

12A Aged care services — attachment

Definitions for the indicators and descriptors in this attachment are in section 12.7. Data in this Report are examined by the Aged Care Services Working Group, but have not been formally audited by the Secretariat. Unsourced information was obtained from the Commonwealth, State and Territory governments.

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Table 12A.1 **Males and females aged 70 years and over, June 2000 (estimated)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
All persons by sex										
Females	'000	3 251.5	2 396.3	1 787.3	940.4	758.2	238.5	156.8	94.1	9 623.1
Males	'000	3 208.8	2 340.6	1 792.5	952.5	741.9	232.3	155.0	104.3	9 527.9
Persons	'000	6 460.3	4 736.9	3 579.8	1 892.9	1 500.1	470.8	311.8	198.4	19 151.1
Persons aged 70 years and over by sex										
Females	'000	345.7	253.3	163.0	80.4	92.4	26.0	10.2	1.9	972.8
Males	'000	247.0	179.4	123.6	59.4	65.8	18.7	7.2	1.9	703.1
Persons	'000	592.7	432.6	286.6	139.8	158.2	44.7	17.4	3.9	1 675.8
Persons aged 70 years and over as a proportion of males and females in the total population										
Females	%	10.6	10.6	9.1	8.6	12.2	10.9	6.5	2.0	10.1
Males	%	7.7	7.7	6.9	6.2	8.9	8.0	4.7	1.9	7.4
Persons	%	9.2	9.1	8.0	7.4	10.5	9.5	5.6	1.9	8.8
Persons aged 70 years and over as a proportion of the total population										
Females	%	5.4	5.3	4.6	4.2	6.2	5.5	3.3	1.0	5.1
Males	%	3.8	3.8	3.5	3.1	4.4	4.0	2.3	1.0	3.7
Persons	%	9.2	9.1	8.0	7.4	10.5	9.5	5.6	1.9	8.8

Source: ABS *Population Projections by SLA 1997-2017* (unpublished).

Table 12A.2 Target population data by location, ('000) ^a

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
All Australians aged 70 years or more									
June 1995									
Capital city	307.5	258.6	114.5	92.7	105.3	17.3	14.1	1.5	911.6
Other metropolitan areas	70.6	14.6	35.8	–	–	–	–	–	121.1
Rural areas	137.2	101.0	91.2	22.9	32.6	23.1	–	0.2	408.2
Remote areas	3.7	1.1	8.6	5.1	1.3	0.2	–	1.3	21.4
All areas	519.0	375.3	250.2	120.7	139.3	40.6	14.1	3.1	1 462.2
June 1996									
Capital city	316.9	268.0	113.8	95.7	108.3	17.7	14.8	1.6	936.9
Other metropolitan areas	74.3	15.1	38.6	–	–	–	–	–	127.9
Rural areas	141.8	106.9	93.6	22.9	34.3	23.8	–	0.3	423.7
Remote areas	3.8	1.2	9.0	5.4	1.3	0.2	–	1.4	22.4
All areas	536.8	391.2	255.0	124.0	144.0	41.8	14.8	3.3	1 510.9
June 1997									
Capital city	325.5	276.1	117.4	98.5	111.0	18.1	15.4	1.7	963.7
Other metropolitan areas	77.2	15.5	40.1	–	–	–	–	–	132.8
Rural areas	146.7	109.7	97.0	24.1	35.7	24.4	–	0.3	437.9
Remote areas	3.9	1.3	9.3	5.8	1.5	0.3	–	1.5	23.5
All areas	553.3	402.5	263.7	128.5	148.2	42.8	15.4	3.5	1 558.0
June 1998									
Capital city	332.2	283.6	121.2	101.0	113.6	18.4	16.3	1.9	988.1
Other metropolitan areas	79.9	15.9	41.5	–	–	–	–	–	137.3
Rural areas	151.4	112.6	100.2	25.2	37.0	25.0	–	0.3	451.7
Remote areas	4.0	1.3	9.7	6.0	1.4	0.3	–	1.6	24.3
All areas	567.4	413.4	272.7	132.2	152.0	43.6	16.3	3.7	1 601.4
June 1999									
Capital city	339.8	290.0	123.8	103.9	115.7	18.7	16.7	1.9	1 010.6
Other metropolitan areas	81.7	16.3	42.4	–	–	–	–	–	140.4
Rural areas	154.8	115.2	102.4	25.9	37.7	25.4	–	0.3	461.7
Remote areas	4.1	1.3	9.9	6.2	1.5	0.3	–	1.6	24.9
All areas	580.5	422.8	278.5	136.0	154.9	44.4	16.7	3.7	1 637.5
June 2000									
Capital city	345.3	298.0	125.8	106.5	117.7	18.9	17.4	2.0	1 031.6
Other metropolitan areas	84.4	16.4	44.5	–	–	–	–	–	145.3
Rural areas	158.8	116.9	106.1	27.0	38.8	25.5	–	0.3	473.4
Remote areas	4.2	1.3	10.2	6.4	1.6	0.3	–	1.5	25.5
All areas	592.7	432.6	286.6	139.8	158.2	44.7	17.4	3.9	1 675.8
People from a non-English speaking country aged 70 years or more									
June 1995									
Capital city	59.2	58.9	11.1	17.0	17.6	1.3	2.9	0.4	168.4
Other metropolitan areas	7.0	2.5	3.2	–	–	–	–	–	12.6
Rural areas	5.8	6.5	5.6	2.0	1.9	1.0	–	–	22.6
Remote areas	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.1	–	–	0.1	1.3
All areas	72.2	67.9	20.3	19.3	19.5	2.3	2.9	0.5	204.9

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June 1996									
Capital city	63.5	63.4	11.9	18.3	19.0	1.4	3.1	0.4	181.0
Other metropolitan areas	7.7	2.7	3.5	–	–	–	–	–	13.8
Rural areas	6.3	7.0	6.0	2.1	2.0	1.0	–	–	24.5
Remote areas	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.1	–	–	0.1	1.4
All areas	77.7	73.1	22.0	20.8	21.1	2.4	3.1	0.5	220.7
June 1997									
Capital city	68.1	68.1	12.8	19.6	20.5	1.5	3.4	0.5	194.5
Other metropolitan areas	8.5	2.9	3.8	–	–	–	–	–	15.2
Rural areas	6.8	7.6	6.5	2.3	2.2	1.1	–	–	26.5
Remote areas	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.1	–	–	0.1	1.6
All areas	83.7	78.6	23.8	22.3	22.9	2.6	3.4	0.5	237.8
June 1998									
Capital city	73.1	73.3	13.8	21.0	22.2	1.6	3.7	0.5	209.1
Other metropolitan areas	9.3	3.1	4.2	–	–	–	–	–	16.7
Rural areas	7.4	8.2	7.1	2.5	2.4	1.1	–	–	28.7
Remote areas	0.4	–	0.7	0.4	0.1	–	–	0.1	1.7
All areas	90.2	84.6	25.7	23.9	24.7	2.7	3.7	0.6	256.2
June 1999									
Capital city	78.5	78.8	14.8	22.5	24.0	1.7	4.0	0.5	224.7
Other metropolitan areas	10.3	3.4	4.7	–	–	–	–	–	18.3
Rural areas	8.0	8.8	7.7	2.7	2.6	1.2	–	–	31.1
Remote areas	0.5	–	0.7	0.4	0.1	–	–	0.1	1.9
All areas	97.2	91.0	27.8	25.6	26.8	2.9	4.0	0.6	276.0
June 2000									
Capital city	84.2	84.7	15.9	24.1	25.9	1.8	4.3	0.5	241.6
Other metropolitan areas	11.4	3.6	5.1	–	–	–	–	–	20.1
Rural areas	8.6	9.6	8.3	3.0	2.9	1.3	–	–	33.6
Remote areas	0.6	–	0.8	0.4	0.2	–	–	0.1	2.1
All areas	104.8	97.9	30.1	27.5	29.0	3.1	4.3	0.6	297.4
Indigenous Australian aged 50 years or more									
June 1995									
Capital city	3.3	1.1	1.6	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.3	8.1
Other metropolitan areas	1.1	0.1	1.2	–	–	–	–	–	2.5
Rural areas	4.5	0.9	3.1	0.4	0.6	0.8	–	0.1	10.3
Remote areas	0.9	0.1	2.9	3.6	0.7	0.1	–	4.2	12.4
All areas	9.8	2.1	8.8	4.9	1.9	1.2	0.1	4.5	33.3
June 1996									
Capital city	3.4	1.1	1.6	0.8	0.7	0.3	0.1	0.3	8.5
Other metropolitan areas	1.2	0.1	1.3	–	–	–	–	–	2.6
Rural areas	4.6	0.9	3.2	0.5	0.6	0.8	–	0.1	10.7
Remote areas	1.0	0.1	3.0	3.8	0.7	0.1	–	4.4	13.0
All areas	10.2	2.2	9.2	5.1	1.9	1.2	0.1	4.8	34.7
June 1997									
Capital city	3.5	1.1	1.7	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.1	0.4	8.8

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Other metropolitan areas	1.2	0.1	1.3	–	–	–	–	–	2.7
Rural areas	4.8	0.9	3.3	0.5	0.6	0.8	–	0.1	11.1
Remote areas	1.0	0.1	3.1	3.8	0.7	0.1	–	4.6	13.4
All areas	10.6	2.3	9.5	5.2	2.0	1.3	0.1	5.0	35.9
June 1998									
Capital city	3.6	1.2	1.9	1.4	0.9	0.4	0.1	0.7	10.2
Other metropolitan areas	1.2	0.1	0.8	–	–	–	–	–	2.1
Rural areas	5.0	1.0	3.7	0.8	0.7	0.9	–	0.1	12.2
Remote areas	1.0	0.1	3.4	3.1	0.5	–	–	4.3	12.5
All areas	10.9	2.3	9.8	5.3	2.1	1.3	0.1	5.1	36.9
June 1999									
Capital city	3.7	1.2	1.9	1.4	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.7	10.5
Other metropolitan areas	1.3	0.1	0.8	–	–	–	–	–	2.1
Rural areas	5.1	1.0	3.8	0.8	0.8	1.0	–	0.1	12.6
Remote areas	1.1	0.1	3.5	3.2	0.5	–	–	4.4	12.8
All areas	11.2	2.4	10.1	5.4	2.1	1.4	0.2	5.2	37.9
June 2000									
Capital city	3.9	1.3	2.0	1.4	0.9	0.4	0.2	0.7	10.8
Other metropolitan areas	1.3	0.1	0.8	–	–	–	–	–	2.2
Rural areas	5.3	1.0	3.9	0.8	0.8	1.0	–	0.1	13.0
Remote areas	1.1	0.1	3.6	3.3	0.5	–	–	4.5	13.1
All areas	11.6	2.4	10.3	5.5	2.2	1.5	0.2	5.3	39.1

^a Geographical data areas are based on the Rural, Remote and Metropolitan Area (RRMA) classification (DPIE and DSHS 1994). Data are classified according to an index of remoteness which rates each Statistical Local Area (SLA) based on the number and size of towns, the distance to major towns and urban centres, and population densities. It classified areas into three groups:

- Metropolitan areas: comprise State/Territory capital cities (based on the ABS capital city Statistical Division) and urban centres with 100 000 people more, such as Geelong, Gold Coast, Townsville, Newcastle and Wollongong.
- Rural areas: have several large towns with between 10 000 and 99 999 people; and
- Remote areas: have few large towns with more than 5000 and there are great distances between centres and other SLAs.

na Not Available. .. Not applicable. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.3 Size and distribution of residential aged care services with over 80 per cent high care residents, June 2000^{a, b}

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Residential services	no.	472	429	211	108	152	47	7	7	1 433
Places	no.	28 604	17 035	12 018	5 651	6 709	2 032	620	213	72 882
Occupancy rate ^a	%	98.1	97.0	96.7	96.6	98.9	98.9	94.2	97.6	97.6
Places by locality ^c										
Metropolitan areas	%	80.1	75.0	64.2	82.6	85.6	41.5	100.0	46.0	76.0
Rural areas	%	19.7	25.0	33.5	13.6	14.4	58.3	–	–	23.1
Remote areas	%	0.2	–	2.3	3.8	–	0.2	–	54.0	0.9
Service Size										
1–20 places	%	3.2	12.6	5.2	1.9	2.0	12.8	–	42.9	6.6
21–40 places	%	24.6	55.9	38.9	37.0	53.9	42.6	–	28.6	40.6
41–60 places	%	32.2	22.6	22.7	38.0	32.2	29.8	28.6	28.6	28.3
61+ places	%	40.0	8.9	33.2	23.1	11.8	14.9	71.4	–	24.6

^a The occupancy rate is defined as the number of residents in care as a proportion of available places.

^b Services have been defined a high, low or mixed care based on the proportion of high and low care residents in each service.

^c See footnotes to table 12A.2 for detail on regional data classification.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.4 Size and distribution of residential aged care services with over 80 per cent low care residents, June 2000^{a, b}

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Residential services	no.	348	320	129	135	107	29	6	4	1 078
Places	no.	15 741	14 183	5 762	4 848	4 517	726	357	58	46 192
Occupancy rate ^a	%	93.8	93.7	94.6	94.1	96.4	96.4	92.9	90.2	94.2
Places by locality ^c										
Metropolitan areas	%	73.7	72.5	58.4	81.3	79.0	27.1	100.0	–	72.1
Rural areas	%	25.4	27.5	38.4	16.3	21.0	71.5	–	–	26.8
Remote areas	%	0.9	–	3.2	2.4	–	1.4	–	100.0	1.1
Service Size										
1–20 places	%	12.4	12.5	17.8	25.2	24.3	37.9	–	75.0	16.7
21–40 places	%	40.5	38.8	34.1	40.0	36.4	48.3	16.7	25.0	38.8
41–60 places	%	28.4	35.6	32.6	25.9	17.8	13.8	16.7	–	29.1
61+ places	%	18.7	13.1	15.5	8.9	21.5	–	66.7	–	15.4

^a The occupancy rate is defined as the number of residents in care as a proportion of available places.

^b Services have been defined a high, low or mixed care based on the proportion of high and low care residents in each service.

^c See footnotes to table 12A.2 for detail on regional data classification.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.5 Size and distribution of mixed residential aged care services with less than 80 per cent high care residents or more than 20 per cent low care residents, June 2000^{a, b}

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Residential services	no.	130	88	153	37	47	27	10	4	496
Places	no.	5 556	3 470	7 833	1 392	2 277	1 037	507	91	22 163
Occupancy rate ^a	%	95.9	96.7	97.2	96.7	97.6	97.9	96.3	92.6	96.8
Places by locality ^c										
Metropolitan areas	%	56.1	61.8	54.6	69.0	69.0	61.6	100.0	78.0	59.9
Rural areas	%	42.3	38.2	40.8	22.6	31.0	37.6	–	–	37.4
Remote areas	%	1.5	–	4.6	8.3	–	0.8	–	22.0	2.7
Service Size										
1–20 places	%	23.1	17.0	12.4	24.3	8.5	25.9	20.0	75.0	17.9
21–40 places	%	36.9	45.5	24.8	29.7	36.2	29.6	10.0	–	32.9
41–60 places	%	21.5	26.1	36.6	40.5	31.9	25.9	30.0	25.0	29.8
61+ places	%	18.5	11.4	26.1	5.4	23.4	18.5	40.0	–	19.4

^a The occupancy rate is defined as the number of residents in care as a proportion of available places.

^b Services have been defined a high, low or mixed care based on the proportion of high and low care residents in each service.

^c See footnotes to table 12A.2 for detail on regional data classification.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.6 **Proportion of people aged 70 years and over by locality, June 2000**^a

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Capital city	%	58.3	68.9	43.9	76.1	74.4	42.3	100.0	52.9	61.6
Other metropolitan areas	%	14.2	3.8	15.5	–	–	–	–	–	8.7
Rural areas	%	26.8	27.0	37.0	19.3	24.6	57.1	–	8.0	28.3
Remote areas	%	0.7	0.3	3.6	4.6	1.0	0.6	–	39.1	1.5
All areas	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total persons	'000	592.7	432.6	286.6	139.8	158.2	44.7	17.4	3.9	1 675.8

^a See footnotes to table 12A.2 for detail on regional data classification.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: table 12A.2.

