

## 9A Functional and resilient families and communities — attachment

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	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
<i>NSW (b), (c)</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	1 826	2 070	1 992	2 265	na	2 113	2 409
Non-Indigenous	5 835	6 035	6 237	6 710	na	6 507	6 804
All children	7 661	8 105	8 229	8 975	na	8 620	9 213
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–17 years							
Indigenous	30.0	33.5	31.9	35.9	na	33.0	37.2
Non-Indigenous	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.3	na	4.3	4.5
All children	4.8	5.1	5.1	5.6	na	5.4	5.8
<i>Victoria</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	448	512	510	534	574	682	740
Non-Indigenous	4 304	4 270	4 465	4 504	4 677	4 976	5 244
All children	4 752	4 782	4 975	5 038	5 251	5 658	5 984
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–17 years							
Indigenous	41.4	41.1	40.5	42.0	44.7	52.8	56.4
Non-Indigenous	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.6
All children	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.5	4.9	5.1
<i>Queensland</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	856	803	880	953	1 146	1 342	1 667
Non-Indigenous	2 756	2 770	2 885	3 154	3 804	4 515	4 779
All children	3 612	3 573	3 765	4 107	4 950	5 857	6 446
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–17 years							
Indigenous	15.1	13.9	15.0	16.0	18.9	21.9	26.7
Non-Indigenous	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.6	4.2	5.0	5.2
All children	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.3	5.2	6.0	6.5
<i>WA (d)</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	327	424	468	509	583	660	798
Non-Indigenous	778	896	916	961	1 056	1 123	1 248
All children	1 105	1 320	1 384	1 470	1 639	1 783	2 046
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–17 years							
Indigenous	11.2	14.4	15.7	16.9	19.2	21.6	25.8
Non-Indigenous	1.7	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.7
All children	2.3	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.4	3.7	4.2

Table 9A.1.1 **Children aged 0–17 years on care and protection orders at 30 June (a)**

	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
<b>SA</b>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	174	221	233	261	275	322	378
Non-Indigenous	769	1 039	1 053	1 117	1 180	1 231	1 293
All children	943	1 260	1 286	1 378	1 455	1 553	1 671
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–17 years							
Indigenous	15.5	19.5	20.2	22.5	23.5	27.3	31.8
Non-Indigenous	2.2	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.5	3.7	3.9
All children	2.7	3.6	3.6	3.9	4.2	4.5	4.8
<b>Tasmania (e)</b>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	31	27	23	59	83	94	125
Non-Indigenous	439	426	440	541	551	622	708
All children	470	453	463	600	634	716	833
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–17 years							
Indigenous	3.9	3.4	2.8	7.3	10.2	11.5	15.2
Non-Indigenous	3.9	3.8	4.0	4.9	5.0	5.7	6.5
All children	3.9	3.8	3.9	5.1	5.4	6.1	7.1
<b>ACT</b>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	40	32	32	48	53	70	100
Non-Indigenous	192	187	229	240	300	394	458
All children	232	219	261	288	353	464	558
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–17 years							
Indigenous	23.3	18.4	18.0	26.5	28.7	37.4	53.3
Non-Indigenous	2.5	2.5	2.9	3.2	4.0	5.3	6.2
All children	3.0	2.8	3.3	3.7	4.6	6.1	7.4
<b>NT</b>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	118	126	126	174	230	281	303
Non-Indigenous	102	79	68	100	115	133	134
All children	220	205	194	274	345	414	437
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–17 years							
Indigenous	5.0	5.3	5.2	7.2	9.4	11.4	12.2
Non-Indigenous	2.8	2.2	1.9	2.8	3.3	3.8	3.8
All children	3.7	3.4	3.2	4.6	5.8	7.0	7.3



Table 9A.1.1 **Children aged 0–17 years on care and protection orders at 30 June (a)**

	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03	2003-04	2004-05	2005-06
<i>Australia</i>							
Number of children							
Indigenous	3 806	4 146	4 264	4 803	2 944	5 564	6 520
Non-Indigenous	15 099	15 637	16 293	17 327	11 683	19 501	20 668
All children	18 905	19 783	20 557	22 130	14 627	25 065	27 188
Rate per 1000 children aged 0–17 years							
Indigenous	19.9	21.6	22.1	23.1	19.6	25.8	29.9
Non-Indigenous	3.3	3.4	3.6	3.8	3.8	4.3	4.5
All children	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.6	4.6	5.2	5.6

- (a) Rates of children on care and protection orders were calculated as the number of children aged 0–17 years (including those whose age was not stated) who were on a care and protection order at 30 June, divided by the estimated population aged 0–17 at 31 March, multiplied by 1000.
- (b) Data from 2002-03 should not be compared to previous years. NSW implemented a modification to the data system to support legislation and associated practice changes during 2002-03 which would make any comparison inaccurate.
- (c) In 2003-04, NSW was able to provide limited data due to ongoing implementation of a new reporting system.
- (d) Implementation of the Children and Community Services Act 2004 in March 2006 required the legal status of children in care to be reviewed and Protection Orders were sought for a number of children already in care but not under care and protection orders.
- (e) Care should be taken in interpreting the rates for Indigenous children due to the relatively small size of the Indigenous population.

**na** Not available.

*Source:* AIHW, *Children on Care and Protection Orders, Australia* data collection (unpublished).

Table 9A.1.2 Children aged 0–17 years on care and protection orders at 30 June 2006 (a)

	Number of children			Rate per 1 000 children		Rate ratio
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	
NSW	2 409	6 804	9 213	37.2	4.5	8.3
Victoria	740	5 244	5 984	56.4	4.6	12.4
Queensland	1 667	4 779	6 446	26.7	5.2	5.2
WA	798	1 248	2 046	25.8	2.7	9.5
SA	378	1 293	1 671	31.8	3.9	8.2
Tasmania	125	708	833	15.2	6.5	2.3
ACT	100	458	558	53.3	6.2	8.6
NT	303	134	437	12.2	3.8	3.2
Australia	6 520	20 668	27 188	29.9	4.5	6.7

(a) See notes to table 9A.1.1 for how these data were defined and collected.

Source: AIHW, *Children on Care and Protection Orders, Australia* data collection (unpublished).

Table 9A.1.3 Children aged 0–17 years on care and protection orders at 30 June 2005 (a)

	Number of children		Rate per 1 000 children		Rate ratio	
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous/Non-Indigenous
NSW	2 113	6 507	8 620	33.0	4.3	5.4
Victoria	682	4 976	5 658	52.8	4.3	4.9
Queensland	1 342	4 515	5 857	21.9	5.0	6.0
WA	660	1 123	1 783	21.6	2.5	3.7
SA	322	1 231	1 553	27.3	3.7	4.5
Tasmania	94	622	716	11.5	5.7	6.1
ACT	70	394	464	37.4	5.3	6.1
NT	281	133	414	11.4	3.8	7.0
Australia	5 564	19 501	25 065	25.8	4.3	5.2

(a) See notes to table 9A.1.1 for how these data were defined and collected.

Source: AIHW, *Children on Care and Protection Orders, Australia* data collection (unpublished).

Table 9A.1.4 Children aged 0–17 years on care and protection orders at 30 June 2004 (a)

	Number of children			Rate per 1 000 children			Rate ratio
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Total	
NSW (b)	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Victoria	574	4 677	5 251	44.7	4.1	4.5	10.9
Queensland	1 146	3 804	4 950	18.9	4.2	5.2	4.5
WA	583	1 056	1 639	19.2	2.3	3.4	8.3
SA	275	1 180	1 455	23.5	3.5	4.2	6.7
Tasmania	83	551	634	10.2	5.0	5.4	2.0
ACT	53	300	353	28.7	4.0	4.6	7.2
NT	230	115	345	9.4	3.3	5.8	2.8
Australia (c)	2 944	11 683	14 627	19.6	3.8	4.6	5.1

(a) See notes to table 9A.1.1 for how these data were defined and collected.

(b) In 2003-04, NSW was unable to provide full data due to ongoing implementation of a new reporting system.

(c) Total excludes NSW.

**na** Not available.

Source: AIHW, *Children on Care and Protection Orders, Australia* data collection (unpublished).

Table 9A.1.5 Indigenous children in out-of-home care by relationship of caregiver, 30 June 2006 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld (b)	WA (c)	SA	Tas	ACT	NT (d), (e)	Aust
Number of Indigenous children at 30 June										
Placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care										
Indigenous relative/kin	no.	1 669	152	379	394	109	10	28	90	2 831
Non-Indigenous relative/kin	no.	282	80	142	64	28	8	11	na	615
<b>Total placed with relative/kin</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>1 951</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>3 446</b>
Other Indigenous carer	no.	512	102	400	143	138	13	17	67	1 392
Indigenous residential care	no.	9	21	9	18	—	—	1	—	58
<b>Total placed with other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1 450</b>
<b>Total children</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>2 472</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>930</b>	<b>619</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>4 896</b>
Not placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care										
Other non-Indigenous carers	no.	374	166	538	92	62	55	18	87	1 392
In non-Indigenous residential care	no.	43	27	28	45	22	7	6	—	178
<b>Total children</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>1 570</b>
Independent living/unknown	no.	8	4	—	10	—	5	1	3	31
<b>Total Indigenous children in care</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>2 897</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>1 496</b>	<b>766</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>6 497</b>
As a proportion of all Indigenous children in out-of-home care at 30 June										
Placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care										
Indigenous relative/kin	%	57.8	27.7	25.3	52.1	30.4	10.8	34.6	36.9	43.8
Non-Indigenous relative/kin	%	9.8	14.6	9.5	8.5	7.8	8.6	13.6	na	9.5
<b>Total placed with relative/kin</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>67.5</b>	<b>42.3</b>	<b>34.8</b>	<b>60.6</b>	<b>38.2</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>48.1</b>	<b>36.9</b>	<b>53.3</b>
Other Indigenous carer	%	17.7	18.6	26.7	18.9	38.4	14.0	21.0	27.5	21.5
Indigenous residential care	%	0.3	3.8	0.6	2.4	—	—	1.2	—	0.9
<b>Total placed with other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>22.4</b>	<b>27.3</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>38.4</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>22.2</b>	<b>27.5</b>	<b>22.4</b>
<b>Total children</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>85.6</b>	<b>64.8</b>	<b>62.2</b>	<b>81.9</b>	<b>76.6</b>	<b>33.3</b>	<b>70.4</b>	<b>64.3</b>	<b>75.7</b>

Table 9A.1.5 Indigenous children in out-of-home care by relationship of caregiver, 30 June 2006 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld (b)	WA (c)	SA	Tas	ACT	NT (d), (e)	Aust
Not placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care										
Other non-Indigenous carer	%	12.9	30.3	36.0	12.2	17.3	59.1	22.2	35.7	21.5
In non-Indigenous residential care	%	1.5	4.9	1.9	6.0	6.1	7.5	7.4	–	2.8
<b>Total children</b>	%	<b>14.4</b>	<b>35.2</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>18.1</b>	<b>23.4</b>	<b>66.7</b>	<b>29.6</b>	<b>35.7</b>	<b>24.3</b>
<b>Total Indigenous children in care</b>	%	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) The denominator for calculating the percentage of children placed in accordance with the principle excludes Indigenous children living independently and those whose living arrangements were unknown.

(b) There may be some children in the category residential care/independent living who had Indigenous caregivers in facility-based care.

(c) Children in residential care with Indigenous caregivers were included in the category 'other Indigenous carer'.

(d) The definition of 'relative/kin' used in this table is broader than the definition used in other tables because it includes kin relationships based on customary law.

(e) Data on the relationship of the caregiver to children placed with non-Indigenous carers could not be provided and these children were included in the category 'other non-Indigenous carer'.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW, *Children in Out-of-Home Care, Australia* data collection (unpublished).

Table 9A.1.6

Table 9A.1.6 Indigenous children in out-of-home care by relationship of caregiver, 30 June 2005 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld (b)	WA (c)	SA	Tas	ACT	NT (d), (e)	Aust
Number of Indigenous children at 30 June										
Placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care										
Indigenous relative/kin	no.	1 485	133	343	345	70	8	19	79	2 482
Non-Indigenous relative/kin	no.	266	71	115	55	12	11	3	na	533
<b>Total placed with relative/kin</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>1 751</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>3 015</b>
Other Indigenous carer	no.	443	77	366	143	136	1	14	71	1 251
Indigenous residential care	no.	7	11	2	25	–	–	2	–	47
<b>Total placed with other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>1 298</b>
<b>Total children</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>2 201</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>826</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>4 313</b>
Not placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care										
Other non-Indigenous carers	no.	291	181	444	77	64	54	14	68	1 193
In non-Indigenous residential care	no.	42	24	5	38	4	–	6	–	119
<b>Total children</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>1 312</b>
Independent living/unknown	no.	9	29	–	9	–	4	2	–	53
<b>Total Indigenous children in care</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>2 543</b>	<b>526</b>	<b>1 275</b>	<b>692</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>5 678</b>
As a proportion of all Indigenous children in out-of-home care at 30 June										
Placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care										
Indigenous relative/kin	%	58.6	26.8	26.9	50.5	24.5	10.8	32.8	36.2	44.1
Non-Indigenous relative/kin	%	10.5	14.3	9.0	8.1	4.2	14.9	5.2	na	9.5
<b>Total placed with relative/kin</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>69.1</b>	<b>41.0</b>	<b>35.9</b>	<b>58.6</b>	<b>28.7</b>	<b>25.7</b>	<b>37.9</b>	<b>36.2</b>	<b>53.6</b>
Other Indigenous carer	%	17.5	15.5	28.7	20.9	47.6	1.4	24.1	32.6	22.2
Indigenous residential care	%	0.3	2.2	0.2	3.7	–	–	3.4	–	0.8
<b>Total placed with other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>17.8</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>28.9</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>47.6</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>27.6</b>	<b>32.6</b>	<b>23.1</b>
<b>Total children</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>86.9</b>	<b>58.8</b>	<b>64.8</b>	<b>83.2</b>	<b>76.2</b>	<b>27.0</b>	<b>65.5</b>	<b>68.8</b>	<b>76.7</b>

Table 9A.1.6

Table 9A.1.6 Indigenous children in out-of-home care by relationship of caregiver, 30 June 2005 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld (b)	WA (c)	SA	Tas	ACT	NT (d), (e)	Aust
Not placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care										
Other non-Indigenous carer	%	11.5	36.4	34.8	11.3	22.4	73.0	24.1	31.2	21.2
In non-Indigenous residential care	%	1.7	4.8	0.4	5.6	1.4	–	10.3	–	2.1
<b>Total children</b>	%	<b>13.1</b>	<b>41.2</b>	<b>35.2</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>23.8</b>	<b>73.0</b>	<b>34.5</b>	<b>31.2</b>	<b>23.3</b>
<b>Total Indigenous children in care</b>	%	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) The denominator for calculating the percentage of children placed in accordance with the principle excludes Indigenous children living independently and those whose living arrangements were unknown.

(b) There may be some children in the category residential care/independent living who had Indigenous caregivers in facility-based care.

(c) Children in residential care with Indigenous caregivers were included in the category 'other Indigenous carer'.

(d) The definition of 'relative/kin' used in this table is broader than the definition used in other tables because it includes kin relationships based on customary law.

(e) Data on the relationship of the caregiver to children placed with non-Indigenous carers could not be provided and these children were included in the category 'other non-Indigenous carer'.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: AIHW, *Children in Out-of-Home Care, Australia* data collection (unpublished).



Table 9A.1.7 Indigenous children in out-of-home care by Indigenous status and relationship of caregiver, Australia, 30 June 2004 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld (b)	WA (c)	SA	Tas	ACT	NT (d), (e)
Number of Indigenous children at 30 June									
Placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care									
Indigenous relative/kin	no.	na	98	326	282	37	3	26	67
Non-Indigenous relative/kin	no.	na	81	42	33	15	13	3	na
<b>Total placed with relative/kin</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>na</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>67</b>
Other Indigenous carer	no.	na	117	236	127	131	3	5	53
Indigenous residential care	no.	na	12	3	28	—	—	1	—
<b>Total placed with other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>na</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>53</b>
<b>Total children</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>na</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>120</b>
Not placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care									
Other non-Indigenous carers	no.	na	155	351	81	51	28	18	55
In non-Indigenous residential care	no.	na	36	—	29	2	—	5	—
<b>Total children</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>na</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>55</b>
Independent living/unknown	no.	na	32	—	7	—	8	—	—
<b>Total Indigenous children in care</b>	<b>no.</b>	<b>na</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>958</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>175</b>
As a proportion of all Indigenous children in out-of-home care at 30 June									
Placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care									
Indigenous relative/kin	%	na	19.6	34.0	48.6	15.7	6.4	44.8	38.3
Non-Indigenous relative/kin	%	na	16.2	4.4	5.7	6.4	27.7	5.2	na
<b>Total placed with relative/kin</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>na</b>	<b>35.9</b>	<b>38.4</b>	<b>54.3</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>34.0</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>38.3</b>

Table 9A.1.7 Indigenous children in out-of-home care by Indigenous status and relationship of caregiver, Australia, 30 June 2004 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld (b)	WA (c)	SA	Tas	ACT	NT (d), (e)
Other Indigenous carer	%	na	23.4	24.6	21.9	55.5	6.4	8.6	30.3
Indigenous residential care	%	na	2.4	0.3	4.8	–	–	1.7	–
<b>Total placed with other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care</b>	%	<b>na</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>24.9</b>	<b>26.7</b>	<b>55.5</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>30.3</b>
<b>Total children</b>	%	<b>na</b>	<b>61.7</b>	<b>63.4</b>	<b>81.0</b>	<b>77.5</b>	<b>40.4</b>	<b>60.3</b>	<b>68.6</b>
Not placed with Indigenous relative/kin or other Indigenous carer or Indigenous residential care									
Other non-Indigenous carer	%	na	31.1	36.6	14.0	21.6	59.6	31.0	31.4
In non-Indigenous residential care	%	na	7.2	–	5.0	0.8	–	8.6	–
<b>Total children</b>	%	<b>na</b>	<b>38.3</b>	<b>36.6</b>	<b>19.0</b>	<b>22.5</b>	<b>59.6</b>	<b>39.7</b>	<b>31.4</b>
<b>Total Indigenous children in care</b>	%	<b>na</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) The denominator for calculating the percentage of children placed in accordance with the principle excludes Indigenous children living independently and those whose living arrangements were unknown.

(b) There may be some children in the category residential care/independent living who had Indigenous caregivers in facility-based care.

(c) Children in residential care with Indigenous caregivers were included in the category 'other Indigenous carer'.

(d) The definition of 'relative/kin' used in this table is broader than the definition used in other tables because it includes kin relationships based on customary law.

(e) Data on the relationship of the caregiver to children placed with non-Indigenous carers could not be provided and these children were included in the category 'other non-Indigenous carer'.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

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Table 9A.2.1

Table 9A.2.1 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2005 (a)

Unit	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW (d)	ACT Total	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous Prisoners (no.)</i>											
Males											
Yes	no. 1 210	143	1 031	931	153	54	na	na	na	481	na
No	no. 285	56	191	336	87	12	na	na	na	160	na
Total	no. 1 495	199	1 235	1 267	240	66	na	na	na	641	na
Females											
Yes	no. 126	12	72	96	9	4	na	na	na	11	na
No	no. 52	9	21	45	16	–	na	na	na	11	na
Total	no. 178	21	96	141	25	4	na	na	na	22	na
Persons											
Yes	no. 1 336	155	1 103	1 027	162	58	na	na	na	492	na
No	no. 337	65	212	381	103	12	na	na	na	171	na
Total	no. 1 673	220	1 331	1 408	265	70	na	na	na	663	na
<i>Non-Indigenous Prisoners (no.)</i>											
Males											
Yes	no. 4 339	1 677	2 324	888	583	291	na	na	na	43	na
No	no. 2 909	1 559	1 202	1 059	413	161	na	na	na	110	na
Total	no. 7 248	3 236	3 718	1 947	996	452	na	na	na	153	na
Females											
Yes	no. 249	94	123	35	23	10	na	na	na	–	na
No	no. 252	142	119	92	35	14	na	na	na	4	na
Total	no. 501	236	251	127	58	24	na	na	na	4	na

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Table 9A.2.1 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2005 (a)

Unit	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW (d)	ACT Total	NT	Aust
<b>All Prisoners (no.) (e)</b>											
Persons											
Yes	no. 4 588	1 771	2 447	923	606	301	na	na	na	43	na
No	no. 3 161	1 701	1 321	1 151	448	175	na	na	na	114	na
Total	no. 7 749	3 472	3 969	2 074	1 054	476	na	na	na	157	na
Males											
Yes	no. 5 690	1 820	3 363	1 819	771	346	99	94	193	523	14 431
No	no. 3 435	1 615	1 414	1 395	608	177	53	13	66	271	8 968
Unkn <sup>i</sup>	no. –	–	217	–	–	–	3	–	3	–	220
Total	no. 9 125	3 435	4 994	3 214	1 379	523	155	107	262	794	23 619
Females											
Yes	no. 379	106	198	131	34	14	3	3	6	12	877
No	no. 315	151	149	137	60	14	4	3	7	14	844
Unkn <sup>i</sup>	no. –	–	13	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	13
Total	no. 694	257	360	268	94	28	7	6	13	26	1 734
Persons											
Yes	no. 6 069	1 926	3 561	1 950	805	360	102	97	199	535	15 308
No	no. 3 750	1 766	1 563	1 532	668	191	57	16	73	285	9 812
Unkn <sup>i</sup>	no. –	–	230	–	–	–	3	–	3	–	233
Total	no. 9 819	3 692	5 354	3 482	1 473	551	162	113	275	820	25 353

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Table 9A.2.1 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2005 (a)

Unit	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW (d)	ACT Total	NT	Aust
<i>Indigenous Prisoners (proportion)</i>											
Males											
Yes	%	80.9	71.9	83.5	73.5	63.8	81.8	na	na	75.0	na
No	%	19.1	28.1	15.5	26.5	36.3	18.2	na	na	25.0	na
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	na	na	100.0	na
Females											
Yes	%	70.8	57.1	75.0	68.1	36.0	100.0	na	na	50.0	na
No	%	29.2	42.9	21.9	31.9	64.0	0.0	na	na	50.0	na
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	na	na	100.0	na
Persons											
Yes	%	79.9	70.5	82.9	72.9	61.1	82.9	na	na	74.2	na
No	%	20.1	29.5	15.9	27.1	38.9	17.1	na	na	25.8	na
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	na	na	100.0	na
<i>Non-Indigenous Prisoners (proportion)</i>											
Males											
Yes	%	59.9	51.8	62.5	45.6	58.5	64.4	na	na	28.1	na
No	%	40.1	48.2	32.3	54.4	41.5	35.6	na	na	71.9	na
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	na	na	100.0	na
Females											
Yes	%	49.7	39.8	49.0	27.6	39.7	41.7	na	na	–	na
No	%	50.3	60.2	47.4	72.4	60.3	58.3	na	na	100.0	na
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	na	na	100.0	na

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Table 9A.2.1 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2005 (a)

Unit	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT	ACT in NSW (d)	ACT Total	NT	Aust
Persons											
Yes	59.2	51.0	61.7	44.5	57.5	63.2	na	na	na	27.4	na
No	40.8	49.0	33.3	55.5	42.5	36.8	na	na	na	72.6	na
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	na	na	na	100.0	na
Males											
Yes	62.3	53.0	67.3	56.6	55.9	66.2	64.3	87.0	73.7	65.9	61.1
No	37.7	47.0	28.3	43.4	44.1	33.8	33.8	13.0	25.2	34.1	38.0
Unkn <sup>i</sup>	–	–	4.3	–	–	–	1.9	–	1.1	–	0.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Females											
Yes	54.7	41.2	55.0	48.9	36.2	50.0	37.5	50.0	46.2	46.2	50.6
No	45.5	58.8	41.4	51.1	63.8	50.0	62.5	50.0	61.5	53.8	48.7
Unkn <sup>i</sup>	–	–	3.6	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	0.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Persons											
Yes	61.8	52.2	66.5	56.0	54.7	65.3	63.0	85.8	72.4	65.2	60.4
No	38.2	47.8	29.2	44.0	45.3	34.7	35.2	14.2	26.5	34.8	38.7
Unkn <sup>i</sup>	–	–	4.3	–	–	–	1.8	–	1.1	–	0.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

*All Prisoners (proportion) (e)*

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**Table 9A.2.1 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2005 (a)**

<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW (b)</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld (c)</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT in ACT</i>	<i>ACT in NSW (d)</i>	<i>ACT Total</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust</i>
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(b) Excludes ACT prisoners held in NSW prisons.

(c) Includes prisoners whose prior imprisonment status is unknown.

(d) The ACT in NSW figures are a subset of the NSW figures and are not separately counted in the Australian totals.

(e) Includes those prisoners whose Indigenous status was unknown.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available for publication but included in totals where applicable, unless otherwise indicated.

Source: ABS 2005, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0, Canberra.

