

QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE

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IMMIGRATION AND MULTICULTURAL AFFAIRS PORTFOLIO

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Senator Crossin (L&CA 67) asked:

Provide a snapshot of MODL as it was two years ago, as it was one year ago and as it is now and also provide information as to the major occupations using the 457 visa.

Answer:

The occupations on the MODL as at 8 September 2004, 1 November 2005 and the current MODL are as follows:

MIGRATION OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND – 8 September 2004	
Occupation	ASCO Code
Accountant	2211-11
Medical Practitioner – General Medical Practitioner	2311-11
Medical Practitioner – Anaesthetist	2312-11
Medical Practitioner – Dermatologist	2312-13
Medical Practitioner – Emergency Medicine Specialist	2312-15
Medical Practitioner – Obstetrician and Gynaecologist	2312-17
Medical Practitioner – Ophthalmologist	2312-19
Medical Practitioner – Paediatrician	2312-21
Medical Practitioner – Pathologist	2312-23
Medical Practitioner – Specialist Physician	2312-25
Medical Practitioner – Psychiatrist	2312-27
Medical Practitioner – Radiologist	2312-29
Medical Practitioner – Surgeon	2312-31
Medical Practitioner – Specialist Medical Practitioners (not elsewhere classified)	2312-79
Registered Nurses	2323
Registered Midwives	2324
Registered Mental Health Nurses	2325
Hospital Pharmacists	2382 – 11
Retail Pharmacists	2382 – 15
Occupational Therapists	2383
Physiotherapists	2385
Medical Diagnostic Radiographer	2391 – 11
Radiation Therapist	2391 – 13

MIGRATION OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND – 8 September 2004	
Occupation	ASCO Code
Sonographer	2391 – 17
Chefs (excluding Commis Chef)*	3322 (part)
Automotive Electrician	4212-11
Fitter	4112-11
Furniture Upholsterer	4942-11
Hairdresser**	4931-11
Metal Fabricator (Boilermaker)	4122-11
Metal Machinist (First Class)	4112-13
Motor Mechanic	4211-11
Panel Beater	4213-11
Pastry Cook	4512-13
Refrigeration and Airconditioning Mechanics	4312-11
Sheet Metal Worker (First Class)	4124-11
Toolmaker	4113-11
Vehicle Painter	4214-11
Welder (First Class)	4122-15

* Chefs would normally be expected to have a relevant trade level (or higher) qualification, and at least 3 years relevant experience following the completion of that formal qualification.

** Hairdressers would normally be expected to have a relevant trade certificate or higher qualification, and at least 3 years relevant experience following the completion of that qualification.

MIGRATION OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND – 1 November 2005	
Occupation	ASCO Code
Accountant	2211-11
Anaesthetist	2312-11
Chemical Engineer	2129-17
Civil Engineer	2124-11
Dental Specialist	2381-13
Dentist	2381-11
Dermatologist	2312-13
Emergency Medicine Specialist	2312-15
General Medical Practitioner	2311-11
Hospital Pharmacist	2382-11
Medical Diagnostic Radiographer	2391-11
Mining Engineer	2127-11
Nuclear Medicine Technologist	2391-15

MIGRATION OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND – 1 November 2005	
Occupation	ASCO Code
Obstetrician and Gynaecologist	2312-17
Occupational Therapist	2383-11
Ophthalmologist	2312-19
Paediatrician	2312-21
Pathologist	2312-23
Petroleum Engineer	2127-13
Physiotherapist	2385-11
Podiatrist	2388-11
Psychiatrist	2312-27
Radiation Therapist	2391-13
Radiologist	2312-29
Registered Mental Health Nurse	2325-11
Registered Midwife	2324-11
Registered Nurse	2323-11
Retail Pharmacist	2382-15
Specialist Medical Practitioners (not elsewhere classified)	2312-79
Specialist Physician	2312-25
Speech Pathologist	2386-11
Sonographer	2391-17
Surgeon	2312-31
Chef (excluding Commis Chef)	3322-11(part)
Automotive Electrician	4212-11
Bricklayer	4414-11
Cabinetmaker	4922-11
Carpenter and Joiner	4411-11
Cook	4513-11
Electrical Powerline Tradesperson	4313-11
Electrician (Special Class)	4311-13
Electronic Equipment Tradesperson	4315-11
Fibrous Plasterer	4412-11
Fitter	4112-11
Furniture Upholsterer	4942-11
General Electricia	4311-11
General Electronic Instrument-Tradesperson	4314-11
General Plumber	4431-11
Hairdresser	4931-11