Table 12A.7 **Ownership of residential places, June 2000**^a

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Number of places										
State government	no.	1 668	5 695	1 753	197	398	116	–	–	9 827
Local government	no.	899	1 262	187	683	503	85	–	–	3 619
Private for-profit	no.	15 720	10 498	5 580	3 136	2 477	479	320	–	38 210
Religious/charitable	no.	31 614	17 233	18 093	7 875	10 125	3 115	1 164	362	89 581
Total	no.	49 901	34 688	25 613	11 891	13 503	3 795	1 484	362	141 237
Proportion of total places										
State government	%	3.3	16.4	6.8	1.7	2.9	3.1	–	–	7.0
Local government	%	1.8	3.6	0.7	5.7	3.7	2.2	–	–	2.6
Private for-profit	%	31.5	30.3	21.8	26.4	18.3	12.6	21.6	–	27.1
Religious/charitable	%	63.4	49.7	70.6	66.2	75.0	82.1	78.4	100.0	63.4
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

^a This table is based on the status of the residential aged care service operator or provider.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.8 **Balance of care: operational number of high care residential, low care residential and CACPs places (per 1000 people aged 70 years and over)**^{a, b, c, d, e, f}

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
High-care places/nursing home places									
1985	73	54	69	71	72	77	58	81	67
1986	71	53	67	69	69	72	55	77	65
1987	69	53	65	67	67	68	52	73	64
1988	68	52	63	66	64	65	50	72	62
1989	67	51	61	64	62	62	47	70	61
1990	65	51	59	62	61	69	54	75	60
1991	63	49	57	58	58	57	48	72	57
1992	62	49	55	57	56	57	45	67	56
1993	60	48	53	54	55	57	44	65	54
1994	58	47	51	52	50	53	42	67	52
1995	57	45	50	51	50	53	37	62	51
1996	55	44	48	46	48	51	35	63	49
1997	52	43	46	45	47	50	34	59	48
1998	51	43	45	44	46	50	37	57	47
1999	50	41	44	43	46	48	37	57	46
2000	49	39	43	41	46	48	36	55	44
Low-care places/hostel places									
1985	29	27	41	37	44	21	35	23	32
1986	30	28	41	38	44	21	36	24	33
1987	31	29	41	39	44	21	37	26	34
1988	32	30	42	41	44	22	38	28	35
1989	33	31	42	42	44	23	39	30	35
1990	32	32	42	42	44	28	42	36	35
1991	32	32	44	41	42	27	43	47	36
1992	33	34	46	41	43	29	42	45	37
1993	35	36	46	43	45	31	44	44	39
1994	37	38	47	45	44	34	45	44	40
1995	37	40	48	44	45	36	54	41	41
1996	37	40	49	45	44	36	52	40	41
1997	37	41	49	46	44	37	54	44	42
1998	36	41	47	45	42	36	50	40	41
1999	36	41	47	44	41	37	49	40	40
2000	36	41	47	44	40	37	49	39	40
CACPs									
1985	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1986	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1987	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1988	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1989	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1990	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1991	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1992	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–
1993	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	–	–
1994	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1
1995	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
1996	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	6	3
1997	4	3	4	4	4	5	5	13	4
1998	6	6	6	6	7	9	10	29	6
1999	8	8	9	9	8	10	16	46	8
2000	11	10	11	11	10	13	18	49	11
Total									
1985	102	82	110	108	115	97	93	104	100
1986	101	82	108	107	113	93	91	101	98
1987	100	82	106	106	110	89	89	99	97
1988	100	82	104	106	108	87	87	99	97
1989	99	83	103	106	107	85	86	101	96
1990	97	82	101	104	105	97	96	111	95
1991	95	81	101	99	100	84	92	118	93
1992	95	83	100	97	100	86	87	113	93
1993	95	84	99	98	101	89	88	109	93
1994	95	86	99	98	96	87	89	112	93
1995	96	87	99	97	97	91	93	105	94
1996	95	87	100	95	96	91	90	110	94
1997	93	88	99	96	95	93	93	116	93
1998	93	89	98	96	95	94	97	127	94
1999	94	89	100	96	95	95	101	143	94
2000	95	90	100	95	96	98	103	143	95

^a At 30 June.

^b Data for June 1985 to June 1988 were estimated.

^c Places do not include those that have been 'approved in principle' but are not yet operational. If places currently 'approved in principle' were included, the overall ratio would be 101.5.

^d This table differs from table 12A.9, which refers to 'residents'.

^e See table 12A.2 for notes and sources of population data.

^f Government planning targets are based on providing 100 places per 1000 people aged 70 years and over. However, in recognition of poorer health among Indigenous communities, planning in some cases also takes account of the Indigenous population aged 50–69 years. This means that the provision ratio based on the population aged 70 years and over will appear high in areas with a high Indigenous population (such as the NT).

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.9 **Permanent and respite aged care recipients (per 1000 people aged 70 years and over)^{a, b, c}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
All residents									
Nursing homes/RCS high ^d									
1995	56	44	48	46	49	52	37	60	50
1996	54	43	46	45	47	51	35	62	48
1997	51	42	45	44	46	50	33	58	47
1998	50	41	48	42	46	49	41	62	46
1999	51	42	51	44	48	49	45	60	48
2000	52	43	53	45	51	53	47	64	49
Hostels/RCS low ^e									
1995	34	36	45	41	41	33	45	38	38
1996	35	37	47	42	41	34	47	37	39
1997	34	37	46	43	41	35	51	38	39
1998	34	38	41	43	40	35	42	32	38
1999	32	36	37	40	37	34	37	32	35
2000	31	35	36	38	35	31	38	31	34
CACPs									
1995	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2
1996	3	2	3	3	3	4	3	7	3
1997	4	3	4	4	4	5	5	13	4
1998	6	5	6	6	6	9	10	28	6
1999	8	7	8	8	8	10	15	42	8
2000	10	10	10	11	9	12	18	45	10
Total									
1995	92	82	94	89	92	88	84	100	89
1996	91	82	95	90	92	88	85	107	89
1997	89	83	95	91	92	90	90	109	89
1998	90	84	95	90	92	92	93	122	90
1999	91	85	96	92	93	94	97	134	91
2000	93	88	99	94	95	96	102	140	93
Respite residents only									
Nursing homes/RCS high ^d									
1995	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.1	1.9	0.4
1996	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.1	2.4	0.5
1997	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.2	1.4	0.4
1998	0.9	0.5	0.8	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.5	2.7	0.7
1999	0.9	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	2.4	0.7
2000	0.9	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.6	3.5	0.7
Hostels/RCS low ^e									
1995	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.9	0.9
1996	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.2	2.0	1.8	1.0
1997	1.0	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	2.3	1.4	1.0
1998	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.9	3.2	1.0
1999	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.3	0.9	1.2	1.4	2.7	0.9

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
2000	1.1	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.7	1.3	1.0
Total									
1995	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.6	1.6	1.4	3.9	1.3
1996	1.6	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.8	2.1	4.2	1.5
1997	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.8	2.5	2.8	1.5
1998	1.8	1.5	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	2.4	6.0	1.7
1999	1.8	1.2	1.6	1.9	1.7	1.9	2.1	5.1	1.6
2000	2.0	1.3	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.8	2.3	4.8	1.7

^a At 30 June.

^b If Multi-Purpose Services (MPS) were included, the provision ratio would increase by 0.2 in 1996; 0.3 in 1997; 0.5 in 1998; 0.6 in 1999 and 0.6 in 2000.

^c See table 12A.2 for notes and sources of population data.

^d 1995 to 1997, nursing home resident, 1998 to 2000 high care RCS 1–4 resident, irrespective of service type.

^e 1995 to 1997, hostel resident, 1998 to 2000 low care RCS 5–8 resident, irrespective of service type.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.10 **Permanent and respite aged care recipients by locality (per 1000 people aged 70 years and over)^{a, b, c}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Capital city									
Nursing homes/RCS high ^d									
1995	65	44	53	50	56	54	37	52	54
1996	63	43	53	50	54	53	35	57	53
1997	60	42	51	48	54	52	33	55	51
1998	57	42	53	45	52	50	41	61	50
1999	58	42	55	47	54	52	45	62	51
2000	57	43	55	47	57	55	45	61	51
Hostels/RCS low ^e									
1995	32	34	44	42	41	36	45	49	36
1996	32	35	46	42	41	36	47	46	37
1997	32	35	45	44	42	37	51	40	37
1998	33	36	41	44	40	38	42	28	37
1999	31	34	36	40	37	36	35	22	34
2000	30	33	36	39	34	33	36	21	33
CACPs									
1995	2	2	1	1	2	1	2	5	2
1996	3	3	2	2	3	3	3	1	3
1997	5	4	3	3	5	4	5	4	4
1998	7	6	4	5	6	7	10	11	6
1999	8	8	6	7	8	9	15	13	8
2000	10	10	8	10	9	11	17	17	10
Total									
1995	99	80	98	93	100	92	84	106	93
1996	99	81	101	94	99	92	85	104	93
1997	97	82	99	95	100	93	90	99	93
1998	97	84	97	95	99	95	93	100	93
1999	97	84	96	95	99	96	95	97	93
2000	97	86	99	96	100	99	98	99	94
Other metropolitan areas									
Nursing homes/RCS high ^d									
1995	47	52	42	—	—	—	—	—	46
1996	44	50	41	—	—	—	—	—	44
1997	42	48	39	—	—	—	—	—	42
1998	43	47	45	—	—	—	—	—	44
1999	44	48	48	—	—	—	—	—	46
2000	45	47	47	—	—	—	—	—	46
Hostels/RCS low ^e									
1995	35	32	42	—	—	—	—	—	37
1996	35	35	42	—	—	—	—	—	37
1997	35	35	43	—	—	—	—	—	37
1998	34	35	36	—	—	—	—	—	35

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1999	30	32	32	–	–	–	–	–	31
2000	28	33	31	–	–	–	–	–	30
CACPs									
1995	1	1	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
1996	1	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	1
1997	3	5	3	–	–	–	–	–	3
1998	5	7	7	–	–	–	–	–	6
1999	8	12	10	–	–	–	–	–	9
2000	9	15	12	–	–	–	–	–	11
Total									
1995	83	86	85	–	–	–	–	–	84
1996	80	87	85	–	–	–	–	–	82
1997	79	88	86	–	–	–	–	–	82
1998	81	89	88	–	–	–	–	–	84
1999	82	93	90	–	–	–	–	–	86
2000	83	94	90	–	–	–	–	–	87
Rural areas									
Nursing homes/RCS high^d									
1995	40	44	44	29	27	51	–	–	41
1996	39	41	42	29	27	49	–	–	39
1997	37	39	42	29	26	48	–	–	38
1998	38	38	46	29	27	48	–	–	39
1999	40	40	50	32	30	48	–	–	41
2000	41	41	50	33	31	51	–	–	42
Hostels/RCS low^e									
1995	39	43	48	39	42	31	–	–	42
1996	39	42	49	41	43	32	–	–	42
1997	39	42	48	39	41	34	–	–	42
1998	37	43	43	39	40	34	–	–	40
1999	33	38	37	35	37	31	–	–	35
2000	32	38	36	34	35	29	–	–	35
CACPs									
1995	1	–	2	2	–	3	–	–	1
1996	2	1	3	4	2	4	–	–	2
1997	3	2	4	5	3	6	–	–	3
1998	5	4	7	6	6	10	–	–	5
1999	7	6	9	8	7	11	–	–	7
2000	8	7	10	10	8	13	–	–	9
Total									
1995	80	87	94	70	69	85	–	–	84
1996	80	84	94	75	73	85	–	–	83
1997	79	84	95	73	69	88	–	–	83
1998	80	85	96	74	73	91	–	–	84
1999	80	84	96	75	74	91	–	–	84

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
2000	82	87	96	76	74	93	–	–	86
Remote areas									
Nursing homes/RCS high ^d									
1995	15	48	32	37	–	44	–	80	32
1996	15	41	33	36	–	41	–	79	32
1997	13	37	32	35	–	43	–	72	31
1998	13	8	33	32	1	19	–	73	29
1999	18	7	36	35	2	15	–	68	31
2000	20	7	37	35	–	27	–	77	32
Hostels/RCS low ^e									
1995	49	41	45	41	13	26	–	31	42
1996	48	37	48	40	11	20	–	35	42
1997	47	35	45	36	11	16	–	43	40
1998	52	5	42	35	9	45	–	43	38
1999	46	5	34	28	8	52	–	44	32
2000	49	7	32	27	–	46	–	47	31
CACPs									
1995	–	7	9	7	–	–	–	–	6
1996	–	8	12	11	–	–	–	17	9
1997	4	6	14	15	–	–	–	25	12
1998	6	8	17	19	7	–	–	53	17
1999	6	7	21	22	10	–	–	83	21
2000	8	7	23	24	11	–	–	88	22
Total									
1995	64	96	87	84	13	70	–	111	80
1996	62	87	93	88	11	61	–	130	83
1997	63	79	92	86	11	59	–	139	83
1998	71	20	92	86	17	64	–	169	84
1999	69	20	92	84	21	67	–	195	85
2000	77	22	92	85	11	73	–	212	86

^a At 30 June.

^b If Multi-Purpose Services (MPS) were included, the rural provision ratio would increase by 0.8 in 1997; 1.1 in 1998; 1.2 in 1999 and 1.4 in 2000 and the remote provision ratio would increase by 8.3 in 1997; 15.3 in 1998; 15.9 in 1999 and 13.3 in 2000.

^c See table 12A.2 for notes and sources of population data.

^d 1995 to 1997, nursing home resident, 1998 to 2000 high care RCS 1–4 resident, irrespective of service type.

^e 1995 to 1997, hostel resident, 1998 to 2000 low care RCS 5–8 resident, irrespective of service type.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

**Table 12A.11 Aged care recipients from a non-English speaking country
(per 1000 people aged 70 years and over and per 1000 people
from a non-English speaking country aged 70 years and over) ^{a, b}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Aged care recipients from a non-English speaking country per 1000 people aged 70 years and over from a non-English speaking country									
Nursing homes/RCS high									
1995	27	24	29	27	35	19	22	22	27
1996	31	26	28	29	35	24	20	25	29
1997	33	28	27	31	34	23	18	22	30
1998	34	29	28	31	33	26	25	35	31
1999	36	31	31	31	35	28	30	29	33
2000	35	30	31	31	35	31	29	32	33
Hostels/RCS low									
1995	20	21	31	25	19	16	24	19	22
1996	19	22	29	25	17	15	24	26	21
1997	19	22	27	24	17	19	30	19	21
1998	17	21	19	22	17	17	22	16	19
1999	16	20	17	21	16	16	18	15	18
2000	15	19	17	20	14	14	18	14	17
CACPs									
1995	2	2	1	1	2	4	1	–	2
1996	4	5	2	3	2	14	4	–	4
1997	5	5	3	5	5	17	5	6	5
1998	7	7	6	7	7	19	7	–	7
1999	9	8	10	9	10	22	8	3	9
2000	10	9	13	11	10	23	12	6	10
Total									
1995	50	47	60	53	57	39	46	41	51
1996	53	53	59	57	55	54	48	52	54
1997	56	55	57	61	56	59	52	47	56
1998	58	57	53	60	58	61	54	51	57
1999	62	58	58	62	60	66	56	47	60
2000	61	59	61	62	59	68	60	53	60
Aged care recipients from a non-English speaking country as a proportion of all residents									
Nursing homes/RCS high									
1995	7	10	5	10	10	2	12	6	8
1996	8	12	5	11	11	3	12	7	9
1997	10	13	6	12	11	3	12	6	10
1998	11	15	6	14	12	3	14	9	11
1999	12	16	6	14	13	4	16	8	12
2000	12	16	6	14	13	4	16	9	12
Hostels/RCS low									
1995	8	11	6	10	7	3	11	8	8

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1996	8	12	5	10	6	3	11	11	8
1997	8	12	5	10	6	3	14	8	9
1998	8	11	5	10	7	3	12	9	8
1999	9	12	5	10	8	3	12	8	9
2000	9	13	5	11	8	3	13	8	9
CACPs									
1995	23	32	6	10	18	10	8	0	20
1996	20	36	8	18	12	22	24	0	21
1997	19	31	7	22	17	19	19	8	20
1998	20	28	9	21	19	14	17	0	19
1999	20	24	12	22	21	15	13	1	19
2000	19	22	14	22	20	14	17	2	19
Total									
1995	8	10	5	10	9	3	12	7	8
1996	9	12	5	11	9	4	12	8	9
1997	10	13	5	12	9	4	13	7	10
1998	11	14	5	12	10	4	13	7	10
1999	12	15	6	13	11	5	14	6	11
2000	12	16	7	14	12	5	15	7	12

^a At 30 June.

