

NSW Health

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Profile of the Medical Practitioners Workforce  
in NSW

## 1

## INTRODUCTION

This report provides an overview of information from the 2007 NSW Medical Labour Force Survey. All persons wishing to work as medical practitioners in this State must be registered with the New South Wales Medical Board ('the Board'). This includes persons whose primary registration may be in another State but who work some or all of their time in NSW.

Medical practitioners are now registered under fifteen categories. This replaces the three categories of 'full', 'conditional' and 'non practising' used until 2005. The 'general' registration is free of conditions while non practising medical practitioners remain registered without rights of practice as do students. Most of the remaining practitioners have certain conditions of practice placed upon them depending upon the specific category of registration.

An extract from the register of medical practitioners maintained by the Board was undertaken in February 2008. All medical practitioners who had been registered on 31 December 2006 were invited to renew their registration for the year 2007 unless they had advised the Board that they did not wish to maintain their registration. Persons who chose not to renew by 31 December 2007 were deemed to have unfinancial status. Other reasons for persons to have lost financial status include deregistration following disciplinary action or death.

Medical practitioners who had been listed under the general, non practising, conditional specialist or limited prescribing and referral categories also received a Labour Force survey form accompanying their invitation to renew. The Board requested that the survey form be completed and returned together with their remittance. Most medical practitioners choosing to renew also participated in the labour force survey. However, it is not mandatory to complete a survey form and some medical practitioners renewed registration without participation in the survey.

This report is based upon the survey returns for 2007. Note that selected charts have been included as part of this discussion. They are not designed to be exhaustive but rather to highlight areas of possible interest to the reader. In order to focus on these areas, small groups of respondents or responses may have been consolidated or disregarded in the charts. There may also be small inconsistencies due to rounding.

Strict procedures are followed to ensure the privacy of individual medical practitioners who respond to the Survey. There is no access to identifying data, as individual names and addresses are not included on the data file. Survey information that could identify individual respondents will not be made available. The continued support of the Medical Board of New South Wales, professional organisations and medical practitioners participating in the survey is appreciated.

This report provides an overview and commentary on the medical workforce in 2007. It is intended for readers wishing to obtain information on current labour force conditions and trends over time without the presentation of detailed tabulations from the survey. Full tables covering responses to each question on the survey form have been placed in a separate report. The series of reports covering eight health professions together with earlier reports in the series can be downloaded free of charge from the NSW Health website:

<http://www.health.nsw.gov.au/workforce/index.html>

## 2

## CHARACTERISTICS OF THE REGISTRANTS

### 2.1 Number of Registrants

There were 32,658 financial registrants in 2007 (31,596 in 2006) distributed among 15 registration types as shown in Table 2.1.1 It will be observed that in four categories, the number of financial registrants is 20 or less. A 16<sup>th</sup> registration type (historical) has no current registrants. Most of the registrants where gender is not known are medical students who have not yet completed the relevant forms.

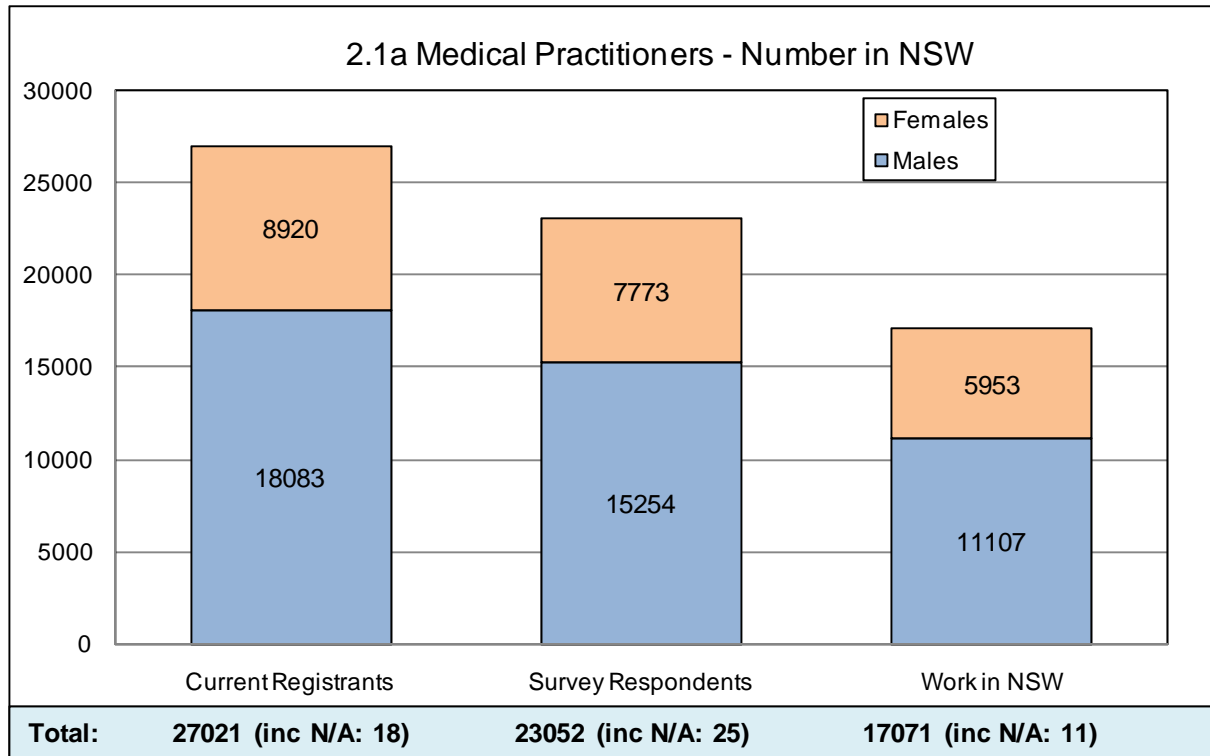
The 23,825 medical practitioners with general registration is an increase of 653 over the 2006 number. The other registration type showing a substantial increase is conditional specialists (878 in 2006).

**Table 2.1.1 Financial Registrants 2007**

	Male	Female	Not Stated	Total
<i>Academic</i>	5	0	0	5
<i>AMC</i>	31	49	0	80
<i>Area of Need</i>	173	69	2	244
<b>Conditional Specialist</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1,010</b>
<b>General Registration</b>	<b>15,773</b>	<b>8,039</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>23,825</b>
<i>GP Trainee</i>	33	67	0	100
<i>Intern</i>	252	325	0	577
<b>Limited Prescribing</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>865</b>
<b>Non Practising</b>	<b>859</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1,321</b>
<i>Post Graduate Trainee</i>	1,034	680	3	1,717
<i>Public Interest</i>	4	5	0	9
<i>Retired</i>	82	27	0	109
<i>Specialist Trainee</i>	11	9	0	20
<i>Student</i>	843	1,025	903	2,771
<i>Temporary Discretion</i>	5	0	0	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>20,556</b>	<b>11,176</b>	<b>926</b>	<b>32,658</b>

Only general registrants may practice medicine free of conditions. However, certain other registrants in the categories of conditional specialist, practitioners with limited prescribing and referral rights, and non practising medical practitioners were also invited to complete survey forms. It should be noted that medical practitioners coming within the Area of Need registration do not complete survey forms and may be working in locations where general registrants are less represented. Consequently, the analysis of work location shown in the report may be influenced by survey bias.

Chart 2.1a shows the number of registrants applicable to the survey, the number of survey respondents and the number of persons in those categories stated to be working in NSW grouped by gender of the respondents.



The response rate for the applicable categories of registrants is 85.3% an increased response over 2006 (82.4%). Response rates for previous years are influenced by different methodologies and full comparability is not possible. The recorded response rates for the years 2003-2005 were 80.5%, 85.5% and 84.4% respectively.

## 2.2 Estimation of the Total Workforce Size

Previous reports in this series have proposed two methods for calculation of the actual size of the medical workforce. The first method used up to and including the year 2002 was based on assumptions that non respondents to the survey followed a pattern similar to that of respondents with additional assumptions for new entrants and restorations who do not receive a survey form.

The second method was used from 2003-2005 for all health professionals except medical practitioners. It is based on responses for occupation to the 2001 ABS Census of Population and Housing and usually indicated a lower estimate of the workforce probably because a lesser proportion of non respondents to the survey work in NSW compared to the actual proportion of respondents. With the passing of time, the 2001 census becomes a less reliable yardstick to the current workforce. The 2006 ABS Census occupation data was released in November 2007.

There are clearly advantages and disadvantages to both methods. The major disadvantage to the first method is that it may not be reasonable to assume that non respondents distribute in the same way as respondents. Further, the assumption that 80% of medical practitioners restoring to the register should be working, appears very high. The major disadvantage to the second method is that the census responses are self selected as to occupation rather than under the control of a registration board. In addition, an estimate must be made for the number of practitioners out of the country on census night and this is likely to be higher for the medical workforce than for the population as a whole.

The medical practitioner workforce estimate was also changed in 2003 but depended upon a weighting of the data file by clinical category therefore obtaining estimates for general practitioners, specialists, specialists-in-training and hospital non specialists. The specific method followed under that method is not available.

In light of these variations in methodology, we have adopted a policy establishing a low and high estimate for the NSW workforce falling within the survey categories of medical practitioners with general, conditional specialist, limited prescribing and non practising registration.

### **2.2.1 The Low Estimate**

The low approach begins with the 3,969 medical practitioners who were eligible to receive a survey form according to their registration status in February 2008 but who did not complete the survey. However, some of these practitioners did not actually receive a form because their registration type changed during the course of the year.

Whether a survey form was issued will depend upon their birth date and date of change in registration type. If the birth date falls after the registration change date, a survey form will be issued. Otherwise, no survey form will be issued until the following year. It is reasonable to assume that both of these dates occur evenly throughout the year so that half of the new entrants/restorations received a form. The method now applies the proportions proposed in previous years. By adding 90% to half of the 1,216 new entrants and 80% to half of the 336 practitioners previously unfinancial, estimates are obtained for those that work in NSW

After deducting new entrants and restorations, we find that 3,193 renewing medical practitioners did not receive a survey form. There were 17,071 survey respondents who work in NSW representing 74.05% of all respondents. A calculation for similar distribution for non-respondents would indicate another 2,364 renewing medical practitioners are working in NSW. The low method approach is summarised in the following table.

**Table 2.2.1 Low Estimate Calculation**

Total registrations	27,021
Survey Respondents	23,052
Balance	3,969
50% new entrants	608
50% previously unfinancial	168
Registrations remaining	26,245
Non respondents	3,193
<b>Low Estimate Calculation</b>	
74.05% working	17,071
74.05% of non respondents	2,364
90% of 50% new entrants	547
80% of 50% previously unfinancial	134
Estimated working in NSW	<b>20,116</b>

**2.2.2 The High Estimate**

The high approach makes a number of modifications to the assumptions used in the discussion above. The most important of these modifications is the possibility that certain respondents who provided no information about their working status may actually work in NSW. For example, the questions about employment may not have been answered either in relationship to the type of medical work undertaken or the reasons for not working as a medical practitioner. In the low estimate approach, these respondents are regarded as not working in NSW. The high estimate assumes that such respondents are similar to those who did not respond at all.

A second modification adopts the approach used by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) and calculates the percentage of non respondents working in NSW according to the gender and age band of those who did respond. Female respondents are more likely to be working as medical practitioners in NSW than are male respondents. The percentage working in NSW by age/gender varies from 94% among 55-59 year old females to 15% among females aged more than 85.

The number of non respondents under these changed assumptions increases from 3,969 to 4,699 and the average response rate rises from 74.05% to 81.06%. The high method approach is summarised in the table below.

**Table 2.2.2 High Estimate Calculation**

Total registrations	27,021
Survey Respondents	22,322
Balance	4,699
50% new entrants	608
50% previously unfinancial	168
Registrations remaining	26,245
Non respondents	3,923
<b>High Estimate Calculation</b>	
81.06% working	17,071
81.06% of non respondents	3,811
90% of 50% new entrants	547
80% of 50% previously unfinancial	134
Estimated working in NSW	<b>21,658</b>

The number of medical practitioners working in NSW is estimated to be within the range of 20,116 to 21,658. While the midpoint of 20,887 could be used as a guide, it has no particular meaning. In previous years, the various estimation points were 20,203, 21,646, 21,429 and 21,339 for the years 2003-2006 respectively.

The estimated workforce that relies on the 2006 census return starts with a total of 18,176 persons who indicated that their main occupation was working as a medical practitioner in New South Wales. An estimate must then be made for underenumeration probably in the order of 5-10%. However, we do not know the registration status of census respondents. A number of registration categories who do not receive survey forms will have replied to the census including interns and post graduate trainees.

### 2.3 Age and Gender of the Registrants

The population in this section of the report are the 23,825 medical practitioners with general registration who were financial on 23 February 2008.

Chart 2.3a indicates the age bands for male registrants peaks between 45 and 54 whereas females are younger with a peak age band between 30 and 44. The numbers of men and women in medicine is similar at younger ages but at age 50, there are more than twice as many men and at age 65 there is a ratio of more than eight times as many men as women. The average age for women is 42 and for men is 49.

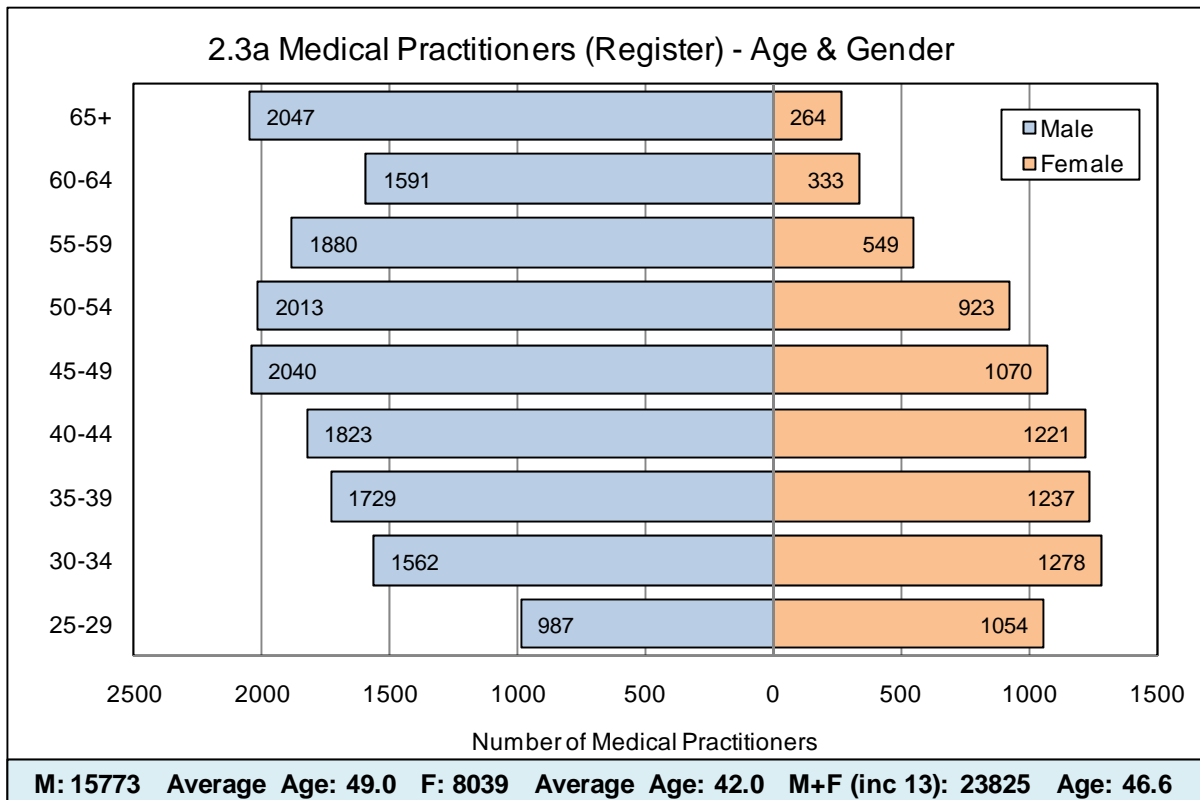
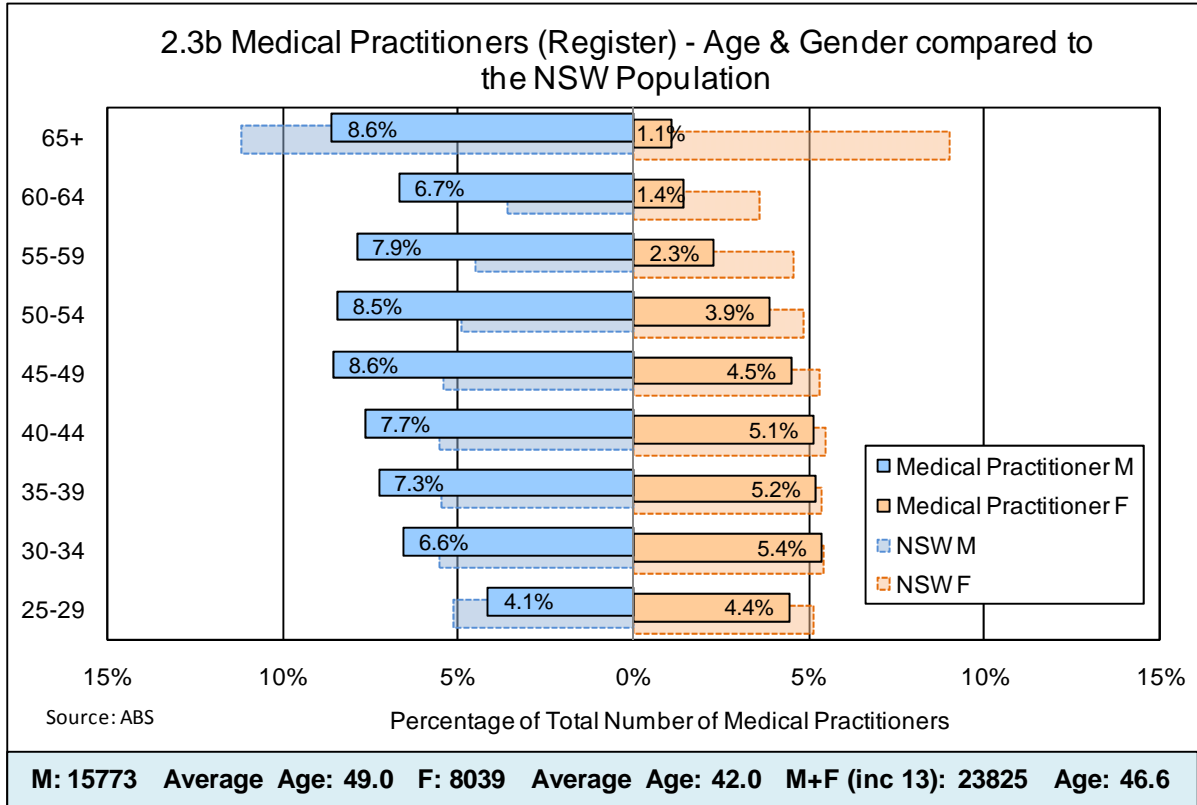


Chart 2.3b compares this percentage distribution with the NSW population at working ages in 2007<sup>1</sup> over the 25-64 year old cohorts. It will be observed that the percentage of men working as medical practitioners exceeds the population especially after the age of 45. For women, the proportions are similar to population at younger ages but become increasingly fewer in later years.

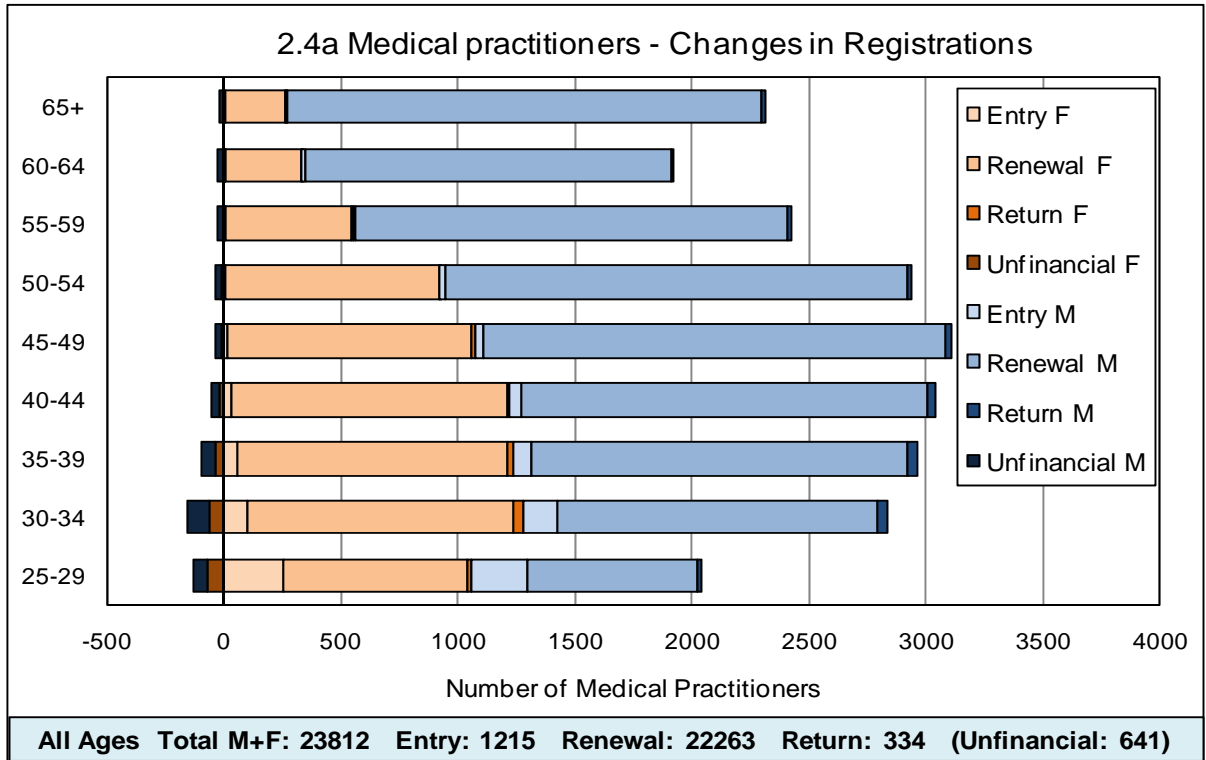


## 2.4 Projected Changes to the Workforce

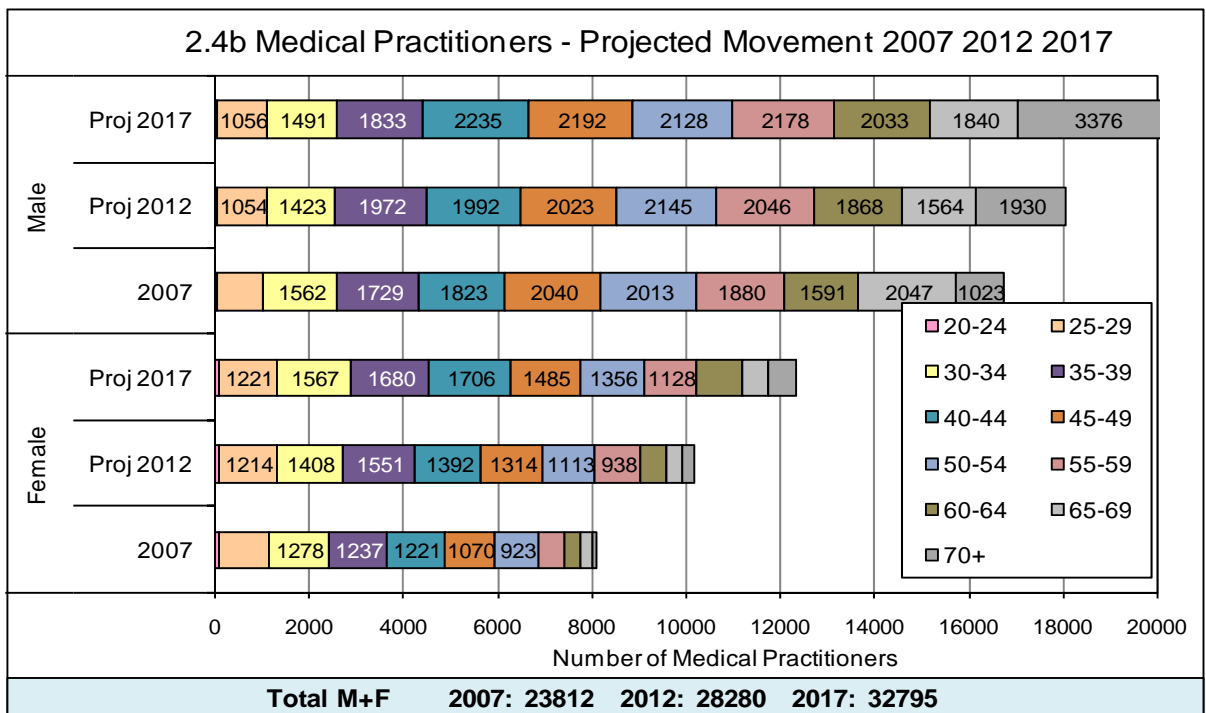
The medical profession is subject to considerable annual change resulting from short term international movement and the various forms of conditional registration imposed by the Board. Ideally, we would assess population change over a longer period, probably 5 years, in order to reduce the noise effects of short term changes. However, the changes to registration type invalidate a 5 year projection base. The projection has been made for **general registrants only**, which presents a more stable pattern than the somewhat larger population meeting eligibility for survey. The method is similar to that used by demographers for studies of population over time.

The movement rates are shown in Chart 2.4a. While most new entrants are in the younger age bands, some older medical practitioners also obtain first registration usually via original qualification overseas followed by assessment for Australian requirements. Apart from some fluctuation in and out of the profession the early years of their career, movement out of general registration does not usually occur until after the age of 60. However, even at 80 and higher ages when active professional work is uncommon, most medical practitioners choose to remain in general registration.

<sup>1</sup> Australian Bureau of Statistics *Population by Age & Sex New South Wales 2006* Catalogue No. 3235.1



Projections of the population were undertaken for the next 5 and 10 year period assuming the age shifts over the year 2007 were to continue into the future. The result would be an increase in the number of medical practitioners with general registration of around 720 per annum of whom more than 400 will be women. The total number of medical practitioners to 2017 is projected to increase by 7,208 or 31% in ten years. The projection for 2016 based on 2006 data was of a similar magnitude, however, we would caution against reliance of a figure based on 2 years of data.



## 3

## CHARACTERISTICS OF ALL SURVEY RESPONDENTS

There were 23,052 medical practitioners who responded to the survey, an increase of 1,517 (7%) over 2006 and 2,653 over 2005. However, it appears that a mail house order discrepancy may have resulted in some practitioners completing a second form. The number of medical practitioners working in NSW was reported at 17,071. For earlier years, the change in form design and definitional issues may not allow for accurate comparison. The working status information provided in 2007 was:

Working only in NSW	15,867
Working mainly in NSW	217
Working mainly in other States	201
Currently on leave of less than 3 months	519
Currently on leave, 3 months or more	267
<b>TOTAL Working in NSW</b>	<b>17,071</b>
Working only in other States	1,719
Working overseas	1,189
Not working in Medicine	1,791
<b>TOTAL not working in NSW</b>	<b>4,699</b>
Did not answer/invalid	1,282

### 3.1 Selected Characteristics

Table 3.1.1 indicates certain characteristics of the whole medical labour force regardless of work status. These aspects are relevant to all respondents rather than just those who work in NSW. Persons who did not respond to the question on working status and where that information could not be inferred from other responses are assumed to be not working.

A slightly higher proportion of females than males indicated that they are working in NSW (77% compared to 73%). Usually it would be expected that a higher proportion of women would not be working. The age specific responses indicate the younger population of female medical practitioners disguises the situation that at each age there is a higher proportion of working males. Older medical practitioners do show a larger proportion who are no longer working. However, even for respondents over the age of 60, a majority (63%) are still working as medical practitioners in NSW.

There are 147 Aboriginal medical practitioners, 46 of whom are not working. They represent 0.6% of the labour force compared to an Aboriginal population of more than 2%. However, the reported number is almost 100 greater than the number reported for 2006 indicating a difference of reporting is likely to have occurred. There are 526 registered medical practitioners (1.8% of the labour force) who are neither citizens nor permanent residents, of whom 224 are currently working in NSW. It was found that 25% of the respondents (24% of those working in NSW) obtained their initial medical qualifications overseas.

There are 209 medical practitioners who stated that they were seeking work, equivalent to 1.0% of the labour force. More than half of these medical practitioners are looking for part time work only.

**Table 3.1.1 Selected Characteristics of Survey Respondents**

	Working as NSW Medical practitioner	Not Working as NSW Medical practitioner	Total	Percent not working
Male	11,107	4,147	15,254	27.2
Female	5,953	1,820	7,773	23.4
Aged 60 or over	3,336	1,951	5,287	36.9
Aboriginal or TSI	101	46	147	31.3
Not permanent resident	224	302	526	57.4
Seeking Work*	0	209	209	100.0
Overseas qualification	4,170	1,632	5,802	28.1
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>23,052</b>	

\* Medical practitioners currently working are not asked if they seek further work

# 4

## LOCATION OF RESIDENCE & WORKPLACE

From this point of the report, all the data presented relates only to medical practitioners who work in NSW or are currently on leave from work in NSW. Respondents who did not answer the question on work status are also excluded in tabulations and charts from this section.

On the survey form, medical practitioners were requested to state their postcode of residence and the location and postcode of their main, second or third job (if applicable). The responses were edited to ensure that postcode matched location. Postcode was converted to Area Health Service (AHS) using an algorithm that selects the most appropriate AHS for that postcode.

Taken together, location of residence and location of workplace can indicate structural problems with the geography of the workforce. People prefer to work in reasonable proximity to where they live leading to substantial variation in opportunities taken up in different locations.