Table 9A.2.2

Table 9A.2.2 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2006 (a)

Unit	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (d)	ACT in NSW (e)	ACT Total (d)	NT	Aust (b)(c)
<i>Indigenous Prisoners (number)</i>											
Males											
Yes	no. 1 344	152	1 061	914	169	38	8	9	17	492	4 178
No	no. 388	48	325	351	106	10	3	3	6	139	1 370
Total	no. 1 732	200	1 386	1 265	275	48	11	12	23	631	5 548
Females											
Yes	no. 144	9	77	91	13	5	3	—	3	9	351
No	no. 74	6	43	44	12	—	—	—	—	13	192
Total	no. 218	15	120	135	25	5	3	—	3	22	543
Persons											
Yes	no. 1 488	161	1 138	1 005	182	43	11	9	20	501	4 529
No	no. 462	54	368	395	118	10	3	3	6	152	1 562
Total	no. 1 950	215	1 506	1 400	300	53	14	12	26	653	6 091
<i>Non-Indigenous Prisoners (number)</i>											
Males											
Yes	no. 3 886	1 808	2 124	836	598	280	32	64	96	35	9 599
No	no. 3 290	1 652	1 654	1 164	576	146	45	29	74	91	8 618
Total	no. 7 176	3 460	3 778	2 000	1 174	426	83	93	176	126	18 223
Females											
Yes	no. 228	100	98	40	34	19	3	4	7	3	525
No	no. 261	130	180	86	36	14	3	—	3	10	720
Total	no. 489	230	278	126	70	33	6	4	10	13	1 245

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Table 9A.2.2

Table 9A.2.2 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2006 (a)

Table 1: Prisoners in custody by sex, age group and offence type, 2019-20												
	Unit	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (d)	ACT in NSW (e)	ACT Total (d)	NT	Aust (b)(c)
Persons												
Yes	no.	4 114	1 908	2 222	876	632	299	35	68	103	38	10 124
No	no.	3 551	1 782	1 834	1 250	612	160	48	29	77	101	9 338
Total	no.	7 665	3 690	4 056	2 126	1 244	459	89	97	186	139	19 468
		All Prisoners (number) (e)										
Males												
Yes	no.	5 247	1 960	3 185	1 750	769	318	40	73	113	527	13 796
No	no.	3 835	1 700	1 979	1 515	695	156	49	33	82	230	10 159
Unknown	no.	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	8	—	8
Total	no.	9 082	3 660	5 164	3 265	1 464	474	97	106	203	757	23 963
Females												
Yes	no.	377	109	175	131	48	24	4	5	9	12	880
No	no.	363	136	223	130	55	14	3	3	6	23	947
Unknown	no.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	no.	740	245	398	261	103	38	7	8	15	35	1 827
Persons												
Yes	no.	5 624	2 069	3 360	1 881	817	342	44	78	122	539	14 676
No	no.	4 198	1 836	2 202	1 645	750	170	52	36	88	253	11 106
Unknown	no.	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	8	—	8
Total	no.	9 822	3 905	5 562	3 526	1 567	512	104	114	218	792	25 790

Table 9A.2.2

Table 9A.2.2 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2006 (a)

Unit	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (d)	ACT in NSW (e)	ACT Total (d)	NT	Aust (b)(c)
<i>Indigenous Prisoners (proportion)</i>											
Males											
Yes	%	77.6	76.0	76.6	72.3	61.5	79.2	72.7	75.0	73.9	75.3
No	%	22.4	24.0	23.4	27.7	38.5	20.8	27.3	25.0	26.1	24.7
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Females											
Yes	%	66.1	60.0	64.2	67.4	52.0	100.0	100.0	–	100.0	64.6
No	%	33.9	40.0	35.8	32.6	48.0	–	–	–	–	35.4
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	–	100.0	100.0
Persons											
Yes	%	76.3	74.9	75.6	71.8	60.7	81.1	78.6	75.0	76.9	74.4
No	%	23.7	25.1	24.4	28.2	39.3	18.9	21.4	25.0	23.1	25.6
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<i>Non-Indigenous Prisoners (proportion)</i>											
Males											
Yes	%	54.2	52.3	56.2	41.8	50.9	65.7	38.6	68.8	54.5	52.7
No	%	45.8	47.7	43.8	58.2	49.1	34.3	54.2	31.2	42.0	47.3
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Females											
Yes	%	46.6	43.5	35.3	31.7	48.6	57.6	50.0	100.0	70.0	42.2
No	%	53.4	56.5	64.7	68.3	51.4	42.4	50.0	–	30.0	57.8
Total	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

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Table 9A.2.2 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2006 (a)

Unit	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (d)	ACT in NSW (e)	ACT Total (d)	NT	Aust (b)(c)
<b>Persons</b>											
Yes	53.7	51.7	54.8	41.2	50.8	65.1	39.3	70.1	55.4	27.3	52.0
No	46.3	48.3	45.2	58.8	49.2	34.9	53.9	29.9	41.4	72.7	48.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<b>All Prisoners (proportion) (e)</b>											
<b>Males</b>											
Yes	57.8	53.6	61.7	53.6	52.5	67.1	41.2	68.9	55.7	69.6	57.6
No	42.2	46.4	38.3	46.4	47.5	32.9	50.5	31.1	40.4	30.4	42.4
Unkn <sup>i</sup>	—	—	—	—	—	—	8.2	—	3.9	—	—
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<b>Females</b>											
Yes	50.9	44.5	44.0	50.2	46.6	63.2	57.1	62.5	60.0	34.3	48.2
No	49.1	55.5	56.0	49.8	53.4	36.8	42.9	37.5	40.0	65.7	51.8
Unkn <sup>i</sup>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
<b>Persons</b>											
Yes	57.3	53.0	60.4	53.3	52.1	66.8	42.3	68.4	56.0	68.1	56.9
No	42.7	47.0	39.6	46.7	47.9	33.2	50.0	31.6	40.4	31.9	43.1
Unkn <sup>i</sup>	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.7	—	3.7	—	—
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 9A.2.2

**Table 9A.2.2 Number and proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, by gender and State/Territory, 30 June 2006 (a)**

<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW (b)</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld (c)</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>Tas</i>	<i>ACT in ACT (d)</i>	<i>ACT in NSW (e)</i>	<i>ACT Total (d)</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Aust (b)(c)</i>
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(d) From 2006, excludes breaches of periodic detention orders greater than three months.

(e) The majority of full-time prisoners sentenced in the ACT are held in NSW prisons.

(f) Includes prisoners whose prior imprisonment status is unknown.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0, Canberra.

Table 9A.2.3

Table 9A.2.3 Proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, 2000 to 2006 (a)

	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (d)	ACT in NSW (e)	ACT Total (d)	NT	Aust (b)(c)
2000											
Indigenous	72.9	77.5	79.4	72.5	89.3	66.7	75.0	60.0	66.7	81.1	76.2
Non-Indigenous	48.0	59.6	60.9	37.5	66.1	56.7	35.5	42.1	39.8	24.9	52.1
Total	51.5	60.4	65.2	48.7	66.4	57.7	39.3	43.2	41.8	59.1	56.4
2001											
Indigenous	73.7	75.3	77.9	72.2	84.8	80.0	75.0	37.5	60.0	85.5	76.3
Non-Indigenous	51.3	62.5	62.6	38.8	64.4	60.5	38.6	60.3	52.4	26.4	54.5
Total	54.3	63.0	66.5	50.1	62.3	62.7	43.9	58.9	53.1	64.0	58.4
2002											
Indigenous	77.0	82.5	76.8	76.1	69.5	70.5	38.5	58.3	48.0	89.1	77.6
Non-Indigenous	50.2	62.6	61.3	40.1	57.4	59.0	35.6	60.6	48.4	40.4	54.1
Total	54.4	63.0	65.2	51.3	55.9	60.7	35.9	61.0	48.8	73.9	58.3
2003											
Indigenous	73.2	70.1	81.5	72.5	76.2	71.7	50.0	100.0	87.5	89.7	77.0
Non-Indigenous	50.3	52.0	60.8	42.4	61.8	57.0	28.1	75.2	49.4	48.1	52.8
Total	53.3	52.9	65.5	52.9	60.1	58.7	28.8	77.8	51.8	80.7	57.2
2004											
Indigenous	76.0	70.4	80.3	74.0	59.4	62.7	na	100.0	73.1	89.7	76.8
Non-Indigenous	52.7	51.6	59.9	44.0	51.0	68.5	14.7	84.3	42.9	54.0	53.1
Total	56.2	52.6	64.1	55.5	49.1	67.8	15.6	86.4	45.7	81.7	57.5
2005											
Indigenous	79.9	70.5	82.9	72.9	61.1	82.9	na	na	na	74.2	na
Non-Indigenous	59.2	51.0	61.7	44.5	57.5	63.2	na	na	na	27.4	na
Total	61.8	52.2	66.5	56.0	54.7	65.3	63.0	85.8	72.8	65.2	60.4

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Table 9A.2.3

**Table 9A.2.3 Proportion of prisoners with known prior adult imprisonment under sentence, 2000 to 2006 (a)**

	NSW (b)	Vic	Qld (c)	WA	SA	Tas	ACT in ACT (d)	ACT in NSW (e)	ACT Total (d)	NT	Aust (b)(c)
2006											
Indigenous	76.3	74.9	75.6	71.8	60.7	81.1	78.6	75.0	76.9	76.7	74.4
Non-Indigenous	53.7	51.7	54.8	41.2	50.8	65.1	39.3	70.1	55.4	27.3	52.0
Total	57.3	53.0	60.4	53.3	52.1	66.8	42.3	68.4	56.0	68.1	56.9

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(e) The majority of full-time prisoners sentenced in the ACT are held in NSW prisons.

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Table 9A.2.4

**Table 9A.2.4 Prisoners by legal status, prior imprisonment and most serious offence/charge, 2005 (a)**

	<i>Sentenced</i>		<i>Unsentenced</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>
Homicide and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	295	66.1	76	56.6	371	64.2
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 691	40.6	417	34.8	2 108	39.5
All prisoners (c)	2 037	43.7	528	36.0	2 565	42.1
Acts intended to cause injury						
Indigenous prisoners	1 300	82.6	509	69.6	1 809	79.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 675	62.9	774	61.6	2 449	62.5
All prisoners (c)	3 006	71.2	1 328	62.9	4 334	68.7
Sexual assault and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	467	69.6	84	70.2	551	69.7
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 852	33.3	259	40.9	2 111	34.2
All prisoners (c)	2 361	40.2	355	47.0	2 716	41.1
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons						
Indigenous prisoners	147	87.1	4	—	151	84.8
Non-Indigenous prisoners	189	61.9	21	66.7	210	62.4
All prisoners (c)	341	72.1	26	61.5	367	71.4
Abduction and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	19	57.9	6	50.0	25	56.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	115	47.0	52	46.2	167	46.7
All prisoners (c)	137	48.9	58	46.6	195	48.2
Robbery, extortion and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	411	71.8	107	62.6	518	69.9
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 739	64.7	383	59.5	2 122	63.8
All prisoners (c)	2 175	65.7	504	58.7	2 679	64.4
Unlawful entry with intent						
Indigenous prisoners	662	80.1	148	76.4	810	79.4
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 867	80.0	562	71.0	2 429	77.9
All prisoners (c)	2 543	79.9	727	71.1	3 270	78.0
Theft and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	202	77.2	54	64.8	256	74.6
Non-Indigenous prisoners	981	73.7	301	66.4	1 282	72.0
All prisoners (c)	1 191	74.0	370	63.8	1 561	71.6
Deception and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	37	75.7	8	62.5	45	73.3
Non-Indigenous prisoners	660	40.2	152	45.4	812	41.1
All prisoners (c)	714	41.5	172	44.2	886	42.0

Table 9A.2.4

**Table 9A.2.4 Prisoners by legal status, prior imprisonment and most serious offence/charge, 2005 (a)**

	<i>Sentenced</i>		<i>Unsentenced</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>						
Indigenous prisoners	52	61.5	20	50.0	72	58.3
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 934	39.1	391	38.4	2 325	39.0
All prisoners (c)	2 020	39.4	460	35.2	2 480	38.6
<b>Weapons and explosive offences</b>						
Indigenous prisoners	21	84.2	–	–	21	100.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	125	56.8	40	65.0	165	58.8
All prisoners (c)	145	59.3	45	62.2	190	60.0
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>						
Indigenous prisoners	52	84.6	13	76.9	65	83.1
Non-Indigenous prisoners	143	62.9	37	64.9	180	63.3
All prisoners (c)	198	67.7	53	64.2	251	66.9
<b>Public order offences</b>						
Indigenous prisoners	45	84.4	11	90.9	56	85.7
Non-Indigenous prisoners	178	45.5	19	52.6	197	46.2
All prisoners (c)	224	53.1	35	57.1	259	53.7
<b>Road traffic and motor vehicle regulatory offences</b>						
Indigenous prisoners	279	86.4	10	80.0	289	86.2
Non-Indigenous prisoners	938	61.1	40	70.0	978	61.5
All prisoners (c)	1 235	66.4	51	70.6	1 286	66.6
<b>Offences against justice procedures, govt. security and operations</b>						
Indigenous prisoners	499	87.2	81	72.8	580	85.2
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 234	83.1	212	64.2	1 446	80.4
All prisoners (c)	1 746	84.0	304	64.1	2 050	81.1
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>						
Indigenous prisoners	27	77.8	10	60.0	37	73.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	116	50.0	94	31.9	210	41.9
All prisoners (c)	147	54.4	117	31.6	264	44.3
<b>Total</b>						
<b>Indigenous prisoners</b>	<b>4 515</b>	<b>79.1</b>	<b>1 141</b>	<b>68.8</b>	<b>5 656</b>	<b>77.0</b>
<b>Non-Indigenous prisoners</b>	<b>15 437</b>	<b>56.9</b>	<b>3 754</b>	<b>55.0</b>	<b>19 191</b>	<b>56.6</b>
<b>All prisoners (c)</b>	<b>20 220</b>	<b>61.5</b>	<b>5 133</b>	<b>56.0</b>	<b>25 353</b>	<b>60.4</b>



Table 9A.2.4

**Table 9A.2.4 Prisoners by legal status, prior imprisonment and most serious offence/charge, 2005 (a)**

<b>Sentenced</b>		<b>Unsentenced</b>		<b>Total</b>	
No.	prior %	No.	prior %	No.	prior %
	(b)		(b)		(b)

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(b) Refers to prior adult imprisonment under sentence.

(c) Includes prisoners whose Indigenous status is unknown.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2005, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0, Canberra.

Table 9A.2.5

**Table 9A.2.5 Prisoners by legal status, prior imprisonment and most serious offence/charge, 2006 (a)**

	<i>Sentenced</i>		<i>Unsentenced</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>
Homicide and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	312	66.3	84	58.3	396	64.6
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 743	39.0	421	33.3	2 164	37.9
All prisoners (c)	2 067	43.0	517	36.9	2 584	41.8
Acts intended to cause injury						
Indigenous prisoners	1 366	78.2	571	67.1	1 937	74.9
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 640	53.1	1 005	51.8	2 645	52.6
All prisoners (c)	3 016	64.3	1 614	56.3	4 630	61.5
Sexual assault and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	490	69.0	107	50.5	597	65.7
Non-Indigenous prisoners	2 019	31.2	312	36.9	2 331	31.9
All prisoners (c)	2 514	38.5	425	39.3	2 939	38.7
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons						
Indigenous prisoners	138	88.4	13	69.2	151	86.8
Non-Indigenous prisoners	166	56.6	36	44.4	202	54.5
All prisoners (c)	306	70.6	49	51.0	355	67.9
Abduction and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	25	64.0	5	40.0	30	60.0
Non-Indigenous prisoners	121	42.1	65	53.8	186	46.2
All prisoners (c)	146	45.9	72	51.4	218	47.7
Robbery, extortion and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	436	72.2	98	63.3	534	70.6
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 602	65.7	430	49.5	2 032	62.3
All prisoners (c)	2 044	66.9	554	49.8	2 598	63.2
Unlawful entry with intent						
Indigenous prisoners	669	77.6	166	68.7	835	75.8
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 749	75.8	498	65.9	2 247	73.6
All prisoners (c)	2 424	76.2	671	66.3	3 095	74.0
Theft and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	217	75.1	49	65.3	266	73.3
Non-Indigenous prisoners	908	70.6	272	55.9	1 180	67.2
All prisoners (c)	1 129	71.4	335	54.9	1 464	67.6
Deception and related offences						
Indigenous prisoners	35	68.6	10	70.0	45	68.9
Non-Indigenous prisoners	590	37.3	163	33.7	753	36.5
All prisoners (c)	635	38.7	187	33.2	822	37.5

Table 9A.2.5

**Table 9A.2.5 Prisoners by legal status, prior imprisonment and most serious offence/charge, 2006 (a)**

	<i>Sentenced</i>		<i>Unsentenced</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>
Illicit drug offences						
Indigenous prisoners	70	64.3	14	57.1	84	63.1
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 980	35.0	418	37.6	2 398	35.4
All prisoners (c)	2 056	35.9	460	36.1	2 516	35.9
Weapons and explosive offences						
Indigenous prisoners	19	84.2	10	50.0	29	72.4
Non-Indigenous prisoners	101	55.4	61	39.3	162	49.4
All prisoners (c)	120	60.0	74	39.2	194	52.1
Property damage and environmental pollution						
Indigenous prisoners	55	74.5	34	58.8	89	68.5
Non-Indigenous prisoners	161	55.3	44	43.2	205	52.7
All prisoners (c)	216	60.2	78	50.0	294	57.5
Public order offences						
Indigenous prisoners	38	73.7	13	76.9	51	74.5
Non-Indigenous prisoners	145	63.4	37	37.8	182	58.2
All prisoners (c)	183	65.6	51	47.1	234	61.5
Road traffic and motor vehicle regulatory offences						
Indigenous prisoners	329	85.4	16	81.3	345	85.2
Non-Indigenous prisoners	981	61.4	52	67.3	1 033	61.7
All prisoners (c)	1 314	67.2	68	70.6	1 382	67.4
Offences against justice procedures, govt. security and operations						
Indigenous prisoners	596	86.6	75	49.3	671	82.4
Non-Indigenous prisoners	1 284	80.8	226	42.5	1 510	75.0
All prisoners (c)	1 883	82.6	303	44.2	2 186	77.3
Miscellaneous offences						
Indigenous prisoners	19	84.2	12	66.7	31	77.4
Non-Indigenous prisoners	130	30.8	102	27.5	232	29.3
All prisoners (c)	151	37.1	117	30.8	268	34.3
<b>Total</b>						
<b>Indigenous prisoners</b>	<b>4 814</b>	<b>77.2</b>	<b>1 277</b>	<b>63.7</b>	<b>6 091</b>	<b>74.3</b>
<b>Non-Indigenous prisoners</b>	<b>15 325</b>	<b>53.3</b>	<b>4 145</b>	<b>47.0</b>	<b>19 470</b>	<b>52.0</b>
<b>All prisoners (c)</b>	<b>20 209</b>	<b>58.9</b>	<b>5 581</b>	<b>49.7</b>	<b>25 790</b>	<b>56.9</b>

**Table 9A.2.5 Prisoners by legal status, prior imprisonment and most serious offence/charge, 2006 (a)**

	<i>Sentenced</i>		<i>Unsentenced</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>prior % (b)</i>

(a) Prisoners who have had previous imprisonment in another State or Territory may not be counted as having prior imprisonment. Some states and territories may also include episodes on remand as prior imprisonment. See glossary of *Prisoners in Australia* (ABS Cat. no. 4517.0) for complete definition of prior imprisonment.

(b) Refers to prior adult imprisonment under sentence.

(c) Includes prisoners whose Indigenous status is unknown.

Source: ABS 2006, *Prisoners in Australia*, Cat. no. 4517.0, Canberra.

Table 9A.2.6

**Table 9A.2.6 NSW, juvenile re-offenders who first appeared in Children's Court in 1995 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Number who first appeared in court in 1995	693	na	4 783	na
Average number of court reappearances per person in the follow-up period (b)	8.3	na	2.8	na
Proportion with at least one adult court appearance in the follow-up period (b)	na	90.5	na	52.6
Proportion with at least one adult custodial appearance in the follow-up period (b)	na	36.1	na	9.7

(a) The above data is from a study investigating the reoffending behaviour of a cohort of 5 476 juveniles aged 10 to 18 years, who appeared in the NSW Children's Court for the first time in 1995.

(b) Number of court and custodial appearances were counted from 1995 to December 2003.

**na** Not applicable.

*Source*: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research 2005, *The Transition from Juvenile to Adult Criminal Careers*. Crime and Justice Bulletin no. 86, Sydney.

Table 9A.2.7

**Table 9A.2.7 Queensland, re-offending rates for maltreated juveniles who received a police caution, by gender (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Males				
Maltreated	107		486	
Re-offended	88	82.2	321	66.0
Did not re-offend	19	17.8	165	34.0
Females				
Maltreated	85		315	
Re-offended	63	74.1	147	46.7
Did not re-offend	22	25.9	168	53.3
Persons				
Maltreated	192		801	
Re-offended	151	78.6	468	58.4
Did not re-offend	41	21.7	333	41.6

(a) The above data were collected as part of a project examining the link between child maltreatment and juvenile offending by following all children born in the 1983 Queensland birth cohort until the age of 17 through any contact they had with the Department of Families regarding a child protection matter and/or juvenile justice matter that required the child to appear in court or be held in custody.

(b) Forty-eight young people had missing data for Indigenous status and were excluded.

Source: Griffith University 2005, *Juvenile Offending Trajectories: Pathways from Child Maltreatment to Juvenile Offending, and Police Cautioning in Queensland*. School of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Brisbane.

Table 9A.2.8

Table 9A.2.8 **Queensland, juveniles who had a finalised court appearance, by nature of first contact and gender (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Males						
First contact						
Caution	381	48.2	1 476	49.9	1 857	49.6
Court	409	51.8	1 481	50.1	1 890	50.4
Females						
First contact						
Caution	118	42.1	364	45.0	482	44.3
Court	162	57.9	444	55.0	606	55.7
Persons						
First contact						
Caution	499	46.6	1 840	48.9	2 339	48.4
Court	571	53.4	1 925	51.1	2 496	51.6

(a) The above data were collected as part of a project examining the link between child maltreatment and juvenile offending by following all children born in the 1983 Queensland birth cohort until the age of 17 through any contact they had with the Department of Families regarding a child protection matter and/or juvenile justice matter that required the child to appear in court or be held in custody.

(b) Two young people were missing information on gender and were excluded.

Source: Griffith University 2005, *Juvenile Offending Trajectories: Pathways from Child Maltreatment to Juvenile Offending, and Police Cautioning in Queensland*. School of Criminology and Criminal Justice, Brisbane.

Table 9A.2.9

**Table 9A.2.9 WA, number and proportion of juveniles re-offending, by type of first contact with the justice system (a)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Total (b)</i>
<b>Caution</b>				
Number of juveniles in cohort	no.	1 639	10 128	11 780
Number of re-offenders	no.	1 047	4 218	5 490
Proportion of re-offenders in cohort	%	63.9	41.7	46.6
<b>Juvenile justice team referral</b>				
Number of juveniles in cohort	no.	233	1 485	1 860
Number of re-offenders	no.	174	720	993
Proportion of re-offenders in cohort	%	74.7	48.5	53.4
<b>Dismissed/no penalty</b>				
Number of juveniles in cohort	no.	53	191	377
Number of re-offenders	no.	41	110	184
Proportion of re-offenders in cohort	%	77.4	57.6	48.8
<b>Fine</b>				
Number of juveniles in cohort	no.	25	330	519
Number of re-offenders	no.	14	85	205
Proportion of re-offenders in cohort	%	56.0	25.8	39.5
<b>Community-based order</b>				
Number of juveniles in cohort	no.	92	290	491
Number of re-offenders	no.	64	155	277
Proportion of re-offenders in cohort	%	69.6	53.5	56.4
<b>Detention</b>				
Number of juveniles in cohort	no.	9	21	55
Number of re-offenders	no.	5	7	23
Proportion of re-offenders in cohort	%	55.6	33.3	41.8
<b>Total</b>				
Number of juveniles in cohort	no.	2 051	12 445	15 082
Number of re-offenders	no.	1 345	5 295	7 172
Proportion of re-offenders in cohort	%	65.6	42.5	47.5

(a) The above data are based on two cohorts of juveniles first entering the WA justice system in either 1995 or 2000. Follow-up times for the 1995 and 2000 cohorts were 7.5 and 2.5 years, respectively. Reoffending is measured by the proportion of the group who re-offended before the end of the study or follow-up period. The 2000 cohort was slightly larger in size than the 1995 cohort (7811 and 7271 offenders, respectively).

(b) Totals include juveniles of unknown Indigenous status.

Source: University of Western Australia 2004, *Pathways through Justice: A Statistical Analysis of Offender Contact with the WA Juvenile Justice System*. Crime Research Centre, Perth.



