	127
Aged 25–34 (number)	72	53	61	69	69	62	107	106	117
Aged 35–44 (number)	52	49	57	50	57	43	53	74	85
Aged 45–54 (number)	29	23	37	36	NP	29	33	36	38
Aged 55+ (number)	7	6	12	17	NP	7	9	10	18
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	223	182	164	201	170	184	268	269	311
Number in Inner regional areas	13	NP	28	22	18	17	12	15	25
Number in Outer regional areas	19	25	28	40	26	24	30	31	34
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	8	NP	14	7	11	12	12	31	15
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.24: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, South Australia, 2015-2023

South Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	231	263	233	240	252	218	358	355	522
Average weekly hours worked	26.7	27.7	25.9	28.3	29.1	27.0	29.4	33.2	32.5
FTE	162.1	191.5	158.7	178.6	193.0	155.1	276.6	309.8	446.2
FTE rate	9.5	11.2	9.2	10.2	10.9	8.6	15.3	17.0	24.1
Number with public sector hours	97	95	99	135	112	99	138	159	205
Number with private sector hours	151	178	143	113	163	132	229	209	332
Part time (percent)	81.4	78.3	86.3	82.1	76.2	78.9	75.7	64.8	72.0
Women (percent)	87.9	87.1	85.4	85.8	85.3	84.9	85.8	81.4	82.2
Indigenous (percent)	3.5	3.1	NP	NP	2.4	2.8	NP	2.6	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	51	60	54	55	72	66	78	78	101
Aged 25–34 (number)	86	100	84	101	87	79	181	175	271
Aged 35–44 (number)	53	66	61	55	63	44	65	65	91
Aged 45–54 (number)	31	NP	27	NP	22	NP	22	29	34
Aged 55+ (number)	10	NP	7	NP	8	NP	12	8	25
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	178	192	176	172	190	145	265	247	351
Number in Inner regional areas	23	35	21	25	32	31	52	43	74
Number in Outer regional areas	23	29	28	30	23	34	33	53	81
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	7	7	8	13	7	8	8	12	16
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.25: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, Tasmania, 2015-2023

Tasmania									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	57	67	78	106	46	94	103	87	115
Average weekly hours worked	31.2	32.1	30.5	31.0	33.8	31.1	32.2	34.7	34.0
FTE	46.7	56.6	62.7	86.5	40.9	77.1	87.3	79.4	102.9
FTE rate	9.1	10.9	11.9	16.0	7.4	13.7	15.4	13.9	17.9
Number with public sector hours	22	35	39	34	22	40	35	42	49
Number with private sector hours	41	34	46	75	30	58	73	49	71
Part time (percent)	75.4	67.2	75.6	79.2	65.2	81.9	74.8	65.5	61.7
Women (percent)	89.5	89.6	92.3	88.7	89.1	89.4	83.5	92.0	85.2
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	12	12	6	23	9	21	25	17	27
Aged 25–34 (number)	12	17	22	29	14	24	30	27	46
Aged 35–44 (number)	11	15	18	25	11	31	22	25	22
Aged 45–54 (number)	17	16	30	23	9	14	21	NP	NP
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	7	NP	6	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Inner regional areas	46	55	55	85	29	80	77	61	97
Number in Outer regional areas	10	11	21	21	15	11	25	19	NP
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	7	NP
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.26: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, Australian Capital Territory, 2015-2023

Australian Capital Territory									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	28	43	51	44	28	51	77	77	58
Average weekly hours worked	39.1	35.2	34.7	35.2	37.4	35.6	33.0	31.1	34.2
FTE	28.8	39.8	46.6	40.8	27.6	47.8	66.8	63.1	52.2
FTE rate	7.3	9.9	11.2	9.5	6.2	10.6	14.7	13.8	11.2
Number with public sector hours	18	29	31	29	22	30	43	51	24
Number with private sector hours	10	14	21	16	7	22	35	28	35
Part time (percent)	21.4	41.9	41.2	47.7	42.9	47.1	53.2	62.3	60.3
Women (percent)	82.1	76.7	86.3	88.6	78.6	86.3	81.8	85.7	89.7
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-	NP	NP	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	10	14	21	17	9	22	31	30	21
Aged 25–34 (number)	7	15	15	13	7	11	26	34	25
Aged 35–44 (number)	6	10	10	6	NP	10	12	10	8
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	6	8	NP	7	NP	NP
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	-	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	28	43	51	44	28	51	77	77	58
Number in Inner regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Outer regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.27: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, Northern Territory, 2015-2023

Northern Territory									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	12	21	16	18	13	11	10	16	17
Average weekly hours worked	35.6	35.5	33.7	36.8	31.5	33.5	30.0	35.6	43.6
FTE	11.2	19.6	14.2	17.4	10.8	9.7	7.9	15.0	19.5
FTE rate	4.6	8.0	5.7	7.0	4.3	3.9	3.2	6.0	7.7
Number with public sector hours	NP	13	7	7	7	NP	NP	11	9
Number with private sector hours	9	10	10	11	8	9	7	NP	8
Part time (percent)	NP	28.6	68.8	55.6	69.2	NP	70.0	50.0	NP
Women (percent)	83.3	90.5	93.8	94.4	76.9	72.7	100.0	93.8	70.6
Indigenous (percent)	-	-	NP	NP	-	-	-	NP	-
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	NP	7	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	9
Aged 25–34 (number)	6	NP	7	6	NP	NP	NP	7	NP
Aged 35–44 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Aged 55+ (number)	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-	-	-
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Inner regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	13	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	8	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Employed new registrants - Registered Midwives

Table 8.28: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, Australia, 2015-2023

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	468	490	591	641	601	645	676	690	880
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	29.7	30.9	28.5	29.1	29.5	30.3	28.4	30.5	28.3
FTE (midwife)	366.3	398.6	443.3	490.6	465.8	514.0	505.8	553.5	656.4
FTE rate (midwife)	15.2	16.3	14.9	15.7	15.1	16.8	17.2	19.2	21.1
Number with public sector midwife hours	420	449	537	566	546	593	601	609	766
Number with private sector midwife hours	56	46	63	82	67	59	93	99	145
Part time (percent)	61.8	61.2	66.5	64.6	64.2	68.1	64.8	63.5	65.7
Women (percent)	98.9	99.8	99.3	99.8	99.3	99.4	99.7	99.9	99.4
Indigenous (percent)	2.2	2.5	1.5	2.3	3.3	3.1	2.5	2.8	3.5
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	225	211	298	314	302	320	345	390	436
Aged 25–34 (number)	121	148	163	173	165	177	155	151	200
Aged 35–44 (number)	94	100	92	120	105	110	100	88	103
Aged 45–54 (number)	19	NP	NP	28	NP	32	46	34	62
Aged 55+ (number)	9	NP	NP	6	NP	6	30	27	79
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	354	394	473	489	450	494	496	548	701
Number in Inner regional areas	69	64	69	99	86	94	115	96	104
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	NP	42	44	50	45	53	38	65
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	NP	7	9	15	12	12	8	10