MIGRATION OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND – 1 November 2005	
Occupation	ASCO Code
Metal Fabricator (Boilermaker)	4122-11
Metal Machinist (First Class)	4112-13
Motor Mechanic	4211-11
Panel Beater	4213-11
Pastry Cook	4512-13
Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Mechanic	4312-11
Solid Plasterer	4415-11
Sheetmetal Worker (First Class)	4124-11
Toolmaker	4113-11
Vehicle Painter	4214-11
Welder (First Class)	4122-15

MIGRATION OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND - Current	
Occupation	ASCO Code
Child Care Coordinator	1295-11
Accountant	2211-11
Anaesthetist	2312-11
Chemical Engineer	2129-17
Civil Engineer	2124-11
Computing Professional - specialising in C++/C#/C	2231-79
Computing Professional - specialising in CISSP	2231-79
Computing Professional - specialising in Java	2231-79
Computing Professional - specialising in J2EE	2231-79
Computing Professional - specialising in Network Security	2231-79
Computing Professional - specialising in Oracle	2231-79
Computing Professional - specialising in PeopleSoft	2231-79
Computing Professional - specialising in SAP	2231-79
Computing Professional - specialising in SIEBEL	2231-79
Dental Specialist	2381-13
Dentist	2381-11
Dermatologist	2312-13
Electrical Engineer	2125-11
Emergency Medicine Specialist	2312-15
General Medical Practitioner	2311-11
Hospital Pharmacist	2382-11

MIGRATION OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND - Current	
Occupation	ASCO Code
Mechanical Engineer	2126-11
Medical Diagnostic Radiographer	2391-11
Mining Engineer	2127-11
Obstetrician and Gynaecologist	2312-17
Occupational Therapist	2383-11
Ophthalmologist	2312-19
Paediatrician	2312-21
Pathologist	2312-23
Petroleum Engineer	2127-13
Physiotherapist	2385-11
Podiatrist	2388-11
Psychiatrist	2312-27
Radiologist	2312-29
Registered Mental Health Nurse	2325-11
Registered Midwife	2324-11
Registered Nurse	2323-11
Retail Pharmacist	2382-15
Specialist Medical Practitioners (not elsewhere classified)	2312-79
Specialist Physician	2312-25
Speech Pathologist	2386-11
Sonographer	2391-17
Surgeon	2312-31
Surveyor	2123-13
Chef (excluding Commis Chef)	3322-11(part)
Automotive Electrician	4212-11
Baker	4512-11
Boat Builder and Repairer	4981-13
Bricklayer	4414-11
Cabinetmaker	4922-11
Carpenter	4411-13
Carpenter and Joiner	4411-11
Cook	4513-11
Drainer	4431-15
Electrical Powerline Tradesperson	4313-11
Electrician (Special Class)	4311-13
Electronic Equipment Tradesperson	4315-11

MIGRATION OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND - Current	
Occupation	ASCO Code
Fibrous Plasterer	4412-11
Fitter	4112-11
Floor Finisher	4423-11
Furniture Upholsterer	4942-11
Gasfitter	4431-13
General Electrician	4311-11
General Electronic Instrument-Tradesperson	4314-11
General Plumber	4431-11
Hairdresser	4931-11
Joiner	4411-15
Lift Mechanic	4311-15
Mechanical Services and Air-conditioning Plumber	4431-19
Metal Fabricator (Boilermaker)	4122-11
Metal Machinist (First Class)	4112-13
Motor Mechanic	4211-11
Panel Beater	4213-11
Pastry Cook	4512-13
Pressure Welder	4122-13
Refrigeration and Air-conditioning Mechanic	4312-11
Roof Plumber	4431-17
Roof Slater and Tiler	4413-11
Solid Plasterer	4415-11
Sheetmetal Worker (First Class)	4124-11
Stonemason	4416-13
Toolmaker	4113-11
Vehicle Body Maker	4215-11
Vehicle Painter	4214-11
Wall and Floor Tiler	4416-11
Welder (First Class)	4122-15

The top 10 nominated occupations of primary applicants granted a subclass 457 visa (excluding Independent Executives and rounded to the nearest 10) for the last two financial years are as follows:

Rank	2004-05		2005-06	
	Occupation	Primary Grants	Occupation	Primary Grants
1	Registered Nurse	2310	Registered Nurse	2550
2	Computing Professionals NEC	1780	Computing Professionals NEC	2260
3	Business and Information Professionals NEC	1190	Business and Information Professionals NEC	1430
4	Specialist Managers NEC	810	General Medical Practitioner	980
5	Applications and Analyst Programmer	800	Chef	960
6	General Manager	790	Management Consultant	960
7	Chef	770	Slaughterperson	950
8	Sales and Marketing Manager	710	Specialist Managers NEC	880
9	Marketing Specialist	690	Cook	830
10	Management Consultant	680	Applications and Analyst Programmer	820