Table 9A.2.10

**Table 9A.2.10 SA, proportion of juveniles in the 1984 cohort apprehended at least once by police, by gender and Indigenous status (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Total</i>
<b>Males</b>				
Apprehended at least once	no.	166	2 518	2 684
Population of Cohort	no.	263	10 420	10 683
Proportion apprehended at least once	%	63.1	24.2	25.1
<b>Females</b>				
Apprehended at least once	no.	74	731	805
Population of Cohort	no.	277	9 942	10 219
Proportion apprehended at least once	%	26.7	7.3	7.9
<b>Persons</b>				
Apprehended at least once	no.	240	3 249	3 489
Population of Cohort	no.	540	20 362	20 902
Proportion apprehended at least once	%	44.4	15.9	16.7

(a) Data from the 1984 cohort are assessing the extent to which juveniles have had formal contact with the SA juvenile justice system, which commences when they are officially apprehended by police, either by way of an arrest or report. The above data are not measuring the actual levels of offending, as not all apprehended youths are subsequently found guilty or admit guilt.

(b) The follow-up period for the 1984 cohort was 18 years (until 2002). The size of the cohort population was calculated using South Australian population figures provided by the ABS.

(c) Data with unknown Indigenous status was included under non-Indigenous (361 males and 160 females).

*Source:* Office of Crime Statistics and Research 2005, *Young People Born in 1984: Extent of Involvement with the Juvenile Justice System*. Government of South Australia, Adelaide.

Table 9A.2.11

**Table 9A.2.11 SA, number and proportion of juveniles in the 1984 cohort which were apprehended as juveniles (0–17 years), by the number of apprehensions, gender and Indigenous status (a) (b) (c)**

<i>Gender</i> <i>Number of apprehensions</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Males</b>						
1	44	16.7	1 390	13.3	1 434	13.4
2–4	69	26.2	761	7.3	830	7.8
5–10	30	11.4	276	2.6	306	2.9
11–20	11	4.2	53	0.5	64	0.6
> 20	10	3.8	20	0.2	30	0.3
Total	164	62.4	2 500	24.0	2 664	24.9
<b>Females</b>						
1	27	9.7	496	5.0	523	5.1
2–4	21	7.6	169	1.7	190	1.9
5–10	17	6.1	50	0.5	67	0.7
11–20	6	2.2	7	0.1	13	0.1
> 20	3	1.1	1	0.01	4	0.04
Total	74	26.7	723	7.3	797	7.8
<b>Persons</b>						
1	71	13.1	1 886	9.3	1 957	9.4
2–4	90	16.7	930	4.6	1 020	4.9
5–10	47	8.7	326	1.6	373	1.8
11–20	17	3.1	60	0.3	77	0.4
> 20	13	2.4	21	0.1	34	0.2
Total	238	44.1	3 223	15.8	3 461	16.6

(a) Data from the 1984 Cohort are assessing the extent to which juveniles have had formal contact with the SA juvenile justice system, which commences when they are officially apprehended by police, either by way of an arrest or report. The above data are not measuring the actual levels of offending, as not all apprehended youths are subsequently found guilty or admit guilt.

(b) The follow-up period for the 1984 Cohort was 18 years (until 2002). The cohort comprised 540 Indigenous juveniles and 20 362 non-Indigenous juveniles. The size of the cohort population was calculated using South Australian population figures provided by the ABS.

(c) Excludes 18 year olds.

*Source:* Office of Crime Statistics and Research 2005, *Young People Born in 1984: Offending Behaviour of Juveniles Apprehended at Least Once*. Government of South Australia, Adelaide.

Table 9A.3.1

**Table 9A.3.1 Standardised hospitalisations for potentially preventable chronic conditions, per 100 000 people, by Indigenous status, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02, 2002-03 (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Total</i>
<b>2002-03</b>				
Asthma	rate	517.3	191.8	199.4
Congestive cardiac failure	rate	714.6	210.6	219.4
Diabetes complications	rate	7 820.7	761.5	889.2
Chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases	rate	1 280.4	273.1	288.5
Angina	rate	685.6	233.2	241.7
Iron deficiency anaemia	rate	156.9	86.6	88.2
Hypertension	rate	128.3	31.0	33.0
Nutritional deficiencies (e)	rate	4.8	0.7	1.0
<b>Total for potentially preventable chronic conditions (f)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>10 825.2</b>	<b>1 730.3</b>	<b>1 895.5</b>
<b>Total hospitalisations for all conditions</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>85 170.7</b>	<b>33 519.6</b>	<b>34 673.0</b>
<b>Hospitalisations for potentially preventable chronic conditions as a proportion of hospitalisations for all conditions</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>5.4</b>
<b>2001-02</b>				
Asthma	rate	545.5	214.4	222.0
Congestive cardiac failure	rate	737.5	213.6	223.0
Diabetes complications	rate	6 483.8	656.3	759.0
Chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases	rate	1 275.1	277.1	292.6
Angina	rate	733.7	254.9	264.0
Iron deficiency anaemia	rate	133.9	84.6	86.1
Hypertension	rate	159.7	31.3	34.1
Nutritional deficiencies (e)	rate	5.4	0.6	0.8
<b>Total for potentially preventable chronic conditions (f)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>9 683.2</b>	<b>1 683.2</b>	<b>1 826.4</b>
<b>Total hospitalisations for all conditions</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>80 698.0</b>	<b>33 599.6</b>	<b>34 685.1</b>
<b>Hospitalisations for potentially preventable chronic conditions as a proportion of hospitalisations for all conditions</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>5.2</b>

**Table 9A.3.1 Standardised hospitalisations for potentially preventable chronic conditions, per 100 000 people, by Indigenous status, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02, 2002-03 (a) (b) (c)**

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- (a) Hospitalisation rates are directly age standardised using 2001 Australian population.
  - (b) Data are based on state/territory of usual residence.
  - (c) See appendix for the ICD-10-AM codes used to classify potentially preventable conditions.
  - (d) Non-Indigenous includes hospitalisations identified as not Indigenous as well as those with a 'not stated' Indigenous status.
  - (e) The Indigenous nutritional deficiencies standardised rate is based on less than 20 hospitalisations and should be used with caution.
  - (f) The total is not the sum of the individual conditions because diabetes complications overlap other categories.

*Source:* AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.2

**Table 9A.3.2 Standardised hospitalisations for potentially preventable chronic conditions, per 100 000 people, by Indigenous status, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Total</i>
<b>2004-05</b>				
Asthma	rate	485.6	182.8	190.2
Congestive cardiac failure	rate	777.6	193.0	203.7
Diabetes complications	rate	17 891.2	1 615.3	1907.0
Chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases	rate	1 402.7	265.0	282.3
Angina	rate	608.7	221.0	229.2
Iron deficiency anaemia	rate	163.7	98.0	99.6
Hypertension	rate	122.9	30.3	32.2
Nutritional deficiencies (e)	rate	2.0	0.6	0.8
<b>Total for potentially preventable chronic conditions (f)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>20 477.3</b>	<b>2 496.8</b>	<b>2 822.5</b>
<b>Total hospitalisations for all conditions</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>95 139.9</b>	<b>34 005.8</b>	<b>35 338.8</b>
<b>Hospitalisations for potentially preventable chronic conditions as a proportion of hospitalisations for all conditions</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>8.0</b>
<b>2003-04</b>				
Asthma	rate	520.7	194.4	202.9
Congestive cardiac failure	rate	701.0	198.9	207.6
Diabetes complications	rate	12 349.9	889.2	1 089.9
Chronic obstructive pulmonary diseases	rate	1 433.8	274.7	292.3
Angina	rate	653.6	228.3	236.6
Iron deficiency anaemia	rate	162.7	89.4	91.2
Hypertension	rate	131.0	34.0	36.2
Nutritional deficiencies (e)	rate	6.8	0.5	0.8
<b>Total for potentially preventable chronic conditions (f)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>15 403.1</b>	<b>1 848.9</b>	<b>2 089.2</b>
<b>Total hospitalisations for all conditions</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>91 174.2</b>	<b>33 749.6</b>	<b>35 006.4</b>
<b>Hospitalisations for potentially preventable chronic conditions as a proportion of hospitalisations for all conditions</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>6.0</b>

(a) Hospitalisation rates are directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(b) Data are based on state of usual residence.

(c) See appendix for the ICD-10-AM codes used to classify potentially preventable conditions.

(d) Non-Indigenous includes hospitalisations identified as not Indigenous as well as those with a 'not stated' Indigenous status.

(e) The Indigenous nutritional deficiencies standardised rate is based on less than 25 hospitalisations and should be used with caution.

(f) The total is not the sum of the individual conditions because diabetes complications overlap other categories.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.3

**Table 9A.3.3 Standardised hospitalisations for type 2 diabetes mellitus as principal diagnosis by complication, per 100 000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, by Indigenous status, 2003-04, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous (f)</i>	<i>Total</i>
<b>2004-05</b>				
Circulatory	rate	37.1	20.5	20.9
Renal	rate	323.5	16.2	21.5
Ophthalmic	rate	239.2	94.2	96.1
Other specified	rate	530.2	56.0	65.3
Multiple	rate	365.8	41.4	47.9
No complications	rate	24.0	3.8	4.2
<b>Total (g)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>1 519.8</b>	<b>232.2</b>	<b>256.1</b>
<b>2003-04</b>				
Circulatory	rate	46.0	19.2	19.7
Renal	rate	282.2	14.3	19.2
Ophthalmic	rate	274.3	80.1	82.8
Other specified	rate	527.6	53.6	62.5
Multiple	rate	439.3	42.8	50.3
No complications	rate	21.8	6.5	7.0
<b>Total (g)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>1 594.8</b>	<b>216.6</b>	<b>241.6</b>
<b>2002-03</b>				
Circulatory	rate	43.8	21.1	21.7
Renal	rate	255.1	11.2	15.7
Ophthalmic	rate	165.9	70.3	72.0
Other specified	rate	529.3	53.2	62.6
Multiple	rate	320.1	38.9	44.4
No complications	rate	36.9	7.7	8.4
<b>Total (g)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>1 353.3</b>	<b>202.7</b>	<b>225.1</b>
<b>2001-02</b>				
Circulatory	rate	83.2	31.5	32.4
Renal	rate	267.6	11.0	15.4
Ophthalmic	rate	164.1	55.1	56.8
Other specified	rate	324.1	43.7	48.6
Multiple	rate	309.4	31.0	36.2
No complications	rate	182.0	16.9	20.5
<b>Total (g)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>1 338.1</b>	<b>189.9</b>	<b>210.8</b>

**Table 9A.3.3 Standardised hospitalisations for type 2 diabetes mellitus as principal diagnosis by complication, per 100 000 people, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, by Indigenous status, 2003-04, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e)**

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- (a) Hospitalisation rates are directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.
- (b) Figures are based on the ICD-10-AM classification. The codes used were E11.x, where x=2 (renal complications), x=3 (ophthalmic complications), x=5 (peripheral circulatory complications), x=7 (multiple complications), x=8 (unspecified complications), x=9 (without complications), and x=0, 1, 4, 6 (other specified complications).
- (c) Results for individual complications may be affected by small numbers, particularly for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders, and should be interpreted with caution.
- (d) Although same day admission for dialysis is not normally coded with a principal diagnosis of Type 2 diabetes, the data contain a significant number in several jurisdictions.
- (e) Data are based on state/territory of usual residence.
- (f) Non-Indigenous includes hospitalisations identified as not Indigenous as well as those with a 'not stated' Indigenous status.
- (g) Totals include hospitalisations for unspecified complications.

*Source:* AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.4

**Table 9A.3.4 Standardised hospitalisations for potentially preventable acute conditions, per 100 000 people, by Indigenous status, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02, 2002-03 (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Total</i>
<b>2002-03</b>				
Dehydration and gastroenteritis	rate	333.1	206.1	207.8
Pyelonephritis (e)	rate	763.1	185.6	197.1
Perforated/bleeding ulcer	rate	27.6	26.6	26.7
Cellulitis	rate	537.7	133.9	147.1
Pelvic inflammatory disease	rate	100.0	30.4	33.2
Ear, nose and throat infections	rate	414.3	183.2	192.8
Dental conditions	rate	296.2	270.0	272.4
Appendicitis	rate	156.3	132.3	133.2
Convulsions and epilepsy	rate	818.3	136.6	156.7
Gangrene	rate	98.4	20.2	21.9
<b>Total (f)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>3 543.2</b>	<b>1 323.5</b>	<b>1 387.3</b>
<b>2001-02</b>				
Dehydration and gastroenteritis	rate	340.5	206.3	208.4
Pyelonephritis (e)	rate	750.7	183.5	195.6
Perforated/bleeding ulcer	rate	42.7	29.7	29.9
Cellulitis	rate	629	132.7	148.5
Pelvic inflammatory disease	rate	90.5	31.8	34.2
Ear, nose and throat infections	rate	392.2	179.0	188.7
Dental conditions	rate	276.5	255.5	258.0
Appendicitis	rate	138.6	131.4	131.3
Convulsions and epilepsy	rate	795.2	136.6	156.3
Gangrene	rate	90.8	21.5	23.1
<b>Total (f)</b>	<b>rate</b>	<b>3 542.1</b>	<b>1 307.0</b>	<b>1 372.8</b>

(a) Hospitalisation rates are directly age standardised using 2001 Australian population.

(b) Data are based on state/territory of usual residence.

(c) See appendix for the ICD-10-AM codes used to classify potentially preventable conditions.

(d) Non-Indigenous includes hospitalisations identified as not Indigenous as well as those with a 'not stated' Indigenous status.

(e) Kidney inflammation caused by bacterial infection.

(f) Totals may not equal the sum of the individual conditions due to rounding.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).



Table 9A.3.5

**Table 9A.3.5 Standardised hospitalisations for potentially preventable acute conditions, per 100000 people, by Indigenous status, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04, 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Total</i>
<b>2004-05</b>				
Dehydration and gastroenteritis	rate	372.8	215.1	218.0
Pyelonephritis (e)	rate	750.0	198.0	209.9
Perforated/bleeding ulcer	rate	36.0	23.5	23.7
Cellulitis	rate	555.0	134.2	148.3
Pelvic inflammatory disease	rate	83.8	24.9	27.4
Ear, nose and throat infections	rate	401.7	180.4	188.9
Dental conditions	rate	311.6	282.5	285.6
Appendicitis	rate	158.3	140.1	140.9
Convulsions and epilepsy	rate	870.7	135.2	157.0
Gangrene	rate	146.5	19.3	22.1
<b>Total (f)</b>	rate	3 684.3	1 352.2	1 420.7
<b>2003-04</b>				
Dehydration and gastroenteritis	rate	413.4	234.3	236.6
Pyelonephritis (e)	rate	660.7	190.6	201.3
Perforated/bleeding ulcer	rate	41.1	25.5	26.0
Cellulitis	rate	624.9	134.7	149.5
Pelvic inflammatory disease	rate	91.3	29.7	32.2
Ear, nose and throat infections	rate	420.4	184.0	194.4
Dental conditions	rate	303.0	276.6	278.5
Appendicitis	rate	159.1	135.1	135.6
Convulsions and epilepsy	rate	859.2	137.9	158.8
Gangrene	rate	107.6	21.8	23.7
<b>Total (f)</b>	rate	3 678.2	1 369.3	1 435.6

(a) Hospitalisation rates are directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(b) Data are based on state/territory of usual residence.

(c) See appendix for the ICD-10-AM codes used to classify potentially preventable conditions.

(d) Non-Indigenous includes hospitalisations identified as not Indigenous as well as those with a 'not stated' Indigenous status.

(e) Kidney inflammation caused by bacterial infection.

(f) Totals may not equal the sum of the individual conditions due to rounding.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.6

**Table 9A.3.6 Standardised hospitalisations for vaccine preventable conditions, per 100 000 people, by Indigenous status, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 to 2004-05 (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Total</i>
2004-05				
Influenza	rate	60.0	15.0	16.2
Other vaccine-preventable conditions	rate	65.2	11.2	13.0
2003-04				
Influenza	rate	65.7	27.5	29.5
Other vaccine-preventable conditions	rate	70.2	9.3	11.0
2002-03				
Influenza	rate	68.2	24.9	26.1
Other vaccine-preventable conditions	rate	57.5	12.2	13.6
2001-02				
Influenza	rate	66.1	24.4	25.5
Other vaccine-preventable conditions	rate	76.7	16.0	18.1

(a) Hospitalisation rates are directly age standardised using 2001 Australian population.

(b) Data are based on state/territory of usual residence.

(c) See appendix for the ICD-10-AM codes used to classify potentially preventable conditions.

(d) Non-Indigenous includes hospitalisations identified as not Indigenous as well as those with a 'not stated' Indigenous status.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.7

**Table 9A.3.7 Standardised hospitalisations for infections with a predominantly sexual mode of transmission, per 100000 people, by Indigenous status, Queensland, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Total</i>
2004-05				
Syphilis (A50-A53)	rate	59.3	2.4	3.9
Gonococcal infection (A54)	rate	53.3	0.8	3.3
Chlamydial infection (A55-A56)	rate	28.0	2.2	3.5
Other sexually transmitted diseases (A57-A64)	rate	68.0	21.6	23.5
2003-04				
Syphilis (A50-A53)	rate	65.9	3.2	4.9
Gonococcal infection (A54)	rate	48.3	0.8	2.9
Chlamydial infection (A55-A56)	rate	27.1	1.6	2.9
Other sexually transmitted diseases (A57-A64)	rate	82.2	22.7	24.9
2002-03				
Syphilis (A50-A53)	rate	63.7	4.0	5.7
Gonococcal infection (A54)	rate	54.1	1.0	3.4
Chlamydial infection (A55-A56)	rate	24.9	1.5	2.7
Other sexually transmitted diseases (A57-A64)	rate	85.5	24.5	26.9
2001-02				
Syphilis (A50-A53)	rate	79.4	3.8	5.8
Gonococcal infection (A54)	rate	48.4	1.1	3.3
Chlamydial infection (A55-A56)	rate	23.1	1.2	2.3
Other sexually transmitted diseases (A57-A64)	rate	71.9	24.9	26.8

(a) Hospitalisation rates are directly age standardised using 2001 Australian population.

(b) Data are based on state/territory of usual residence.

(c) Includes principal or additional diagnosis based on ICD-10-AM classification.

(d) Non-Indigenous includes hospitalisations identified as not Indigenous as well as those with a 'not stated' Indigenous status.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.8

**Table 9A.3.8 Health care services Indigenous people sought when they had a health problem, by remoteness, 2004–05 (a)**

	Unit	All ages			18 years and over		
		Non-remote (b)	Remote (c)	Total	Non-remote (b)	Remote (c)	Total
Hospital							
Estimate	'000	12.7	20.2	33.0	6.6	11.7	18.3
Proportion	%	3.7	16.1	7.0	3.6	16.1	7.1
RSE	%	15.1	16.8	11.6	16.4	17.3	12.2
Doctor							
Estimate	'000	264.6	18.8	283.4	138.5	9.6	148.2
Proportion	%	76.0	14.9	59.8	74.7	13.2	57.4
RSE	%	1.9	13.0	2.0	2.0	15.0	2.1
Aboriginal medical service							
Estimate	'000	60.6	83.1	143.7	32.4	48.2	80.7
Proportion	%	17.4	66.0	30.3	17.5	66.3	31.2
RSE	%	8.0	5.2	4.8	7.7	5.4	4.7
Other (d)							
Estimate	'000	2.3	2.0	4.3	1.8	1.6	3.4
Proportion	%	0.7	1.6	0.9	1.0	2.2	1.3
RSE	%	26.2	47.5	25.9	27.1	53.6	28.9
Did not seek health care							
Estimate	'000	7.2	1.5	8.7	5.7	1.3	7.0
Proportion	%	2.1	1.2	1.8	3.1	1.8	2.7
RSE	%	13.4	24.7	11.7	14.8	26.3	12.9
Not stated							
Estimate	'000	0.8	0.3	1.1	0.4	0.3	0.7
Proportion	%	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3
RSE	%	38.0	82.5	35.9	45.5	84.9	44.5
Total							
Estimate	'000	348.3	126.0	474.3	185.5	72.8	258.3
Proportion	%	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
RSE	%	—	—	—	—	—	—

(a) Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories: major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. The degree of remoteness of an area is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).

(b) Includes 'major city', inner regional' and 'outer regional' categories of the ASGC.

(c) Includes 'remote' and 'very remote' categories of the ASGC.

(d) Includes traditional healers.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **RSE** Relative standard error.

Source: ABS 2004-05 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.9

Table 9A.3.9 Time since last consulted GP/specialist, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by Indigenous status and remoteness, 2001, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous						Non-Indigenous			
	Remote (b)			Non-remote (c)			Total		AS Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
2004-05										
Visited in previous 2 weeks	24.5	6.2		24.9	4.5		24.8	3.7	28.7	4.2
2 weeks to less than 3 months	23.5	6.1		25.3	4.5		24.8	3.6	26.7	4.0
3 months to less than 6 months	12.1	9.5		15.8	7.1		14.7	5.9	13.4	6.7
6 months to less than 12 months	11.8	10.6		14.2	5.6		13.5	5.0	12.1	5.6
12 months or more	24.8	6.5		18.9	5.6		20.6	4.2	17.8	4.7
Never	1.8	22.3		0.4	36.5		0.8	19.1	0.7	21.6
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>100.0</b>			<b>100.0</b>			<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>	
2001										
Visited in previous 2 weeks	19.4	10.0		22.7	6.8		21.8	5.3	26.6	6.6
2 weeks to less than 3 months	15.8	6.6		29.8	5.1		25.9	4.2	26.3	5.2
3 months to less than 6 months	9.7	7.5		16.5	7.1		14.6	6.0	13.3	7.4
6 months to less than 12 months	11.6	9.4		14.2	7.5		13.5	6.0	11.6	7.4
12 months or more	30.2	9.0		15.4	7.4		19.4	5.0	18.8	6.2
Never	8.7	15.6		0.7	22.7		2.9	13.0	2.1	15.9
<b>Total (d)</b>	<b>100.0</b>			<b>100.0</b>			<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>	

Table 9A.3.9      **Time since last consulted GP/specialist, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by Indigenous status and remoteness, 2001, 2004-05 (a)**

- (a)

Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories: major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. The degree of remoteness of an area is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).
- (b)

Includes 'remote' and 'very remote' categories of the ASGC.
- (c)

Includes 'major city', inner regional' and 'outer regional' categories of the ASGC.
- (d)

Includes 'time since last consultation' not known.

**AS** Age standardised. **RSE** Relative standard error.

Source : ABS 2004-05 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.10

Table 9A.3.10 Time since last consulted dentist, people aged two years and over, age standardised, by Indigenous status and remoteness, 2001, 2004-05 (a)

	Indigenous						Non-Indigenous			
	Remote (b)			Non-remote (c)			Total		AS Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
2004-05										
Less than 6 months	21.1	6.2	22.7	4.2	22.3	3.4	20.0	4.1	28.9	1.4
6 months to less than two years	25.1	5.3	33.9	3.0	31.6	2.6	29.4	3.2	36.9	1.1
2 years or more	25.3	6.3	29.4	3.3	28.3	2.9	35.7	3.5	28.8	1.2
Never (d)	26.8	5.9	13.1	5.2	16.8	4.0	na	na	na	na
<b>Total (e)</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>	
2001										
Less than 6 months	24.4	10.1	24.2	4.6	24.2	3.7	21.5	4.5	30.1	1.3
6 months to less than two years	24.1	9.3	30.6	4.9	28.9	3.5	26.5	4.3	34.0	1.1
2 years or more	27.8	9.4	34.7	4.1	32.8	3.1	42.8	3.9	31.3	1.1
Never (d)	21.5	11.1	9.6	7.9	12.8	5.3	na	na	na	na
<b>Total (e)</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>		<b>100.0</b>	

(a) Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories: major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. The degree of remoteness of an area is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).

Table 9A.3.10      **Time since last consulted dentist, people aged two years and over, age standardised, by Indigenous status and remoteness, 2001, 2004-05 (a)**

(b)	Includes 'remote' and 'very remote' categories of the ASGC.
(c)	Includes 'major city', 'inner regional' and 'outer regional' categories of the ASGC.
(d)	Statistical testing indicates that this data item is not suitable for age standardisation.
(e)	Includes 'time since last consultation' not known.
na	Not available for publication but included in totals where applicable. <b>RSE</b> Relative standard error.
Source : ABS 2004-05 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (unpublished).	



Table 9A.3.11

Table 9A.3.11 Reasons for not going to a GP in the last 12 months, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by remoteness, 2004–05 (a)

	Remote (b)			Non-remote (c)			Total		
	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
Cost	0.3	3.4	66.0	7.0	14.2	12.7	7.3	12.4	12.4
Personal reasons (d)	3.6	36.3	11.9	19.7	40.1	6.5	23.2	39.5	5.8
Logistical reasons (e)	4.4	44.9	10.3	10.5	21.5	10.7	15.0	25.4	8.3
Other reason(s)	2.2	22.5	14.3	13.7	27.9	7.5	15.9	27.0	6.8
Decided not to seek care	0.5	5.2	24.6	5.6	11.4	12.3	6.1	10.3	11.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>49.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>58.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	

(a) Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories: major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. The degree of remoteness of an area is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).