NP = not published

Table 8.29: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, New South Wales, 2015-2023

New South Wales									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	85	99	139	153	135	147	149	134	173
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	36.8	37.0	36.3	36.4	36.9	36.9	33.1	35.6	32.9
FTE (midwife)	82.3	96.3	132.9	146.4	130.9	142.7	129.8	125.5	149.9
FTE rate (midwife)	1.1	1.2	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.8
Number with public sector midwife hours	78	94	133	138	127	137	130	116	156
Number with private sector midwife hours	8	NP	7	15	8	10	22	20	23
Part time (percent)	23.5	29.3	30.9	32.0	34.8	38.1	40.9	41.8	38.2
Women (percent)	97.6	100.0	99.3	99.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.8
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	NP	3.9	4.5	5.4	NP	NP	4.8
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	30	33	56	55	52	56	53	62	74
Aged 25–34 (number)	29	32	50	40	43	47	47	26	44
Aged 35–44 (number)	22	23	23	46	32	31	28	24	18
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	8	12	17
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	13	10	20
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	64	72	113	126	102	123	110	111	138
Number in Inner regional areas	NP	NP	NP	NP	26	NP	NP	NP	29
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	NP	NP	NP	7	NP	NP	NP	6
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.30: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, Victoria, 2015-2023

Victoria									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	153	165	192	197	204	204	220	253	267
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	25.2	27.1	25.3	26.3	26.5	26.9	24.5	25.8	23.6
FTE (midwife)	101.3	117.5	127.7	136.4	142.2	144.3	141.8	172.0	165.7
FTE rate (midwife)	1.7	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.6	2.4
Number with public sector midwife hours	136	152	175	180	189	192	200	225	244
Number with private sector midwife hours	20	15	18	20	18	12	24	30	34
Part time (percent)	75.8	70.9	82.3	80.7	75.5	81.9	75.5	74.7	73.4
Women (percent)	99.3	99.4	98.4	100.0	99.5	99.5	100.0	99.6	99.6
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	89	91	123	127	127	126	153	163	167
Aged 25–34 (number)	30	42	41	47	50	53	35	53	49
Aged 35–44 (number)	27	30	22	19	21	17	23	21	19
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	6	NP	6	NP	NP	8	13
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	NP	-	NP	-	NP	NP	8	19
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	124	140	170	163	181	179	184	219	234
Number in Inner regional areas	NP	NP	NP	NP	17	21	34	NP	25
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	8
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.31: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, Queensland, 2015-2023

Queensland									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	136	130	155	180	161	165	176	165	232
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	27.0	29.1	23.2	24.8	26.3	28.6	27.5	32.4	28.7
FTE (midwife)	96.7	99.5	94.6	117.4	111.6	124.3	127.5	140.6	175.3
FTE rate (midwife)	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.6	3.2
Number with public sector midwife hours	122	124	134	150	136	148	151	145	190
Number with private sector midwife hours	18	9	28	32	32	24	32	27	54
Part time (percent)	68.4	70.0	78.1	70.0	73.3	72.7	68.2	60.0	69.8
Women (percent)	99.3	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.2	100.0	100.0	100.0
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	NP	NP	5.6	4.2	5.1	6.2	4.8
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	66	51	84	87	77	80	85	107	120
Aged 25–34 (number)	40	44	33	49	43	43	40	25	49
Aged 35–44 (number)	25	28	28	32	35	36	26	18	33
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	6	6	19	NP	11
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-	6	NP	19
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	93	104	108	118	94	95	106	108	169
Number in Inner regional areas	NP	NP	NP	32	34	40	35	33	29
Number in Outer regional areas	22	10	25	24	NP	NP	NP	NP	28
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	NP	NP	6	NP	NP	NP	NP	6

NP = not published

Table 8.32: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, Western Australia, 2015-2023

Western Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	24	31	33	30	29	42	38	35	77
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	36.6	31.9	28.8	29.1	27.5	26.5	28.1	29.3	29.0
FTE (midwife)	23.1	26.1	25.1	23.0	21.0	29.3	28.1	27.0	58.8
FTE rate (midwife)	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.8	1.1	1.0	1.0	2.0
Number with public sector midwife hours	21	17	28	25	26	34	33	33	68
Number with private sector midwife hours	NP	14	NP	NP	NP	8	7	NP	11
Part time (percent)	54.2	67.7	69.7	63.3	69.0	66.7	68.4	65.7	75.3
Women (percent)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	96.6	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.7
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	-	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	10	11	13	10	18	17	12	14	20
Aged 25–34 (number)	7	10	9	10	7	7	12	NP	24
Aged 35–44 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	12	8	NP	18
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	7
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	-	-	-	-	NP	NP	NP	8
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	22	NP	31	24	23	32	27	30	65
Number in Inner regional areas	NP	-	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP
Number in Outer regional areas	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	6	-	6
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	-	-	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP

NP = not published

Table 8.33: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, South Australia, 2015-2023

South Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	41	35	48	52	43	57	60	61	92
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	34.7	35.7	33.8	31.8	32.7	31.6	32.5	33.5	32.6
FTE (midwife)	37.5	32.9	42.7	43.4	37.0	47.4	51.3	53.8	78.9
FTE rate (midwife)	2.2	1.9	2.5	2.5	2.1	2.6	2.8	3.0	4.3
Number with public sector midwife hours	37	33	43	49	42	53	56	54	76
Number with private sector midwife hours	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	12	16
Part time (percent)	70.7	57.1	77.1	84.6	58.1	78.9	65.0	63.9	75.0
Women (percent)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.7	100.0	96.7	100.0	98.9
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	NP	-	-	NP	-	-	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	23	20	20	25	19	35	31	34	46
Aged 25–34 (number)	9	6	14	16	11	13	12	15	25
Aged 35–44 (number)	NP	NP	10	NP	11	7	9	6	9
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Aged 55+ (number)	-	-	NP	-	NP	-	NP	NP	NP
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	35	32	39	41	35	45	51	53	77
Number in Inner regional areas	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	7	NP	NP	9
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP

NP = not published

Table 8.34: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, Tasmania, 2015-2023

Tasmania									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	7	11
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	36.4	32.0	24.7	28.8	28.8	32.0	34.8	35.4	24.4
FTE (midwife)	4.8	0.8	1.9	3.8	3.8	2.5	4.6	6.5	7.1
FTE rate (midwife)	0.9	0.2	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.8	1.1	1.2
Number with public sector midwife hours	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	7
Number with private sector midwife hours	NP	-	-	NP	-	-	NP	NP	NP
Part time (percent)	NP	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	60.0	NP	72.7
Women (percent)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Indigenous (percent)	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	NP	-	-	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	NP
Aged 25–34 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Aged 35–44 (number)	NP	-	-	-	-	-	NP	-	NP
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	-	NP	-	-	NP	NP	-	NP
Aged 55+ (number)	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	-	NP
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Inner regional areas	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	8
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	-	-	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP

