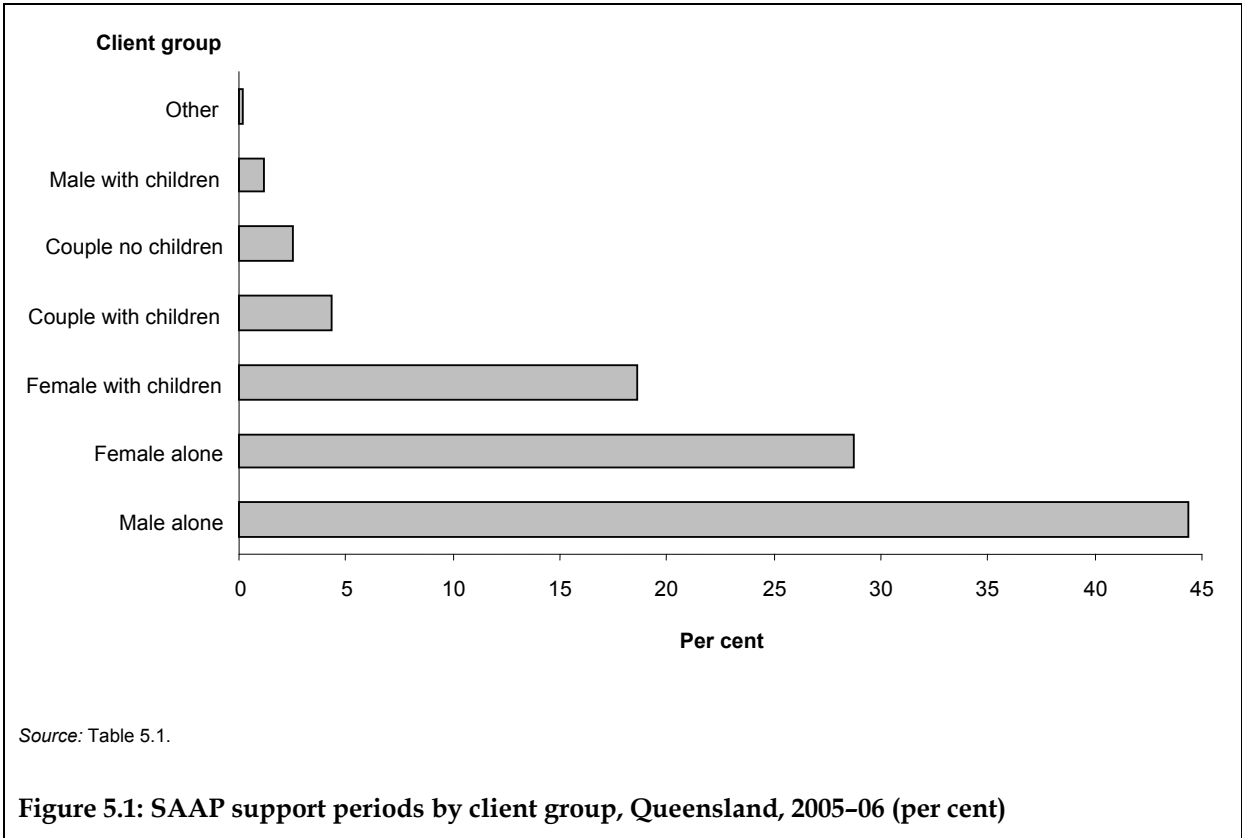
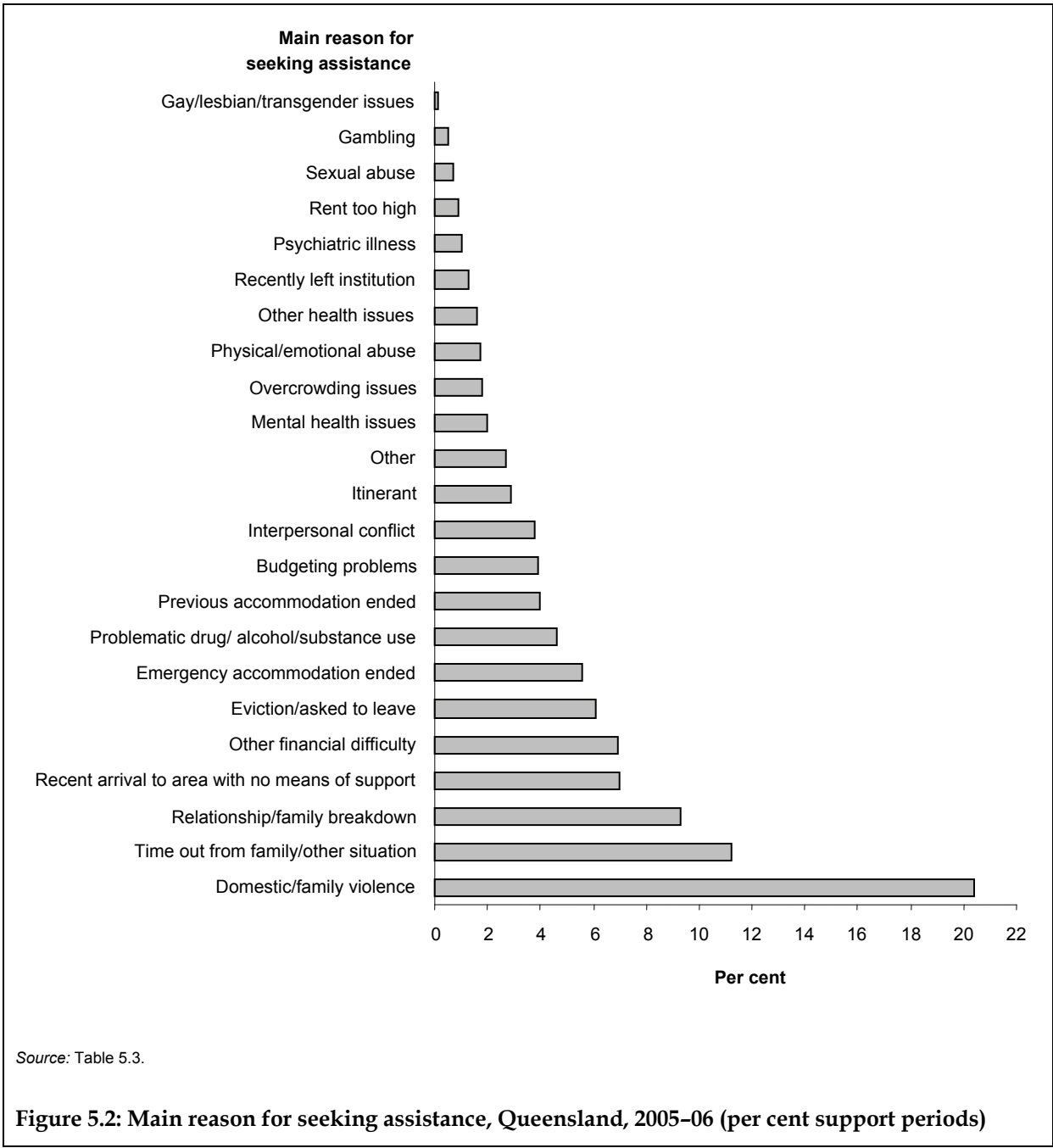