^b Unknown responses have been distributed pro rata.

^c See table 12A.2 for notes and sources of population data.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.12 **Aged care recipients from a non-English speaking country by locality (per 1000 people from a non-English speaking country aged 70 years and over)^{a, b, c}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Capital city									
Nursing homes/RCS high									
1995	29	24	23	29	37	16	22	19	27
1996	33	27	24	31	37	22	20	23	30
1997	35	28	26	33	36	22	18	24	32
1998	36	30	27	32	35	23	25	35	33
1999	38	31	31	33	36	27	30	31	34
2000	37	31	32	33	37	27	29	29	34
Hostels/RCS low									
1995	21	21	32	25	20	16	24	20	22
1996	20	22	29	24	17	14	24	25	21
1997	19	22	26	25	17	17	30	14	21
1998	18	21	20	23	17	13	22	13	19
1999	17	20	17	22	16	12	18	10	18
2000	16	20	17	20	14	13	18	13	18
CACPs									
1995	3	3	2	1	3	–	1	–	2
1996	4	5	3	3	3	11	4	–	4
1997	5	6	4	5	5	12	5	8	5
1998	8	8	5	7	7	16	7	–	8
1999	10	9	10	10	10	22	8	4	9
2000	11	10	13	12	10	21	12	7	11
Total									
1995	53	48	56	54	59	32	46	39	52
1996	56	54	55	58	56	47	48	48	55
1997	59	57	56	63	57	51	52	46	58
1998	62	59	52	62	59	51	54	47	60
1999	65	60	58	64	61	61	56	45	62
2000	65	60	62	65	61	61	60	49	62
Other metropolitan areas									
Nursing homes/RCS high									
1995	20	17	31	–	–	–	–	–	22
1996	21	20	30	–	–	–	–	–	23
1997	23	22	24	–	–	–	–	–	23
1998	25	24	29	–	–	–	–	–	26
1999	26	27	28	–	–	–	–	–	27
2000	25	29	27	–	–	–	–	–	26
Hostels/RCS low									
1995	15	24	20	–	–	–	–	–	18
1996	14	27	22	–	–	–	–	–	19
1997	14	26	21	–	–	–	–	–	18

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1998	13	21	14	–	–	–	–	–	15
1999	13	18	13	–	–	–	–	–	14
2000	11	16	14	–	–	–	–	–	13
CACPs									
1995	1	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	1
1996	3	1	3	–	–	–	–	–	3
1997	3	1	6	–	–	–	–	–	3
1998	5	1	11	–	–	–	–	–	5
1999	8	4	14	–	–	–	–	–	9
2000	10	5	19	–	–	–	–	–	11
Total									
1995	36	43	52	–	–	–	–	–	41
1996	38	48	55	–	–	–	–	–	44
1997	40	50	51	–	–	–	–	–	45
1998	43	46	53	–	–	–	–	–	46
1999	48	50	55	–	–	–	–	–	50
2000	46	50	60	–	–	–	–	–	50
Rural areas									
Nursing homes/RCS high									
1995	23	20	36	17	23	21	–	–	25
1996	23	24	33	16	23	27	–	–	25
1997	24	24	31	20	22	25	–	–	25
1998	25	24	30	20	22	32	–	–	25
1999	28	27	31	21	22	30	–	–	27
2000	28	26	33	21	21	37	–	–	28
Hostels/RCS low									
1995	18	16	35	23	19	16	–	–	22
1996	17	18	32	25	20	17	–	–	22
1997	18	16	30	19	16	22	–	–	21
1998	16	18	21	17	17	22	–	–	18
1999	15	17	19	16	19	22	–	–	17
2000	14	16	19	13	16	16	–	–	16
CACPs									
1995	1	1	0	2	–	10	–	–	1
1996	4	3	2	5	–	19	–	–	3
1997	4	2	1	6	–	24	–	–	4
1998	6	4	4	6	5	23	–	–	5
1999	8	6	8	6	7	23	–	–	8
2000	7	6	11	8	7	27	–	–	9
Total									
1995	41	37	71	42	42	47	–	–	48
1996	44	44	67	47	43	63	–	–	51
1997	46	43	62	45	38	71	–	–	49
1998	47	45	54	44	44	77	–	–	49

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1999	50	50	58	43	47	75	–	–	52
2000	49	49	63	42	44	81	–	–	52
Remote areas									
Nursing homes/RCS high									
1995	–	48	48	15	–	67	–	49	28
1996	4	34	45	14	–	59	–	49	26
1997	3	56	38	11	–	–	–	16	21
1998	3	–	35	15	–	–	–	50	19
1999	2	22	32	15	–	–	–	17	17
2000	5	24	28	19	–	–	–	67	18
Hostels/RCS low									
1995	–	18	21	32	–	–	–	19	18
1996	4	20	29	35	–	–	–	39	23
1997	–	22	33	29	–	–	–	56	23
1998	10	20	30	34	–	–	–	50	24
1999	9	22	17	31	–	–	–	66	18
2000	7	–	15	22	–	–	–	33	13
CACPs									
1995	–	–	2	5	13	–	–	–	3
1996	–	–	2	3	33	–	–	–	4
1997	–	–	–	3	38	–	–	–	3
1998	–	–	–	5	40	–	–	–	4
1999	–	–	4	7	50	–	–	–	7
2000	–	24	6	14	63	–	–	–	11
Total									
1995	–	66	71	51	13	67	–	68	49
1996	8	54	77	52	33	59	–	88	53
1997	3	78	71	43	38	–	–	73	47
1998	13	20	65	55	40	–	–	100	48
1999	11	44	54	53	50	–	–	83	42
2000	13	48	49	55	63	–	–	100	42

^a At 30 June.

^b Unknown responses have been distributed pro rata.

^c See footnotes to table 12A.2 for detail on regional data classification.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.13 **Indigenous aged care recipients (per 1000 Indigenous people aged 50 years and over and as a proportion of all recipients)**^{a, b, c, d}

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Residents from Indigenous backgrounds per 1000 Indigenous people aged 50 years and over										
Nursing homes/RCS high ^e										
1995	no.	18	29	16	25	26	9	17	16	19
1996	no.	15	22	16	20	20	11	15	17	17
1997	no.	12	22	14	20	21	9	7	19	16
1998	no.	11	19	14	20	28	6	20	21	16
1999	no.	10	15	16	22	26	6	17	19	16
2000	no.	9	14	14	24	23	5	5	21	15
Hostels/RCS low ^f										
1995	no.	5	13	18	14	19	–	26	9	12
1996	no.	5	11	17	16	21	–	22	11	12
1997	no.	8	15	17	18	17	–	21	11	13
1998	no.	8	13	18	13	21	1	34	10	13
1999	no.	7	10	16	11	20	–	11	10	11
2000	no.	6	10	14	12	19	–	10	13	11
CACPs										
1995	no.	1	–	3	3	–	5	–	2	2
1996	no.	3	1	4	9	2	3	–	5	4
1997	no.	7	4	5	15	6	8	–	7	8
1998	no.	10	4	6	18	14	22	7	14	11
1999	no.	10	7	8	21	13	19	–	19	13
2000	no.	9	6	11	20	14	18	–	21	13
Total										
1995	no.	24	42	37	42	45	15	43	27	33
1996	no.	23	33	37	45	42	14	37	33	33
1997	no.	28	40	36	53	45	16	29	38	36
1998	no.	30	36	38	52	64	29	61	44	40
1999	no.	27	32	40	54	59	25	28	48	39
2000	no.	24	30	39	55	56	24	15	54	39
Residents from Indigenous backgrounds as a proportion of all residents										
Nursing homes/RCS high ^e										
1995	%	0.61	0.38	1.18	2.24	0.73	0.52	0.39	40.66	0.88
1996	%	0.54	0.29	1.23	1.78	0.56	0.62	0.39	41.71	0.81
1997	%	0.46	0.30	1.11	1.85	0.62	0.53	0.19	47.52	0.78
1998	%	0.43	0.27	1.17	1.92	0.86	0.38	0.51	52.48	0.82
1999	%	0.39	0.21	1.36	2.16	0.83	0.37	0.52	49.50	0.82
2000	%	0.35	0.18	0.99	2.18	0.66	0.35	0.13	48.90	0.74
Hostels/RCS low ^f										
1995	%	0.30	0.20	1.41	1.41	0.63	–	0.48	38.74	0.71
1996	%	0.28	0.17	1.38	1.57	0.69	–	0.45	44.54	0.72
1997	%	0.46	0.23	1.39	1.75	0.59	–	0.40	42.31	0.80
1998	%	0.49	0.19	1.46	1.31	0.75	0.07	0.68	40.57	0.79
1999	%	0.43	0.15	1.28	1.06	0.70	–	0.27	41.02	0.69

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
2000	%	0.41	0.16	1.49	1.26	0.81	–	0.33	62.39	0.77
CACPs										
1995	%	1.67	–	7.37	7.65	–	6.59	–	100.00	2.96
1996	%	2.00	0.21	5.65	12.99	0.91	2.58	–	100.00	3.60
1997	%	3.59	0.58	4.58	14.50	2.05	4.39	–	82.22	4.44
1998	%	3.41	0.46	3.60	12.11	3.16	8.04	0.65	68.45	4.31
1999	%	2.52	0.52	3.67	10.31	2.29	6.31	–	62.90	3.68
2000	%	1.89	0.37	3.86	7.66	2.13	5.28	–	65.66	3.10
Total										
1995	%	0.51	0.29	1.39	1.95	0.67	0.49	0.43	41.33	0.85
1996	%	0.49	0.23	1.43	2.04	0.63	0.47	0.41	46.94	0.86
1997	%	0.60	0.28	1.39	2.40	0.67	0.56	0.30	49.87	0.96
1998	%	0.65	0.25	1.46	2.33	0.97	0.99	0.61	52.93	1.04
1999	%	0.59	0.21	1.52	2.39	0.90	0.88	0.32	51.55	1.02
2000	%	0.54	0.19	1.47	2.44	0.87	0.86	0.18	57.37	1.01

^a At 30 June.

^b Only reports people who are recorded as Indigenous.

^c Includes flexibly funded and pilot Indigenous projects (27 places in 1996; 167 places in 1997; 302 places in 1998; 314 places in 1999 and 356 places in 2000).

^d See table 12A.2 for notes and sources of population data.

^e Data for 1995 to 1997 refers to nursing home resident, data for 1998 to 2000 refers to high care or RCS 1-4 resident, irrespective of service type.

^f Data for 1995 to 1997 refers to hostel resident, data for 1998 to 2000 refers to low care or RCS 5-8 resident, irrespective of service type.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.14 **Aged care recipients from special needs groups, June 2000 (per cent)^a**

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous people aged 50 years and over</i>									
Indigenous aged care residents ^b									
Proportion of all residents	0.4	0.2	1.2	1.8	0.7	0.2	0.2	53.3	0.7
Proportion of target population ^c	1.9	0.6	3.5	3.8	1.4	3.3	1.0	63.6	2.3
Indigenous CACP recipients									
Proportion of all recipients	1.9	0.4	3.9	7.7	2.1	5.3	–	65.7	3.1
Indigenous HACC recipients									
Proportion of all recipients	2.5	0.6	2.2	2.9	1.8	0.7	0.3	47.9	2.2
<i>Residents from a non-English speaking country aged 70 years and over</i>									
Residents from a non-English speaking country									
Proportion of all residents	11.2	14.8	6.0	12.6	10.9	3.9	14.9	8.7	11.1
Proportion of target population	17.7	22.6	10.5	19.7	18.3	7.0	24.7	16.3	17.7
CACP recipients from a non-English speaking country									
Proportion of all recipients	19.0	22.2	13.6	21.7	20.0	13.6	17.4	2.4	18.8
HACC recipients from a non-English speaking country									
Proportion of all recipients	14.0	13.8	8.8	19.1	16.8	8.2	21.8	8.3	13.6

^a See table 12A.2 for notes and sources of population data.

^b Only people who identify as Indigenous are included in the table. Unknown responses have not been pro rated.

^c The target population is Indigenous people aged 50–69 years plus all people aged 70 years and over.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.15 **Proportion of new residents classified as concessional or assisted residents, 30 June 2000 (per cent)^{a, b}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
High care residents	49.9	50.5	51.0	48.9	50.4	55.9	49.4	66.7	50.6
Low care residents	46.8	44.1	44.3	40.6	43.5	51.7	45.4	87.5	46.0
All residents	48.8	47.7	48.3	45.4	48.0	54.0	47.8	74.0	48.7

^a Only new residents entering residential care post-October 1997 are eligible for either a concessional or assisted resident supplement.

^b Concessional residents are those who, on entry to care, were in receipt of an income support payment, who had not owned a home in the last two years, or whose home was occupied by a spouse or carer, and who had assets of less than \$24 000. For married residents, half the couple's combined assets are counted. Assets include interest free loans. Assisted residents have asset levels between \$24 000 and \$38 500. The asset levels are at 30 June 2000.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.16 Indigenous aged care residential and CACPs recipients by locality (per 1000 Indigenous people aged 50 years and over)^{a, b, c, d}

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Capital city									
Nursing homes/RCS high ^e									
1995	34	37	34	55	66	21	17	71	40
1996	28	27	29	48	45	26	15	73	33
1997	22	34	31	45	39	17	7	76	31
1998	18	29	21	27	38	15	20	38	24
1999	14	20	19	26	30	14	17	31	20
2000	12	22	15	26	27	14	5	41	19
Hostels/RCS low ^f									
1995	9	17	15	31	22	–	26	62	16
1996	8	9	15	29	30	–	22	50	15
1997	8	19	20	37	23	–	21	45	17
1998	7	17	19	16	18	–	34	12	13
1999	7	17	17	13	19	–	11	12	12
2000	5	15	18	8	17	–	10	23	11
CACPs									
1995	2	–	4	1	–	–	–	–	2
1996	2	–	4	19	–	–	–	–	4
1997	3	–	5	27	–	–	–	3	5
1998	3	–	4	18	6	46	7	8	7
1999	3	1	5	16	6	43	–	6	7
2000	3	2	5	15	5	41	–	14	7
Total									
1995	45	53	54	88	88	21	43	133	58
1996	38	36	48	97	75	26	37	123	51
1997	33	53	57	109	62	17	29	124	53
1998	28	46	45	61	62	62	61	57	44
1999	24	38	41	55	55	58	28	49	39
2000	20	38	37	48	50	55	15	77	37
Other metropolitan areas									
Nursing homes/RCS high ^e									
1995	9	25	14	–	–	–	–	–	12
1996	8	24	11	–	–	–	–	–	10
1997	7	16	8	–	–	–	–	–	8
1998	4	29	15	–	–	–	–	–	9
1999	6	14	28	–	–	–	–	–	15
2000	7	–	26	–	–	–	–	–	14
Hostels/RCS low ^f									
1995	6	–	12	–	–	–	–	–	9
1996	8	–	7	–	–	–	–	–	7
1997	8	–	8	–	–	–	–	–	8
1998	8	–	8	–	–	–	–	–	8
1999	8	–	19	–	–	–	–	–	12

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
2000	6	–	19	–	–	–	–	–	11
CACPs									
1995	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1996	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1997	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	5
1998	17	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	11
1999	23	–	8	–	–	–	–	–	17
2000	21	–	16	–	–	–	–	–	18
Total									
1995	15	25	26	–	–	–	–	–	21
1996	16	24	18	–	–	–	–	–	17
1997	26	16	16	–	–	–	–	–	20
1998	29	29	24	–	–	–	–	–	27
1999	37	14	55	–	–	–	–	–	43
2000	33	–	61	–	–	–	–	–	43
Rural areas									
Nursing homes/RCS high^e									
1995	11	21	15	29	13	5	–	–	14
1996	10	16	15	22	14	5	–	–	12
1997	8	9	12	11	23	6	–	–	10
1998	10	8	11	8	20	2	–	–	10
1999	9	9	11	10	25	2	–	–	10
2000	9	6	9	11	20	2	–	–	9
Hostels/RCS low^f									
1995	3	10	19	9	38	–	–	16	10
1996	3	15	19	6	35	–	–	15	11
1997	7	12	19	11	28	–	–	–	12
1998	7	9	16	9	23	1	–	–	11
1999	6	3	14	9	18	–	–	–	8
2000	6	4	13	6	19	–	–	–	8
CACPs									
1995	2	–	5	2	–	8	–	–	3
1996	5	2	8	17	7	5	–	–	6
1997	9	9	8	34	18	12	–	–	10
1998	11	10	8	22	23	13	–	–	12
1999	11	15	12	23	19	10	–	–	13
2000	10	13	12	16	22	10	–	–	12
Total									
1995	15	32	40	40	51	13	–	16	27
1996	17	34	42	45	56	10	–	15	29
1997	24	29	39	55	70	18	–	–	32
1998	28	27	35	39	65	16	–	–	32
1999	26	27	36	42	62	12	–	–	31
2000	24	23	33	34	61	12	–	–	28

Remote areas

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Nursing homes/RCS high ^e									
1995	3	–	8	18	–	–	–	12	11
1996	2	–	12	13	–	–	–	13	11
1997	4	–	9	16	1	–	–	15	12
1998	2	–	10	20	23	–	–	19	15
1999	2	–	17	23	22	–	–	18	18
2000	3	–	16	26	21	–	–	19	18
Hostels/RCS low ^f									
1995	5	–	20	11	–	–	–	5	10
1996	2	–	22	14	–	–	–	8	12
1997	15	–	18	15	3	–	–	9	13
1998	14	–	17	13	25	–	–	10	14
1999	13	–	16	11	24	–	–	10	13
2000	13	–	13	14	23	–	–	12	13
CACPs									
1995	–	–	1	3	–	–	–	2	2
1996	–	–	2	6	–	–	–	6	4
1997	10	–	4	10	3	–	–	8	7
1998	17	–	5	17	17	–	–	15	13
1999	16	–	7	23	17	–	–	21	17
2000	14	–	12	23	16	–	–	22	19
Total									
1995	9	–	29	32	–	–	–	19	23
1996	4	–	35	33	–	–	–	27	27
1997	28	–	31	41	7	–	–	32	32
1998	34	–	32	51	65	–	–	44	42
1999	31	–	40	57	63	–	–	49	47
2000	30	–	41	64	60	–	–	53	50

^a At 30 June.