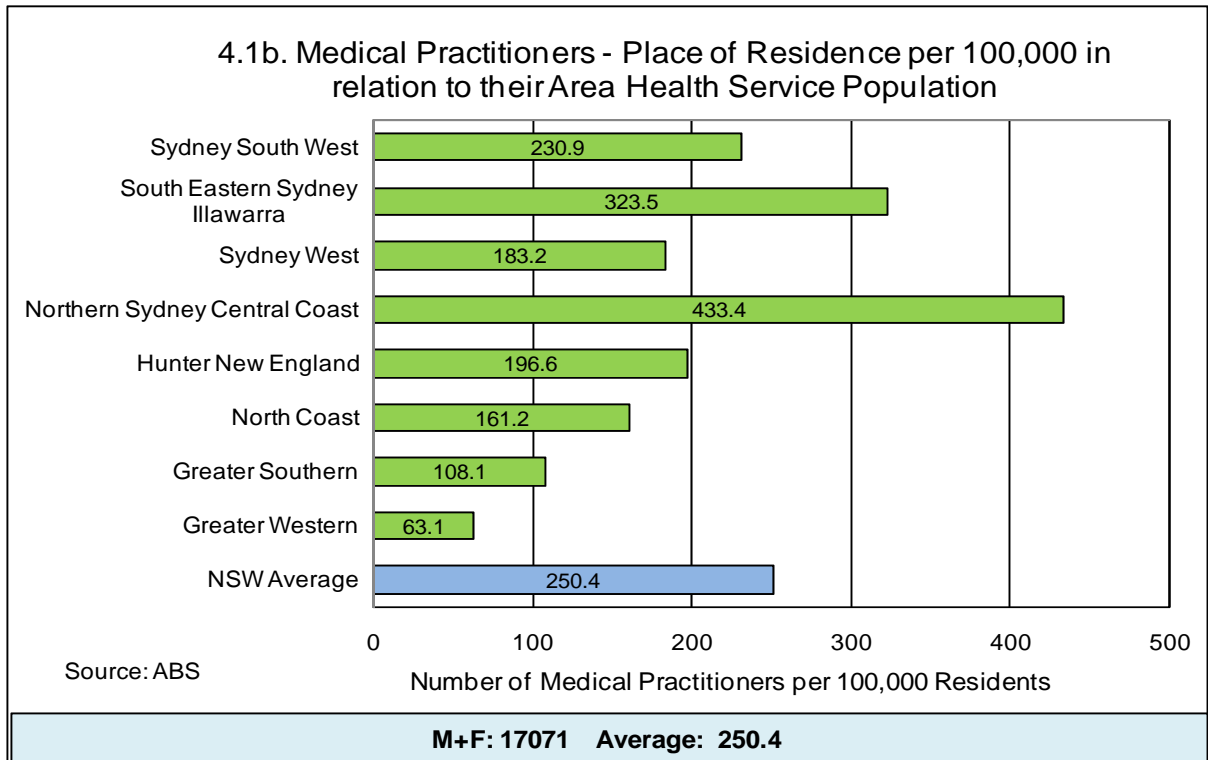
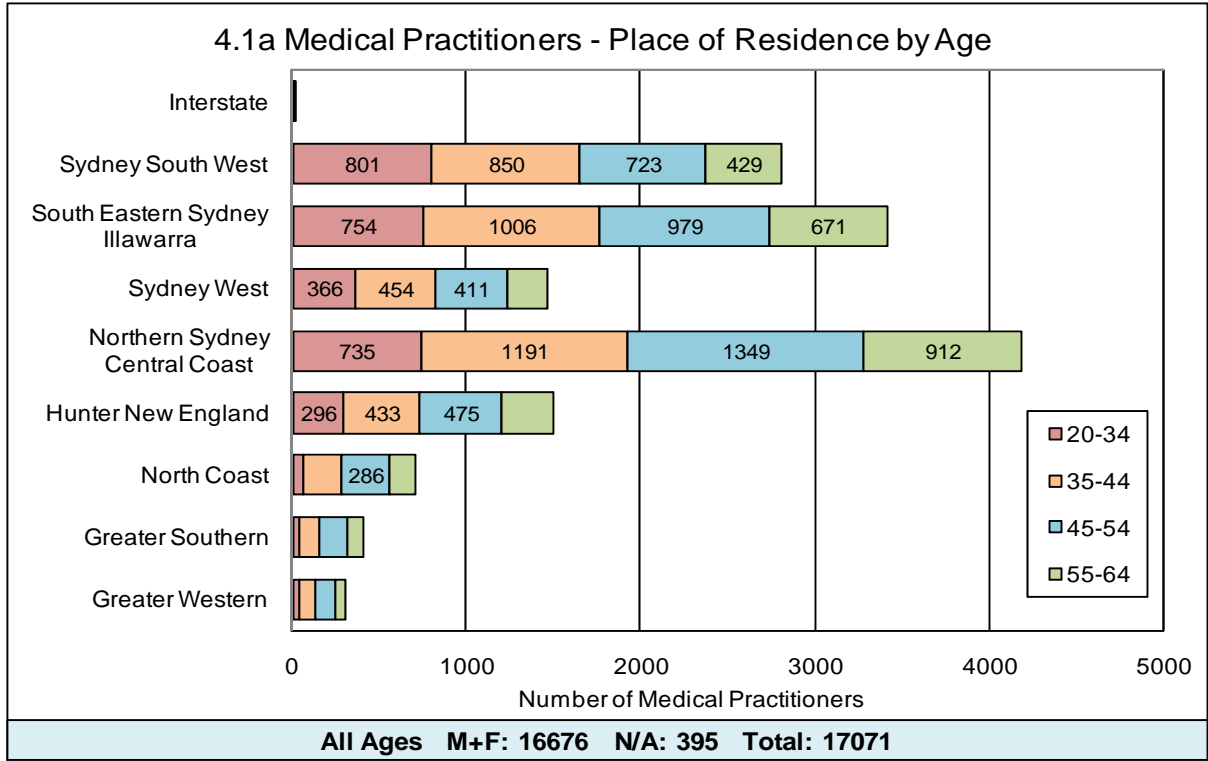
### 4.1 Place of Residence

Responses from the survey indicate an average of 250 working medical practitioners per 100,000 population of the State of NSW compared to 244 in 2006. This figure includes a small number of medical practitioners working in NSW who did not state their place of residence. If every medical practitioner had responded, the true rate of medical practitioners to population would be a higher figure. One indication is the 2006 Census of Population and Housing. If the number of medical practitioners responding, with a loading of 5% for those not in Australia on census night, is applied to population, the State rate is 281 working medical practitioners per 100,000 NSW residents.

Chart 4.1a shows the AHS of residence by broad age bands for medical practitioners working in NSW. The interstate addresses are usually the ACT, Gold Coast and Wodonga where NSW medical services are situated adjacent to State borders. Chart 4.1b depicts the same information per thousand residents.

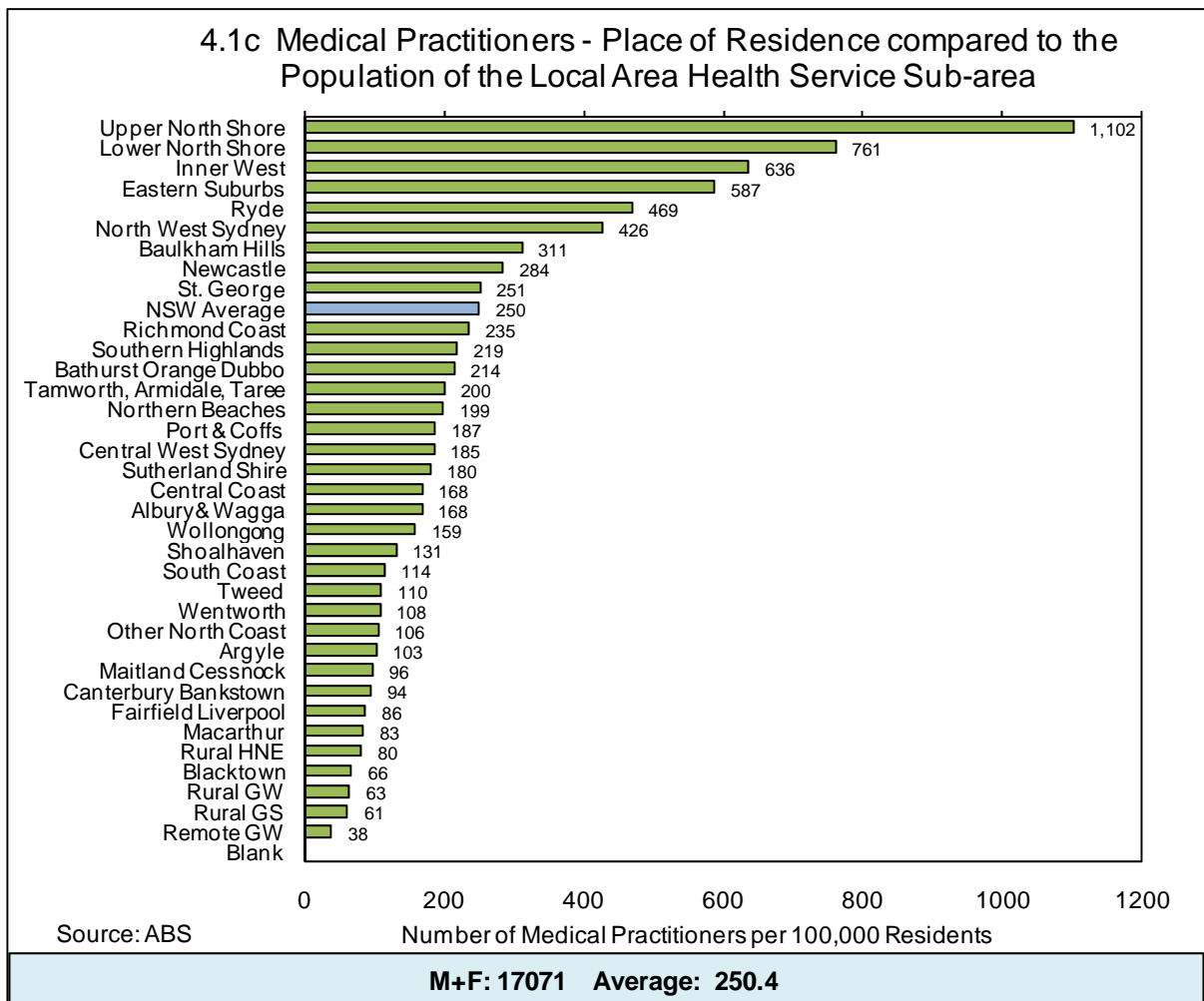
Only Northern Sydney Central Coast and South Eastern Sydney Illawarra contain more medical practitioners than the State average. Northern Sydney Central Coast has almost twice as many as the State average especially among older and presumably more experienced practitioners. The other six AHS have fewer medical practitioners than the State average.

All AHS showed an increase in the supply of medical practitioners over 2006 although the percentage gain was less in the rural Areas further exacerbating the difference. Sydney West remains the least populated metropolitan Area with only slightly more than half the State average. Sydney West AHS includes many outer western suburbs with high health service needs.



As the AHS are very large and heterogeneous, a similar analysis was undertaken for sub-areas, consistent with planning districts within the AHS. The results are shown in Chart 4.1c. There is very great variation within the western metropolitan AHS of Sydney. Sydney South West AHS was shown to contain a rate of medical practitioner supply only slightly below the State average. However, the Inner West suburbs close to the city have more than twice the State average while in Fairfield-Liverpool, Canterbury Bankstown and Macarthur, the rate is around 100 medical practitioners per hundred thousand population. Blacktown in the outer west of Sydney has the lowest rate of resident medical practitioners of any of the nominated sub-areas except for the rural and remote west of the State.

Most medical practitioners live in the higher socioeconomic status suburbs to the north of the city or along the harbour. By contrast, there are few medical practitioners living in the rural sectors of NSW and surprisingly few in the outer fringes of Sydney, Newcastle and Canberra. While there are generally fewer medical practitioners in regional and rural areas than in the cities, many large inland towns hold similar numbers to medium socioeconomic status Sydney suburbs. While Newcastle and Wollongong have similar supply for most health professions, medical practitioners are more concentrated in Newcastle perhaps indicative of the teaching status of John Hunter Hospital.



## 4.2 Place of Work

The working status and AHS of the main job is shown in Table 4.2.1 for all medical practitioners working wholly or partly in NSW but excluding medical practitioners on leave or where the gender is unknown. If the main job was held outside NSW, the AHS of the second or third job is shown. Medical practitioners indicating that they are working in NSW but not providing data on the location of the NSW component of their work are excluded from these tables. The great majority of medical practitioners work only in NSW. The North Coast and Greater Southern AHS are the main AHS with medical practitioners working partly in NSW and partly interstate.

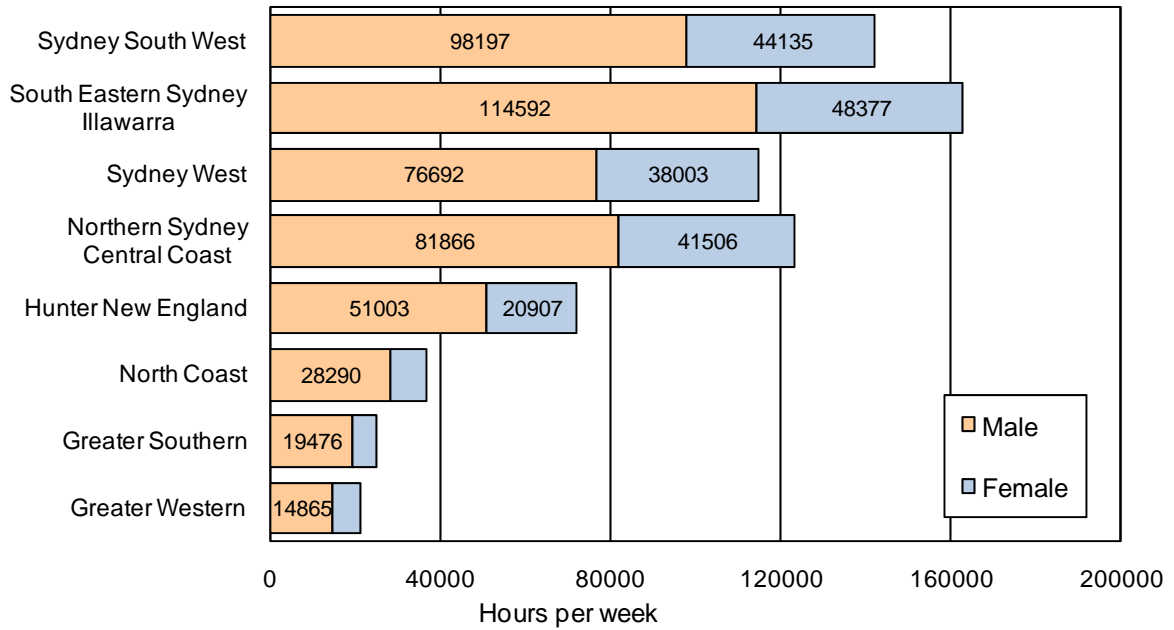
While Northern Sydney Central Coast is the AHS where most medical practitioners live, South Eastern Sydney Illawarra is the most common AHS of work. All AHS with large rural components have less access to medical practitioners.

**Table 4.2.1 Working Status by Area Health Service – Main NSW Job**

AHS	Males		Females	
	Only NSW	Partly NSW	Only NSW	Partly NSW
Sydney South West	2120	19	1143	5
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	2552	43	1320	10
Sydney West	1659	8	979	4
Northern Sydney Central Coast	1809	23	1183	5
Hunter New England	1121	5	564	3
North Coast	611	76	237	7
Greater Southern	386	67	142	24
Greater Western	299	8	154	1
ALL AHS	10557	251	5722	59

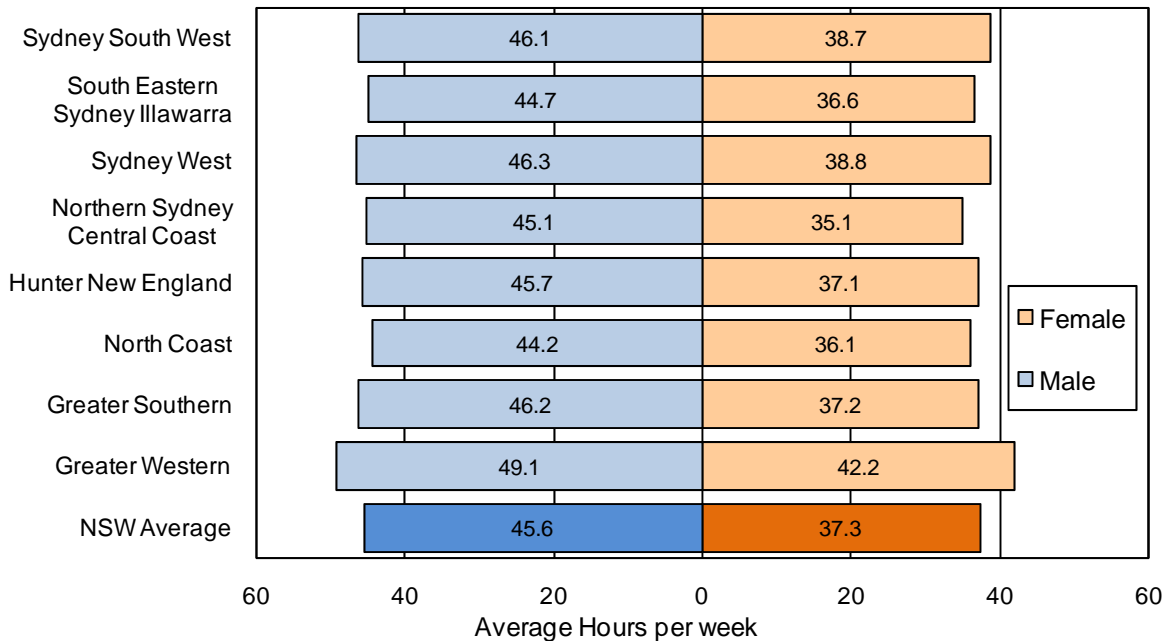
Chart 4.2a shows the total number of hours of work for all medical practitioners working in NSW while chart 4.2b presents the information in average hours worked. For medical practitioners, the number of hours per week cannot exceed 84. It will be observed that hours of medical work are strongly concentrated in the metropolitan sectors of the State especially for women. Hours worked per thousand AHS residents are discussed in Section 6.

### 4.2a Medical Practitioners - Total Hours Worked per week by Area Health Service



**M: 484981 F: 213811 N/A:14151 Total: 712943**

### 4.2b Medical Practitioners - Average Hours Worked per week by Area Health Service



**Average M: 45.6 F: 37.3 M+F: 42.7**

### 4.3 Movement between Home and Work

The length of travel between home and work is a key determinant of change in location of the workforce. Table 3.3a indicates movement within and between Area Health Services for medical practitioners providing a valid NSW location for both home and work. In metropolitan Areas where distance travelled to work in another Area is less great, the movement between Areas is more pronounced. In rural Areas, movement is generally within the Area Health Service.

**Table 4.3a Area Health Status of Residence and Main Job**

<b>Metropolitan</b>	<b>Area of Main Job</b>				
<b>Residence</b>	<b>SSWAHS</b>	<b>SESAHS</b>	<b>SWAHS</b>	<b>NSCCAHS</b>	<b>Rural</b>
<b>SSWAHS</b>	<b>1687</b>	506	511	192	96
<b>SESAHS</b>	645	<b>2725</b>	134	185	113
<b>SWAHS</b>	240	65	<b>1157</b>	91	58
<b>NSCCAHS</b>	680	558	820	<b>2510</b>	129
<b>All Metro</b>	<b>3252</b>	<b>3854</b>	<b>2622</b>	<b>2978</b>	<b>396</b>

The proportion of medical practitioners working in their Area of residence is 56% for Sydney South West, 72% for South Eastern Sydney Illawarra, also 72% for Sydney West and 53% for Northern Sydney Central Coast. Thus almost half the medical practitioners living in Northern Sydney Central Coast work in another Area as do a large proportion of Sydney South West residents. These statistics are within 1% of the equivalent 2006 results, however the percentage of metropolitan residents working in rural AHS has risen from 2.6% in 2006 to 3.0% in 2007.

<b>Rural</b>	<b>Area of Main Job</b>				
<b>Residence</b>	<b>HNEAHS</b>	<b>NCAHS</b>	<b>GSAHS</b>	<b>GWAHS</b>	<b>Metro</b>
<b>HNEAHS</b>	<b>1540</b>	11	3	4	57
<b>NCAHS</b>	6	<b>724</b>	2	2	7
<b>GSAHS</b>	1	2	<b>419</b>	5	21
<b>GWAHS</b>	2	0	3	<b>323</b>	10
<b>All Rural</b>	1549	737	427	334	95

In rural Areas, the great majority of medical practitioners work in their Area of residence. The proportions are 95% of residents in Hunter New England, also 95% in North Coast, 91% in Greater Southern and 96% in the Greater Western Area. The 2006 statistics were very similar.

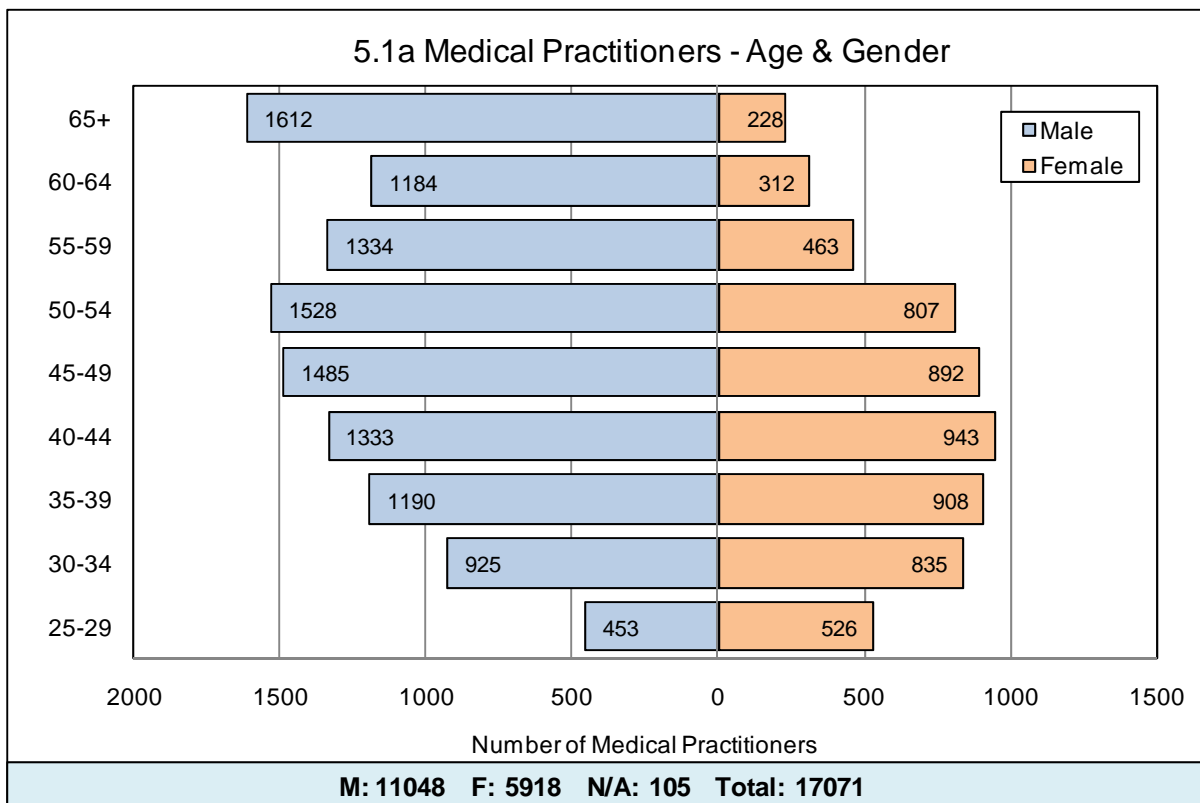
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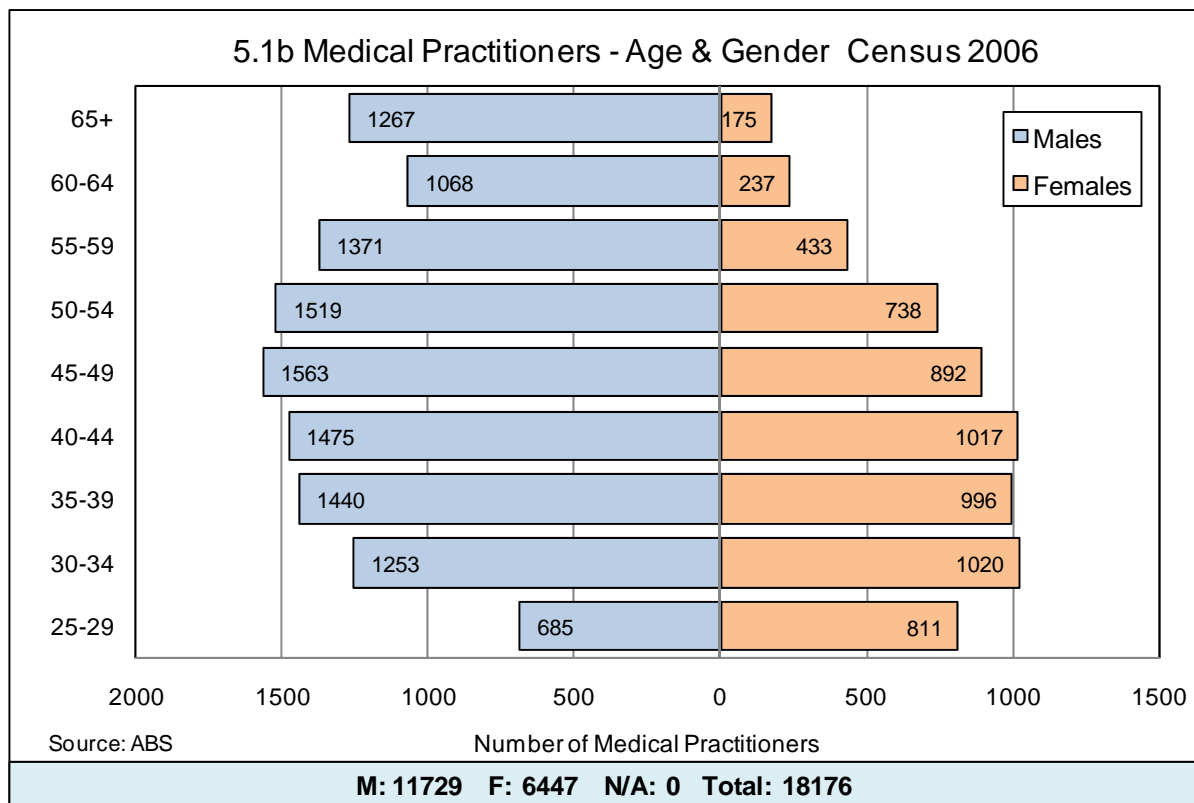
## CHARACTERISTICS OF THE TOTAL WORKFORCE

### 5.1 Comparison with Census Returns

The age and gender of medical practitioners responding to the survey can be contrasted with the same information from persons responding as medical practitioners in the 2006 Census. This is shown on charts 5.1a and 5.1b. In total, 18,176 persons responded as NSW working medical practitioners to the census compared to 17,071 to the survey but this is not comparable to response rates based on the registry.

The comparison indicates that the variation is concentrated at younger ages. In the 25-29 year age group, almost twice as many medical practitioners responded to the census while in the 30-34 year group, the variation was 25%. At age 40 and over, the difference between the two response groups is very small.



