

8A Substance use and misuse — attachment

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Table 8A.1.1

Table 8A.1.1 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: smoker status by age and sex, 2002

	<i>Males</i>			<i>Females</i>			<i>Total</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
15-24 years									
Regular smoker	18.5	44.9	7.0	18.3	44.1	6.1	36.8	44.5	5.3
Total smokers (a)	19.9	48.4	6.6	19.8	47.7	5.7	39.7	48.0	4.9
Non-smoker (b)	21.0	50.9	6.3	21.4	51.6	5.3	42.4	51.3	4.6
Total (c)	41.2	100.0	—	41.5	100.0	—	82.7	100.0	—
25-34 years									
Regular smoker	18.5	55.4	5.3	20.7	55.1	4.1	39.3	55.2	3.5
Total smokers (a)	19.3	57.7	5.0	21.4	56.9	4.0	40.7	57.3	3.3
Non-smoker (b)	13.9	41.7	6.9	16.0	42.4	5.3	29.9	42.1	4.5
Total (c)	33.4	100.0	—	37.7	100.0	—	71.1	100.0	—
35-44 years									
Regular smoker	15.9	58.0	5.7	16.2	53.1	4.7	32.0	55.4	3.7
Total smokers (a)	16.4	59.9	5.3	16.6	54.6	4.6	33.0	57.1	3.6
Non-smoker (b)	10.7	39.2	8.1	13.6	44.7	5.6	24.3	42.1	4.8
Total (c)	27.4	100.0	—	30.4	100.0	—	57.8	100.0	—
45-54 years									
Regular smoker	9.4	50.9	7.0	9.0	45.2	7.8	18.4	47.9	5.6
Total smokers (a)	9.6	52.1	6.8	9.2	46.2	7.6	18.8	49.0	5.5
Non-smoker (b)	8.8	47.9	7.4	10.6	53.3	6.5	19.5	50.7	5.3
Total (c)	18.5	100.0	—	19.9	100.0	—	38.4	100.0	—
55 years or over									
Regular smoker	6.0	40.7	10.8	4.7	27.1	11.5	10.7	33.3	8.2
Total smokers (a)	6.1	41.5	10.7	5.2	29.7	10.7	11.3	35.1	7.7
Non-smoker (b)	8.6	58.3	7.6	12.0	68.7	4.6	20.6	64.0	4.3
Total (c)	14.7	100.0	—	17.5	100.0	—	32.2	100.0	—

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Table 8A.1.1 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: smoker status by age and sex, 2002

	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
All persons 15 years or over									
Regular smoker	68.3	50.5	2.9	68.9	46.9	3.0	137.2	48.6	2.5
Total smokers (a)	71.4	52.8	2.9	72.2	49.1	2.9	143.6	50.9	2.4
Non-smoker (b)	63.1	46.7	3.3	73.6	50.1	2.8	136.7	48.4	2.5
Total (c)	135.2	100.0	–	147.0	100.0	–	282.2	100.0	–

(a) Includes occasional smokers.

(b) Comprises ex-smokers and persons who never smoked.

(c) Includes not stated responses.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4714.0 (unpublished).

Table 8A.1.2

Table 8A.1.2 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: smoker status by age and remoteness, 2002

	<i>Remote</i>			<i>Non-remote</i>			<i>Australia</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
15-24 years									
Regular smoker	10.6	47.3	4.6	26.2	43.4	6.9	36.8	44.5	5.3
Total smokers (a)	11.3	50.6	4.4	28.4	47.1	6.4	39.7	48.0	4.9
Non-smoker (b)	10.4	46.8	5.1	32.0	52.9	5.6	42.4	51.3	4.6
Total (c)	22.3	100.0	0.3	60.4	100.0	0.1	82.7	100.0	—
25-34 years									
Regular smoker	11.2	56.6	4.0	28.0	54.7	4.6	39.3	55.2	3.5
Total smokers (a)	12.0	60.2	3.6	28.7	56.1	4.5	40.7	57.3	3.3
Non-smoker (b)	7.4	37.3	5.5	22.5	43.9	5.7	29.9	42.1	4.5
Total (c)	19.9	100.0	0.1	51.2	100.0	0.1	71.1	100.0	—
35-44 years									
Regular smoker	8.3	54.2	6.3	23.7	55.9	4.4	32.0	55.4	3.7
Total smokers (a)	8.8	57.4	6.0	24.2	57.1	4.3	33.0	57.1	3.6
Non-smoker (b)	6.1	39.8	7.7	18.2	42.9	5.8	24.3	42.1	4.8
Total (c)	15.4	100.0	0.3	42.4	100.0	0.1	57.8	100.0	—
45-54 years									
Regular smoker	5.4	53.2	8.4	13.0	46.0	7.4	18.4	47.9	5.6
Total smokers (a)	5.6	54.8	8.2	13.3	47.0	7.2	18.8	49.0	5.5
Non-smoker (b)	4.5	44.2	9.7	15.0	53.0	6.4	19.5	50.7	5.3
Total (c)	10.1	100.0	0.6	28.2	100.0	0.2	38.4	100.0	—
55 years or over									
Regular smoker	3.4	35.5	8.0	7.4	32.4	11.2	10.7	33.3	8.2
Total smokers (a)	3.5	37.0	8.0	7.8	34.3	10.3	11.3	35.1	7.7
Non-smoker (b)	5.6	59.7	5.3	15.0	65.7	5.4	20.6	64.0	4.3
Total (c)	9.4	100.0	0.5	22.8	100.0	0.2	32.2	100.0	—

Table 8A.1.2

Table 8A.1.2 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: smoker status by age and remoteness, 2002

	<i>Remote</i>			<i>Non-remote</i>			<i>Australia</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
All persons 15 years or over									
Regular smoker	38.9	50.4	2.8	98.3	48.0	3.1	137.2	48.6	2.5
Total smokers (a)	41.2	53.3	2.8	102.4	50.0	3.0	143.6	50.9	2.4
Non-smoker (b)	34.1	44.2	3.2	102.6	50.0	3.0	136.7	48.4	2.5
Total (c)	77.1	100.0	0.3	205.1	100.0	0.1	282.2	100.0	–

(a) Includes occasional smokers.

(b) Comprises ex-smokers and persons who never smoked.

(c) Includes not stated responses.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4714.0 (unpublished).

Table 8A.1.3

Table 8A.1.3 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: alcohol consumption by sex, 2002 (a)

