

5 Hospital non-specialists

5.1 Overview

Hospital non-specialists are defined as medical practitioners mainly employed in a salaried position in a hospital who:

- do not have a recognised specialist qualification, and
- are not undertaking a training program to gain a recognised specialist qualification.

They include resident medical officers and interns and other salaried hospital career practitioners and exclude specialists-in-training. The features of hospital non-specialists in 1995 included the following:

- There were 5,288 hospital non-specialists, of whom 2,220 (42.0%) were female. Hospital non-specialists made up 11.5% of all clinicians and 10.8% of all medical practitioners employed in medicine.
- 4,220 (79.8%) hospital non-specialists were resident medical officers or interns and the remaining 1,068 (20.2%) were other salaried hospital career practitioners.
- 74.5% of resident medical officers and interns worked 50 or more hours per week, 17.3% worked 65 or more hours per week, and 5.9% worked 80 or more hours per week. This compares with other salaried hospital career practitioners of whom 43.6% worked 50 or more hours per week and 3.7% worked 80 or more hours per week.
- 36.4% of other salaried hospital career practitioners were younger than 35 years of age; 33.5% were aged 35–44 years; 17.0% were aged 45–54 years; and the remaining 13.0% were 55 years and over.
- 4,080 (96.7%) resident medical officers and interns and 917 (85.8%) other salaried hospital career practitioners were employed in the public sector.

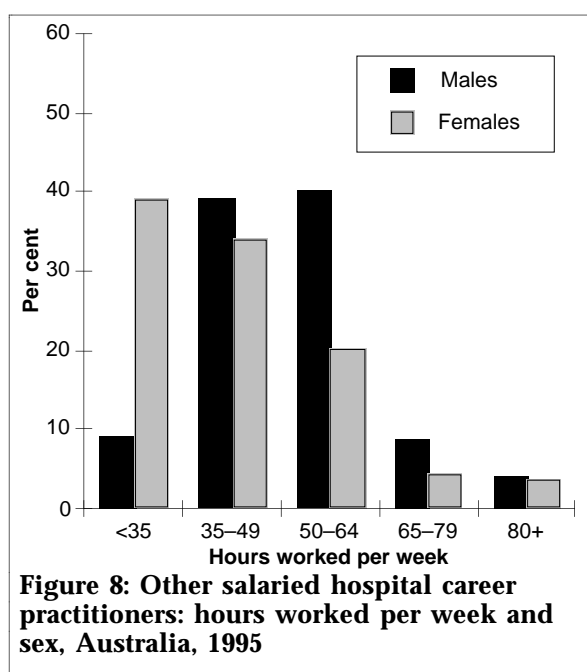
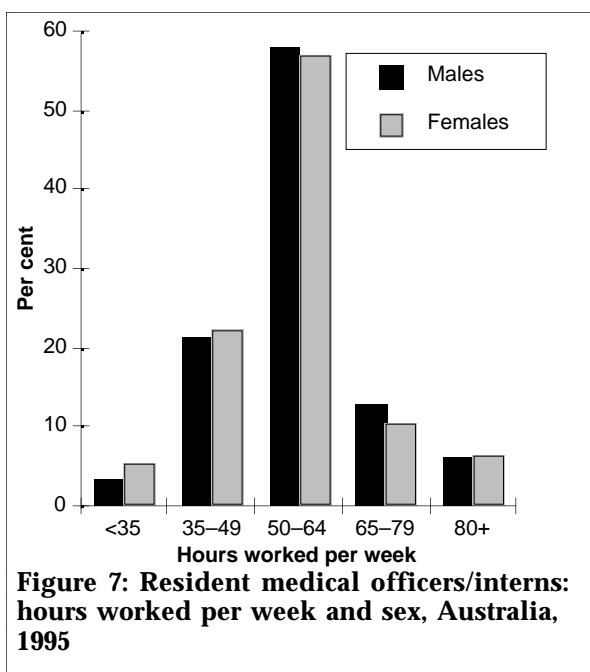


Table 47: Hospital non-specialists: classification, age, sex and States and Territories, 1995