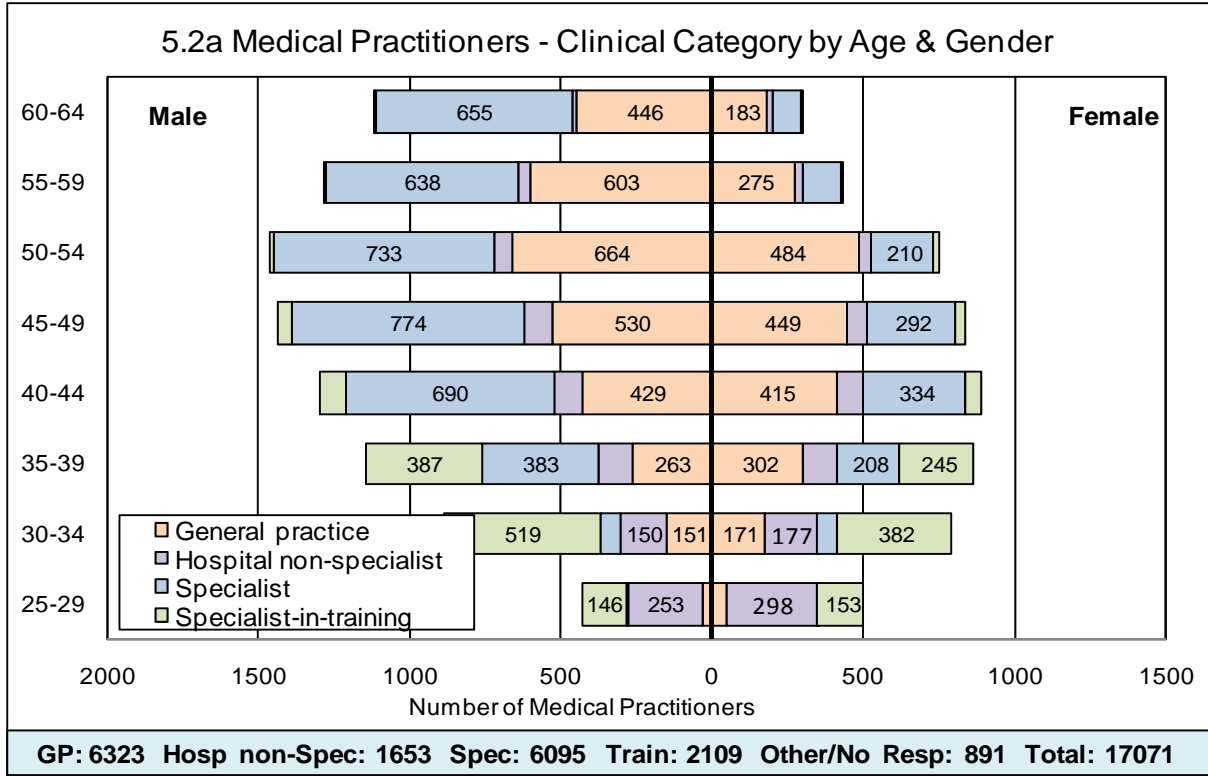


## 5.2 Clinical Category

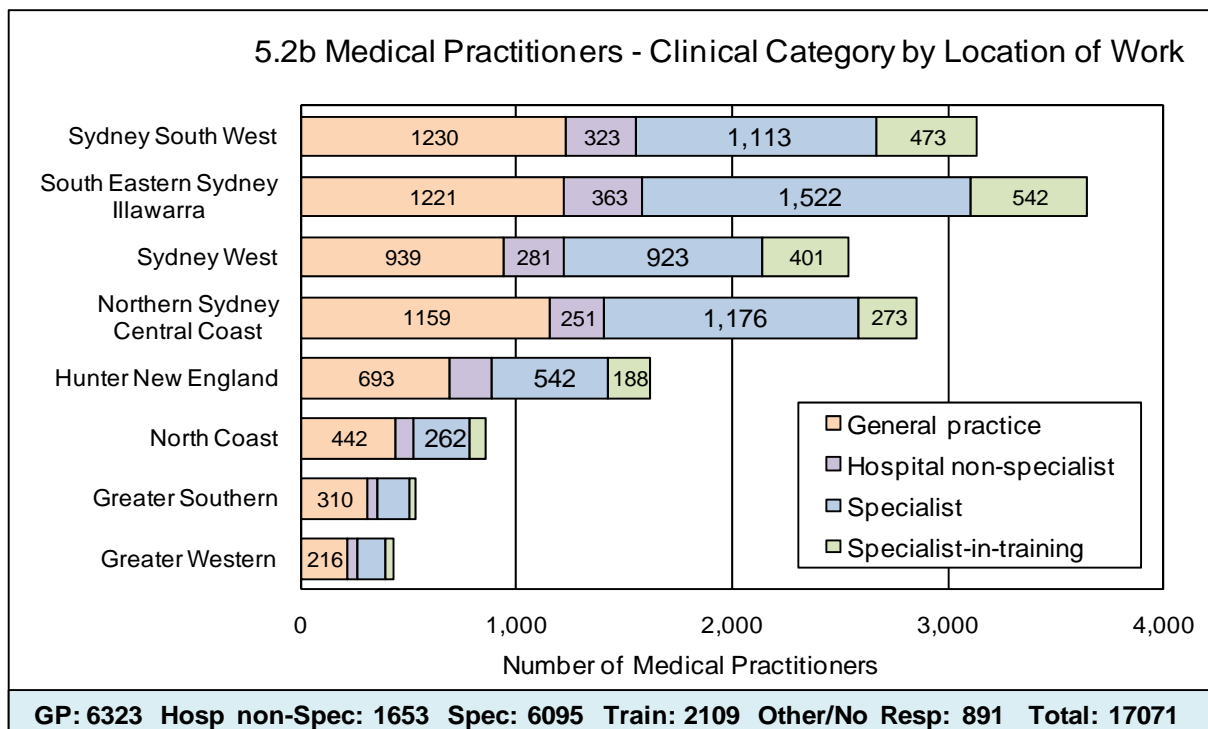
Medical practitioners were requested to select the clinical category that best fitted their work practice. They selected from five choices (general practitioner, hospital non-specialist, specialist specialist-in-training and other) although sequencing allowed for some overlap. Some practitioners did not select from these choices and in some cases, other responses could be used to indicate the appropriate clinical category

In previous years, one of the first four of these categories was selected and all responses were restricted to questions pertaining to that clinical category. Medical practitioners working outside these fields (e.g. in the pharmaceutical industry) may be unsure how to respond. For these reasons and the general changes with form design, comparison with previous years up to 2006 is not valid.

Chart 5.2a indicates clinical category by age for male and female practitioner. At younger ages, hospital non specialists and specialists-in-training predominate replaced at older ages by general practitioners and medical specialists. There is little difference in gender for the two categories with mainly younger medical practitioners. However, there are almost twice as many male general practitioners and more than three times as many male specialists. Over the age of 50, males are equally likely to be general practitioners or specialists but females are more than twice as likely to be general practitioners.



The distribution across the Area Health Services by clinical category is shown in Chart 5.2b. Specialists-in-training whose work is primarily in the teaching hospitals are concentrated in Sydney and Newcastle as are, to a lesser extent, hospital non specialists. Specialists outnumber general practitioners in South Eastern Sydney Illawarra while in Northern Sydney Central Coast and in Sydney West, the numbers are similar. There are more general practitioners than specialists elsewhere in the State including Sydney South West.



## 6

## HOURS OF WORK

While 17,071 medical practitioners responded that they work in NSW, 269 did not provide a response for the number of hours worked in this State during their usual week. This section, and those following, shows statistics for hours of work for those 16,802 medical practitioners (2006 16,716) who work in NSW for one hour or more. Working hours may be expressed in full time equivalents; FTE. Award regulations determine 40 hours as the standard working week for most medical practitioners although many doctors in private practice will extend that working week by a considerable extent. The award period of 40 hours can be regarded as the standard contribution of one full time person. Time worked in excess of 40 hours can then be taken as the excess contribution to the labour supply up to a total of 84 hours. The few respondents stating more than 84 hours are limited to 84 hours for FTE reporting. Working hours outside of NSW have been disregarded.

Comparison with reports before 2006 may be affected by a definitional change limiting the hours to the previous week alone compared to the average of the last four weeks for earlier years. We have not included such comparisons.

### 6.1 Total Full Time Equivalents

Medical practitioners working in NSW recorded a total of 712,943 hours of work in the week prior to completing the survey (2006 712,935) equivalent to 17,823 full time persons, an average of 0.88 FTE per person for work up to 40 hours a week. The additional contribution beyond 40 hours was equivalent to another 3,069 persons or 0.18 FTE per working medical practitioner. The total contribution of 1.06 FTE per working medical practitioner represented the only surveyed health profession with an average FTE greater than unity.

The number of males and females working at least 1 FTE and those working less than 1 FTE is shown in Chart 6.1a by age. The proportion of female part time medical practitioners peaks at the 40-44 age group where females are equally likely to be working full time or part time while the great majority of males are in full time work. After age 65, the proportion of males working part time rises although full time work is still 50% more common.

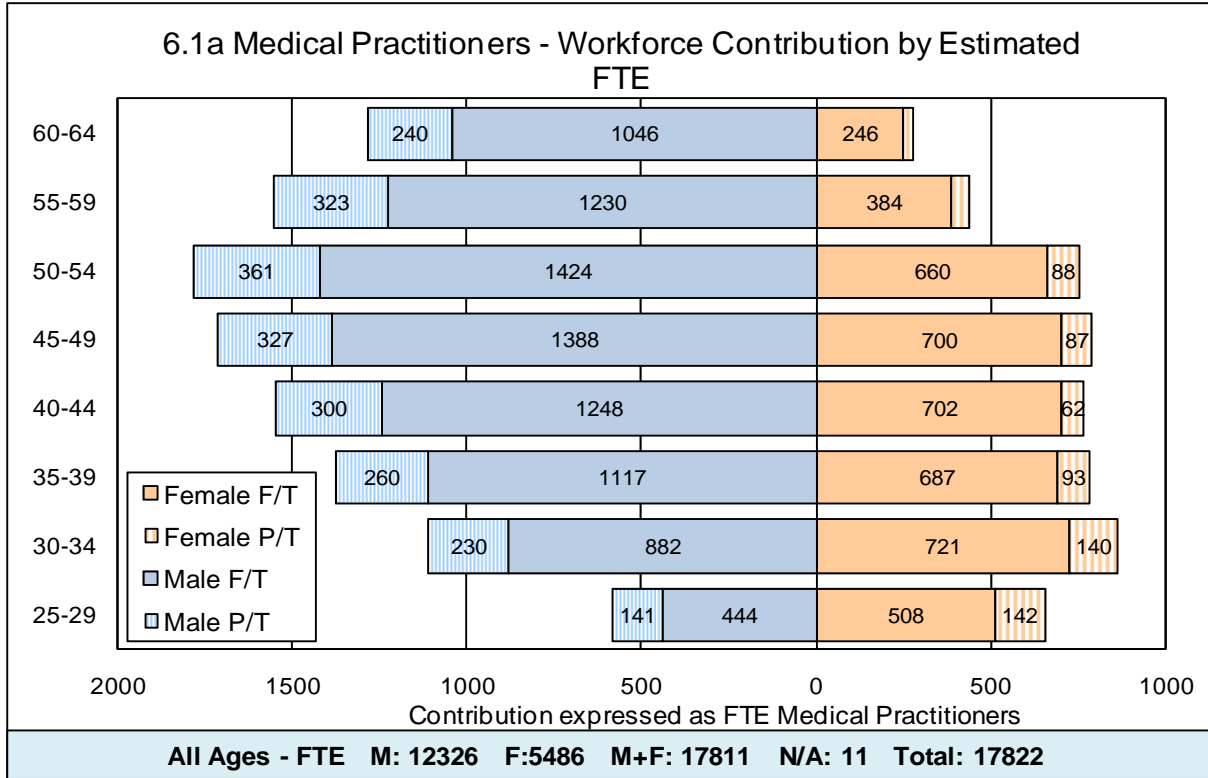
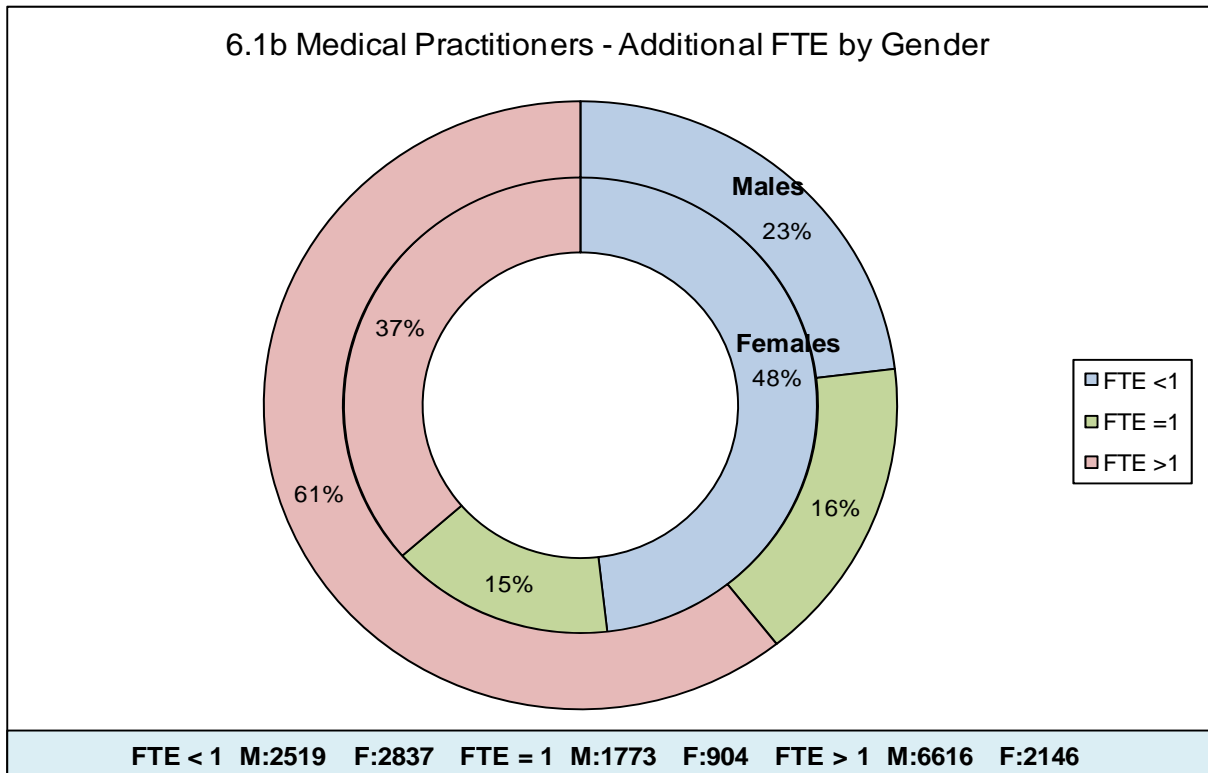
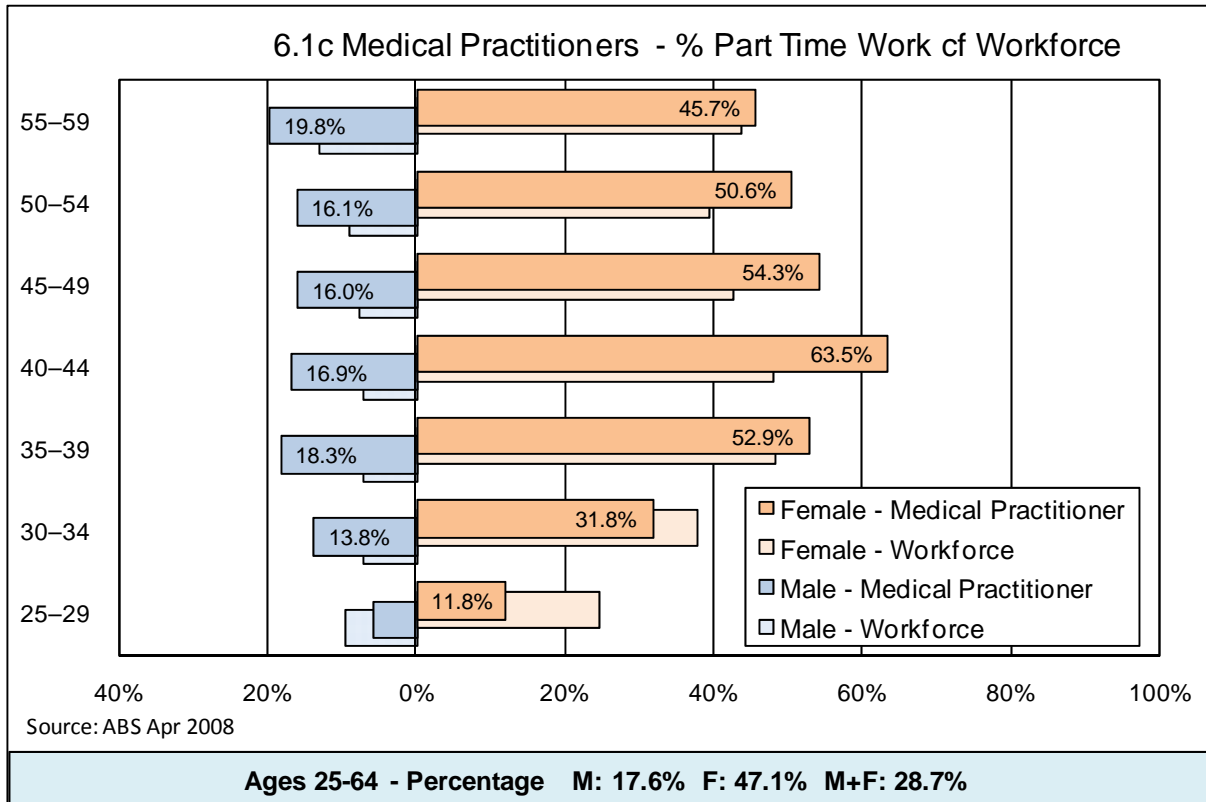


Chart 6.1b indicates work contributions by gender above and below 1 FTE. It was found that 48% of the female labour force and 23% of males worked less than 1 FTE in the week prior to survey. On the other hand, medical practitioners working more than 1 FTE comprise 61% and 37% of the male and female labour force respectively.



A comparison between part time work in medicine between the ages of 25 and 59 was made to part time work in the whole Australian Labour Market<sup>2</sup>. The medicine market was restricted to persons working only in NSW so as not to confuse persons working part time in NSW and part time in another State with those working part time as a whole. Except for the youngest ages when studies are still a large component of time, the part time contribution to work at all ages for males and ages 40 to 54 for females is higher in the workforce generally. Younger females and women aged 55-59 have similar part time patterns to the workforce as a whole.

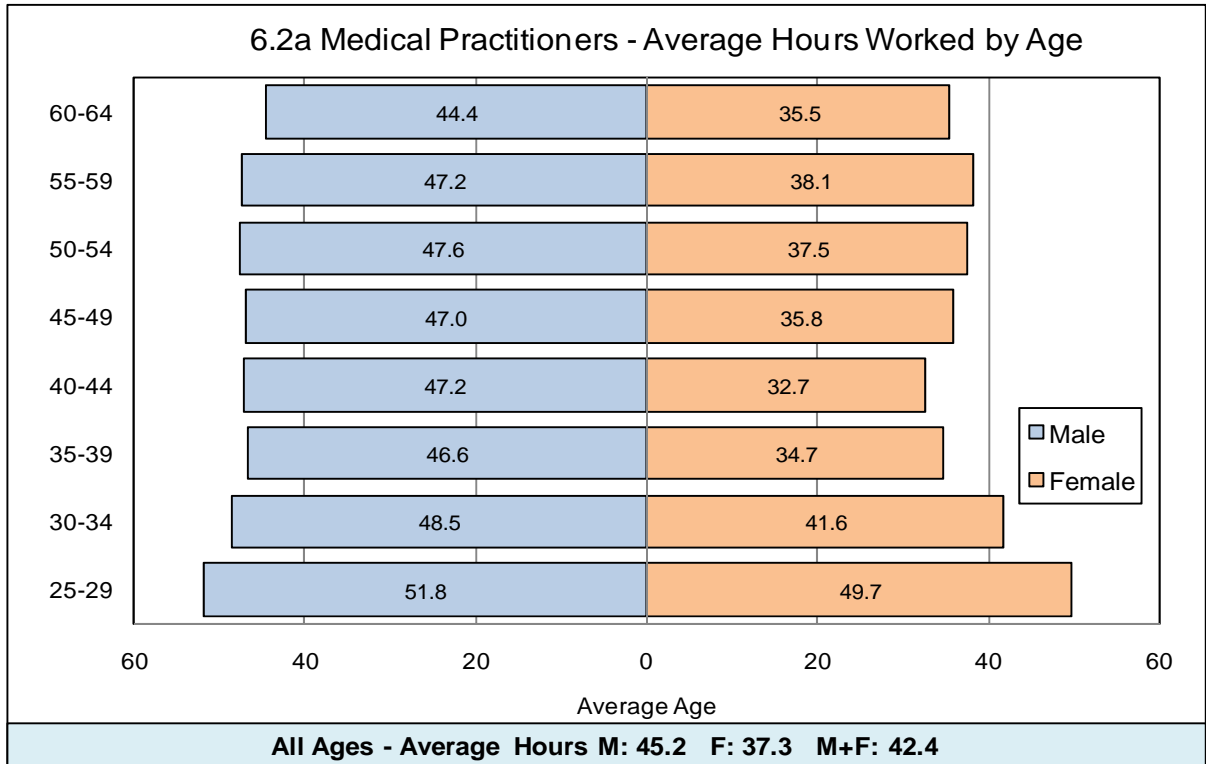


## 6.2 Average Hours

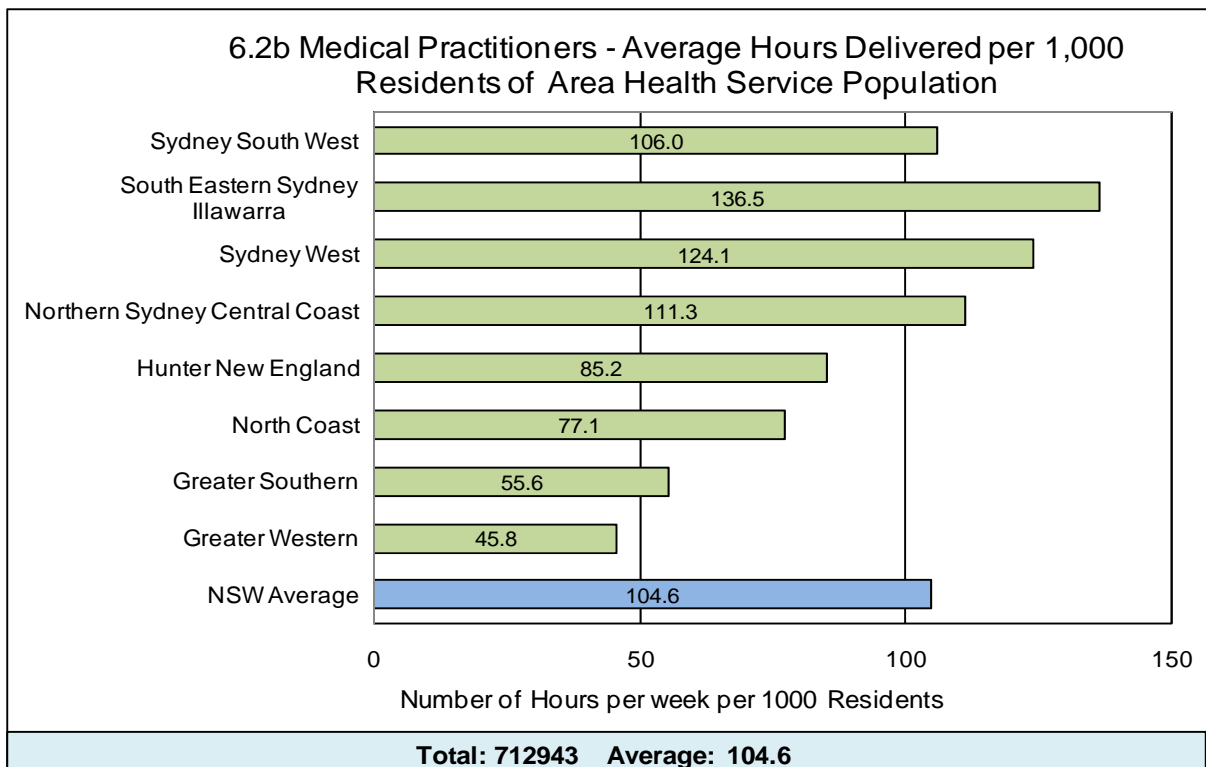
The average number of hours worked by age and gender is shown in Chart 6.2a. The average number of hours worked in total is 42.4 (2006 41.7) with men working about 8 hours per week more on average. For males, average hours are greater than 40 hours per week at all ages below 65 while females work around 33 hours on average between the ages of 35 and 44, and a few hours more between the ages of 45 to 64. The average weekly number of direct clinical hours worked has also risen at 39.5 (2006 39.9), 41.8 hours by men and 35.0 hours by women.

The number of medical practitioners who work two or more jobs in NSW is not specifically identified. There were 5,101 who work for one hour or more in two or more NSW jobs, 30% of the workforce. Another 314 medical practitioners work two or more jobs where one job is in NSW and one or more in other States. The average hours of work for respondents with more than one job was 43.6 hours compared to 41.4 weekly hours for those with one job only.

<sup>2</sup> Australian Bureau of Statistics *Australian Labour Market Statistics January 2007* Catalogue Number 6105.0

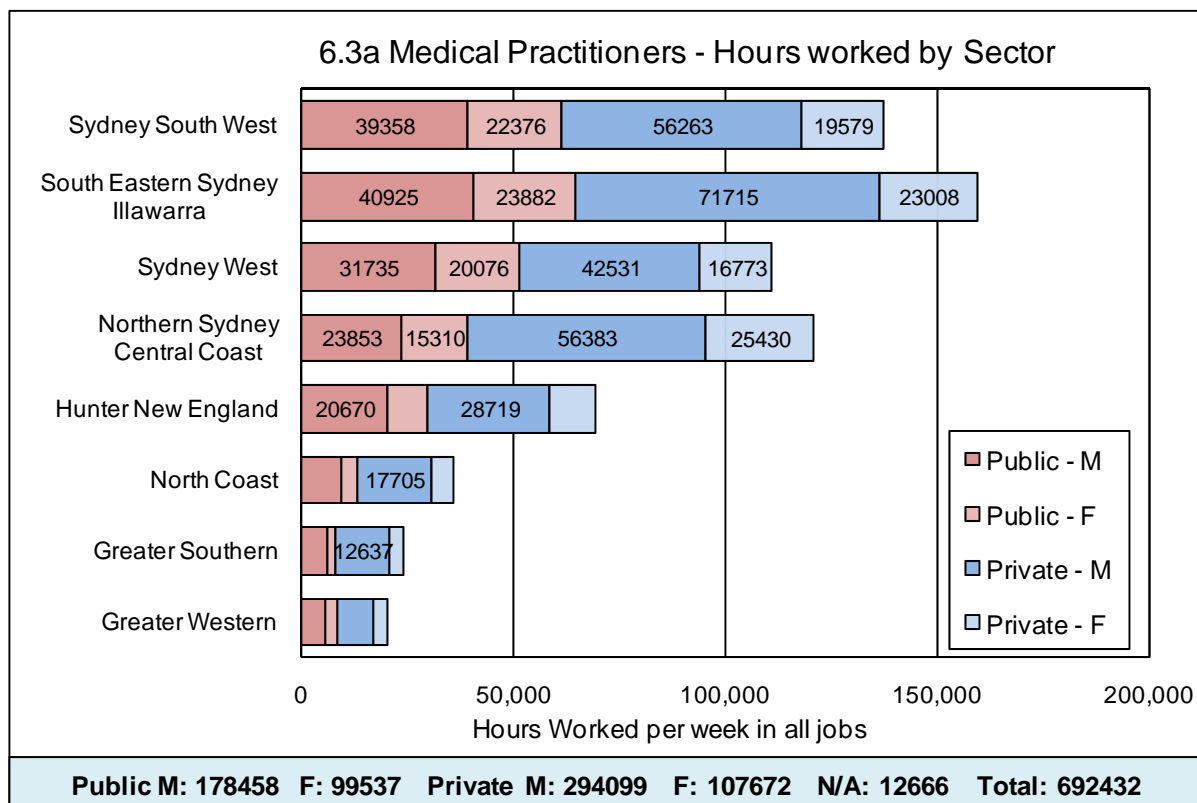


The average hours of medical work delivered to residents of each Area Health Service can be seen in Chart 6.2b. Metropolitan Areas receive more than the State average while rural Areas receive less than average. The Greater Western Area obtains less than half the State average hours while South Eastern Sydney Illawarra residents obtain 30% more. Residents of border Areas have some access to interstate services. A similar chart is presented in Section 7 for general practitioners to remove the effect of hospital based service.



### 6.3 Setting of Employment

The hours worked in public and private sector settings overall can be observed on Chart 6.3a. The total number of hours reported by sector is lower than the overall total of hours worked. It was found that 57% of hours worked are in the private sector, 40% in the public sector and the remainder were not specified. Female medical practitioners worked a similar number of hours in each sector (18 hours private and 17 hours public) while males were more heavily concentrated in the private sector (27 hours private and 16 hours public). The ratio of public to private hours across Area Health Services varied from 0.48 in Northern Sydney Central Coast to 0.87 in Sydney West with a State average of 0.70.



The specific number of hours worked in each setting is listed in Table 6.3b

**Table 6.3b Public and Private Settings of Employment**

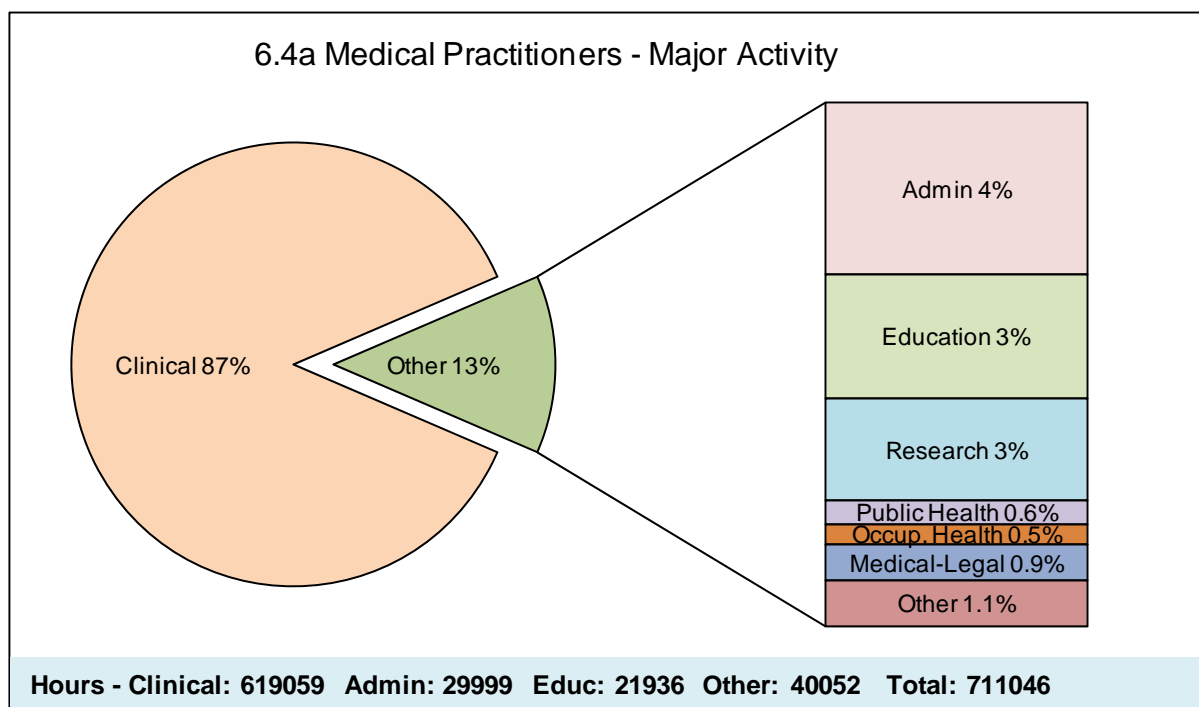
Setting of Work	Males		Females	
	Public	Private	Public	Private
Private Rooms		224850		82593
Medical Centres		8551		3861
Inpatient Facility	153883	41918	86767	12101
Non Inpatient Facility	3767	3439	2977	1258
Mobile Service	831	84	401	33
Non Clinical Office	2959	4497	970	1500
Aboriginal Health	796	590	803	465
Community Health	2792	613	2550	717
Other Medical Care Facility	736	1631	545	869
Laboratory	1337	4743	341	2074
Defence Forces	2157		680	

Government Department	3871		2596	
Educational Institution	5417	2562	3549	1364
Industry		1893		655
Other	3092	2563	1157	1367

Most work is set either in private rooms or in hospitals. There is about five times more hours provided in public hospitals than in private hospitals. The next most common settings are educational institutions (mainly public), laboratories (mainly private) and other work (fairly equal).