(b) Includes 'remote' and 'very remote' categories of the ASGC.

(c) Includes 'major city', inner regional' and 'outer regional' categories of the ASGC.

(d) Personal reasons include: too busy (work, personal or family responsibilities), discrimination, service not culturally appropriate, language problems, dislikes service or health professional, afraid, embarrassed, or felt service would be inadequate.

(e) Includes transport/distance, service not available in area, waiting time too long, or service not available at the time required.

**RSE** Relative standard error.

Source: ABS 2004-05 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.12

Table 9A.3.12 Reasons for not going to a dentist in the last 12 months, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by remoteness, 2004–05 (a)

	Remote (b)			Non-Remote (c)			Total		
	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
Cost	2.7	16.2	19.1	21.0	33.7	6.6	23.7	30.0	6.1
Personal reasons (d)	5.7	34.2	10.4	24.9	39.9	6.0	30.6	38.7	5.2
Logistical reasons (e)	8.8	52.9	6.5	16.5	26.6	7.2	25.3	32.1	5.4
Other reason(s)	1.0	6.2	31.0	3.5	5.6	17.8	4.5	5.8	15.6
Decided not to seek care	1.4	8.6	19.1	9.0	14.5	14.0	10.4	13.2	12.3
Not stated	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>16.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>62.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>78.9</b>	<b>100.0</b>	

(a) Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories: major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. The degree of remoteness of an area is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).

(b) Includes 'remote' and 'very remote' categories of the ASGC.

(c) Includes 'major city', inner regional' and 'outer regional' categories of the ASGC.

(d) Personal reasons include: too busy (work, personal or family responsibilities), discrimination, service not culturally appropriate, language problems, dislikes service or health professional, afraid, embarrassed, or felt service would be inadequate.

(e) Includes transport/distance, service not available in area, waiting time too long, or service not available at the time required.

**RSE** Relative standard error.

Source : ABS 2004-05 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (unpublished).

Table 9A.3.13

Table 9A.3.13 Reasons for not going to other health professionals in the last 12 months, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by remoteness, 2004–05 (a) (b)

	Remote (c)			Non-remote (d)			Total		
	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
Cost	0.3	6.0	48.9	8.6	34.2	9.5	8.9	29.5	9.8
Personal reasons (e)	1.9	38.7	13.3	10.6	42.1	8.0	12.5	41.5	7.1
Logistical reasons (f)	2.3	45.8	12.0	3.5	13.7	18.0	5.7	19.0	12.3
Other reason(s)	0.5	9.3	33.8	2.6	10.1	19.8	3.0	10.0	17.5
Decided not to seek care	0.9	17.7	24.2	4.5	18.0	14.0	5.4	17.9	12.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>25.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>30.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	

(a) Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories: major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. The degree of remoteness of an area is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).

(b) Other health professionals include Aboriginal health workers, accredited counsellors, acupuncturists, alcohol and drug workers, audiologists/audiometrists, chemists, chiropodists/podiatrists, chiropractors, dieticians/nutritionists, herbalists, hypnotherapists, naturopaths, nurses, occupational therapists, opticians/optometrists, osteopaths, physiotherapists/hydrotherapists, psychologists, social workers/welfare officers, speech therapists/pathologists, and traditional healers.

(c) Includes 'remote' and 'very remote' categories of the ASGC.

(d) Includes 'major city', inner regional' and 'outer regional' categories of the ASGC.

(e) Personal reasons include: too busy (work, personal or family responsibilities), discrimination, service not culturally appropriate, language problems, dislikes service or health professional, afraid, embarrassed, or felt service would be inadequate.

(f) Includes transport/distance, service not available in area, waiting time too long, or service not available at the time required.

**RSE** Relative Standard Error.

Source : ABS 2004-05 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.1

**Table 9A.4.1 K5 level of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a)**

	Low/Moderate distress level (b)			High/Very high distress level (c)			Total (d)	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Rate Ratio (e)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Rate Ratio (e)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%) : Ratio (e)
NSW	72.5	2.9	0.8	27.1	7.5	2.1	100.0	–
Victoria	69.6	5.2	0.8	29.4	12.1	2.1	100.0	–
Queensland	72.4	2.6	0.8	26.6	7.3	1.9	100.0	–
WA	70.6	4.0	0.8	27.9	10.3	2.6	100.0	–
SA	67.1	4.4	0.8	30.2	10.1	2.1	100.0	–
Tasmania	65.0	5.1	0.7	34.8	9.5	2.9	100.0	–
ACT	73.8	3.3	0.8	21.0	9.6	2.5	100.0	–
NT (c)	66.2	6.0	0.8	33.8	11.7	1.5	100.0	–
Total	71.3	1.5	0.8	27.2	3.8	2.0	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Represents a K5 score of 5–11.

(c) Represents a K5 score of 12–25.

(d) Includes refusals and persons with no K5 score.

(e) Rate ratios are age standardised within each state to compare Indigenous to non-Indigenous prevalence

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) 2006, *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05* (NATSIHS 2004-05), Cat. no. 4715.0 (unpublished); *National Health Survey 2004-05* (NHS 2004-05), Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.2

Table 9A.4.2      **K5 level of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, by age groups, Australia, 2004–05 (a)**

	18–24		25–34		35–44		45–54		55+		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<b>Indigenous</b>												
Low/ Moderate distress level (b)	72.8	2.7	71.4	2.5	69.6	2.9	69.3	3.7	73.8	3.4	71.5	1.6
High/ Very high distress level (c)	26.0	7.3	27.1	6.6	29.2	6.5	29.5	8.7	23.0	10.5	26.6	4.3
<b>Total (d)</b>	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<b>Non-Indigenous</b>												
Low/ Moderate distress level (b)	83.8	1.3	87.7	0.8	86.4	0.8	86.2	0.8	88.2	0.3	86.8	0.3
High/ Very high distress level (c)	16.1	7.0	12.3	6.0	13.4	5.0	13.6	4.9	11.7	2.2	13.1	2.2
<b>Total (d)</b>	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Represents a K5 score of 5–11.

(c) Represents a K5 score of 12–25.

(d) Includes refusals and persons with no K5 score.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004–05 (unpublished); NHS 2004–05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.3

**Table 9A.4.3      K5 level of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by remoteness areas, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b)**

	Major Cities		Regional		Remote		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<b><i>Indigenous</i></b>								
Low/ Moderate distress level (c)	73.7	3.2	70.8	2.5	70.1	2.8	71.5	1.6
High/ Very high distress level (d)	25.6	9.1	28.4	6.0	25.2	7.4	26.6	4.3
<b>Total (e)</b>	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<b><i>Non-Indigenous</i></b>								
Low/ Moderate distress level (c)	87.1	0.4	86.3	0.8	88.6	2.2	86.8	0.3
High/ Very high distress level (d)	12.8	2.9	13.6	4.7	11.4	17.0	13.1	2.2
<b>Total (e)</b>	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Regional includes inner and outer regional areas. Remote includes remote and very remote areas. See glossary for definitions of remoteness areas.

(c) Represents a K5 score of 5–11.

(d) Represents a K5 score of 12–25.

(e) Includes refusals and persons with no K5 score.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004–05 (unpublished); NHS 2004–05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.4

**Table 9A.4.4 K5 level of current psychological distress, by reported stressor in the last 12 months, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, 2004-05 (a)**

	Low/ Moderate distress level (b)		High/ Very high distress level (c)		Total (d)	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
Serious illness or disability	63.4	3.1	35.0	5.4		
Serious accident	63.0	5.2	33.7	9.0	100.0	–
Death of family member or close friend	66.0	2.4	32.3	4.8	100.0	–
Divorce or separation	61.8	4.7	38.2	7.6	100.0	–
Not able to get a job	63.0	3.6	36.7	6.2	100.0	–
Lost job, made redundant, sacked	64.3	6.3	35.7	11.4	100.0	–
Alcohol related problems	59.1	3.8	39.2	5.7	100.0	–
Drug related problems	59.1	4.2	40.5	6.1	100.0	–
Witness to violence	62.2	4.3	35.6	7.1	100.0	–
Abuse or violent crime	55.8	5.3	42.2	6.9	100.0	–
Trouble with the police	60.3	4.3	38.0	6.6	100.0	–
Gambling problem	59.3	4.4	38.7	6.7	100.0	–
Member of family sent to jail/currently in jail	62.9	3.8	35.1	6.9	100.0	–
Overcrowding at home	58.8	3.9	37.7	5.7	100.0	–
Treated badly because Aboriginal/Torres Strait Islander	61.0	4.5	38.3	7.1	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Represents a K5 score of 5–11.

(c) Represents a K5 score of 12–25.

(d) Includes refusals and persons with no K5 score.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004–05 (unpublished); NHS 2004–05 (unpublished).

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Table 9A.4.5

Table 9A.4.5      **K5 level of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, Australia, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
Low/ Moderate distress level (b)	71.5	1.6	86.8	0.3
High/ Very high distress level (c)	26.6	4.3	13.1	2.2
Not applicable, unable to determine level (d)	1.9	20.5	0.1	25.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>–</b>

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Represents a K5 score of 5–11.

(c) Represents a K5 score of 12–25.

(d) Includes refusals and persons with no K5 score.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) 2006, *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05* (NATSIHS 2004-05), Cat. no. 4715.0 (unpublished); *National Health Survey 2004-05* (NHS 2004-05), Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).



Table 9A.4.6

**Table 9A.4.6      How often physical health problems were the main cause of negative feelings in the last four weeks, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, Australia, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
All of the time	5.3	8.9
Most of the time	6.9	9.4
Some of the time	9.0	6.8
A little of the time	9.8	6.9
None of the time	48.0	2.2
Not applicable, refusal, don't know/not stated	21.0	5.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	—

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Persons aged 18 years and over who scored greater than 1 on a K5 item.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004-05 (unpublished); NHS 2004-05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.7

Table 9A.4.7      **Whether had days unable to work/carry out normal activities due to negative feelings in last four weeks, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, Australia, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
Yes	17.1	5.1
No	63.4	1.7
Refusal, don't know/not stated	0.4	35.8
<b>Total (c)</b>	<b>100.0</b>	—

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Persons aged 18 years and over who scored greater than 1 on a K5 item.

(c) Includes Not applicable

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004-05 (unpublished); NHS 2004-05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.8

Table 9A.4.8      **Number of days unable to work/carry out normal activities because of negative feelings in the last four weeks, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, Australia, 2004-05 (a)**

	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
less than 5 days	91.3	0.7
5–10 days	4.1	13.2
11 or more days	4.3	9.2
Not applicable, refusal, don't know/not stated	0.4	28.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004-05 (unpublished); NHS 2004-05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.9

**Table 9A.4.9 Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a), (b)**

	NSW		Victoria		Queensland		WA		SA		Tasmania		ACT		NT (d)		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<b>Indigenous</b>																		
<i>Nervous</i>																		
All/most of the time	10.7	14.0	13.9	21.2	8.0	19.5	10.0	16.6	8.8	15.1	13.1	15.6	6.1	34.2	na	na	9.3	7.7
Some of the time	17.2	10.6	19.9	21.3	20.2	10.7	17.0	11.9	19.0	12.8	21.3	13.2	21.3	17.6	na	na	19.2	4.9
A little of the time	29.7	7.9	23.2	17.5	22.0	8.0	20.3	9.1	24.5	10.5	26.9	9.9	25.9	14.6	na	na	23.5	4.1
None of the time	41.9	6.8	42.3	10.0	48.9	5.7	49.7	6.5	46.5	7.5	38.5	10.5	46.7	12.2	na	na	46.5	2.9
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100	–	100	–	100	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	na	na	100.0	–
<i>Without hope</i>																		
All/most of the time	6.7	17.9	8.4	20.1	7.8	17.4	7.8	20.1	6.7	18.3	11.2	24.0	8.6	31.8	na	na	7.2	8.3
Some of the time	11.2	13.8	13.8	17.9	12.9	10.7	13.0	14.6	12.8	18.2	16.0	13.2	13.5	19.4	na	na	12.8	5.7
A little of the time	17.0	11.6	10.5	29.1	14.7	10.7	15.7	10.0	14.6	12.2	14.4	14.2	12.1	27.1	na	na	15.0	5.9
None of the time	64.6	4.1	66.6	7.0	63.9	3.6	58.4	5.4	64.3	5.0	58.3	5.4	65.8	7.9	na	na	63.1	2.0
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100	–	100	–	100	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	na	na	100.0	–
<i>Restless or jumpy</i>																		
All/most of the time	14.4	14.3	16.7	20.7	10.5	16.0	13.7	13.3	12.0	16.2	16.2	13.1	16.6	20.0	na	na	12.1	6.8
Some of the time	17.3	9.9	18.3	12.3	22.2	9.4	19.3	12.3	20.1	14.4	25.9	10.9	25.8	15.8	na	na	19.7	4.8
A little of the time	27.1	7.5	25.2	16.6	24.4	9.5	20.2	9.9	23.6	12.5	23.6	11.5	21.5	18.7	na	na	23.1	4.4
None of the time	40.7	6.3	39.2	12.8	42.1	6.4	43.1	6.8	43.0	8.6	34.1	9.7	36.2	14.7	na	na	43.3	2.9
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100	–	100	–	100	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	na	na	100.0	–
<i>That everything was an effort</i>																		
All/most of the time	16.1	11.1	19.3	16.1	19.3	10.4	18.7	13.2	18.0	14.2	20.7	15.4	20.7	24.0	na	na	16.6	5.1
Some of the time	18.7	10.3	18.9	14.8	20.4	9.2	19.5	10.7	19.9	12.4	25.0	13.7	20.5	21.4	na	na	19.8	4.5
A little of the time	25.1	9.9	22.6	17.6	25.3	7.8	18.6	10.5	23.4	10.6	20.7	9.8	23.7	19.6	na	na	22.7	4.4
None of the time	39.7	7.5	38.5	13.6	34.2	6.4	39.1	9.0	37.3	10.6	33.5	10.6	35.1	18.0	na	na	39.2	3.4
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100	–	100	–	100	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	na	na	100.0	–

Table 9A.4.9

**Table 9A.4.9 Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a), (b)**

	NSW		Victoria		Queensland		WA		SA		Tasmania		ACT		NT (d)		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>So sad that nothing could cheer you up</i>																		
All/most of the time	6.3	15.5	10.3	21.8	6.4	20.9	10.5	16.7	7.5	18.5	9.8	17.7	8.7	34.7	na	na	7.2	7.5
Some of the time	9.4	13.7	10.4	20.3	16.0	10.3	15.1	12.3	14.3	16.0	12.4	16.1	10.6	27.7	na	na	13.4	5.4
A little of the time	18.8	12.4	12.3	17.3	17.3	11.5	13.9	13.9	16.6	13.3	18.2	13.8	14.6	22.9	na	na	16.2	6.0
None of the time	65.1	4.4	66.4	5.1	59.5	3.7	56.8	5.7	58.2	5.8	59.5	6.5	66.1	8.4	na	na	61.5	2.1
Total (c)	100.0	—	100.0	—	100	—	100	—	100	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	na	na	100.0	—
<b>Non-Indigenous</b>																		
<b>Nervous</b>																		
All/most of the time	5.9	7.7	5.5	7.6	4.4	8.9	3.6	12.5	4.1	11.2	5.0	10.0	4.6	15.1	np	np	5.1	4.7
Some of the time	13.1	4.7	16.4	4.6	13.6	5.7	11.4	7.4	13.3	4.6	11.4	7.0	13.2	6.7	np	np	13.8	2.5
A little of the time	28.1	2.6	26.8	2.9	25.7	3.6	25.3	4.4	28.8	3.3	24.0	5.3	33.3	3.5	np	np	27.0	1.6
None of the time	52.9	1.6	51.0	2.2	56.2	1.9	59.7	2.1	53.7	2.0	59.4	2.3	48.8	2.6	np	np	53.9	1.0
Total (c)	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	np	np	100.0	—
<b>Hopeless</b>																		
All/most of the time	2.7	11.3	3.1	10.4	3.0	10.6	2.7	14.4	2.4	10.5	3.3	15.4	2.4	18.5	np	np	2.8	5.8
Some of the time	5.9	7.3	6.6	6.6	6.7	7.0	5.7	10.2	5.3	8.9	5.4	10.3	5.7	12.0	np	np	6.2	3.1
A little of the time	13.4	4.9	14.5	4.9	14.2	5.0	12.2	7.6	14.7	5.2	11.8	7.5	15.9	6.0	np	np	13.8	2.7
None of the time	78.0	1.0	75.4	1.2	76.0	1.1	79.4	1.5	77.5	1.1	79.4	1.3	76.0	1.7	np	np	77.1	0.6
Total (c)	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	np	np	100.0	—
<b>Restless or fidgety</b>																		
All/most of the time	7.0	6.6	7.3	6.3	7.8	6.4	6.7	9.4	7.7	8.5	7.5	8.6	6.5	12.7	np	np	7.3	3.5
Some of the time	18.0	4.1	19.8	4.1	19.2	4.2	18.2	6.3	19.7	3.4	16.2	5.4	22.3	5.2	np	np	18.9	2.1
A little of the time	27.6	2.6	28.5	2.9	26.6	3.7	27.4	4.0	29.7	3.2	26.9	4.3	34.5	4.2	np	np	27.9	1.4
None of the time	47.5	1.8	44.0	2.5	46.3	2.6	47.7	3.0	42.9	1.9	49.3	2.7	36.7	3.5	np	np	45.9	1.2
Total (c)	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	np	np	100.0	—

Table 9A.4.9

**Table 9A.4.9 Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a), (b)**

	NSW		Victoria		Queensland		WA		SA		Tasmania		ACT		NT (d)		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>That everything was an effort</i>																		
All/most of the time	7.6	4.7	7.2	6.9	8.5	6.4	7	9.9	7	5.7	8.7	7.8	7.2	10.6	np	np	7.6	3
Some of the time	13.6	4.4	15	4.9	16.2	4.9	13.8	5.2	14.9	5.5	12.1	6.3	14.6	6.5	np	np	14.6	2.5
A little of the time	25.7	2.6	25.7	3.2	24	3.1	25.7	4.3	26	3.4	23.1	5	26.8	6.3	np	np	25.3	1.5
None of the time	53	1.5	51.7	1.9	51.1	1.8	53.6	2.4	52.1	2.0	56	2.4	51.4	3.1	np	np	52.4	0.8
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	np	np	100.0	–
<i>So sad that nothing could cheer you up</i>																		
All/most of the time	2.4	10.1	2.5	10.5	1.8	15.6	2.0	17.5	1.9	12.1	1.9	15.0	1.7	22.0	np	np	2.2	5.0
Some of the time	5.5	7.7	5.2	8.5	5.1	8.4	5.0	11.1	5.1	7.6	4.2	12.7	5.4	14.5	np	np	5.2	4.0
A little of the time	11.9	5.3	12.2	5.4	12.5	5.3	11.8	7.6	12.4	5.3	10.4	8.3	11.8	8.1	np	np	12.0	2.3
None of the time	80.2	1.0	79.8	1.0	80.6	1.0	81.2	1.2	80.5	0.9	83.4	1.3	81.2	1.5	np	np	80.4	0.5
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	np	np	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Relates to the four week period prior to interview.

(b) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(c) Includes not known and not stated responses and refusals.

(d) Since 2000, the sample in the NT for some social surveys (including the 2004-05 National Health Survey) has been reduced to a level such that NT records contribute appropriately to national estimates but will not support reliable estimates for the NT.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero. np Not published.

Source : ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004-05 (unpublished); NHS 2004-05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.10

Table 9A.4.10      **Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by sex, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b)**

	Males		Females		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<b>Indigenous</b>						
<i>Nervous</i>						
All/most of the time	6.5	13.2	11.7	8.9	9.3	7.7
Some of the time	17.1	7.9	21.1	5.7	19.2	4.9
A little of the time	22.6	6.0	24.2	5.3	23.5	4.1
None of the time	52.2	4.0	41.6	3.9	46.5	2.9
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Without hope</i>						
All/most of the time	6.8	13.5	7.5	9.5	7.2	8.3
Some of the time	10.0	10.2	15.1	7.1	12.8	5.7
A little of the time	14.0	9.2	15.8	6.5	15.0	5.9
None of the time	67.2	2.6	59.5	2.5	63.1	2.0
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Restless or jumpy</i>						
All/most of the time	10.5	12.1	13.6	8.0	12.1	6.8
Some of the time	18.8	7.7	20.4	5.5	19.7	4.8
A little of the time	23.0	6.2	23.2	6.0	23.1	4.4
None of the time	46.0	4.3	41.0	3.7	43.3	2.9
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>That everything was an effort</i>						
All/most of the time	14.2	8.8	18.7	6.0	16.6	5.1
Some of the time	17.1	7.3	22.1	5.6	19.8	4.5
A little of the time	22.1	6.6	23.1	6.2	22.7	4.4
None of the time	44.9	4.6	34.2	4.6	39.2	3.4
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>So sad that nothing could cheer you up</i>						
All/most of the time	5.1	14.1	9.1	8.8	7.2	7.5
Some of the time	10.3	10.2	16.0	5.7	13.4	5.4
A little of the time	14.2	9.6	17.9	6.9	16.2	6.0
None of the time	68.7	2.6	55.1	2.8	61.5	2.1
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–

Table 9A.4.10

Table 9A.4.10      **Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by sex, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b)**

	Males		Females		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<b>Non-Indigenous</b>						
<i>Nervous</i>						
All/most of the time	3.8	6.2	6.4	5.3	5.1	4.7
Some of the time	12.2	4.0	15.4	3.0	13.8	2.5
A little of the time	26.3	2.4	27.8	2.2	27.0	1.6
None of the time	57.6	1.2	50.3	1.4	53.9	1.0
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Hopeless</i>						
All/most of the time	2.4	9.9	3.3	6.1	2.8	5.8
Some of the time	5.0	5.6	7.3	3.8	6.2	3.1
A little of the time	12.3	4.0	15.2	3.2	13.8	2.7
None of the time	80.1	0.7	74.1	0.7	77.1	0.6
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Restless or fidgety</i>						
All/most of the time	7.6	4.8	6.9	4.7	7.3	3.5
Some of the time	18.4	3.1	19.3	2.8	18.9	2.1
A little of the time	28.4	2.1	27.4	1.8	27.9	1.4
None of the time	45.5	1.8	46.3	1.5	45.9	1.2
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>That everything was an effort</i>						
All/most of the time	6.8	5.4	8.4	4.1	7.6	3
Some of the time	13.3	4.5	15.8	3	14.6	2.5
A little of the time	24.1	2.5	26.5	2	25.3	1.5
None of the time	55.7	1.1	49.1	1.1	52.4	0.8
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>So sad that nothing could cheer you up</i>						
All/most of the time	1.8	9.1	2.6	6.4	2.2	5.0
Some of the time	3.9	5.8	6.5	4.4	5.3	4.0
A little of the time	10.2	4.1	13.8	3.3	12.0	2.3
None of the time	83.9	0.7	76.9	0.7	80.4	0.5
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution.

Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Relates to the four week period prior to interview.

(c) Includes not known and not stated responses and refusals.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004–05 (unpublished); NHS 2004–05 (unpublished).