# 5 Client groups and reasons for seeking assistance

## 5.1 Key charts





## 5.2 Tables

Table 5.1: SAAP support periods: region by client group, Queensland, 2005–06 (per cent)

Region	Male alone	Female alone	Couple no children	Couple with children	Male with children	Female with children	Other	Total	Total	
									%	Number
North Queensland	31.5	27.3	1.6	7.2	1.4	31.0	—	100.0	11.8	2,750
Far North Queensland	38.2	36.8	2.2	2.7	0.2	19.6	0.2	100.0	13.1	3,050
Mackay/Whitsundays	50.3	24.8	( <sup>1</sup> )—	4.2	1.1	19.4	( <sup>1</sup> )—	100.0	3.3	750
Fitzroy/Central West	42.0	29.4	3.4	6.9	0.8	16.8	0.6	100.0	7.3	1,700
Wide Bay Burnett	31.0	36.5	2.3	5.2	1.4	23.3	0.2	100.0	8.1	1,900
Darling Downs/South-West	52.8	20.7	( <sup>1</sup> )—	4.0	2.1	18.4	( <sup>1</sup> )—	100.0	3.5	800
Sunshine Coast	24.2	30	0.9	6.3	2.4	36.1	—	100.0	3.8	900
Greater Brisbane	57.4	23.5	3.4	2.8	1.1	11.6	0.3	100.0	39.3	9,150
Gold Coast/Redlands	33.7	40.6	2.1	3.9	2.1	17.6	—	100.0	6.7	1,550
Moreton	27.1	29.9	2.8	9.7	2.9	27.1	0.5	100.0	3.2	750
<b>Total (%)</b>	<b>44.4</b>	<b>28.7</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>10,350</b>	<b>6,700</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>1,000</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>4,350</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>23,300</b>

### Notes

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Source: SAAP Administrative Data and Client Collections.

**Table 5.2: SAAP support periods: client group by primary target group of agency, Queensland, 2005–06 (per cent)**

Client group	Young people	Single men only	Single women only	Families	Women escaping DV	Cross-target/multiple/general	Total	
							%	Number
Male alone, under 25	42.8	13.2	—	0.8	0.1	6.6	13.7	3,350
Male alone, 25+	0.8	85.0	—	3.1	—	51.4	30.7	7,550
Female alone, under 25	43.4	—	25.9	1.1	10.0	3.3	13.2	3,250
Female alone, 25+	1.5	0.7	66.4	5.7	42.2	14.6	15.5	3,800
Couple no children	1.9	0.7	—	3.2	0.5	4.8	2.2	550
Couple with children	2.0	—	—	27.7	0.8	5.1	4.3	1,050
Male with children	0.7	0.3	—	4.7	—	2.4	1.2	300
Female with children	6.6	—	5.6	53.4	46.2	11.5	18.8	4,650
Other	0.2	—	1.6	0.4	—	0.3	0.2	50
<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>..</i>
<b>Total (row %)</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>19.2</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>27.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>..</b>
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>5,350</b>	<b>4,700</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>2,050</b>	<b>5,150</b>	<b>6,700</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>24,600</b>

*Notes*

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*Sources:* SAAP Client and Administrative Data Collections.