### 6.4 Major Activity and Hours On Call

The practice of clinical medicine accounts for 87% of the activity for medical practitioners. Management is the only other activity reasonably spread across categories of practitioner but still only accounting for 4% of total time. Teaching, research and other activities are largely confined to specialist medical practitioners whose primary role is in those areas. As with the sector, the total number of hours reported by activity is slightly lower than the overall total of hours worked.



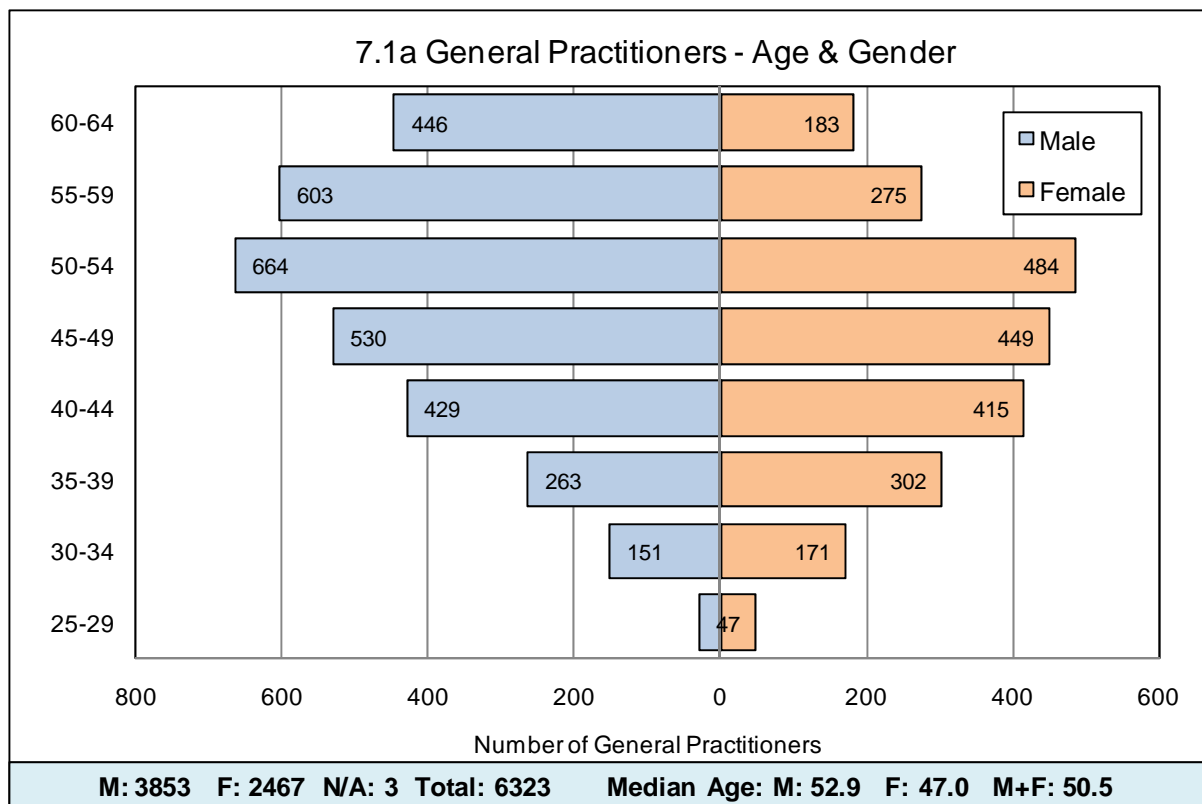
# 7

## GENERAL PRACTITIONERS

There were 6,323 respondents who stated that their main clinical activity was in general practice, a decrease of 3% compared to 2006. They worked for 248,639 hours equivalent to 6,216 FTE (2006 6,475) just under 1 FTE per respondent, the only clinical category where FTE per respondent was less than unity. The median age of general practitioners was 50.5 years and women represented 39% of the labour force.

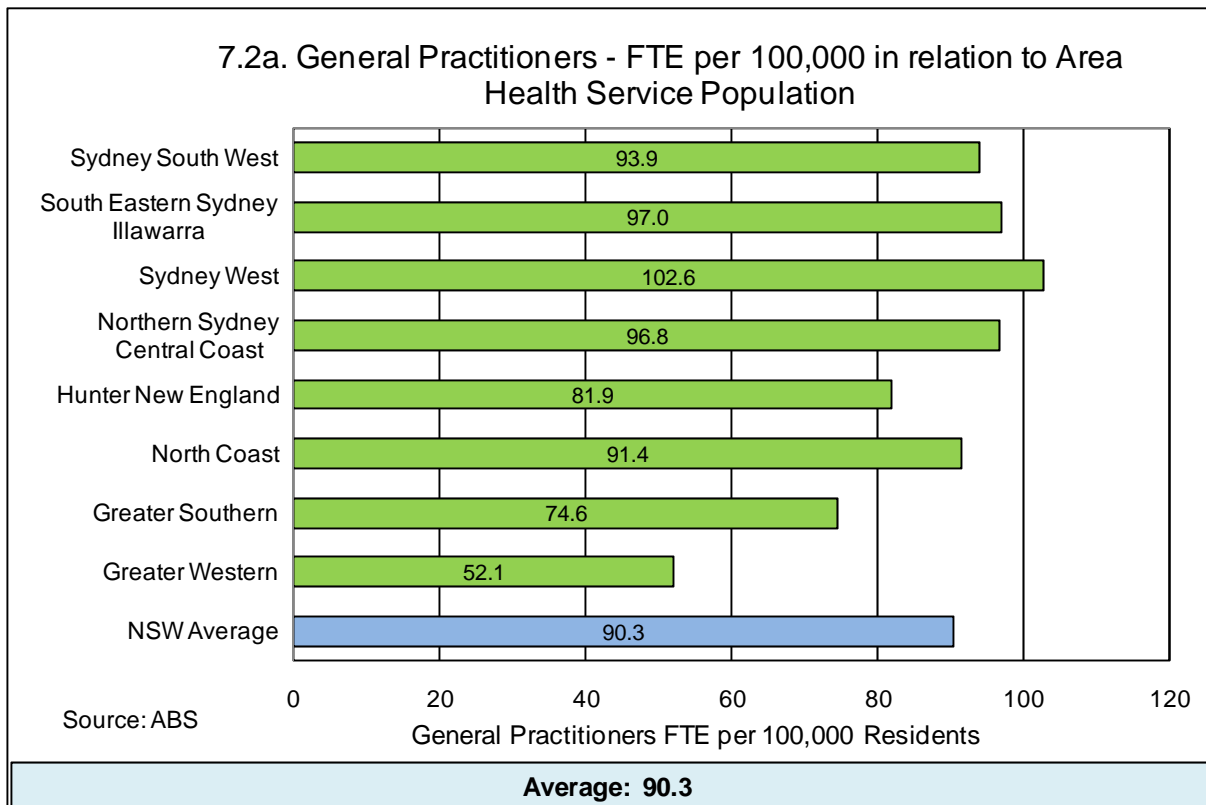
### 7.1 Age and Gender

Chart 7.1a shows the age and sex distribution of general practitioners working in NSW. The most significant feature of the chart is the large number of males aged 65 and over. This group comprises almost 10% of working general practitioners.

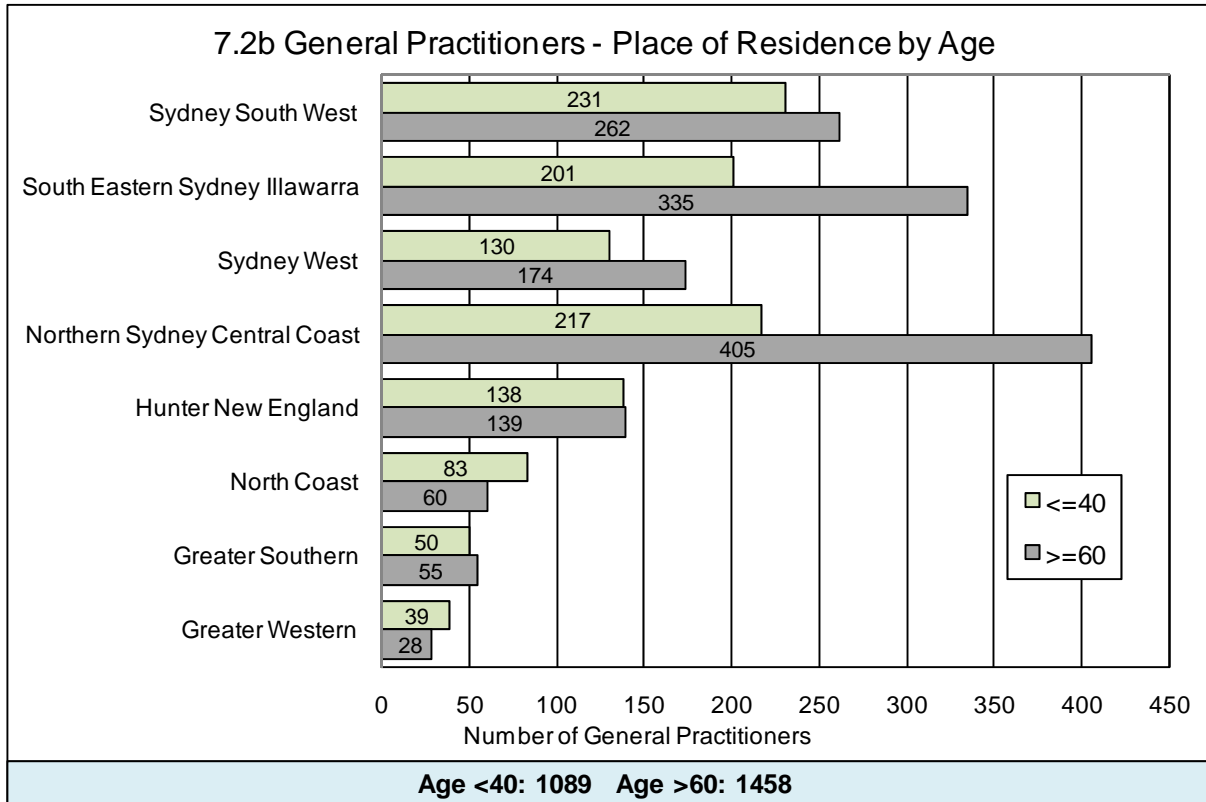


## 7.2 Location of Work and Residence

The geographic distribution of work for general practitioners per thousand resident population is shown in Chart 7.2a expressed in terms of Full Time Equivalents. All metropolitan Areas have above the average number of 90 FTE per hundred thousand residents. All the rural Areas are below the State average although the North Coast is only marginally less. The Greater Western AHS has the least number of general practitioners with only slightly more than half of the State average.



The distribution of younger and older general practitioners can be observed in Chart 7.2b which contrasts the location of GP residence for practitioners over the age of 60 with those under the age of 40. The large contrasts are seen in the Northern Sydney Central Coast and the South Eastern Sydney Illawarra AHS where older respondents are more than 50% higher than those in younger ages. Hunter New England, North Coast and Greater Western AHS have more resident GPs under 40 than over 60.



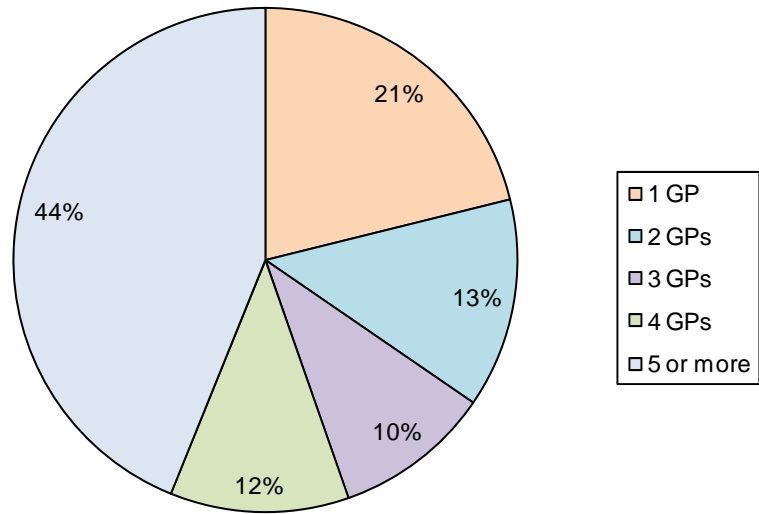
### 7.3 Practice Size

The move to large GP practices is illustrated in charts 7.3a and 7.3b

It was found that 44% (2006 43%) of general practitioners work in practices with 5 or more practitioners compared to 21% in solo practice.

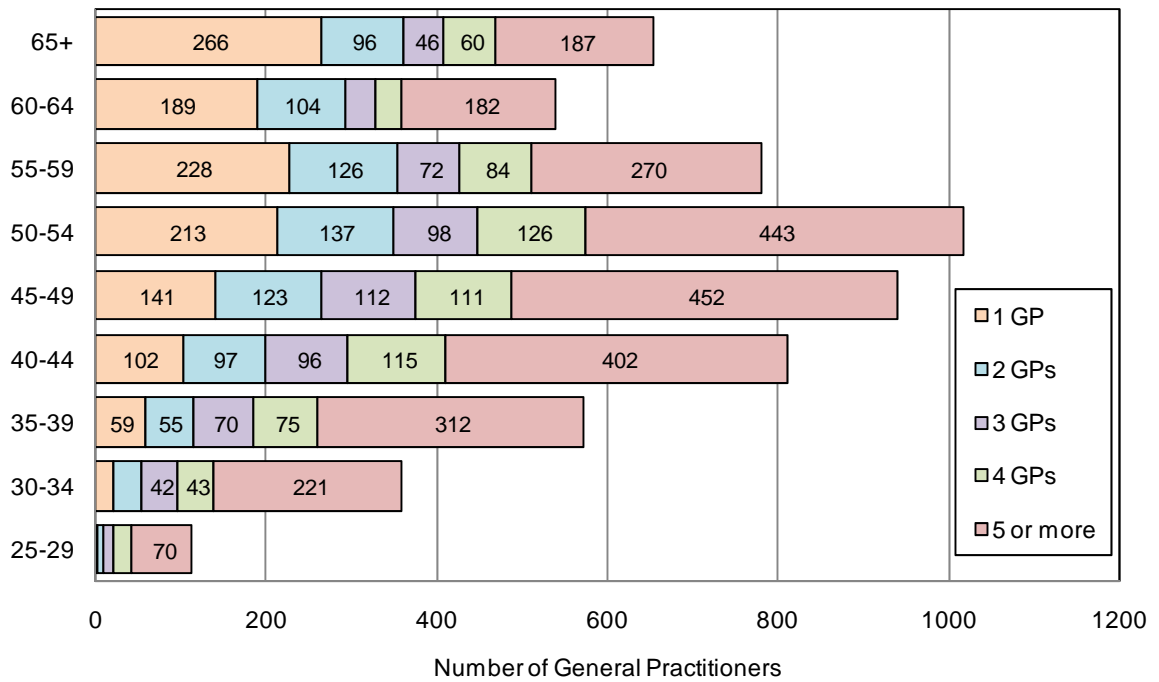
The age distribution by practice size clearly shows that it is younger GPs who are attracted to the large practices. Under the age of 40, more than 50% are working in large practices. Over the age of 60, there are more GPs in solo practice than in the large practices. The same pattern emerges for practices of 2, 3 and 4. At younger ages, these numbers are approximately equal but at older ages, the two practitioner model is more common than groups of three or four.

7.3a General Practitioners - Practice Size



1: 1229 2: 781 3: 586 4: 667 5+: 2551

7.3b General Practitioners - Age & Practice Size



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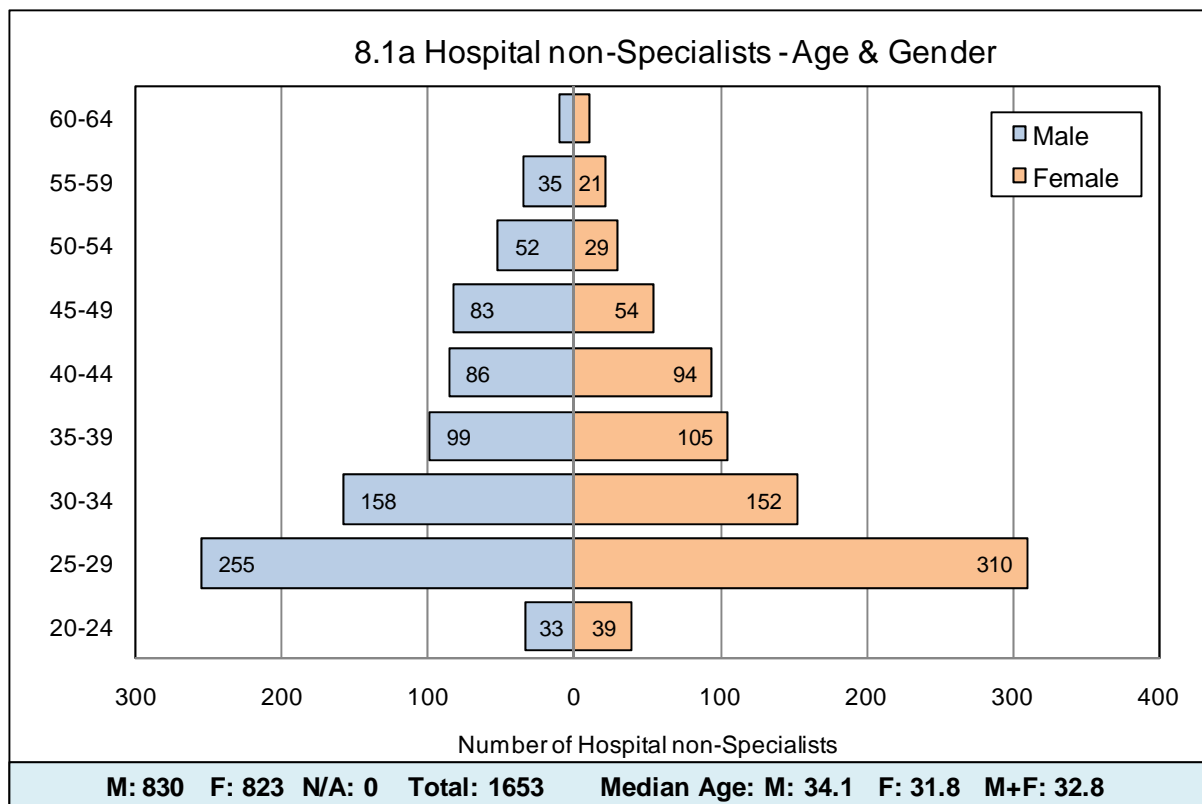
# 8

## HOSPITAL NON SPECIALISTS

There were 1,653 respondents who stated that their main clinical activity was as a hospital non specialist, an increase of 10% compared to 2006. They worked for 76,484 hours equivalent to 1,912 FTE (2006 1,725), a work schedule of 1.15 FTE per respondent. The median age of hospital non specialists was 32.8 years and women represented 50% of the labour force (47% in 2006).

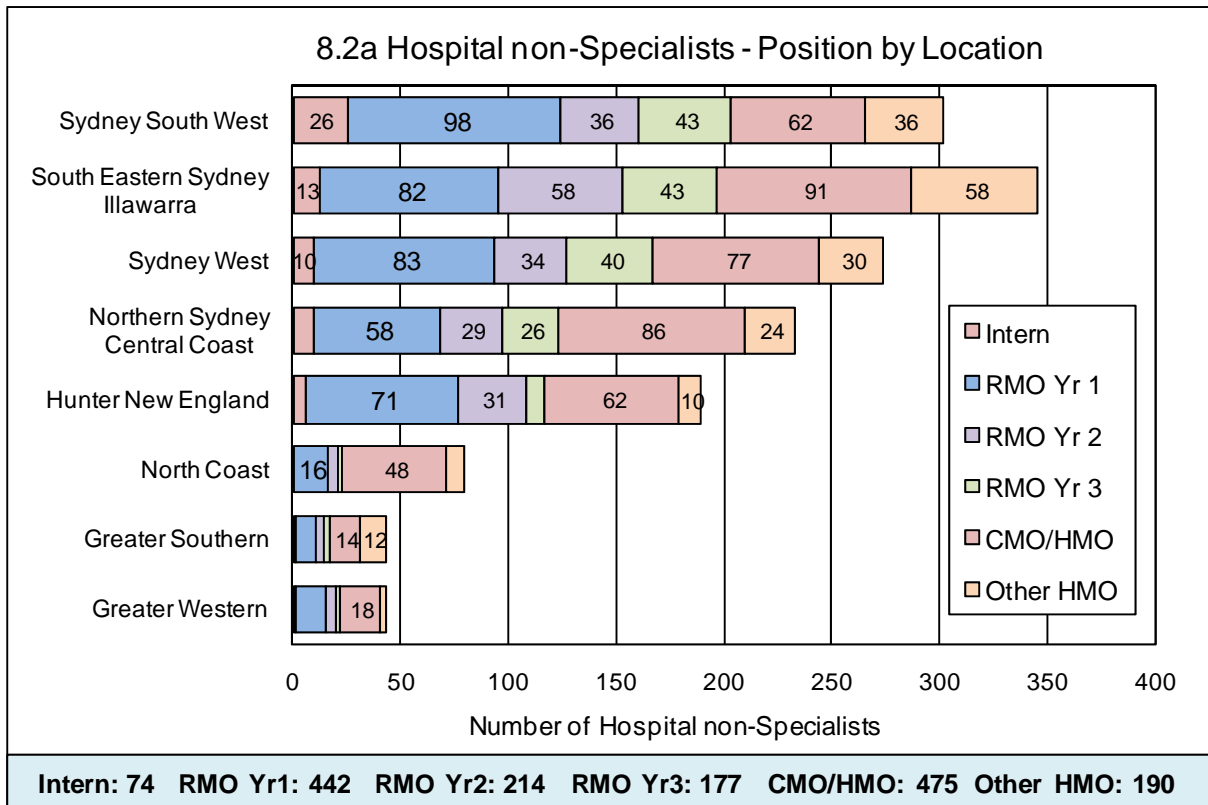
### 8.1 Age and Gender

Chart 8.1a indicates the age and gender of hospital non specialists. The majority are aged between 25 and 29 and there are equal numbers of male and female. Hospital non specialists aged 45 and over tend to be male career medical officers.



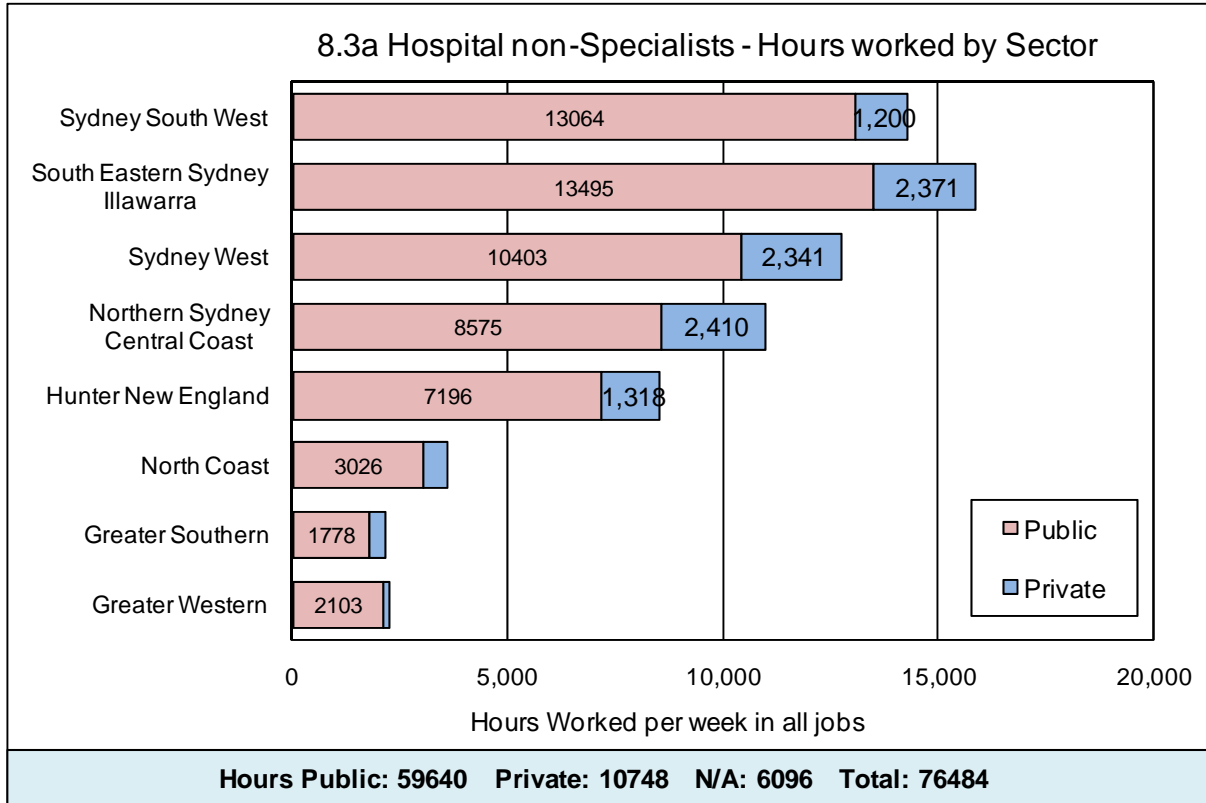
## 8.2 Location and Hospital Position

Hospital non specialists in their first years of residency are assigned to hospitals according to a model developed by the NSW Institute of Medical Education and Training (IMET). However, survey forms are not distributed to medical practitioners in their first year of residency (the intern year). Chart 8.2a indicates position by the location of the hospital in which they work. In North Coast, Northern Sydney Central Coast and South Eastern Sydney Illawarra, the number of senior medical officers exceeds the number in their second year of residency while the reverse is true in Sydney South West. The overall mix of senior and junior medical officers is similar in other AHS.



### 8.3 Sector of Work

Most hospital non specialists (78%) work in the public sector. However, private hospitals now have a considerable number of non specialist medical officers mainly located in metropolitan Areas and Newcastle. Sydney South West has fewer private hospital positions than the other metropolitan Areas while in rural Areas, the private sector is much smaller.



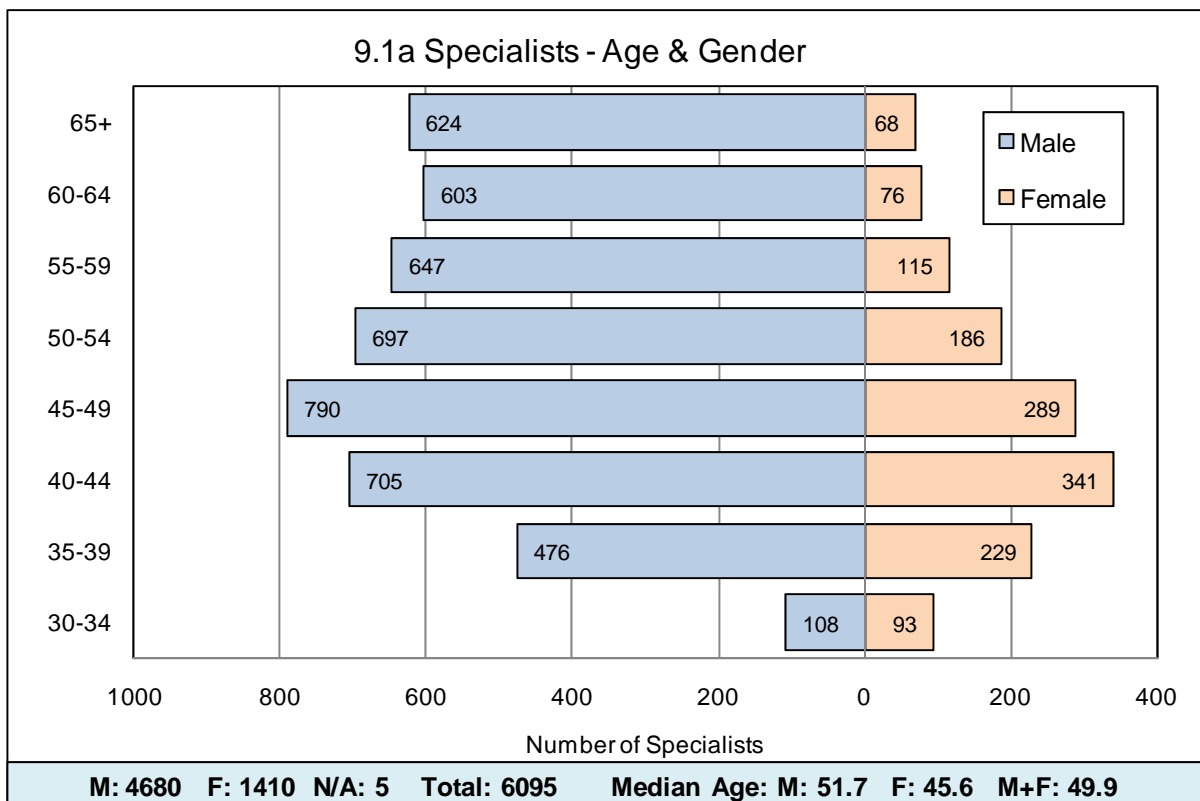
# 9

## SPECIALISTS

There were 6,095 respondents who stated that their main clinical activity was as a specialist practitioner, unchanged from 2006. They worked for 258,260 hours equivalent to 6,457 FTE (2006 6,475) or 1.06 FTE per respondent. The median age of specialists was 49.9 years and women represented 23% of the labour force.

