Nurse and Midwife registrant data: June 2015

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Introduction

This report contains registration information about nurses and midwives registered with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).

The functions of the NMBA are defined under the [National Law](http://www.ahpra.gov.au/Legislation-and-Publications/Legislation.aspx), and include:

* Registering nurses, midwives and students of nursing and midwifery
* Determining national registration requirements
* Developing professional codes, standards, guidelines and position statements to guide the practice of nurses and midwives
* Managing notifications, investigations and panel hearings
* Overseeing the assessment of internationally qualified nurses and midwives who wish to register in Australia
* Approving national accreditation standards and accredited programs of study leading to registration and endorsement
* Delegating to state and territory boards and committees of the NMBA, and AHPRA staff, the power to determine individual applications for registration and notification of a nurse’s or midwife’s health, performance and/or conduct, and a student’s health or criminal history

*\*Co-regulatory models apply in In New South Wales (NSW) and Queensland (QLD). In NSW, notifications are managed separately by the Nursing and Midwifery Council of NSW; the NSW Board of the NMBA only manages registration matters. In QLD, notifications are received by the Office of the Health Ombudsman (OHO), who determines which complaints should be managed by the NMBA.*

The NMBA’s functions are supported by the [Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency](http://www.ahpra.gov.au/About-AHPRA/What-We-Do.aspx)(AHPRA). For information about legislation governing the NMBA and AHPRA, see [AHPRA's Legislation & Publications](http://www.ahpra.gov.au/Legislation-and-Publications.aspx) at [www.ahpra.gov.au/Legislation-and-Publications.aspx](http://www.ahpra.gov.au/Legislation-and-Publications.aspx)

AHPRA has analysed the NMBA’s registration data and produced a number of statistical tables[[1]](#footnote-1) about registrants to share with the professions and community. This report is updated on a quarterly basis.

For more information on nursing and midwifery registration, please see the NMBA’s website:[www.nursingmidwiferyboard.gov.au/Registration-and-Endorsement.aspx](http://www.nursingmidwiferyboard.gov.au/Registration-and-Endorsement.aspx)

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Nurse and midwife – registration type by state or territory

The NMBA recognises three nursing and midwifery registration types: general registration, non-practising registration and student registration. A nurse may be either a Registered Nurse or an Enrolled Nurse, or both.

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | | | **Principal Place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
| **Profession** | **Registration Type** | **Divisions** | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP | **Total** |
| Nurse | General | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | 679 | 13,344 | 402 | 11,896 | 7,767 | 1,441 | 19,973 | 5,296 | 94 | 60,892 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) | 4,388 | 75,832 | 3,180 | 50,844 | 21,503 | 6,450 | 65,624 | 27,822 | 9,146 | 264,789 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse | 56 | 1,088 | 60 | 1,128 | 618 | 48 | 2,065 | 481 | 27 | 5,571 |
| Total General Nurse | | 5,123 | 90,264 | 3,642 | 63,868 | 29,888 | 7,939 | 87,662 | 33,599 | 9,267 | 331,252 |
| Non-practising | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | 15 | 339 | 7 | 165 | 120 | 20 | 236 | 77 | 9 | 988 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) | 55 | 1,553 | 30 | 528 | 294 | 94 | 650 | 311 | 330 | 3,845 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse |  | 4 |  | 3 | 3 |  | 2 | 1 | 1 | 14 |
| Total Non-practising Nurse | | 70 | 1,896 | 37 | 696 | 417 | 114 | 888 | 389 | 340 | 4,847 |
| Total Nurse | | | 5,193 | 92,160 | 3,679 | 64,564 | 30,305 | 8,053 | 88,550 | 33,988 | 9,607 | 336,099 |
| Nurse & Midwife | General | Enrolled Nurse (EN) & Midwife | 4 | 4 |  | 13 | 2 |  | 38 |  |  | 61 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) & Midwife | 563 | 8,797 | 532 | 6,004 | 2,152 | 647 | 7,776 | 2,972 | 311 | 29,754 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse & Midwife | 1 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 2 |  | 33 | 9 |  | 59 |
| Total General Nurse & Midwife | | 568 | 8,811 | 534 | 6,019 | 2,156 | 647 | 7,847 | 2,981 | 311 | 29,874 |
| Non-practising | Enrolled Nurse (EN) & Midwife |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  | 1 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) & Midwife | 15 | 337 | 3 | 83 | 37 | 9 | 92 | 42 | 29 | 647 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse and Midwife |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Non-practising Nurse & Midwife | | 15 | 337 | 3 | 83 | 37 | 9 | 93 | 42 | 29 | 648 |
| Total Nurse & Midwife | | | 583 | 9,148 | 537 | 6,102 | 2,193 | 656 | 7,940 | 3,023 | 340 | 30,522 |
| Midwife | General |  | 101 | 792 | 59 | 647 | 483 | 21 | 1,053 | 344 | 116 | 3,616 |
| Non-practising |  |  | 17 |  | 9 | 9 | 1 | 18 | 5 | 7 | 66 |
| Midwife Total | | | 101 | 809 | 59 | 656 | 492 | 22 | 1,071 | 349 | 123 | 3,682 |
| **Grand Total** | | | 5,877 | 102,117 | 4,275 | 71,322 | 32,990 | 8,731 | 97,561 | 37,360 | 10,070 | 370,303 |