	Males			Females			Persons		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
15-17 years									
Low risk	5.2	43.9	13.6	3.8	34.0	16.6	9.0	39.1	10.3
Medium risk	0.1	1.0	86.8	0.9	7.6	45.7	1.0	4.3	41.6
High risk	0.2	1.5	80.7	0.1	0.9	64.1	0.3	1.2	56.2
Drank only once in last 12 months	1.5	13.1	32.2	2.1	19.0	30.4	3.7	16.0	22.9
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (b)</i>	7.0	60.0	11.1	6.9	61.5	12.7	14.0	60.7	7.4
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	4.7	40.0	13.8	4.3	38.5	15.3	9.0	39.3	10.7
Total	11.7	100.0	5.7	11.3	100.0	7.4	23.0	100.0	4.2
18-24 years									
Low risk	12.3	67.3	7.3	10.8	56.2	8.9	23.1	61.6	6.4
Medium risk	2.3	12.4	31.6	1.8	9.6	21.9	4.1	11.0	19.8
High risk	0.7	3.6	41.6	0.9	4.6	31.4	1.5	4.1	24.7
Drank only once in last 12 months	1.3	7.1	42.9	1.9	9.9	25.0	3.2	8.5	24.9
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (b)</i>	16.9	92.4	4.5	15.7	81.7	6.2	32.5	86.9	3.6
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	1.4	7.6	26.2	3.5	18.3	15.7	4.9	13.1	13.6
Total	18.3	100.0	3.7	19.2	100.0	4.3	37.4	100.0	2.6
15-24 years									
Low risk	17.5	58.3	6.5	14.6	47.9	7.9	32.1	53.1	5.4
Medium risk	2.4	8.0	30.5	2.7	8.9	21.1	5.1	8.4	17.9
High risk	0.9	3.0	37.0	1.0	3.3	29.0	1.8	3.0	22.6
<i>Medium/high risk</i>	3.3	11.0	24.4	3.7	12.1	17.3	6.9	11.4	14.5
Drank only once in last 12 months	2.8	9.3	26.3	4.0	13.1	19.9	6.9	11.4	16.9
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (b)</i>	23.9	79.7	4.5	22.6	74.1	5.8	46.5	77.0	3.4
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	6.1	20.3	12.2	7.8	25.6	11.0	13.9	23.0	8.4
Total	30.0	100.0	3.2	30.5	100.0	3.9	60.4	100.0	2.3
25-34 years									
Low risk	15.7	66.1	5.0	14.6	53.1	5.2	30.3	59.2	3.6
Medium risk	2.2	9.4	26.0	2.6	9.5	22.7	4.8	9.4	16.7
High risk	1.3	5.6	20.9	0.8	3.0	25.6	2.1	4.2	17.8

Table 8A.1.3

Table 8A.1.3 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: alcohol consumption by sex, 2002 (a)

	Males			Females			Persons		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
<i>Medium/high risk</i>	3.5	15.0	18.1	3.4	12.5	18.4	6.9	13.6	12.8
Drank only once in last 12 months	1.0	4.1	26.6	3.0	11.0	14.5	4.0	7.8	13.3
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (b)</i>	20.3	85.2	3.3	21.4	78.0	3.0	41.7	81.4	2.4
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	3.5	14.8	19.2	6.0	22.0	10.7	9.5	18.6	10.5
Total	23.8	100.0	–	27.4	100.0	0.1	51.2	100.0	0.1
35-44 years									
Low risk	12.3	61.6	5.6	9.7	43.2	7.0	22.0	51.9	4.4
Medium risk	1.5	7.3	27.3	3.0	13.4	15.8	4.5	10.5	13.9
High risk	2.7	13.6	21.3	1.2	5.5	26.0	4.0	9.3	17.1
<i>Medium/high risk</i>	4.2	20.9	16.8	4.2	18.9	13.5	8.5	19.8	10.9
Drank only once in last 12 months	0.9	4.3	28.7	3.0	13.5	17.6	3.9	9.2	14.7
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (b)</i>	17.5	87.7	2.2	17.0	76.0	3.6	34.6	81.5	2.2
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	2.5	12.3	15.6	5.4	24.0	11.5	7.8	18.5	9.7
Total	20.0	100.0	0.1	22.4	100.0	0.1	42.4	100.0	0.1
45-54 years									
Low risk	7.4	55.2	8.7	6.7	45.2	12.3	14.1	49.9	8.4
Medium risk	1.5	11.1	26.5	1.3	8.7	38.4	2.8	9.8	22.9
High risk	1.3	9.4	23.9	0.7	4.4	44.6	1.9	6.8	22.6
<i>Medium/high risk</i>	2.8	20.5	18.0	2.0	13.1	29.4	4.7	16.6	16.4
Drank only once in last 12 months	0.5	3.7	39.1	1.0	6.7	25.9	1.5	5.3	22.4
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (b)</i>	10.7	79.7	4.9	9.8	66.3	5.9	20.5	72.7	4.4
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	2.7	20.3	19.3	5.0	33.7	11.7	7.7	27.3	11.7
Total	13.4	100.0	0.3	14.8	100.0	0.1	28.2	100.0	0.2
55 years or over									
Low risk	3.6	34.1	14.8	3.2	26.2	16.6	6.8	29.8	10.5
Medium risk	1.6	15.5	38.8	0.5	4.0	34.2	2.1	9.3	30.8
High risk	0.4	3.8	43.9	0.3	2.3	45.8	0.7	3.0	31.8
<i>Medium/high risk</i>	2.0	19.3	32.3	0.8	6.3	27.4	2.8	12.3	24.4
Drank only once in last 12 months	0.4	3.9	31.8	1.0	8.1	27.7	1.4	6.2	22.2

Table 8A.1.3

Table 8A.1.3 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: alcohol consumption by sex, 2002 (a)

	Males			Females			Persons		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (c)</i>	6.0	57.4	9.0	5.1	41.2	11.3	11.1	48.6	7.1
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	4.4	42.6	12.1	7.3	58.8	7.9	11.7	51.4	6.7
Total	10.4	100.0	0.2	12.3	100.0	0.3	22.8	100.0	0.2
All persons aged 15 years or over									
Low risk	56.4	57.8	2.9	48.8	45.4	3.8	105.2	51.3	2.7
Medium risk	9.2	9.4	12.5	10.1	9.4	11.8	19.3	9.4	9.5
High risk	6.5	6.7	12.9	4.0	3.7	14.7	10.5	5.1	10.4
Medium/high risk	15.7	16.1	9.1	14.1	13.1	9.4	29.8	14.5	7.2
Drank only once in last 12 months	5.6	5.7	18.2	12.1	11.3	9.6	17.7	8.6	10.8
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (c)</i>	78.4	80.3	1.7	76.0	70.7	2.0	154.3	75.3	1.4
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	19.2	19.7	6.9	31.5	29.3	4.8	50.7	24.7	4.3
Total	97.6	100.0	0.1	107.5	100.0	0.1	205.1	100.0	0.1

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution; Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) The alcohol risk levels are defined by the National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) based on the amount of daily usual alcohol consumption as follows: low risk (males) - 50ml or less; low risk (females) - 25ml or less; medium risk (males) - more than 50ml, up to 75ml; medium risk (females) - more than 25ml, up to 50ml; high risk (males) - more than 75ml; and high risk (females) - more than 50ml.

(c) Includes persons who drank alcohol, but did not state the amount.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002, Cat. no. 4714.0 (unpublished).

Table 8A.1.4

Table 8A.1.4 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: alcohol consumption by remoteness, 2002(a)

	<i>Remote</i>			<i>Non-remote</i>			<i>Australia</i>		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
<i>Alcohol consumption over last 12 months</i>									
	<i>Males</i>								
Low risk	14.8	39.3	7.0	56.4	57.8	2.9	71.2	52.7	2.7
Medium risk	4.3	11.5	15.2	9.2	9.4	12.5	13.5	10.0	10.3
High risk	3.1	8.2	14.1	6.5	6.7	12.9	9.6	7.1	9.7
<i>Medium/high risk</i>	7.4	19.7	10.6	15.7	16.1	9.1	23.1	17.1	7.2
Drank only once in last 12 months	1.3	3.5	21.1	5.6	5.7	18.2	6.9	5.1	15.3
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (b)</i>	23.8	63.4	4.4	78.4	80.3	1.7	102.2	75.6	1.6
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	13.8	36.6	7.7	19.2	19.7	6.9	33.0	24.4	4.8
Total	37.6	100.0	0.3	97.6	100.0	0.1	135.2	100.0	–
	<i>Females</i>								
Low risk	10.0	25.3	7.7	48.8	45.4	3.8	58.8	40.0	3.4
Medium risk	3.4	8.6	9.1	10.1	9.4	11.8	13.5	9.2	9.2
High risk	2.1	5.4	20.9	4.0	3.7	14.7	6.1	4.2	11.5
<i>Medium/high risk</i>	5.5	14.0	9.8	14.1	13.1	9.4	19.6	13.4	7.3
Drank only once in last 12 months	1.8	4.6	13.8	12.1	11.3	9.6	13.9	9.5	8.4
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (b)</i>	17.5	44.4	5.4	76.0	70.7	2.0	93.5	63.6	1.9
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	22.0	55.6	4.3	31.5	29.3	4.8	53.5	36.4	3.3
Total	39.5	100.0	0.4	107.5	100.0	0.1	147.0	100.0	–

