



Stocktake of Australian Government Subsidised Aged Care Places and Ratios as at 30 June 2015

Total Operational Aged Care Places by State/Territory as at 30 June 2015

State/Territory	Residential care ¹	Home care ²			Total residential + home care	Total transition care	Grand total
		Low care	High care	Total home care			
NSW	67,258	18,244	5,194	23,438	90,696	1,378	92,074
Vic	51,131	13,787	4,020	17,807	68,938	1,000	69,938
Qld	34,915	10,203	3,612	13,815	48,730	733	49,463
WA	16,350	5,178	3,278	8,456	24,806	346	25,152
SA	18,390	4,581	1,223	5,804	24,194	347	24,541
Tas	4,987	1,421	440	1,861	6,848	109	6,957
ACT	2,247	719	527	1,246	3,493	58	3,551
NT	675	922	201	1,123	1,798	29	1,827
Australia	195,953	55,055	18,495	73,550	269,503	4,000	273,503

Total Operational Aged Care Ratios (places per 1,000 people aged 70 years and over) by State/Territory as at 30 June 2015

State/Territory	Residential care ¹	Home care ²			Total residential + home care (planning ratio)	Total transition care	Grand total
		Low care	High care	Total home care			
NSW	82.5	22.4	6.4	28.7	111.2	1.7	112.9
Vic	83.3	22.5	6.6	29.0	112.3	1.6	114.0
Qld	77.0	22.5	8.0	30.5	107.5	1.6	109.1
WA	71.9	22.8	14.4	37.2	109.1	1.5	110.6
SA	90.5	22.6	6.0	28.6	119.1	1.7	120.8
Tas	79.2	22.6	7.0	29.5	108.7	1.7	110.4
ACT	73.1	23.4	17.1	40.5	113.6	1.9	115.5
NT	73.4	100.2	21.9	122.1	195.5	3.2	198.6
Australia	81.1	22.8	7.7	30.4	111.5	1.7	113.2

Notes:

1 Residential care includes flexible residential care places in the: Multi-Purpose Service (MPS) Programme, Aged Care Innovative Pool Programme and the National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Flexible Aged Care Programme.

2 Home care (High care) includes Home care Level 3 and Level 4 places only. Home care (Low care) includes Home care Level 1 and Level 2 places and the flexible Home care places in the: Multi-Purpose Service (MPS) Programme, Aged Care Innovative Pool Programme and the National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Flexible Aged Care Programme.

Note: The ratios in the above table were calculated using revised population projections for June 2015 which are based on the 2012 ABS Estimated Resident Population. These population projections are customised projections prepared for the Department of Social Services (DSS) by the ABS, according to the assumptions agreed to by DSS. Due to rounding, individual ratios may not sum to the totals.