Classification/ag	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total
Males									
Resident medical									
<25	217	170	67	35	77	16	3	2	586
25-34	725	366	297	54	109	29	34	16	1,630
35-44	68	19	20	4	5	2	4	4	127
45+	13	7	3	2	0	0	2	0	27
Total	1,022	562	387	95	192	47	43	22	2,371
Other									
<25	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
25-34	116	13	57	27	32	5	7	4	259
35-44	101	35	48	8	25	3	9	7	237
45-54	34	13	21	12	6	5	5	8	104
55+	28	15	17	15	7	8	2	4	95
Total	279	75	144	62	70	21	23	22	696
Total									
<25	217	170	69	35	77	16	3	2	588
25-34	841	379	353	81	141	34	41	20	1,889
35-44	169	54	68	12	31	5	13	11	363
45-54	47	20	24	14	6	5	7	8	131
55+	28	15	17	15	7	8	2	4	95
Total	1,301	638	532	157	262	68	66	44	3,067
Females									
Resident medical									
<25	214	145	60	50	73	27	0	0	568
25-34	510	239	207	63	69	14	27	13	1,142
35-44	62	10	15	6	12	3	5	3	116
45+	9	4	5	2	0	1	2	0	24
Total	796	398	287	121	154	45	33	16	1,849
Other									
<25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25-34	56	5	37	14	10	6	2	0	129
35-44	36	27	19	12	16	0	8	3	121
45-54	23	16	21	2	6	0	6	3	77
55+	14	6	6	4	10	0	2	2	44
Total	129	54	83	32	42	6	17	9	371
Total									
<25	214	145	60	50	73	27	0	0	568
25-34	566	244	244	77	79	20	28	13	1,271
35-44	98	37	34	18	28	3	12	7	237
45-54	33	20	26	4	6	1	8	3	101
55+	14	6	6	4	10	0	2	2	44
Total	924	452	370	153	196	51	50	25	2,220
Persons									
Resident medical									
<25	430	314	127	85	150	43	3	2	1,154
25-34	1,235	605	504	117	178	43	61	29	2,772
35-44	130	29	35	10	18	4	8	8	242
45+	22	11	9	4	0	1	3	0	51
Total	1,818	960	674	216	346	91	76	38	4,220
Other									
<25	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
25-34	172	18	94	41	41	11	8	4	388
35-44	137	62	68	20	41	3	17	10	358
45-54	58	29	41	14	13	5	11	11	181
55+	41	21	24	19	17	8	3	6	139
Total	408	129	228	94	112	27	40	31	1,068
Total									
<25	430	314	128	85	150	43	3	2	1,156
25-34	1,408	623	597	158	220	54	69	32	3,160
35-44	267	91	103	30	59	7	25	18	600
45-54	80	40	50	18	13	7	14	11	232
55+	41	21	24	19	17	8	4	6	139
Total	2,226	1,089	902	310	458	119	115	69	5,288

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Table 47 (continued): Hospital non-specialists: classification, age, sex and States and Territories, 1995