Table 8A.1.4

Table 8A.1.4 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: alcohol consumption by remoteness, 2002(a)

	Remote			Non-remote			Australia		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
<i>All persons</i>									
Low risk	24.8	32.2	6.7	105.2	51.3	2.7	130.0	46.1	2.5
Medium risk	7.7	10.0	10.9	19.3	9.4	9.5	27.0	9.6	7.6
High risk	5.2	6.8	12.0	10.5	5.1	10.4	15.7	5.6	7.8
<i>Medium/high risk</i>	12.9	16.8	8.1	29.8	14.5	7.2	42.7	15.2	5.6
Drank only once in last 12 months	3.1	4.1	13.2	17.7	8.6	10.8	20.8	7.4	9.3
<i>Has drunk alcohol in last 12 months (b)</i>	41.4	53.6	4.6	154.3	75.3	1.4	195.7	69.4	1.4
<i>Has not drunk alcohol in last 12 months</i>	35.8	46.4	5.3	50.7	24.7	4.3	86.5	30.6	3.3
Total	77.1	100.0	0.3	205.1	100.0	0.1	282.2	100.0	–

(a) The alcohol risk levels are defined by the National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC) based on the amount of daily usual alcohol consumption as follows: low risk (males) - 50ml or less; low risk (females) - 25ml or less; medium risk (males) - more than 50ml, up to 75ml; medium risk (females) - more than 25ml, up to 50ml; high risk (males) - more than 75ml; and high risk (females) - more than 50ml.

(b) Includes persons who drank alcohol, but did not state the amount.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

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Table 8A.1.5

Table 8A.1.5 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: smoker status, 1994

	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%
15-24 years			
Smokes	33.2	46.7	4.2
Does not smoke	37.7	53.1	3.7
Total (a)	71.0	100.0	—
25-34 years			
Smokes	36.6	62.7	3.8
Does not smoke	21.7	37.2	6.4
Total (a)	58.3	100.0	—
35-44 years			
Smokes	22.8	56.4	4.3
Does not smoke	17.6	43.5	5.6
Total (a)	40.4	100.0	—
45-54 years			
Smokes	11.5	49.0	5.8
Does not smoke	11.9	50.8	5.7
Total (a)	23.4	100.0	—
55 years or over			
Smokes	7.0	32.5	11.8
Does not smoke	14.5	67.5	5.7
Total (a)	21.5	100.0	—
All persons 15 years or over			
Smokes	111.0	51.7	2.5
Does not smoke	103.4	48.2	2.8
Total (a)	214.6	100.0	—

(a) Includes not stated responses.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 1994*, Cat. no. 4714.0 (unpublished).

Table 8A.1.6

Table 8A.1.6 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: smoker status by sex

	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
1994									
Smoker (a)	56.5	55.3	3.2	54.5	48.5	2.9	111.0	51.7	2.5
Non-smoker (b)	45.6	44.6	3.9	57.8	51.4	2.8	103.4	48.2	2.8
Total (c)	102.2	100.0	–	112.4	100.0	–	214.6	100.0	–
2002									
Smoker (a)	71.4	52.8	2.9	72.2	49.1	2.9	143.6	50.9	2.4
Non-smoker (b)	63.1	46.7	3.3	73.6	50.1	2.8	136.7	48.4	2.5
Total (c)	135.2	100.0	–	147.0	100.0	–	282.2	100.0	–

(a) Includes occasional smokers.

(b) Comprises ex-smokers and persons who never smoked.

(c) Includes not stated responses.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002, 1994, Cat. no. 4714.0 (unpublished).

Table 8A.1.7

Table 8A.1.7 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: smoker status by State and Territory (a)

	1994			2002		
	Estimate '000	Proportion %	RSE %	Estimate '000	Proportion %	RSE %
NSW						
Smoker (b)	31.8	52.6	5.3	44.3	52.9	5.1
Non-smoker (c)	28.6	47.4	5.8	39.5	47.1	5.7
Total (d)	60.4	100.0	0.4	83.8	100.0	—
Vic						
Smoker (b)	7.5	58.6	6.7	9.4	53.9	4.6
Non-smoker (c)	5.3	41.4	9.5	8.0	46.1	5.4
Total (d)	12.7	100.0	—	17.4	100.0	—
Qld						
Smoker (b)	29.0	50.2	4.9	38.4	50.5	4.1
Non-smoker (c)	28.6	49.4	5.2	37.6	49.5	4.2
Total (d)	57.8	100.0	—	76.0	100.0	—
WA						
Smoker (b)	15.9	50.7	4.3	19.0	47.9	5.4
Non-smoker (c)	15.4	49.3	4.4	20.6	52.1	5.0
Total (d)	31.3	100.0	—	39.6	100.0	—
SA						
Smoker (b)	7.1	57.7	7.2	7.6	48.0	5.3
Non-smoker (c)	5.2	42.3	9.8	8.2	51.9	4.9
Total (d)	12.2	100.0	—	15.8	100.0	—
Tas						
Smoker (b)	4.1	48.9	7.9	4.8	44.0	6.2
Non-smoker (c)	4.3	51.1	7.5	6.1	56.0	4.9
Total (d)	8.4	100.0	—	10.9	100.0	—
NT						
Smoker (b)	15.0	49.8	4.7	19.0	52.6	4.8
Non-smoker (c)	15.0	50.0	4.7	15.3	42.2	5.6
Total (d)	30.1	100.0	—	36.2	100.0	—
ACT						
Smoker (b)	0.7	43.1	26.2	1.1	44.7	7.4
Non-smoker (c)	1.0	56.9	30.8	1.4	55.3	6.0
Total (d)	1.7	100.0	13.5	2.6	100.0	—
Aust						
Smoker (b)	111.0	51.7	2.5	143.6	50.9	2.4
Non-smoker (c)	103.4	48.2	2.8	136.7	48.4	2.5
Total (d)	214.6	100.0	—	282.2	100.0	—

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution; Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Includes occasional smokers.

(c) Comprises ex-smokers and persons who never smoked.

(d) Includes not stated responses.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002, 1994, Cat no. 4714.0 (unpublished).