^b Only reports people who are recorded as Indigenous.

^c Includes flexibly funded and pilot Indigenous projects (27 places in 1996; 167 places in 1997; 302 places in 1998; 314 places in 1999 and 356 places in 2000).

^d See table 12A.2 for notes and sources of population data.

^e Data for 1995 to 1997 refers to nursing home resident, data for 1998 to 2000 refers to high care or RCS 1-4 resident, irrespective of service type.

^f Data for 1995 to 1997 refers to hostel resident, data for 1998 to 2000 refers to low care or RCS 5-8 resident, irrespective of service type.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.17 **Estimated level of HACC service received (per month per 1000 people aged 70 years and over)^{a, b, c, d, e}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home Help									
1994	213	472	214	403	86	397	201	693	289
1995	207	501	237	na	86	379	231	752	290
1996	167	496	228	na	122	365	183	779	274
1997	173	507	217	na	151	314	178	737	279
1998	203	407	242	358	141	316	143	642	273
1999	208	441	240	360	162	321	192	1 111	287
Personal care									
1994	119	45	20	139	57	90	80	128	77
1995	116	62	29	na	57	97	112	221	78
1996	117	64	32	na	68	92	90	232	80
1997	123	67	31	na	73	115	133	248	85
1998	130	107	36	152	76	90	133	205	104
1999	124	93	40	146	82	109	103	262	99
Home nursing									
1994	96	147	165	160	91	165	205	–	128
1995	76	141	157	na	81	164	198	13	114
1996	72	140	143	na	65	158	184	7	107
1997	81	121	126	na	56	109	161	3	99
1998	80	117	113	109	71	107	116	–	98
1999	74	128	109	85	76	119	153	–	97
Paramedical									
1994	9	17	16	17	22	8	15	30	14
1995	8	17	17	na	23	4	12	29	14
1996	8	22	16	na	22	8	7	50	15
1997	9	22	17	na	22	5	7	29	15
1998	9	20	19	15	17	8	6	4	15
1999	10	23	21	11	26	10	9	29	17
Respite care									
1994	148	61	79	88	47	72	215	218	98
1995	147	48	87	na	49	86	230	401	97
1996	150	53	100	na	97	68	216	480	107
1997	165	89	105	na	167	74	265	289	132
1998	163	113	125	151	112	90	289	140	137
1999	161	95	133	122	131	95	305	365	133
Centre day care									
1994	227	292	454	316	231	133	161	22	287
1995	208	321	498	na	213	124	167	78	290
1996	213	323	512	na	252	236	164	102	303

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1997	225	359	515	na	232	184	98	91	314
1998	225	432	515	644	221	224	88	112	360
1999	225	427	523	619	222	216	106	508	360
Home maintenance									
1994	27	37	15	45	4	37	36	25	27
1995	29	34	22	na	4	44	42	38	27
1996	24	33	26	na	28	39	50	29	28
1997	25	39	31	na	26	23	35	74	30
1998	24	35	34	40	27	25	42	113	31
1999	24	33	50	44	27	23	34	56	33
Other									
1994	13	47	19	58	38	8	72	127	29
1995	13	32	22	na	31	8	69	134	23
1996	22	22	26	na	118	30	65	68	34
1997	48	35	26	na	187	29	82	137	55
1998	41	32	31	41	175	48	81	229	51
1999	32	31	28	31	197	33	72	371	48
Total hours									
1994	850	1 119	982	1 224	574	911	985	1 244	950
1995	804	1 156	1 068	na	542	907	1 060	1 666	932
1996	772	1 155	1 083	na	772	996	959	1 746	948
1997	849	1 238	1 069	na	915	853	960	1 609	1 009
1998	874	1 263	1 115	1 511	841	909	898	1 446	1 068
1999	856	1 271	1 145	1 417	923	924	973	2 702	1 073
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	454	506	536	570	504	604	353	1 052	500
1995	446	553	541	na	505	544	336	1 302	504
1996	423	536	529	na	494	505	295	1 353	485
1997	389	519	511	na	479	452	262	1 337	460
1998	384	527	558	470	503	457	257	1 069	471
1999	376	494	501	513	526	457	283	1 675	458
Centre meals									
1994	57	67	65	201	50	19	17	134	71
1995	56	72	73	na	48	18	18	277	62
1996	54	81	73	na	63	30	15	281	65
1997	53	72	78	na	62	30	11	247	63
1998	49	53	84	97	61	35	14	154	61
1999	56	54	84	91	54	40	15	416	63
People per month									
Transport ^{f, g}									
1994	44	na	31	31	18	60	26	98	37

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1995	43	na	37	na	19	53	25	110	39
1996	45	na	40	na	31	54	25	140	42
1997	46	na	49	na	34	53	34	143	45
1998	46	na	55	36	45	59	24	113	47
1999	43	na	55	28	62	60	31	163	48

^a Estimates based on the proportion of people aged 70 years and over receiving HACC services in each jurisdiction.

^b Data are taken from November 1994–99, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for 1995–97); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995), and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).

^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.

^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.

^e HACC services have been distributed pro rata according to the following proportions to reflect services provided to people aged 70 years and over: 68.0 per cent (NSW); 70.8 per cent (Victoria); 71.1 per cent (Queensland); 71.6 per cent (WA); 66.4 per cent (SA); 66.6 per cent (Tasmania); 52.8 per cent (the ACT); 43.6 per cent (the NT), and 69.6 per cent (Australia).

^f Transport data were not collected in Victoria.

^g Queensland transport data for 1994 to 1998 has been revised.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

**Table 12A.18 Estimated level of HACC service received within capital city
(per month per 1000 people aged 70 years and over)^{a, b, c, d, e}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home help									
1994	191	415	192	415	68	275	201	778	266
1995	185	448	208	na	69	285	231	768	261
1996	153	419	191	na	109	337	183	669	243
1997	149	433	199	na	133	284	178	669	249
1998	171	337	224	338	124	280	143	701	240
1999	171	359	239	351	144	307	200	874	253
Personal care									
1994	116	30	23	132	59	108	80	180	74
1995	112	40	39	na	59	121	112	186	73
1996	115	50	34	na	70	120	90	212	78
1997	117	55	43	na	77	154	133	232	83
1998	127	102	50	153	75	111	133	210	107
1999	123	84	53	152	83	118	107	250	101
Home nursing									
1994	85	127	140	117	102	154	205	1	112
1995	58	127	148	na	89	145	198	–	100
1996	58	122	127	na	75	98	184	–	93
1997	76	101	110	na	55	108	161	–	88
1998	79	103	108	92	74	98	116	–	91
1999	73	117	111	71	79	96	159	–	92
Paramedical									
1994	10	15	21	20	20	10	15	21	15
1995	10	18	22	na	23	4	12	53	16
1996	11	24	20	na	22	13	7	72	18
1997	11	22	21	na	23	5	7	44	17
1998	11	17	26	15	16	14	6	–	15
1999	12	23	32	13	19	18	9	–	19
Respite care									
1994	107	52	83	87	51	38	215	469	81
1995	108	38	92	na	52	53	230	881	79
1996	116	42	111	na	114	48	216	935	94
1997	123	78	127	na	203	45	265	558	122
1998	117	97	130	146	122	50	289	298	118
1999	116	83	142	144	141	55	317	405	118
Centre day care									
1994	226	244	395	260	126	64	161	–	240
1995	202	264	444	na	123	84	167	–	241
1996	203	269	458	na	186	149	164	23	254

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1997	211	313	491	na	182	139	98	46	274
1998	205	373	472	619	204	146	88	68	325
1999	242	368	493	614	217	181	111	177	341
Home maintenance									
1994	22	18	5	30	4	52	36	13	18
1995	24	15	10	na	4	56	42	9	18
1996	23	16	16	na	23	51	50	10	21
1997	22	20	26	na	27	17	35	15	22
1998	19	18	28	25	28	19	42	18	22
1999	22	18	69	31	27	19	35	20	28
Other									
1994	16	18	33	52	29	11	72	211	25
1995	17	20	36	na	30	9	69	151	23
1996	24	15	39	na	146	18	65	73	40
1997	51	33	33	na	228	45	82	128	66
1998	45	27	52	45	210	61	81	308	61
1999	37	25	44	38	230	34	75	531	59
Total hours									
1994	772	920	893	1 114	458	712	985	1 673	831
1995	714	970	1 000	na	450	757	1 060	2 048	810
1996	703	957	997	na	747	834	959	1 994	839
1997	760	1 054	1 049	na	928	797	960	1 691	921
1998	776	1 075	1 091	1 433	853	778	898	1 604	980
1999	797	1 078	1 183	1 414	940	828	1 014	2 258	1 012
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	427	465	585	525	427	534	353	444	468
1995	410	542	577	na	433	464	336	439	477
1996	368	528	563	na	422	418	295	443	452
1997	339	503	537	na	416	376	262	603	428
1998	330	514	553	405	424	373	257	493	429
1999	331	481	519	433	439	396	295	452	421
Centre meals									
1994	58	66	59	207	33	8	17	12	71
1995	56	74	69	na	34	11	18	20	59
1996	58	78	63	na	52	15	15	90	63
1997	58	67	73	na	54	20	11	110	61
1998	53	38	82	97	57	22	14	114	56
1999	64	33	84	100	57	38	16	188	59
People per month									
Transport ^{f, g}									
1994	39	na	32	28	13	49	26	125	32

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1995	34	na	41	na	14	46	25	159	32
1996	36	na	46	na	26	52	25	174	37
1997	38	na	50	na	29	44	34	142	39
1998	39	na	51	32	36	48	24	158	40
1999	39	na	61	27	58	50	32	196	44

- ^a Estimates based on the proportion of people aged 70 years and over receiving HACC services in each jurisdiction.
- ^b Data were taken from November 1994 to 1999, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for (1995 to 1997); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995) and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).
- ^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.
- ^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.
- ^e HACC services have been distributed pro rata according to the following proportions to reflect services provided to people aged 70 years and over: 68.0 per cent (NSW); 70.8 per cent (Victoria); 71.1 per cent (Queensland); 71.6 per cent (WA); 66.4 per cent (SA); 66.6 per cent (Tasmania); 52.8 per cent (the ACT); 43.6 per cent (the NT) and 69.6 per cent (Australia).
- ^f Transport data were not collected in Victoria.
- ^g Queensland transport data for 1994-98 has been revised.
- ^h See footnotes to table 12A.2 for detail on regional data classification.
- Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not Available.
- Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.19 Estimated level of HACC service received within other metropolitan areas (per month per 1000 people aged 70 years and over)^{a, b, c, d, e}

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home help									
1994	254	670	192	—	—	—	—	—	287
1995	249	883	182	—	—	—	—	—	307
1996	190	925	194	—	—	—	—	—	282
1997	197	739	184	—	—	—	—	—	256
1998	199	590	183	—	—	—	—	—	239
1999	203	677	187	—	—	—	—	—	252
Personal care									
1994	134	208	14	—	—	—	—	—	105
1995	133	144	12	—	—	—	—	—	96
1996	132	146	18	—	—	—	—	—	98
1997	123	142	17	—	—	—	—	—	93
1998	127	160	22	—	—	—	—	—	99
1999	127	148	38	—	—	—	—	—	102
Home nursing									
1994	83	205	77	—	—	—	—	—	97
1995	75	148	72	—	—	—	—	—	83
1996	66	164	64	—	—	—	—	—	77
1997	53	145	37	—	—	—	—	—	59
1998	50	109	57	—	—	—	—	—	59
1999	48	109	80	—	—	—	—	—	64
Paramedical									
1994	5	15	10	—	—	—	—	—	8
1995	5	25	8	—	—	—	—	—	8
1996	5	25	10	—	—	—	—	—	9
1997	5	14	7	—	—	—	—	—	7
1998	4	20	14	—	—	—	—	—	9
1999	3	10	16	—	—	—	—	—	8
Respite care									
1994	219	81	98	—	—	—	—	—	163
1995	201	39	93	—	—	—	—	—	147
1996	216	61	117	—	—	—	—	—	166
1997	221	113	84	—	—	—	—	—	167
1998	200	269	129	—	—	—	—	—	187
1999	229	213	196	—	—	—	—	—	217
Centre day care									
1994	242	89	354	—	—	—	—	—	258
1995	237	156	368	—	—	—	—	—	268
1996	281	158	330	—	—	—	—	—	281

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1997	282	121	283	–	–	–	–	–	264
1998	282	299	473	–	–	–	–	–	341
1999	234	253	455	–	–	–	–	–	303
Home maintenance									
1994	31	53	10	–	–	–	–	–	27
1995	30	45	10	–	–	–	–	–	26
1996	22	27	9	–	–	–	–	–	19
1997	18	51	13	–	–	–	–	–	20
1998	18	49	17	–	–	–	–	–	21
1999	16	45	21	–	–	–	–	–	21
Other									
1994	9	48	4	–	–	–	–	–	13
1995	8	2	3	–	–	–	–	–	6
1996	21	47	3	–	–	–	–	–	18
1997	45	56	12	–	–	–	–	–	36
1998	21	81	5	–	–	–	–	–	23
1999	13	90	12	–	–	–	–	–	22
Total hours									
1994	979	1 369	758	–	–	–	–	–	958
1995	938	1 442	747	–	–	–	–	–	940
1996	934	1 553	745	–	–	–	–	–	951
1997	945	1 381	635	–	–	–	–	–	902
1998	902	1 577	900	–	–	–	–	–	979
1999	873	1 545	1 004	–	–	–	–	–	990
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	420	570	368	–	–	–	–	–	422
1995	420	519	342	–	–	–	–	–	408
1996	407	518	332	–	–	–	–	–	397
1997	341	498	319	–	–	–	–	–	353
1998	348	530	423	–	–	–	–	–	392
1999	312	434	363	–	–	–	–	–	341
Centre meals									
1994	61	93	77	–	–	–	–	–	70
1995	64	81	77	–	–	–	–	–	70
1996	67	66	75	–	–	–	–	–	69
1997	59	59	54	–	–	–	–	–	58
1998	50	136	82	–	–	–	–	–	69
1999	72	119	66	–	–	–	–	–	76
People per month									
Transport ^{f, g}									
1994	44	na	28	–	–	–	–	–	38

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1995	49	na	36	–	–	–	–	–	44
1996	56	na	30	–	–	–	–	–	47
1997	48	na	67	–	–	–	–	–	54
1998	49	na	86	–	–	–	–	–	61
1999	50	na	73	–	–	–	–	–	58