Classification/age	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total
(per cent—males)									
Resident medical									
<25	21.2	30.2	17.3	36.6	40.3	34.2	7.7	7.4	24.7
25-34	70.9	65.2	76.6	56.6	56.9	62.5	79.7	72.5	68.8
35-44	6.7	3.4	5.2	4.3	2.8	3.3	8.7	20.1	5.3
45+	1.2	1.3	0.9	2.5	0.0	0.0	3.9	0.0	1.2
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Other									
<25	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2
25-34	41.7	16.6	39.2	43.5	45.2	22.8	29.0	16.2	37.2
35-44	36.1	46.6	33.4	13.4	36.2	14.5	41.8	30.2	34.0
45-54	12.3	17.0	14.3	19.2	9.2	25.3	22.1	35.4	14.9
55+	9.9	19.8	12.0	23.9	9.5	37.4	7.1	18.2	13.6
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Total									
<25	16.6	26.6	12.9	22.2	29.5	23.5	5.1	3.7	19.2
25-34	64.6	59.4	66.5	51.6	53.8	50.0	62.3	44.4	61.6
35-44	13.0	8.5	12.9	7.9	11.7	6.8	20.1	25.1	11.8
45-54	3.6	3.1	4.5	9.1	2.4	7.9	10.1	17.7	4.3
55+	2.1	2.3	3.3	9.4	2.5	11.7	2.4	9.1	3.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
(per cent—females)									
Resident medical									
<25	26.9	36.3	20.9	41.4	47.0	60.5	0.0	0.0	30.7
25-34	64.2	60.1	72.1	52.1	44.9	30.9	81.3	79.5	61.8
35-44	7.8	2.5	5.2	4.9	8.1	5.9	14.0	20.5	6.3
45+	1.2	1.1	1.8	1.6	0.0	2.7	4.7	0.0	1.3
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Other									
<25	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
25-34	43.4	9.5	44.4	43.4	22.7	100.0	9.8	0.0	34.7
35-44	27.8	50.2	23.3	37.2	38.1	0.0	44.7	37.7	32.6
45-54	18.2	29.3	24.7	6.2	14.5	0.0	36.3	39.3	20.8
55+	10.6	11.0	7.6	13.2	24.7	0.0	9.3	22.9	11.9
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Total									
<25	23.1	32.0	16.2	32.8	37.0	53.4	0.0	0.0	25.6
25-34	61.3	54.1	65.9	50.3	40.1	38.9	56.9	51.5	57.2
35-44	10.6	8.2	9.3	11.6	14.5	5.3	24.5	26.6	10.7
45-54	3.5	4.4	7.0	2.6	3.1	2.4	15.5	13.9	4.5
55+	1.5	1.3	1.7	2.7	5.3	0.0	3.2	8.1	2.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
(per cent—persons)									
Resident medical									
<25	23.7	32.7	18.8	39.3	43.3	47.1	4.4	4.3	27.4
25-34	68.0	63.1	74.7	54.1	51.5	47.0	80.4	75.4	65.7
35-44	7.2	3.0	5.2	4.7	5.2	4.6	11.0	20.3	5.7
45+	1.2	1.2	1.3	2.0	0.0	1.3	4.2	0.0	1.2
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Other									
<25	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
25-34	42.2	13.7	41.1	43.5	36.7	39.5	20.8	11.6	36.3
35-44	33.5	48.1	29.7	21.5	36.9	11.3	43.0	32.4	33.5
45-54	14.1	22.1	18.1	14.8	11.2	19.8	28.2	36.5	17.0
55+	10.2	16.1	10.4	20.2	15.2	29.3	8.0	19.5	13.0
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Total									
<25	19.3	28.9	14.2	27.4	32.7	36.2	2.9	2.4	21.9
25-34	63.2	57.2	66.2	50.9	47.9	45.3	59.6	46.9	59.8
35-44	12.0	8.4	11.4	9.7	12.9	6.1	21.8	25.7	11.4
45-54	3.6	3.7	5.5	5.9	2.7	5.6	12.4	16.3	4.4
55+	1.9	1.9	2.7	6.1	3.7	6.7	3.4	8.7	2.6
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 48: Hospital non-specialists: classification, sector of employment and States and Territories, 1995

Classification/ sector	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total
Resident medical									
Public sector	1,767	935	626	206	343	91	74	38	4,080
Private sector	51	25	48	10	3	0	2	0	139
<i>All sectors</i>	<i>1,818</i>	<i>960</i>	<i>674</i>	<i>216</i>	<i>346</i>	<i>91</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>4,220</i>
Other									
Public sector	358	105	178	84	108	18	36	31	917
Private sector	51	24	50	10	4	10	3	0	151
<i>All sectors</i>	<i>408</i>	<i>129</i>	<i>228</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>112</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>1,068</i>
Total									
Public sector	2,124	1,040	804	290	451	109	110	69	4,997
Private sector	101	50	98	20	7	10	5	0	290
All sectors	2,226	1,089	902	310	458	119	115	69	5,288
(per cent)									
Resident medical officer/intern									
Public sector	97.2	97.3	92.9	95.4	99.0	100.0	97.9	100.0	96.7
Private sector	2.8	2.7	7.1	4.6	1.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	3.3
<i>All sectors</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Other									
Public sector	87.6	81.2	78.1	89.6	96.7	64.3	91.7	100.0	85.8
Private sector	12.4	18.8	21.9	10.4	3.3	35.7	8.3	0.0	14.2
<i>All sectors</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
Total									
Public sector	95.4	95.4	89.1	93.5	98.4	91.8	95.6	100.0	94.5
Private sector	4.6	4.6	10.9	6.5	1.6	8.2	4.4	0.0	5.5
All sectors	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