Totals for practitioners with general registration as Nurse and/or Midwife

The following table and charts show totals for General Registration

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
|  | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP | **Total** |
| Enrolled Nurse (EN) | 679 | 13,344 | 402 | 11,896 | 7,767 | 1,441 | 19,973 | 5,296 | 94 | 60,892 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) | 4,388 | 75,832 | 3,180 | 50,844 | 21,503 | 6,450 | 65,624 | 27,822 | 9,146 | 264,789 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse | 56 | 1,088 | 60 | 1,128 | 618 | 48 | 2,065 | 481 | 27 | 5,571 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nurse (EN & RN) and Midwife | 568 | 8,811 | 534 | 6,019 | 2,156 | 647 | 7,847 | 2,981 | 311 | 29,874 |
| Midwife | 101 | 792 | 59 | 647 | 483 | 21 | 1,053 | 344 | 116 | 3,616 |

![These charts show the percentage of total general nurse and midwife by state and territories](data:application/xhtml+xml;base64,)Totals for practitioners with non-practising registration as Nurse and/or Midwife

The following table and charts show totals for Non-Practising Registration

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
|  | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP | **Total** |
| Enrolled Nurse (EN) | 15 | 339 | 7 | 165 | 120 | 20 | 236 | 77 | 9 | 988 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) | 55 | 1,553 | 30 | 528 | 294 | 94 | 650 | 311 | 330 | 3,845 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse |  | 4 |  | 3 | 3 |  | 2 | 1 | 1 | 14 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nurse (EN & RN) and Midwife | 15 | 337 | 3 | 83 | 37 | 9 | 93 | 42 | 29 | 648 |
| Midwife |  | 17 |  | 9 | 9 | 1 | 18 | 5 | 7 | 66 |

![These charts show the percentage of total non-practising nurse and midwife by state and territories.](data:application/xhtml+xml;base64,)

Registered Nurse and Midwife – endorsements by type

The endorsement of registration identifies registered nurses and midwives with additional qualifications and specific expertise. The NMBA endorsements for registered nurses are:

* Nurse Practitioner – includes prescribing scheduled medicines
* Registered Nurse - supply scheduled medicines (rural and isolated practice)

The NMBA endorsements for midwives are:

* Eligible Midwife – prescribe scheduled medicines
* Midwife Practitioner – refer [Position-Statement Midwife Practitioners (7 April 2011](http://www.nursingmidwiferyboard.gov.au/Codes-Guidelines-Statements/Position-Statements/midwife-practitioners.aspx))

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  |  | **Principal place of practice** | | | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  |  |
| **Profession** | **Endorsement type** | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | | SA | | TAS | | VIC | | WA | | No PPP | | **Total** |
| Nurse | Nurse Practitioner | 37 | 268 | 20 | 332 | | 111 | | 26 | | 231 | | 209 | | 14 | | 1,248 |
| Scheduled Medicines - Rural and isolated practice | 5 | 39 | 12 | 779 | | 6 | | 7 | | 111 | | 13 | | 9 | | 981 |
| Midwife | Scheduled Medicines | 2 | 30 | 2 | 64 | | 16 | | 3 | | 34 | | 31 | |  | | 182 |
|  | Midwife Practitioner |  | 1 |  |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | |  | | 1 |

Registered Nurse Notation

Registered Nurses with a sole qualification in mental health nursing or paediatric nursing or disability nursing.

To ensure national consistency, registered nurses with a sole qualification in mental health nursing or paediatric nursing or disability nursing - rather than a qualification in general nursing - are identified on the national register with a notation, which states: Solely qualified in the area of Disability Nursing / Mental Health Nursing / Paediatric Nursing.