Table 8A.2.1

Table 8A.2.1 **Alcohol involvement in Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicides (a)**

	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous (c)</i>		<i>Inter-Racial (d)</i>		<i>Total (e)</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
1999-2000								
Both victim and offender drinking	29.0	72.5	62.0	20.7	8.0	53.3	99.0	28.0
Victim drinking but not offender	–	..	30.0	10.0	–	..	30.0	8.5
Offender drinking but not victim	5.0	12.5	19.0	6.4	4.0	26.7	28.0	7.9
Neither drinking	6.0	15.0	188.0	62.9	3.0	20.0	197.0	55.6
Total	40.0	100.0	299.0	100.0	15.0	100.0	354.0	100.0
2000-01								
Both victim and offender drinking	42.0	85.7	49.0	18.1	4.0	18.2	95.0	27.9
Victim drinking but not offender	–	..	22.0	8.1	2.0	9.1	24.0	7.0
Offender drinking but not victim	2.0	4.1	25.0	9.3	1.0	4.5	28.0	8.2
Neither drinking	5.0	10.2	174.0	64.4	15.0	68.2	194.0	56.9
Total	49.0	100.0	270.0	100.0	22.0	100.0	341.0	100.0
2001-02								
Both victim and offender drinking	34.0	61.8	52.0	15.9	6.0	30.0	92.0	22.9
Victim drinking but not offender	2.0	3.6	20.0	6.1	3.0	15.0	25.0	6.2
Offender drinking but not victim	11.0	20.0	24.0	7.3	5.0	25.0	40.0	10.0
Neither drinking	8.0	14.5	231.0	70.6	6.0	30.0	245.0	60.9
Total	55.0	100.0	327.0	100.0	20.0	100.0	402.0	100.0
2002-03								
Both victim and offender drinking	22.0	64.7	64.0	23.9	10.0	35.7	96.0	29.1
Victim drinking but not offender	1.0	2.9	18.0	6.7	3.0	10.7	22.0	6.7
Offender drinking but not victim	5.0	14.7	32.0	11.9	2.0	7.1	39.0	11.8
Neither drinking	6.0	17.6	154.0	57.5	13.0	46.4	173.0	52.4
Total	34.0	100.0	268.0	100.0	28.0	100.0	330.0	100.0
1999-2000 to 2002-03								
Both victim and offender drinking	127.0	71.3	227.0	19.5	28.0	32.9	382.0	26.8
Victim drinking but not offender	3.0	1.7	90.0	7.7	8.0	9.4	101.0	7.1
Offender drinking but not victim	23.0	12.9	100.0	8.6	12.0	14.1	135.0	9.5
Neither drinking	25.0	14.0	747.0	64.2	37.0	43.5	809.0	56.7

Table 8A.2.1

Table 8A.2.1 Alcohol involvement in Indigenous and non-Indigenous homicides (a)

	<i>Indigenous (b)</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous (c)</i>		<i>Inter-Racial (d)</i>		<i>Total (e)</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Total	178.0	100.0	1 164.0	100.0	85.0	100.0	1 427.0	100.0

(a) Homicide includes murder and manslaughter, but excludes driving causing death.

(b) Indigenous homicides are where both victims and offenders of homicide are either Indigenous and/or Torres Strait Islanders.

(c) Non-Indigenous homicides are where both victims and offenders are not Indigenous. Includes victims and offenders who are Caucasian, Asian and Maori/Pacific Islanders.

(d) Inter-racial homicides are where either the victim or the offender is Indigenous. Includes homicides involving: an Indigenous offender and non-Indigenous victim, and non-Indigenous offender and an Indigenous victim.

(e) Where an offender has been identified.

.. Not applicable; – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Australian Institute of Criminology National Homicide Monitoring Program, 1999-2000 to 2002-03 (unpublished).

Table 8A.2.2

Table 8A.2.2 Hospital separations related to alcohol use (per 1000 population), 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Male			Female			All persons		
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total
Australia (e)									
Mental/behavioural disorders (F10)	9.2	1.9	2.0	4.0	1.1	1.2	6.5	1.5	1.6
acute intoxication (F10.0)	3.5	0.5	0.5	2.3	0.3	0.3	2.9	0.4	0.4
harmful use (F10.1)	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1
dependence syndrome (F10.2)	2.4	1.0	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.6	0.9	0.9
other (F10.3–F10.9)	2.9	0.3	0.3	0.7	0.1	0.1	1.7	0.2	0.2
Alcoholic liver disease (K70)	1.5	0.3	0.3	0.9	0.1	0.1	1.2	0.2	0.2
Accidental poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X45)	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Intentional self-poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X65)	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2
NSW									
Mental/behavioural disorders (F10)	10.8	2.1	2.2	4.4	1.2	1.3	7.5	1.6	1.7
acute intoxication (F10.0)	3.5	0.5	0.6	2.2	0.3	0.4	2.8	0.4	0.5
harmful use (F10.1)	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1
dependence syndrome (F10.2)	4.7	1.1	1.2	1.4	0.7	0.7	3.0	0.9	0.9
other (F10.3–F10.9)	2.2	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.1	1.3	0.2	0.2
Alcoholic liver disease (K70)	1.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.9	0.2	0.2
Accidental poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X45)	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	–	–	0.1	0.0	0.0
Intentional self-poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X65)	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.1
Vic									
Mental/behavioural disorders (F10)	7.3	1.7	1.7	2.4	1.1	1.2	4.8	1.4	1.4
acute intoxication (F10.0)	3.7	0.5	0.5	1.6	0.2	0.3	2.6	0.4	0.4
harmful use (F10.1)	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	–	–	0.3	0.1	0.1
dependence syndrome (F10.2)	1.8	1.0	1.0	0.2	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.9
other (F10.3–F10.9)	1.5	0.2	0.2	0.3	–	–	0.9	0.1	0.1
Alcoholic liver disease (K70)	1.3	0.3	0.3	1.4	0.1	0.1	1.4	0.2	0.2
Accidental poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X45)	0.6	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.4	0.1	0.1
Intentional self-poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X65)	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2
Qld									
Mental/behavioural disorders (F10)	9.1	2.0	2.2	3.5	1.3	1.4	6.1	1.6	1.8

Table 8A.2.2

Table 8A.2.2 Hospital separations related to alcohol use (per 1000 population), 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Male			Female			All persons		
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total
acute intoxication (F10.0)	3.0	0.3	0.4	1.8	0.2	0.3	2.3	0.3	0.3
harmful use (F10.1)	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.1
dependence syndrome (F10.2)	2.1	1.3	1.3	0.7	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.1	1.2
other (F10.3–F10.9)	3.6	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.1	0.1	2.1	0.1	0.2
Alcoholic liver disease (K70)	1.0	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.8	0.2	0.2
Accidental poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X45)	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Intentional self-poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X65)	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
WA									
Mental/behavioural disorders (F10)	12.7	1.8	2.1	7.2	1.1	1.3	9.8	1.4	1.7
acute intoxication (F10.0)	6.4	0.6	0.8	4.8	0.4	0.6	5.5	0.5	0.7
harmful use (F10.1)	1.0	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.9	0.2	0.2
dependence syndrome (F10.2)	1.4	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.0	0.5	0.5
other (F10.3–F10.9)	3.9	0.3	0.4	1.1	0.1	0.1	2.4	0.2	0.3
Alcoholic liver disease (K70)	2.8	0.3	0.3	1.7	0.1	0.1	2.2	0.2	0.2
Accidental poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X45)	0.4	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1
Intentional self-poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X65)	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
SA									
Mental/behavioural disorders (F10)	10.2	1.3	1.4	5.6	0.6	0.7	7.8	0.9	1.0
acute intoxication (F10.0)	4.1	0.4	0.4	4.1	0.2	0.2	4.1	0.3	0.3
harmful use (F10.1)	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	n.p.
dependence syndrome (F10.2)	2.2	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.3	0.3	1.5	0.4	0.5
other (F10.3–F10.9)	3.5	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.1	0.1	1.9	0.1	0.2
Alcoholic liver disease (K70)	3.1	0.3	0.3	1.1	0.1	0.1	2.0	0.2	0.2
Accidental poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X45)	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	n.p.
Intentional self-poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X65)	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	np	n.p.
NT									
Mental/behavioural disorders (F10)	4.3	0.4	1.0	1.7	0.2	0.4	2.9	0.3	0.7
acute intoxication (F10.0)	1.3	0.1	0.3	0.9	–	0.2	1.1	0.1	0.2
harmful use (F10.1)	–	–	–	0.1	–	–	0.1	0.0	0.0

Table 8A.2.2

Table 8A.2.2 Hospital separations related to alcohol use (per 1000 population), 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	<i>Male</i>			<i>Female</i>			<i>All persons</i>		
	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Total</i>
dependence syndrome (F10.2)	0.1	0.1	0.1	–	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
other (F10.3–F10.9)	2.8	0.2	0.6	0.8	–	0.1	1.8	0.1	0.4
Alcoholic liver disease (K70)	1.7	0.2	0.3	1.4	–	0.2	1.6	0.1	0.3
Accidental poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X45)	0.3	–	0.1	0.2	–	–	0.3	0.0	0.0
Intentional self-poisoning by and exposure to alcohol (X65)	0.1	–	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1

(a) Principal diagnoses are based on ICD-10-AM (3rd edition) codes.