5.2 Resident medical officers and interns

An intern is a medical practitioner in a hospital in the first year of service following graduation from medical school. A resident medical officer is a medical practitioner undertaking further supervised employment in a hospital after completing an internship. The features of these medical practitioners in 1995 included the following:

- 1,849 (43.8%) of the 4,220 resident medical officers and interns were female. The female proportion was relatively high for Western Australia (56.0%) and Tasmania (49.5%).
- On average, resident medical officers and interns worked a total of 54.5 hours per week. Males averaged slightly longer hours than did females—55.2 hours per week compared with 53.6 hours per week.
- Average hours worked per week by resident medical officers and interns generally decreased with age. Those younger than 25 years worked an average of 56.6 hours per week; 25–34 year olds averaged 55.1 hours; 35–44 year olds averaged 49.0 hours; and those aged 45 years and over worked an average of 50.5 hours per week.
- Average hours worked per week also varied across States and Territories. Resident medical officers and interns employed in the four largest States averaged hours in the low 50s. In South Australia, Tasmania and the two Territories, average hours worked were significantly higher, mainly because the proportion of the junior doctor workforce who reported working 80 hours or more per week in these jurisdictions was two to four times the national proportion of 5.9%.
- Only 4.0% of resident medical officers and interns worked less than 35 hours per week; 21.4% worked 35–49 hours; 57.2% worked 50–64 hours and the remaining 17.1% worked 65 hours and over per week.
- In South Australia, Tasmania and the two Territories, between 13.8% and 23.4% of resident medical officers and interns reported working 80 hours or more per week—much higher than the proportions in the other States.
- 41.7% of resident medical officers and interns had the right to practise privately in 1995. This proportion varied significantly across States and Territories, from a high of 66.1% in Victoria to a low of 11.1% in the Northern Territory.

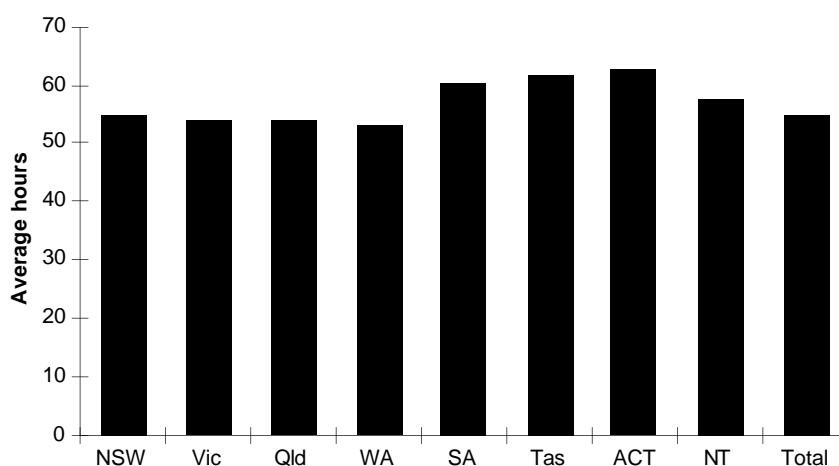


Figure 9: Resident medical officers/interns: average hours worked per week and States and Territories, 1995

Table 49: Resident medical officers and interns: total hours worked per week, sex and States and Territories, 1995