NP = not published

Table 8.35: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, Australian Capital Territory, 2015-2023

Australian Capital Territory									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	16	18	12	17	15	20	18	27	18
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	31.0	31.6	38.2	36.0	31.6	32.2	32.3	30.0	23.4
FTE (midwife)	13.1	14.9	12.1	16.1	12.5	16.9	15.3	21.3	11.1
FTE rate (midwife)	3.3	3.7	2.9	3.7	2.8	3.8	3.4	4.7	2.4
Number with public sector midwife hours	16	18	12	15	14	19	17	25	16
Number with private sector midwife hours	-	-	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Part time (percent)	68.8	83.3	NP	41.2	80.0	75.0	94.4	81.5	77.8
Women (percent)	93.8	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Indigenous (percent)	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	-	-	NP	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	8	NP	NP
Aged 25–34 (number)	NP	8	7	NP	6	11	6	13	6
Aged 35–44 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	8	NP
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-	NP
Aged 55+ (number)	NP	NP	-	NP	-	-	NP	NP	NP
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	16	18	12	17	15	20	18	27	18
Number in Inner regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Outer regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Table 8.36: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, by State, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, Northern Territory, 2015-2023

Northern Territory									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	8	11	9	7	9	7	10	8	10
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	36.0	36.4	27.2	21.7	28.9	34.4	28.2	32.3	36.5
FTE (midwife)	7.6	10.5	6.4	4.0	6.8	6.3	7.4	6.8	9.6
FTE rate (midwife)	3.1	4.3	2.6	1.6	2.8	2.5	3.0	2.7	3.8
Number with public sector midwife hours	7	10	9	NP	7	7	10	6	9
Number with private sector midwife hours	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	-	-	NP	NP
Part time (percent)	NP	54.5	66.7	NP	NP	NP	60.0	75	NP
Women (percent)	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	88.9	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Indigenous (percent)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Aged 25–34 (number)	NP	NP	7	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
Aged 35–44 (number)	NP	NP	-	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP
Aged 45–54 (number)	NP	-	-	-	NP	-	NP	-	NP
Aged 55+ (number)	-	-	NP	-	-	-	NP	-	-
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Inner regional areas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	NP	NP	7	NP	NP	NP	6	6
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP

NP = not published

Tables 8.1-8.36 Source: NHWDS Nursing and Midwifery, 2013-2023.

For further information on these tables, refer to the 'Notes' sheet

PART 9 - COMPARISON BETWEEN EMPLOYED NEW REGISTRANTS WHERE INITIAL QUALIFICATION IN AUSTRALIA AND ALL EMPLOYED NEW REGISTRANTS

All Nurses and Midwives

Table 9.1: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, Selected statistics. All Nurses and Midwives, Australia, 2015-2023

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	9,336	10,848	11,017	11,482	11,369	11,939	14,522	14,529	17,457
Average weekly hours worked	34.3	34.3	33.7	33.8	34.0	33.2	33.8	35.6	35.3
FTE	8,428.2	9,796.3	9,782.7	10,225.4	10,159.9	0,422.3	12,931.1	3,598.1	16,197.4
FTE rate	289.7	336.4	326.1	339.5	331.3	338.2	431.3	462.4	532.6
Number with public sector hours	5,945	6,884	7,049	7,352	7,348	7,674	8,678	9,287	11,180
Number with private sector hours	3,634	4,215	4,226	4,367	4,276	4,510	6,243	5,724	6,778
Part time (percent)	54.9	54.5	58.9	60.3	60.4	63.7	62.2	57.9	59.3
Women (percent)	89.1	88.1	88.4	87.9	87.6	87.7	87.8	87.6	87.4
Indigenous (percent)	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.5	1.9	2.2
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	4,211	4,780	4,970	5,240	5,200	5,453	6,710	6,517	7,399
Aged 25–34 (number)	2,926	3,514	3,575	3,789	3,830	3,897	4,527	4,539	5,771
Aged 35–44 (number)	1,347	1,604	1,539	1,535	1,540	1,689	2,008	1,956	2,262
Aged 45–54 (number)	689	780	771	716	659	728	871	856	1,014
Aged 55+ (number)	163	170	162	202	140	172	406	661	1,011
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	6,899	7,973	7,927	8,291	8,177	8,505	10,343	10,475	12,917
Number in Inner regional areas	1,590	1,869	1,978	2,052	2,123	2,227	2,781	2,613	2,973
Number in Outer regional areas	699	836	904	928	871	990	1,176	1,177	1,309
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	148	170	208	211	NP	217	222	264	258
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Notes: Linked to Table 9.2

**Table 9.2: Employed new registrants in Australia,
Selected statistics, All nurses and Midwives, Australia, 2015-2023**

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	13,915	15,607	16,138	18,367	18,568	18,931	20,825	22,441	25,446
Average weekly hours worked	34.0	34.1	33.7	33.6	33.8	33.2	33.8	35.5	35.3
FTE	12,450.8	13,990.2	14,296.7	6,216.2	6,496.7	6,563.7	18,498.2	20,937.4	23,657.9
FTE rate	432.4	480.4	489.9	556.3	554.8	527.9	615.0	698.4	781.9
Number with public sector hours	8,545	9,450	9,857	11,188	11,392	11,637	11,757	13,896	15,688
Number with private sector hours	5,858	6,695	6,864	7,803	7,809	7,879	9,776	9,466	10,679
Part time (percent)	55.0	54.9	58.0	59.6	59.3	61.9	61.5	57.0	57.5
Women (percent)	88.8	87.5	87.6	86.9	86.8	87.2	87.6	87.5	86.9
Indigenous (percent)	1.7	1.8	2.0	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	1.7	1.9
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	5,420	5,744	6,012	6,817	7,100	7,358	8,503	9,466	9,362
Aged 25–34 (number)	4,987	6,076	6,433	7,534	7,619	7,583	7,604	7,795	9,666
Aged 35–44 (number)	2,121	2,329	2,327	2,523	2,598	2,672	3,011	3,090	3,751
Aged 45–54 (number)	1,107	1,150	1,104	1,161	1,012	1,054	1,172	1,259	1,393
Aged 55+ (number)	280	308	262	332	239	264	535	831	1,274
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	10,524	11,826	12,024	13,731	13,941	14,156	15,310	16,641	19,188
Number in Inner regional areas	2,173	2,428	2,598	2,956	3,048	3,058	3,658	3,727	4,097
Number in Outer regional areas	1,010	1,116	1,218	1,349	1,276	1,398	1,572	1,708	1,783
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	208	237	298	331	NP	319	285	365	378
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Notes: Linked to Table 9.1