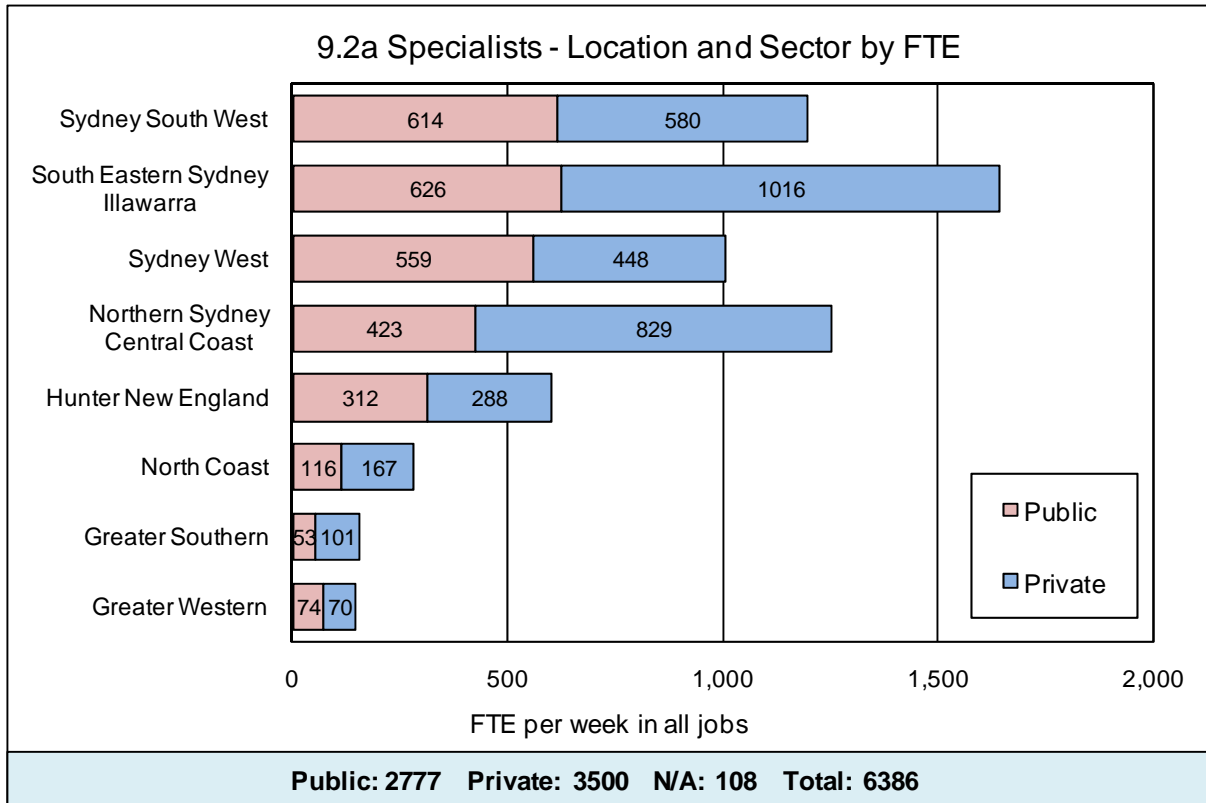
### 9.1 Age and Gender

The age and gender pyramid for specialists is shown as Chart 9.1a. It will be observed that men outnumber women at all ages although the gap diminishes with decreasing age. The highest number of female specialists occurs in the 40-44 age group compared to 45-49 for males. There are ten times as many male specialists for ages of 60 and over compared to twice the number in the 35-39 year age group.

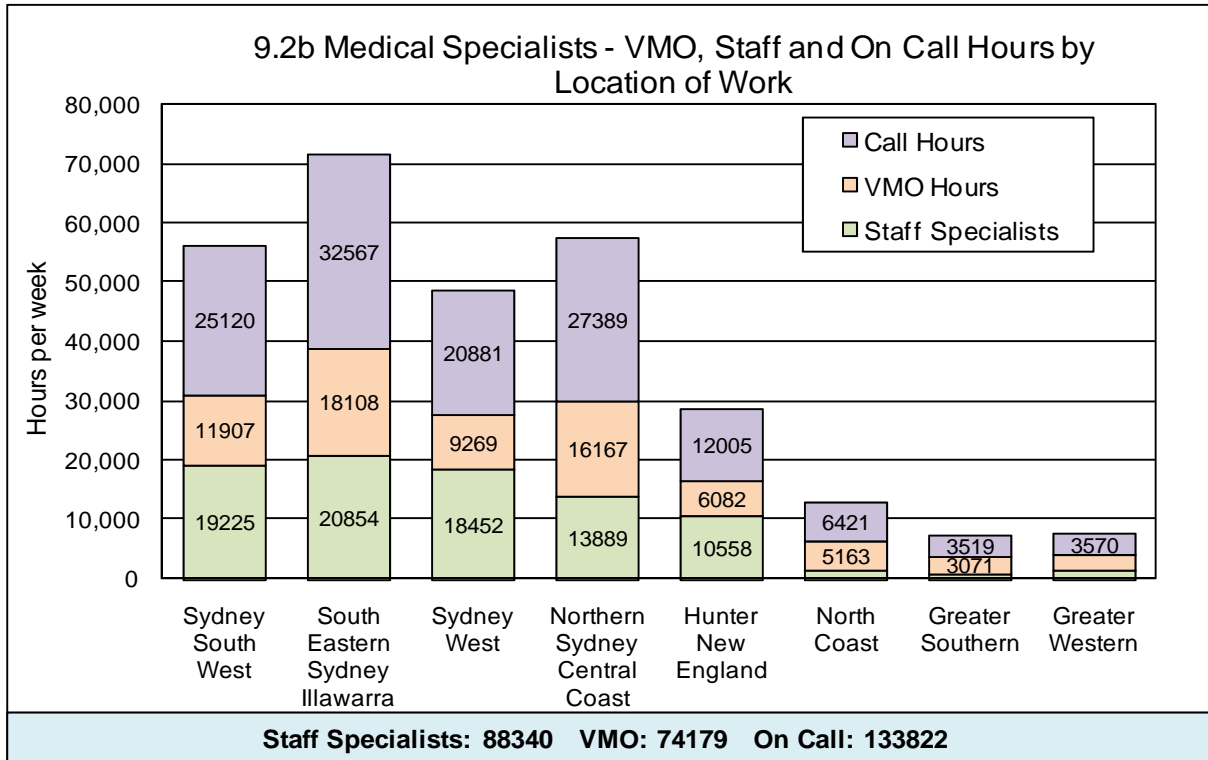


## 9.2 Location of Work

Chart 9.2a indicates the location and sector of work expressed in FTE. In Northern Sydney Central Coast and South Eastern Sydney Illawarra the private sector accounts for substantially more specialist activity than the public sector, perhaps reflecting the large number of private hospitals in those Areas. Elsewhere the contribution of public and private sector work is similar with public sector activity slightly greater in most Areas.

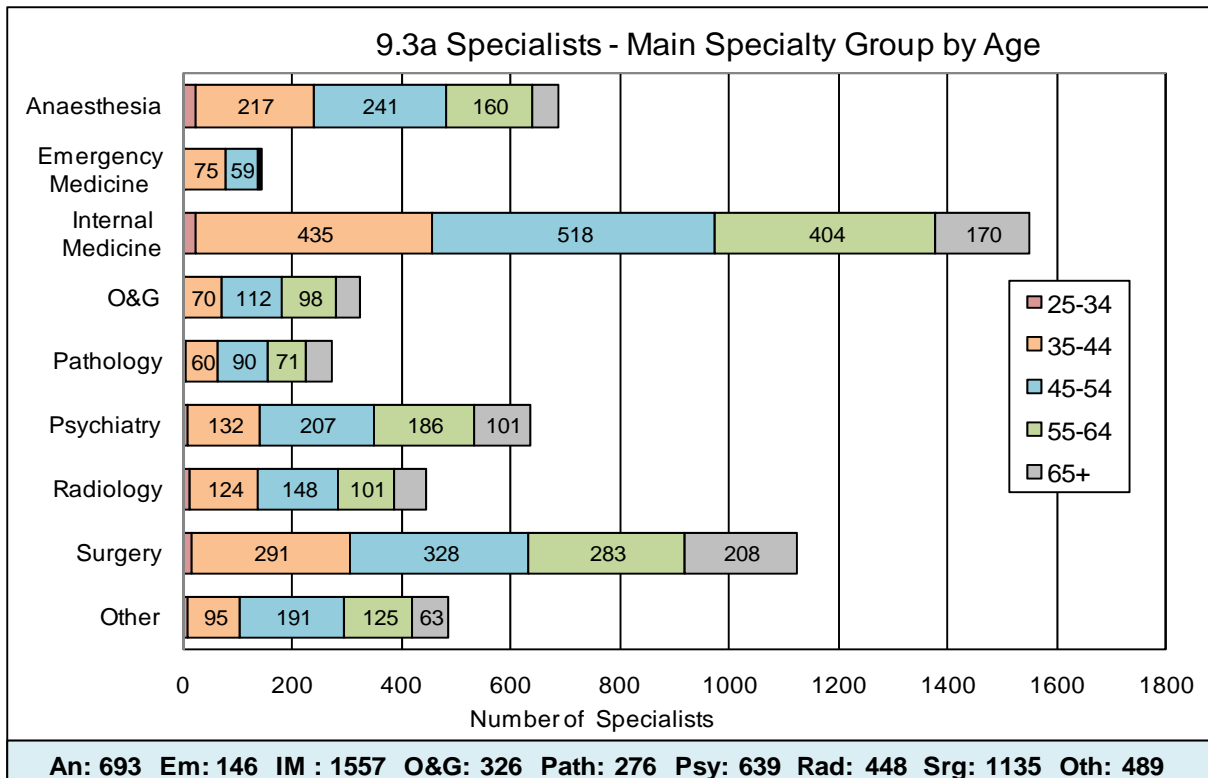


The hours worked as a visiting medical officer and as a staff specialist by specialist clinicians are shown in Chart 9.2b together with the hours on call but not worked. There are few staff specialists in the fully rural Areas while Sydney South West, Sydney West and Hunter New England have considerably more hours from staff specialists than from VMOs. Also, the rural Areas experience a similar volume of on call hours to VMO hours while the metropolitan Areas have twice as many hours on call than worked as a visiting medical officer.

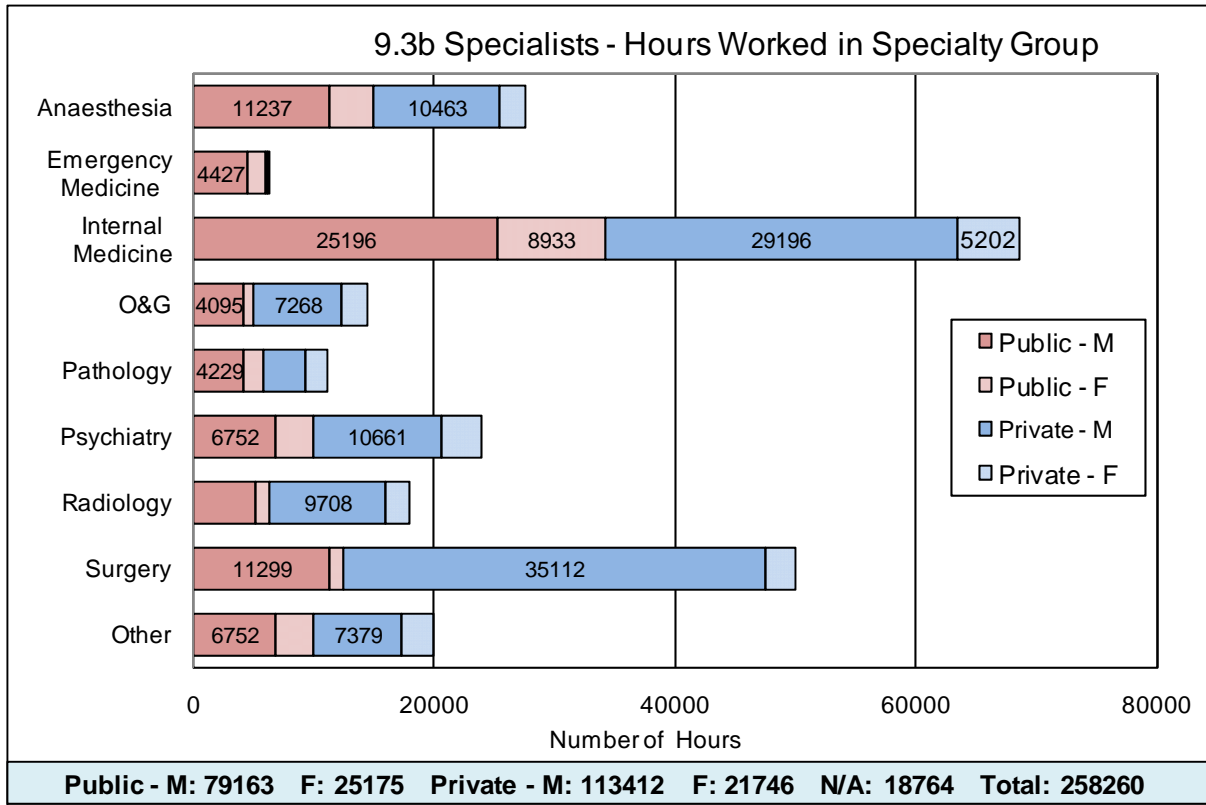


### 9.3 Nature of Specialty

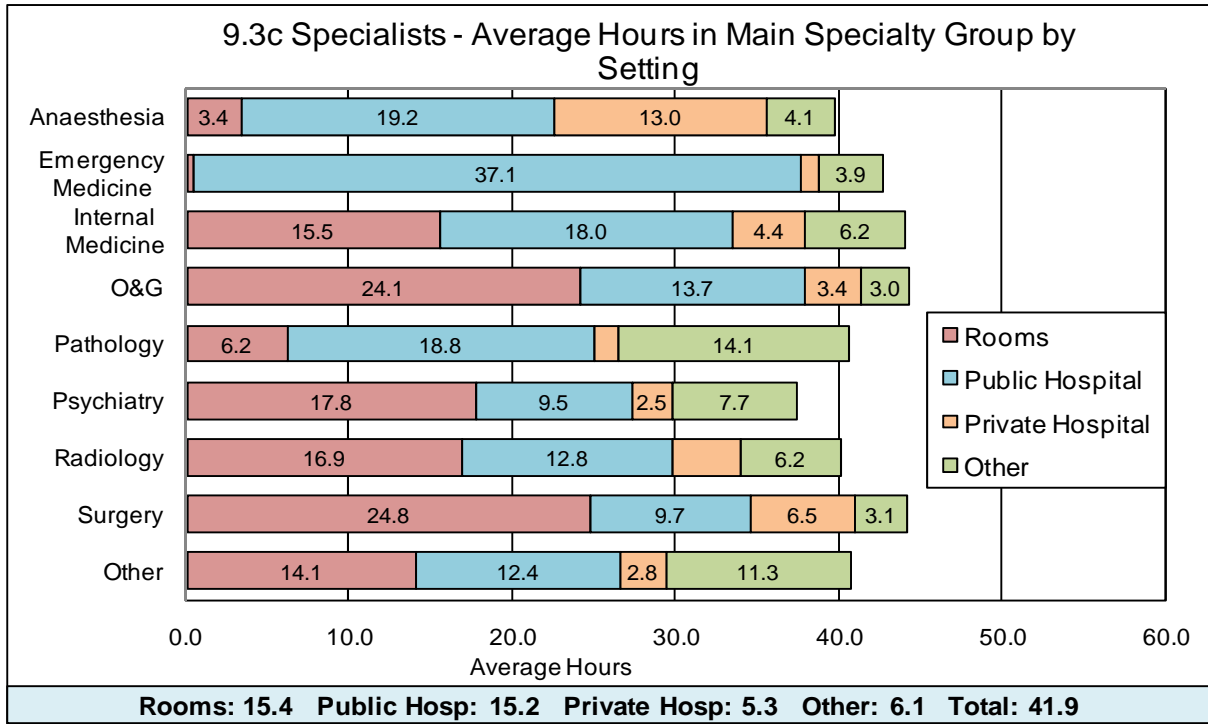
Specialty groups as designated by the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) are shown against age in Chart 9.3a. Anaesthesia and Emergency Medicine have a younger workforce than the other specialty groups while Psychiatry and Obstetrics & Gynaecology have the oldest distribution.



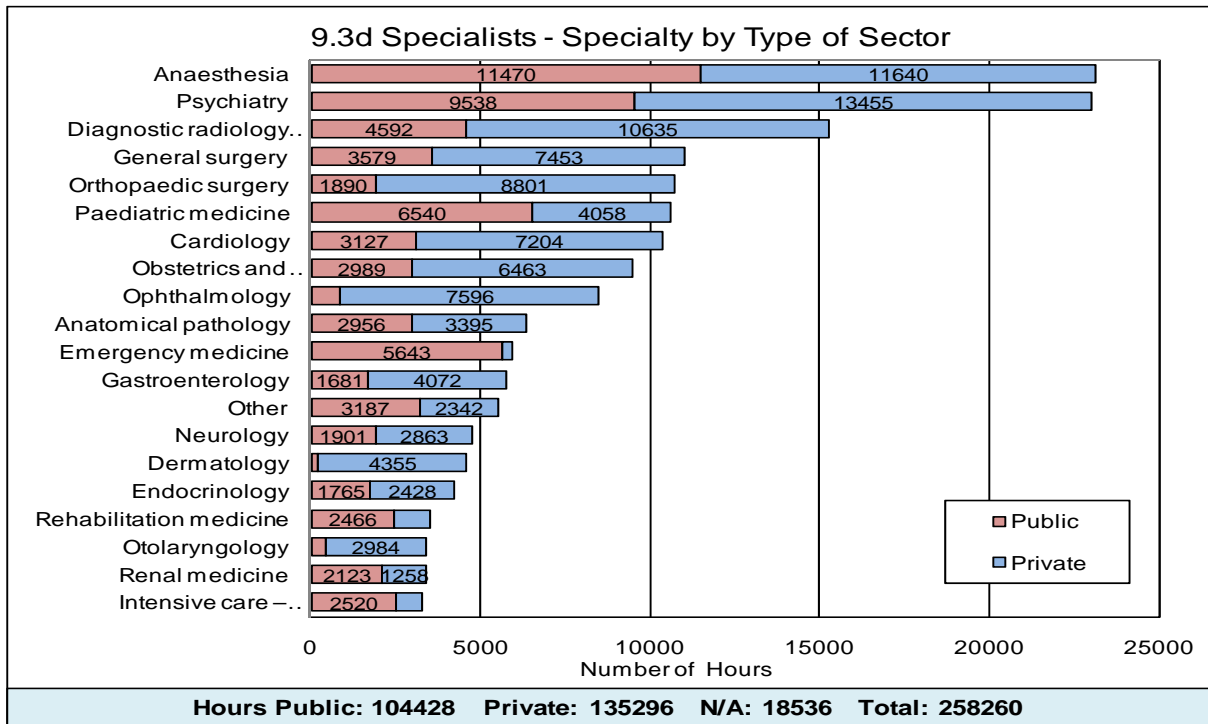
The hours worked in the public and private sector can be observed in Chart 9.3b. While the numbers are similar for many specialties, surgery is concentrated in private hospitals as is (to a lesser extent) obstetrics & gynaecology. There are more males than females in all specialty groups but especially in surgery. Female participation is highest in pathology.



Average hours worked by major setting of work is depicted in Chart 8.3c. There is little difference in total hours worked for the various specialties with a range of only 7 hours between psychiatrists (the lowest average) and surgeons (the highest). However, substantial variation exists within the components. Surgeons and Obstetricians & Gynaecologists have the greatest number of hours consulting in their private rooms, emergency medicine specialists spend by far the most time in public hospitals while anaesthetists work the most in the private hospital setting. Pathologists have the largest component elsewhere, presumably their laboratories.



We show the hours for the 20 leading individual specialties by public and private sector work in Chart 9.3d. Ophthalmologists, otolaryngologists and dermatologists work almost entirely in the private sector while clinicians in emergency medicine, rehabilitation and intensive care are mainly working in the public sector.



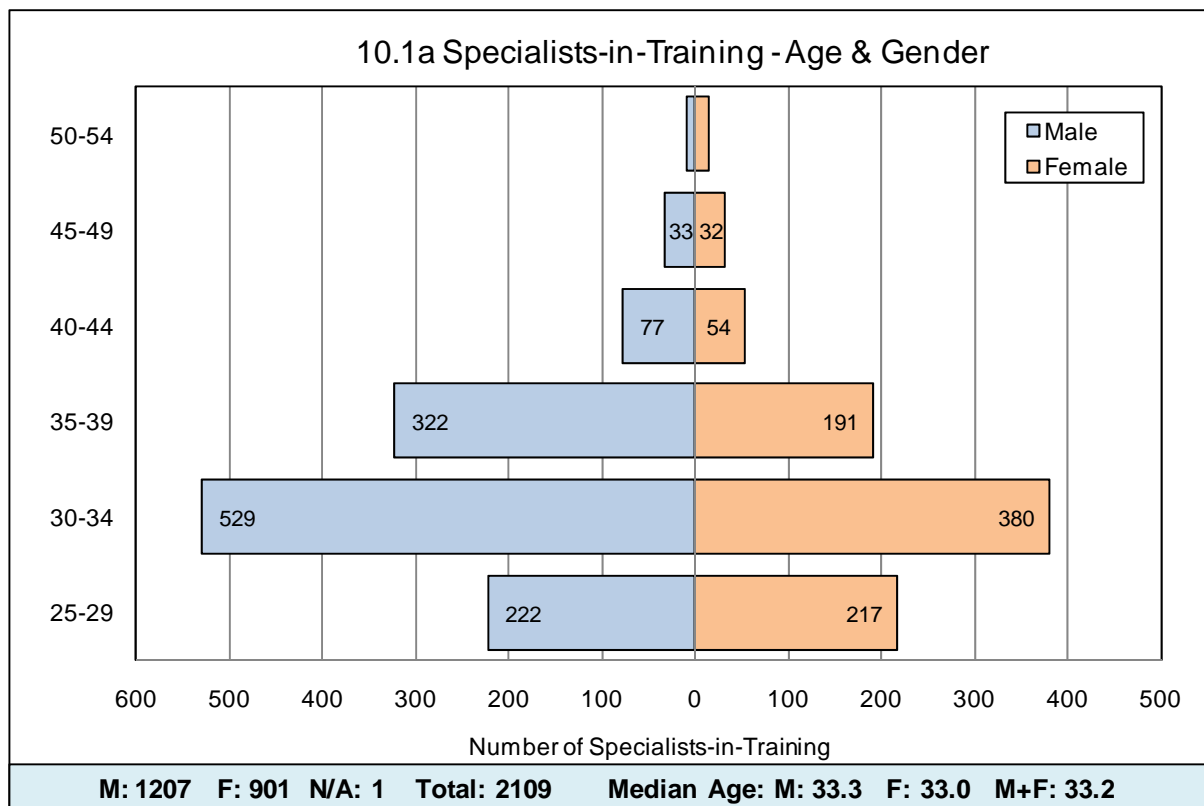
# 10

## SPECIALISTS IN TRAINING

There were 2,109 respondents who stated that their main clinical activity was as a specialist-in-training, a substantial increase over 2006. They worked for 100,874 hours equivalent to 2,522 FTE (2006 2,290) or 1.18 FTE per respondent, the highest of any clinical category. The average age of specialists-in-training was 33.2 years and women represented 43% of the labour force.

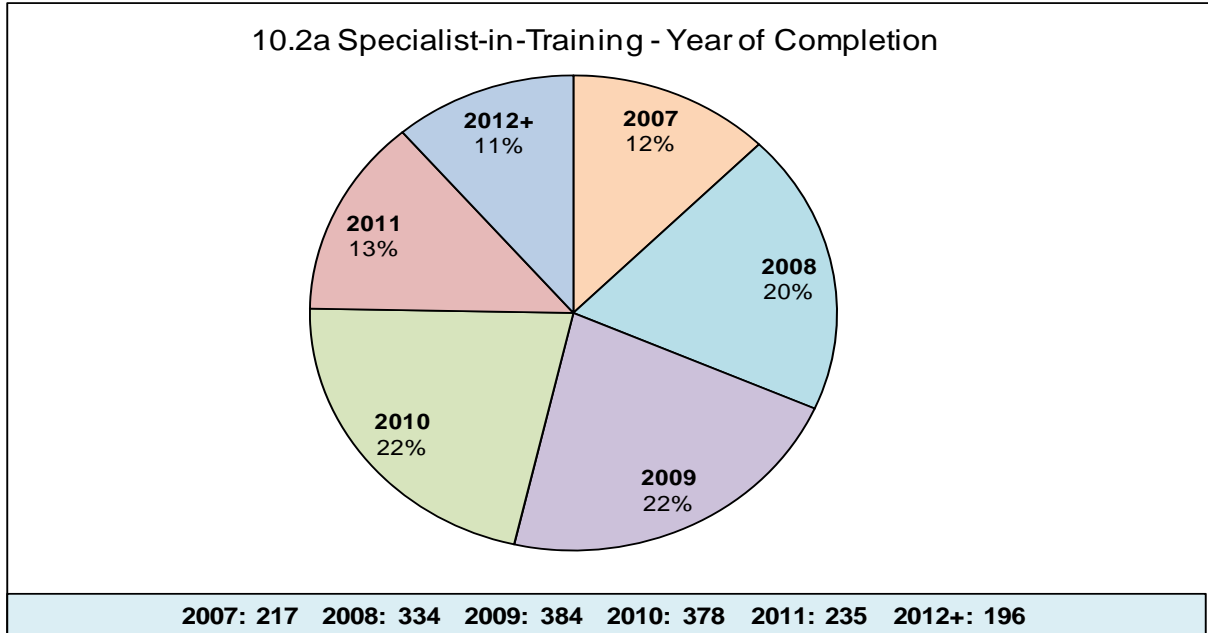
### 10.1 Age and Gender

Chart 10.1a indicates the age and gender of specialists-in-training. The great majority are aged between 25 and 34 with a slight excess of males but not as pronounced as for qualified specialists.



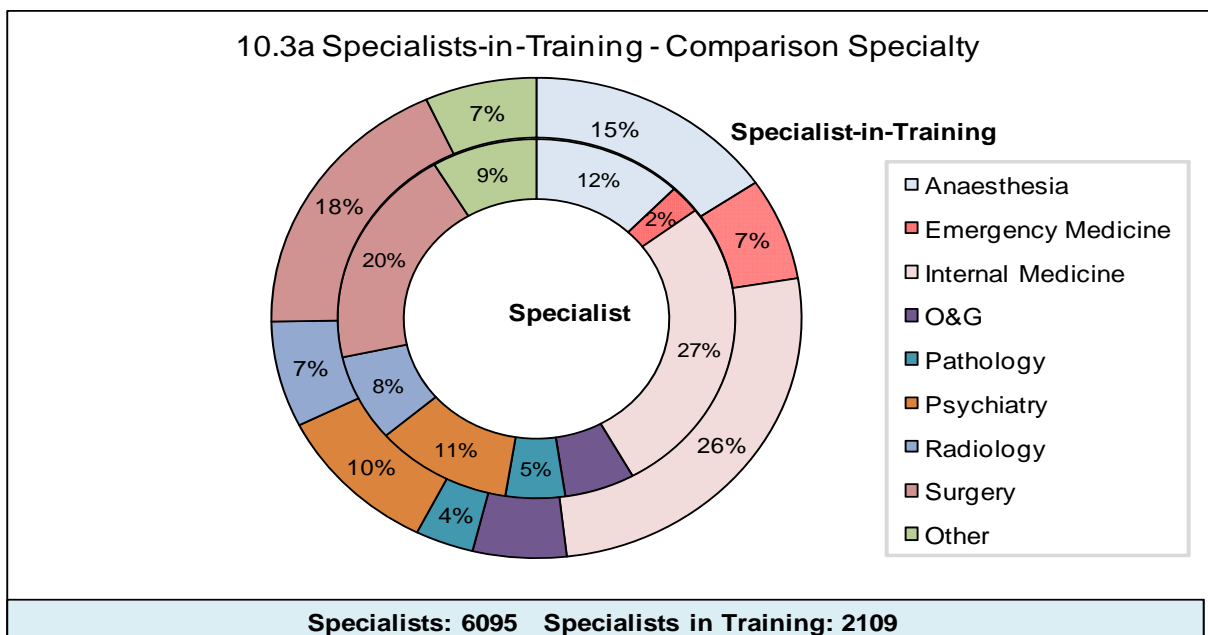
## 10.2 Year of Completion

A little more than 20% of the current specialists-in-training are due to complete their studies in each of the next three years between 2008 and 2010. About 24% expect to complete training in 2011 or after.



## 10.3 Comparison with Specialist Fields

Chart 10.3a shows the specialty being studied by specialists-in-training compared to the existing specialties among fully qualified specialists. The major difference is for the expanding field of Emergency Medicine. It was found that 7% of specialists-in-training are working in this field against 3% of existing specialists. Anaesthesia also shows a greater proportion of specialists-in-training. There is a reduced proportion for the various fields of surgery where 18% are training against an existing proportion of 20%.