**Table 5.3: SAAP support periods: main reason for seeking assistance by client group, Queensland, 2005–06 (per cent)**

Main reason for seeking assistance	Male alone under 25	Male alone 25+	Female alone under 25	Female alone 25+	Couple no children	Couple with children	Male with children	Female with children	Other	Total
<b>Interpersonal relationships</b>	<b>44.0</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>64.2</b>	<b>64.0</b>	<sup>(*)</sup> —	<b>24.1</b>	<b>34.9</b>	<b>70.4</b>	<b>39.6</b>	<b>47.1</b>
Time out from family/other situation	18.4	10.2	18.9	6.2	8.1	9.9	6.7	7.2	21.4	11.2
Relationship/family breakdown	16.2	5.2	18.5	5.2	8.1	6.3	20.5	7.2	—	9.3
Interpersonal conflict	6.3	2.8	7.6	2.7	3.5	2.9	<sup>(*)</sup> —	2.1	<sup>(*)</sup> —	3.8
Sexual abuse	0.3	0.1	1.6	1.5	—	0.1	—	0.8	—	0.7
Domestic/family violence	1.9	1.0	15.4	45.6	3.9	4.1	<sup>(*)</sup> —	50.1	<sup>(*)</sup> —	20.4
Physical/emotional abuse	1.0	0.5	2.1	2.8	<sup>(*)</sup> —	0.7	<sup>(*)</sup> —	3.0	—	1.7
<b>Financial</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>23.1</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<sup>(*)</sup> —	<b>17.2</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>12.1</b>
Gambling	0.3	1.2	<sup>(*)</sup> —	0.3	<sup>(*)</sup> —	—	—	0.1	—	0.5
Budgeting problems	3.1	7.9	<sup>(*)</sup> —	1.5	8.4	5.2	6.3	2.0	<sup>(*)</sup> —	3.9
Rent too high	0.5	0.6	<sup>(*)</sup> —	0.2	3.0	5.5	4.1	1.2	<sup>(*)</sup> —	0.9
Other financial difficulty	5.8	13.3	3.0	4.0	9.6	6.6	8.7	3.1	14.4	6.9
<b>Accommodation</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>18.1</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>22.3</b>	<b>38.5</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>29.5</b>	<b>17.6</b>
Overcrowding issues	1.3	0.8	1.1	0.7	2.9	8.0	5.5	3.3	8.0	1.8
Eviction/asked to leave	9.4	4.0	6.2	2.7	8.9	19.2	8.7	6.2	13.6	6.1
Emergency accommodation ended	4.6	5.6	6.2	10.0	2.9	3.8	<sup>(*)</sup> —	2.9	<sup>(*)</sup> —	5.6
Previous accommodation ended	7.4	3.6	4.6	2.2	7.5	7.4	<sup>(*)</sup> —	2.3	<sup>(*)</sup> —	4.0
<b>Health</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>9.2</b>
Mental health issues	1.7	4.1	1.3	2.0	1.6	<sup>(*)</sup> —	<sup>(*)</sup> —	0.3	—	2.0
Problematic drug/alcohol/substance use	3.1	11.0	1.7	3.2	3.1	<sup>(*)</sup> —	<sup>(*)</sup> —	1.3	—	4.6
Psychiatric illness	0.6	2.4	0.3	0.6	1.4	<sup>(*)</sup> —	<sup>(*)</sup> —	—	—	1.0
Other health issues	0.8	2.2	1.2	2.2	6.0	<sup>(*)</sup> —	<sup>(*)</sup> —	0.8	—	1.6
<b>Other reasons</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>23.5</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>19.8</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>14.0</b>
Gay/lesbian/transgender issues	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	<0.1
Recently left institution	2.5	2.2	0.5	0.6	1.9	<sup>(*)</sup> —	<sup>(*)</sup> —	0.3	—	1.3
Recent arrival to area with no means of support	7.8	13.4	3.7	2.8	8.4	9.0	<sup>(*)</sup> —	2.7	<sup>(*)</sup> —	7.0
Itinerant	4.0	5.5	1.8	0.8	2.8	3.5	<sup>(*)</sup> —	0.9	<sup>(*)</sup> —	2.9
Other	3.2	2.4	3.1	2.1	6.9	4.3	<sup>(*)</sup> —	2.2	<sup>(*)</sup> —	2.7
<b>Total</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>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Total (row %)</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>16.1</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>20.0</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>Total (number)</b>	<b>3,000</b>	<b>6,150</b>	<b>3,050</b>	<b>3,550</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>950</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>4,400</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>21,950</b>

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