(b) The hospital separation rates (per 1000 population) were directly age standardised to the 30 June 2001 Estimated Residential Population using 30 June 2002 Estimated Residential Population as divisors.

(c) Hospital separation is the discharge, transfer, death or change of episode of care of an admitted patient (see glossary for a detailed definition).

(d) Non-Indigenous data includes separations where Indigenous status were not reported.

(e) Australia includes all States and Territories.

np Not published due to less than 5 separations. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW National hospital morbidity database (unpublished).

Table 8A.3.1

Table 8A.3.1 **Main types of hospital separations related to drug use (a)**

	<i>Hospital separations</i>				<i>Age standardised rate (b)</i>	
	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Not stated</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>
	no.	no.	no.	no.	per 1000	per 1000
2001-02						
Poisoning						
T36-T39: antibiotics and hormones	217	6 362	2 096	8 787	0.5	0.3
T40: narcotics, including opium, heroin, methadone and cocaine	58	2 006	1 096	3 195	0.1	0.1
T42: antiepileptic, sedative-hypnotic and antiparkinsonism drugs	333	9 085	3 813	13 369	0.8	0.5
T43: psychotropic drugs, includes antidepressants	230	7 243	2 869	10 430	0.5	0.4
T52: toxic effect of organic solvents	31	313	211	534	0.1	–
Accidental poisoning						
X41: includes antidepressants and barbiturates	189	4 453	2 138	6 839	0.4	0.2
X42: narcotics (includes cannabis, cocaine, heroin, opium, methadone) and hallucinogens	53	1 629	932	2 647	0.1	0.1
X46: organic solvents, including petroleum derivatives	28	284	207	511	0.1	–
X49: unspecified (includes glues and paints)	71	2 384	1 372	3 843	0.2	0.1
Mental/behavioural disorders						
F11: from use of opioids	125	3 529	2 366	6 130	0.3	0.2
F12 from use of cannabinoids	215	2 552	1 862	4 595	0.4	0.1
F13 from use of sedatives	27	1 017	671	1 784	0.1	0.1
F14: from use of cocaine	8	209	156	375	–	–
F15: from use of other stimulants	156	2 541	1 793	4 503	0.3	0.1
F18: from use of volatile solvents	58	88	77	222	0.1	–
F19: from use of multiple drug and psychoactive substances	259	2 769	2 064	5 092	0.5	0.1
Other						
B17.1: Acute hepatitis C	9	174	114	294	–	–
O35.5: Maternal care for suspected damage to fetus by drugs	5	52	–	62	–	–
P96.1: Neonatal withdrawal symptoms from maternal use of drugs of addiction	43	533	305	891	0.1	–
2002-03						
Poisoning	755	19117	331	20203	1.6	1.0
T36-T39: antibiotics and hormones	55	789	13	857	0.1	0.0
T40: narcotics, including opium, heroin, methadone and cocaine	85	2000	30	2115	0.2	0.1

Table 8A.3.1

Table 8A.3.1 **Main types of hospital separations related to drug use (a)**

	Hospital separations				Age standardised rate (b)	
	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Not stated</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>
	no.	no.	no.	no.	per 1000	per 1000
T42: antiepileptic, sedative-hypnotic and antiparkinsonism drugs	319	8853	147	9319	0.7	0.5
T43: psychotropic drugs, includes antidepressants	253	7181	131	7565	0.5	0.4
T52: toxic effect of organic solvents	43	294	10	347	0.1	–
Accidental poisoning	356	8431	145	8932	0.7	0.4
X41: includes antidepressants and barbiturates	185	4559	81	4825	0.4	0.2
X42: narcotics (includes cannabis, cocaine, heroin, opium, methadone) and hallucinogens	73	1800	30	1903	0.1	0.1
X46: organic solvents, including petroleum derivatives	35	279	9	323	0.1	–
X49: unspecified (includes glues and paints)	84	2293	32	2409	0.2	0.1
Mental/behavioural disorders	894	11787	431	13112	1.8	0.6
F11: from use of opioids	166	3595	164	3925	0.4	0.2
F12 from use of cannabinoids	217	2142	39	2398	0.4	0.1
F13 from use of sedatives	19	838	103	960	–	–
F14: from use of cocaine	<5	51	<5	55	np	np
F15: from use of other stimulants	190	2430	56	2676	0.4	0.1
F18: from use of volatile solvents	66	np	<5	137	np	np
F19: from use of multiple drug and psychoactive substances	233	2663	65	2961	0.5	0.1
Other	61	702	31	794	0.1	–
B17.1: Acute hepatitis C	7	np	<5	142	np	np
O35.5: Maternal care for suspected damage to fetus by drugs	<5	np	–	37	np	np
P96.1: Neonatal withdrawal symptoms from maternal use of drugs of addiction	53	533	29	615	0.1	–

(a) Principal diagnoses are based on ICD-10-AM codes.

(b) The hospital separation rates (per 1000 population) were directly age standardised to the 30 June 2001 Estimated Residential Population.

np Not published due to less than 5 separations. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW National hospital morbidity database (unpublished).

Table 8A.3.2

Table 8A.3.2 **NSW: Age standardised hospital separations related to drug use, 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)**

	Male			Female			All persons		
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio
	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.
Poisoning	1.49	0.73	2.04	1.07	1.10	0.97	0.90	0.92	0.98
T36-T39: antibiotics and hormones	0.03	0.03	0.87	0.05	0.05	0.98	0.04	0.04	0.99
T40: narcotics, including opium, heroin, methadone and cocaine	0.32	0.12	2.63	0.10	0.10	0.96	0.11	0.11	0.97
T42: antiepileptic, sedative-hypnotic and antiparkinsonism drugs	0.43	0.31	1.39	0.50	0.51	0.97	0.40	0.41	0.98
T43: psychotropic drugs, includes antidepressants	0.62	0.26	2.40	0.42	0.43	0.98	0.34	0.35	0.98
T52: toxic effect of organic solvents	0.10	0.01	6.81	0.01	0.01	1.00	0.01	0.01	0.88
Accidental poisoning	0.68	0.40	1.71	0.38	0.38	0.98	0.39	0.40	0.98
X41: includes antidepressants and barbiturates	0.36	0.18	1.96	0.22	0.22	0.98	0.20	0.20	0.98
X42: narcotics (includes cannabis, cocaine, heroin, opium, and methadone) and hallucinogens	0.26	0.10	2.49	0.08	0.09	0.97	0.09	0.10	0.97
X46: organic solvents, including petroleum derivatives	0.04	0.02	2.05	0.01	0.01	1.03	0.01	0.01	0.97
X49: unspecified (includes glues and paints)	0.07	0.12	0.60	0.09	0.09	0.99	0.11	0.11	0.99
Mental/behavioural disorders	2.82	1.14	2.47	0.57	0.60	0.94	0.86	0.89	0.96
F11: from use of opioids	1.21	0.45	2.67	0.25	0.26	0.96	0.35	0.36	0.97
F12 from use of cannabinoids	0.62	0.23	2.63	0.09	0.09	0.92	0.16	0.17	0.95
F13 from use of sedatives	0.03	0.05	0.48	0.06	0.06	1.00	0.06	0.06	1.00
F14: from use of cocaine	0.01	0.01	1.60	—	—	0.96	0.01	0.01	0.97
F15: from use of other stimulants	0.46	0.20	2.34	0.09	0.10	0.94	0.15	0.15	0.96
F18: from use of volatile solvents	0.05	0.01	9.24	—	—	0.51	—	—	0.76
F19: from use of multiple drug and psychoactive substances	0.44	0.19	2.26	0.07	0.08	0.89	0.13	0.14	0.95
Other	0.14	0.04	3.48	0.05	0.05	0.99	0.05	0.05	0.96
B17.1: Acute hepatitis C	0.03	0.01	5.87	—	—	1.02	—	0.01	0.96
035.5 Maternal care for suspected damage to fetus by drugs	—	—	—	0.01	0.01	1.02	—	—	1.02
P96.1: Neonatal withdrawal symptoms from maternal use of drugs of addiction	0.11	0.03	3.12	0.04	0.04	0.98	0.04	0.04	0.95