Hours worked per week	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total
Males									
<20	10	14	2	0	0	0	2	0	27
20-34	28	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	47
35-49	200	132	103	35	15	0	7	6	497
50-64	581	314	245	46	114	35	22	9	1,367
65-79	140	66	30	14	37	0	3	4	295
80+	63	17	7	0	26	12	10	4	137
Total	1,022	562	387	95	192	47	43	22	2,371
Females									
<20	22	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	27
20-34	40	12	3	2	4	0	2	3	66
35-49	167	92	65	40	31	5	5	3	407
50-64	459	213	183	59	84	30	16	5	1,048
65-79	74	52	22	17	13	5	3	2	188
80+	34	26	13	2	22	5	8	3	112
Total	796	398	287	121	154	45	33	16	1,849
Persons									
<20	32	17	2	2	0	0	2	0	54
20-34	68	31	3	2	4	0	2	3	114
35-49	366	225	169	74	46	5	11	9	904
50-64	1,040	528	429	105	198	65	37	14	2,415
65-79	214	118	53	31	50	5	6	5	483
80+	96	42	20	2	48	17	18	7	250
Total	1,818	960	674	216	346	91	76	38	4,220
(per cent—males)									
<20	1.0	2.5	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	0.0	1.1
20-34	2.7	3.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0
35-49	19.5	23.5	26.6	36.6	7.7	0.0	15.4	25.0	21.0
50-64	56.9	55.9	63.3	48.8	59.6	75.0	50.0	41.7	57.7
65-79	13.7	11.8	7.9	14.6	19.2	0.0	7.7	16.7	12.4
80+	6.1	2.9	1.7	0.0	13.5	25.0	23.1	16.7	5.8
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
(per cent—females)									
<20	2.7	0.7	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5
20-34	5.1	2.9	1.1	1.7	2.9	0.0	4.8	20.0	3.6
35-49	20.9	23.2	22.8	32.8	20.0	11.1	14.3	20.0	22.0
50-64	57.7	53.6	63.9	48.3	54.3	66.7	47.6	30.0	56.7
65-79	9.3	13.0	7.8	13.8	8.6	11.1	9.5	10.0	10.2
80+	4.2	6.5	4.4	1.7	14.3	11.1	23.8	20.0	6.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
(per cent—persons)									
<20	1.7	1.7	0.3	1.0	0.0	0.0	2.2	0.0	1.3
20-34	3.8	3.2	0.5	1.0	1.3	0.0	2.1	8.4	2.7
35-49	20.2	23.4	25.0	34.4	13.2	5.4	14.9	22.9	21.4
50-64	57.2	54.9	63.6	48.5	57.2	70.9	49.0	36.8	57.2
65-79	11.8	12.3	7.8	14.2	14.5	5.4	8.5	13.9	11.4
80+	5.3	4.4	2.9	1.0	13.8	18.2	23.4	18.1	5.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 50: Resident medical officers and interns: average hours worked per week, age, sex and States and Territories, 1995

Age (years)	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total
Males									
<25	61.7	60.0	52.7	52.9	65.3	n.a.	74.5	80.0	57.7
25–34	56.1	53.4	53.2	52.3	61.2	60.2	63.8	57.4	55.4
35–44	52.0	45.3	48.6	45.0	55.0	99.0	56.0	61.0	51.4
45+	49.4	49.2	62.5	60.0	..	..	40.0	..	50.8
Total	55.8	52.9	52.9	52.8	61.1	63.4	63.1	59.9	55.2
Females									
<25	56.1	65.0	53.8	55.2	60.0	n.a.	..	..	55.4
25–34	54.1	54.9	54.0	50.7	60.4	59.8	61.9	52.1	54.5
35–44	44.0	52.7	47.6	48.3	51.2	50.0	49.0	59.5	46.6
45+	49.9	37.3	51.3	45.0	..	65.0	76.0	..	50.1
Total	52.6	54.6	53.6	52.3	58.8	58.2	60.7	53.6	53.6
Persons									
25+	58.9	63.3	53.2	54.3	64.2	n.a.	74.5	80.0	56.6
25–34	55.3	54.0	53.5	51.4	60.9	60.1	62.9	54.9	55.1
35–44	48.0	48.2	48.2	47.0	52.4	66.3	51.8	60.3	49.0
45+	49.6	44.8	55.8	52.5	..	65.0	58.0	..	50.5
Total	54.4	53.6	53.2	52.5	59.8	61.2	62.0	57.0	54.5

Table 51: Resident medical officers and interns: right of private practice and States and Territories, 1995

Right of private practice	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total(a)
Yes	n.a.	635	87	62	147	46	22	4	1,002
No	n.a.	326	588	154	199	46	54	34	1,400
Total	1,818	960	674	216	346	91	76	38	4,220
(per cent)									
Yes	n.a.	66.1	12.8	28.7	42.4	50.0	29.3	11.1	41.7
No	n.a.	33.9	87.2	71.3	57.6	50.0	70.7	88.9	58.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Percentages have been calculated excluding New South Wales.