Registered Nurses

Table 9.3: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, Selected statistics, Registered nurses, Australia, 2015-2023

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	6,664	7,832	7,966	8,314	8,677	8,936	10,833	11,066	12,840
Average weekly hours worked	35.7	35.7	35.0	35.0	34.9	34.0	34.9	36.3	36.0
FTE	6,266.6	7,367.2	7,341.3	7,661.6	7,962.1	8,002.8	9,946.6	10,561.0	12,162.0
FTE rate	213.8	248.5	241.8	249.2	261.4	256.1	330.2	355.9	404.3
Number with public sector hours	4,599	5,436	5,513	5,766	5,974	6,146	6,955	7,471	8,868
Number with private sector hours	2,206	2,546	2,586	2,672	2,840	2,960	4,153	3,934	4,352
Part time (percent)	49.0	48.4	53.7	55.6	57.3	60.5	58.6	55.3	56.4
Women (percent)	89.0	87.5	88.0	87.6	87.0	86.8	87.4	87.2	87.0
Indigenous (percent)	1.6	1.4	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.3	1.5	1.7
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	3,387	3,836	4,080	4,212	4,342	4,343	5,350	5,347	5,933
Aged 25–34 (number)	2,122	2,583	2,571	2,806	2,939	2,982	3,370	3,384	4,051
Aged 35–44 (number)	783	941	897	902	977	1,126	1,351	1,299	1,482
Aged 45–54 (number)	311	394	340	315	357	397	485	501	578
Aged 55+ (number)	61	78	78	79	62	88	277	535	796
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	5,025	5,910	5,864	6,190	6,352	6,478	7,783	8,109	9,699
Number in Inner regional areas	1,064	1,242	1,341	1,333	1,520	1,540	1,974	1,936	2,016
Number in Outer regional areas	464	544	605	628	648	741	897	832	925
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	111	136	156	163	157	177	179	189	200

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Notes: Linked to Table 9.4

**Table 9.4: Employed new registrants in Australia,
Selected statistics, Registered nurses, Australia, 2015-2023**

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	9,871	11,153	11,777	12,913	13,928	14,214	15,174	16,655	18,630
Average weekly hours worked	35.2	35.3	34.8	34.6	34.6	34.1	34.8	36.2	36.1
FTE	9,137.9	0,373.7	0,774.4	1,773.6	2,683.8	2,750.9	3,885.1	5,874.2	17,713.9
FTE rate	320.7	359.7	369.7	409.8	434.6	409.1	470.9	535.1	586.3
Number with public sector hours	6,539	7,272	7,680	8,472	9,059	9,262	9,146	10,940	12,301
Number with private sector hours	3,660	4,251	4,503	4,854	5,297	5,388	6,530	6,382	7,035
Part time (percent)	49.6	49.3	53.1	54.8	56.2	58.4	57.8	53.9	54.0
Women (percent)	88.5	86.8	87.0	86.2	86.3	86.5	87.4	87.0	86.8
Indigenous (percent)	1.5	1.3	1.7	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	1.4	1.5
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	4,176	4,381	4,699	5,052	5,502	5,537	6,365	7,356	7,130
Aged 25–34 (number)	3,777	4,649	5,031	5,777	6,084	6,122	5,809	5,872	7,067
Aged 35–44 (number)	1,268	1,397	1,409	1,458	1,685	1,838	2,010	2,062	2,599
Aged 45–54 (number)	527	571	501	483	537	579	624	701	831
Aged 55+ (number)	123	155	137	143	120	138	366	664	1,003
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	7,668	8,719	9,019	9,963	10,643	10,804	11,271	12,528	14,311
Number in Inner regional areas	1,383	1,526	1,710	1,797	2,104	2,093	2,517	2,668	2,764
Number in Outer regional areas	659	722	813	897	937	1,054	1,157	1,185	1,260
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	161	186	235	256	244	263	229	274	295

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Notes: Linked to Table 9.3

Enrolled Nurses

Table 9.5: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, Australia, 2015-2023

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	2,380	2,684	2,700	2,779	2,308	2,601	3,354	3,082	4,156
Average weekly hours worked	30.4	30.2	29.9	30.3	30.5	30.1	30.4	33.1	33.1
FTE	1,904.1	2,133.7	2,125.0	2,216.6	1,854.0	2,061.6	2,687.5	2,684.4	3,621.6
FTE rate	63.8	74.9	72.2	78.3	57.5	68.3	89.1	91.7	112.8
Number with public sector hours	1,074	1,136	1,202	1,219	1,014	1,153	1,397	1,476	1,887
Number with private sector hours	1,408	1,648	1,619	1,669	1,407	1,522	2,078	1,739	2,384
Part time (percent)	70.7	71.4	74.0	74.0	71.5	73.9	73.5	66.8	67.4
Women (percent)	88.0	88.2	88.0	87.1	87.5	88.7	87.8	87.7	87.2
Indigenous (percent)	2.6	3.5	3.1	3.3	3.8	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.4
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	723	843	766	890	717	954	1,222	1,003	1,262
Aged 25–34 (number)	723	810	882	855	768	786	1,063	1,061	1,589
Aged 35–44 (number)	476	580	569	536	467	473	585	583	709
Aged 45–54 (number)	364	361	403	379	279	307	364	327	398
Aged 55+ (number)	94	90	80	119	77	81	120	108	198
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	1,649	1,796	1,777	1,793	1,537	1,714	2,315	2,060	2,846
Number in Inner regional areas	486	589	596	665	539	625	745	625	902
Number in Outer regional areas	211	268	281	279	200	228	259	327	352
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	34	31	46	42	31	34	35	70	56
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Notes: Linked to Table 9.6

**Table 9.6: Employed new registrants in Australia,
Selected statistics, Enrolled nurses, Australia, 2015-2023**

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	3,650	4,033	3,909	4,952	4,136	4,212	5,264	5,278	6,210
Average weekly hours worked	30.9	30.6	30.3	30.6	30.9	30.4	30.9	33.1	33.0
FTE	2,964.9	3,242.7	3,113.0	3,993.7	3,361.3	3,367.6	4,274.7	4,602.6	5,400.5
FTE rate	95.2	103.5	104.0	130.4	102.5	102.7	129.3	145.0	175.6
Number with public sector hours	1,657	1,797	1,762	2,260	1,871	1,919	2,242	2,518	2,871
Number with private sector hours	2,148	2,401	2,315	2,894	2,462	2,434	3,225	2,993	3,543
Part time (percent)	68.9	70.0	72.8	72.0	69.6	73.6	71.9	66.2	67.3
Women (percent)	88.4	88.0	87.8	87.3	87.1	88.0	87.2	87.7	86.0
Indigenous (percent)	2.5	3.5	3.0	3.3	3.8	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.3
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	1,117	1,247	1,170	1,600	1,434	1,633	1,983	1,898	1,998
Aged 25–34 (number)	1,088	1,258	1,234	1,575	1,355	1,286	1,687	1,778	2,398
Aged 35–44 (number)	744	834	822	947	790	728	918	935	1,053
Aged 45–54 (number)	553	546	566	648	442	445	519	520	514
Aged 55+ (number)	148	148	117	182	115	120	157	147	247
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	2,544	2,767	2,643	3,364	2,922	2,955	3,755	3,713	4,389
Number in Inner regional areas	741	858	836	1,098	866	890	1,069	985	1,262
Number in Outer regional areas	323	365	376	426	301	320	393	497	484
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	42	43	54	64	NP	47	47	83	75
Number in unknown/ overseas areas	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-