(a) Hospital data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) The hospital separation rates (per 1000 population) were directly age standardised to the 30 June 2001 Estimated Residential Population.

(c) The hospital separations related to drug use are based on the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems*, 10th Revision, Australian Modification (ICD-10-AM).

(d) The rate ratio is equal to the separation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the separation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW hospital morbidity database (unpublished).

Table 8A.3.3

Table 8A.3.3 **Victoria: Age standardised hospital separations related to drug use, 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)**

	Male			Female			All persons		
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio
	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.
Poisoning	1.81	0.85	2.12	2.43	1.38	1.76	2.12	1.12	1.90
T36-T39: antibiotics and hormones	–	0.02	–	0.19	0.06	3.03	0.10	0.04	2.28
T40: narcotics, including opium, heroin, methadone and cocaine	0.38	0.12	3.18	0.23	0.10	2.25	0.30	0.11	2.70
T42: antiepileptic, sedative-hypnotic and antiparkinsonism drugs	0.84	0.40	2.09	1.06	0.69	1.55	0.96	0.55	1.75
T43: psychotropic drugs, includes antidepressants	0.56	0.29	1.94	0.80	0.51	1.56	0.68	0.40	1.70
T52: toxic effect of organic solvents	0.04	0.02	1.50	0.15	0.02	8.99	0.09	0.02	4.54
Accidental poisoning	1.29	0.46	2.79	1.12	0.49	2.32	1.20	0.47	2.54
X41: includes antidepressants and barbiturates	0.81	0.23	3.51	0.72	0.29	2.46	0.77	0.26	2.92
X42: narcotics (includes cannabis, cocaine, heroin, opium, and methadone) and hallucinogens	0.33	0.10	3.29	0.22	0.10	2.26	0.27	0.10	2.76
X46: organic solvents, including petroleum derivatives	–	0.02	–	0.15	0.01	10.23	0.08	0.02	4.44
X49: unspecified (includes glues and paints)	0.20	0.14	1.46	0.14	0.11	1.31	0.17	0.13	1.39
Mental/behavioural disorders	1.55	0.51	3.04	1.19	0.29	4.13	1.38	0.40	3.47
F11: from use of opioids	0.16	0.12	1.33	0.06	0.08	0.72	0.11	0.10	1.06
F12 from use of cannabinoids	0.39	0.13	2.99	0.25	0.05	5.47	0.32	0.09	3.66
F13 from use of sedatives	–	0.02	–	0.31	0.04	8.38	0.16	0.03	5.24
F14: from use of cocaine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
F15: from use of other stimulants	0.15	0.05	2.85	–	0.03	–	0.08	0.04	1.92
F18: from use of volatile solvents	0.11	–	52.29	–	–	–	0.06	–	39.08
F19: from use of multiple drug and psychoactive substances	0.73	0.17	4.19	0.57	0.10	5.95	0.65	0.13	4.86
Other	0.13	0.04	2.99	0.04	0.04	0.86	0.09	0.04	1.94
B17.1: Acute hepatitis C	0.06	0.01	4.44	–	0.01	–	0.03	0.01	2.61
035.5 Maternal care for suspected damage to fetus by drugs	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
P96.1: Neonatal withdrawal symptoms from maternal use of drugs of addiction	0.08	0.03	2.39	0.04	0.03	1.23	0.06	0.03	1.82

(a) Hospital data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) The hospital separation rates (per 1000 population) were directly age standardised to the 30 June 2001 Estimated Residential Population.

(c) The hospital separations related to drug use are based on the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems*, 10th Revision, Australian Modification (ICD-10-AM).

(d) The rate ratio is equal to the separation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the separation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW hospital morbidity database (unpublished).

Table 8A.3.4

Table 8A.3.4 **Queensland: Age standardised hospital separations related to drug use, 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)**

	Male			Female			All persons		
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio
	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.
Poisoning	0.94	0.84	1.12	1.73	1.24	1.39	1.36	1.04	1.32
T36-T39: antibiotics and hormones	0.05	0.04	1.14	0.25	0.06	3.78	0.15	0.05	2.86
T40: narcotics, including opium, heroin, methadone and cocaine	0.13	0.11	1.19	0.09	0.08	1.17	0.11	0.09	1.18
T42: antiepileptic, sedative-hypnotic and antiparkinsonism drugs	0.42	0.37	1.13	0.98	0.58	1.68	0.72	0.48	1.51
T43: psychotropic drugs, includes antidepressants	0.26	0.29	0.90	0.35	0.50	0.71	0.31	0.40	0.80
T52: toxic effect of organic solvents	0.08	0.03	3.24	0.06	0.01	3.95	0.07	0.02	3.46
Accidental poisoning	0.70	0.51	1.37	0.93	0.54	1.74	0.84	0.52	1.60
X41: includes antidepressants and barbiturates	0.30	0.26	1.16	0.53	0.34	1.57	0.43	0.30	1.45
X42: narcotics (includes cannabis, cocaine, heroin, opium, and methadone) and hallucinogens	0.09	0.11	0.87	0.10	0.08	1.20	0.10	0.09	1.03
X46: organic solvents, including petroleum derivatives	0.10	0.02	5.08	0.04	0.02	2.21	0.07	0.02	3.54
X49: unspecified (includes glues and paints)	0.28	0.15	1.81	0.28	0.12	2.30	0.29	0.14	2.07
Mental/behavioural disorders	1.00	0.71	1.41	0.67	0.52	1.28	0.82	0.61	1.34
F11: from use of opioids	0.09	0.15	0.60	0.06	0.14	0.41	0.07	0.15	0.50
F12 from use of cannabinoids	0.35	0.16	2.23	0.09	0.05	1.93	0.21	0.10	2.06
F13 from use of sedatives	0.02	0.06	0.27	0.01	0.09	0.15	0.01	0.08	0.19
F14: from use of cocaine	0.01	—	6.10	—	—	—	0.01	—	3.73
F15: from use of other stimulants	0.23	0.20	1.16	0.18	0.13	1.46	0.20	0.16	1.26
F18: from use of volatile solvents	0.11	0.01	10.09	0.07	0.01	14.70	0.09	0.01	11.41
F19: from use of multiple drug and psychoactive substances	0.19	0.14	1.41	0.24	0.10	2.36	0.22	0.12	1.82
Other	0.08	0.04	2.06	0.02	0.03	0.82	0.05	0.03	1.50
B17.1: Acute hepatitis C	0.02	0.01	1.64	—	0.01	—	0.01	0.01	0.98
035.5 Maternal care for suspected damage to fetus by drugs	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
P96.1: Neonatal withdrawal symptoms from maternal use of drugs of addiction	0.06	0.03	2.21	0.02	0.02	1.22	0.04	0.02	1.80

(a) Hospital data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) The hospital separation rates (per 1000 population) were directly age standardised to the 30 June 2001 Estimated Residential Population.