- ^a Estimates based on the proportion of people aged 70 years and over receiving HACC services in each jurisdiction.
- ^b Data were taken from November 1994 to 1999, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for (1995 to 1997); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995) and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).
- ^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.
- ^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.
- ^e HACC services have been distributed pro rata according to the following proportions to reflect services provided to people aged 70 years and over: 68.0 per cent (NSW); 70.8 per cent (Victoria); 71.1 per cent (Queensland); 71.6 per cent (WA); 66.4 per cent (SA); 66.6 per cent (Tasmania); 52.8 per cent (the ACT); 43.6 per cent (the NT) and 69.6 per cent (Australia).
- ^f Transport data were not collected in Victoria.
- ^g Queensland transport data for 1994-98 has been revised.
- ^h See footnotes to table 12A.2 for detail on regional data classification.
- Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.
- Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

**Table 12A.20 Estimated level of HACC service received within rural areas
(per month per 1000 people aged 70 years and over)^{a, b, c, d, e}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home help									
1994	230	591	233	314	146	474	–	–	332
1995	222	587	264	na	147	437	–	–	335
1996	179	638	255	na	165	377	–	–	328
1997	202	665	229	na	175	332	–	–	337
1998	263	568	262	293	191	336	–	–	339
1999	294	665	265	306	218	329	–	–	377
Personal care									
1994	111	62	14	165	53	77	–	–	74
1995	110	107	19	na	51	81	–	–	81
1996	109	89	27	na	54	73	–	–	78
1997	124	87	17	na	55	90	–	–	81
1998	134	112	19	109	69	76	–	–	93
1999	130	118	26	116	87	104	–	–	98
Home nursing									
1994	116	190	203	315	62	169	–	–	164
1995	109	177	178	na	57	174	–	–	143
1996	98	180	177	na	34	195	–	–	139
1997	103	167	165	na	59	108	–	–	131
1998	98	155	129	112	63	112	–	–	118
1999	97	169	114	110	75	134	–	–	120
Paramedical									
1994	8	22	9	4	28	7	–	–	13
1995	7	13	12	na	23	5	–	–	11
1996	6	17	14	na	23	5	–	–	12
1997	6	24	17	na	20	4	–	–	15
1998	7	27	11	1	22	4	–	–	14
1999	10	27	12	3	54	4	–	–	18
Respite care									
1994	185	83	67	92	35	96	–	–	112
1995	193	73	73	na	41	108	–	–	116
1996	179	81	73	na	42	81	–	–	111
1997	214	113	83	na	57	94	–	–	135
1998	233	134	113	73	79	117	–	–	153
1999	223	120	92	68	116	124	–	–	145
Centre day care									
1994	197	440	532	472	591	182	–	–	376
1995	201	489	568	na	500	151	–	–	385
1996	187	479	622	na	459	285	–	–	394

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1997	209	501	616	na	361	206	–	–	396
1998	225	601	557	626	249	267	–	–	421
1999	199	639	590	621	250	235	–	–	427
Home maintenance									
1994	35	85	25	87	4	23	–	–	45
1995	37	79	32	na	2	32	–	–	44
1996	27	77	36	na	44	30	–	–	44
1997	32	86	40	na	20	26	–	–	47
1998	38	76	46	76	26	28	–	–	50
1999	31	73	43	84	25	24	–	–	47
Other									
1994	8	124	9	77	72	7	–	–	45
1995	10	68	10	na	31	7	–	–	27
1996	18	26	16	na	31	39	–	–	22
1997	43	38	22	na	58	18	–	–	36
1998	45	40	17	19	65	40	–	–	37
1999	33	40	17	7	110	33	–	–	36
Total hours									
1994	892	1 596	1 092	1 526	991	1 035	–	–	1 162
1995	889	1 594	1 157	na	853	995	–	–	1 142
1996	802	1 586	1 220	na	852	1 084	–	–	1 127
1997	934	1 681	1 189	na	805	877	–	–	1 178
1998	1 042	1 713	1 153	1 309	765	981	–	–	1 225
1999	1 018	1 851	1 157	1 315	936	987	–	–	1 266
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	511	601	511	562	793	646	–	–	565
1995	511	584	539	na	767	591	–	–	562
1996	518	560	532	na	740	556	–	–	552
1997	497	565	520	na	652	500	–	–	534
1998	511	563	579	460	744	511	–	–	554
1999	525	583	531	568	829	498	–	–	566
Centre meals									
1994	52	65	64	173	98	27	–	–	67
1995	48	65	71	na	75	22	–	–	59
1996	37	87	75	na	83	39	–	–	63
1997	37	86	74	na	70	33	–	–	62
1998	38	80	74	85	67	43	–	–	62
1999	36	105	84	82	49	40	–	–	68
People per month									
Transport ^{f, g}									
1994	54	na	26	37	32	68	–	–	43

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1995	59	na	28	na	36	58	–	–	46
1996	54	na	33	na	46	55	–	–	47
1997	59	na	34	na	49	59	–	–	50
1998	57	na	38	41	74	66	–	–	52
1999	51	na	40	28	85	68	–	–	51

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- ^b Data were taken from November 1994 to 1999, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for (1995 to 1997); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995) and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).
- ^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.
- ^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.
- ^e HACC services have been distributed pro rata according to the following proportions to reflect services provided to people aged 70 years and over: 68.0 per cent (NSW); 70.8 per cent (Victoria); 71.1 per cent (Queensland); 71.6 per cent (WA); 66.4 per cent (SA); 66.6 per cent (Tasmania); 52.8 per cent (the ACT); 43.6 per cent (the NT) and 69.6 per cent (Australia).
- ^f Transport data were not collected in Victoria.
- ^g Queensland transport data for 1994-98 has been revised.
- ^h See footnotes to table 12A.2 for detail on regional data classification.
- Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.
- Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

**Table 12A.21 Estimated level of HACC service received within remote areas
(per month per 1000 people aged 70 years and over)^{a, b, c, d, e}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home help									
1994	403	1 056	369	652	84	2 936	–	816	450
1995	399	444	516	na	85	2 492	–	967	449
1996	286	625	545	na	144	2 221	–	1 113	454
1997	394	631	454	na	964	625	–	1 018	526
1998	411	138	488	808	261	839	–	768	527
1999	394	106	417	800	509	794	–	1 771	567
Personal care									
1994	248	145	59	155	29	–	–	115	127
1995	243	180	73	na	29	–	–	323	142
1996	205	81	98	na	109	–	–	319	147
1997	352	74	99	na	231	–	–	336	203
1998	200	33	97	261	238	–	–	259	174
1999	188	–	74	223	56	14	–	373	146
Home nursing									
1994	225	232	455	219	13	1 248	–	–	272
1995	180	207	399	na	13	1 257	–	30	241
1996	155	568	309	na	14	1 091	–	15	215
1997	161	230	284	na	27	276	–	7	203
1998	46	245	261	323	6	274	–	–	190
1999	34	330	239	227	11	288	–	–	163
Paramedical									
1994	–	6	44	4	25	–	–	48	22
1995	1	–	22	na	17	–	–	14	13
1996	–	46	6	na	18	–	–	45	10
1997	–	50	11	na	43	–	–	23	13
1998	3	18	24	70	7	–	–	10	27
1999	3	15	17	4	2	–	–	69	12
Respite care									
1994	431	82	83	81	–	–	–	39	164
1995	325	86	138	na	–	–	–	62	168
1996	337	100	177	na	37	–	–	190	202
1997	358	174	165	na	89	–	–	103	214
1998	281	59	160	451	90	–	–	15	235
1999	290	–	273	58	56	–	–	458	207
Centre day care									
1994	771	1 127	796	662	346	–	–	51	685
1995	354	811	940	na	441	–	–	176	621
1996	485	1 382	797	na	445	3 445	–	207	651

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1997	560	1 485	764	na	1 085	1 285	–	164	728
1998	415	619	789	998	696	1 457	–	191	707
1999	288	696	911	941	430	1 078	–	1 042	733
Home maintenance									
1994	59	225	61	141	2	919	–	44	75
1995	74	97	111	na	–	1 022	–	77	84
1996	62	118	105	na	33	560	–	56	80
1997	81	91	69	na	42	178	–	155	80
1998	30	17	49	123	11	193	–	245	69
1999	52	22	50	104	39	169	–	113	65
Other									
1994	–	–	19	77	16	–	–	84	25
1995	1	87	42	na	39	–	–	159	39
1996	18	1 252	76	na	31	–	–	82	116
1997	76	248	55	na	159	–	–	185	90
1998	21	39	33	59	48	–	–	214	47
1999	14	25	38	34	103	–	–	340	52
Total hours									
1994	2 138	2 873	1 887	1 992	515	5 102	–	1 196	1 820
1995	1 578	1 912	2 241	na	624	4 772	–	1 807	1 756
1996	1 549	4 172	2 113	na	830	7 317	–	2 027	1 874
1997	1 983	2 984	1 902	na	2 638	2 364	–	1 992	2 058
1998	1 408	1 169	1 901	3 093	1 357	2 763	–	1 702	1 975
1999	1 264	1 194	2 021	2 391	1 206	2 342	–	4 166	1 945
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	764	895	846	1 598	337	2 187	–	1 959	940
1995	960	566	897	na	397	2 354	–	2 529	937
1996	948	411	902	na	468	2 695	–	2 616	947
1997	955	253	894	na	1 237	799	–	2 459	1 013
1998	515	224	953	1 324	930	730	–	1 984	950
1999	562	–	947	1 599	1 247	1 124	–	3 578	1 125
Centre meals									
1994	66	114	102	244	162	–	–	294	131
1995	115	63	140	na	286	–	–	610	180
1996	89	479	159	na	213	494	–	544	190
1997	79	410	253	na	499	614	–	456	245
1998	88	–	204	129	186	158	–	241	150
1999	51	–	215	53	45	176	–	810	149
People per month									
Transport ^{f, g}									
1994	72	na	75	75	25	–	–	102	69

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1995	89	na	86	na	36	–	–	97	79
1996	79	na	87	na	42	123	–	148	82
1997	87	na	116	na	103	47	–	185	110
1998	66	na	122	77	65	42	–	98	91
1999	68	na	115	58	62	35	–	189	89

- ^a Estimates based on the proportion of people aged 70 years and over receiving HACC services in each jurisdiction.
- ^b Data were taken from November 1994 to 1999, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for (1995 to 1997); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995) and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).
- ^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.
- ^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.
- ^e HACC services have been distributed pro rata according to the following proportions to reflect services provided to people aged 70 years and over: 68.0 per cent (NSW); 70.8 per cent (Victoria); 71.1 per cent (Queensland); 71.6 per cent (WA); 66.4 per cent (SA); 66.6 per cent (Tasmania); 52.8 per cent (the ACT); 43.6 per cent (the NT) and 69.6 per cent (Australia).
- ^f Transport data were not collected in Victoria.
- ^g Queensland transport data for 1994-98 has been revised.
- ^h See footnotes to table 12A.2 for detail on regional data classification.
- Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.
- Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.22 **Level of HACC service received by people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap (per month per 1000 people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap)^{a, b, c, d}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home help									
1994	318	704	247	456	130	502	239	561	396
1995	315	765	273	na	135	490	283	633	411
1996	257	766	266	na	194	479	230	668	393
1997	270	789	256	na	243	418	233	644	404
1998	319	640	285	418	229	427	188	551	391
1999	328	699	285	423	267	433	258	961	415
Personal care									
1994	178	67	23	157	87	114	95	103	108
1995	176	94	33	na	89	126	137	186	113
1996	180	99	37	na	107	121	113	199	117
1997	191	104	37	na	118	154	174	217	126
1998	204	168	43	177	123	121	175	176	150
1999	196	147	48	171	135	147	138	227	145
Home nursing									
1994	143	218	191	180	139	209	244	–	176
1995	115	216	181	na	125	212	243	11	161
1996	111	216	167	na	103	207	231	6	154
1997	126	188	148	na	90	145	210	3	145
1998	125	184	134	128	115	144	153	–	140
1999	117	203	129	100	124	161	205	–	140
Paramedical									
1994	13	25	18	19	33	10	18	25	19
1995	12	26	19	na	35	6	15	24	19
1996	13	34	18	na	35	11	9	43	22
1997	13	34	20	na	36	6	9	26	22
1998	14	31	22	18	28	11	8	4	21
1999	15	37	25	12	43	13	12	25	24
Respite care									
1994	221	91	92	99	71	91	256	177	136
1995	223	73	100	na	76	111	282	337	141
1996	231	82	117	na	153	89	272	412	157
1997	257	139	124	na	270	99	346	253	194
1998	255	178	147	176	183	121	381	120	198
1999	254	151	158	143	216	128	410	316	195
Centre day care									
1994	341	435	524	357	351	168	192	18	392
1995	317	490	573	na	331	160	205	65	411

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1996	327	499	597	na	401	309	206	88	434
1997	351	559	608	na	375	245	127	80	455
1998	353	678	608	752	360	302	116	96	513
1999	356	677	621	727	366	292	143	439	517
Home maintenance									
1994	40	56	17	51	6	46	43	20	37
1995	44	51	26	na	6	57	52	32	39
1996	37	51	30	na	44	51	63	25	41
1997	38	60	36	na	41	30	46	65	44
1998	38	54	40	47	45	34	55	97	44
1999	37	52	59	52	44	30	45	48	47
Other									
1994	19	70	22	66	57	11	86	103	41
1995	20	49	25	na	48	11	85	113	33
1996	34	34	31	na	188	40	81	58	49
1997	75	55	31	na	302	39	107	120	82
1998	65	51	37	48	285	65	106	197	75
1999	50	49	33	37	324	45	97	321	71
Total hours									
1994	1 273	1 668	1 134	1 384	874	1 151	1 174	1 007	1 305
1995	1 223	1 765	1 230	na	844	1 172	1 302	1 401	1 327
1996	1 189	1 781	1 263	na	1 226	1 306	1 205	1 497	1 367
1997	1 320	1 929	1 262	na	1 475	1 136	1 251	1 407	1 472
1998	1 372	1 984	1 316	1 764	1 368	1 225	1 182	1 241	1 532
1999	1 352	2 015	1 359	1 665	1 519	1 249	1 309	2 337	1 554
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	680	754	618	645	767	763	421	852	689
1995	679	844	623	na	786	703	413	1 094	719
1996	651	827	617	na	785	662	370	1 160	701
1997	605	808	603	na	772	602	341	1 169	672
1998	603	827	658	549	818	617	339	917	678
1999	594	783	595	603	866	618	381	1 449	665
Centre meals									
1994	85	100	75	228	75	25	20	109	97
1995	85	110	84	na	75	23	22	233	88
1996	83	125	85	na	100	40	18	241	94
1997	83	113	92	na	99	40	15	216	92
1998	77	83	99	113	99	48	18	132	87
1999	89	85	99	107	88	54	20	360	92
People per month									
Transport ^{e, f}									
1994	66	na	36	35	27	76	31	79	49

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1995	66	na	43	na	30	69	30	93	54
1996	69	na	47	na	49	71	31	120	59
1997	71	na	58	na	55	71	44	125	65
1998	72	na	64	42	74	79	31	97	66
1999	68	na	66	33	103	81	42	141	67

^a Handicapped persons data were estimated from the ABS *Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers* (1998).

^b Data were taken from November 1994 to 1999, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for 1995 to 1997); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995) and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).

^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.

^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.

^e Transport data was not collected in Victoria.