## Tables for Medical Practitioners 2007

### Section A - All Respondents

Tables MP1 to MP6 show data for all respondents to the survey

Table MP7 shows data on medical practitioners not currently working in medicine

Medical practitioners working in New South Wales are defined by a postcode within the State for at least one job

A medical practitioner with a second job is one who has reported one or more hours of work in their second job within NSW

Medical practitioners who completed the 2005 form did not provide information on place of initial qualification

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### Section B - Work in New South Wales

Tables MP9 to MP27 show statistics for medical practitioners working in NSW

All Tables indicate male and female

A second or third job is defined by work of one hour or more at the second or third location respectively

Full Time Equivalents are based on a 40 hour week

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## Section C - Hours of Work

Tables MP28 to MP37 show the number of hours of work reported by survey respondents

Hours of work refer only to work stated to occur within New South Wales

Clinical hours are hours involved in the clinical practice of medicine

Average hours for all jobs are calculated in respect of the Area of main work

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MP37 NSW Hours reported in each Location

<b>Table MP1</b>		<b>Age and Gender</b>			
	<i>Working in NSW</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>All Respondents</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>% Working in NSW</i>
<b>Males</b>					
20-24 Years	4	0.04	5	0.03	80.00
25-29 Years	453	4.08	570	3.74	79.47
30-34 Years	925	8.33	1,190	7.80	77.73
35-39 Years	1,190	10.71	1,544	10.12	77.07
40-44 Years	1,333	12.00	1,747	11.45	76.30
45-49 Years	1,485	13.37	1,957	12.83	75.88
50-54 Years	1,528	13.76	1,961	12.86	77.92
55-59 Years	1,334	12.01	1,745	11.44	76.45
60-64 Years	1,184	10.66	1,600	10.49	74.00
65-69 Years	750	6.75	1,123	7.36	66.79
70 Years or more	862	7.76	1,655	10.85	52.08
Total Responses	11,048	99.47	15,097	98.97	73.18
No response on age	59	0.53	157	1.03	37.58
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>15,254</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>72.81</b>

<b>Table MP1</b>		<b>Age and Gender</b>			
	<i>Working in NSW</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>All Respondents</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>% Working in NSW</i>
<b>Females</b>					
20-24 Years	4	0.07	4	0.05	100.00
25-29 Years	526	8.84	631	8.12	83.36
30-34 Years	835	14.03	1,081	13.91	77.24
35-39 Years	908	15.25	1,217	15.66	74.61
40-44 Years	943	15.84	1,204	15.49	78.32
45-49 Years	892	14.98	1,101	14.16	81.02
50-54 Years	807	13.56	994	12.79	81.19
55-59 Years	463	7.78	580	7.46	79.83
60-64 Years	312	5.24	414	5.33	75.36
65-69 Years	127	2.13	216	2.78	58.80
70 Years or more	101	1.70	275	3.54	36.73
Total Responses	5,918	99.41	7,717	99.28	76.69
No response on age	35	0.59	56	0.72	62.50
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>7,773</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>76.59</b>

Table MP1	Age and Gender					
	Working in NSW		All Respondents		% Working in NSW	
Persons		%		%		
20-24 Years	8	0.05	9	0.04		88.89
25-29 Years	979	5.73	1201	5.21		81.52
30-34 Years	1,761	10.32	2,272	9.86		77.51
35-39 Years	2,100	12.30	2,764	11.99		75.98
40-44 Years	2,277	13.34	2,952	12.81		77.13
45-49 Years	2,378	13.93	3,059	13.27		77.74
50-54 Years	2,338	13.70	2,961	12.84		78.96
55-59 Years	1,799	10.54	2,327	10.09		77.31
60-64 Years	1,496	8.76	2,015	8.74		74.24
65-69 Years	877	5.14	1,340	5.81		65.45
70 Years or more	963	5.64	1,932	8.38		49.84
Total Responses	16,976	99.44	22,832	99.05		74.35
No response on age	95	0.56	220	0.95		43.18
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>23,052</b>	<b>100.00</b>		<b>74.05</b>

Note: Gender was not provided for 11 respondents working in NSW and 14 working outside NSW

**Table MP2****Aboriginality & Citizenship**

	Working in NSW				All Respondents	
	Males	Females	Total	%	Total	%
Australian Aboriginal	15	11	26	0.15	37	0.16
Torres Strait Islander	33	42	75	0.44	110	0.48
Not Indigenous	10,952	5,861	16,823	98.55	22,584	97.97
Total Responses	11,000	5,914	16,924	99.14	22,731	98.61
No response	107	39	147	0.86	321	1.39
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>23,052</b>	<b>100.00</b>

Australian Citizen	10,100	5,324	15,433	90.40	20,444	88.69
Permanent Resident	718	439	1,158	6.78	1,588	6.89
Temporary Resident	128	96	224	1.31	526	2.28
Total Responses	10,946	5,859	16,815	98.50	22,558	97.86
No response	161	94	256	1.50	494	2.14
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>23,052</b>	<b>100.00</b>

*Note: Gender was not provided for 11 respondents working in NSW*

**Table MP3****Area Health Service and Subarea of Residence**

	Working in NSW				All Respondents	
	Males	Females	Total	%	Total	%
<b>Sydney South West</b>	<b>1,931</b>	<b>1,149</b>	<b>3,081</b>	<b>18.05</b>	<b>3,638</b>	<b>15.78</b>
Canterbury Bankstown	197	96	293	1.72	351	1.52
Fairfield Liverpool	208	99	307	1.80	345	1.50
Inner West	1,301	884	2,186	12.81	2,576	11.17
Macarthur	150	48	198	1.16	229	0.99
Southern Highlands	75	22	97	0.57	137	0.59
<b>South Eastern Sydney Illawarra</b>	<b>2,567</b>	<b>1,337</b>	<b>3,906</b>	<b>22.88</b>	<b>4,773</b>	<b>20.71</b>
Eastern Suburbs	1,535	850	2,385	13.97	2,942	12.76
Shoalhaven	92	29	121	0.71	148	0.64
St. George	369	205	575	3.37	685	2.97
Sutherland	257	126	384	2.25	468	2.03
Wollongong	314	127	441	2.58	530	2.30
<b>Sydney West</b>	<b>1,020</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>1,647</b>	<b>9.65</b>	<b>1,887</b>	<b>8.19</b>
Baulkham Hills	318	198	516	3.02	603	2.62
Blacktown	116	69	185	1.08	209	0.91
Central West Sydney	345	237	584	3.42	658	2.85
Wentworth	241	121	362	2.12	417	1.81
<b>Northern Sydney Central Coast</b>	<b>3,025</b>	<b>1,774</b>	<b>4,803</b>	<b>28.14</b>	<b>5,872</b>	<b>25.47</b>
Central Coast	358	154	512	3.00	617	2.68
Lower North Shore	886	557	1,444	8.46	1,801	7.81
North West Sydney	410	261	671	3.93	785	3.41
Northern Beaches	291	176	468	2.74	610	2.65
Ryde	325	215	540	3.16	648	2.81
Upper North Shore	755	411	1,168	6.84	1,411	6.12
<b>Hunter New England</b>	<b>1,098</b>	<b>561</b>	<b>1,660</b>	<b>9.72</b>	<b>1,951</b>	<b>8.46</b>
Maitland & Cessnock	75	34	109	0.64	130	0.56
Newcastle	741	408	1,150	6.74	1,335	5.79
Rural Hunter New England	128	41	169	0.99	208	0.90
Tamworth, Armidale & Taree	154	78	232	1.36	278	1.21
<b>North Coast</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>4.53</b>	<b>920</b>	<b>3.99</b>
Other North Coast	113	37	150	0.88	176	0.76
Port Macquarie, Coffs Harbour	197	64	261	1.53	304	1.32
Richmond Coast	196	75	271	1.59	315	1.37
Tweed	70	21	91	0.53	125	0.54
<b>Greater Southern</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>2.76</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>2.65</b>
Albury & Wagga	140	42	182	1.07	228	0.99
Queanbeyan & Goulburn	66	13	79	0.46	98	0.43
Rural Greater Southern	47	20	67	0.39	97	0.42
South Coast	106	37	143	0.84	187	0.81
<b>Greater Western</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>2.01</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>1.75</b>
Bathurst, Dubbo & Orange	157	76	233	1.36	269	1.17
Remote NSW	10	3	13	0.08	15	0.07
Rural Greater Western	73	24	97	0.57	120	0.52
<b>Interstate</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.01</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.04</b>
Total NSW	10,817	5,859	16,686	97.74	20,065	87.04
No response/ Overseas	290	94	385	2.26	2,987	12.96
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>23,052</b>	<b>100.00</b>

Note: Gender was not provided for 11 respondents working in NSW

**Table MP4****Area Health Service and  
Subarea of Residence***Per Thousand Population**Working NSW All Respondents Population 2007*

	<i>Working NSW</i>	<i>All Respondents</i>	<i>Population 2007</i>
<b>Sydney South West</b>	<b>2.37</b>	<b>2.80</b>	<b>1,297,122</b>
Canterbury Bankstown	0.94	1.12	312,849
Fairfield Liverpool	0.86	0.97	357,021
Inner West	6.36	7.50	343,446
Macarthur	0.83	0.96	239,427
Southern Highlands	2.19	3.09	44,379
<b>South Eastern Sydney Illawarra</b>	<b>3.21</b>	<b>3.92</b>	<b>1,217,786</b>
Eastern Suburbs	5.87	7.24	406,133
Shoalhaven	1.31	1.61	92,196
St. George	2.51	3.00	228,672
Sutherland Shire	1.80	2.20	212,813
Wollongong	1.59	1.91	277,972
<b>Sydney West</b>	<b>1.50</b>	<b>1.72</b>	<b>1,096,426</b>
Baulkham Hills	3.11	3.63	165,931
Blacktown	0.66	0.75	279,759
Central West Sydney	1.85	2.09	315,314
Wentworth	1.08	1.24	335,422
<b>Northern Sydney Central Coast</b>	<b>4.33</b>	<b>5.30</b>	<b>1,108,242</b>
Central Coast	1.68	2.02	304,741
Lower North Shore	7.60	9.49	189,766
North West Sydney	4.26	4.99	157,387
Northern Beaches	1.99	2.59	235,198
Ryde	4.69	5.63	115,121
Upper North Shore	11.00	13.31	106,029
<b>Hunter New England</b>	<b>1.97</b>	<b>2.31</b>	<b>844,207</b>
Maitland & Cessnock	0.96	1.15	113,058
Newcastle	2.84	3.30	404,438
Rural Hunter New England	0.80	0.99	210,828
Tamworth, Armidale & Taree	2.00	2.40	115,883
<b>North Coast</b>	<b>1.61</b>	<b>1.92</b>	<b>479,602</b>
Other North Coast	1.06	1.24	142,093
Port Macquarie & Coffs Harbour	1.87	2.18	139,428
Richmond Coast	2.35	2.74	115,126
Tweed	1.10	1.51	82,955
<b>Greater Southern</b>	<b>0.99</b>	<b>1.28</b>	<b>476,925</b>
Albury & Wagga	1.68	2.10	108,537
Queanbeyan & Goulburn	1.21	1.50	65,162
Rural Greater Southern	0.29	0.41	234,202
South Coast	2.07	2.71	69,024
<b>Greater Western</b>	<b>1.16</b>	<b>1.36</b>	<b>296,508</b>
Bathurst, Dubbo & Orange	2.14	2.47	108,754
Remote NSW	0.38	0.43	34,553
Rural Greater Western	0.63	0.78	153,201
<b>Total NSW Residents</b>	<b>2.45</b>	<b>2.94</b>	<b>6,816,818</b>

**Table MP5****Employment Last Week**

	Working NSW				All Respondents	
	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>%</i>
Working in Medicine	10,699	5,562	16,272	95.32	18,927	82.11
On Leave less than 3 months	327	192	519	3.04	628	2.72
On leave 3 months or more	73	194	267	1.56	338	1.47
Working overseas	0	0	0	0.00	1,189	5.16
Not working in Medicine	0	0	0	0.00	1,791	7.77
Total Responses	11,099	5,948	17,058	99.92	22,873	99.22
No response	8	5	13	0.08	179	0.78
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>23,052</b>	<b>100.00</b>

*Note: Gender was not provided for 11 respondents working in NSW*

**Table MP6****Place of Initial Qualification**

	Working NSW				All Respondents	
	Males	Females	Total	%	Total	%
<b>Australia</b>	<b>8,385</b>	<b>4,453</b>	<b>12,848</b>	<b>75.26</b>	<b>17,095</b>	<b>74.16</b>
<i>Of which</i>						
NSW	6,565	3,443	10,016	58.67	12,897	55.95
Victoria	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00
Queensland	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00
Western Australia	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00
South Australia	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00
Tasmania	0	0	0	0.00	0	0.00
NT	0	1	1	0.01	1	0.00
ACT	2	1	3	0.02	3	0.01
State unspecified	1,818	1,008	2,828	16.57	4,194	18.19
<b>Overeas</b>	<b>2,691</b>	<b>1,479</b>	<b>4,170</b>	<b>24.43</b>	<b>5,802</b>	<b>25.17</b>
<i>Of which</i>						
New Zealand	327	174	501	2.93	873	3.79
UK/Ireland	509	240	749	4.39	1,093	4.74
USA/Canada/South Africa	192	59	251	1.47	344	1.49
Indian Subcontinent	337	218	555	3.25	699	3.03
Other Specified Countries	464	264	728	4.26	961	4.17
Country Unspecified	862	524	1,386	8.12	1,832	7.95
Total Responses	11,076	5,932	17,018	99.69	22,897	99.33
No response	31	21	53	0.31	155	0.67
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>23,052</b>	<b>100.00</b>

Note: Gender was not provided for 11 respondents working in NSW

**Table MP7****Not Working in Medicine**

	<i>Males</i>	<i>Females</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>%</i>
Looking for work full time	65	25	90	2.18
Looking for work part time	71	48	119	2.88
About to start work	35	34	69	1.67
Retired	305	84	391	9.48
Not looking for work	1,560	841	2,401	58.21
Total Responses	2,036	1,032	3,070	74.42
No response	591	456	1,055	25.58
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,627</b>	<b>1,488</b>	<b>4,125</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP8**

**Not Used**

**Table MP9 Clinical Category**

	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>%</i>
General Practitioner	3,853	2,467	6,323	37.04
Hospital Non Specialist	830	823	1,653	9.68
Specialist	4,680	1,410	6,095	35.70
Specialist in Training	1,207	901	2,109	12.35
Other	417	295	714	4.18
Total Responses	10,987	5,896	16,894	98.96
No response	120	57	177	1.04
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>

*Note: Gender was not provided for 11 respondents working in NSW*

<b>Table MP10</b>		<b>Age Distribution - Main Job</b>					
<i>All Medical Practitioners</i>	Male		Female		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
20-24	4	0.04	4	0.07	0	8	0.05
25-29	453	4.08	526	8.84	0	979	5.73
30-34	925	8.33	835	14.03	1	1,761	10.32
35-39	1190	10.71	908	15.25	2	2,100	12.30
40-44	1333	12.00	943	15.84	1	2,277	13.34
45-49	1485	13.37	892	14.98	1	2,378	13.93
50-54	1528	13.76	807	13.56	3	2,338	13.70
55-59	1334	12.01	463	7.78	2	1,799	10.54
60-64	1184	10.66	312	5.24	0	1,496	8.76
65-69	750	6.75	127	2.13	0	877	5.14
70+	862	7.76	101	1.70	0	963	5.64
Total Responses	11,048	99.47	5,918	99.41	10	16,976	99.44
No response	59	0.53	35	0.59	1	95	0.56
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>

<b>Table MP10</b>		<b>Age Distribution - Main Job</b>					
<i>General Practitioners</i>	Male		Female		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
20-24	0	0.00	1	0.04	0	1	0.02
25-29	29	0.75	47	1.91	0	76	1.20
30-34	151	3.92	171	6.93	0	322	5.09
35-39	263	6.83	302	12.24	1	566	8.95
40-44	429	11.13	415	16.82	0	844	13.35
45-49	530	13.76	449	18.20	1	980	15.50
50-54	664	17.23	484	19.62	0	1,148	18.16
55-59	603	15.65	275	11.15	0	878	13.89
60-64	446	11.58	183	7.42	0	629	9.95
65-69	317	8.23	71	2.88	0	388	6.14
70+	400	10.38	53	2.15	0	453	7.16
Total Responses	3,832	99.45	2,451	99.35	2	6,285	99.40
No response	21	0.55	16	0.65	1	38	0.60
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3,853</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>2,467</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6,323</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP10****Age Distribution - Main Job**

<i>Hospital Non Specialists</i>	Male		Female		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
20-24	4	0.48	3	0.36	0	7	0.42
25-29	253	30.48	298	36.21	0	551	33.33
30-34	150	18.07	177	21.51	0	327	19.78
35-39	113	13.61	110	13.37	0	223	13.49
40-44	94	11.33	87	10.57	0	181	10.95
45-49	89	10.72	62	7.53	0	151	9.13
50-54	56	6.75	39	4.74	0	95	5.75
55-59	37	4.46	22	2.67	0	59	3.57
60-64	14	1.69	17	2.07	0	31	1.88
65-69	7	0.84	3	0.36	0	10	0.60
70+	9	1.08	1	0.12	0	10	0.60
Total Responses	826	99.52	819	99.51	0	1,645	99.52
No response	4	0.48	4	0.49	0	8	0.48
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,653</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP10****Age Distribution - Main Job**

<i>Specialists</i>	Male		Female		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
20-24	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
25-29	3	0.06	3	0.21	0	6	0.10
30-34	67	1.43	62	4.40	0	129	2.12
35-39	383	8.18	208	14.75	0	591	9.70
40-44	690	14.74	334	23.69	1	1,025	16.82
45-49	774	16.54	292	20.71	0	1,066	17.49
50-54	733	15.66	210	14.89	3	946	15.52
55-59	638	13.63	126	8.94	1	765	12.55
60-64	655	14.00	92	6.52	0	747	12.26
65-69	367	7.84	40	2.84	0	407	6.68
70+	346	7.39	34	2.41	0	380	6.23
Total Responses	4,656	99.49	1,401	99.36	5	6,062	99.46
No response	24	0.51	9	0.64	0	33	0.54
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,680</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6,095</b>	<b>100.00</b>

<b>Table MP10</b>		<b>Age Distribution - Main Job</b>					
<i>Specialists in Training</i>	Male		Female		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
20-24	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
25-29	146	12.10	153	16.98	0	299	14.18
30-34	519	43.00	382	42.40	1	902	42.77
35-39	387	32.06	245	27.19	0	632	29.97
40-44	84	6.96	56	6.22	0	140	6.64
45-49	41	3.40	37	4.11	0	78	3.70
50-54	13	1.08	17	1.89	0	30	1.42
55-59	4	0.33	8	0.89	0	12	0.57
60-64	3	0.25	1	0.11	0	4	0.19
65-69	7	0.58	0	0.00	0	7	0.33
70+	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Total Responses	1,204	99.75	899	99.78	1	2,104	99.76
No response	3	0.25	2	0.22	0	5	0.24
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,207</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,109</b>	<b>100.00</b>

<b>Table MP10</b>		<b>Age Distribution - Main Job</b>					
<i>Other Medical Practitioners</i>	Male		Female		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
20-24	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
25-29	19	4.56	22	7.46	0	41	5.74
30-34	30	7.19	28	9.49	0	58	8.12
35-39	32	7.67	38	12.88	1	71	9.94
40-44	23	5.52	44	14.92	0	67	9.38
45-49	37	8.87	46	15.59	0	83	11.62
50-54	45	10.79	48	16.27	0	93	13.03
55-59	39	9.35	27	9.15	1	67	9.38
60-64	56	13.43	17	5.76	0	73	10.22
65-69	41	9.83	13	4.41	0	54	7.56
70+	90	21.58	9	3.05	0	99	13.87
Total Responses	412	98.80	292	98.98	2	706	98.88
No response	5	1.20	3	1.02	0	8	1.12
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP11      Average Age by Clinical Capacity**

	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Total</i>
General Practitioner	53.9	47.9	51.6
Hospital Non Specialist	37.5	35.2	36.4
Specialist	53.1	47.5	51.8
Specialist in Training	34.9	34.4	34.7
Other	55.6	46.3	51.7
<b>All Capacities</b>	<b>50.34</b>	<b>43.88</b>	<b>48.09</b>

<b>Table MP12</b>		<b>Area Health Service of Work</b>					
<i>Main Job</i>	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Sydney South West	2,134	19.21	1,148	19.28	3	3,285	19.24
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	2,576	23.19	1,323	22.22	2	3,901	22.85
Sydney West	1,663	14.97	982	16.50	3	2,648	15.51
Northern Sydney Central Coast	1,826	16.44	1,186	19.92	1	3,013	17.65
Hunter New England	1,124	10.12	565	9.49	1	1,690	9.90
North Coast	644	5.80	242	4.07	0	886	5.19
Greater Southern	423	3.81	152	2.55	0	575	3.37
Greater Western	303	2.73	155	2.60	0	458	2.68
Total Responses	10,693	96.27	5,753	96.64	10	16,456	96.40
Main job outside NSW	167	1.50	33	0.55	0	200	1.17
No response	247	2.22	167	2.81	1	415	2.43
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>

<b>Table MP12</b>		<b>Area Health Service of Work</b>					
<i>Second Job (if applicable)</i>	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Sydney South West	765	6.89	317	5.33	1	1,083	6.34
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	873	7.86	304	5.11	1	1,178	6.90
Sydney West	597	5.37	269	4.52	2	868	5.08
Northern Sydney Central Coast	705	6.35	347	5.83	0	1,052	6.16
Hunter New England	378	3.40	140	2.35	1	519	3.04
North Coast	201	1.81	61	1.02	0	262	1.53
Greater Southern	122	1.10	51	0.86	0	173	1.01
Greater Western	95	0.86	35	0.59	0	130	0.76
Total Responses	3,736	33.64	1,524	25.60	5	5,265	30.84
Second job outside NSW	175	1.58	36	0.60	0	211	1.24
No response	7,196	64.79	4,393	73.79	6	11,595	67.92
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>

<b>Table MP12</b>		<b>Area Health Service of Work</b>					
<i>Third Job (if applicable)</i>	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Sydney South West	250	2.25	80	1.34	0	330	1.93
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	261	2.35	84	1.41	0	345	2.02
Sydney West	210	1.89	82	1.38	1	293	1.72
Northern Sydney Central Coast	307	2.76	96	1.61	1	404	2.37
Hunter New England	131	1.18	39	0.66	0	170	1.00
North Coast	58	0.52	13	0.22	0	71	0.42
Greater Southern	42	0.38	9	0.15	0	51	0.30
Greater Western	31	0.28	3	0.05	0	34	0.20
Total Responses	1,290	11.61	406	6.82	2	1,698	9.95
Third job outside NSW	52	0.47	12	0.20	0	64	0.37
No response	9,765	87.92	5,535	92.98	9	15,309	89.68
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>

### Table MP13 Number of Hours Worked Last Week

Main Job	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
1-9 hrs	446	4.02	330	5.54	0	776	4.55
10-19 hrs	834	7.51	878	14.75	1	1,713	10.03
20-29 hrs	1,316	11.85	1,150	19.32	4	2,470	14.47
30-39 hrs	1,644	14.80	962	16.16	0	2,606	15.27
40-49 hrs	3,135	28.23	1,454	24.42	1	4,590	26.89
50+ hrs	3,345	30.12	1,049	17.62	4	4,398	25.76
Total Responses	10,720	96.52	5,823	97.82	10	16,553	96.97
Main job outside NSW	167	1.50	33	0.55	0	200	1.17
No response	220	1.98	97	1.63	1	318	1.86
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17,071</b>	<b>100.00</b>
Total Hours in NSW	425,670		196,193		359	622,222	
Average Hours in NSW	40		34		36	38	
Total Hours outside NSW	5,282		898		0	6,180	

### Table MP13 Number of Hours Worked Last Week

Second Job (if applicable)	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
1-9 hrs	1,470	13.23	818	13.74	1	2,289	13.41
10-19 hrs	1,432	12.89	497	8.35	0	1,929	11.30
20-29 hrs	598	5.38	147	2.47	2	747	4.38
30-39 hrs	114	1.03	36	0.60	1	151	0.88
40-49 hrs	36	0.32	11	0.18	0	47	0.28
50+ hrs	11	0.10	4	0.07	0	15	0.09
Total Responses	3,661	32.96	1,513	25.42	4	5,178	30.33
Second job outside NSW	175	1.58	36	0.60	0	211	1.24
No response	7,271	65.46	4,403	73.98	7	11,681	68.43
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5,952</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17,070</b>	<b>100.00</b>
Total Hours in NSW	45,846		16,240		83	62,169	
Average Hours	13		11		21	12	
Total Hours outside NSW	2,346		478		0	2,824	

### Table MP13 Number of Hours Worked Last Week

Third Job (if applicable)	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
1-9 hrs	812	7.31	312	5.24	2	1,126	6.60
10-19 hrs	374	3.37	85	1.43	1	460	2.69
20-29 hrs	74	0.67	18	0.30	0	92	0.54
30-39 hrs	15	0.14	2	0.03	0	17	0.10
40-49 hrs	12	0.11	4	0.07	0	16	0.09
50+ hrs	9	0.08	1	0.02	0	10	0.06
Total Responses	1,296	11.67	422	7.09	3	1,721	10.08
Third job outside NSW	52	0.47	12	0.20	0	64	0.37
No response	9,758	87.86	5,519	92.71	8	15,285	89.54
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,106</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17,070</b>	<b>100.00</b>
Total Hours in NSW	12,342		3,573		22	15,937	
Average Hours	10		8		7	9	
Total Hours outside NSW	461		112		0	573	

**Table MP13** **Number of Hours Worked Last Week**

	Males	Females	Not Stated	Total
<i>All Jobs</i>	#	#	#	#
Total Hours in NSW	483,858	216,006	464	700,328
Average Hours in NSW	45	37	46	42
Total Hours outside NSW	8,089	1,488	0	9,577

## Table MP14 Full Time Equivalents

	Males	Females	Not stated	Total
Total Responses	11,107	5,953	11	17,071
Hours Worked	493,034	219,421	488	712,943
Average Hours	44.4	36.9	44.4	41.8
<i>All Medical Practitioners</i>				
Normal FTE (up to 40 hours)	9,970	4,776	8	14,753
Additional FTE (over 40 hours)	2,355	710	4	3,069
<b>Total FTE</b>	<b>12,326</b>	<b>5,486</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17,822</b>
<i>General Practitioners</i>				
Normal FTE (up to 40 hours)	3,481	1,833	3	5,316
Additional FTE (over 40 hours)	729	170	1	900
<b>Total FTE</b>	<b>4,210</b>	<b>2,003</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6,216</b>
<i>Hospital Non Specialists</i>				
Normal FTE (up to 40 hours)	788	732	0	1,521
Additional FTE (over 40 hours)	218	174	0	391
<b>Total FTE</b>	<b>1,006</b>	<b>906</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,912</b>
<i>Specialists</i>				
Normal FTE (up to 40 hours)	4,159	1,147	4	5,310
Additional FTE (over 40 hours)	996	149	2	1,146
<b>Total FTE</b>	<b>5,155</b>	<b>1,296</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6,457</b>
<i>Specialists in Training</i>				
Normal FTE (up to 38 hours)	1,169	823	1	1,993
Additional FTE (over 38 hours)	341	187	1	529
<b>Total FTE</b>	<b>1,511</b>	<b>1,009</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2,522</b>
<i>Other Medical Practitioners</i>				
Normal FTE (up to 38 hours)	301	204	0	505
Additional FTE (over 38 hours)	52	27	0	79
<b>Total FTE</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>584</b>
<i>Clinical Capacity Not Stated</i>				
Normal FTE (up to 38 hours)	72	37	0	109
Additional FTE (over 38 hours)	19	4	0	23
<b>Total FTE</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>132</b>

**Table MP15****Weeks of Scheduled Sessions**

	<i>Male</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Not Stated</i>	<i>Total</i>
Less than 40 weeks	830	581	2	1,413
40-47 weeks	3,615	1,609	1	5,225
48 weeks	2,453	1,270	4	3,727
More than 48 weeks	2,556	1,348	1	3,905
Total Responses	9,454	4,808	8	14,270
No response	1,653	1,145	3	2,801
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>11,107</b>	<b>5,953</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17,071</b>

**Table MP16****Hospital Non Specialist: Position**

	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Intern	33	3.98	41	4.98	0	74	4.48
RMO Year 1	182	21.93	260	31.59	0	442	26.74
RMO Year 2	95	11.45	119	14.46	0	214	12.95
RMO Year 3	72	8.67	105	12.76	0	177	10.71
CMO/HMO	295	35.54	180	21.87	0	475	28.74
Other hospital medical officer	105	12.65	85	10.33	0	190	11.49
Total Responses	782	94.22	790	95.99	0	1,572	95.10
No response	48	5.78	33	4.01	0	81	4.90
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,653</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP17****Hospital Non Specialist: GP Status**

	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
RACGP trainee	15	1.81	31	3.77	0	46	2.78
Recognised GP	63	7.59	45	5.47	0	108	6.53
Other GP	13	1.57	5	0.61	0	18	1.09
Other	557	67.11	515	62.58	0	1072	64.85
Total Responses	648	78.07	596	72.42	0	1244	75.26
No response	182	21.93	227	27.58	0	409	24.74
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,653</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP18****Hospital Non Specialist: Training**

	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Applied for specialist training	260	31.33	264	32.08	0	524	31.70
Not applied for specialist training	493	59.40	494	60.02	0	987	59.71
Total Responses	753	90.72	758	92.10	0	1,511	91.41
No response	77	9.28	65	7.90	0	142	8.59
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,653</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP19****General Practitioner: Special Interest**