(c) The hospital separations related to drug use are based on the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems*, 10th Revision, Australian Modification (ICD-10-AM).

(d) The rate ratio is equal to the separation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the separation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW hospital morbidity database (unpublished).

Table 8A.3.5

Table 8A.3.5 **WA: Age standardised hospital separations related to drug use, 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)**

	Male			Female			All persons		
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio
	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.
Poisoning	1.56	1.02	1.53	2.49	1.48	1.69	2.03	1.25	1.63
T36-T39: antibiotics and hormones	0.10	0.03	3.37	0.42	0.05	8.24	0.26	0.04	6.53
T40: narcotics, including opium, heroin, methadone and cocaine	0.16	0.12	1.38	0.15	0.13	1.12	0.15	0.12	1.25
T42: antiepileptic, sedative-hypnotic and antiparkinsonism drugs	0.69	0.47	1.47	1.13	0.63	1.81	0.91	0.55	1.67
T43: psychotropic drugs, includes antidepressants	0.57	0.39	1.48	0.73	0.66	1.12	0.65	0.52	1.26
T52: toxic effect of organic solvents	0.05	0.02	1.94	0.06	0.01	5.39	0.05	0.02	2.98
Accidental poisoning	0.66	0.55	1.21	0.61	0.47	1.32	0.64	0.51	1.27
X41: includes antidepressants and barbiturates	0.41	0.25	1.64	0.24	0.25	0.98	0.32	0.25	1.29
X42: narcotics (includes cannabis, cocaine, heroin, opium, and methadone) and hallucinogens	0.17	0.10	1.69	0.04	0.10	0.41	0.11	0.10	1.03
X46: organic solvents, including petroleum derivatives	0.10	0.03	3.45	0.02	0.01	1.34	0.06	0.02	2.86
X49: unspecified (includes glues and paints)	0.07	0.19	0.35	0.31	0.13	2.45	0.20	0.16	1.26
Mental/behavioural disorders	3.64	1.12	3.26	2.44	0.55	4.42	3.04	0.84	3.61
F11: from use of opioids	0.24	0.17	1.46	0.16	0.17	0.96	0.20	0.17	1.21
F12 from use of cannabinoids	0.93	0.14	6.52	0.48	0.04	13.40	0.71	0.09	7.78
F13 from use of sedatives	0.05	0.04	1.34	0.03	0.04	0.72	0.04	0.04	1.04
F14: from use of cocaine	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
F15: from use of other stimulants	1.15	0.34	3.37	0.80	0.17	4.69	0.97	0.26	3.77
F18: from use of volatile solvents	0.26	0.01	20.17	0.22	0.00	145.91	0.24	0.01	32.23
F19: from use of multiple drug and psychoactive substances	1.00	0.41	2.44	0.76	0.14	5.40	0.88	0.28	3.17
Other	0.08	0.04	1.90	0.09	0.03	2.83	0.08	0.04	2.33
B17.1: Acute hepatitis C	—	0.01	—	0.04	0.01	6.62	0.02	0.01	2.59
035.5 Maternal care for suspected damage to fetus by drugs	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
P96.1: Neonatal withdrawal symptoms from maternal use of drugs of addiction	0.08	0.03	2.52	0.05	0.02	1.91	0.06	0.03	2.25

(a) Hospital data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) The hospital separation rates (per 1000 population) were directly age standardised to the 30 June 2001 Estimated Residential Population.

(c) The hospital separations related to drug use are based on the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems*, 10th Revision, Australian Modification (ICD-10-AM).

(d) The rate ratio is equal to the separation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the separation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW hospital morbidity database (unpublished).

Table 8A.3.6

Table 8A.3.6 **SA: Age standardised hospital separations related to drug use, 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)**

	Male			Female			All persons		
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio
	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.
Poisoning	2.51	0.71	3.54	3.58	1.14	3.14	3.05	0.92	3.31
T36-T39: antibiotics and hormones	–	0.02	–	0.23	0.05	4.35	0.12	0.04	3.14
T40: narcotics, including opium, heroin, methadone and cocaine	0.51	0.09	5.48	0.18	0.09	1.93	0.34	0.09	3.65
T42: antiepileptic, sedative-hypnotic and antiparkinsonism drugs	0.96	0.29	3.26	1.88	0.54	3.48	1.42	0.42	3.41
T43: psychotropic drugs, includes antidepressants	0.99	0.28	3.53	1.24	0.44	2.82	1.12	0.36	3.13
T52: toxic effect of organic solvents	0.04	0.02	2.71	0.04	0.01	4.10	0.04	0.01	3.25
Accidental poisoning	1.67	0.40	4.19	0.92	0.47	1.97	1.29	0.43	2.96
X41: includes antidepressants and barbiturates	0.73	0.20	3.62	0.54	0.29	1.88	0.63	0.25	2.56
X42: narcotics (includes cannabis, cocaine, heroin, opium, and methadone) and hallucinogens	0.46	0.09	5.43	0.21	0.08	2.58	0.33	0.08	3.97
X46: organic solvents, including petroleum derivatives	0.09	0.02	4.81	0.11	0.01	14.96	0.10	0.01	7.73
X49: unspecified (includes glues and paints)	0.48	0.12	4.04	0.15	0.11	1.37	0.32	0.12	2.74
Mental/behavioural disorders	2.36	0.48	4.96	1.84	0.36	5.08	2.09	0.42	4.97
F11: from use of opioids	–	0.04	–	–	0.04	–	–	0.04	–
F12: from use of cannabinoids	0.46	0.07	6.29	0.39	0.03	13.63	0.42	0.05	8.32
F13: from use of sedatives	0.15	0.02	6.38	0.07	0.05	1.40	0.11	0.04	2.99
F14: from use of cocaine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
F15: from use of other stimulants	0.61	0.19	3.16	0.83	0.14	6.06	0.72	0.16	4.36
F18: from use of volatile solvents	0.04	0.00	21.24	0.12	–	–	0.08	–	79.53
F19: from use of multiple drug and psychoactive substances	1.10	0.14	7.60	0.44	0.11	4.15	0.76	0.13	6.06
Other	0.24	0.02	10.29	0.16	0.02	8.23	0.20	0.02	9.38
B17.1: Acute hepatitis C	0.08	0.00	24.04	–	–	–	0.04	–	10.04
035.5 Maternal care for suspected damage to fetus by drugs	–	–	–	0.08	–	–	0.04	–	–
P96.1: Neonatal withdrawal symptoms from maternal use of drugs of addiction	0.16	0.02	8.15	0.08	0.02	5.21	0.12	0.02	6.83

(a) Hospital data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) The hospital separation rates (per 1000 population) were directly age standardised to the 30 June 2001 Estimated Residential Population.

(c) The hospital separations related to drug use are based on the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems*, 10th Revision, Australian Modification (ICD-10-AM).

(d) The rate ratio is equal to the separation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the separation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW hospital morbidity database (unpublished).