^f Queensland transport data for 1994 to 1998.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.23 Level of HACC service received within capital cities by people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap (per month per 1000 people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap)^{a, b, c, d, e}

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home help									
1994	272	612	222	486	108	345	239	576	363
1995	268	671	237	na	111	364	283	584	368
1996	221	633	219	na	178	437	230	521	345
1997	216	660	231	na	221	372	233	545	357
1998	250	517	260	404	209	370	188	573	338
1999	246	542	271	411	241	403	258	691	352
Personal care									
1994	166	44	27	154	93	136	95	134	102
1995	162	59	44	na	95	154	137	141	103
1996	167	76	39	na	115	156	113	165	111
1997	171	83	49	na	127	202	174	189	121
1998	186	157	58	183	127	146	175	172	152
1999	177	127	60	178	139	155	138	197	142
Home nursing									
1994	122	187	161	137	160	194	244	0	154
1995	83	190	168	na	144	185	243	–	142
1996	85	185	146	na	123	128	231	–	133
1997	110	155	127	na	91	142	210	–	127
1998	116	158	125	110	125	129	153	–	129
1999	105	177	125	83	133	127	205	–	129
Paramedical									
1994	14	23	24	24	32	12	18	16	21
1995	14	27	25	na	36	6	15	41	22
1996	15	36	23	na	37	17	9	56	25
1997	16	33	25	na	38	7	9	36	25
1998	16	26	30	17	27	19	8	–	22
1999	17	35	37	16	32	24	12	–	26
Respite care									
1994	154	77	96	102	81	47	256	348	112
1995	155	57	105	na	84	68	282	670	113
1996	168	64	127	na	187	63	272	728	136
1997	179	119	147	na	337	59	346	454	178
1998	170	149	151	175	207	66	381	244	169
1999	167	125	161	168	236	72	410	320	167
Centre day care									
1994	324	359	456	304	198	80	192	–	327
1995	291	395	504	na	198	107	205	–	338
1996	293	406	526	na	305	193	206	18	360

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1997	307	476	570	na	302	182	127	37	391
1998	300	572	547	739	346	193	116	55	456
1999	348	556	559	718	363	239	143	140	471
Home maintenance									
1994	31	27	6	35	6	65	43	10	25
1995	35	23	12	na	7	72	52	7	25
1996	33	25	19	na	38	66	63	8	30
1997	31	30	30	na	45	22	46	13	32
1998	28	28	33	30	48	25	55	15	32
1999	32	27	79	36	46	25	45	16	40
Other									
1994	23	27	38	61	45	13	86	156	35
1995	24	30	41	na	48	12	85	115	33
1996	35	22	45	na	240	23	81	57	58
1997	74	50	38	na	379	59	107	104	97
1998	66	41	61	54	355	80	106	251	89
1999	54	38	50	45	385	44	97	420	84
Total hours									
1994	1 105	1 356	1 030	1 304	722	893	1 174	1 240	1 140
1995	1 032	1 453	1 136	na	723	968	1 302	1 559	1 146
1996	1 016	1 446	1 145	na	1 223	1 082	1 205	1 554	1 198
1997	1 104	1 605	1 218	na	1 540	1 045	1 251	1 378	1 327
1998	1 132	1 648	1 266	1 711	1 444	1 028	1 182	1 309	1 387
1999	1 147	1 628	1 341	1 653	1 575	1 088	1 309	1 785	1 410
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	611	685	675	614	673	670	421	329	642
1995	592	812	655	na	696	593	413	334	674
1996	532	797	647	na	692	543	370	345	643
1997	492	766	624	na	690	493	341	492	614
1998	482	788	641	483	717	493	339	403	606
1999	477	727	589	506	735	521	381	357	587
Centre meals									
1994	82	97	68	243	52	10	20	9	96
1995	81	111	78	na	54	14	22	15	83
1996	84	118	72	na	86	20	18	70	89
1997	85	102	85	na	89	26	15	90	87
1998	78	59	95	116	96	29	18	93	79
1999	92	49	95	117	95	51	20	149	82
People per month									
Transport ^{f, g}									
1994	55	na	37	32	21	61	31	92	43
1995	49	na	47	na	23	59	30	121	44
1996	53	na	52	na	43	67	31	136	51

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1997	55	na	58	na	48	58	44	115	55
1998	57	na	59	38	61	63	31	129	55
1999	56	na	69	31	96	66	42	155	60

^a Handicapped persons data were estimated from the ABS *Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers* (1998).

^b Data were taken from November 1994 to 1999, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for 1995 to 1997); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995) and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).

^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.

^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.

^e Transport data was not collected in Victoria.

^f Queensland transport data for 1994 to 1998.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.24 Level of HACC service received within other metropolitan areas by people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap (per month per 1000 people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap)^{a, b, c, d, e}

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home help									
1994	378	1 066	246	—	—	—	—	—	406
1995	383	1 434	235	—	—	—	—	—	441
1996	299	1 536	250	—	—	—	—	—	407
1997	344	1 244	240	—	—	—	—	—	398
1998	353	1 006	238	—	—	—	—	—	377
1999	355	1 145	237	—	—	—	—	—	390
Personal care									
1994	199	331	18	—	—	—	—	—	152
1995	204	233	15	—	—	—	—	—	142
1996	208	242	23	—	—	—	—	—	147
1997	216	240	22	—	—	—	—	—	150
1998	226	272	28	—	—	—	—	—	160
1999	222	250	48	—	—	—	—	—	163
Home nursing									
1994	124	326	98	—	—	—	—	—	136
1995	115	240	92	—	—	—	—	—	120
1996	104	273	82	—	—	—	—	—	114
1997	93	245	48	—	—	—	—	—	93
1998	89	186	74	—	—	—	—	—	93
1999	83	184	101	—	—	—	—	—	99
Paramedical									
1994	8	24	13	—	—	—	—	—	11
1995	8	40	10	—	—	—	—	—	12
1996	8	42	12	—	—	—	—	—	13
1997	9	23	9	—	—	—	—	—	10
1998	8	34	18	—	—	—	—	—	14
1999	5	17	21	—	—	—	—	—	12
Respite care									
1994	326	129	125	—	—	—	—	—	237
1995	309	64	120	—	—	—	—	—	219
1996	340	102	151	—	—	—	—	—	250
1997	385	190	109	—	—	—	—	—	269
1998	356	458	168	—	—	—	—	—	299
1999	401	360	248	—	—	—	—	—	342
Centre day care									
1994	360	141	453	—	—	—	—	—	369

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1995	364	253	474	–	–	–	–	–	390
1996	442	262	426	–	–	–	–	–	418
1997	493	204	369	–	–	–	–	–	420
1998	501	511	615	–	–	–	–	–	542
1999	410	427	577	–	–	–	–	–	471
Home maintenance									
1994	46	85	12	–	–	–	–	–	39
1995	46	73	13	–	–	–	–	–	37
1996	35	45	11	–	–	–	–	–	28
1997	31	85	17	–	–	–	–	–	31
1998	31	84	22	–	–	–	–	–	34
1999	29	76	27	–	–	–	–	–	33
Other									
1994	14	77	5	–	–	–	–	–	18
1995	12	4	4	–	–	–	–	–	9
1996	33	77	4	–	–	–	–	–	27
1997	78	94	15	–	–	–	–	–	58
1998	38	137	6	–	–	–	–	–	36
1999	23	152	15	–	–	–	–	–	33
Total hours									
1994	1 455	2 178	971	–	–	–	–	–	1 367
1995	1 440	2 341	963	–	–	–	–	–	1 370
1996	1 468	2 578	959	–	–	–	–	–	1 404
1997	1 650	2 325	828	–	–	–	–	–	1 428
1998	1 601	2 689	1 170	–	–	–	–	–	1 557
1999	1 528	2 612	1 273	–	–	–	–	–	1 544
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	624	906	472	–	–	–	–	–	602
1995	645	842	440	–	–	–	–	–	595
1996	640	861	428	–	–	–	–	–	589
1997	596	838	416	–	–	–	–	–	557
1998	618	904	551	–	–	–	–	–	623
1999	545	735	460	–	–	–	–	–	534
Centre meals									
1994	90	148	98	–	–	–	–	–	99
1995	98	132	99	–	–	–	–	–	102
1996	106	109	96	–	–	–	–	–	103
1997	103	100	71	–	–	–	–	–	91
1998	89	232	107	–	–	–	–	–	109
1999	126	201	84	–	–	–	–	–	119
People per month									

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Transport ^{f, g}									
1994	66	na	36	–	–	–	–	–	49
1995	75	na	47	–	–	–	–	–	58
1996	88	na	39	–	–	–	–	–	62
1997	83	na	87	–	–	–	–	–	76
1998	86	na	112	–	–	–	–	–	87
1999	87	na	92	–	–	–	–	–	89

^a Handicapped persons data were estimated from the ABS *Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers* (1998).

^b Data were taken from November 1994 to 1999, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for 1995 to 1997); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995) and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).

^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.

^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.

^e Transport data was not collected in Victoria.

^f Queensland transport data for 1994 to 1998.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.25 Level of HACC service received within rural areas by people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap (per month per 1000 people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap)^{a, b, c, d, e}

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home help									
1994	384	903	272	394	195	609	–	–	467
1995	378	939	311	na	201	576	–	–	487
1996	310	1 034	303	na	232	504	–	–	481
1997	342	1 095	274	na	266	450	–	–	496
1998	451	945	314	359	278	463	–	–	500
1999	498	1 096	310	367	315	451	–	–	547
Personal care									
1994	185	94	16	207	70	99	–	–	107
1995	188	171	22	na	70	107	–	–	120
1996	189	144	32	na	76	97	–	–	117
1997	209	144	20	na	84	121	–	–	123
1998	229	187	23	134	101	104	–	–	139
1999	220	194	30	139	126	143	–	–	145
Home nursing									
1994	194	290	237	395	82	217	–	–	231
1995	186	283	209	na	78	230	–	–	209
1996	170	292	211	na	48	261	–	–	205
1997	174	276	199	na	90	146	–	–	195
1998	168	257	155	137	92	154	–	–	174
1999	164	278	133	132	107	184	–	–	174
Paramedical									
1994	14	34	11	5	37	9	–	–	18
1995	11	21	15	na	31	6	–	–	16
1996	10	27	17	na	32	7	–	–	17
1997	10	39	21	na	30	6	–	–	21
1998	13	45	13	1	32	6	–	–	20
1999	17	45	15	4	78	5	–	–	25
Respite care									
1994	309	126	78	116	46	123	–	–	161
1995	330	117	86	na	57	143	–	–	173
1996	309	131	87	na	58	108	–	–	168
1997	363	186	99	na	86	127	–	–	205
1998	400	222	135	89	116	162	–	–	231
1999	377	198	107	81	167	169	–	–	215
Centre day care									
1994	328	673	621	592	786	233	–	–	528
1995	343	782	669	na	685	199	–	–	557
1996	323	776	740	na	645	381	–	–	578

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1997	353	826	739	na	548	279	–	–	583
1998	386	1 000	668	767	363	368	–	–	614
1999	337	1 053	691	745	360	322	–	–	613
Home maintenance									
1994	59	129	29	109	6	30	–	–	63
1995	63	127	38	na	3	43	–	–	64
1996	46	124	42	na	61	40	–	–	64
1997	55	141	48	na	31	35	–	–	69
1998	64	126	56	93	38	39	–	–	73
1999	53	121	50	101	37	33	–	–	67
Other									
1994	13	190	10	97	96	9	–	–	62
1995	17	109	12	na	43	10	–	–	39
1996	31	42	19	na	44	52	–	–	33
1997	73	62	26	na	88	25	–	–	55
1998	77	66	20	23	95	55	–	–	56
1999	57	66	20	8	158	46	–	–	53
Total hours									
1994	1 486	2 440	1 274	1 914	1 318	1 329	–	–	1 638
1995	1 517	2 549	1 362	na	1 169	1 313	–	–	1 665
1996	1 387	2 570	1 451	na	1 196	1 450	–	–	1 663
1997	1 579	2 768	1 427	na	1 223	1 189	–	–	1 747
1998	1 788	2 849	1 383	1 604	1 115	1 351	–	–	1 807
1999	1 722	3 050	1 357	1 577	1 347	1 354	–	–	1 839
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	851	919	597	705	1 054	830	–	–	803
1995	872	935	635	na	1 051	780	–	–	827
1996	896	908	632	na	1 040	744	–	–	824
1997	840	931	624	na	990	678	–	–	799
1998	876	936	694	563	1 084	703	–	–	823
1999	889	961	622	681	1 194	683	–	–	828
Centre meals									
1994	87	99	75	217	130	35	–	–	94
1995	82	105	83	na	103	29	–	–	86
1996	64	141	89	na	117	52	–	–	93
1997	63	141	89	na	106	45	–	–	91
1998	66	133	89	104	98	60	–	–	91
1999	61	172	98	98	70	55	–	–	98
People per month									
Transport ^{f, g}									
1994	90	na	30	46	43	87	–	–	48
1995	100	na	34	na	49	77	–	–	52
1996	94	na	39	na	64	74	–	–	52

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1997	100	na	41	na	74	80	–	–	56
1998	97	na	46	50	108	91	–	–	60
1999	87	na	47	33	122	93	–	–	73

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^b Data were taken from November 1994 to 1999, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for 1995 to 1997); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995) and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).

^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.

^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.

^e Transport data was not collected in Victoria.

^f Queensland transport data for 1994 to 1998.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.26 **Level of HACC service received within remote areas by people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap (per month per 1000 people with a profound, severe or moderate handicap)^{a, b, c, d, e}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Hours per month									
Home help									
1994	610	1 301	286	319	169	1 038	–	646	401
1995	624	585	414	na	185	817	–	800	503
1996	670	796	458	na	318	794	–	949	568
1997	855	841	394	na	881	580	–	877	595
1998	906	190	432	673	351	798	–	645	571
1999	865	145	366	657	677	755	–	1 467	636
Personal care									
1994	376	179	45	76	57	–	–	91	112
1995	380	238	59	na	64	–	–	268	161
1996	481	103	82	na	241	–	–	272	185
1997	764	99	86	na	211	–	–	290	231
1998	440	45	86	218	320	–	–	217	189
1999	414	–	65	184	75	13	–	309	163
Home nursing									
1994	340	286	352	107	27	441	–	–	229
1995	281	273	320	na	27	412	–	25	251
1996	364	723	260	na	32	390	–	12	241
1997	349	307	247	na	24	256	–	6	212
1998	102	337	231	269	8	261	–	–	197
1999	74	452	210	187	15	274	–	–	163
Paramedical									
1994	–	8	34	2	49	–	–	38	20
1995	2	–	18	na	38	–	–	11	14
1996	–	58	5	na	39	–	–	38	14
1997	–	66	10	na	39	–	–	20	14
1998	7	25	22	58	9	–	–	9	29
1999	7	20	14	3	2	–	–	57	14
Respite care									
1994	651	101	64	40	–	–	–	31	141
1995	508	113	111	na	–	–	–	51	179
1996	791	127	149	na	82	–	–	162	244
1997	777	232	143	na	81	–	–	89	232
1998	620	80	142	376	121	–	–	12	249
1999	637	–	240	48	75	–	–	379	219
Centre day care									
1994	1 166	1 389	616	324	695	–	–	40	580
1995	554	1 069	755	na	959	–	–	146	650
1996	1 137	1 759	669	na	986	1 231	–	177	744
1997	1 215	1 979	663	na	992	1 194	–	141	756
1998	915	849	699	831	937	1 386	–	161	731

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	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1999	632	954	800	774	572	1 026	–	863	773
Home maintenance									
1994	89	277	47	69	4	325	–	35	64
1995	116	127	89	na	–	335	–	64	89
1996	146	150	88	na	73	200	–	48	94
1997	176	121	60	na	38	165	–	134	91
1998	66	23	43	103	15	184	–	206	80
1999	115	31	44	85	52	160	–	94	70
Other									
1994	–	–	15	38	32	–	–	66	24
1995	1	115	34	na	85	–	–	131	46
1996	42	1 593	64	na	69	–	–	70	121
1997	165	331	48	na	145	–	–	160	101
1998	46	53	29	49	64	–	–	180	55
1999	30	34	34	28	137	–	–	281	62
Total hours									
1994	3 231	3 541	1 459	976	1 033	1 804	–	946	1 571
1995	2 465	2 520	1 800	na	1 358	1 563	–	1 495	1 892
1996	3 630	5 308	1 775	na	1 840	2 615	–	1 729	2 211
1997	4 301	3 976	1 651	na	2 412	2 195	–	1 717	2 232
1998	3 101	1 602	1 683	2 578	1 826	2 629	–	1 429	2 101
1999	2 774	1 636	1 773	1 965	1 605	2 228	–	3 450	2 100
Meals per month									
Home meals									
1994	1 154	1 104	654	782	676	773	–	1 550	863
1995	1 500	746	721	na	863	771	–	2 092	1 080
1996	2 222	523	758	na	1 038	963	–	2 231	1 217
1997	2 070	337	776	na	1 131	742	–	2 119	1 186
1998	1 134	307	843	1 104	1 251	695	–	1 666	1 046
1999	1 233	–	830	1 314	1 660	1 069	–	2 964	1 266
Centre meals									
1994	100	141	79	120	324	–	–	233	121
1995	180	84	113	na	622	–	–	505	214
1996	209	609	133	na	473	176	–	464	239
1997	172	546	220	na	456	570	–	393	272
1998	194	–	180	107	251	150	–	202	160
1999	111	–	188	44	60	167	–	671	172
People per month									
Transport ^f									
1994	109	na	58	37	51	–	–	80	61
1995	139	na	69	na	78	–	–	80	86
1996	186	na	73	na	93	44	–	126	101
1997	190	na	101	na	94	44	–	160	123
1998	145	na	108	64	87	40	–	82	94
1999	149	na	101	48	83	33	–	156	94

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
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^a Handicapped persons data were estimated from the ABS *Survey of Disability, Ageing and Carers* (1998).