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Registered Nurse** | | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
| **Notation** | ACT | | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP | **Total** | |
| Disability Nursing | 1 | | 25 | 2 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 16 | 19 | 8 | 83 | |
| Mental Health nursing | 7 | | 220 | 30 | 71 | 55 | 4 | 233 | 1,159 | 103 | 1,882 | |
| Paediatric Nursing | 3 | | 112 | 4 | 31 | 11 | 1 | 60 | 150 | 44 | 416 | |
| **Total** | 11 | | 357 | 36 | 111 | 69 | 5 | 309 | 1,328 | 155 | 2,381 | |

The NMBA also recognises those midwives that meet the requirements of the Eligible Midwife registration standard with a notation on their registration.

The notation states:

*Eligible midwife competent to provide pregnancy, labour, birth and post natal care and qualified to provide the associated services and order diagnostic investigations required for midwifery practice, in accordance with relevant State and Territory legislation.*

An Eligible midwife, may be qualified to obtain endorsement under section 94 to prescribe Schedule 2, 3, 4 & 8 medicines (required for midwifery practice in accordance with state and territory legislation), when they have completed a NMBA-approved program of study for prescribing midwifery medicines.

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Midwife** | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | |  |
| **Notation** | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | **Total** |
| Eligible midwife | 1 | 23 | 2 | 53 | 6 | 4 | 27 | 9 | 125 |

The above numbers reflect those midwives with the Eligible midwife notation only.

Nurse and Midwife – general registration by age group

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Nurse and Midwife** | Nurse | | | Nurse & Midwife | | | Midwife |  |  | |
| **Age group** | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | Registered Nurse (RN) | Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | Registered Nurse (RN) | Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse | **Total** | | **% by Age Group** |
| U - 25 | 4,172 | 12,966 | 479 | 2 | 448 | 10 | 354 | 18,431 | | 5.05% |
| 25 - 29 | 5,059 | 32,190 | 1,405 | 21 | 1,494 | 15 | 657 | 40,841 | | 11.20% |
| 30 - 34 | 4,833 | 32,677 | 853 | 8 | 1,813 | 10 | 542 | 40,736 | | 11.17% |
| 35 - 39 | 4,462 | 29,340 | 630 | 4 | 1,789 | 5 | 480 | 36,710 | | 10.06% |
| 40 - 44 | 5,840 | 33,881 | 596 | 13 | 2,510 | 7 | 514 | 43,361 | | 11.89% |
| 45 - 49 | 7,864 | 30,831 | 624 | 5 | 3,517 | 5 | 436 | 43,282 | | 11.87% |
| 50 - 54 | 9,790 | 30,901 | 543 | 4 | 5,533 | 5 | 247 | 47,023 | | 12.89% |
| 55 - 59 | 10,161 | 30,643 | 311 | 3 | 6,333 | 1 | 201 | 47,653 | | 13.06% |
| 60 - 64 | 6,229 | 20,191 | 102 | 1 | 4,283 | 1 | 113 | 30,920 | | 8.48% |
| 65 - 69 | 2,084 | 8,773 | 25 |  | 1,599 |  | 56 | 12,537 | | 3.44% |
| 70 - 74 | 344 | 1,952 | 3 |  | 360 |  | 15 | 2,674 | | 0.73% |
| 75 - 79 | 49 | 385 |  |  | 66 |  | 1 | 501 | | 0.14% |
| 80+ | 5 | 59 |  |  | 9 |  |  | 73 | | 0.02% |
| Total | 60,892 | 264,789 | 5,571 | 61 | 29,754 | 59 | 3,616 | 364,742 | | 100.00% |

Nurse and Midwife – general registration by age group

![This chart represents the number of general Nurse and Midwife by age group.](data:application/xhtml+xml;base64,)