Table 9A.4.11

Table 9A.4.11      **Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, by age groups, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b)**

	18–24			25–34			35–44			45–54			55+			Total		
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	
<b>Indigenous</b>																		
<i>Nervous</i>																		
All/most of the time	6.2	14.5		9.2	11.2		9.5	13.2		11.2	15.1		9.4	16.4		8.9	6.8	
Some of the time	22.4	9.3		18.9	7.4		20.8	8.5		19.6	11.1		16.8	13.2		19.9	4.3	
A little of the time	32.1	6.6		26.5	6.5		24.9	7.0		21.3	9.2		18.0	10.6		25.5	3.6	
None of the time	38.2	6.3		44.7	4.7		43.6	4.3		46.7	6.2		53.3	4.9		44.4	2.6	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	
<i>Without hope</i>																		
All/most of the time	6.2	16.5		7.0	13.6		8.8	11.6		7.7	18.0		6.2	20.0		7.2	7.4	
Some of the time	13.3	10.7		12.3	10.6		14.8	9.6		11.8	13.3		12.1	14.3		13.0	5.1	
A little of the time	16.8	9.4		16.9	8.4		14.7	10.1		15.0	12.3		13.0	15.0		15.6	5.2	
None of the time	62.2	3.5		62.0	3.4		60.2	3.5		64.0	4.4		65.7	3.9		62.4	1.8	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	
<i>Restless or jumpy</i>																		
All/most of the time	10.3	13.9		13.6	13.4		13.9	10.4		13.9	14.1		9.7	15.9		12.5	6.0	
Some of the time	21.8	8.3		21.8	6.0		19.2	8.4		18.8	10.2		18.1	10.6		20.3	4.2	
A little of the time	25.6	7.7		25.6	7.4		25.8	7.4		22.2	9.0		19.2	12.1		24.3	3.9	
None of the time	41.1	5.5		38.0	5.0		39.9	5.2		43.8	6.1		49.9	5.3		41.5	2.6	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	

Table 9A.4.11

Table 9A.4.11      **Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, by age groups, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b)**

	18–24			25–34			35–44			45–54			55+			Total		
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	
<i>That everything was an effort</i>																		
All/most of the time	12.3	10.4		19.8	8.1		17.4	9.5		17.1	10.6		15.4	13.0		16.6	4.5	
Some of the time	22.9	8.7		19.6	8.0		22.5	8.5		20.3	9.3		16.3	11.4		20.7	4.0	
A little of the time	26.0	8.1		23.0	8.4		22.2	7.7		21.2	11.0		22.2	11.3		23.1	3.9	
None of the time	37.3	5.5		36.4	5.8		37.1	6.0		40.1	7.0		42.8	6.8		38.1	3.0	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	
<i>So sad that nothing could cheer you up</i>																		
All/most of the time	5.4	15.6		7.1	11.6		8.6	13.5		7.8	15.0		6.8	17.9		7.1	6.6	
Some of the time	14.3	11.4		12.7	9.3		13.2	9.7		14.1	11.0		13.0	12.4		13.4	4.8	
A little of the time	15.8	10.0		15.6	10.5		15.8	10.8		16.1	12.0		17.1	13.9		16.0	5.3	
None of the time	63.5	3.5		63.6	3.2		61.5	3.5		60.7	3.7		59.5	4.3		62.1	1.8	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>																		
<i>Nervous</i>																		
All/most of the time	5.1	11.2		3.9	9.3		5.2	8.5		5.7	9.1		5.6	7.8		5.2	4.7	
Some of the time	15.4	8.3		16.1	4.6		13.8	4.8		14.4	6.1		11.2	5.5		13.7	2.5	
A little of the time	34.4	4.2		32.7	3.1		29.9	3.5		26.6	3.4		18.3	3.2		26.8	1.6	
None of the time	45.1	3.2		47.2	2.2		51.0	2.0		53.1	1.9		64.7	1.4		54.1	1.0	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	

Table 9A.4.11

**Table 9A.4.11 Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, by age groups, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b)**

	18–24			25–34			35–44			45–54			55+			Total		
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	
<i>Hopeless</i>																		
All/most of the time	2.7	16.6		2.5	12.5		2.3	11.7		3.4	10.7		3.1	9.1		2.8	5.8	
Some of the time	6.7	11.7		6.6	7.6		6.6	5.8		5.6	7.4		5.7	6.1		6.2	3.1	
A little of the time	18.6	5.9		17.0	4.5		15.6	4.3		12.5	6.0		9.1	4.6		13.7	2.7	
None of the time	71.9	1.8		73.9	1.3		75.4	1.1		78.2	1.1		81.9	0.7		77.2	0.6	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	
<i>Restless or fidgety</i>																		
All/most of the time	10.3	8.5		7.4	7.9		7.0	7.9		6.9	7.8		6.2	6.0		7.2	3.5	
Some of the time	26.9	4.1		22.5	4.3		18.6	4.0		18.6	4.7		13.2	4.5		18.7	2.1	
A little of the time	32.3	4.2		31.5	3.0		30.3	2.4		27.3	3.3		22.2	2.8		27.7	1.4	
None of the time	30.5	4.1		38.5	3.4		44.0	2.2		47.0	2.5		58.2	1.4		46.2	1.2	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	
<i>That everything was an effort</i>																		
All/most of the time	7.6	10.4		6.6	9.1		7.0	5.9		8.0	6.9		8.5	4.2		7.7	3.0	
Some of the time	15.5	6.6		15.4	4.6		16.2	4.9		14.2	5.8		12.7	4.4		14.5	2.5	
A little of the time	28.1	3.9		29.1	3.4		28.0	2.6		25.2	3.9		19.8	3.1		25.2	1.5	
None of the time	48.8	2.8		48.8	2.2		48.7	1.9		52.4	2.1		58.8	1.4		52.5	0.8	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	

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Table 9A.4.11      **Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, by age groups, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b)**

	18–24			25–34			35–44			45–54			55+			Total		
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	
<i>So sad that nothing could cheer you up</i>																		
All/most of the time	1.6	21.0		1.6	13.8		2.4	12.3		2.8	11.8		2.4	9.6		2.2	5.0	
Some of the time	5.5	11.8		4.5	10.2		5.5	10.3		5.5	9.7		5.3	5.3		5.3	4.0	
A little of the time	14.9	8.2		12.7	6.2		13.1	5.9		11.6	6.3		9.8	5.1		12.0	2.3	
None of the time	77.9	1.8		81.1	1.1		78.9	1.2		79.9	1.0		82.3	0.7		80.4	0.5	
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Relates to the four week period prior to interview.

(c) Includes not known and not stated responses and refusals.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source :      ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004–05 (unpublished); NHS 2004–05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.12

Table 9A.4.12      **Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by remoteness areas, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b) (c)**

	Major cities			Inner regional			Outer regional			Total non-remote			Remote			Very remote			Total remote			Total		
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	(%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	(%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	(%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	(%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	(%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	(%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	(%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	(%)
<b>Indigenous</b>																								
<i>Nervous</i>																								
All/most of the time	10.5	14.6		12.3	14.9		9.2	18.4		10.5	9.3		9.8	18.2		na	na		na	na		9.3	7.7	
Some of the time	18.4	10.3		18.9	11.3		19.0	9.4		18.8	6.0		16.9	18.0		na	na		na	na		19.2	4.9	
A little of the time	25.7	8.4		24.0	9.4		27.8	7.5		25.9	4.9		22.6	14.0		na	na		na	na		23.5	4.1	
None of the time	44.7	6.3		44.8	7.7		42.7	6.2		44.1	4.0		48.9	6.5		na	na		na	na		46.5	2.9	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		na	na		na	na		100.0	–	
<i>Without hope</i>																								
All/most of the time	7.6	15.6		7.2	19.9		8.6	15.6		7.7	10.3		7.3	19.9		na	na		na	na		7.2	8.3	
Some of the time	11.4	11.6		11.6	13.8		14.0	12.2		12.3	7.2		15.5	15.2		na	na		na	na		12.8	5.7	
A little of the time	13.9	10.2		16.5	12.7		15.6	11.8		15.1	7.3		15.3	16.8		na	na		na	na		15.0	5.9	
None of the time	66.4	3.5		64.7	4.1		60.3	3.9		64.2	2.4		59.2	7.0		na	na		na	na		63.1	2.0	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		na	na		na	na		100.0	–	
<i>Restless or jumpy</i>																								
All/most of the time	15.7	12.0		13.6	15.8		12.7	13.0		14.1	7.9		11.6	19.7		na	na		na	na		12.1	6.8	
Some of the time	16.9	10.2		21.0	11.5		22.8	7.9		19.8	6.0		18.4	13.0		na	na		na	na		19.7	4.8	
A little of the time	28.0	7.7		26.1	9.0		22.6	9.0		25.8	5.0		22.1	15.9		na	na		na	na		23.1	4.4	
None of the time	38.7	6.2		39.3	8.3		40.4	6.0		39.5	4.0		46.1	9.3		na	na		na	na		43.3	2.9	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		na	na		na	na		100.0	–	
<i>That everything was an effort</i>																								
All/most of the time	18.7	8.9		17.2	12.4		18.3	10.7		18.1	6.0		16.5	17.5		na	na		na	na		16.6	5.1	
Some of the time	18.0	9.8		21.3	12.3		19.4	7.6		19.3	5.7		22.0	11.6		na	na		na	na		19.8	4.5	
A little of the time	28.7	8.7		21.3	10.1		23.2	8.2		25.0	5.3		18.4	17.2		na	na		na	na		22.7	4.4	
None of the time	33.9	7.5		40.2	9.2		37.6	6.8		36.9	4.7		41.2	12.0		na	na		na	na		39.2	3.4	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		na	na		na	na		100.0	–	

Table 9A.4.12

Table 9A.4.12      **Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by remoteness areas, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b) (c)**

	Major cities			Inner regional			Outer regional			Total non-remote			Remote			Very remote			Total remote			Total		
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	
<i>So sad that nothing could cheer you up</i>																								
All/most of the time	7.8	16.0		6.5	19.1		7.7	13.0		7.3	9.4		7.5	21.4		na	na		na	na		7.2	7.5	
Some of the time	11.3	12.7		11.7	15.3		13.4	10.5		12.0	7.5		16.7	12.1		na	na		na	na		13.4	5.4	
A little of the time	15.5	13.3		16.6	13.4		19.1	11.3		17.0	7.4		17.1	13.9		na	na		na	na		16.2	6.0	
None of the time	64.6	3.8		65.1	4.7		57.7	4.0		62.8	2.6		56.8	7.0		na	na		na	na		61.5	2.1	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		na	na		na	na		100.0	–	
<b>Non-Indigenous</b>																								
<i>Nervous</i>																								
All/most of the time	5.3	5.7		5.0	8.3		4.5	13.9		5.2	4.7		1.9	35.9		na	na		na	na		5.1	4.7	
Some of the time	14.5	2.8		12.5	5.9		11.8	7.2		13.8	2.5		11.6	19.3		na	na		na	na		13.8	2.5	
A little of the time	27.6	1.9		26.2	3.6		25.6	4.4		27.1	1.6		22.7	10.8		na	na		na	na		27.0	1.6	
None of the time	52.4	1.1		56.2	2.1		57.9	2.3		53.8	1.0		63.8	5.6		na	na		na	na		53.9	1.0	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		na	na		na	na		100.0	–	
<i>Hopeless</i>																								
All/most of the time	2.6	7.1		3.5	10.6		3.3	16.9		2.8	5.8		2.8	40.0		na	na		na	na		2.8	5.8	
Some of the time	6.2	3.9		6.2	6.4		6.4	11.8		6.2	3.1		3.9	31.3		na	na		na	na		6.2	3.1	
A little of the time	13.7	3.3		13.9	6.6		14.3	7.8		13.8	2.7		12.7	16.4		na	na		na	na		13.8	2.7	
None of the time	77.4	0.7		76.4	1.4		75.7	1.8		77.0	0.6		80.6	3.4		na	na		na	na		77.1	0.6	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		na	na		na	na		100.0	–	
<i>Restless or fidgety</i>																								
All/most of the time	6.7	4.3		8.8	6.5		8.3	8.5		7.3	3.5		7.8	24.1		na	na		na	na		7.3	3.5	
Some of the time	18.9	2.3		18.7	4.7		19.6	5.2		19.0	2.2		11.4	15.6		na	na		na	na		18.9	2.1	
A little of the time	28.3	1.8		26.3	3.6		27.0	4.5		27.8	1.4		32.8	12.0		na	na		na	na		27.9	1.4	
None of the time	46.0	1.5		46.1	2.8		45.0	2.5		45.9	1.2		48.0	8.6		na	na		na	na		45.9	1.2	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		na	na		na	na		100.0	–	

Table 9A.4.12

**Table 9A.4.12 Selected indicators of psychological distress, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised, by remoteness areas, Australia, 2004–05 (a) (b) (c)**

	Major cities		Inner regional		Outer regional		Total non-remote		Remote		Very remote		Total remote		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>That everything was an effort</i>																
All/most of the time	7.4	3.4	8.1	7.3	8.1	9.4	7.6	3	7.2	24.2	na	na	na	na	7.6	3
Some of the time	14.3	3	14.4	4.7	15.4	5.9	14.5	2.5	14.9	15.8	na	na	na	na	14.6	2.5
A little of the time	25.5	1.9	25.1	3.2	25.0	5.7	25.3	1.5	25.6	12.3	na	na	na	na	25.3	1.5
None of the time	52.7	1.1	52.3	2.0	51.3	2.7	52.4	0.8	52.2	5	na	na	na	na	52.4	0.8
Total (d)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	na	na	na	na	100.0	–
<i>So sad that nothing could cheer you up</i>																
All/most of the time	2.2	5.8	2.4	11.5	1.9	20.2	2.2	5.1	1.5	40.6	na	na	na	na	2.2	5.0
Some of the time	5.3	4.8	5.4	8.2	4.7	13.9	5.3	4.0	3.0	26.7	na	na	na	na	5.3	4.0
A little of the time	12.2	2.6	10.9	6.3	13.0	7.8	12.1	2.3	9.7	16.8	na	na	na	na	12.0	2.3
None of the time	80.1	0.5	81.1	1.1	80.1	1.7	80.3	0.5	85.8	2.2	na	na	na	na	80.4	0.5
Total (d)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	na	na	na	na	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Relates to the four week period prior to interview.

(c) Data for very remote areas is not available for the non-Indigenous population because it is not considered reliable. Total remote is not comparable between the Indigenous and non-Indigenous population. See glossary for definitions of remoteness areas.

(d) Includes not known and not stated responses and refusals.

na Not available. – Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004–05 (unpublished); NHS 2004–05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.13

Table 9A.4.13 Selected indicators of positive well being, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by State and Territory, 2004–05 (a) (b)

	NSW		Victoria		Queensland		WA		SA		Tasmania		ACT		NT		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Calm and peaceful</i>																		
All/most of the time	54.7	4.4	51.2	8.3	57.9	3.7	56.9	4.9	55.1	5.5	54.0	5.4	54.1	7.0	60.7	4.6	56.4	1.9
Some of the time	25.5	7.7	27.9	13.1	25.9	7.5	26.2	9.3	27.2	10.6	24.5	12.1	26.9	12.0	22.7	10.4	25.6	3.6
A little of the time	13.6	11.1	12.3	18.6	11.0	13.3	11.2	13.3	11.8	15.0	16.3	14.9	13.9	18.6	7.2	17.5	11.6	6.3
None of the time	5.3	17.4	7.1	21.1	4.0	19.4	3.7	23.9	4.3	25.2	4.8	28.6	5.1	30.5	5.9	20.7	4.8	8.7
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Happy</i>																		
All/most of the time	68.0	3.4	64.6	6.0	74.2	2.4	71.7	3.4	71.7	4.4	64.8	4.8	73.2	4.4	77.8	2.6	71.4	1.4
Some of the time	21.2	10.0	22.1	16.5	18.0	8.9	17.6	10.3	18.7	12.4	21.8	11.1	16.8	17.3	14.7	11.1	18.8	4.6
A little of the time	7.8	14.1	8.7	25.3	5.6	15.2	7.1	14.3	6.3	17.4	10.3	18.9	8.0	25.8	3.1	23.6	6.6	7.0
None of the time	2.1	25.6	3.8	28.2	1.3	35.7	1.7	32.5	2.0	40.4	2.7	36.4	2.0	53.2	1.4	31.0	1.8	13.1
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Full of life</i>																		
All/most of the time	50.2	4.7	47.3	8.7	56.0	3.4	55.3	4.3	50.1	5.4	44.9	7.2	52.7	7.5	69.1	3.0	54.6	1.8
Some of the time	28.7	7.6	25.7	16.6	27.9	6.8	25.3	7.2	32.6	7.6	27.5	14.0	29.6	13.1	17.8	8.6	26.6	3.3
A little of the time	13.4	11.2	16.3	19.8	10.0	10.8	10.5	12.1	9.8	14.9	16.1	20.1	10.6	22.0	5.7	17.5	11.1	5.5
None of the time	6.6	16.0	10.1	15.8	5.2	17.3	6.7	18.1	6.0	21.9	11.0	17.4	7.1	29.2	3.6	18.3	6.2	7.3
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Lot of energy</i>																		
All/most of the time	43.3	5.3	36.8	8.5	49.3	4.3	47.0	5.5	42.1	7.8	39.2	9.0	45.5	9.5	61.3	3.9	47.2	2.2
Some of the time	30.4	6.5	38.4	11.2	30.9	6.3	29.5	7.4	32.3	8.3	32.1	9.5	30.3	12.4	24.3	7.8	30.3	3.2
A little of the time	17.9	10.0	14.0	15.5	13.1	11.9	15.2	9.2	17.9	11.6	16.3	11.9	17.2	15.8	6.7	15.1	14.4	5.0
None of the time	7.4	16.3	10.3	16.0	5.7	17.0	6.1	17.7	6.4	22.8	12.0	20.8	7.0	35.4	4.0	17.6	6.6	7.6
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Relates to the four week period prior to interview.

(c) Includes not known and not stated responses and refusals.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004–05 (unpublished).



Table 9A.4.14

Table 9A.4.14      **Selected indicators of positive well being, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by sex, Australia, 2004–05 (a), (b)**

	Male		Female		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Calm and peaceful</i>						
All/most of the time	60.5	2.7	52.9	2.7	56.4	1.9
Some of the time	23.9	5.9	27.0	4.5	25.6	3.6
A little of the time	9.6	10.5	13.4	6.7	11.6	6.3
None of the time	4.2	14.8	5.4	10.0	4.8	8.7
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Happy</i>						
All/most of the time	72.6	2.1	70.3	1.8	71.4	1.4
Some of the time	18.1	7.6	19.5	5.6	18.8	4.6
A little of the time	6.0	11.1	7.1	9.0	6.6	7.0
None of the time	1.7	19.1	2.0	16.7	1.8	13.1
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Full of life</i>						
All/most of the time	58.3	2.7	51.3	2.6	54.6	1.8
Some of the time	25.7	5.6	27.4	3.9	26.6	3.3
A little of the time	8.6	8.9	13.3	6.7	11.1	5.5
None of the time	5.9	12.3	6.5	8.5	6.2	7.3
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–
<i>Lot of energy</i>						
All/most of the time	53.7	2.9	41.4	3.2	47.2	2.2
Some of the time	26.7	5.0	33.5	4.0	30.3	3.2
A little of the time	12.1	8.2	16.5	6.3	14.4	5.0
None of the time	6.0	12.8	7.1	8.6	6.6	7.6
Total (c)	100.0	–	100.0	–	100.0	–

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Relates to the four week period prior to interview.

(c) Includes not known and not stated responses and refusals.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : ABS 2006, NATSIHS 2004–05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.15

Table 9A.4.15

**Selected indicators of positive well being, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by age groups, Australia, 2004–05 (a), (b)**

	18–24			25–34			35–44			45–54			55+			Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Calm and peaceful</i>																	
All/most of the time	57.6	3.7		52.5	4.1		57.6	3.7		56.1	5.0		60.8	4.5		56.4	1.9
Some of the time	26.7	7.0		30.5	7.4		22.5	8.0		22.8	10.0		22.1	10.4		25.6	3.6
A little of the time	10.4	13.2		11.0	10.5		13.5	10.3		12.9	12.6		10.3	16.9		11.6	6.3
None of the time	3.9	21.1		4.8	17.4		4.9	19.1		7.0	19.3		3.8	21.4		4.8	8.7
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–
<i>Happy</i>																	
All/most of the time	71.3	2.8		72.1	2.9		70.9	2.5		70.2	3.6		72.4	3.4		71.4	1.4
Some of the time	20.6	9.4		19.5	9.6		18.5	8.0		19.1	12.0		14.7	14.5		18.8	4.6
A little of the time	5.6	16.4		6.1	14.1		7.0	13.9		7.1	16.0		7.7	20.5		6.6	7.0
None of the time	1.4	27.0		1.2	32.4		2.1	22.2		2.7	30.2		2.5	32.0		1.8	13.1
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–
<i>Full of life</i>																	
All/most of the time	55.3	4.0		57.7	3.5		55.9	3.5		52.4	4.7		47.0	6.1		54.6	1.8
Some of the time	29.0	8.0		26.0	6.8		24.9	6.4		26.8	8.8		26.5	10.5		26.6	3.3
A little of the time	10.5	12.6		11.3	9.9		10.7	11.6		11.1	15.2		12.5	13.1		11.1	5.5
None of the time	4.0	18.3		3.9	19.2		6.9	14.8		8.4	13.7		10.9	15.9		6.2	7.3
Total (c)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–

Table 9A.4.15

**Table 9A.4.15 Selected indicators of positive well being, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by age groups, Australia, 2004–05 (a), (b)**

	18-24		25-34		35-44		45-54		55+		Total	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<i>Lot of energy</i>												
All/most of the time	49.9	4.4	52.8	3.6	45.5	4.2	43.5	5.5	38.0	7.2	47.2	2.2
Some of the time	31.7	6.5	27.4	5.8	31.6	6.0	29.9	7.3	32.1	9.6	30.3	3.2
A little of the time	13.9	11.5	14.0	9.5	14.6	9.3	16.4	11.5	13.8	12.0	14.4	5.0
None of the time	3.4	21.5	4.6	17.9	6.7	14.7	9.3	14.7	13.0	14.7	6.6	7.6
Total (c)	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—	100.0	—

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Relates to the four week period prior to interview.

(c) Includes not known and not stated responses and refusals.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : ABS 2004–05 NATSIHS (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.16

**Table 9A.4.16 Selected indicators of positive well being, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by remoteness areas, Australia, 2004–05 (a), (b)**

	Major Cities			Regional (b)			Total non-remote			Remote			Very Remote			Total Remote			Total		
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)		Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	
<i>Calm and peaceful</i>																					
All/most of the time	52.3	4.3		56.8	3.0		54.9	2.6		62.7	3.6		59.2	3.7		60.3	2.7		56.4	1.9	
Some of the time	26.4	7.8		25.4	5.5		25.8	4.5		22.3	11.0		26.0	7.3		24.9	5.9		25.6	3.6	
A little of the time	15.4	9.8		11.2	10.2		13.0	7.4		10.2	15.6		7.4	13.8		8.3	10.6		11.6	6.3	
None of the time	4.8	16.1		5.3	13.2		5.1	10.1		2.0	31.1		5.1	17.9		4.1	15.6		4.8	8.7	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	
<i>Happy</i>																					
All/most of the time	70.9	2.8		69.6	2.2		70.2	1.8		70.4	3.4		76.3	2.2		74.5	1.8		71.4	1.4	
Some of the time	18.7	9.8		20.0	6.8		19.5	5.7		19.5	13.1		16.3	7.7		17.3	6.8		18.8	4.6	
A little of the time	7.5	13.1		7.2	10.8		7.3	8.4		6.0	16.0		4.1	14.0		4.6	10.3		6.6	7.0	
None of the time	1.9	27.8		2.1	19.0		2.0	15.6		1.4	44.3		1.4	27.0		1.4	23.1		1.8	13.1	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	
<i>Full of life</i>																					
All/most of the time	52.1	3.8		51.4	3.1		51.7	2.4		53.2	5.1		65.8	2.7		62.0	2.5		54.6	1.8	
Some of the time	26.4	6.9		28.9	5.0		27.8	4.1		28.1	9.5		21.3	5.8		23.4	5.1		26.6	3.3	
A little of the time	12.5	9.9		12.2	8.6		12.3	6.5		10.5	16.5		7.0	13.4		8.1	10.4		11.1	5.5	
None of the time	8.0	11.6		6.4	12.7		7.1	8.2		5.4	19.7		3.3	14.4		4.0	11.5		6.2	7.3	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	
<i>Lot of energy</i>																					
All/most of the time	42.5	5.1		44.9	3.5		43.9	2.8		43.6	8.0		60.7	3.4		55.5	3.2		47.2	2.2	
Some of the time	32.6	6.5		30.3	4.8		31.3	3.8		35.8	10.2		24.4	5.8		27.9	5.0		30.3	3.2	
A little of the time	16.7	8.6		15.8	7.9		16.2	5.8		10.9	17.8		9.6	13.0		10.0	10.6		14.4	5.0	
None of the time	7.2	11.8		7.9	12.0		7.6	8.5		6.8	20.4		2.9	17.6		4.1	13.4		6.6	7.6	
Total (d)	100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–		100.0	–	

Table 9A.4.16

Table 9A.4.16      **Selected indicators of positive well being, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by remoteness areas, Australia, 2004–05 (a), (b)**

RSE Relative standard error.	
(a)	Estimates with an RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be interpreted with caution. Estimates with an RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
(b)	Regional includes inner and outer regional areas. Remote includes remote and very remote areas. See glossary for definitions of remoteness areas.
(c)	Relates to the four week period prior to interview.
(d)	Includes not known and not stated responses and refusals. – Nil or rounded to zero.
Source : ABS 2004–05 NATSIHS (unpublished).	