^b Data were taken from November 1994 to 1999, except for WA (1994 is from November 1993, no data are available for 1995 to 1997); Queensland (1999 is from May 1999); the ACT (1994 is from May 1995) and the NT (1995 is from May 1996).

^c There is some overlap between jurisdictions in the definitions of home help, personal care, home nursing and paramedical services.

^d The Australian total excludes WA data and population for 1995 to 1997.

^e Transport data was not collected in Victoria.

^f Queensland transport data for 1994 to 1998.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.27 **Elapsed time between ACAT approval and entry into residential service by jurisdiction, 1999-2000**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT^a</i>	<i>Aust</i>
High care residents (RCS 1-4)										
2 days or less	%	23.9	9.7	8.6	11.3	12.5	9.1	9.1	19.4	15.4
7 days or less	%	40.2	20.2	16.8	23.6	26.8	17.7	18.6	22.2	28.1
less than 1 month	%	66.0	52.3	40.6	54.4	58.2	43.3	51.3	38.9	56.1
less than 3 months	%	86.1	80.5	70.7	83.4	82.7	74.9	76.4	54.2	81.2
less than 9 months	%	97.5	97.0	94.6	97.7	96.9	96.2	96.2	91.7	96.8
more than 9 months	%	2.5	3.0	5.4	2.3	3.1	3.8	3.8	8.3	3.2
Total admissions	no.	10 285	6 275	4 463	2 195	2 659	718	263	72	26 930
Low care residents (RCS 5-8)										
2 days or less	%	9.0	7.6	6.7	6.2	4.4	5.7	3.4	21.6	7.3
7 days or less	%	16.1	14.6	13.2	13.0	9.6	14.0	5.4	29.7	14.1
less than 1 month	%	37.5	37.4	32.5	35.8	27.4	27.0	15.6	62.2	34.9
less than 3 months	%	69.3	67.2	63.5	70.6	58.8	55.0	47.8	75.7	66.1
less than 9 months	%	95.0	94.7	92.7	96.4	93.9	91.9	91.7	100.0	94.4
more than 9 months	%	5.0	5.3	7.3	3.6	6.1	8.1	8.3	—	5.6
Total admissions	no.	5 144	4 813	3 204	1 733	1 681	407	205	37	17 224
All residents (RCS 1-8)										
2 days or less	%	18.9	8.8	7.8	9.0	9.4	7.8	6.6	20.2	12.2
7 days or less	%	32.1	17.8	15.3	19.0	20.1	16.4	12.8	24.8	22.6
less than 1 month	%	56.5	45.9	37.2	46.2	46.3	37.4	35.7	46.8	47.8
less than 3 months	%	80.5	74.7	67.7	77.8	73.4	67.7	63.9	61.5	75.3
less than 9 months	%	96.6	96.0	93.8	97.1	95.7	94.7	94.2	94.5	95.9
more than 9 months	%	3.4	4.0	6.2	2.9	4.3	5.3	5.8	5.5	4.1
Total admissions	no.	15 429	11 088	7 667	3 928	4 340	1 125	468	109	44 154

^a Data for 1999-2000 were based on the experience of 72 high care and 37 low care residents and may not be representative of the experience of NT residents over time.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.28 Residential care complaints, 1997-98 to 1999-2000

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Total complaints received										
October 1997–June 1998 ^a	no.	264	546	212	130	92	42	20	11	1 317
July 1998–Jun 1999 ^b	no.	305	608	379	191	160	40	29	13	1 725
January 2000–June 2000 ^c	no.	459	449	384	181	163	45	27	15	1 723
Complaints (per 1000 residents) ^d										
October 1997–June 1998 ^a	no.	5.7	17.2	8.9	11.9	7.2	11.8	15.1	34.0	10.1
July 1998–Jun 1999 ^b	no.	6.5	18.8	15.8	17.2	12.4	11.0	21.8	39.6	13.0
January 2000–June 2000 ^c	no.	9.7	13.7	15.8	16.3	12.5	12.3	19.6	44.6	12.9

^a Complaints received by Complaints Resolution Scheme between commencement of Scheme on 1 October 1997 and 30 June 1998.

^b Complaints received by Complaints Resolution Scheme between 1 July 1998 and 30 June 1999.

^c Complaints received by Complaints Resolution Scheme between 1 July 1999 and 30 June 2000.

^d As at 30 June.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.29 Commonwealth Government expenditure on residential aged care and CACPs (1999-2000 dollars per person aged 70 years and over) ^a

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Residential care									
1991-92	1 657	1 570	1 372	1 519	1 695	1 422	1 263	2 359	1 571
1992-93	1 678	1 569	1 412	1 564	1 672	1 540	1 285	2 346	1 589
1993-94	1 657	1 539	1 396	1 554	1 663	1 669	1 224	2 273	1 572
1994-95	1 731	1 638	1 418	1 558	1 662	1 805	1 315	2 330	1 632
1995-96	1 872	1 620	1 535	1 681	1 745	1 919	1 267	2 342	1 718
1996-97	1 971	1 659	1 644	1 684	1 763	1 953	1 400	2 311	1 786
1997-98	1 977	1 752	1 748	1 737	1 871	2 009	1 564	2 592	1 848
1998-99	1 983	1 744	1 814	1 805	1 914	2 036	1 659	2 750	1 871
1999-2000	1 991	1 768	1 822	1 806	1 921	2 023	1 673	2 651	1 881
CACPs									
1991-92	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
1992-93	2	1	2	3	9	2	3	–	3
1993-94	5	6	5	4	11	5	10	5	6
1994-95	13	11	15	14	18	20	16	13	13
1995-96	25	17	25	24	27	33	28	11	24
1996-97	34	30	35	39	38	48	50	136	35
1997-98	55	43	58	58	58	81	92	229	55
1998-99	74	69	82	80	76	101	146	384	77
1999-2000	87	88	90	89	85	110	160	392	90
Total									
1991-92	1 657	1 570	1 372	1 519	1 695	1 422	1 263	2 359	1 571
1992-93	1 681	1 570	1 415	1 567	1 680	1 542	1 289	2 346	1 592
1993-94	1 662	1 544	1 401	1 559	1 674	1 674	1 234	2 278	1 578
1994-95	1 743	1 649	1 433	1 571	1 680	1 825	1 331	2 343	1 645
1995-96	1 898	1 637	1 560	1 706	1 772	1 951	1 296	2 353	1 742
1996-97	2 006	1 690	1 679	1 723	1 801	2 001	1 451	2 447	1 821
1997-98	2 033	1 795	1 807	1 794	1 929	2 090	1 656	2 822	1 903
1998-99	2 057	1 813	1 896	1 885	1 989	2 138	1 805	3 134	1 948
1999-2000	2 078	1 855	1 912	1 895	2 006	2 133	1 832	3 044	1 971

^a Excludes the Department of Veterans' Affairs contribution see table 12A.33.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.30 **Expenditure on HACC and national respite services (1999-2000**
dollars million)^{a, b, c}

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Commonwealth expenditure									
1985-86	51.2	49.8	19.9	18.0	13.9	5.3	0.6	0.5	159.3
1986-87	69.5	61.9	23.0	20.1	18.6	4.8	1.2	0.9	200.0
1987-88	82.3	73.8	26.9	24.6	18.7	4.9	1.8	0.9	233.9
1988-89	92.8	83.0	29.0	27.8	20.3	6.1	2.3	1.3	262.6
1989-90	104.9	87.7	35.0	28.6	23.3	7.4	2.8	1.6	291.3
1990-91	113.4	93.3	40.6	32.1	26.5	8.9	3.5	2.1	320.4
1991-92	127.9	104.0	44.6	34.0	31.3	9.7	3.5	1.8	356.8
1992-93	137.9	110.5	52.0	38.9	32.9	10.1	3.7	1.9	387.9
1993-94	142.8	117.6	60.1	42.7	37.1	11.5	3.7	2.3	417.9
1994-95	154.3	126.3	67.2	45.9	40.4	12.5	4.1	2.7	453.4
1995-96	155.0	131.5	73.1	47.6	42.1	13.3	4.5	2.8	469.8
1996-97	157.7	138.0	80.6	49.7	45.7	14.3	5.1	3.3	494.3
1997-98	164.4	144.8	87.5	51.3	47.4	14.8	5.5	3.9	519.7
1998-99	170.8	153.4	96.3	53.4	49.3	15.3	6.2	4.2	549.0
1999-2000	176.3	158.8	102.8	54.4	50.2	15.6	6.7	4.5	569.3
State and Territory expenditure									
1985-86	49.5	45.4	16.6	14.9	11.0	4.8	1.8	0.4	144.2
1986-87	56.0	47.2	15.0	15.4	13.6	4.4	2.0	0.6	154.1
1987-88	61.9	55.2	17.8	18.2	13.3	4.5	2.4	0.5	173.8
1988-89	67.5	57.7	18.3	19.6	13.7	5.0	2.9	0.7	185.3
1989-90	73.7	60.8	20.1	19.7	15.5	6.1	3.2	0.8	199.8
1990-91	80.2	64.8	23.0	21.5	16.7	6.2	3.7	0.8	216.9
1991-92	85.7	69.5	24.3	22.0	19.5	7.1	3.7	0.8	232.7
1992-93	90.8	72.6	27.8	24.8	20.1	7.2	3.8	0.8	247.9
1993-94	93.8	77.2	32.1	27.2	22.6	8.2	3.8	1.0	265.9
1994-95	100.1	82.1	35.5	28.9	24.3	8.8	4.1	1.1	285.0
1995-96	100.4	85.3	38.6	30.0	25.3	9.3	4.5	1.2	294.6
1996-97	101.5	89.2	42.3	31.1	27.3	9.9	4.9	1.3	307.6
1997-98	104.7	93.2	45.8	32.0	28.1	10.0	5.3	1.4	320.5
1998-99	107.9	97.3	49.5	32.7	28.7	10.1	5.7	1.4	333.5
1999-2000	108.5	99.4	52.3	32.7	28.7	10.0	6.0	1.5	339.2
Total expenditure									
1985-86	100.7	95.2	36.5	33.0	24.8	10.0	2.3	0.9	303.5
1986-87	125.4	109.1	38.0	35.5	32.2	9.2	3.2	1.4	354.0
1987-88	144.2	129.0	44.6	42.8	32.1	9.3	4.2	1.5	407.7
1988-89	160.3	140.7	47.3	47.4	34.0	11.1	5.2	2.0	447.9
1989-90	178.5	148.5	55.0	48.3	38.8	13.5	6.0	2.4	491.1
1990-91	193.7	158.1	63.5	53.6	43.2	15.1	7.2	2.9	537.3
1991-92	213.6	173.5	68.8	56.1	50.8	16.8	7.2	2.7	589.5

Table 12A.30 **Expenditure on HACC and national respite services (1999-2000 dollars million)^{a, b, c}**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1992-93	228.7	183.1	79.8	63.8	52.9	17.3	7.5	2.7	635.8
1993-94	236.6	194.8	92.3	70.0	59.7	19.7	7.5	3.3	683.8
1994-95	254.4	208.4	102.7	74.8	64.7	21.3	8.2	3.8	738.3
1995-96	255.4	216.8	111.7	77.6	67.5	22.6	9.0	4.0	764.5
1996-97	259.2	227.2	122.9	80.9	73.0	24.2	10.0	4.6	801.9
1997-98	269.2	238.1	133.3	83.3	75.5	24.8	10.9	5.2	840.2
1998-99	278.7	250.7	145.8	86.1	78.1	25.5	11.9	5.7	882.5
1999-2000	284.8	258.2	155.1	87.1	79.0	25.6	12.7	6.0	908.5

^a Commonwealth expenditure includes Commonwealth National Respite for Carers Program.

^b Recurrent expenditure only.

^c National Respite for Cares Program accounted for \$43.7million of Commonwealth expenditure in 1999-2000.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.31 **Commonwealth and State government recurrent expenditure on HACC and National Respite services (1999-2000 dollars per person)** ^{a+E18}

	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Expenditure per person with a profound, severe or moderate handicap									
1994-95	434.73	502.07	294.86	423.55	399.90	384.81	319.93	349.14	414.62
1995-96	448.84	546.62	315.26	451.75	427.54	418.10	357.67	373.89	440.52
1996-97	460.73	579.16	344.40	467.86	487.25	461.58	403.37	416.29	466.86
1997-98	469.62	587.93	363.84	482.90	504.86	476.14	435.83	505.34	480.06
1998-99	496.52	639.46	425.79	513.30	528.14	500.03	479.71	552.61	519.88
1999-2000	516.34	670.20	456.87	524.66	545.59	515.69	518.91	582.63	543.51
Expenditure per person aged 70 and over									
1994-95	290.33	336.84	255.47	374.78	262.96	304.66	268.50	431.21	301.16
1995-96	294.81	358.00	273.75	397.71	274.62	323.63	291.31	444.67	315.23
1996-97	301.74	380.60	289.32	403.12	309.05	353.09	316.58	479.32	330.87
1997-98	301.93	377.39	308.36	416.59	313.18	357.42	334.28	577.95	335.52
1998-99	316.44	407.14	360.86	439.80	324.59	370.72	364.46	643.70	361.14
1999-2000	326.84	422.83	384.82	446.51	331.77	381.54	385.86	673.52	374.85

^a See table 12A.2 for notes and sources of population data.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.32 **Average annual Commonwealth RCS subsidy per occupied place and the dependency level of aged care residents, June 2000^a**

<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>	
<i>Services with over 80 per cent high care residents</i>										
Average annual Commonwealth subsidy ^b										
All RCS levels	\$	33 072	35 279	29 186	32 868	31 352	33 437	32 857	32 525	32 788
Proportion of high and low care residents ^c										
RCS 1 and 2	%	68.5	74.4	72.2	75.1	69.7	57.9	74.2	60.5	70.9
RCS 3 and 4	%	28.1	23.5	24.1	22.1	27.5	35.4	23.3	34.9	26.0
RCS 5–8	%	3.3	2.1	3.7	2.8	2.8	6.7	2.4	4.7	3.1
<i>Services with over 80 per cent low care residents</i>										
Average annual Commonwealth subsidy ^b										
All RCS levels	\$	9 809	10 208	10 408	9 928	10 704	11 233	7 855	10 340	10 121
Proportion of high and low care residents ^c										
RCS 1 and 2	%	0.8	0.6	2.3	0.2	0.8	1.4	–	2.0	0.9
RCS 3 and 4	%	5.8	6.2	8.6	5.3	9.0	10.0	4.0	4.0	6.6
RCS 5–8	%	93.4	93.2	89.1	94.4	90.2	88.6	96.0	94.0	92.5
<i>Services with less than 80 per cent high care or more than 20 per cent low care residents</i>										
Average annual Commonwealth subsidy ^b										
All RCS levels	\$	15 709	16 058	15 620	16 595	17 191	18 577	16 486	20 974	16 095
Proportion of high and low care residents ^c										
RCS 1 and 2	%	7.0	6.9	12.4	9.3	15.4	16.3	9.1	22.8	10.3
RCS 3 and 4	%	23.2	22.2	23.8	25.6	23.2	24.2	27.7	24.8	23.5
RCS 5–8	%	69.8	70.9	63.8	65.1	61.4	59.5	63.2	52.5	66.2
<i>All residential aged care services</i>										
Average annual Commonwealth subsidy ^b										
All RCS levels	\$	24 297	23 672	21 124	22 206	22 499	25 332	21 834	25 479	23 223
Proportion of high and low care residents ^c										
RCS 1 and 2	%	41.5	38.9	39.0	38.6	38.8	36.4	35.1	39.6	39.7
RCS 3 and 4	%	21.3	17.0	21.2	16.4	21.2	27.5	21.4	26.9	20.0
RCS 5–8	%	37.2	44.1	39.8	45.0	40.0	36.1	43.5	33.4	40.3
Basic subsidy rate (cost per resident per day) ^{b, d}										
RCS 1	\$	105	110	91	102	99	111	102	107	na
RCS 2	\$	95	99	83	92	89	101	92	97	na
RCS 3	\$	82	85	71	79	77	87	80	83	na
RCS 4	\$	58	60	50	56	55	62	57	59	na
RCS 5	\$	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35
RCS 6	\$	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29
RCS 7	\$	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22
RCS 8	\$	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

^a RCS = Resident Classification Scale.