5.3 Other salaried hospital career practitioners

These are medical practitioners not undertaking specialist training who practise unsupervised in hospitals. Australian graduates do so after completing internships and resident medical officer placements. In most States these practitioners are referred to as career medical officers. The features of these practitioners in 1995 included the following:

- Of the 1,067 other salaried hospital career practitioners in 1995, 370 (34.7%) were female. This proportion varied across States and Territories, from a high of 41.9% in Victoria to a low of 22.2% in Tasmania.
- On average, other salaried hospital career practitioners worked a total of 46.5 hours per week. Males worked an average of 50.2 hours per week compared with 39.3 hours for females. Average hours worked also varied across States and Territories, from a low of 41.3 hours per week in Victoria to a high of 51.9 hours per week in the Northern Territory.
- Average hours worked per week generally increased with the remoteness of the geographic region. The average was 52.0 hours per week in remote areas and 53.9 hours in other rural areas compared with 46.2 hours in major urban areas.
- Almost five times as many other salaried hospital career practitioners worked less than 35 hours per week as did resident medical officers and interns—19.3% compared with 4.0% respectively. For the remainder, 37.1% worked 35–49 hours, 32.9% worked 50–64 hours, and 10.7% worked 65 hours or more per week.
- 12.6% of other salaried hospital career practitioners held a Certificate of Satisfactory Completion of Training in 1995 and 6.3% were trainees of the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners.
- 39.1% of other salaried hospital career practitioners had the right to practise privately in 1995. This proportion varied significantly across States and Territories, from a high of 71.4% in Tasmania to a low of 11.8% in the Northern Territory.
- 78.1% of other salaried hospital career practitioners had obtained their initial qualification in Australia, 9.7% from the United Kingdom or Ireland, 5.3% from Asian countries, 2.1% from New Zealand and the remaining 4.7% from other countries. This distribution was similar across geographic regions except in remote areas where only 63.0% of these practitioners had obtained their initial qualification in Australia, 22.2% were graduates from the United Kingdom or Ireland and the remaining 14.8% were graduates from Asian countries.
- 96.9% of other salaried hospital career practitioners were Australian citizens or permanent residents of Australia in 1995. Of those who were not citizens or permanent residents, 85.0% obtained their initial qualification in the United Kingdom or Ireland.

Table 52: Other salaried hospital career practitioners: total hours worked per week, sex and States and Territories, 1995