<i>Special Interest Area</i>	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Aboriginal Health	30	1.94	70	6.65	0	100	3.84
Adolescent Health	2	0.13	12	1.14	0	14	0.54
Anaesthetics	117	7.55	11	1.04	0	128	4.91
Complementary Medicine	49	3.16	30	2.85	0	79	3.03
Cosmetic Medicine/Surgery	69	4.45	48	4.56	0	117	4.49
Drug & Alcohol	54	3.49	24	2.28	0	78	2.99
Emergency Medicine	34	2.19	21	1.99	0	55	2.11
General Medicine	29	1.87	18	1.71	0	47	1.80
Geriatrics	62	4.00	42	3.99	0	104	3.99
Men's Health	6	0.39	0	0.00	0	6	0.23
Mental Health	51	3.29	58	5.51	0	109	4.18
Obstetrics	37	2.39	19	1.80	0	56	2.15
Paediatrics	20	1.29	20	1.90	0	40	1.54
Sexual Health	22	1.42	31	2.94	0	53	2.03
Skin Cancer	255	16.46	51	4.84	2	308	11.82
Sports Medicine	18	1.16	7	0.66	0	25	0.96
Women's Health	9	0.58	177	16.81	0	186	7.14
Other Specified Interest	265	17.11	120	11.40	0	385	14.78
Total Responses	1129	72.89	759	72.08	2	1,890	72.55
No special interest stated	420	27.11	294	27.92	1	715	27.45
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,549</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1,053</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2,605</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP20      General Practitioner: Vocational Status**

	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Vocationally registered	3,081	79.96	1,858	75.31	2	4,941	78.14
RACGP trainee	159	4.13	212	8.59	0	371	5.87
Other	288	7.47	181	7.34	0	469	7.42
Total Responses	3,528	91.57	2,251	91.24	2	5,781	91.43
No response	325	8.43	216	8.76	1	542	8.57
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3,853</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>2,467</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6,323</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP21****General Practitioner: Locum Status**

	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Works as a locum	151	3.92	83	3.36	0	234	3.70
Works through a deputising service	52	1.35	39	1.58	0	91	1.44
Works as locum and deputising service	10	0.26	5	0.20	0	15	0.24
Does not undertake locum work	3,237	84.01	2,129	86.30	3	5,369	84.91
Total Responses	3,450	89.54	2,256	91.45	3	5,709	90.29
No response	403	10.46	211	8.55	0	614	9.71
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3,853</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>2,467</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6,323</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP22      General Practitioner: Number in Practice**

	Males		Females		Not Stated #	Total	
	#	%	#	%		#	%
Sole practitioner	937	24.32	290	11.76	2	1,229	19.44
Two practitioners	492	12.77	289	11.71	0	781	12.35
Three practitioners	354	9.19	232	9.40	0	586	9.27
Four practitioners	369	9.58	298	12.08	0	667	10.55
Five or more practitioners	1,389	36.05	1,161	47.06	1	2551	40.34
Total Responses	3,541	91.90	2,270	92.01	3	5,814	91.95
No response	312	8.10	197	7.99	0	509	8.05
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3,853</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>2,467</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6,323</b>	<b>100.00</b>

## Table MP23 Specialist: Consolidated Field of Practice

Main Area	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Internal Medicine	1185	25.32	371	26.31	1	1557	25.55
Pathology	180	3.85	95	6.74	1	276	4.53
Radiology	357	7.63	91	6.45	0	448	7.35
Surgery	1043	22.29	92	6.52	0	1135	18.62
Anaesthesia	519	11.09	174	12.34	0	693	11.37
Psychiatry	439	9.38	199	14.11	1	639	10.48
Obstetrics & Gynaecology	256	5.47	69	4.89	1	326	5.35
Emergency Medicine	106	2.26	40	2.84	0	146	2.40
Dermatology	73	1.56	46	3.26	0	119	1.95
Rehabilitation	61	1.30	31	2.20	0	92	1.51
Public Health	18	0.38	14	0.99	0	32	0.53
Occupational Medicine	37	0.79	9	0.64	0	46	0.75
Medical Administration	37	0.79	17	1.21	0	54	0.89
Other	103	2.20	43	3.05	0	146	2.40
Total Responses	4,414	94.32	1,291	91.56	4	5,709	93.67
No response	266	5.68	119	8.44	1	386	6.33
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,680</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6,095</b>	<b>100.00</b>

## Table MP23 Specialist: Consolidated Field of Practice

Second area (if applicable)	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Internal Medicine	435	9.29	117	8.30	0	552	9.06
Pathology	126	2.69	64	4.54	0	190	3.12
Radiology	18	0.38	4	0.28	0	22	0.36
Surgery	123	2.63	9	0.64	0	132	2.17
Anaesthesia	112	2.39	28	1.99	0	140	2.30
Psychiatry	14	0.30	5	0.35	0	19	0.31
Obstetrics & Gynaecology	13	0.28	11	0.78	1	25	0.41
Emergency Medicine	15	0.32	5	0.35	0	20	0.33
Dermatology	3	0.06	2	0.14	0	5	0.08
Rehabilitation	21	0.45	5	0.35	0	26	0.43
Public Health	21	0.45	6	0.43	0	27	0.44
Occupational Medicine	10	0.21	3	0.21	0	13	0.21
Medical Administration	54	1.15	11	0.78	0	65	1.07
Other	81	1.73	29	2.06	0	110	1.80
Total Responses	1046	22.35	299	21.21	1	1346	22.08
No response	3,634	77.65	1,111	78.79	4	4,749	77.92
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,680</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6,095</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP24****Specialist: Detailed Field of Practice**

Main Field	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Cardiology	198	4.23	17	1.21	1	216	3.54
Clinical genetics	9	0.19	18	1.28	0	27	0.44
Clinical haematology	46	0.98	18	1.28	0	64	1.05
Clinical immunology	29	0.62	7	0.50	0	36	0.59
Clinical pharmacology	3	0.06	1	0.07	0	4	0.07
Endocrinology	73	1.56	32	2.27	0	105	1.72
Gastroenterology	120	2.56	15	1.06	0	135	2.21
General Medicine	67	1.43	9	0.64	0	76	1.25
Geriatrics	60	1.28	32	2.27	0	92	1.51
Infectious diseases	21	0.45	11	0.78	0	32	0.53
Intensive care	53	1.13	12	0.85	0	65	1.07
Medical oncology	37	0.79	22	1.56	0	59	0.97
Neurology	93	1.99	17	1.21	0	110	1.80
Nuclear medicine	37	0.79	10	0.71	0	47	0.77
Paediatric medicine	174	3.72	92	6.52	0	266	4.36
Renal medicine	61	1.30	15	1.06	0	76	1.25
Rheumatology	43	0.92	20	1.42	0	63	1.03
Respiratory medicine	36	0.77	16	1.13	0	52	0.85
Thoracic medicine	25	0.53	7	0.50	0	32	0.53
General pathology	22	0.47	4	0.28	0	26	0.43
Anatomical pathology	103	2.20	59	4.18	1	163	2.67
Clinical chemistry	12	0.26	1	0.07	0	13	0.21
Cytopathology	3	0.06	4	0.28	0	7	0.11
Forensic pathology	8	0.17	3	0.21	0	11	0.18
Haematology	13	0.28	15	1.06	0	28	0.46
Immunology	4	0.09	0	0.00	0	4	0.07
Microbiology	15	0.32	9	0.64	0	24	0.39
Diagnostic radiology	320	6.84	80	5.67	0	400	6.56
Radiation oncology	37	0.79	11	0.78	0	48	0.79
General surgery	240	5.13	22	1.56	0	262	4.30
Cardiothoracic surgery	33	0.71	2	0.14	0	35	0.57
Neurosurgery	38	0.81	2	0.14	0	40	0.66
Ophthalmology	184	3.93	41	2.91	0	225	3.69
Oral/maxillo-facial surgery	10	0.21	0	0.00	0	10	0.16
Orthopaedic surgery	237	5.06	6	0.43	0	243	3.99
Otolaryngology	80	1.71	3	0.21	0	83	1.36
Paediatric surgery	16	0.34	4	0.28	0	20	0.33
Plastic/reconstructive surgery	57	1.22	4	0.28	0	61	1.00
Urology	65	1.39	2	0.14	0	67	1.10
Vascular surgery	43	0.92	2	0.14	0	45	0.74
Other surgery	40	0.85	4	0.28	0	44	0.72
Anaesthesia	461	9.85	150	10.64	0	611	10.02
Intensive care anaesthesia	27	0.58	6	0.43	0	33	0.54
Pain medicine	19	0.41	1	0.07	0	20	0.33
Palliative care	12	0.26	17	1.21	0	29	0.48
Psychiatry	439	9.38	199	14.11	1	639	10.48
Obstetrics and gynaecology	168	3.59	44	3.12	1	213	3.49
Obstetrics only	34	0.73	7	0.50	0	41	0.67
Gynaecology only	54	1.15	18	1.28	0	72	1.18

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Main Field	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Emergency medicine	106	2.26	40	2.84	0	146	2.40
Dermatology	73	1.56	46	3.26	0	119	1.95
Rehabilitation medicine	61	1.30	31	2.20	0	92	1.51
Public Health medicine	18	0.38	14	0.99	0	32	0.53
Occupational medicine	37	0.79	9	0.64	0	46	0.75
Medical administration	37	0.79	17	1.21	0	54	0.89
Other	103	2.20	43	3.05	0	146	2.40
Total Responses	4,414	94.32	1,291	91.56	4	5,709	93.67
No response	266	5.68	119	8.44	1	386	6.33
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,680</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6,095</b>	<b>100.00</b>

<b>Table MP24</b>		<b>Specialist: Detailed Field of Practice</b>					
Second area (if applicable)	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Cardiology	25	0.53	5	0.35	0	30	0.49
Clinical genetics	2	0.04	1	0.07	0	3	0.05
Clinical haematology	14	0.30	2	0.14	0	16	0.26
Clinical immunology	16	0.34	4	0.28	0	20	0.33
Clinical pharmacology	8	0.17	1	0.07	0	9	0.15
Endocrinology	22	0.47	8	0.57	0	30	0.49
Gastroenterology	15	0.32	5	0.35	0	20	0.33
General Medicine	152	3.25	32	2.27	0	184	3.02
Geriatrics	28	0.60	5	0.35	0	33	0.54
Infectious diseases	16	0.34	5	0.35	0	21	0.34
Intensive care	26	0.56	5	0.35	0	31	0.51
Medical oncology	10	0.21	6	0.43	0	16	0.26
Neurology	10	0.21	3	0.21	0	13	0.21
Nuclear medicine	5	0.11	1	0.07	0	6	0.10
Paediatric medicine	41	0.88	26	1.84	0	67	1.10
Renal medicine	5	0.11	2	0.14	0	7	0.11
Rheumatology	7	0.15	0	0.00	0	7	0.11
Respiratory medicine	23	0.49	3	0.21	0	26	0.43
Thoracic medicine	10	0.21	3	0.21	0	13	0.21
General pathology	16	0.34	3	0.21	0	19	0.31
Anatomical pathology	10	0.21	4	0.28	0	14	0.23
Clinical chemistry	5	0.11	1	0.07	0	6	0.10
Cytopathology	35	0.75	36	2.55	0	71	1.16
Forensic pathology	2	0.04	0	0.00	0	2	0.03
Haematology	32	0.68	13	0.92	0	45	0.74
Immunology	16	0.34	2	0.14	0	18	0.30
Microbiology	10	0.21	5	0.35	0	15	0.25
Diagnostic radiology	18	0.38	4	0.28	0	22	0.36
Radiation oncology	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
General surgery	23	0.49	3	0.21	0	26	0.43
Cardiothoracic surgery	3	0.06	0	0.00	0	3	0.05
Neurosurgery	6	0.13	0	0.00	0	6	0.10
Ophthalmology	3	0.06	1	0.07	0	4	0.07
Oral/maxillo-facial surgery	5	0.11	0	0.00	0	5	0.08

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<i>Second area (if applicable)</i>	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Orthopaedic surgery	10	0.21	0	0.00	0	10	0.16
Otolaryngology	2	0.04	0	0.00	0	2	0.03
Paediatric surgery	7	0.15	1	0.07	0	8	0.13
Plastic/reconstructive surgery	18	0.38	2	0.14	0	20	0.33
Urology	4	0.09	0	0.00	0	4	0.07
Vascular surgery	13	0.28	0	0.00	0	13	0.21
Other surgery	29	0.62	2	0.14	0	31	0.51
Anaesthesia	27	0.58	3	0.21	0	30	0.49
Intensive care anaesthesia	22	0.47	3	0.21	0	25	0.41
Pain medicine	57	1.22	19	1.35	0	76	1.25
Palliative care	6	0.13	3	0.21	0	9	0.15
Psychiatry	14	0.30	5	0.35	0	19	0.31
Obstetrics and gynaecology	4	0.09	5	0.35	0	9	0.15
Obstetrics only	5	0.11	3	0.21	0	8	0.13
Gynaecology only	4	0.09	3	0.21	1	8	0.13
Emergency medicine	15	0.32	5	0.35	0	20	0.33
Dermatology	3	0.06	2	0.14	0	5	0.08
Rehabilitation medicine	21	0.45	5	0.35	0	26	0.43
Public Health medicine	21	0.45	6	0.43	0	27	0.44
Occupational medicine	10	0.21	3	0.21	0	13	0.21
Medical administration	54	1.15	11	0.78	0	65	1.07
Other	81	1.73	29	2.06	0	110	1.80
Total Responses	1,046	22.35	299	21.21	1	1,346	22.08
No response	3,634	77.65	1,111	78.79	4	4,749	77.92
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4,680</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6,095</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP25 Specialist in Training: Expected Completion Year**

	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
2007	143	11.85	73	8.10	1	217	10.29
2008	199	16.49	135	14.98	0	334	15.84
2009	219	18.14	165	18.31	0	384	18.21
2010	207	17.15	171	18.98	0	378	17.92
2011	116	9.61	119	13.21	0	235	11.14
2012	67	5.55	75	8.32	0	142	6.73
After 2012	28	2.32	31	3.44	0	59	2.80
Total Responses	979	81.11	769	85.35	1	1,749	82.93
Invalid/ No response	228	18.89	132	14.65	0	360	17.07
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,207</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,109</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP26****Specialist in Training: Consolidated Field of Study**

<i>Main Area</i>	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Internal Medicine	268	22.20	249	27.64	0	517	24.51
Pathology	31	2.57	40	4.44	0	71	3.37
Radiology	84	6.96	59	6.55	0	143	6.78
Surgery	277	22.95	91	10.10	1	369	17.50
Anaesthesia	198	16.40	111	12.32	0	309	14.65
Psychiatry	99	8.20	105	11.65	0	204	9.67
Obstetrics & Gynaecology	53	4.39	61	6.77	0	114	5.41
Emergency Medicine	71	5.88	67	7.44	0	138	6.54
Dermatology	12	0.99	12	1.33	0	24	1.14
Rehabilitation	18	1.49	34	3.77	0	52	2.47
Public Health	3	0.25	5	0.55	0	8	0.38
Occupational Medicine	5	0.41	3	0.33	0	8	0.38
Medical Administration	6	0.50	3	0.33	0	9	0.43
Other	22	1.82	13	1.44	0	35	1.66
Total Responses	1,147	95.03	853	94.67	1	2,001	94.88
No response	60	4.97	48	5.33	0	108	5.12
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,207</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,109</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP27**

**Specialist in Training: Detailed Field of Study**

Main Field	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Cardiology	58	4.81	19	2.11	0	77	3.65
Clinical genetics	1	0.08	8	0.89	0	9	0.43
Clinical haematology	9	0.75	12	1.33	0	21	1.00
Clinical immunology	3	0.25	8	0.89	0	11	0.52
Clinical pharmacology	3	0.25	0	0.00	0	3	0.14
Endocrinology	13	1.08	20	2.22	0	33	1.56
Gastroenterology	20	1.66	11	1.22	0	31	1.47
General Medicine	20	1.66	26	2.89	0	46	2.18
Geriatrics	10	0.83	20	2.22	0	30	1.42
Infectious diseases	7	0.58	8	0.89	0	15	0.71
Intensive care	15	1.24	3	0.33	0	18	0.85
Medical oncology	12	0.99	17	1.89	0	29	1.38
Neurology	14	1.16	8	0.89	0	22	1.04
Nuclear medicine	5	0.41	1	0.11	0	6	0.28
Paediatric medicine	26	2.15	42	4.66	0	68	3.22
Renal medicine	27	2.24	34	3.77	0	61	2.89
Rheumatology	8	0.66	6	0.67	0	14	0.66
Respiratory medicine	10	0.83	3	0.33	0	13	0.62
Thoracic medicine	7	0.58	3	0.33	0	10	0.47
General pathology	0	0.00	2	0.22	0	2	0.09
Anatomical pathology	23	1.91	28	3.11	0	51	2.42
Clinical chemistry	0	0.00	2	0.22	0	2	0.09
Cytopathology	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Forensic pathology	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Haematology	3	0.25	3	0.33	0	6	0.28
Immunology	0	0.00	1	0.11	0	1	0.05
Microbiology	5	0.41	4	0.44	0	9	0.43
Diagnostic radiology	68	5.63	31	3.44	0	99	4.69
Radiation oncology	16	1.33	28	3.11	0	44	2.09
General surgery	86	7.13	35	3.88	0	121	5.74
Cardiothoracic surgery	12	0.99	0	0.00	0	12	0.57
Neurosurgery	14	1.16	4	0.44	0	18	0.85
Ophthalmology	25	2.07	21	2.33	0	46	2.18
Oral/maxillo-facial surgery	5	0.41	0	0.00	0	5	0.24
Orthopaedic surgery	75	6.21	5	0.55	1	81	3.84
Otolaryngology	9	0.75	4	0.44	0	13	0.62
Paediatric surgery	10	0.83	9	1.00	0	19	0.90
Plastic/reconstructive surgery	15	1.24	5	0.55	0	20	0.95
Urology	16	1.33	4	0.44	0	20	0.95
Vascular surgery	7	0.58	3	0.33	0	10	0.47
Other surgery	3	0.25	1	0.11	0	4	0.19
Anaesthesia	168	13.92	85	9.43	0	253	12.00
Intensive care anaesthesia	22	1.82	13	1.44	0	35	1.66
Pain medicine	5	0.41	2	0.22	0	7	0.33
Palliative care	3	0.25	11	1.22	0	14	0.66
Psychiatry	99	8.20	105	11.65	0	204	9.67
Obstetrics and gynaecology	49	4.06	59	6.55	0	108	5.12
Obstetrics only	4	0.33	2	0.22	0	6	0.28
Gynaecology only	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00
Emergency medicine	71	5.88	67	7.44	0	138	6.54
Dermatology	12	0.99	12	1.33	0	24	1.14

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<i>Main Field</i>	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
Rehabilitation medicine	18	1.49	34	3.77	0	52	2.47
Public Health medicine	3	0.25	5	0.55	0	8	0.38
Occupational medicine	5	0.41	3	0.33	0	8	0.38
Medical administration	6	0.50	3	0.33	0	9	0.43
Other	22	1.82	13	1.44	0	35	1.66
Total Responses	1,147	95.03	853	94.67	1	2,001	94.88
No response	60	4.97	48	5.33	0	108	5.12
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,207</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>901</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,109</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP28****Components of Hours Worked**

	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Main Job	430,952	87.41	39.51	197,091	89.82	33.48	628,402	88.14	37.39
Second Job	48,192	9.77	4.42	16,718	7.62	2.84	64,993	9.12	3.87
Third Job	12,803	2.60	1.17	3,685	1.68	0.63	16,510	2.32	0.98
Not stated	1,087	0.22	0.10	1,927	0.88	0.33	3,038	0.43	0.18
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>493,034</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>45.20</b>	<b>219,421</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37.27</b>	<b>712,943</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>42.42</b>
Clinical	427,268	86.66	39.17	191,381	87.22	32.51	619,059	86.83	36.84
Administration	21,820	4.43	2.00	8,146	3.71	1.38	29,999	4.21	1.79
Teaching	14,732	2.99	1.35	7,194	3.28	1.22	21,936	3.08	1.31
Research	12,434	2.52	1.14	5,567	2.54	0.95	18,001	2.52	1.07
Public Health	2,302	0.47	0.21	1,825	0.83	0.31	4,127	0.58	0.25
Occupational Health	2,753	0.56	0.25	735	0.33	0.12	3,488	0.49	0.21
Medico Legal	5,697	1.16	0.52	844	0.38	0.14	6,541	0.92	0.39
Other	4,506	0.91	0.41	3,389	1.54	0.58	7,895	1.11	0.47
Not known	1,522	0.31	0.14	340	0.15	0.06	1,897	0.27	0.11
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>493,034</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>45.20</b>	<b>219,421</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37.27</b>	<b>712,943</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>42.42</b>

<b>Table MP29 Settings of Work</b>									
<i>Public Sector</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Clinical Inpatient facility	153,883	84.61	14.11	86,767	84.06	14.74	240,787	84.41	14.33
Clinical Non inpatient facility	3,767	2.07	0.35	2,977	2.88	0.51	6,748	2.37	0.40
Mobile or aero service	831	0.46	0.08	401	0.39	0.07	1,232	0.43	0.07
Non Clinical Office	2,959	1.63	0.27	970	0.94	0.16	3,957	1.39	0.24
Aboriginal Health	796	0.44	0.07	803	0.78	0.14	1,599	0.56	0.10
Community Health	2,792	1.54	0.26	2,550	2.47	0.43	5,342	1.87	0.32
Other Medical Care facility	968	0.53	0.09	431	0.42	0.07	1,399	0.49	0.08
Laboratory	1,337	0.74	0.12	341	0.33	0.06	1,678	0.59	0.10
Defence Forces	2,157	1.19	0.20	680	0.66	0.12	2,837	0.99	0.17
Government Department	3,871	2.13	0.35	2,596	2.51	0.44	6,467	2.27	0.38
Educational Institution	5,417	2.98	0.50	3,549	3.44	0.60	8,966	3.14	0.53
Other	3,092	1.70	0.28	1,157	1.12	0.20	4,249	1.49	0.25
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>181,870</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>16.67</b>	<b>103,222</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>17.53</b>	<b>285,261</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>16.97</b>

<b>Table MP29 Settings of Work</b>									
<i>Private Sector</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Private Rooms	224,850	45.61	20.61	82,593	75.72	14.03	307,696	75.49	18.31
Medical Centre	8,551	1.73	0.78	3,861	3.54	0.66	12,412	3.04	0.74
Clinical Inpatient facility	41,918	8.50	3.84	12,101	11.09	2.06	54,049	13.26	3.22
Clinical Non inpatient facility	3,439	0.70	0.32	1,258	1.15	0.21	4,697	1.15	0.28
Mobile or aero service	84	0.02	0.01	33	0.03	0.01	117	0.03	0.01
Non Clinical Office	4,497	0.91	0.41	1,500	1.38	0.25	5,997	1.47	0.36
Aboriginal Health	590	0.12	0.05	465	0.43	0.08	1,055	0.26	0.06
Community Health	613	0.12	0.06	717	0.66	0.12	1,330	0.33	0.08
Other Medical Care facility	1,961	0.40	0.18	1,088	1.00	0.18	3,049	0.75	0.18
Laboratory	4,743	0.96	0.43	2,074	1.90	0.35	6,817	1.67	0.41
Industry	1,893	0.38	0.17	655	0.60	0.11	2,548	0.63	0.15
Educational Institution	2,562	0.52	0.23	1,364	1.25	0.23	3,926	0.96	0.23
Other	2,563	0.52	0.23	1,367	1.25	0.23	3,930	0.96	0.23
<b>Total Hours</b>	<b>298,264</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>27.34</b>	<b>109,076</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>18.53</b>	<b>407,623</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>24.26</b>

<b>Table MP29 Settings of Work</b>									
	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Specified Public Hours	181,870	36.89	16.67	103,222	47.04	17.53	285,261	40.01	16.97
Specified Private Hours	298,264	60.50	27.34	109,076	49.71	18.53	407,623	57.17	24.26
Unspecified Hours	12,900	2.62	1.18	7,123	3.25	1.21	20,059	2.81	1.19
<b>Total Reported Hours</b>	<b>493,034</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>45.20</b>	<b>219,421</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37.27</b>	<b>712,943</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>42.42</b>

## Table MP30 Clinical Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job

<i>All Medical Practitioners</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	83,540	19.55	41.83	38,064	19.89	35.67	121,770	19.67	39.70
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	96,584	22.61	41.22	41,088	21.47	34.38	137,742	22.25	38.91
Sydney West	66,078	15.47	42.14	33,056	17.27	36.01	99,229	16.03	39.88
Northern Sydney Central Coast	72,136	16.88	42.38	36,311	18.97	33.22	108,471	17.52	38.80
Hunter New England	44,136	10.33	42.03	18,654	9.75	35.53	62,845	10.15	39.88
North Coast	25,938	6.07	42.31	7,967	4.16	34.34	33,905	5.48	40.12
Greater Southern	17,569	4.11	44.70	5,100	2.66	35.66	22,669	3.66	42.29
Greater Western	13,340	3.12	47.14	6,088	3.18	40.59	19,428	3.14	44.87
Total Responses	419,321	98.14	42.15	186,328	97.36	35.00	606,059	97.90	39.66
No response/Interstate	7,947	1.86	30.33	5,053	2.64	36.09	13,000	2.10	32.34
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>427,268</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>41.84</b>	<b>191,381</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>35.03</b>	<b>619,059</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>39.47</b>

## Table MP30 Clinical Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job

<i>General Practitioners</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	33,865	21.47	42.54	13,054	17.43	31.38	47,025	20.20	38.74
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	29,130	18.47	39.85	13,964	18.64	29.27	43,094	18.51	35.67
Sydney West	23,056	14.62	42.15	12,596	16.81	33.50	35,652	15.32	38.58
Northern Sydney Central Coast	24,883	15.77	41.06	15,920	21.25	29.43	40,803	17.53	35.57
Hunter New England	17,369	11.01	41.85	8,372	11.18	31.24	25,741	11.06	37.69
North Coast	11,679	7.40	40.41	4,390	5.86	30.07	16,069	6.90	36.94
Greater Southern	9,779	6.20	45.91	2,919	3.90	31.73	12,698	5.46	41.63
Greater Western	6,436	4.08	48.03	2,819	3.76	35.24	9,255	3.98	43.25
Total Responses	156,197	99.02	41.86	74,034	98.83	30.90	230,337	98.96	37.58
No response/Interstate	1,547	0.98	29.75	880	1.17	25.14	2,427	1.04	27.90
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>157,744</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>41.70</b>	<b>74,914</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>30.82</b>	<b>232,764</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37.44</b>

**Table MP30 Clinical Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job**

<i>Hospital Non Specialists</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	7,057	18.80	45.53	6,915	20.47	42.42	13,972	19.59	43.94
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	7,784	20.73	43.01	7,697	22.78	43.00	15,481	21.70	43.00
Sydney West	6,734	17.94	46.44	5,473	16.20	42.43	12,207	17.11	44.55
Northern Sydney Central Coast	6,094	16.23	49.54	4,783	14.16	37.66	10,877	15.25	43.51
Hunter New England	4,306	11.47	45.81	4,267	12.63	42.67	8,573	12.02	44.19
North Coast	2,071	5.52	46.02	1,465	4.34	43.09	3,536	4.96	44.76
Greater Southern	1,386	3.69	47.79	553	1.64	36.87	1,939	2.72	44.07
Greater Western	1,037	2.76	45.09	1,165	3.45	48.54	2,202	3.09	46.85
Total Responses	36,469	97.13	45.87	32,318	95.66	41.92	68,787	96.43	43.93
No response/Interstate	1,076	2.87	37.10	1,467	4.34	47.32	2,543	3.57	42.38
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>37,545</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>45.56</b>	<b>33,785</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>42.13</b>	<b>71,330</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>43.87</b>

**Table MP30 Clinical Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job**

<i>Specialists</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	29,241	17.36	35.79	8,511	20.70	30.07	37,752	18.00	34.32
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	43,376	25.75	36.57	9,443	22.97	29.15	52,869	25.21	34.99
Sydney West	24,651	14.64	37.35	7,392	17.98	29.33	32,138	15.32	35.16
Northern Sydney Central Coast	33,385	19.82	38.96	9,087	22.10	29.70	42,472	20.25	36.52
Hunter New England	16,422	9.75	37.32	2,978	7.24	30.70	19,455	9.28	36.16
North Coast	9,115	5.41	40.15	1,093	2.66	32.15	10,208	4.87	39.11
Greater Southern	4,741	2.81	38.23	887	2.16	35.48	5,628	2.68	37.77
Greater Western	4,105	2.44	39.10	897	2.18	37.38	5,002	2.38	38.78
Total Responses	165,036	97.98	37.37	40,288	97.98	29.95	205,524	97.99	35.65
No response/Interstate	3,396	2.02	24.97	829	2.02	25.91	4,225	2.01	25.15
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>168,432</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37.00</b>	<b>41,117</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>29.86</b>	<b>209,749</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>35.35</b>

<b>Table MP30 Clinical Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job</b>									
<i>Specialists in Training</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	12,214	21.67	46.80	8,751	23.55	42.28	21,025	22.46	44.83
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	14,815	26.28	47.18	9,059	24.38	40.44	23,874	25.51	44.38
Sydney West	10,549	18.71	46.68	7,075	19.04	40.90	17,624	18.83	44.17
Northern Sydney Central Coast	6,759	11.99	49.34	5,700	15.34	42.22	12,459	13.31	45.81
Hunter New England	5,590	9.92	46.20	2,609	7.02	39.53	8,199	8.76	43.84
North Coast	2,531	4.49	46.02	894	2.41	44.70	3,425	3.66	45.67
Greater Southern	1,080	1.92	46.96	425	1.14	47.22	1,505	1.61	47.03
Greater Western	1,154	2.05	52.45	1,002	2.70	55.67	2,156	2.30	53.90
Total Responses	54,692	97.02	47.19	35,515	95.56	41.68	90,267	96.44	44.86
No response/Interstate	1,680	2.98	50.91	1,650	4.44	39.29	3,330	3.56	44.40
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>56,372</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>47.29</b>	<b>37,165</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>41.57</b>	<b>93,597</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>44.85</b>