Table 9A.4.17

Table 9A.4.17      **K5 level of current psychological distress, by selected health characteristics, Indigenous people 18–64 years of age, 2004–05 (a)**

	Non-remote						Remote						Total					
	Low/moderate (b)			High/very high (c)			Low/moderate (b)			High/very high (c)			Low/moderate (b)			High/very high (c)		
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	Total (d)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	Total (d)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	Total (d)
<i>Self-assessed health status</i>																		
Excellent/Very Good	47	3.6	24	7.3	40	3.5	42	4.9	29	8.6	38	4.6	46	3.0	26	5.7	40	2.8
Good	35	4.8	33	5.7	34	3.7	42	4.9	40	7.2	42	4.2	37	3.5	35	4.5	36	2.7
Fair/poor	19	6.8	43	4.8	25	4.7	16	7.5	31	7.6	20	6.1	18	5.4	40	4.1	24	3.9
<i>Number of long-term health conditions</i>																		
None	19	6.9	7	17.9	15	6.2	31	7.5	19	11.9	28	6.7	22	5.2	10	10.7	19	4.6
1	20	7.0	9	12.7	17	6.2	23	7.2	13	13.4	20	6.5	21	5.2	10	9.6	18	4.6
2	20	7.1	15	10.3	19	5.9	16	7.4	17	11.1	17	5.4	19	5.8	15	7.5	18	4.5
3 or more	41	4.2	69	3.0	49	3.1	29	7.3	52	6.0	35	5.2	38	3.7	64	2.6	45	2.6
<i>Type of long-term condition</i>																		
Arthritis	16	7.6	27	7.3	19	5.5	7	13.3	16	13.9	10	9.5	14	6.9	24	6.9	16	5.0
Asthma	16	7.7	26	7.6	19	5.3	10	10.4	13	12.0	11	8.3	14	6.7	23	6.8	16	4.8
Back pain/problems neck, disc disorders	19	6.7	33	6.2	23	4.7	17	15.0	31	7.1	20	9.6	19	6.6	33	5.0	22	4.4
Diabetes/high sugar levels	8	10.0	11	12.2	9	7.7	14	8.3	18	11.5	16	6.3	10	7.0	13	8.6	11	5.3
Ear/hearing problems	13	7.7	21	8.3	15	6.0	13	12.5	20	11.7	15	8.4	13	6.7	21	6.6	15	4.8
Eye/sight problems	49	3.3	54	4.0	51	2.6	36	5.5	49	5.2	39	3.9	45	2.8	53	3.2	47	2.2
Heart and circulatory problems/diseases	17	7.4	24	7.1	19	5.7	20	9.0	31	8.5	23	6.5	18	5.9	26	5.6	20	4.4
Neoplasms/cancer	1	23.9	3	24.1	2	17.1	*–	40.8	*–	47.1	*–	32.5	1	21.3	2	23.2	1	15.7
Osteoporosis	2	20.9	3	24.0	2	16.7	**–	60.1	**2	61.0	*1	43.0	1	19.9	2	22.5	2	15.5
<i>Risk behaviours</i>																		
Current daily smoker	45	3.8	61	3.9	49	2.9	51	4.0	55	5.5	52	3.3	47	2.9	59	3.3	50	2.2
Risky/high risk alcohol consumption in last week	16	8.0	19	9.5	17	6.6	13	10.0	19	16.1	15	8.9	15	6.6	19	8.0	16	5.4

Table 9A.4.17

Table 9A.4.17      **K5 level of current psychological distress, by selected health characteristics, Indigenous people 18–64 years of age, 2004–05 (a)**

	Non-remote						Remote						Total					
	Low/moderate (b)			High/very high (c)			Low/moderate (b)			High/very high (c)			Low/moderate (b)			High/very high (c)		
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	Total (d)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	Total (d)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	Total (d)
<i>Health-related actions</i>																		
Consulted other health professional in last 2 weeks	15	9.5	27	7.3	18	6.7	28	6.4	33	7.9	30	5.6	19	6.1	29	5.5	22	4.6
Consulted doctor (GP and specialist) in last 2 weeks	21	5.7	35	6.2	25	4.5	22	8.2	31	8.3	24	6.2	21	4.6	34	5.1	25	3.7
Total consulted GP or OHP	36	5.3	62	5.4	43	4.2	50	5.6	65	6.9	55	4.4	40	3.8	63	4.3	47	3.2
<i>Days away from work or study (d)</i>	10	9.2	14	13.2	11	7.6	10	11.6	16	12.6	11	8.8	10	7.5	15	10.2	11	6.0
<i>Other days of reduced activity</i>	12	9.9	27	7.4	16	6.5	11	9.9	25	10.0	15	7.7	11	7.5	27	6.0	16	5.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total persons aged 18 and over ('000)</b>	<b>132.9</b>		<b>51.2</b>		<b>185.5</b>		<b>51.3</b>		<b>18.9</b>		<b>72.8</b>		<b>184.1</b>		<b>70.2</b>		<b>258.3</b>	

OHP Other health professional. RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent (\*) should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent (\*\*) are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Represents a K5 score of 5–11.

(c) Represents a K5 score of 12–25.

(d) Includes refusals and persons with no K5 score.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NATSIHS (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.18

Table 9A.4.18      **Age-standardised hospitalisation rates for mental and behavioural disorders, by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2004-05 (a), (b)**

	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in NT
<b>Rate per 1000 population</b>					
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)					
Indigenous	0.6	1.2	1.8	0.8	0.9
Non-Indigenous	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.5
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)					
Indigenous	6.0	11.7	13.7	4.0	7.7
Non-Indigenous	2.4	1.8	1.6	0.9	2.0
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)					
Indigenous	5.4	8.4	15.0	2.6	6.5
Non-Indigenous	7.7	8.3	5.5	2.6	7.3
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)					
Indigenous	5.7	6.8	10.8	3.0	5.8
Non-Indigenous	2.5	1.8	2.8	1.5	2.4
Other mental disorders (f)					
Indigenous	0.9	0.8	1.6	0.2	0.8
Non-Indigenous	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.2	0.7
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>					
Indigenous	18.5	28.9	42.8	10.6	21.7
Non-Indigenous	13.8	13.2	11.0	5.5	12.9

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(b) Directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

(c) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.

(d) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.

(e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.

(f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).



Table 9A.4.19

**Table 9A.4.19 Male Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2004-05 (a), (b)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in NT</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	22	16	9	8	55
	Rate ratio	1.5	2.3	4.0	1.3	1.9
	95% CI	0.8 to 2.7	1.2 to 4.3	1.6 to 10.1	0.4 to 4.1	1.3 to 2.7
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	416	386	177	176	1 155
	Rate ratio	3.1	6.4	8.4	4.9	4.2
	95% CI	2.8 to 3.5	5.7 to 7.2	7.1 to 10.0	3.8 to 6.3	3.9 to 4.5
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	196	169	99	66	530
	Rate ratio	0.7	1.2	1.9	0.8	0.9
	95% CI	0.6 to 0.8	1.0 to 1.4	1.5 to 2.4	0.6 to 1.1	0.8 to 1.0
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	431	273	152	110	966
	Rate ratio	2.4	3.5	3.2	1.6	2.4
	95% CI	2.2 to 2.65	3.1 to 4.1	2.7 to 3.8	1.3 to 2.1	2.3 to 2.6
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	67	30	10	6	113
	Rate ratio	2.0	2.2	2.8	1.1	1.8
	95% CI	1.5 to 2.7	1.4 to 3.2	1.3 to 5.8	0.4 to 3.0	1.5 to 2.3
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	1 132	874	447	366	2 819
	Rate ratio	1.7	2.9	3.7	1.9	2.1
	95% CI	1.6 to 1.8	2.7 to 3.2	3.3 to 4.2	1.6 to 2.2	2.0 to 2.2

Table 9A.4.19

**Table 9A.4.19 Male Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2004-05 (a), (b)**

CI confidence interval. ICD-10-AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
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(b) Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.
(c) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
(d) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
(e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
(f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.20

**Table 9A.4.20 Female Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	Unit	Qld	WA	SA	NT	Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in NT
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	13	16	9	14	52
	Rate ratio	1.7	2.2	3.5	3.9	2.2
	95% CI	0.9 to 3.5	1.3 to 3.9	1.5 to 8.2	1.3 to 11.1	1.6 to 3.2
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	214	301	129	66	710
	Rate ratio	1.9	6.9	9.9	4.6	3.4
	95% CI	1.6 to 2.2	6.0 to 7.9	8.2 to 12.1	3.0 to 7.1	3.1 to 3.7
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	398	359	273	100	1 130
	Rate ratio	0.7	0.9	3.3	1.3	0.9
	95% CI	0.6 to 0.8	0.8 to 1.0	2.9 to 3.7	1.0 to 1.7	0.8 to 0.9
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	274	211	118	68	671
	Rate ratio	2.1	4.1	4.7	3.4	2.5
	95% CI	1.8 to 2.4	3.5 to 4.8	3.7 to 5.9	2.3 to 5.0	2.3 to 2.7
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	64	28	34	10	136
	Rate ratio	0.7	0.7	2.4	1.0	0.7
	95% CI	0.51 to 0.9	0.5 to 1.1	1.7 to 3.4	0.5 to 2.1	0.6 to 0.9
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	963	915	563	258	2 699
	Rate ratio	1.1	1.7	4.1	2.1	1.4
	95% CI	1.0 to 1.1	1.6 to 1.9	3.7 to 4.5	1.8 to 2.6	1.3 to 1.5

Table 9A.4.20

**Table 9A.4.20 Female Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

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- (b) Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.
- (c) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
- (d) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
- (e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
- (f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.21

Table 9A.4.21 Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2004-05 (a), (b)

	Unit	Qld	WA	SA	NT	Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in NT
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	35	32	18	22	107
	Rate ratio	1.6	2.2	3.7	2.5	2.0
	95% CI	1.0 to 2.5	1.4 to 3.4	2.0 to 6.9	1.2 to 5.4	1.6 to 2.6
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	630	687	306	242	1 865
	Rate ratio	2.5	6.5	8.7	4.6	3.8
	95% CI	2.3 to 2.8	5.9 to 7.1	7.7 to 9.9	3.7 to 5.7	3.6 to 4.0
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	594	528	372	166	1 660
	Rate ratio	0.7	1.0	2.7	1.0	0.9
	95% CI	0.6 to 0.8	0.9 to 1.1	2.5 to 3.1	0.8 to 1.3	0.8 to 0.9
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	705	484	270	178	1 637
	Rate ratio	2.2	3.7	3.8	2.0	2.4
	95% CI	2.0 to 2.4	3.4 to 4.1	3.3 to 4.4	1.6 to 2.4	2.3 to 2.6
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	131	58	44	16	249
	Rate ratio	1.0	1.1	2.5	1.1	1.0
	95% CI	0.9 to 1.3	0.8 to 1.5	1.8 to 3.5	0.6 to 1.9	0.9 to 1.2
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	2 095	1 789	1 010	624	5 518
	Rate ratio	1.3	2.2	3.9	1.9	1.7
	95% CI	1.3 to 1.4	2.1 to 2.3	3.6 to 4.2	1.7 to 2.2	1.6 to 1.7

Table 9A.4.21

**Table 9A.4.21 Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2004-05 (a), (b)**

CI confidence interval: ICD-10-AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
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(b) Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.
(c) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
(d) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
(e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
(f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.22

Table 9A.4.22      **Hospitalisation rate, per 1000 population, for mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99), by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2004-05 (a)**

Age group (years)	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			Total persons		
	male	female	total	male	female	total	male	female	total
under 1	–	1.1	0.5	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
1–4	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3
5–14	1.3	2.0	1.6	1.1	1.9	1.5	1.1	1.9	1.5
15–24	21.1	21.9	21.5	12.3	16.6	14.4	12.7	16.9	14.8
25–34	44.5	37.9	41.1	17.5	20.6	19.0	18.6	21.3	19.9
35–44	43.3	32.9	37.8	15.1	20.6	17.9	15.9	21.1	18.5
45–54	22.5	25.6	24.1	13.5	19.4	16.4	13.7	19.5	16.6
55–64	17.8	13.1	15.3	14.9	15.0	15.0	14.9	15.0	15.0
65–74	21.3	10.0	15.0	8.8	12.4	10.6	8.9	12.4	10.7
75+	12.6	13.9	13.4	12.8	14.9	14.0	12.8	14.9	14.0
<b>All ages (b)</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>20.2</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>13.2</b>

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(b) Directly age-standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.23

**Table 9A.4.23 Hospitalisations by Indigenous status (number), Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	male	female	total (b)	male	female	total (b)
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	55	52	107	1 804	1 620	3 424
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	1 155	710	1 865	9 335	5 773	15 108
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	530	1 130	1 660	19 199	35 419	54 618
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	966	671	1 637	10 151	7 374	17 525
Other mental disorders (f)	113	136	249	1 551	3 877	5 428
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	<b>2 819</b>	<b>2 699</b>	<b>5 518</b>	<b>42 040</b>	<b>54 063</b>	<b>96 103</b>
Other hospitalisations	70 482	95 101	165 584	1 161 264	1 292 655	2 453 923
<b>Total hospitalisations</b>	<b>73 301</b>	<b>97 800</b>	<b>171 102</b>	<b>1 203 304</b>	<b>1 346 718</b>	<b>2 550 026</b>

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(b) Includes separations where sex is 'not stated'.

(c) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.

(d) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.

(e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.

(f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).



Table 9A.4.24

**Table 9A.4.24      Age-standardised hospitalisation rates for mental and behavioural disorders, by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a) (b)**

	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in NT
<b><i>Rate per 1000 population</i></b>					
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)					
Indigenous persons	0.6	1.4	2.7	0.5	1.0
Non-Indigenous persons	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)					
Indigenous persons	6.6	12.5	12.4	3.7	8.0
Non-Indigenous persons	2.3	1.7	1.5	0.8	2.0
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)					
Indigenous persons	5.3	9.3	17.0	2.1	6.7
Non-Indigenous persons	8.2	7.6	6.4	2.0	7.6
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)					
Indigenous persons	5.6	6.5	8.9	2.4	5.4
Non-Indigenous persons	2.5	1.7	2.9	1.3	2.3
Other mental disorders (f)					
Indigenous persons	0.8	0.8	1.9	0.3	0.8
Non-Indigenous persons	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.7
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>					
Indigenous persons	18.8	30.5	43.0	9.0	21.8
Non-Indigenous persons	14.2	12.3	12.1	4.8	13.1

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- (b) Directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.
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- (e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
- (f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

**Source:** AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.25

**Table 9A.4.25 Male Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a), (b)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in NT</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	11	np	10	np	44
	Rate ratio	1.0	np	5.9	np	1.9
	95% CI	0.5 to 2.1	np	2.8 to 12.5	np	1.3 to 2.7
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	447	445	183	140	1 215
	Rate ratio	3.4	7.8	8.3	4.5	4.5
	95% CI	3.0 to 3.8	7.0 to 8.8	7.1 to 9.8	3.4 to 5.9	4.2 to 4.8
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	200	164	102	48	514
	Rate ratio	0.6	1.1	1.6	0.8	0.8
	95% CI	0.5 to 0.8	1.0 to 1.3	1.3 to 2.0	0.6 to 1.1	0.7 to 0.8
Schizophrenia, schizotypal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	424	275	135	99	933
	Rate ratio	2.4	3.9	2.7	2.0	2.4
	95% CI	2.2 to 2.7	3.4 to 4.4	2.3 to 3.3	1.5 to 2.6	2.2 to 2.6
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	71	np	17	np	132
	Rate ratio	1.9	np	3.0	np	1.7
	95% CI	1.4 to 2.4	np	1.8 to 4.9	np	1.4 to 2.1
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	1 153	940	447	298	2 838
	Rate ratio	1.7	3.2	3.4	1.8	2.0
	95% CI	1.6 to 1.8	3.0 to 3.4	3.0 to 3.8	1.5 to 2.1	1.9 to 2.1

Table 9A.4.25

**Table 9A.4.25 Male Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a), (b)**

- CI Confidence interval. ICD-10-AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
- (a) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.
  - (b) Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.
  - (c) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
  - (d) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
  - (e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
  - (f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

**np** Not published.

**Source :** AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.26

**Table 9A.4.26 Female Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a), (b)**

	<i>Unit</i>	Qld	WA	SA	NT	Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	15	13	10	np	44
	Rate ratio	1.9	2.2	4.2	np	2.2
	95% CI	1.1 to 3.5	1.1 to 4.1	2.1 to 8.5	np	1.5 to 3.0
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	242	276	104	73	695
	Rate ratio	2.2	7.1	8.4	5.9	3.5
	95% CI	1.9 to 2.5	6.1 to 8.1	6.8 to 10.3	3.7 to 9.4	3.2 to 3.8
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	395	399	315	75	1 184
	Rate ratio	0.6	1.2	3.2	1.3	0.9
	95% CI	0.6 to 0.7	1.1 to 1.4	2.9 to 3.6	1.0 to 1.8	0.9 to 1.0
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	232	174	110	53	569
	Rate ratio	2.0	4.1	3.7	2.0	2.2
	95% CI	1.7 to 2.3	3.5 to 4.9	3.0 to 4.6	1.3 to 3.0	2.0 to 2.4
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	47	np	38	np	123
	Rate ratio	0.7	np	2.6	np	0.8
	95% CI	0.5 to 1.0	np	1.8 to 3.6	np	0.7 to 1.0
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	931	885	577	222	2 615
	Rate ratio	1.0	2.0	3.7	2.1	1.4
	95% CI	1.0 to 1.1	1.8 to 2.1	3.4 to 4.1	1.7 to 2.6	1.3 to 1.5

Table 9A.4.26

**Table 9A.4.26 Female Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a), (b)**

CI	Confidence interval.	ICD-10-AM	International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
(a)	Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.		
(b)	Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.		
(c)	Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.		
(d)	Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.		
(e)	Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.		
(f)	Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.		
np	Not published.		
Source :	AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).		

Table 9A.4.27

Table 9A.4.27      **Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a), (b)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	26	33	20	9	88
	Rate ratio	1.5	2.4	5.0	0.9	2.0
	95% CI	0.9 to 2.3	1.6 to 3.6	3.0 to 8.3	0.4 to 2.1	1.6 to 2.6
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	689	721	287	213	1 910
	Rate ratio	2.8	7.4	8.2	4.7	4.1
	95% CI	2.6 to 3.1	6.8 to 8.1	7.2 to 9.4	3.7 to 5.9	3.9 to 4.3
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	595	563	417	123	1 698
	Rate ratio	0.6	1.2	2.7	1.1	0.9
	95% CI	0.6 to 0.7	1.1 to 1.3	2.4 to 2.9	0.8 to 1.3	0.8 to 0.9
Schizophrenia, schizotypal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	656	449	245	152	1 502
	Rate ratio	2.2	3.9	3.1	1.9	2.3
	95% CI	2.0 to 2.4	3.5 to 4.3	2.7 to 3.6	1.5 to 2.4	2.2 to 2.4
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	118	59	55	23	255
	Rate ratio	1.1	1.0	2.7	1.4	1.1
	95% CI	0.9 to 1.4	0.8 to 1.4	2.0 to 3.6	0.8 to 2.4	1.0 to 1.3
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	2 084	1 825	1 024	520	5 453
	Rate ratio	1.3	2.5	3.6	1.9	1.7
	95% CI	1.3 to 1.4	2.3 to 2.6	3.3 to 3.8	1.6 to 2.1	1.6 to 1.7

Table 9A.4.27

Table 9A.4.27      **Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a), (b)**

CI	Confidence interval.	ICD-10-AM	International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
(a)	Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.		
(b)	Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.		
(c)	Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.		
(d)	Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.		
(e)	Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.		
(f)	Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.		

Source :            AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.28

**Table 9A.4.28 Hospitalisation rate, per 1000 population, for mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99), by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a), (b)**

Age group (years)	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			Total persons		
	male	female	total	male	female	total	male	female	total
under 1	–	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
1–4	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4
5–14	1.6	2.0	1.8	1.5	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.7
15–24	23.1	22.6	22.9	12.4	15.2	13.8	13.0	15.6	14.2
25–34	45.9	34.5	40.0	17.9	20.2	19.0	19.1	20.8	19.9
35–44	39.8	34.5	37.0	15.0	21.2	18.1	15.8	21.6	18.7
45–54	23.3	26.2	24.8	14.7	19.4	17.0	14.8	19.6	17.2
55–64	24.7	14.8	19.4	14.7	15.2	14.9	14.8	15.2	15.0
65–74	18.2	10.2	13.8	8.9	13.5	11.2	9.0	13.5	11.3
75+	10.7	10.6	10.6	14.8	16.0	15.5	14.8	16.0	15.5
<b>All ages (c)</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>21.8</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>13.4</b>

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(b) Data based on state of usual residence.

(c) Directly age-standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).



Table 9A.4.29

Table 9A.4.29

**Hospitalisations by Indigenous status (number), Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2003-04 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	male	female	total (f)	male	female	total (f)
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (b)	44	44	88	1 826	1 773	3 599
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (c)	1 215	695	1 910	8 985	5 449	14 434
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (d)	514	1 184	1 698	20 161	35 599	55 760
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	933	569	1 502	9 975	6 982	16 957
Other mental disorders (e)	132	123	255	1 694	3 449	5 143
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	<b>2 838</b>	<b>2 615</b>	<b>5 453</b>	<b>42 641</b>	<b>53 252</b>	<b>95 893</b>
Other hospitalisations	65 680	90 602	156 282	1 120 878	1 259 587	2 380 466
<b>Total hospitalisations</b>	<b>68 518</b>	<b>93 217</b>	<b>161 735</b>	<b>1 163 519</b>	<b>1 312 839</b>	<b>2 476 359</b>

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- (b) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
- (c) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
- (d) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
- (e) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.
- (f) Includes separations where sex is 'not stated'.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.30

**Table 9A.4.30      Age-standardised hospitalisation rates for mental and behavioural disorders, by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in NT, 2002-03 (a), (b)**

	Qld	WA	SA	NT	Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT
<i>Rate per 1000 population</i>					
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)					
Indigenous persons	0.8	1.4	1.2	0.4	0.9
Non-Indigenous persons	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.5
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)					
Indigenous persons	6.8	12.7	9.8	3.8	7.9
Non-Indigenous persons	2.2	1.7	1.4	0.8	1.9
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)					
Indigenous persons	5.8	10.0	15.2	1.9	6.9
Non-Indigenous persons	8.4	7.8	6.9	2.1	7.8
Schizophrenia, schizo tydal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)					
Indigenous persons	5.8	7.3	8.3	2.2	5.6
Non-Indigenous persons	2.4	1.6	2.8	1.2	2.3
Other mental disorders (f)					
Indigenous persons	0.9	1.0	1.9	0.1	0.9
Non-Indigenous persons	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.2	0.7
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>					
Indigenous persons	20.1	32.5	36.4	8.4	22.1
Non-Indigenous persons	14.2	12.6	12.4	4.6	13.2

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  - (b) Directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.
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  - (d) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
  - (e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
  - (f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

Source :      AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.31

**Table 9A.4.31 Male Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a), (b)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	19	22	np	np	50
	Rate ratio	1.5	2.1	np	np	1.5
	95% CI	0.8 to 2.8	1.2 to 3.6	np	np	1.0 to 2.2
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	470	463	135	151	1 219
	Rate ratio	3.7	7.4	6.7	4.9	4.6
	95% CI	3.4 to 4.1	6.7 to 8.3	5.5 to 8.1	3.7 to 6.5	4.3 to 4.9
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	265	183	108	41	597
	Rate ratio	0.8	1.2	1.8	0.7	0.8
	95% CI	0.7 to 0.9	1.0 to 1.4	1.5 to 2.2	0.5 to 1.0	0.8 to 0.9
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	415	274	120	62	871
	Rate ratio	2.5	4.4	2.7	1.4	2.5
	95% CI	2.3 to 2.8	3.8 to 5.1	2.2 to 3.3	1.0 to 2.0	2.3 to 2.7
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	60	33	np	np	107
	Rate ratio	1.9	1.9	np	np	1.7
	95% CI	1.4 to 2.6	1.3 to 2.7	np	np	1.3 to 2.2
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	1 229	975	378	262	2 844
	Rate ratio	1.8	3.2	2.9	1.7	2.0
	95% CI	1.7 to 1.9	2.9 to 3.4	2.6 to 3.3	1.5 to 2.1	1.9 to 2.1

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**Table 9A.4.31 Male Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a), (b)**

CI	Confidence interval. ICD-10-AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
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(b)	Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.
(c)	Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
(d)	Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
(e)	Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
(f)	Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

**np** Not published.

**Source :** AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.32

Table 9A.4.32      **Female Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a), (b)**

	<i>Unit</i>	Qld	WA	SA	NT	Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	13	17	np	np	39
	Rate ratio	2.1	2.4	np	np	1.9
	95% CI	1.1 to 3.8	1.4 to 4.2	np	np	1.3 to 2.7
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	233	289	90	58	670
	Rate ratio	2.3	7.5	7.6	6.2	3.6
	95% CI	2.0 to 2.6	6.5 to 8.6	6.0 to 9.6	3.7 to 10.2	3.3 to 3.9
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	358	419	260	62	1 099
	Rate ratio	0.7	1.3	2.4	1.2	0.9
	95% CI	0.6 to 0.7	1.2 to 1.5	2.1 to 2.8	0.9 to 1.7	0.8 to 0.9
Schizophrenia, schizotypal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	251	193	107	73	624
	Rate ratio	2.2	4.8	3.4	3.2	2.5
	95% CI	1.9 to 2.6	4.1 to 5.7	2.8 to 4.2	2.2 to 4.6	2.3 to 2.7
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	67	41	np	np	151
	Rate ratio	0.9	1.0	np	np	0.9
	95% CI	0.7 to 1.2	0.7 to 1.4	np	np	0.8 to 1.1
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	922	959	500	202	2 583
	Rate ratio	1.1	2.2	3.0	2.2	1.4
	95% CI	1.0 to 1.2	2.0 to 2.3	2.7 to 3.3	1.8 to 2.7	1.3 to 1.5

Table 9A.4.32

**Table 9A.4.32 Female Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a), (b)**

CI	Confidence interval.	ICD-10-AM	International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
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(b)	Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.		
(c)	Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.		
(d)	Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.		
(e)	Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.		
(f)	Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.		
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Source :	AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).		