NP = not published

Notes: Linked to Table 9.5

Midwives

Table 9.7: Employed new registrants in Australia where initial qualification in Australia, Selected statistics, Registered midwives with midwifery hours, Australia, 2015-2023

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	468	490	591	641	601	645	676	690	880
Average weekly midwifery hours worked	29.7	30.9	28.5	29.1	29.5	30.3	28.4	30.5	28.3
FTE (midwife)	366.3	398.6	443.3	490.6	465.8	514.0	505.8	553.5	656.4
FTE rate (midwife)	15.2	16.3	14.9	15.7	15.1	16.8	17.2	19.2	21.1
Number with public sector midwife hours	420	449	537	566	546	593	601	609	766
Number with private sector midwife hours	56	46	63	82	67	59	93	99	145
Part time (percent)	61.8	61.2	66.5	64.6	64.2	68.1	64.8	63.5	65.7
Women (percent)	98.9	99.8	99.3	99.8	99.3	99.4	99.7	99.9	99.4
Indigenous (percent)	2.2	2.5	1.5	2.3	3.3	3.1	2.5	2.8	3.5
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	225	211	298	314	302	320	345	390	436
Aged 25–34 (number)	121	148	163	173	165	177	155	151	200
Aged 35–44 (number)	94	100	92	120	105	110	100	88	103
Aged 45–54 (number)	19	NP	NP	28	NP	32	46	34	62
Aged 55+ (number)	9	NP	NP	6	NP	6	30	27	79
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	354	394	473	489	450	494	496	548	701
Number in Inner regional areas	69	64	69	99	86	94	115	96	104
Number in Outer regional areas	NP	NP	42	44	50	45	53	38	65
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	NP	NP	7	9	15	12	12	8	10

NP = not published

Notes: Linked to Table 9.8

Table 9.8: Employed new registrants in Australia, Selected statistics, registered midwives with midwifery hours, Australia, 2015-2023

Australia									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number Employed	617	616	726	801	761	801	764	989	1,212
Average weekly hours worked	30.0	31.0	29.3	29.2	29.9	30.0	28.3	30.1	28.8
FTE (midwife)	487.0	500.9	559.6	615.8	599.3	632.9	568.6	696.7	825.3
FTE rate (midwife)	21.1	21.8	19.8	20.7	21.1	19.9	20.5	23.5	26.9
Number with public sector midwife hours	530	544	639	691	678	718	672	853	1,000
Number with private sector midwife hours	103	82	102	127	100	100	113	201	281
Part time (percent)	60.0	60.2	62.8	62.9	60.8	64.3	65.2	63.5	63.0
Women (percent)	99.0	99.8	99.4	99.9	99.5	99.1	99.7	99.5	99.3
Indigenous (percent)	2.0	2.2	1.5	2.3	3.0	3.0	2.5	2.6	2.9
Age Group									
Aged <25 (number)	274	233	334	360	344	380	374	470	488
Aged 25–34 (number)	174	209	216	249	235	240	181	224	294
Aged 35–44 (number)	119	129	119	143	136	129	115	124	153
Aged 45–54 (number)	39	38	48	38	39	42	57	77	114
Aged 55+ (number)	11	7	9	11	7	10	37	94	163
Remoteness area									
Number in Major cities	474	499	576	622	575	626	563	760	945
Number in Inner regional areas	84	75	85	111	102	107	129	154	160
Number in Outer regional areas	51	32	55	53	66	53	59	60	82
Number in Remote/ Very remote areas	8	10	10	15	18	15	13	15	25

NP = not published

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

Notes: Linked to Table 9.7

Tables 9.1-9.8 Source: NHWDS Nursing and Midwifery, 2013-2023

For further information on these tables, refer to the 'Notes' sheet

PART 10 - EMPLOYED NEW REGISTRANTS BY INDIGENOUS STATUS, AREA OF NURSING, SETTING OF MAIN JOB AND VISA TYPE

Table 10.1: First year of registration for employed nurses and midwives by Indigenous status, area of nursing, setting of main job and visa type, 2015-2023

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Indigenous status	Indigenous	182	217	258	304	315	313	373	277	376
	Non-Indigenous	10,227	12,062	12,619	12,897	12,816	13,133	15,768	15,557	19,238
	Not stated	3,506	3,328	3,261	5,166	5,437	5,485	4,684	6,607	5,832
	Total	13,915	15,607	16,138	18,367	18,568	18,931	20,825	22,441	25,446
Area of Nursing	Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	74	96	103
	Aged care	2,853	3,400	3,412	3,906	3,865	4,286	5,124	4,454	5,092
	Antenatal	40	39	60	59	43	63	49	70	74
	Antenatal, Intra-partum and Post-partum care	32	101	108	110	149	125	129	157	187
	Cancer care	-	-	-	-	-	-	329	402	424
	Care during labour and birth	152	131	105	146	147	151	89	118	147
	Child and family health	57	30	50	64	70	65	-	-	-
	Community nursing	252	270	298	372	387	499	816	924	779
	Community/home visiting								7	NP
	Critical Care	575	562	598	703	756	709	621	785	926
	Disability	-	-	-	-	-	-	250	140	187
	Drug and Alcohol	33	38	43	49	69	59	69	64	88
	Education	72	46	45	59	71	98	-	-	-
	Emergency	621	680	776	798	895	966	759	1,249	1,453
	Health promotion	22	20	19	20	24	35	55	51	45
	Management	49	61	66	60	68	52	62	141	105
	Maternal, child and family health	-	-	-	-	-	-	71	129	142
	Maternity care	129	119	136	156	134	138	126	174	200
	Medical	1,929	2,216	2,307	2,666	2,605	2,732	2,828	3,290	3,621
	Mental health	804	938	977	1,181	1,191	1,200	1,157	1,229	1,577
	Midwifery education	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-	-
	Midwifery management	NP	-	NP	NP	-	-	-	-	-
	Midwifery research	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	-	-	-
	Mixed medical/surgical	1,262	1,382	1,481	1,618	1,537	1,379	1,073	1,063	1,257
	Neonatal care	26	233	227	248	256	252	223	269	331
	Paediatrics	411	379	368	429	476	451	476	537	743
	Palliative care	151	138	138	163	164	291	147	164	191
	Peri-operative	922	1,030	1,066	1,195	1,234	1,106	1,230	1,399	1,807
	Policy	NP	NP	6	NP	NP	NP	NP	10	NP
	Postnatal care	169	136	165	172	154	156	132	153	211
	Practice nursing	515	516	626	686	737	789	-	-	-
	Primary care	-	-	-	-	-	-	707	644	595