<b>Table MP30 Clinical Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job</b>									
<i>Other Medical Practitioners</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	770	15.08	11.16	702	20.44	14.04	1,472	17.15	12.37
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	1,134	22.21	9.07	716	20.85	7.70	1,870	21.79	8.54
Sydney West	858	16.81	18.65	383	11.15	10.64	1,241	14.46	15.13
Northern Sydney Central Coast	691	13.54	10.16	562	16.37	10.41	1,277	14.88	10.38
Hunter New England	352	6.90	11.00	370	10.77	14.80	722	8.41	12.67
North Coast	288	5.64	24.00	125	3.64	31.25	413	4.81	25.81
Greater Southern	420	8.23	24.71	316	9.20	31.60	736	8.58	27.26
Greater Western	439	8.60	39.91	93	2.71	18.60	532	6.20	33.25
Total Responses	4,952	97.00	13.03	3,267	95.14	11.79	8,263	96.27	12.54
No response/Interstate	153	3.00	10.20	167	4.86	15.18	320	3.73	12.31
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>5,105</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>12.92</b>	<b>3,434</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11.92</b>	<b>8,583</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>12.53</b>

<b>Table MP31 Total Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job</b>									
<i>All Medical Practitioners</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	98,197	19.92	46.15	44,135	20.11	38.71	142,518	19.99	43.57
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	114,592	23.24	44.71	48,377	22.05	36.59	163,039	22.87	41.94
Sydney West	76,692	15.56	46.31	38,003	17.32	38.78	114,848	16.11	43.52
Northern Sydney Central Coast	81,866	16.60	45.11	41,506	18.92	35.06	123,396	17.31	41.13
Hunter New England	51,003	10.34	45.66	20,907	9.53	37.13	71,965	10.09	42.81
North Coast	28,290	5.74	44.20	8,693	3.96	36.07	36,983	5.19	41.98
Greater Southern	19,476	3.95	46.15	5,654	2.58	37.20	25,130	3.52	43.78
Greater Western	14,865	3.02	49.06	6,536	2.98	42.17	21,401	3.00	46.73
Total Responses	484,981	98.37	45.56	213,811	97.44	37.27	699,280	98.08	42.66
No response/Interstate	8,053	1.63	30.50	5,610	2.56	37.40	13,663	1.92	33.00
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>493,034</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>45.20</b>	<b>219,421</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37.27</b>	<b>712,943</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>42.42</b>

<b>Table MP31 Total Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job</b>									
<i>General Practitioners</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	36,124	21.45	44.93	14,292	17.84	33.71	50,522	20.32	41.07
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	31,281	18.57	42.50	15,049	18.79	31.03	46,330	18.63	37.94
Sydney West	24,660	14.64	44.27	13,311	16.62	35.21	37,991	15.28	40.59
Northern Sydney Central Coast	26,274	15.60	43.00	16,642	20.77	30.59	42,916	17.26	37.16
Hunter New England	18,756	11.14	44.66	8,895	11.10	32.82	27,651	11.12	40.02
North Coast	12,740	7.57	43.63	4,801	5.99	32.44	17,541	7.05	39.87
Greater Southern	10,254	6.09	47.25	3,249	4.06	35.32	13,503	5.43	43.70
Greater Western	6,799	4.04	49.99	2,953	3.69	36.91	9,752	3.92	45.15
Total Responses	166,888	99.10	44.23	79,192	98.86	32.70	246,206	99.02	39.72
No response/Interstate	1,518	0.90	30.36	915	1.14	26.14	2,433	0.98	28.62
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>168,406</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>44.05</b>	<b>80,107</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>32.60</b>	<b>248,639</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>39.57</b>

<b>Table MP31 Total Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job</b>									
<i>Hospital Non Specialists</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	7,796	19.37	50.30	7,619	21.02	45.62	15,415	20.15	47.87
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	8,513	21.15	46.77	8,207	22.65	45.34	16,720	21.86	46.06
Sydney West	7,077	17.59	48.14	5,940	16.39	44.33	13,017	17.02	46.32
Northern Sydney Central Coast	6,362	15.81	52.15	5,076	14.01	39.66	11,438	14.95	45.75
Hunter New England	4,395	10.92	46.76	4,457	12.30	44.57	8,852	11.57	45.63
North Coast	2,118	5.26	47.07	1,469	4.05	43.21	3,587	4.69	45.41
Greater Southern	1,599	3.97	55.14	682	1.88	45.47	2,281	2.98	51.84
Greater Western	1,167	2.90	50.74	1,120	3.09	46.67	2,287	2.99	48.66
Total Responses	39,027	96.98	48.97	34,570	95.39	44.15	73,597	96.23	46.58
No response/Interstate	1,216	3.02	40.53	1,671	4.61	50.64	2,887	3.77	45.83
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>40,243</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>48.66</b>	<b>36,241</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>44.41</b>	<b>76,484</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>46.55</b>

<b>Table MP31 Total Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job</b>									
<i>Specialists</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	37,689	18.28	45.68	10,724	20.69	37.63	48,413	18.75	43.62
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	54,184	26.28	45.61	12,024	23.19	36.88	66,258	25.66	43.73
Sydney West	31,064	15.07	46.64	9,705	18.72	38.06	40,902	15.84	44.31
Northern Sydney Central Coast	39,103	18.97	45.31	11,450	22.09	37.06	50,553	19.57	43.13
Hunter New England	20,464	9.93	46.30	3,803	7.34	38.81	24,322	9.42	44.96
North Coast	10,022	4.86	44.15	1,293	2.49	38.03	11,315	4.38	43.35
Greater Southern	5,494	2.66	43.26	904	1.74	36.16	6,398	2.48	42.09
Greater Western	4,875	2.36	45.99	1,000	1.93	41.67	5,875	2.27	45.19
Total Responses	202,895	98.41	45.66	50,903	98.19	37.54	254,036	98.36	43.77
No response/Interstate	3,288	1.59	25.10	936	1.81	31.20	4,224	1.64	26.24
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>206,183</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>45.07</b>	<b>51,839</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37.40</b>	<b>258,260</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>43.30</b>

<b>Table MP31 Total Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job</b>									
<i>Specialists in Training</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	13,250	21.93	50.38	9,521	23.59	45.77	22,851	22.65	48.41
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	15,584	25.79	49.63	9,902	24.53	44.21	25,486	25.27	47.37
Sydney West	11,509	19.05	50.48	7,770	19.25	44.91	19,279	19.11	48.08
Northern Sydney Central Coast	7,307	12.09	52.95	6,037	14.96	44.72	13,344	13.23	48.88
Hunter New England	6,044	10.00	49.95	2,957	7.33	44.13	9,001	8.92	47.88
North Coast	2,665	4.41	47.59	904	2.24	45.20	3,569	3.54	46.96
Greater Southern	1,195	1.98	51.96	428	1.06	47.56	1,623	1.61	50.72
Greater Western	1,246	2.06	56.64	1,076	2.67	59.78	2,322	2.30	58.05
Total Responses	58,800	97.31	50.47	38,595	95.61	45.19	97,475	96.63	48.25
No response/Interstate	1,628	2.69	47.88	1,771	4.39	43.20	3,399	3.37	45.32
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>60,428</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>50.40</b>	<b>40,366</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>45.10</b>	<b>100,874</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>48.15</b>

<b>Table MP31 Total Hours - Area Health Service of Main Job</b>									
<i>Other Medical Practitioners</i>	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Sydney South West	2,843	20.11	40.61	1,734	18.79	34.68	4,577	19.55	38.14
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	4,311	30.49	34.21	2,730	29.58	29.04	7,061	30.16	31.95
Sydney West	1,799	12.73	39.11	1,091	11.82	30.31	2,890	12.35	35.24
Northern Sydney Central Coast	2,338	16.54	33.88	1,883	20.41	34.87	4,245	18.13	34.23
Hunter New England	1,109	7.84	31.69	737	7.99	29.48	1,846	7.89	30.77
North Coast	419	2.96	32.23	226	2.45	45.20	645	2.76	35.83
Greater Southern	642	4.54	35.67	370	4.01	37.00	1,012	4.32	36.14
Greater Western	519	3.67	47.18	215	2.33	43.00	734	3.14	45.88
Total Responses	13,980	98.89	36.03	8,986	97.38	32.21	23,010	98.30	34.39
No response/Interstate	157	1.11	12.08	242	2.62	26.89	399	1.70	18.14
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>14,137</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>35.25</b>	<b>9,228</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>32.04</b>	<b>23,409</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>33.88</b>

**Table MP32 Clinical Hours - Specialist Field of Practice**

	Males			Females			Total		
	Hours	%	Average	Hours	%	Average	Hours	%	Average
Cardiology	8,538	5.07	44.70	512	1.25	34.13	9,100	4.34	43.96
Clinical genetics	268	0.16	29.78	451	1.10	25.06	719	0.34	26.63
Clinical haematology	1,634	0.97	37.14	652	1.59	36.22	2,286	1.09	36.87
Clinical immunology	1,000	0.59	35.71	190	0.46	27.14	1,190	0.57	34.00
Clinical pharmacology	50	0.03	16.67	25	0.06	25.00	75	0.04	18.75
Endocrinology	2,404	1.43	32.93	784	1.91	25.29	3,188	1.52	30.65
Gastroenterology	4,622	2.74	40.19	481	1.17	32.07	5,103	2.43	39.25
General Medicine	2,258	1.34	37.63	283	0.69	35.38	2,541	1.21	37.37
Geriatrics	2,047	1.22	34.69	828	2.01	28.55	2,875	1.37	32.67
Infectious Diseases	479	0.28	23.95	250	0.61	22.73	729	0.35	23.52
Intensive care	2,491	1.48	48.84	567	1.38	51.55	3,058	1.46	49.32
Medical oncology	1,341	0.80	36.24	790	1.92	35.91	2,131	1.02	36.12
Neurology	3,617	2.15	40.19	678	1.65	39.88	4,295	2.05	40.14
Nuclear medicine	1,393	0.83	38.69	355	0.86	35.50	1,748	0.83	38.00
Paediatric medicine	6,341	3.76	38.43	2,415	5.87	27.44	8,756	4.17	34.61
Renal medicine/ nephrology	2,148	1.28	36.41	382	0.93	29.38	2,530	1.21	35.14
Rheumatology	1,717	1.02	41.88	641	1.56	33.74	2,358	1.12	39.30
Respiratory Medicine	1,316	0.78	37.60	403	0.98	25.19	1,719	0.82	33.71
Thoracic medicine	875	0.52	36.46	227	0.55	32.43	1,102	0.53	35.55
General pathology	569	0.34	35.56	24	0.06	24.00	593	0.28	34.88
Anatomical pathology	3,636	2.16	37.88	1,618	3.94	33.71	5,304	2.53	36.58
Clinical chemistry	333	0.20	30.27	18	0.04	18.00	351	0.17	29.25
Cytopathology	98	0.06	49.00	120	0.29	40.00	218	0.10	43.60
Forensic pathology	179	0.11	44.75	77	0.19	38.50	256	0.12	42.67
Haematology	295	0.18	29.50	371	0.90	33.73	666	0.32	31.71
Immunology	134	0.08	33.50	0	0.00	0.00	134	0.06	33.50
Microbiology	625	0.37	44.64	239	0.58	29.88	864	0.41	39.27
Diagnostic radiology	11,518	6.84	39.72	2,319	5.64	32.66	13,837	6.60	38.33
Radiation oncology	1,371	0.81	38.08	421	1.02	38.27	1,792	0.85	38.13
General surgery	9,992	5.93	46.05	751	1.83	34.14	10,743	5.12	44.95
Cardiothoracic surgery	1,490	0.88	45.15	90	0.22	45.00	1,580	0.75	45.14
Neurosurgery	1,464	0.87	43.06	50	0.12	50.00	1,514	0.72	43.26
Ophthalmology	6,912	4.10	38.61	1,348	3.28	33.70	8,260	3.94	37.72
Oral/maxillo-facial surgery	443	0.26	44.30	0	0.00	0.00	443	0.21	44.30
Orthopaedic surgery	8,784	5.22	43.06	279	0.68	46.50	9,063	4.32	43.16
Otolaryngology	3,069	1.82	41.47	108	0.26	36.00	3,177	1.51	41.26
Paediatric surgery	631	0.37	42.07	112	0.27	37.33	743	0.35	41.28
Plastic/reconstructive surgery	2,371	1.41	42.34	175	0.43	43.75	2,546	1.21	42.43
Urology	2,836	1.68	46.49	88	0.21	44.00	2,924	1.39	46.41
Vascular surgery	1,902	1.13	44.23	104	0.25	52.00	2,006	0.96	44.58
Other surgery	1,468	0.87	38.63	189	0.46	47.25	1,657	0.79	39.45
Anaesthesia	17,474	10.37	39.36	4,796	11.66	32.85	22,270	10.62	37.75
Intensive care anaesthesia	1,124	0.67	44.96	262	0.64	43.67	1,386	0.66	44.71
Pain medicine	641	0.38	35.61	32	0.08	32.00	673	0.32	35.42
Palliative care	467	0.28	38.92	384	0.93	24.00	851	0.41	30.39
Psychiatry	13,526	8.03	32.99	5,420	13.18	27.94	18,946	9.03	31.37
Obstetrics & Gynaecology	7,078	4.20	43.96	1,913	4.65	43.48	9,036	4.31	43.86
Obstetrics only	1,280	0.76	38.79	192	0.47	27.43	1,472	0.70	36.80
Gynaecology only	1,793	1.06	36.59	635	1.54	37.35	2,428	1.16	36.79

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	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
Emergency Medicine	3,563	2.12	33.93	1,157	2.81	28.93	4,720	2.25	32.55
Dermatology	2,715	1.61	38.79	1,405	3.42	31.93	4,120	1.96	36.14
Rehabilitation	1,781	1.06	31.25	834	2.03	28.76	2,615	1.25	30.41
Public Health	42	0.02	42.00	24	0.06	12.00	66	0.03	22.00
Occupational Medicine	176	0.10	14.67	112	0.27	37.33	288	0.14	19.20
Medical Administration	377	0.22	26.93	10	0.02	10.00	387	0.18	25.80
Other	2,790	1.66	32.82	962	2.34	24.67	3,752	1.79	30.26
Total Responses	159,486	94.69	39.06	37,553	91.33	31.56	197,184	94.01	37.37
No response	8,946	5.31	38.07	3,564	8.67	33.00	12,565	5.99	36.53
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>168,432</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>39.01</b>	<b>41,117</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>31.68</b>	<b>209,749</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37.32</b>

## Table MP33 Clinical Hours - Specialist in Training Field of Study

	Males			Females			Total		
	Hours	%	Average	Hours	%	Average	Hours	%	Average
Cardiology	2,429	4.31	43.38	779	2.10	43.28	3,208	3.43	43.35
Clinical genetics	50	0.09	50.00	247	0.66	30.88	297	0.32	33.00
Clinical haematology	472	0.84	52.44	554	1.49	46.17	1,026	1.10	48.86
Clinical immunology	106	0.19	35.33	210	0.57	26.25	316	0.34	28.73
Clinical pharmacology	110	0.20	36.67	0	0.00	0.00	110	0.12	36.67
Endocrinology	546	0.97	42.00	742	2.00	39.05	1,288	1.38	40.25
Gastroenterology	910	1.61	45.50	525	1.41	47.73	1,435	1.53	46.29
General Medicine	922	1.64	48.53	1,261	3.39	48.50	2,183	2.33	48.51
Geriatrics	422	0.75	42.20	921	2.48	46.05	1,343	1.43	44.77
Infectious Diseases	318	0.56	45.43	395	1.06	49.38	713	0.76	47.53
Intensive care	709	1.26	54.54	164	0.44	54.67	873	0.93	54.56
Medical oncology	434	0.77	43.40	698	1.88	41.06	1,132	1.21	41.93
Neurology	662	1.17	47.29	333	0.90	41.63	995	1.06	45.23
Nuclear medicine	198	0.35	39.60	36	0.10	36.00	234	0.25	39.00
Paediatric medicine	1,084	1.92	43.36	1,714	4.61	40.81	2,798	2.99	41.76
Renal medicine/ nephrology	1,158	2.05	44.54	1,266	3.41	37.24	2,424	2.59	40.40
Rheumatology	340	0.60	42.50	157	0.42	31.40	497	0.53	38.23
Respiratory Medicine	449	0.80	44.90	133	0.36	44.33	582	0.62	44.77
Thoracic medicine	409	0.73	58.43	174	0.47	58.00	583	0.62	58.30
General pathology	0	0.00	0.00	70	0.19	70.00	70	0.07	70.00
Anatomical pathology	894	1.59	42.57	833	2.24	41.65	1,727	1.85	42.12
Clinical chemistry	0	0.00	0.00	44	0.12	22.00	44	0.05	22.00
Cytopathology	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
Forensic pathology	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
Haematology	149	0.26	49.67	96	0.26	32.00	245	0.26	40.83
Immunology	0	0.00	0.00	50	0.13	50.00	50	0.05	50.00
Microbiology	212	0.38	42.40	120	0.32	40.00	332	0.35	41.50
Diagnostic radiology	3,092	5.48	46.15	1,101	2.96	37.97	4,193	4.48	43.68
Radiation oncology	672	1.19	44.80	1,081	2.91	40.04	1,753	1.87	41.74
General surgery	4,839	8.58	57.61	1,861	5.01	56.39	6,700	7.16	57.26
Cardiothoracic surgery	678	1.20	56.50	0	0.00	0.00	678	0.72	56.50
Neurosurgery	841	1.49	64.69	230	0.62	57.50	1,071	1.14	63.00
Ophthalmology	1,168	2.07	46.72	764	2.06	36.38	1,932	2.06	42.00
Oral/maxillo-facial surgery	253	0.45	50.60	0	0.00	0.00	253	0.27	50.60
Orthopaedic surgery	4,069	7.22	54.99	278	0.75	55.60	4,407	4.71	55.09
Otolaryngology	465	0.82	51.67	192	0.52	48.00	657	0.70	50.54
Paediatric surgery	561	1.00	56.10	521	1.40	57.89	1,082	1.16	56.95
Plastic/reconstructive surgery	855	1.52	57.00	318	0.86	63.60	1,173	1.25	58.65
Urology	783	1.39	52.20	147	0.40	36.75	930	0.99	48.95
Vascular surgery	394	0.70	65.67	217	0.58	72.33	611	0.65	67.89
Other surgery	135	0.24	45.00	49	0.13	49.00	184	0.20	46.00
Anaesthesia	8,517	15.11	50.70	3,764	10.13	45.35	12,281	13.12	48.93
Intensive care anaesthesia	1,173	2.08	53.32	705	1.90	54.23	1,878	2.01	53.66
Pain medicine	206	0.37	41.20	40	0.11	40.00	246	0.26	41.00
Palliative care	160	0.28	53.33	406	1.09	36.91	566	0.60	40.43
Psychiatry	4,064	7.21	42.33	3,695	9.94	37.70	7,759	8.29	39.99

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	Males			Females			Total		
	Hours	%	Average	Hours	%	Average	Hours	%	Average
Obstetrics & Gynaecology	2,374	4.21	49.46	3,040	8.18	54.29	5,414	5.78	52.06
Obstetrics only	176	0.31	44.00	72	0.19	36.00	248	0.26	41.33
Gynaecology only	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00	0	0.00	0.00
Emergency Medicine	2,979	5.28	42.56	2,807	7.55	41.90	5,786	6.18	42.23
Dermatology	505	0.90	42.08	341	0.92	28.42	846	0.90	35.25
Rehabilitation	652	1.16	40.75	1,351	3.64	39.74	2,003	2.14	40.06
Public Health	30	0.05	30.00	48	0.13	24.00	78	0.08	26.00
Occupational Medicine	97	0.17	32.33	0	0.00	0.00	97	0.10	32.33
Medical Administration	98	0.17	24.50	4	0.01	4.00	102	0.11	20.40
Other	855	1.52	38.86	452	1.22	34.77	1,307	1.40	37.34
Total Responses	53,674	95.21	48.14	35,006	94.19	43.00	88,740	94.81	45.98
No response	2,698	4.79	48.18	2,159	5.81	46.93	4,857	5.19	47.62
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>56,372</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>48.14</b>	<b>37,165</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>43.22</b>	<b>93,597</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>46.06</b>

**Table MP34****VMO and Staff Specialist Hours**

	Males		Females		Not Stated	Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	#	%
VMO Hours - General Practitioners	15,295	9.92	6,224	12.97	2	21,521	10.63
VMO Hours - Specialists	63,145	40.95	10,916	22.75	118	74,179	36.65
Other VMO Hours	3,590	2.33	991	2.07	0	4,581	2.26
Staff Specialist Hours	72,153	46.80	29,855	62.22	94	102,102	50.45
<b>Total Hours Worked</b>	<b>154,183</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>47,986</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>202,383</b>	<b>100.00</b>

**Table MP35****Clinical Hours - Age Group**

	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
20-24	236	0.06	59.00	173	0.09	43.25	409	0.07	51.13
25-29	22,047	5.16	50.57	25,173	13.15	48.88	47,220	7.63	49.65
30-34	41,290	9.66	46.45	31,929	16.68	40.52	73,279	11.84	43.67
35-39	49,156	11.50	43.42	27,377	14.30	32.59	76,553	12.37	38.80
40-44	54,605	12.78	42.86	26,017	13.59	29.70	80,667	13.03	37.50
45-49	59,169	13.85	42.54	25,919	13.54	32.44	85,148	13.75	38.86
50-54	60,973	14.27	42.28	24,942	13.03	34.03	86,070	13.90	39.52
55-59	53,008	12.41	42.71	14,886	7.78	35.44	67,918	10.97	40.87
60-64	42,873	10.03	40.64	9,165	4.79	32.97	52,038	8.41	39.04
65-69	23,609	5.53	36.38	3,076	1.61	29.30	26,685	4.31	35.39
70+	18,427	4.31	28.26	1,828	0.96	24.05	20,255	3.27	27.82
Total Responses	425,393	99.56	41.85	190,485	99.53	35.05	616,242	99.54	39.48
No response	1,875	0.44	40.76	896	0.47	30.90	2,817	0.46	37.07
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>427,268</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>41.84</b>	<b>191,381</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>35.03</b>	<b>619,059</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>39.47</b>

**Table MP36****Total Hours - Age Group**

	Males			Females			Total		
	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>	<i>Hours</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Average</i>
20-24	236	0.05	59.00	173	0.08	43.25	409	0.06	51.13
25-29	23,405	4.75	51.78	26,017	11.86	49.65	49,422	6.93	50.64
30-34	44,475	9.02	48.50	34,430	15.69	41.63	78,985	11.08	45.26
35-39	55,042	11.16	46.65	31,216	14.23	34.68	86,298	12.10	41.45
40-44	61,916	12.56	47.19	30,536	13.92	32.69	92,515	12.98	41.17
45-49	68,607	13.92	46.99	31,463	14.34	35.79	100,130	14.04	42.79
50-54	71,437	14.49	47.62	29,935	13.64	37.47	101,547	14.24	44.11
55-59	62,104	12.60	47.23	17,407	7.93	38.09	79,535	11.16	44.86
60-64	51,414	10.43	44.44	10,958	4.99	35.46	62,372	8.75	42.55
65-69	28,825	5.85	39.32	3,761	1.71	30.33	32,586	4.57	38.02
70+	23,199	4.71	28.15	2,364	1.08	24.63	25,563	3.59	27.79
Total Responses	490,660	99.52	45.21	218,260	99.47	37.29	709,362	99.50	42.44
No response	2,374	0.48	43.96	1,161	0.53	34.15	3,581	0.50	40.24
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>493,034</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>45.20</b>	<b>219,421</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37.27</b>	<b>712,943</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>42.42</b>

<b>Table MP37</b>		<b>NSW Hours Reported in Each Location</b>							
<i>All Medical Practitioners</i>	First Job		Second Job		Third Job		All Stated Jobs		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Sydney South West	124,262	19.77	13,006	20.01	2,616	15.84	139,884	19.70	
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	143,184	22.79	13,426	20.66	2,863	17.34	159,473	22.46	
Sydney West	100,418	15.98	9,713	14.94	2,324	14.08	112,455	15.84	
Northern Sydney Central Coast	106,686	16.98	11,737	18.06	3,377	20.45	121,800	17.16	
Hunter New England	64,331	10.24	5,942	9.14	1,704	10.32	71,977	10.14	
North Coast	33,717	5.37	3,039	4.68	531	3.22	37,287	5.25	
Greater Southern	23,479	3.74	1,935	2.98	390	2.36	25,804	3.63	
Greater Western	20,075	3.19	1,532	2.36	421	2.55	22,028	3.10	
Total Responses	616,152	98.05	60,330	92.83	14,226	86.17	690,708	97.30	
No response/Interstate	12,250	1.95	4,663	7.17	2,284	13.83	19,197	2.70	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>628,402</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>64,993</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>16,510</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>709,905</b>	<b>100.00</b>	

<b>Table MP37</b>		<b>NSW Hours Reported in Each Location</b>							
<i>General Practitioners</i>	First Job		Second Job		Third Job		All Stated Jobs		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Sydney South West	45,924	20.26	3,565	19.78	441	13.86	49,930	20.14	
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	41,828	18.45	3,404	18.89	421	13.23	45,653	18.41	
Sydney West	34,408	15.18	2,709	15.03	448	14.08	37,565	15.15	
Northern Sydney Central Coast	39,348	17.36	2,869	15.92	468	14.71	42,685	17.22	
Hunter New England	25,466	11.23	1,909	10.59	522	16.40	27,897	11.25	
North Coast	15,817	6.98	1,279	7.10	165	5.19	17,261	6.96	
Greater Southern	12,508	5.52	896	4.97	141	4.43	13,545	5.46	
Greater Western	9,264	4.09	516	2.86	19	0.60	9,799	3.95	
Total Responses	224,563	99.05	17,147	95.13	2,625	82.50	244,335	98.55	
No response/Interstate	2,158	0.95	877	4.87	557	17.50	3,592	1.45	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>226,721</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>18,024</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3,182</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>247,927</b>	<b>100.00</b>	

<b>Table MP37</b>		<b>NSW Hours Reported in Each Location</b>							
<i>Hospital Non Specialists</i>	First Job		Second Job		Third Job		All Stated Jobs		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Sydney South West	14,632	20.29	538	16.44	42	8.30	15,212	20.05	
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	15,881	22.02	684	20.90	141	27.87	16,706	22.01	
Sydney West	12,144	16.84	534	16.32	135	26.68	12,813	16.88	
Northern Sydney Central Coast	11,007	15.26	495	15.13	80	15.81	11,582	15.26	
Hunter New England	8,447	11.71	275	8.40	77	15.22	8,799	11.60	
North Coast	3,413	4.73	108	3.30	3	0.59	3,524	4.64	
Greater Southern	2,067	2.87	224	6.85	8	1.58	2,299	3.03	
Greater Western	2,239	3.11	52	1.59	0	0.00	2,291	3.02	
Total Responses	69,830	96.84	2,910	88.94	486	96.05	73,226	96.50	
No response/Interstate	2,277	3.16	362	11.06	20	3.95	2,659	3.50	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>72,107</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>3,272</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>75,885</b>	<b>100.00</b>	

<b>Table MP37</b>		<b>NSW Hours Reported in Each Location</b>							
<i>Specialists</i>	First Job		Second Job		Third Job		All Stated Jobs		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Sydney South West	37,287	17.85	7,746	20.77	1,920	16.92	46,953	18.23	
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	53,831	25.77	7,928	21.25	2,034	17.93	63,793	24.77	
Sydney West	32,486	15.55	5,598	15.01	1,546	13.62	39,630	15.39	
Northern Sydney Central Coast	39,275	18.80	7,327	19.64	2,600	22.91	49,202	19.10	
Hunter New England	19,955	9.55	3,247	8.70	971	8.56	24,173	9.39	
North Coast	10,174	4.87	1,391	3.73	308	2.71	11,873	4.61	
Greater Southern	6,033	2.89	606	1.62	219	1.93	6,858	2.66	
Greater Western	5,267	2.52	829	2.22	355	3.13	6,451	2.50	
Total Responses	204,308	97.79	34,672	92.95	9,953	87.71	248,933	96.65	
No response/Interstate	4,610	2.21	2,630	7.05	1,394	12.29	8,634	3.35	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>208,918</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>37,302</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>11,347</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>257,567</b>	<b>100.00</b>	

<b>Table MP37</b>		<b>NSW Hours Reported in Each Location</b>							
<i>Specialists in Training</i>	First Job		Second Job		Third Job		All Stated Jobs		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Sydney South West	21,666	22.89	765	18.71	119	13.33	22,550	22.64	
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	23,974	25.33	954	23.33	199	22.28	25,127	25.22	
Sydney West	18,165	19.19	649	15.87	126	14.11	18,940	19.01	
Northern Sydney Central Coast	12,471	13.18	567	13.87	104	11.65	13,142	13.19	
Hunter New England	8,656	9.15	280	6.85	70	7.84	9,006	9.04	
North Coast	3,434	3.63	170	4.16	35	3.92	3,639	3.65	
Greater Southern	1,586	1.68	104	2.54	6	0.67	1,696	1.70	
Greater Western	2,210	2.34	87	2.13	38	4.26	2,335	2.34	
Total Responses	92,162	97.38	3,576	87.45	697	78.05	96,435	96.80	
No response/Interstate	2,475	2.62	513	12.55	196	21.95	3,184	3.20	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>94,637</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>4,089</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>893</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>99,619</b>	<b>100.00</b>	

<b>Table MP37</b>		<b>NSW Hours Reported in Each Location</b>							
<i>Other Medical Practitioners</i>	First Job		Second Job		Third Job		All Stated Jobs		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
Sydney South West	4,033	19.05	370	18.45	90	18.63	4,493	18.99	
South Eastern Sydney Illawarra	6,505	30.73	413	20.60	68	14.08	6,986	29.53	
Sydney West	2,548	12.04	160	7.98	49	10.14	2,757	11.65	
Northern Sydney Central Coast	3,701	17.48	443	22.09	125	25.88	4,269	18.05	
Hunter New England	1,565	7.39	191	9.53	64	13.25	1,820	7.69	
North Coast	633	2.99	50	2.49	10	2.07	693	2.93	
Greater Southern	1,004	4.74	105	5.24	8	1.66	1,117	4.72	
Greater Western	664	3.14	48	2.39	6	1.24	718	3.04	
Total Responses	20,653	97.56	1,780	88.78	420	86.96	22,853	96.60	
No response/Interstate	516	2.44	225	11.22	63	13.04	804	3.40	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>21,169</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>2,005</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>23,657</b>	<b>100.00</b>	