Hours worked per week	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total
Males									
<20	10	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	17
20-34	16	6	5	6	8	2	2	0	46
35-49	96	35	54	33	34	6	6	7	271
50-64	108	26	71	16	20	11	13	12	277
65-79	30	3	10	6	6	2	2	0	60
80+	19	2	2	0	2	0	0	3	27
Total	279	75	144	62	70	21	23	22	696
Females									
<20	19	12	8	4	6	0	2	0	51
20-34	30	15	21	2	11	3	5	6	94
35-49	39	15	29	19	11	3	5	3	125
50-64	34	8	16	6	6	0	3	0	74
65-79	2	3	7	0	2	0	2	0	16
80+	5	0	2	0	6	0	0	0	12
Total	129	54	83	32	42	6	17	9	371
Persons									
<20	29	17	10	4	6	0	2	0	68
20-34	46	21	26	8	19	5	7	6	139
35-49	135	50	84	52	45	9	11	10	396
50-64	142	33	88	23	26	11	17	12	351
65-79	32	6	17	6	8	2	4	0	75
80+	23	2	3	0	8	0	0	3	39
Total	408	129	228	94	112	27	40	31	1,068
(per cent—males)									
<20	3.7	6.0	1.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4
20-34	5.8	8.0	3.5	10.0	11.4	10.0	8.3	0.0	6.5
35-49	34.4	46.0	37.6	53.3	48.6	30.0	25.0	30.8	38.9
50-64	38.6	34.0	49.4	26.7	28.6	50.0	58.3	53.8	39.7
65-79	10.8	4.0	7.1	10.0	8.6	10.0	8.3	0.0	8.5
80+	6.6	2.0	1.2	0.0	2.9	0.0	0.0	15.4	3.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
(per cent—females)									
<20	14.7	22.9	9.8	13.3	13.6	0.0	10.0	0.0	13.7
20-34	22.9	28.6	25.5	6.7	27.3	50.0	30.0	66.7	25.2
35-49	30.3	28.6	35.3	60.0	27.3	50.0	30.0	33.3	33.7
50-64	26.6	14.3	19.6	20.0	13.6	0.0	20.0	0.0	19.9
65-79	1.8	5.7	7.8	0.0	4.5	0.0	10.0	0.0	4.2
80+	3.7	0.0	2.0	0.0	13.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
(per cent—persons)									
<20	7.2	13.0	4.3	4.5	5.1	0.0	4.3	0.0	6.3
20-34	11.2	16.6	11.6	8.9	17.4	18.7	17.6	18.8	13.0
35-49	33.1	38.7	36.8	55.6	40.6	34.3	27.1	31.5	37.1
50-64	34.8	25.8	38.5	24.4	23.0	39.2	41.9	38.6	32.8
65-79	8.0	4.7	7.3	6.6	7.1	7.8	9.0	0.0	7.0
80+	5.7	1.2	1.5	0.0	6.9	0.0	0.0	11.0	3.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 53: Other salaried hospital career practitioners: average hours worked per week, age, sex and States and Territories, 1995

Age (years)	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total
Males									
<25	..	..	53.0	..	..	..	..	..	53.0
25-34	55.2	48.9	49.7	49.1	53.2	60.0	49.5	60.0	53.0
35-44	50.1	48.0	50.9	43.5	48.4	60.5	62.8	58.0	50.2
45-54	49.9	44.9	50.1	46.2	46.3	48.3	46.3	49.5	48.5
55+	46.0	42.2	40.9	43.2	36.5	44.0	40.0	71.5	44.3
Total	51.5	46.4	49.4	46.1	48.6	50.2	52.3	56.5	50.2
Females									
<25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
25-34	40.4	26.3	48.0	41.0	44.0	36.0	30.0	..	42.2
35-44	41.5	33.8	34.3	43.3	44.2	..	36.4	27.5	38.5
45-54	40.4	38.2	29.8	40.0	43.3	..	48.5	40.0	38.3
55+	34.6	28.8	54.0	29.0	38.6	..	..	..	35.7
Total	39.8	34.0	40.5	40.5	42.7	36.0	40.6	31.7	39.3
Persons									
<25	..	..	53.0	..	..	..	..	..	53.0
25-34	50.4	42.1	49.0	46.7	51.0	44.0	45.6	60.0	49.4
35-44	47.7	42.1	46.0	43.4	46.8	60.5	48.1	45.8	46.2
45-54	45.9	41.2	40.0	45.2	44.8	48.3	47.6	47.6	44.0
55+	42.3	38.4	43.5	39.6	37.7	44.0	40.0	71.5	41.8
Total	47.9	41.3	46.0	44.2	46.4	47.8	47.0	51.9	46.5

Table 54: Other salaried hospital career practitioners: average hours worked per week, region and sex, Australia, 1995

Sex	Region of main job					Total
	Major urban centre	Large rural centre	Small rural centre	Other rural area	Remote area	
Males	50.0	50.7	49.0	54.9	55.6	50.2
Females	39.4	39.8	43.3	49.5	42.6	39.3
Total	46.2	46.6	48.1	53.9	52.0	46.5

Table 55: Other salaried hospital career practitioners: training status, age and sex, Australia, 1995