Table 8A.3.7

Table 8A.3.7 NT: Age standardised hospital separations related to drug use, 2002-03 (a), (b), (c), (d)

	Male			Female			All persons		
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Rate ratio
	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.	Per 1000	Per 1000	No.
Poisoning	0.53	0.41	1.30	0.44	0.30	1.43	0.48	0.35	1.38
T36-T39: antibiotics and hormones	–	0.04	–	0.08	0.01	10.75	0.04	0.02	1.67
T40: narcotics, including opium, heroin, methadone and cocaine	–	0.10	–	0.04	0.02	2.02	0.02	0.06	0.38
T42: antiepileptic, sedative-hypnotic and antiparkinsonism drugs	0.21	0.17	1.23	0.06	0.15	0.38	0.13	0.16	0.83
T43: psychotropic drugs, includes antidepressants	0.22	0.08	2.66	0.22	0.12	1.86	0.22	0.10	2.22
T52: toxic effect of organic solvents	0.10	0.01	10.34	0.04	0.01	3.47	0.07	0.01	6.49
Accidental poisoning	0.39	0.17	2.22	0.11	0.14	0.80	0.25	0.16	1.58
X41: includes antidepressants and barbiturates	0.17	0.04	4.12	–	0.09	–	0.08	0.06	1.27
X42: narcotics (includes cannabis, cocaine, heroin, opium, and methadone) and hallucinogens	0.04	0.04	0.93	0.03	0.03	0.98	0.04	0.04	0.96
X46: organic solvents, including petroleum derivatives	0.08	0.01	8.29	0.04	0.01	6.64	0.06	0.01	7.61
X49: unspecified (includes glues and paints)	0.10	0.08	1.13	0.04	0.02	1.75	0.07	0.05	1.28
Mental/behavioural disorders	1.46	0.33	4.45	0.33	0.05	7.05	0.90	0.19	4.79
F11: from use of opioids	0.05	0.06	0.83	0.03	0.01	2.27	0.04	0.04	1.09
F12 from use of cannabinoids	0.47	0.11	4.27	0.21	0.01	15.23	0.34	0.06	5.50
F13 from use of sedatives	–	0.01	–	0.03	–	–	0.02	–	4.72
F14: from use of cocaine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
F15: from use of other stimulants	–	0.02	–	0.03	0.01	4.81	0.02	0.01	1.35
F18: from use of volatile solvents	0.33	–	–	–	–	–	0.16	–	–
F19: from use of multiple drug and psychoactive substances	0.61	0.14	4.50	0.03	0.01	2.10	0.32	0.07	4.28
Other	0.08	0.01	5.78	–	0.01	–	0.04	0.01	3.35
B17.1: Acute hepatitis C	0.06	0.01	4.41	–	–	–	0.03	0.01	4.32
035.5 Maternal care for suspected damage to fetus by drugs	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
P96.1: Neonatal withdrawal symptoms from maternal use of drugs of addiction	0.02	–	–	–	0.01	–	0.01	–	2.00

(a) Hospital data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) The hospital separation rates (per 1000 population) were directly age standardised to the 30 June 2001 Estimated Residential Population.

(c) The hospital separations related to drug use are based on the *International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems*, 10th Revision, Australian Modification (ICD-10-AM).

(d) The rate ratio is equal to the separation rate for Indigenous persons divided by the separation rate for non-Indigenous people (which includes Indigenous status not reported).

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW hospital morbidity database (unpublished).

Table 8A.3.8

Table 8A.3.8 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: status of substance use, 2002 (a)

	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
Has ever used substances									
Pain Killers/analgesics for non-medical purposes	6.9	7.1	15.9	7.2	6.7	15.0	14.1	6.9	12.2
Tranquillisers/sleeping pills for non-medical purposes	2.5	2.6	16.0	4.8	4.4	18.1	7.3	3.6	13.4
Amphetamines or speed	11.9	12.2	10.5	10.4	9.7	10.0	22.4	10.9	8.3
Marijuana, hashish or cannabis resin	37.7	38.6	4.5	31.9	29.7	5.0	69.6	33.9	3.4
Heroin	3.5	3.5	15.3	3.7	3.4	20.9	7.1	3.5	13.2
Cocaine	4.1	4.2	14.7	3.2	3.0	21.6	7.3	3.6	12.7
LSD or synthetic hallucinogens	7.8	8.0	12.4	4.9	4.5	14.8	12.7	6.2	9.7
Naturally occurring hallucinogens	7.3	7.4	10.2	2.8	2.6	18.1	10.0	4.9	8.9
Ecstasy or designer drugs	6.2	6.4	13.7	4.2	3.9	13.3	10.4	5.1	10.1
Petrol	5.1	5.2	15.4	2.2	2.0	32.7	7.2	3.5	14.3
Other inhalants	4.6	4.7	15.8	2.9	2.7	19.8	7.5	3.6	13.5
Kava	4.4	4.6	15.7	2.5	2.4	20.3	7.0	3.4	12.3
Total used substances	42.2	43.3	4.1	39.5	36.7	4.5	81.7	39.8	3.1
Has not used substances	47.1	48.3	3.6	58.2	54.2	3.0	105.4	51.4	2.4
Non-response	7.7	7.9	13.1	9.5	8.9	14.4	17.2	8.4	11.6
Total (b)	97.6	100.0	0.1	107.5	100.0	0.1	205.1	100.0	0.1
Has used substances in last 12 months									
Pain Killers/analgesics for non-medical purposes	4.0	4.1	20.2	5.0	4.6	17.8	9.0	4.4	12.9
Tranquillisers/sleeping pills for non-medical purposes	0.7	0.7	22.9	2.3	2.2	27.0	3.0	1.5	21.3
Amphetamines or speed	4.8	4.9	14.5	4.8	4.5	16.4	9.6	4.7	11.1
Marijuana, hashish or cannabis resin	22.4	23.0	6.9	16.7	15.5	7.3	39.1	19.1	5.5
Heroin	0.5	0.5	37.8	0.6	0.6	41.2	1.1	0.5	28.0
Cocaine	0.5	0.5	43.4	0.9	0.8	34.1	1.3	0.6	26.6
LSD or synthetic hallucinogens	0.7	0.7	34.6	0.7	0.6	43.5	1.3	0.7	27.4
Naturally occurring hallucinogens	0.4	0.5	35.1	0.2	0.2	63.1	0.6	0.3	31.7
Ecstasy or designer drugs	2.2	2.2	19.6	1.7	1.6	20.5	3.8	1.9	14.3
Petrol	0.4	0.4	50.4	0.1	0.1	68.9	0.5	0.3	48.4

Table 8A.3.8

Table 8A.3.8 Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over: status of substance use, 2002 (a)

	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%	'000	%	%	'000	%	%
Other inhalants	0.5	0.5	34.6	0.4	0.4	41.1	0.9	0.5	25.9
Kava	0.5	0.5	37.9	0.6	0.6	41.1	1.1	0.6	28.2
Total used substances in last 12 months	26.0	26.6	6.3	22.3	20.7	7.2	48.3	23.5	5.0
Has not used substances in last 12 months	16.0	16.4	8.6	17.0	15.9	7.7	33.0	16.1	5.7
Never used substances	47.1	48.3	3.6	58.2	54.2	3.0	105.4	51.4	2.4
Non-response	7.7	7.9	13.1	9.5	8.9	14.4	17.2	8.4	11.6
Total (b)	97.6	100.0	0.1	107.5	100.0	0.1	205.1	100.0	0.1

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution; Estimates with a relative standard error greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Includes not stated responses.

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