Nurse and Midwife – non-practising registration by age group

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Nurse and Midwife** | Nurse | | | Nurse & Midwife | | | Midwife |  |  | |
| **Age group** | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | Registered Nurse (RN) | Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | Registered Nurse (RN) | Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse | **Total** | | **% by Age Group** |
| U - 25 | 29 | 57 | 1 |  | 1 | 1 | 29 | 89 | | 1.60% |
| 25 - 29 | 65 | 227 | 4 |  | 5 | 11 | 65 | 312 | | 5.61% |
| 30 - 34 | 64 | 372 | 1 | 1 | 17 | 12 | 64 | 467 | | 8.40% |
| 35 - 39 | 62 | 376 |  |  | 20 | 9 | 62 | 467 | | 8.40% |
| 40 - 44 | 91 | 410 |  |  | 38 | 6 | 91 | 545 | | 9.80% |
| 45 - 49 | 116 | 363 |  |  | 42 | 9 | 116 | 530 | | 9.53% |
| 50 - 54 | 164 | 403 | 5 |  | 89 | 4 | 164 | 665 | | 11.96% |
| 55 - 59 | 197 | 561 | 1 |  | 113 | 5 | 197 | 877 | | 15.77% |
| 60 - 64 | 143 | 554 |  |  | 152 | 5 | 143 | 854 | | 15.36% |
| 65 - 69 | 49 | 356 | 1 |  | 112 | 2 | 49 | 520 | | 9.35% |
| 70 - 74 | 8 | 119 |  |  | 43 | 2 | 8 | 172 | | 3.09% |
| 75 - 79 |  | 37 | 1 |  | 10 |  | 37 | 48 | | 0.86% |
| 80+ |  | 10 |  |  | 5 |  | 10 | 15 | | 0.27% |
| **Total** | 988 | 3,845 | 14 | 1 | 647 | 66 | 988 | 5,561 | | 100.00% |

![This chart represents the number of non-practising Nurse and Midwife by age group.](data:application/xhtml+xml;base64,)Nurse and Midwife – non-practising registration by age group

Nurse and Midwife – general registration by gender

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Nurse and Midwife** | | | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
| **Profession** | **Gender** | **Divisions** | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP | Total |
| Nurse | Female | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | 618 | 11,834 | 332 | 10,727 | 7,066 | 1,309 | 18,185 | 4,946 | 76 | 55,093 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) | 3,848 | 65,892 | 2,686 | 45,064 | 18,913 | 5,653 | 58,447 | 25,090 | 7,879 | 233,472 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse | 48 | 910 | 55 | 977 | 526 | 45 | 1,764 | 434 | 27 | 4,786 |
| Female Nurse Total | | 4,514 | 78,636 | 3,073 | 56,768 | 26,505 | 7,007 | 78,396 | 30,470 | 7,982 | 293,351 |
| Male | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | 61 | 1,510 | 70 | 1,169 | 701 | 132 | 1,788 | 350 | 18 | 5,799 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) | 540 | 9,940 | 494 | 5,780 | 2,590 | 797 | 7,177 | 2,732 | 1,267 | 31,317 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse | 8 | 178 | 5 | 151 | 92 | 3 | 301 | 47 |  | 785 |
| Male Nurse Total | | 609 | 11,628 | 569 | 7,100 | 3,383 | 932 | 9,266 | 3,129 | 1,285 | 37,901 |
| Nurse Total |  | | 5,123 | 90,264 | 3,642 | 63,868 | 29,888 | 7,939 | 87,662 | 33,599 | 9,267 | 331,252 |
| Nurse & Midwife | Female | Enrolled Nurse (EN) & Midwife | 4 | 4 |  | 12 | 2 |  | 38 |  |  | 60 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) & Midwife | 550 | 8,610 | 506 | 5,897 | 2,103 | 631 | 7,694 | 2,926 | 302 | 29,219 |
|  | Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse & Midwife | 1 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 2 |  | 33 | 9 |  | 58 |
| Female Nurse & Midwife Total | | 555 | 8,623 | 508 | 5,911 | 2,107 | 631 | 7,765 | 2,935 | 302 | 29,337 |
|  | Enrolled Nurse (EN) & Midwife |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |
| Male | Registered Nurse (RN) & Midwife | 13 | 187 | 26 | 107 | 49 | 16 | 82 | 46 | 9 | 535 |
|  | Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse & Midwife |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |
| Male Nurse & Midwife Total | | 13 | 188 | 26 | 108 | 49 | 16 | 82 | 46 | 9 | 537 |
| Nurse & Midwife Total | | | 568 | 8,811 | 534 | 6,019 | 2,156 | 647 | 7,847 | 2,981 | 311 | 29,874 |
| Midwife | Female |  | 100 | 787 | 58 | 645 | 482 | 20 | 1,050 | 344 | 114 | 3,600 |
| Male |  | 1 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 |  | 2 | 16 |
| Midwife Total | | | 101 | 792 | 59 | 647 | 483 | 21 | 1,053 | 344 | 116 | 3,616 |
| **Grand Total** | | | 5,792 | 99,867 | 4,235 | 70,534 | 32,527 | 8,607 | 96,562 | 36,924 | 9,694 | 364,742 |