Area of Nursing	Rehabilitation	-	-	-	-	-	-	744	878	929
	Rehabilitation and disability	610	716	683	799	787	696	-	-	-
	Research	28	18	24	36	27	51	28	40	40
	Surgical	1,690	1,840	1,791	1,975	1,989	1,719	1,984	2,295	2,994
	Teaching/education	-	-	-	-	-	-	74	112	135
	Other	503	562	555	689	725	851	1,389	1,397	1,047
	Not stated/inadequately described	NP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total	13,907	15,601	16,130	18,359	18,566	18,919	20,815	22,441	25,430
Setting of main Job	Locum private practice	14	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	General practitioner (GP) practice)	492	478	612	735	747	739	1,015	804	716
	Independent private practice	-	-	256	267	305	267	246	283	334
	Other private practice	244	275	162	213	237	186	327	331	350
	Aboriginal health service	36	30	36	30	41	37	-	-	-
	Community health care service	411	435	469	560	570	676	1,213	1,199	1,235
	Hospital	8,953	9,979	10,312	11,619	11,685	11,428	11,453	13,482	16,031
	Outpatient service	199	231	240	263	294	278	377	450	450
	Residential health care facility	2,508	3,062	3,005	3,416	3,406	3,840	4,218	3,569	4,057
	Hospice	37	41	34	41	37	32	65	70	100
	Commercial/business service	29	38	21	28	27	53	93	105	90
	Tertiary educational facility	45	44	33	46	32	51	47	68	57
	School	19	20	NP	24	35	10	29	38	63
	Other educational facility	15	8	NP	12	12	10	22	13	19
	Correctional service	47	43	48	74	85	86	76	138	109
	Defence forces	64	76	39	75	95	67	68	83	109
	Other government department or agency	65	55	62	70	76	183	220	187	170
	Other	309	330	314	366	365	463	872	1,015	845
	Not stated/inadequately described	428	452	475	528	519	525	484	606	711
	Total	13,915	15,607	16,133	18,367	18,568	18,931	20,825	22,441	25,446
Visa Type	Not temporary	453	553	576	595	630	516	218	419	916
	457 Temporary Work (Skilled)	213	314	406	463	84	55	29	9	NP
	485 Temporary graduate	334	436	514	715	842	920	1,568	1,438	2,113
	Other	114	170	226	293	465	609	1,237	1,124	1,067
	Temporary Skill Shortage	-	-	-	9	205	177	-	115	NP
	407 Training	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	19	355
	489 Skilled Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	95	8
	491 Skilled Work Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	99	NP	153
	494 Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	NP	NP
	Not stated	12,801	14,134	14,416	16,292	16,342	16,654	17,552	19,217	20,826
	Total	13,915	15,607	16,138	18,367	18,568	18,931	20,819	22,436	25,438

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Table 10.2: First year of registration for employed registered nurses by Indigenous status, area of nursing, setting of main job and visa type, 2015-2023

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Indigenous status	Indigenous	113	116	167	204	213	219	256	168	221
	Non-Indigenous	7,574	9,111	9,604	9,790	10,175	10,170	12,203	12,163	14,815
	Not stated	2,184	1,926	2,006	2,919	3,540	3,825	2,715	4,324	3,594
	Total	13,915	15,607	16,138	18,367	18,568	18,931	15,174	16,655	18,630
Area of Nursing	Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	62	63
	Aged care	1,479	1,802	1,959	2,054	2,306	2,648	3,104	2,710	2,880
	Antenatal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	-
	Antenatal, Intra-partum and Post-partum care	-	NP	NP	-	-	-	-	-	NP
	Cancer care	-	-	-	-	-	-	278	357	369
	Care during labour and birth	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	NP	NP
	Child and family health	45	26	41	50	61	54	-	-	-
	Community nursing	180	195	212	267	280	352	563	665	529
	Critical Care	544	531	569	672	736	696	603	757	898
	Disability	-	-	-	-	-	-	119	61	84
	Drug and Alcohol	27	31	34	35	51	53	55	53	77
	Education	53	34	38	46	56	85	-	-	-
	Emergency	553	610	699	721	830	902	686	1,134	1,328
	Health promotion	18	15	16	13	14	27	41	36	38
	Management	45	52	53	45	57	44	53	121	89
	Maternal, child and family health	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	113	134
	Maternity care	112	101	128	135	116	128	109	155	189
	Medical	1,497	1,739	1,780	2,009	2,090	2,193	2,142	2,483	2,722
	Mental health	637	752	788	895	954	949	900	979	1,243
	Midwifery education	-	178	190	202	230	228	197	-	-
	Midwifery management	NP	-	NP	NP	-	-	-	-	-
	Midwifery research	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	-	-	-
	Mixed medical/surgical	1,262	1,382	1,481	1,618	1,537	1,379	1,073	771	960
	Neonatal care	26	233	227	248	256	252	223	253	313
	Paediatrics	375	339	341	394	441	415	424	501	686
	Palliative care	117	108	102	115	119	218	99	129	134
	Peri-operative	781	901	934	1,004	1,088	981	1,051	1,213	1,566
	Policy	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	7	NP	10
	Postnatal care	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-
	Practice nursing	349	333	415	445	522	563	-	-	-
	Primary care	-	-	-	-	-	-	528	440	384
	Rehabilitation	-	-	-	-	-	-	527	598	633