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Table 9A.4.33      **Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a), (b)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	32	39	10	8	89
	Rate ratio	1.8	2.2	2.1	1.1	1.7
	95% CI	1.2 to 2.8	1.5 to 3.3	1.0 to 4.4	0.4 to 2.9	1.3 to 2.2
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	703	752	225	209	1 889
	Rate ratio	3.0	7.4	6.9	4.8	4.1
	95% CI	2.8 to 3.3	6.8 to 8.0	6.0 to 8.0	3.8 to 6.2	3.9 to 4.4
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	623	602	368	103	1 696
	Rate ratio	0.7	1.3	2.2	0.9	0.9
	95% CI	0.6 to 0.8	1.2 to 1.4	2.0 to 2.5	0.7 to 1.1	0.8 to 0.9
Schizophrenia, schizotypal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	666	467	227	136	1 496
	Rate ratio	2.4	4.5	3.0	1.8	2.5
	95% CI	2.2 to 2.6	4.0 to 5.0	2.6 to 3.4	1.4 to 2.4	2.3 to 2.6
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	127	74	48	9	258
	Rate ratio	1.2	1.3	2.7	0.8	1.2
	95% CI	1.0 to 1.5	1.0 to 1.6	1.9 to 4.0	0.4 to 1.8	1.0 to 1.3
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	2 151	1 934	878	465	5 428
	Rate ratio	1.4	2.6	2.9	1.8	1.7
	95% CI	1.3 to 1.5	2.4 to 2.7	2.7 to 3.2	1.6 to 2.1	1.6 to 1.7



Table 9A.4.33

**Table 9A.4.33 Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a), (b)**

CI	Confidence interval.	ICD-10-AM	International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
(a)	Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.		
(b)	Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.		
(c)	Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.		
(d)	Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.		
(e)	Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.		
(f)	Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.		

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.34

**Table 9A.4.34 Hospitalisation rate, per 1000 population, for mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99), by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2002-03 (a), (b)**

Age group (years)	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			Total persons		
	male	female	total	male	female	total	male	female	total
under 1	–	–	–	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
1–4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
5–14	1.5	2.0	1.7	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.4
15–24	23.8	22.6	23.2	13.0	16.9	14.9	13.5	17.2	15.3
25–34	46.9	37.1	41.8	17.7	20.3	19.0	18.9	21.0	20.0
35–44	41.9	33.6	37.5	15.3	21.2	18.3	16.1	21.6	18.9
45–54	25.8	24.7	25.2	16.0	18.1	17.1	16.2	18.3	17.3
55–64	18.2	13.4	15.6	14.3	14.5	14.4	14.3	14.5	14.4
65–74	22.7	11.5	16.5	9.2	13.1	11.2	9.4	13.1	11.3
75+	9.5	14.4	12.4	15.1	17.4	16.5	15.1	17.4	16.4
<b>All ages (c)</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>22.1</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>13.6</b>

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(a) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(b) Data are based on state of usual residence.

(c) Directly age-standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.35

Table 9A.4.35

**Hospitalisations by Indigenous status (number), Qld, WA, SA,  
and public hospitals in NT, 2002-03 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	male	female	total (f)	male	female	total (f)
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (b)	50	39	89	1 816	1 890	3 706
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (c)	1 219	670	1 889	8 461	5 244	13 705
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (d)	597	1 099	1 696	21 216	35 124	56 340
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	871	624	1 496	9 555	6 545	16 102
Other mental disorders (e)	107	151	258	1 650	3 641	5 291
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	<b>2 844</b>	<b>2 583</b>	<b>5 428</b>	<b>42 698</b>	<b>52 444</b>	<b>95 144</b>
Other hospitalisations	60 237	84 796	145 129	1 084 722	1 225 071	2 309 815
<b>Total hospitalisations</b>	<b>63 081</b>	<b>87 379</b>	<b>150 557</b>	<b>1 127 420</b>	<b>1 277 515</b>	<b>2 404 959</b>

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(a) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.

(c) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.

(d) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.

(e) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

(f) Includes separations where sex is 'not stated'.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.36

**Table 9A.4.36      Age-standardised hospitalisation rates for mental and behavioural disorders, by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b)**

	Qld	WA	SA	NT	Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT
<i>Rate per 1000 population</i>					
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)					
Indigenous persons	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8
Non-Indigenous persons	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.6
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)					
Indigenous persons	6.4	11.7	11.5	2.7	7.4
Non-Indigenous persons	2.4	1.8	1.4	0.5	2.0
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)					
Indigenous persons	5.9	8.8	13.8	1.5	6.4
Non-Indigenous persons	8.6	7.9	6.0	1.7	7.8
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)					
Indigenous persons	4.3	5.6	6.9	1.7	4.3
Non-Indigenous persons	2.5	1.6	2.6	1.2	2.2
Other mental disorders (f)					
Indigenous persons	1.1	0.9	2.0	0.2	1.0
Non-Indigenous persons	0.9	1.1	0.8	0.2	0.9
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>					
Indigenous persons	18.6	27.9	35.0	6.8	19.8
Non-Indigenous persons	14.9	13.1	11.4	3.9	13.4

Table 9A.4.36

**Age-standardised hospitalisation rates for mental and behavioural disorders, by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b)**

ICD-10-AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.

- (a) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.
- (b) Directly age standardised using the 2001 Australian population.
- (c) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
- (d) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
- (e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
- (f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.37

**Table 9A.4.37 Male Indigenous standardised hospital separation rate ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	30	19	np	np	78
	Rate ratio	2.4	1.5	np	np	1.9
	95% CI	1.5 to 3.9	0.8 to 2.7	np	np	1.4 to 2.5
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	510	438	166	137	1 251
	Rate ratio	3.1	6.5	8.8	4.9	4.0
	95% CI	2.8 to 3.4	5.8 to 7.3	7.3 to 10.6	3.6 to 6.7	3.8 to 4.3
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	277	177	100	47	601
	Rate ratio	0.7	1.0	1.5	0.8	0.8
	95% CI	0.6 to 0.8	0.8 to 1.2	1.2 to 1.9	0.6 to 1.2	0.7 to 0.8
Schizophrenia, schizotypal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	380	225	96	76	777
	Rate ratio	1.9	3.0	2.2	1.2	1.9
	95% CI	1.7 to 2.2	2.6 to 3.6	1.8 to 2.8	0.9 to 1.6	1.7 to 2.1
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	78	30	np	np	128
	Rate ratio	2.8	1.0	np	np	1.9
	95% CI	2.2 to 3.6	0.7 to 1.5	np	np	1.5 to 2.3
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	1 275	889	384	287	2 835
	Rate ratio	1.6	2.5	2.9	1.9	1.8
	95% CI	1.5 to 1.7	2.3 to 2.7	2.6 to 3.3	1.6 to 2.3	1.7 to 1.8

Table 9A.4.37

**Table 9A.4.37      Male Indigenous standardised hospital separation rate ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b)**

ICD-10-AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.	
(a)	Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.
(b)	Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.
(c)	Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
(d)	Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
(e)	Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
(f)	Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.
<b>np</b> Not published.	
<b>Source :</b> AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).	

Table 9A.4.38

**Table 9A.4.38 Female Indigenous standardised hospital separation rate ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b)**

	<i>Unit</i>		<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>	<i>Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number		9	11	np	np	32
	Rate ratio		1.0	1.3	np	np	1.1
	95% CI		0.5 to 2.0	0.6 to 2.7	np	np	0.7 to 1.6
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number		239	266	106	40	651
	Rate ratio		2.1	6.6	8.4	6.6	3.3
	95% CI		1.9 to 2.5	5.7 to 7.6	6.7 to 10.4	3.5 to 12.4	3 to 3.6
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number		386	387	265	48	1 086
	Rate ratio		0.6	1.2	2.8	0.9	0.9
	95% CI		0.6 to 0.7	1.0 to 1.3	2.4 to 3.2	0.6 to 1.4	0.8 to 0.9
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number		211	179	89	39	518
	Rate ratio		1.6	4.2	3.2	2.2	2.0
	95% CI		1.4 to 1.8	3.5 to 5.0	2.5 to 4.2	1.4 to 3.5	1.8 to 2.2
Other mental disorders (f)	Number		50	41	np	np	137
	Rate ratio		0.6	0.8	np	np	0.7
	95% CI		0.4 to 0.8	0.6 to 1.1	np	np	0.6 to 0.8
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number		895	884	504	141	2 424
	Rate ratio		0.9	1.9	3.2	1.6	1.2
	95% CI		0.9 to 1.0	1.7 to 2.0	2.9 to 3.6	1.2 to 2.1	1.2 to 1.3



Table 9A.4.38

**Table 9A.4.38      Female Indigenous standardised hospital separation rate ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b)**

ICD-10-AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
(a) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.
(b) Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.
(c) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
(d) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
(e) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
(f) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.
<b>np</b> Not published.
<b>Source :</b> AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.39

Table 9A.4.39 Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b)

	Unit	Qld	WA	SA	NT	Qld, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (c)	Number	39	30	12	29	110
	Rate ratio	1.7	1.4	1.3	2.9	1.5
	95% CI	1.1 to 2.4	0.9 to 2.3	0.6 to 2.9	1.4 to 5.8	1.2 to 1.9
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (d)	Number	749	704	272	177	1 902
	Rate ratio	2.7	6.4	8.5	5.0	3.7
	95% CI	2.5 to 2.9	5.9 to 7.0	7.4 to 9.8	3.8 to 6.6	3.5 to 3.9
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (e)	Number	663	564	365	95	1 687
	Rate ratio	0.7	1.1	2.3	0.9	0.8
	95% CI	0.6 to 0.8	1.0 to 1.2	2.0 to 2.6	0.7 to 1.2	0.8 to 0.9
Schizophrenia, schizotypal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	Number	591	404	185	115	1 295
	Rate ratio	1.8	3.4	2.7	1.4	1.9
	95% CI	1.6 to 1.9	3.0 to 3.8	2.2 to 3.2	1.1 to 1.8	1.8 to 2.0
Other mental disorders (f)	Number	128	71	54	12	265
	Rate ratio	1.3	0.9	2.6	0.9	1.1
	95% CI	1.1 to 1.5	0.7 to 1.1	1.9 to 3.5	0.4 to 1.8	0.9 to 1.2
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	Number	2 170	1 773	888	428	5 259
	Rate ratio	1.3	2.1	3.1	1.7	1.5
	95% CI	1.2 to 1.3	2.0 to 2.3	2.9 to 3.3	1.5 to 2.0	1.4 to 1.5

Table 9A.4.39

**Table 9A.4.39 Indigenous standardised hospital separation ratios for mental and behavioural disorders, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b)**

CI	Confidence interval. ICD-10-AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.
(a)	Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.
(b)	Rate ratio was calculated from directly age standardised data using the 2001 Australian population.
(c)	Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.
(d)	Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.
(e)	Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.
(f)	Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.40

Table 9A.4.40

**Hospitalisation rate, per 1000 population, for mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99), by Indigenous status, Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a), (b)**

Age group (years)	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			Total persons		
	male		female	male		female	male		female
	total	total	total	total	total	total	total	total	total
under 1	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.4	0.3
1-4	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.4
5-14	7.2	8.4	7.8	6.4	9.0	7.6	6.4	8.9	7.7
15-24	34.1	30.8	32.5	17.9	18.5	18.2	18.7	19.1	18.9
25-34	40.3	28.4	34.1	18.3	22.1	20.2	19.2	22.4	20.8
35-44	30.8	23.6	27.0	15.0	18.8	16.9	15.5	18.9	17.2
45-54	17.6	11.2	14.3	11.3	8.6	9.9	11.4	8.6	10.0
55-64	14.6	12.8	13.7	14.4	13.2	13.8	14.4	13.2	13.8
65-74	22.3	12.5	16.8	8.3	12.1	10.3	8.5	12.2	10.4
75+	12.1	8.4	9.9	14.2	17.5	16.2	14.2	17.5	16.1
<b>All ages (c)</b>	<b>22.3</b>	<b>17.6</b>	<b>19.8</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>13.7</b>

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(a) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(b) Data are based on state of usual residence.

(c) Directly age-standardised using the 2001 Australian population.

Source : AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.41

Table 9A.4.41      **Hospitalisations by Indigenous status (number), Qld, WA, SA, and public hospitals in the NT, 2001-02 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>			<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		
	male	female	total (f)	male	female	total (f)
	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>no.</i>
Organic mental disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F09) (b)	78	32	110	1 897	2 048	3 945
Substance use disorder (ICD-10-AM codes F10-F19) (c)	1 251	651	1 902	9 121	4 881	14 002
Mood and neurotic disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F30-F48) (d)	601	1 086	1 687	21 993	32 571	54 564
Schizophrenia, schizo typal and delusional disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F20-F29)	777	518	1 295	9 314	6 379	15 693
Other mental disorders (e)	128	137	265	1 995	4 248	6 243
<b>All mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99)</b>	<b>2 835</b>	<b>2 424</b>	<b>5 259</b>	<b>44 320</b>	<b>50 127</b>	<b>94 447</b>
Other hospitalisations	58 071	80 151	138 278	1 056 457	1 206 203	2 262 682
<b>Total hospitalisations</b>	<b>60 906</b>	<b>82 575</b>	<b>143 537</b>	<b>1 100 777</b>	<b>1 256 330</b>	<b>2 357 129</b>

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(a) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, Western Australia, South Australia and the Northern Territory only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions. Data are based on state of usual residence.

(b) Includes brain disorders due to brain damage and dysfunction, such as dementia.

(c) Includes a variety of disorders due to the use of psychoactive substances, which may or may not have been medically prescribed, such as alcohol, opioids, sedatives, and volatile substances.

(d) Includes depressive and anxiety disorders.

(e) Includes eating disorders, sleeping disorders, disorders of personality and behaviour, mental retardation, disorders of psychological development, and unspecified mental disorders.

(f) Includes separations where sex is 'not stated'.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.42

Table 9A.4.42 Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99) death rates (per 100 000 population), age standardised, 2001-2005 (a), (b)

	Indigenous					Non-Indigenous				
	NSW	Qld	WA	SA	NT	NSW	Qld	WA	SA	NT
Males	na	31.4	56.7	45.9	95.0	na	10.3	10.4	10.1	10.0
Females	na	35.2	62.0	35.1	119.4	na	15.5	17.9	22.0	23.5
Persons	na	34.4	61.6	43.5	109.7	na	13.0	14.2	16.2	15.6

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(a) Care should be exercised when using these data as the rates are based on a small number of deaths.

(b) Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians (low series, 2001 base). There are no comparable population data for the non-Indigenous population. Calculations of rates for the non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from total population estimates and should be used with care.

na Not available.

Source : ABS Deaths Registration Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.43

Table 9A.4.43 Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD-10-AM codes F00-F99) deaths, by age and jurisdiction, 2001-2005 (a), (b)

Unit	Indigenous					Non-Indigenous				
	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45 and over	All ages (b)	Under 25	25-34	35-44	45 and over	All ages (c) (d)
<b>Death from mental and behavioural disorders 2001-2005</b>										
NSW	no.	np	6	9	37	55	38	119	5 024	5 271
Qld	no.	np	9	6	28	45	8	36	2 254	2 317
WA	no.	np	np	8	32	44	10	24	1 197	1 247
SA	no.	np	4	np	6	12	4	7	1 487	1 509
NT	no.	6	11	49	72	np	-	np	40	44
<b>Population 2003</b>										
NSW	no.	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Qld	no.	73 442	19 431	14 755	16 845	124 473	1 251 543	553 199	1 344 657	3 676 566
WA	no.	36 490	10 108	8 163	8 897	63 658	640 342	291 623	683 628	1 886 290
SA	no.	14 568	3 992	3 115	3 554	25 229	475 612	224 381	601 995	1 501 072
NT	no.	32 170	10 372	7 149	8 405	58 096	48 668	25 580	40 815	140 448
<b>Average annual deaths as a result of mental and behavioural disorders per 100 000 population 2001-2005</b>										
NSW	Per 100 000	np	na	na	na	na	na	na	na	na
Qld	Per 100 000	np	9.3	8.1	33.2	7.2	0.1	1.3	33.5	12.6
WA	Per 100 000	np	np	19.6	71.9	13.8	0.3	1.6	35.0	13.2
SA	Per 100 000	np	20.0	np	33.8	9.5	0.2	0.6	49.4	20.1
NT	Per 100 000	3.7	11.6	30.8	116.6	24.8	-	np	19.6	6.3

ICD-10-AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.

(a) Care should be exercised when using these data as the rates are based on a small number of deaths.

(b) Calculations of rates for the Indigenous population are based on ABS Experimental Projections, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Australians (low series, 2001 base). There are no comparable population data for the non-Indigenous population. Calculations of rates for the non-Indigenous population are based on data derived by subtracting Indigenous population projections from total population estimates and should be used with care.

(c) Includes age not stated.

(d) Rates for all ages are crude rates.

- Nil or rounded to zero. **np** Not published. **na** Not available.

Source : ABS Deaths Registration Database (unpublished).





Table 9A.4.45

Table 9A.4.45      **Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD–10–AM codes F00–F99) deaths, 2001–2005**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>	<i>NT</i>
<b><i>Indigenous</i></b>						
Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD–10–AM codes F00–F99)	no.	55	45	44	12	72
All causes	no.	2479	2822	1851	642	2229
Mental and behavioural disorders as % of all causes	%	2.2	1.6	2.4	1.9	3.2
<b><i>Non Indigenous</i></b>						
Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD–10–AM codes F00–F99)	no.	5271	2317	1247	1509	44
All causes	no.	221054	113971	53335	57817	2270
Mental and behavioural disorders as % of all causes	%	2.4	2.0	2.3	2.6	1.9
<b><i>Not stated</i></b>						
Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD–10–AM codes F00–F99)	no.	114	37	62	14	0
All causes	no.	4850	1626	1217	711	37
Mental and behavioural disorders as % of all causes	%	2.4	2.3	5.1	2.0	–
<b><i>Total</i></b>						
Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD–10–AM codes F00–F99)	no.	5440	2399	1583	1305	116
All causes	no.	228383	118419	59676	55897	4536
Mental and behavioural disorders as % of all causes	%	2.4	2.0	2.7	2.3	2.6

ICD–10–AM International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS Deaths Registration Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.4.46

Table 9A.4.46 Indigenous deaths, selected causes, 2001–2005 (a)

	Males			Females			Persons		
	Observed deaths	Expected deaths	SMR (b)	Observed deaths	Expected deaths	SMR (b)	Observed deaths	Expected deaths	SMR (b)
<b>Queensland</b>									
Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD–10–AM codes F00–F99)	5.2	1.8	2.8	3.8	1.8	2.1	9.0	3.6	2.5
Intentional self-harm (ICD–10–AM codes X60–X84)	24.0	9.5	2.5	7.0	2.6	2.7	31.0	12.1	2.6
Assault (ICD–10–AM codes X85–Y09)	4.0	1.1	3.7	2.6	0.7	3.7	6.6	1.8	3.7
All causes	322.0	121.5	2.7	242.4	95.7	2.5	564.4	217.2	2.6
<b>Western Australia</b>									
Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD–10–AM codes F00–F99)	5.2	1.0	5.1	3.6	1.0	3.7	8.8	2.0	4.4
Intentional self-harm (ICD–10–AM codes X60–X84)	8.2	5.1	1.6	1.6	1.4	1.2	9.8	6.5	1.5
Assault (ICD–10–AM codes X85–Y09)	3.6	0.6	6.3	2.6	0.4	7.3	6.2	1.0	6.7
All causes	208.6	66.2	3.2	161.6	50.3	3.2	370.2	116.5	3.2
<b>South Australia</b>									
Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD–10–AM codes F00–F99)	1.6	0.4	4.1	0.8	0.4	2.1	2.4	0.8	3.1
Intentional self-harm (ICD–10–AM codes X60–X84)	6.6	1.9	3.5	2.2	0.6	4.0	8.8	2.5	3.6
Assault (ICD–10–AM codes X85–Y09)	1.6	0.2	7.5	0.4	0.1	2.7	2.0	0.3	5.5
All causes	74.6	25.8	2.9	53.8	20.0	2.7	128.4	45.8	2.8
<b>Northern Territory</b>									
Mental and behavioural disorders (ICD–10–AM codes F00–F99)	8.2	1.0	8.5	6.2	0.9	7.2	14.4	1.9	7.9
Intentional self-harm (ICD–10–AM codes X60–X84)	20.8	4.9	4.2	2.8	1.3	2.2	23.6	6.2	3.8
Assault (ICD–10–AM codes X85–Y09)	5.6	0.5	10.4	6.4	0.3	19.6	12.0	0.8	13.9
All causes	260.6	61.4	4.3	185.2	46.3	4.0	445.8	107.7	4.1

SMR = observed deaths/expected deaths

(a) SMR Standardised mortality rate is the observed Indigenous deaths divided by expected Indigenous deaths, based on the age, sex and cause-specific rates for non-Indigenous Australians.

Source : ABS Deaths Registration Database (unpublished).

Table 9A.5.1

**Table 9A.5.1 Indigenous people aged 18 years or over in non-remote areas: selected cultural characteristics, by remoteness areas, 2004-05 (a)**

		<i>Major cities</i>	<i>Inner regional</i>	<i>Outer regional</i>	<i>Total non- remote</i>
Proportion					
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>					
Identifies	%	49.5	40.2	45.5	45.7
Does not identify	%	48.7	57.3	46.1	50.3
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>					
Recognises homelands	%	61.4	56.4	61.7	60.1
Lives on homelands	%	7.0	22.3	19.8	15.0
Does not live on homelands (b)	%	54.4	34.1	41.9	45.1
Allowed to visit homelands	%	52.7	32.6	40.8	43.6
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.6
Does not recognise homelands	%	38.2	43.1	32.9	38.0
<b>Total (c)</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Total (c)</b>	<b>'000</b>	<b>78.7</b>	<b>51.4</b>	<b>55.4</b>	<b>185.5</b>
Relative standard error (d)					
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>					
Identifies	%	5.2	8.5	6.5	3.6
Does not identify	%	5.4	5.9	6.2	3.3
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>					
Recognises homelands	%	4.1	5.4	5.0	2.7
Lives on homelands	%	17.0	11.8	11.3	7.6
Does not live on homelands (b)	%	4.7	7.5	7.7	3.6
Allowed to visit homelands	%	4.9	7.6	7.8	3.7
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	45.1	77.9	49.9	32.1
Does not recognise homelands	%	6.7	7.1	6.9	4.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

(a) The NATSIHS does not provide data for this indicator for remote or very remote areas in Australia.

(b) Includes respondents that did not know if they were allowed to visit homelands or not.

(c) Total includes people who refused to answer, or who provided 'don't know' or 'not stated' responses.

(d) Estimates with relative standard errors between 25 and 50 per cent are subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes. Estimates with relative standard errors over 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0 (unpublished).

Table 9A.5.2

Table 9A.5.2 **Indigenous people aged 18 years or over in non-remote areas: selected cultural characteristics, by age groups, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>18-24</i>	<i>25-34</i>	<i>35-44</i>	<i>45-54</i>	<i>55 or over</i>	<i>Total</i>
Proportion							
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>							
Identifies	%	40.1	46.4	48.6	50.0	44.5	45.7
Does not identify	%	55.1	50.2	47.5	47.0	50.7	50.3
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>							
Recognises homelands	%	51.7	60.5	61.9	67.2	62.6	60.1
Lives on homelands	%	14.7	14.5	13.5	18.0	15.9	15.0
Does not live on homelands (b)	%	37.0	46.0	48.4	49.2	46.6	45.1
Allowed to visit homelands	%	35.9	44.0	46.8	47.6	45.8	43.6
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	np	0.7	1.3	0.5	np	0.6
Does not recognise homelands	%	47.3	37.3	35.9	31.0	35.0	38.0
<b>Total (c)</b>	%	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Total (c)</b>	<b>'000</b>	<b>42.5</b>	<b>49.8</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>28.9</b>	<b>23.8</b>	<b>185.5</b>
Relative standard error (d)							
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>							
Identifies	%	8.9	5.8	5.6	7.0	8.0	3.6
Does not identify	%	6.2	5.6	5.9	7.3	7.6	3.3
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>							
Recognises homelands	%	6.4	4.8	4.4	5.0	5.3	2.7
Lives on homelands	%	17.4	13.7	13.2	16.1	19.6	7.6
Does not live on homelands (b)	%	8.9	6.0	5.7	6.5	8.7	3.6
Allowed to visit homelands	%	9.2	6.2	5.7	6.8	8.8	3.7
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	np	65.6	43.4	64.7	np	32.1
Does not recognise homelands	%	6.9	8.0	7.6	10.1	10.0	4.1
<b>Total</b>	%	—	—	—	—	—	—

(a) The NATSIHS does not provide data for this indicator for remote or very remote areas in Australia.