Training status	Age (years)					Total
	<35	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	
Males						
Certificate of Satisfactory Completion of Training	33	38	6	7	3	88
RACGP trainee	26	8	9	4	0	46
Other	202	190	89	60	21	562
<i>Total</i>	<i>260</i>	<i>237</i>	<i>104</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>696</i>
Females						
Certificate of Satisfactory Completion of Training	12	22	13	0	0	47
RACGP trainee	12	4	5	0	0	21
Other	106	95	59	36	8	304
<i>Total</i>	<i>129</i>	<i>121</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>371</i>
Persons						
Certificate of Satisfactory Completion of Training	44	60	19	7	3	135
RACGP trainee	37	12	15	4	0	67
Other	308	285	147	96	29	866
Total	390	358	181	107	32	1,067
(per cent—males)						
Certificate of Satisfactory Completion of Training	12.5	16.2	5.9	10.0	14.3	12.6
RACGP trainee	9.8	3.4	8.8	5.0	0.0	6.7
Other	77.7	80.3	85.3	85.0	85.7	80.7
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
(per cent—females)						
Certificate of Satisfactory Completion of Training	9.1	18.0	17.2	0.0	0.0	12.6
RACGP trainee	9.1	3.3	6.9	0.0	0.0	5.7
Other	81.8	78.7	75.9	100.0	100.0	81.7
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
(per cent—persons)						
Certificate of Satisfactory Completion of Training	11.4	16.8	10.7	6.6	10.7	12.6
RACGP trainee	9.6	3.4	8.0	3.3	0.0	6.3
Other	79.0	79.8	81.3	90.0	89.3	81.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Table 56: Other salaried hospital career practitioners: right of private practice and States and Territories, 1995

Right of private practice	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total(a)
Yes	n.a.	90	63	41	27	19	15	4	258
No	n.a.	39	165	53	85	8	24	27	402
Total	408	129	228	94	112	27	40	31	1,068
(per cent)									
Yes	n.a.	69.5	27.6	43.8	23.7	71.4	38.1	11.8	39.1
No	n.a.	30.5	72.4	56.3	76.3	28.6	61.9	88.2	60.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Percentages have been calculated excluding New South Wales.

Table 57: Other salaried hospital career practitioners: region, country of initial qualification and residency status, Australia, 1995

Country of initial qualification	Region of main job					Total
	Major urban centre	Large rural centre	Small rural centre	Other rural area	Remote area	
Australian citizen/permanent resident of Australia						
Australia	661	69	50	25	27	833
New Zealand	17	3	0	2	0	22
United	60	8	3	3	3	77
Asia	41	0	6	2	6	55
Other countries	38	5	5	0	0	47
<i>Total</i>	<i>817</i>	<i>85</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>1,035</i>
Not a permanent resident of Australia						
Australia	0	0	2	0	0	2
United	14	5	2	0	6	27
Asia	2	0	0	0	0	2
Other countries	2	0	0	0	0	2
<i>Total</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>32</i>
Total						
Australia	661	69	52	25	27	834
New Zealand	17	3	0	2	0	22
United	74	13	5	3	9	104
Asia	43	0	6	2	6	57
Other countries	39	5	5	2	0	50
Total	834	90	68	33	43	1,068
(per cent—Australian citizen/permanent resident of Australia)						
Australia	80.9	81.5	78.0	80.0	73.9	80.5
New Zealand	2.1	3.7	0.0	5.0	0.0	2.1
United	7.3	9.3	4.9	10.0	8.7	7.5
Asia	5.0	0.0	9.8	5.0	17.4	5.3
Other countries	4.6	5.6	7.3	0.0	0.0	4.6
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
(per cent—not a permanent resident of Australia)						
Australia	0.0	0.0	50.0	0.0	0.0	5.0
United	81.8	100.0	50.0	0.0	100.0	85.0
Asia	9.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0
Other countries	9.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.0
<i>Total</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>0.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>	<i>100.0</i>
(per cent—total)						
Australia	79.2	77.2	76.7	76.2	63.0	78.1
New Zealand	2.1	3.5	0.0	4.8	0.0	2.1
United	8.9	14.0	7.0	9.5	22.2	9.7
Asia	5.1	0.0	9.3	4.8	14.8	5.3
Other countries	4.7	5.3	7.0	4.8	0.0	4.7
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0