Nurse and Midwife – total general registration by gender

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
| **General** | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP | **Total** |
| Female | 5,169 | 88,046 | 3,639 | 63,324 | 29,094 | 7,658 | 87,211 | 33,749 | 8,398 | 326,288 |
| Male | 623 | 11,821 | 596 | 7,210 | 3,433 | 949 | 9,351 | 3,175 | 1,296 | 38,454 |

Nurse and Midwife – general registration by gender percentages

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
| **General** | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP | **Total** |
| Female | 89.24% | 88.16% | 85.93% | 89.78% | 89.45% | 88.97% | 90.32% | 91.40% | 86.63% | 89.50% |
| Male | 10.76% | 11.84% | 14.07% | 10.22% | 10.55% | 11.03% | 9.68% | 8.60% | 13.37% | 10.50% |

Nurse and Midwife – non-practising registration by gender

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Nurse and Midwife** | | | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
| **Profession** | **Gender** | **Divisions** | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP | Total |
| Nurse | Female | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | 14 | 313 | 7 | 159 | 114 | 18 | 221 | 76 | 7 | 929 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) | 46 | 1,407 | 28 | 490 | 257 | 85 | 595 | 290 | 302 | 3,500 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse |  | 4 |  | 2 | 2 |  | 2 | 1 | 1 | 12 |
| Female Nurse Total | | 60 | 1,724 | 35 | 651 | 373 | 103 | 818 | 367 | 310 | 4,441 |
| Male | Enrolled Nurse (EN) | 1 | 26 |  | 6 | 6 | 2 | 15 | 1 | 2 | 59 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) | 9 | 146 | 2 | 38 | 37 | 9 | 55 | 21 | 28 | 345 |
| Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse |  |  |  | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 2 |
| Male Nurse Total | | 10 | 172 | 2 | 45 | 44 | 11 | 70 | 22 | 30 | 406 |
| Nurse Total |  | | 70 | 1,896 | 37 | 696 | 417 | 114 | 888 | 389 | 340 | 4,847 |
| Nurse & Midwife | Female | Enrolled Nurse (EN) & Midwife |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  |  | 1 |
| Registered Nurse (RN) & Midwife | 15 | 330 | 3 | 82 | 37 | 8 | 92 | 42 | 28 | 637 |
|  | Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse & Midwife |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Female Nurse & Midwife Total | | 15 | 330 | 3 | 82 | 37 | 8 | 93 | 42 | 28 | 638 |
|  | Enrolled Nurse (EN) & Midwife |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Male | Registered Nurse (RN) & Midwife |  | 7 |  | 1 |  | 1 |  |  | 1 | 10 |
|  | Enrolled Nurse & Registered Nurse & Midwife |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Male Nurse & Midwife Total | |  | 7 |  | 1 |  | 1 |  |  | 1 | 10 |
| Nurse & Midwife Total | | | 15 | 337 | 3 | 83 | 37 | 9 | 93 | 42 | 29 | 648 |
| Midwife | Female |  |  | 17 |  | 9 | 9 | 1 | 18 | 5 | 7 | 66 |
| Male |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Midwife Total | | |  | 17 |  | 9 | 9 | 1 | 18 | 5 | 7 | 66 |
| **Grand Total** | | | 85 | 2,250 | 40 | 788 | 463 | 124 | 999 | 436 | 376 | 5,561 |

Nurse and Midwife – total non-practising totals by gender

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
| **General** | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP | **Total** |
| Female | 75 | 2,071 | 38 | 742 | 419 | 112 | 929 | 414 | 345 | 5,145 |
| Male | 10 | 179 | 2 | 46 | 44 | 12 | 70 | 22 | 31 | 416 |

Nurse and Midwife – non-practising registration by gender percentages

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
|  | **Principal place of practice** | | | | | | | | |  |
| **General** | ACT | NSW | NT | QLD | SA | TAS | VIC | WA | No PPP[[2]](#footnote-2) | **Total** |
| Female | 88.24% | 92.04% | 95.00% | 94.16% | 90.50% | 90.32% | 92.99% | 94.95% | 91.76% | 89.50% |
| Male | 11.76% | 7.96% | 5.00% | 5.84% | 9.50% | 9.68% | 7.01% | 5.05% | 8.24% | 10.50% |

1. Note that the data for dual registration in the tables and diagrams includes where a nurse or a midwife may be non-practising in one category, for example enrolled nurse (non-practising) & registered nurse (practising) or nurse (non-practising) & midwife (practising). [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. Note that No principal place of practice (PPP) will include nurses and midwives with an overseas address. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)