^b Includes only funding on the RCS; the pensioner supplement and other supplements will add around \$3000 a year for residents. On average, residents contribute \$10 700 a year to their care.

^c Differences in average annual subsidies reflect differences in subsidy rates as well as differences in the dependency of residents.

^d Subsidy rates from 1 July 1999 to 30 June 2000.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not Available.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care (unpublished).

Table 12A.33 **DVA residential clients and expenditure**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
DVA residential aged care subsidy ^a										
Total expenditure										
1995-96 ^a	\$'000	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	44 203
1996-97	\$'000	20 644	10 541	8 838	1 683	3 883	1 170	611	20	47 390
1997-98 ^b	\$'000	73 210	36 940	32 797	14 411	14 910	5 144	2 169	178	179 758
1998-99	\$'000	131 799	97 406	66 716	30 154	25 765	10 450	4 601	338	367 230
1999-2000	\$'000	138 506	96 296	72 694	31 944	30 122	11 850	5 168	427	387 007
Total clients										
30 June 1998	no.	5 128	3 581	3 184	1 339	1 502	568	140	17	15 459
30 June 1999	no.	5 621	3 978	3 481	1 524	1 649	592	158	21	17 024
30 June 2000	no.	6 010	4 237	3 797	1 602	1 803	638	169	20	18 276
Residential care development scheme ^c										
Total expenditure										
1995-96	\$'000	53	3 971	544	–	237	464	–	–	5 270
1996-97	\$'000	1 179	1 404	323	665	459	195	40	12	4 277
1997-98	\$'000	2 459	1 006	591	672	1 900	41	15	–	6 683
1998-99	\$'000	2 176	316	1 372	142	194	110	700	–	5 009
1999-2000	\$'000	510	1 276	597	40	181	42	486	–	3 132

^a State and Territory expenditure break-down not available for 1995-96.

^b DVA became responsible for the subsidy for most categories of veterans in residential aged care facilities, including Gold and White card holders, following the 1997 reforms of the Commonwealth Residential Aged Care Program. Prior to these reforms DVA held the appropriation for limited categories of veterans and war widows in nursing homes, but not in hostels.

^c The Residential Care Development Scheme is part of the Veterans and Community Grants Program administered by DVA. Grants are paid to Ex-Service Organisations and Community Based Organisations with significant numbers of veterans as clients, in order to improve aged care services to veterans. This program includes capital funding for residential aged care facilities to upgrade buildings to meet certification regulations, funding for consultants to assist residential care providers improve their management structures to meet accreditation; funding for upgrades to accommodate dementia care; funding for new places and also for Community Aged Care Packages. Data are not available on the individual numbers of veterans who have benefited from this program.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.

Source: Department of Veterans' Affairs (unpublished).

Table 12A.34 **Older persons needing assistance with at least one everyday activity: extent to which need met, 1998^{a, b}**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT^c</i>	<i>Aust</i>
Need not fully met										
Males	'000	33.7	26.6	19.6	np	np	np	np	np	104.8
Females	'000	57.3	48.9	39.4	np	np	np	np	np	188.5
Persons	'000	91.0	75.5	59.0	25.8	25.1	12.0	4.0	0.8	293.2
All needing assistance										
Males	'000	116.0	76.2	48.2	np	np	np	np	np	309.0
Females	'000	196.4	150.2	105.6	np	np	np	np	np	578.8
Persons	'000	312.4	226.4	153.9	72.6	82.7	27.0	10.9	2.0	887.9
Self reported total or partial unmet need										
Males	%	29.1	34.9	40.7	np	np	np	np	np	33.9
Females	%	29.2	32.6	37.3	np	np	np	np	np	32.6
Persons	%	29.1	33.3	38.3	35.5	30.4	44.4	36.7	40.0	33.0

^a Aged 65 years and over, living in households.

^b Totals may not sum as a result of rounding errors.

^c Estimated as a residual.

np Not published but included in total.

Source: ABS, *Disability, Ageing and Carers: Summary Tables, New South Wales* (Cat no. 4430.1.40.001); ABS, *Disability, Ageing and Carers: Summary Tables, Victoria* (Cat no. 4430.2.40.001); ABS, *Disability, Ageing and Carers: Summary Tables, Queensland* (Cat no. 4430.3.40.001); ABS, *Disability, Ageing and Carers: Summary Tables, South Australia* (Cat no. 4430.4.40.001); ABS, *Disability, Ageing and Carers: Summary Tables, Western Australia* (Cat no. 4430.5.40.001); ABS, *Disability, Ageing and Carers: Summary Tables, Tasmania* (Cat no. 4430.6.40.001); ABS, *Disability, Ageing and Carers: Summary Tables, Australian Capital Territory* (Cat no. 4430.8.40.001); ABS, *Disability, Ageing and Carers: Summary of Findings* (Cat no. 4430.0).

Table 12A.35 Recommended longer term living arrangements of ACAT clients, 1996-97 to 1998-99

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
1996-97										
Community										
Private house — alone	%	20.2	20.9	11.8	22.5	11.3	23.1	14.5	19.0	18.9
Private house — spouse	%	17.0	17.4	9.9	20.6	9.1	17.6	8.2	15.6	15.9
Private house — others	%	13.9	11.1	8.1	11.8	4.6	8.2	37.8	9.2	11.3
Total community	%	51.1	49.5	29.8	54.9	25.0	48.9	60.4	43.8	46.2
Residential										
Nursing home/nursing home type	%	22.7	17.2	30.2	18.4	33.1	27.2	9.8	24.1	22.3
Hostel/hostel type	%	18.2	19.0	33.5	21.1	23.2	20.9	10.8	28.3	21.3
Total residential	%	40.9	36.2	63.7	36.6	56.3	48.0	20.6	52.6	43.6
Other	%	2.0	2.7	5.1	1.7	11.5	1.5	10.6	1.5	3.4
No long term plan made										
Died	%	0.7	1.5	0.6	2.1	2.2	0.2	0.7	0.1	1.2
Cancelled	%	0.9	1.3	0.5	—	4.2	0.6	0.8	—	1.1
Transferred	%	1.0	6.0	0.4	1.7	0.9	0.4	0.9	0.2	2.5
Unknown	%	3.4	2.9	—	—	—	0.4	6.0	2.0	2.1
Total no long term plan made	%	6.0	11.7	1.5	3.8	7.3	1.6	8.4	2.3	6.9
Total	no.	53 794	50 776	21 679	19 616	13 111	4 824	1 425	1 185	166 410
1997-98										
Community										
Private house — alone	%	20.3	21.2	10.9	22.5	11.9	20.9	12.6	12.1	18.8
Private house — spouse	%	17	17.2	9.7	20.3	9.5	16.8	9.6	6.9	15.8
Private house — others	%	13.7	10.5	7.5	11.2	4.7	8.3	7.3	38.9	10.9
Total community	%	51.1	49.0	28.2	54.0	26.1	46.1	29.4	57.9	45.4
Residential										
Nursing home/nursing home type	%	23.5	18.5	34.9	18.7	33.4	30.1	30.1	13.2	24.0
Hostel/hostel type	%	18.1	19.5	31.9	21.1	21.5	19.7	24.9	10.9	21.1
Total residential	%	41.6	38.1	66.8	39.8	55.0	49.9	55.0	24.1	45.1
Other	%	2.3	2.5	3.9	1.5	13.1	2.7	1.3	9.8	3.4
No long term plan made										
Died	%	0.5	1.5	0.4	1.9	1.7	0.2	0.1	1.3	1.1
Cancelled	%	0.8	1.2	0.5	—	3.5	0.8	0.5	1.3	1.0
Transferred	%	0.6	5.5	0.2	2.7	0.7	0.3	0.3	1.2	2.3
Unknown	%	3	2.3	—	—	—	0.1	13.5	4.4	1.8
Total no long term plan made	%	4.9	10.5	1.1	4.6	5.9	1.4	14.4	8.2	6.2
Total	no.	55 664	50 923	23 320	20 692	13 438	4 718	1 724	1 181	171 660
1998-99										
Community										
Private house — alone	%	21.7	21.5	11.5	23.1	14.1	21.0	15.0	13.9	19.7
Private house — spouse	%	17.3	17.3	21.5	20.3	12.5	14.2	8.8	12.1	16.1
Private house — others	%	13.6	10.3	13.4	11.5	5.9	8.6	45.2	7.2	11.7
Total community	%	52.6	49.1	35.0	54.9	32.5	43.8	69.0	33.1	47.5
Residential										
High care/high care type	%	22.6	18.8	33.3	18.1	32.2	30.3	6.6	25.1	23.3
Low care/low care type	%	17.3	19.3	27.0	21.0	22.1	23.1	7.1	19.7	20.2
Total residential	%	39.9	38.0	60.2	39.1	54.2	53.3	13.8	44.9	43.4
Other	%	2.2	2.3	3.6	1.5	6.1	0.1	12.3	1.2	2.7
No long term plan made										
Died	%	0.6	0.7	0.4	1.3	2.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.8
Cancelled	%	0.9	2.0	0.6	—	4.3	0.9	0.7	0.3	1.3
Transferred	%	0.6	5.6	0.2	3.2	0.9	0.3	0.5	—	2.3
Unknown	%	3.2	2.3	—	—	—	1.4	3.7	20.4	2.0
Total no long term plan made	%	5.3	10.6	1.2	4.5	7.2	2.8	5.0	20.9	6.4
Total	no.	57 171	52 684	24 551	22 254	14 601	4 552	1 147	1 955	178 915

Source: Lincoln Gerontology Centre (1998, 1999 and 2000).

Table 12A.36 **Patterns of service use by HACC clients, 1997-98** ^a

<i>Hours of service</i>	<i>Client distribution</i>		<i>Distribution of total hours</i>	
	<i>By number</i>	<i>By share</i>	<i>By number</i>	<i>By share</i>
	no.	%	'000 hours	%
Consumption patterns of clients consuming 40 or less hours of service				
5-less	28 876	59.0	78.5	15.3
5-0	7 190	14.7	60.5	11.8
10-15	3 759	7.7	48.2	9.4
15-20	3 081	6.3	55.5	10.8
20-25	1 601	3.3	37.1	7.2
25-30	1 213	2.5	34.0	6.6
30-35	582	1.2	19.1	3.7
35-40	528	1.1	20.2	3.9
40 or less	46 830	95.7	353.0	68.8
Consumption patterns of clients consuming more than 40 hours of service				
40-120	1 899	3.9	117.3	22.9
120-200	120	0.2	17.7	3.5
200-280	21	-	4.9	1.0
280-360	21	-	6.8	1.3
360-440	4	-	1.6	0.3
440-520	12	-	5.4	1.1
520-600	7	-	4.0	0.8
600 or more	4	-	2.6	0.5
More than 40	2 088	4.3	160.4	31.2
Total	48 918	100.0	513.3	100.0

^a Hours of HACC service are only from the service completing the collection form, rather than all hours of service received by the client.

- Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care *HACC User Characteristics Survey 1997-98*.

Table 12A.37 Indigenous HACC clients, 1997-98

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Indigenous persons as a proportion of the Australian population										
Total	%	1.7	0.5	2.9	3.0	1.4	3.0	1.0	26.4	2.0
Aged 50+ years	%	0.6	0.2	1.0	1.1	0.4	0.9	0.2	19.1	0.7
Aged 70+ years	%	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.1	23.0	0.4
Indigenous persons as a proportion of HACC clients										
Total	%	3.0	0.8	2.3	3.2	2.1	1.0	0.8	49.4	2.5
Aged 50+ years	%	2.5	0.6	2.2	2.9	1.8	0.7	0.3	47.9	2.2
Aged 70+ years	%	1.3	0.4	1.5	1.4	1.0	0.5	0.4	39.2	1.3
Characteristics of Indigenous HACC clients aged 50 and over										
Female	%	68.2	74.5	71.6	62.1	70.5	81.0	50.0	68.4	70.0
Speaks only English	%	99.0	95.7	84.2	45.2	71.4	100.0	100.0	23.4	87.1
Receives a pension	%	97.9	93.5	99.4	99.8	97.5	100.0	100.0	96.3	97.4
Lives alone	%	47.1	22.2	34.8	19.4	35.1	45.0	100.0	27.5	35.7
Has a carer	%	47.1	46.3	62.9	62.6	59.5	45.0	–	55.1	52.0
Has a resident carer	%	29.5	36.6	45.0	52.2	31.2	40.0	–	45.9	36.7
Has three or more 'needs for assistance'	%	18.6	18.8	27.2	22.1	41.3	38.1	–	27.1	23.1
Receives four or more service types	%	46.8	100.0	64.1	46.1	65.4	56.1	–	na	63.4
Monthly hours of service	hrs	1 388	1 423	2 294	1 423	1 201	1 110	250	na	1 535
Characteristics of non-Indigenous HACC clients aged 50 years and over										
Female	%	68.4	70.2	67.9	70.2	67.5	72.0	68.5	56.5	68.9
Speaks only English	%	87.0	85.6	91.7	88.0	85.4	93.0	85.9	89.5	87.8
Receives a pension	%	95.2	94.5	96.2	78.7	94.7	95.1	87.6	96.7	93.5
Lives alone	%	55.1	44.8	53.4	52.5	49.3	56.1	55.2	66.2	51.7
Has a carer	%	54.2	52.2	56.3	63.7	59.5	41.4	63.3	52.7	55.3
Has a resident carer	%	30.3	35.8	36.1	38.4	37.7	26.4	39.3	30.8	34.2
Has three or more 'needs for assistance'	%	25.3	18.9	28.4	17.0	28.5	23.4	28.0	21.7	23.9
Receives four or more service types	%	42.0	100.0	45.8	17.3	49.0	40.5	48.4	na	54.1
Monthly hours of service	hrs	933	922	1 017	922	959	724	641	na	956

^a Unknown responses have been distributed prorata.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

na Not available.

Source: Department of Health and Aged Care, *HACC User Characteristics Survey 1997-98*.

Table 12A.38 **Distribution of HACC clients, by age and Indigenous status, 1997-98 (per cent)^a**

	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
<i>Distribution of HACC clients by Indigenous status</i>									
Proportion of Indigenous HACC clients aged:									
50 years and under	24.4	33.3	13.4	15.9	25.2	38.2	71.4	20.5	21.5
50 years to 70 years	42.7	30.6	38.0	50.3	42.1	29.4	–	42.4	42.9
70 years and over	32.8	36.1	48.7	33.8	32.7	32.4	28.6	37.1	35.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Proportion of non-Indigenous HACC clients aged:									
50 years and under	9.9	11.1	10.0	8.3	11.1	9.4	20.8	20.4	9.9
50 years to 70 years	14.2	17.0	14.6	16.7	16.5	19.8	16.3	26.8	15.4
70 years and over	75.8	71.9	75.4	75.0	72.5	70.8	63.0	52.8	74.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Proportion of all HACC clients aged:									
50 years and under	10.4	11.2	10.1	8.6	11.4	9.7	21.2	20.4	10.2
50 years to 70 years	15.1	17.1	15.1	17.7	17.0	19.9	16.1	34.3	16.1
70 years and over	74.5	71.6	74.8	73.7	71.6	70.4	62.7	45.3	73.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<i>Distribution of HACC clients by age group</i>									
Proportion of HACC clients aged 50 years and under									
Indigenous	7.0	2.4	3.0	5.8	4.8	3.9	2.7	48.1	5.1
Non-Indigenous	93.0	97.6	97.0	94.2	95.2	96.1	97.3	51.9	94.9
All persons	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Proportion of HACC clients aged 50-70 years									
Indigenous	8.4	1.4	5.7	9.0	5.3	1.5	–	59.3	6.5
Non-Indigenous	91.6	98.6	94.3	91.0	94.7	98.5	100.0	40.7	93.5
All persons	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Proportion of HACC clients aged 70 years and over									
Indigenous	1.3	0.4	1.5	1.4	1.0	0.5	0.4	39.2	1.2
Non-Indigenous	98.7	99.6	98.5	98.6	99.0	99.5	99.6	60.8	98.8
All persons	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

^a Unknown responses have been distributed pro rata.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

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