(b) Includes respondents that did not know if they were allowed to visit homelands or not.

(c) Total includes people who refused to answer, or who provided 'don't know' or 'not stated' responses.

(d) Estimates with relative standard errors between 25 and 50 per cent are subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes. Estimates with relative standard errors over 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

np Not published. — nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey* 2004-05, Cat. no. 4715.0 (unpublished)

Table 9A.5.3

Table 9A.5.3 **Indigenous people aged 18 years or over in non-remote areas: selected cultural characteristics, 1994, 2002, 2004-05**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Major cities</i>	<i>Inner regional</i>	<i>Outer regional</i>	<i>Total non remote</i>
1994					
Proportion					
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>					
Identifies	%	52.4	43.6	53.0	50.6
Does not identify	%	41.1	52.8	40.1	43.4
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>					
Recognises homelands	%	73.1	68.1	70.6	71.1
Lives on homelands	%	13.0	27.4	29.7	21.9
Does not live on homelands (a)	%	59.1	40.6	40.8	48.7
Allowed to visit homelands	%	57.6	37.4	39.2	46.8
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	—	0.2	0.1	0.1
Does not recognise homelands	%	26.8	31.9	29.3	28.8
<b>Total (b)</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Relative standard error (c)					
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>					
Identifies	%	6.2	8.6	7.2	4.5
Does not identify	%	7.3	7.2	7.8	4.8
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>					
Recognises homelands	%	3.6	3.7	4.5	2.3
Lives on homelands	%	19.7	12.6	13.4	9.0
Does not live on homelands (a)	%	5.7	6.8	6.8	4.0
Allowed to visit homelands	%	5.6	6.8	7.1	4.1
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	—	109.3	104.6	75.8
Does not recognise homelands	%	9.7	7.9	10.9	5.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

Table 9A.5.3

Table 9A.5.3 **Indigenous people aged 18 years or over in non-remote areas: selected cultural characteristics, 1994, 2002, 2004-05**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Major cities</i>	<i>Inner regional</i>	<i>Outer regional</i>	<i>Total non remote</i>
2002					
Proportion					
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>					
Identifies	%	50.1	42.1	51.2	48.3
Does not identify	%	47.3	54.7	47.5	49.3
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>					
Recognises homelands	%	64.9	62.3	70.0	65.8
Lives on homelands	%	8.1	21.3	23.5	16.5
Does not live on homelands (a)	%	56.8	41.0	46.5	49.3
Allowed to visit homelands	%	54.5	39.6	45.1	47.5
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	0.2	0.6	0.5	0.4
Does not recognise homelands	%	35.1	37.7	30.0	34.2
<b>Total (b)</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Relative standard error (c)					
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>					
Identifies	%	5.6	7.5	4.4	3.2
Does not identify	%	6.3	6.0	4.7	3.2
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>					
Recognises homelands	%	4.5	4.5	2.7	2.4
Lives on homelands	%	15.3	15.2	7.8	7.1
Does not live on homelands (a)	%	5.1	6.7	3.6	3.0
Allowed to visit homelands	%	5.0	7.1	3.7	3.0
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	55.2	53.8	34.9	27.2
Does not recognise homelands	%	8.3	7.5	6.3	4.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

Table 9A.5.3

**Table 9A.5.3 Indigenous people aged 18 years or over in non-remote areas: selected cultural characteristics, 1994, 2002, 2004-05**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Major cities</i>	<i>Inner regional</i>	<i>Outer regional</i>	<i>Total non remote</i>
2004-05					
Proportion					
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>					
Identifies	%	49.5	40.2	45.5	45.7
Does not identify	%	48.7	57.3	46.1	50.3
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>					
Recognises homelands	%	61.4	56.4	61.7	60.1
Lives on homelands	%	7.0	22.3	19.8	15.0
Does not live on homelands (a)	%	54.4	34.1	41.9	45.1
Allowed to visit homelands	%	52.7	32.6	40.8	43.6
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	0.8	0.2	0.5	0.6
Does not recognise homelands	%	38.2	43.1	32.9	38.0
<b>Total (b)</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
Relative standard error (c)					
<b>Whether identifies with clan, tribal or language group</b>					
Identifies	%	5.2	8.5	6.5	3.6
Does not identify	%	5.4	5.9	6.2	3.3
<b>Recognition of homelands</b>					
Recognises homelands	%	4.1	5.4	5.0	2.7
Lives on homelands	%	17	11.8	11.3	7.6
Does not live on homelands (a)	%	4.7	7.5	7.7	3.6
Allowed to visit homelands	%	4.9	7.6	7.8	3.7
Not allowed to visit homelands	%	45.1	77.9	49.9	32.1
Does not recognise homelands	%	6.7	7.1	6.9	4.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

(a) Includes respondents that did not know if they were allowed to visit homelands or not.

(b) Total includes people who refused to answer, or who provided 'don't know' or 'not stated' responses.

(c) Estimates with relative standard errors between 25 and 50 per cent are subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes. Estimates with relative standard errors over 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

— nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Survey* 1994 (unpublished); ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey* 2002; ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey* 2004-05 (unpublished).

Table 9A.6.1

Table 9A.6.1 Persons aged 15 years and over in non-remote areas: participation in exercise, age standardised (a), (b), (c)

Proportion (%)	Unit	1995 (d)		2001		2004-05	
		Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous
Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)	%	72.2	69.2	71.3	68.4	77.9	69.3
Exercise participation (e)	%	27.8	30.8	28.7	31.6	21.0	30.7
<b>Total (f)</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>RSE (%)</b>							
Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)	%	6.8	0.3	2.9	0.6	1.8	0.7
Exercise participation (e)	%	10.4	0.6	6.1	1.3	5.8	1.5

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Based on frequency, intensity and duration of exercise in the two weeks prior to the interview.

(b) Estimates with a RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(c) 1995 RSE based on the estimate not the proportion as in 2001 and 2004-05

(d) Differences between 1995 Indigenous and non-Indigenous data are not statistically significant.

(e) Moderate and high exercise participation levels.

(f) Includes not stated responses

Source: ABS 1995 and 2001 National Health Surveys (Indigenous components) (unpublished); ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS (unpublished).



Table 9A.6.2

Table 9A.6.2 Indigenous persons aged 15 years and over in non-remote areas: participation in exercise (a), (b), (c)

	1995		2004-05	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)	69.7	5.7	74.7	1.5
Exercise participation (d)	30.3	8.7	24.3	5.0

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Based on frequency, intensity and duration of exercise in the two weeks prior to the interview.

(b) Estimates with a RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(c) 1995 RSE based on the estimate not the proportion as in 2004-05

(d) Moderate and high exercise participation levels.

Source : ABS 1995 and 2001 National Health Surveys (Indigenous components) (unpublished); ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS (unpublished).

Table 9A.6.3

**Table 9A.6.3 Persons aged 15 years and over in non-remote areas: participation in exercise, by age group, 2004-05 (a), (b)**

		Age (years)						AS	
		Unit	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+	Total	Total
Indigenous									
Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)	%		67.4	72.2	79.1	82.4	84.7	74.7	77.9
Exercise participation (c)	%		31.7	26.4	19.7	17.1	14.2	24.3	21.0
Total (d)	%		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total (d)	'000		70.4	49.8	40.6	28.9	23.8	213.4	na
RSE									
Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)	%		3.0	3.6	2.8	3.2	2.7	1.5	1.8
Exercise participation (c)	%		6.6	9.7	11.4	15.3	15.9	5.0	5.8
Non-Indigenous									
Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)	%		61.3	66.3	71.8	72.6	72.5	69.4	69.3
Exercise participation (c)	%		38.7	33.7	28.1	27.4	27.5	30.6	30.7
Total (d)	%		100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total (d)	'000		2 606.1	2 725.7	2 859.8	2 671.0	4 482.2	15 344.8	na
RSE									
Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)	%		1.9	1.6	1.1	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.7
Exercise participation (c)	%		3.0	3.1	2.9	3.0	2.2	1.5	1.5

RSE Relative standard error. AS Age standardised.

(a) Based on frequency, intensity and duration of exercise in the two weeks prior to the interview.

(b) Estimates with a RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(c) Moderate and high exercise participation levels.

(d) Includes not stated responses

Source: ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS (unpublished).

Table 9A.6.4

Table 9A.6.4    **Persons aged 15 years and over in non-remote areas: participation in exercise, by sex, 2004-05, age standardised (a), (b)**

	Unit	Indigenous (c)			Non-Indigenous (c)		
		Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Proportion (%)							
Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)	%	72.2	83.2	77.9	65.4	73.1	69.3
Exercise participation (d)	%	27.1	15.5	21.0	34.6	26.8	30.7
<b>Total (e)</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
RSE (%)							
Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)	%	3.2	1.8	1.8	1.0	0.8	0.7
Exercise participation (d)	%	7.1	8.0	5.8	2.0	2.2	1.5

RSE Relative standard error.

- (a) Based on frequency, intensity and duration of exercise in the two weeks prior to the interview.
- (b) Estimates with a RSE of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (c) Differences between Indigenous and non-Indigenous data are not statistically significant.
- (d) Moderate and high exercise participation levels.
- (e) Includes not stated responses

Source : ABS 2004-05 NHS and NATSIHS (unpublished).

Table 9A.6.5

Table 9A.6.5 Persons aged 15 years and over in non-remote areas: participation in exercise, by selected characteristics, 2004–05, age standardised (a), (b)

	No exercise (c)			Exercise participation (d)			All people (e)		
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<b>Indigenous</b>									
Equivalised household income									
Lowest quintile	54.0	75.4	2.8	16.5	23.0	9.3	71.6	100.0	–
2nd quintile	31.5	73.1	3.5	10.9	25.3	10.3	43.1	100.0	–
3rd quintile	25.2	75.8	4.5	7.9	23.7	14.3	33.2	100.0	–
4th quintile	16.4	73.1	5.1	6.0	26.6	14.1	22.4	100.0	–
Highest quintile	8.7	77.9	5.1	2.4	22.0	17.9	11.1	100.0	–
Total stated (f)	135.8	74.8	1.7	43.7	24.1	5.5	181.5	100.0	–
Family and culture									
Main language spoken at home is an Indigenous language	1.8	77.9	9.7	0.5	22.1	34.2	2.4	100.0	–
Whether has long-term condition (g)									
Has a long-term condition	..	78.9	1.8	..	20.2	6.4	..	100.0	–
Does not have a long-term condition	..	71.1	14.0	..	23.9	28.1	..	100.0	–
Employment (g)									
Employed	..	78.1	3.4	..	20.7	10.1	..	100.0	–
Unemployed	..	61.3	26.2	..	37.8	63.9	..	100.0	–
<b>Total</b>	..	77.9	0.7	..	21.0	2.3	..	100.0	–

Table 9A.6.5

Table 9A.6.5 Persons aged 15 years and over in non-remote areas: participation in exercise, by selected characteristics, 2004–05, age standardised (a), (b)

	No exercise (c)			Exercise participation (d)			All people (e)		
	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<b>Non-Indigenous</b>									
Equivalised household income									
Lowest quintile	1 862.9	75.6	1.2	599.9	24.3	3.7	2 464.5	100.0	–
2nd quintile	1 772.9	74.7	1.3	598.6	25.3	3.8	2 370.8	100.0	–
3rd quintile	1 751.3	72.5	1.3	665.3	27.5	3.5	2 416.9	100.0	–
4th quintile	1 824.3	69.3	1.3	807.5	30.7	2.8	2 632.9	100.0	–
Highest quintile	1 647.2	58.5	1.9	1 168.6	41.5	2.6	2 815.8	100.0	–
Total stated (f)	8 857.8	69.7	0.7	3 839.9	30.2	1.7	12 700.8	100.0	–
Family and culture									
Main language spoken at home is an Indigenous language	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whether has long-term condition (g)									
Has a long-term condition	..	69.7	0.7	..	30.3	1.6	..	100.0	–
Does not have a long-term condition	..	64.5	5.1	..	35.4	9.0	..	100.0	–
Employment (g)									
Employed	..	68.0	1.0	..	32.0	2.1	..	100.0	–
Unemployed	..	64.1	5.3	..	35.9	9.4	..	100.0	–
<b>Total</b>	..	69.3	0.7	..	30.7	1.5	..	100.0	–

Table 9A.6.5

**Table 9A.6.5 Persons aged 15 years and over in non-remote areas: participation in exercise, by selected characteristics, 2004–05, age standardised (a), (b)**

No exercise (c)			Exercise participation (d)			All people (e)		
Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Number ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Based on frequency, intensity and duration of exercise in the two weeks prior to the interview.

(b) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(c) Sedentary/low level exercise (includes no exercise)

(d) Moderate and high exercise participation levels.

(e) Includes 'not stated' responses.

(f) Comprises persons living in households where household income was stated.

(g) These data are age standardised.

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

Source: ABS 2004–05 NHS and NATSIHS (unpublished).

Table 9A.7.1

Table 9A.7.1 Reasons for not going to a hospital in the last 12 months, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over, by remoteness, 2004–05 (a)

	Remote (b)			Non-Remote (c)			Total		
	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Estimate ('000)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
Cost	0.2	2.4	59.8	0.9	4.5	32.1	1.1	4	28.5
Personal reasons (d)	2.2	32.8	13.6	7.8	39.1	9.7	10.0	37.5	8.1
Logistical reasons (e)	2.8	41.7	12.7	6.0	30.1	11.7	8.8	33.0	8.8
Other reason(s)	1.9	27.5	31.8	5.3	26.7	19.7	7.1	26.9	17.6
Decided not to seek care	0.5	7.3	19.0	3.0	15.1	12.2	3.5	13.2	9.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>19.8</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>–</b>	<b>26.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>–</b>

(a) Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories: major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. The degree of remoteness of an area is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness Consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).

(b) Includes 'remote' and 'very remote' categories of the ASGC.

(c) Includes 'major city', inner regional' and 'outer regional' categories of the ASGC.

(d) Personal reasons include: too busy (work, personal or family responsibilities), discrimination, service not culturally appropriate, language problems, dislikes service or health professional, afraid, embarrassed, or felt service would be inadequate.

(e) Includes transport/distance, service not available in area, waiting time too long, or service not available at the time required.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2004–05 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey (NATSIHS) (unpublished)

Table 9A.7.2

**Table 9A.7.2 Indigenous people's perception of their treatment when seeking health care in the previous 12 months, compared to treatment of non-Indigenous people, 2004–05 (a)**

	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	'000	%	%
Worse than non-Indigenous people	9.5	3.7	10.9
The same as non-Indigenous people	198.4	76.8	1.3
Better than non-Indigenous people	12.9	5.0	9.9
Only encountered Indigenous people	4.7	1.8	13.4
Did not seek health care in last 12 months	13.4	5.2	10.9
Don't know / not sure	18.0	7.0	7.3
<b>Total (b)</b>	<b>258.3</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>–</b>

(a) Indigenous people aged 18 years and over.

(b) Includes 'refusals' and 'not stated' responses.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NATSIHS (unpublished).



Table 9A.7.3

**Table 9A.7.3 How Indigenous people felt after they had been discriminated against because of their Indigenous status, 2004-05 (a)**

	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	<i>'000</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Felt angry	27.2	67.4	3.9
Felt sad	11.2	27.8	7.9
Felt sorry for the person who did it	12.5	30.9	8.5
Felt ashamed or worried about it	6.8	16.8	10.0
Felt sick	4.8	11.8	10.9
Other feeling	4.8	11.9	11.7
No feeling	2.6	6.3	20.8
<b>Total (b)</b>	<b>40.4</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>—</b>

(a) Indigenous people aged 18 years and over who felt discriminated against in any situation.  
That is, not just when seeking health care.

(b) Includes 'refusals' and 'not stated' responses.  
.. Not applicable. — Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2004-05 NATSIHS (unpublished).

Table 9A.7.4

**Table 9A.7.4      What Indigenous people did after they had been discriminated against because of their Indigenous status, 2004–05 (a)**

	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>Proportion</i>	<i>RSE</i>
	<i>'000</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
Tried to avoid the person/situation	13.2	32.8	7.4
Tried to change the way you are or things that you do	3.6	8.9	14.4
Tried to do something about the people who did it	12.0	29.8	8.1
Talked to family or friends about it	15.2	37.7	5.6
Kept it to yourself	7.3	18.2	10.4
Just forgot about it	11.3	28.0	7.8
Did anything else	2.2	5.5	15.5
No action	1.8	4.3	23.3
<b>Total (b)</b>	<b>40.4</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>–</b>

(a) Indigenous people aged 18 years and over who felt discriminated against in any situation. That is, not just when seeking health care.

(b) Includes 'refusals' and 'not stated' responses.

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

Source: ABS 2004-05 NATSIHS (unpublished).

Table 9A.7.5

Table 9A.7.5 Communication with service providers, Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over, by sex, 2002

	Males			Females			Persons		
	'000	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	'000	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	'000	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<b>Non- remote</b>									
Communication with service providers									
Has difficulty understanding	2.3	2.4	20.7	3.6	3.4	19.4	6.0	2.9	15.2
Has difficulty being understood	2.8	2.8	20.3	1.9	1.7	15.8	4.6	2.3	14.2
Has difficulty understanding and being understood	2.0	2.0	16.9	2.5	2.3	22.0	4.5	2.2	17.6
<b>Total experiencing difficulty</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>10.4</b>
No difficulties	90.5	92.7	1.0	99.4	92.5	1.0	190.0	92.6	0.8
<b>Total (a)</b>	<b>97.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>107.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>205.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Remote</b>									
Communication with service providers									
Has difficulty understanding	1.4	3.7	20.9	1.6	4.0	16.7	3.0	3.9	15.3
Has difficulty being understood	1.6	4.3	22.7	1.5	3.9	27.6	3.2	4.1	23.2
Has difficulty understanding and being understood	3.6	9.4	15.3	4.3	10.8	12.9	7.8	10.1	12.6
<b>Total experiencing difficulty</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>18.1</b>	<b>10.0</b>
No difficulties	31.0	82.3	2.6	31.8	80.6	2.5	62.8	81.4	2.3
<b>Total (a)</b>	<b>37.6</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>39.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>77.1</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-</b>

Table 9A.7.5

Table 9A.7.5 Communication with service providers, Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over, by sex, 2002

	Males			Females			Persons		
	'000	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	'000	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	'000	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
<b>Total</b>									
Communication with service providers									
Has difficulty understanding	3.7	2.8	15.1	5.2	3.6	14.3	9.0	3.2	11.3
Has difficulty being understood	4.4	3.2	15.4	3.4	2.3	15.3	7.8	2.8	12.8
Has difficulty understanding and being understood	5.5	4.1	11.2	6.8	4.6	11.7	12.3	4.4	10.3
<b>Total experiencing difficulty</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>10.1</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>29.1</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>7.5</b>
No difficulties	121.5	89.8	1.0	131.3	89.3	1.0	252.8	89.6	0.9
<b>Total (a)</b>	<b>135.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>147.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>282.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>-</b>

RSE Relative standard error.

(a) Includes not stated responses.

- Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2002 National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey (NATSISS) (unpublished).

Table 9A.7.6

Table 9A.7.6 Communication with service providers, Indigenous persons aged 15 years or over, by State and Territory, 2002

Estimate	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Communication with service providers									
Has difficulty understanding	'000 2.7	0.5	2.7	1.8	0.5	0.2	—	0.6	9.0
Has difficulty being understood	'000 2.2	0.5	1.3	1.2	0.7	0.2	—	1.7	7.8
Has difficulty understanding and being understood	'000 1.1	0.4	2.5	3.6	1.4	0.2	—	3.0	12.3
<b>Total experiencing difficulty</b>	<b>'000 6.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>29.1</b>
No difficulties	'000 77.8	16.0	69.5	32.9	13.2	10.3	2.4	30.7	252.8
<b>Total (a)</b>	<b>'000 83.8</b>	<b>17.4</b>	<b>76.0</b>	<b>39.6</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>36.2</b>	<b>282.2</b>
Proportion									
Communication with service providers									
Has difficulty understanding	% 3.2	2.7	3.5	4.6	3.0	1.8	1.8	1.6	3.2
Has difficulty being understood	% 2.6	3.1	1.7	3.0	4.7	1.9	1.4	4.6	2.8
Has difficulty understanding and being understood	% 1.3	2.5	3.3	9.1	8.8	1.9	1.3	8.3	4.4
<b>Total experiencing difficulty</b>	<b>% 7.1</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>14.4</b>	<b>10.3</b>
No difficulties	% 92.9	91.7	91.4	83.1	83.6	94.4	95.5	84.9	89.6
<b>Total (a)</b>	<b>% 100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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RSE	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Aust
Communication with service providers									
Has difficulty understanding	27.5	26.7	19.9	16.5	31.9	42.5	51.0	26.9	11.3
Has difficulty being understood	27.1	24.0	18.4	18.6	29.7	46.8	49.4	41.7	12.8
Has difficulty understanding and being understood	26.3	26.1	28.5	12.6	40.1	49.2	47.4	22.7	10.3
<b>Total experiencing difficulty</b>	<b>17.3</b>	<b>15.2</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>24.9</b>	<b>33.3</b>	<b>30.6</b>	<b>21.5</b>	<b>7.5</b>
No difficulties	1.3	1.4	1.7	1.9	4.9	2.0	1.4	3.7	0.9
<b>Total (a)</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

(a) Includes not stated responses.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2002 NATSISS (unpublished).

Table 9A.7.7

**Table 9A.7.7 Communication with service providers, Indigenous persons by age, 2002**

		15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+	Total
<b>Estimate</b>							
Communication with service providers							
Has difficulty understanding	'000	2.3	2.6	1.7	1.3	1.0	9.0
Has difficulty being understood	'000	2.0	2.4	1.6	0.9	0.9	7.8
Has difficulty understanding and being understood	'000	3.6	3.0	2.0	1.2	2.6	12.3
<b>Total experiencing difficulty</b>	<b>'000</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>29.1</b>
No difficulties	'000	74.7	63.0	52.4	35.0	27.6	252.8
<b>Total (a)</b>	<b>'000</b>	<b>82.7</b>	<b>71.1</b>	<b>57.8</b>	<b>38.4</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>282.2</b>
<b>Proportion</b>							
Communication with service providers							
Has difficulty understanding	%	2.8	3.6	3.0	3.4	3.2	3.2
Has difficulty being understood	%	2.4	3.4	2.8	2.3	2.8	2.8
Has difficulty understanding and being understood	%	4.3	4.2	3.4	3.1	8.0	4.4
<b>Total experiencing difficulty</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>10.3</b>
No difficulties	%	90.2	88.6	90.7	91.3	85.8	89.6
<b>Total (a)</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>RSE</b>							
Communication with service providers							
Has difficulty understanding	%	29.3	17.7	17.0	20.5	21.5	11.3
Has difficulty being understood	%	22.0	23.5	17.1	24.1	37.3	12.8
Has difficulty understanding and being understood	%	18.8	14.8	13.9	20.1	11.1	10.3
<b>Total experiencing difficulty</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>7.5</b>
No difficulties	%	1.5	1.4	1.0	1.2	1.8	0.9
<b>Total (a)</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

(a) Includes not stated responses.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: ABS 2002 NATSISS (unpublished).

Table 9A.7.8

**Table 9A.7.8 Discharges from hospital against medical advice, by Indigenous status and sex (excluding mental and behavioural disorders), Queensland, WA, SA and public hospitals in the NT, July 2002 to June 2004 (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Rate ratio (g)</i>
Male				
	no.	4 030	7 390	
	%	3.2	0.3	
	Rate per 1000 (h)	17.7 ± 0.6	1.0 ± 0.1	17.1*
Female				
	no.	4 420	5 183	
	%	2.5	0.2	
	Rate per 1000 (h)	16.4 ± 0.5	0.7 ± 0.0	22.6*
Persons				
	no.	8 450	12 573	
	%	2.8	0.3	
	Rate per 1000 (h)	17.0 ± 0.4	0.9 ± 0.0	19.4*

\*Represents results with statistically significant differences in the Indigenous/non-Indigenous comparisons.

(a) Categories are based on the International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, 10th Revision, Australian Modification.

(b) Data are based on state/territory of usual residence.

(c) Indigenous data are reported for Queensland, WA, SA and the NT only. These four jurisdictions are considered to have the highest level of accuracy of Indigenous identification, although the level of accuracy varies by jurisdiction and hospital. Data for these four jurisdictions over-represent Indigenous populations in less urbanised and more remote locations. Hospitalisation data for four jurisdictions should not be assumed to represent the hospitalisation experience in the other jurisdictions.

(d) Data are presented in two year groupings due to small numbers each year.

(e) Percentage of hospitalisations for which patients were discharged against medical advice in the period 2002-03 to 2003-04.

(f) Directly age standardised using the Australian 2001 standard population.

(g) Rate ratio is calculated by dividing the Indigenous rate by the non-Indigenous rate.

(h) Rates are presented with their 95 per cent confidence limits.

Source: AIHW National Hospital Morbidity Database (unpublished).