Area of Nursing	Rehabilitation and disability	405	485	479	511	558	474	-	-	-
	Research	26	15	20	27	22	41	24	35	33
	Surgical	1,328	1,494	1,421	1,567	1,628	1,415	1,616	1,899	2,371
	Teaching/education	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	92	110
	Other	355	384	409	479	544	667	1,054	1,030	783
	Total	13,907	15,601	16,130	18,359	18,566	18,919	16,470	16,647	18,626
Setting of main Job	Locum private practice	7	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	General practitioner (GP) practice)	347	317	406	491	530	536	751	530	456
	Independent private practice	-	-	169	166	204	185	163	167	192
	Other private practice	147	176	113	131	144	127	216	222	221
	Aboriginal health service	25	16	21	20	31	25	-	-	-
	Community health care service	289	305	346	386	411	476	799	803	843
	Hospital	7,222	8,137	8,454	9,279	9,839	9,580	9,317	11,129	13,144
	Outpatient service	150	184	194	208	251	227	330	377	369
	Residential health care facility	1,296	1,619	1,692	1,792	2,052	2,381	2,566	2,188	2,324
	Hospice	25	27	24	26	23	16	42	46	61
	Commercial/business service	17	27	15	22	21	45	62	74	72
	Tertiary educational facility	39	34	31	41	25	49	43	65	53
	School	17	15	13	18	25	8	24	34	58
	Other educational facility	9	NP	NP	9	NP	6	14	11	17
	Correctional service	42	38	41	61	76	78	63	122	96
	Defence forces	7	6	NP	NP	8	9	9	13	20
	Other government department or agency	42	34	45	51	47	146	156	133	118
	Other	190	204	207	199	231	320	573	682	542
	Not stated/inadequately described	-	NP	NP	8	NP	-	46	59	44
	Total	13,915	15,607	16,133	18,367	18,568	18,931	15,174	16,655	18,630
Visa Type	Not temporary	363	433	498	501	543	438	147	379	826
	457 Temporary Work (Skilled)	190	291	385	444	75	51	28	NP	NP
	485 Temporary graduate	332	436	512	710	836	901	1,542	1,412	1,961
	Other	99	142	194	244	379	445	908	839	642
	Temporary Skill Shortage	-	-	-	8	202	168	-	107	NP
	407 Training	-	-	-	-	-	-	83	-	330
	489 Skilled Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	10	7
	491 Skilled Work Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	49	62
	494 Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	NP	NP
	Not stated	8,887	9,851	10,188	11,006	11,893	12,211	12,369	13,850	14,796
	Total	13,915	15,607	16,138	18,367	18,568	18,931	15,168	16,646	18,624

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Table 10.3: First year of registration for employed enrolled nurses by Indigenous status, area of nursing, setting of main job and visa type, 2015-2023

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Indigenous status	Indigenous	61	93	82	91	88	81	101	90	134
	Non-Indigenous	2,332	2,588	2,625	2,687	2,226	2,525	3,240	2,991	3,893
	Not stated	1,257	1,352	1,202	2,174	1,822	1,606	1,923	2,197	2,183
	Total	3,650	4,033	3,909	4,952	4,136	4,212	5,264	5,278	6,210
Area of Nursing	Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	34	40
	Aged care	1,393	1,613	1,467	1,864	1,568	1,649	2,035	1,752	2,220
	Cancer care	-	-	-	-	-	-	51	45	57
	Child and family health	12	NP	9	14	9	11	-	-	-
	Community nursing	72	75	87	105	107	147	254	259	253
	Critical Care	31	32	29	31	20	13	18	28	29
	Disability	-	-	-	-	-	-	131	79	103
	Drug and Alcohol	7	7	9	14	18	6	14	11	11
	Education	19	12	7	13	15	13	-	-	-
	Emergency	68	71	77	77	65	65	74	116	126
	Health promotion	NP	NP	NP	7	10	8	14	15	7
	Management	NP	9	13	15	11	8	9	16	11
	Maternal, child and family health	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	16	8
	Maternity care	17	18	8	21	18	10	17	19	13
	Medical	434	481	527	658	516	541	691	808	901
	Mental health	169	187	191	287	237	252	262	250	337
	Mixed medical/surgical	320	358	341	401	321	304	249	292	301
	Neonatal care	-	18	11	13	NP	6	6	6	6
	Paediatrics	36	40	27	35	35	36	52	36	57
	Palliative care	34	30	36	48	45	75	48	36	57
	Peri-operative	143	130	133	192	146	125	179	186	242
	Policy	-	-	NP	NP	NP	-	-	NP	NP
	Postnatal care	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-	-	-
	Practice nursing	167	183	212	241	215	226	-	-	-
	Primary care	-	-	-	-	-	-	179	206	214
	Rehabilitation	-	-	-	-	-	-	217	281	297
	Rehabilitation and disability	206	232	204	289	229	223	-	-	-
	Research	NP	NP	NP	9	NP	10	NP	NP	NP
	Surgical	364	350	370	408	362	304	371	396	627
	Teaching/education	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	16	22
	Other	145	175	143	208	178	180	338	366	264
	Not stated/inadequately described	NP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total	3,995	4,408	4,313	5,431	4,672	4,883	6,308	5,293	6,203

Setting of main Job	Locum private practice	7	NP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	General practitioner (GP) practice)	147	161	207	245	217	203	266	275	262
	Independent private practice	-	-	87	101	102	83	83	117	143
	Other private practice	99	99	49	82	93	59	111	110	130
	Aboriginal health service	11	14	15	10	10	12	-	-	-
	Community health care service	124	131	124	174	159	201	416	396	394
	Hospital	1,739	1,855	1,863	2,344	1,849	1,856	2,149	2,358	2,905
	Outpatient service	50	47	46	55	43	51	47	73	82
	Residential health care facility	1,229	1,458	1,326	1,634	1,362	1,468	1,667	1,388	1,742
	Hospice	12	14	10	15	14	16	23	24	39
	Commercial/business service	12	11	6	6	NP	8	31	31	19
	Tertiary educational facility	6	10	NP	NP	7	NP	NP	NP	NP
	School	NP	NP	NP	6	10	NP	NP	NP	6
	Other educational facility	6	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	8	NP	NP
	Correctional service	NP	NP	7	13	9	8	13	16	13
	Defence forces	57	70	36	70	87	58	59	70	89
	Other government department or agency	23	21	18	20	29	37	64	54	52
	Other	119	127	107	168	134	144	304	366	305
	Not stated/inadequately described	NP	-	-	NP	-	-	14	24	21
	Total	3,641	4,018	3,901	4,943	4,131	4,204	5,255	5,302	6,202
	Visa Type									
	Not temporary	83	109	64	85	62	59	71	30	44
	457 Temporary Work (Skilled)	9	NP	8	9	7	NP	NP	NP	-
	485 Temporary graduate	10	NP	6	13	10	21	36	28	153
	Other	17	27	30	49	84	166	333	288	422
	Temporary Skill Shortage	-	-	-	-	-	NP	NP	NP	NP
	407 Training	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	8
	489 Skilled Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	9	NP
	491 Skilled Work Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	44	86
	491 Skilled Work Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	NP	NP
	Not stated	3,531	3,881	3,801	4,796	3,973	3,961	4,782	4,872	5,494
	Total	3,650	4,028	3,909	4,952	4,136	4,207	5,257	5,271	6,207

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Table 10.4: First year of registration for employed midwives by Indigenous status, area of midwifery, setting of main job and visa type, 2015-2023

		2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Indigenous status	Indigenous	10	12	10	16	20	21	17	22	32
	Non-Indigenous	502	533	638	676	637	679	674	821	1,079
	Not stated	105	71	78	109	104	101	73	146	101
	Total	617	616	726	801	761	801	764	989	1,212
Area of midwifery	Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	NP	NP
	Antenatal	51	50	77	74	58	77	70	82	104
	Antenatal, Intra-partum and Post-partum care	52	146	169	195	233	215	243	271	323
	Care during labour and birth	215	169	172	208	203	229	163	218	246
	Community/home visiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	10	21
	Management	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	NP	7
	Midwifery education	NP	NP	7	7	6	NP	-	-	-
	Midwifery management	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-	-
	Midwifery research	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	-	-
	Neonatal care	36	50	41	42	29	28	29	17	29
	Policy	-	-	-	NP	-	-	NP	NP	NP
	Postnatal care	236	179	227	236	214	226	224	257	324
	Research	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	NP	6
	Teaching/education	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	14
	Other	18	15	26	34	12	8	8	6	13
	Not stated/inadequately described	-	NP	NP	-	-	8	-	113	123
	Total	608	609	719	796	755	783	756	981	1,210

Setting of main Job	General practitioner (GP) practice)	-	NP	NP	6	NP	-	NP	NP	NP
	Specialist (O&G) practice	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	NP
	Group midwifery practice / caseload	NP	14	14	23	48	34	-	-	-
	Independent private practice	-	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	6	NP	9
	Aboriginal health service	NP	NP	NP	-	NP	-	-	-	-
	Community health care service	NP	NP	-	12	NP	10	24	17	20
	Hospital	568	554	640	683	657	704	633	760	920
	Outpatient service	16	19	40	34	28	28	26	34	46
	Commercial/business service	-	-	-	-	-	NP	-	-	-
	Tertiary educational facility	NP	6	7	9	NP	NP	15	10	14
	Other educational facility	NP	-	-	NP	-	-	NP	-	-
	Other government department or agency	-	-	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
	Other	16	14	18	26	NP	NP	10	7	16
	Not stated/inadequately described	-	NP	NP	-	-	8	44	149	177
Total		600	607	719	793	733	784	758	977	1,202
Visa Type	Not temporary	10	NP	17	14	29	24	NP	11	54
	457 Temporary Work (Skilled)	16	15	15	14	NP	NP	-	-	-
	485 Temporary graduate	-	-	NP	NP	NP	9	9	NP	10
	Other	-	NP	NP	-	NP	NP	NP	NP	NP
	Temporary Skill Shortage	-	-	-	NP	NP	7	-	7	19
	491 Skilled Work Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	NP
	494 Skilled Employer Sponsored Regional (Provisional)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NP	-
	Not stated	591	587	686	770	718	758	753	958	1,118
Total		617	614	718	798	747	798	762	976	1,201

NP = not published

Tables 10.1-10.4 Source: NHWDS Nursing and Midwifery, 2013-2023

Not stated/inadequately described includes non-respondents to the survey

For further information on these tables, refer to the 'Notes' sheet

NOTES REGARDING NHWDS DATA:

1. Data extracted from the National Health Workforce Dataset (NHWDS): Nurses and midwives, 2013-2023. Note that the 2013 data was required to derive the 2014 numbers (see Note 2 below).
2. This data is for nurses and midwives that first appeared on the NHWDS database in the reference year (i.e. were not in the NHWDS database in the prior year).
3. The results for new registration are likely to be affected by the timing of graduation, completion of the health workforce survey and recruitment action by significant employers. As a result there are likely to be variations across jurisdictions and years.
4. Any cell containing 5 or less practitioners has been set to 'NP' (not published) for reasons of confidentiality. Consequential cell suppression has been applied to additional cells so that small cell counts cannot be determined.
5. In order to remain consistent with previous AIHW analysis, Enrolled Nurses / Registered Nurses / Midwives are defined using division within the profession, rather than the respective registration flags.
6. In order to remain consistent with previous AIHW analysis, Indigenous Status Grouped has been used to define Indigenous Status, rather than Australian Born Indigenous Status.
7. In order to remain consistent with previous AIHW analysis, Principal areas are defined based on the nursing job area first, then the midwifery job area, rather than the job area the practitioner spends the most number of hours at.

Table 11.1: Estimated number of graduate transition places - public sector*

	State or Territory	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
Response from Chief Nurse and Midwifery Officers							
NSW Health <i>Overseas centralized annual recruitment known as GradStart. Local Health Districts and Speciality Networks determine the number of positions offered at their local sites</i>	NSW	2,600	2,600	As at 13 July 2022 3,000	Over 3,500 graduate nurses & midwives employed by NSW Health	Recruitment in progress	Recruitment in progress
Safer Care Victoria <i>Numbers are for positions offered via the graduate nursing and midwifery program match (GNMP match)</i>	VIC	3,100	2,730	3,450 via Graduate Nurse Midwifery Program Match	4,276 available in the match	4,564 available in the match. (At end of match for 2024 817 positions unfilled. Hospitals' had option to advertise externally)	N/A
Queensland Government Department of Health	QLD	1,550	2,500	2,267	N/A	Anticipate that QLD Health Hospital and Health Services will recruit 2,522 RN grads and 264 MW grads	1,800 new graduate nurses and over 180 new midwifery graduates as part of first graduate intake
Government of Western Australian Department of Health <i>Facilitates a centralized graduate recruitment process known as GradConnect. Provides opportunities to apply for a graduate program at participating WA public, private or aged care providers</i>	WA	680	870	1,300 offered via Grad Connect	Over 1,400 positions offered. 8% increase on 2022	Jan to June – over 900 positions offered. July 2024 to June 2025 – recruitment underway	July 2024 - June 2025 - 1,457 positions offered: 184 EN 1137 RN 136 Midwifery
Tasmanian Government Department of Health and Human Services	TAS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
ACT Government Health (Canberra Health Service; Calvary Public Hospital Bruce)	ACT	N/A	EN – 31 RN – 152 MW - 23	EN - 21 RN - 160 MW - 30	N/A	N/A	N/A
NT Health	NT	N/A	N/A	187	173 nurse & midwife positions offered through Royal Darwin and Palmerston hospitals	As at 9.05.24 106 nurse & midwife positions offered. Anticipate a further 80 for remainder of 2024	As at 16.04.25 average of 295 new graduates employed
Government of South Australia - SA Health	SA	N/A	N/A	N/A	1055 Graduate RN and 87 MW positions filled across metro and regional Local Health Networks	758 Graduate RN and 74 MW positions filled across metro and regional Local Health Networks	N/A

Note: The above information is based on the responses received following a request to Chief Nursing and Midwifery Officers in the respective States and Territories. The number of graduate positions provided do not include any positions that may have been offered by employers in the private sector, primary health, aged care or other areas outside the public health system.

N/A - Data not available

