

Appendix A

The counts of the mode of separation for a subset of multiple separations in Tables 3.4, 3.5, 3.6, 3.8 and 5.5 in the 1998–99 publication were calculated on a different basis from previous years. To facilitate accurate time series work, the original construction from previous years is used in this report, and the corresponding tables for 1998–99 have been recalculated and included in the following pages.

Table A3.4: All separations, separation mode by sex and State/Territory,^(b) 1 July 1998 to 30 June 1999

Sex/ separation mode	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
	Number								
Females									
Death	8,164	5,833	3,843	1,874	2,338	646	211	29	22,938
Return to community	5,665	4,547	3,192	1,279	1,275	771	331	119	17,179
To hospital	951	751	567	353	258	43	18	9	2,950
To another home	1,737	1,585	1,147	664	787	120	99	14	6,153
Unknown	2,642	834	360	313	401	28	19	18	4,615
<i>Total females</i>	<i>19,159</i>	<i>13,550</i>	<i>9,109</i>	<i>4,483</i>	<i>5,059</i>	<i>1,608</i>	<i>678</i>	<i>189</i>	<i>53,835</i>
Males									
Death	4,777	3,147	2,361	1,078	1,333	362	122	31	13,211
Return to community	3,422	2,749	1,903	864	842	438	187	103	10,508
To hospital	566	390	384	213	171	30	6	9	1,769
To another home	832	731	615	315	346	74	49	8	2,970
Unknown	1,436	542	235	222	236	16	19	19	2,725
<i>Total males</i>	<i>11,033</i>	<i>7,559</i>	<i>5,498</i>	<i>2,692</i>	<i>2,928</i>	<i>920</i>	<i>383</i>	<i>170</i>	<i>31,183</i>
Persons									
Death	12,941	8,980	6,204	2,952	3,671	1,008	333	60	36,149
Return to community	9,087	7,296	5,095	2,143	2,117	1,209	518	222	27,687
To hospital	1,517	1,141	951	566	429	73	24	18	4,719
To another home	2,569	2,316	1,762	979	1,133	194	148	22	9,123
Unknown	4,078	1,376	595	535	637	44	38	37	7,340
Total persons	30,192	21,109	14,607	7,175	7,987	2,528	1,061	359	85,018
Per cent									
Females									
Death	42.6	43.0	42.2	41.8	46.2	40.2	31.1	15.3	42.6
Return to community	29.6	33.6	35.0	28.5	25.2	47.9	48.8	63.0	31.9
To hospital	5.0	5.5	6.2	7.9	5.1	2.7	2.7	4.8	5.5
To another home	9.1	11.7	12.6	14.8	15.6	7.5	14.6	7.4	11.4
Unknown	13.8	6.2	4.0	7.0	7.9	1.7	2.8	9.5	8.6
<i>Total females</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>
Males									
Death	43.3	41.6	42.9	40.0	45.5	39.3	31.9	18.2	42.4
Return to community	31.0	36.4	34.6	32.1	28.8	47.6	48.8	60.6	33.7
To hospital	5.1	5.2	7.0	7.9	5.8	3.3	1.6	5.3	5.7
To another home	7.5	9.7	11.2	11.7	11.8	8.0	12.8	4.7	9.5
Unknown	13.0	7.2	4.3	8.2	8.1	1.7	5.0	11.2	8.7
<i>Total males</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>
Persons									
Death	42.9	42.5	42.5	41.1	46.0	39.9	31.4	16.7	42.5
Return to community	30.1	34.6	34.9	29.9	26.5	47.8	48.8	61.8	32.6
To hospital	5.0	5.4	6.5	7.9	5.4	2.9	2.3	5.0	5.6
To another home	8.5	11.0	12.1	13.6	14.2	7.7	13.9	6.1	10.7
Unknown	13.5	6.5	4.1	7.5	8.0	1.7	3.6	10.3	8.6
Total persons	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) 'State/Territory' refers to the location of the service.

**Table A3.5: Separations of permanent residents, separation mode by sex and State/Territory,^(a)
1 July 1998 to 30 June 1999**

Sex/ separation mode	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
	Number								
Females									
Death	7,996	5,736	3,770	1,850	2,298	637	208	28	22,523
Return to community	487	308	251	114	85	14	12	10	1,281
To hospital	519	506	364	218	126	19	6	2	1,760
To another home	587	635	211	228	184	9	16	2	1,872
Unknown	259	107	94	77	35	4	4	2	582
<i>Total females</i>	<i>9,848</i>	<i>7,292</i>	<i>4,690</i>	<i>2,487</i>	<i>2,728</i>	<i>683</i>	<i>246</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>28,018</i>
Males									
Death	4,617	3,069	2,288	1,047	1,283	349	120	29	12,802
Return to community	324	277	186	63	66	17	12	5	950
To hospital	281	246	237	127	81	11	1	4	988
To another home	274	282	125	109	84	8	11	2	895
Unknown	184	94	51	52	33	4	6	2	426
<i>Total males</i>	<i>5,680</i>	<i>3,968</i>	<i>2,887</i>	<i>1,398</i>	<i>1,547</i>	<i>389</i>	<i>150</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>16,061</i>
Persons									
Death	12,613	8,805	6,058	2,897	3,581	986	328	57	35,325
Return to community	811	585	437	177	151	31	24	15	2,231
To hospital	800	752	601	345	207	30	7	6	2,748
To another home	861	917	336	337	268	17	27	4	2,767
Unknown	443	201	145	129	68	8	10	4	1,008
Total persons	15,528	11,260	7,577	3,885	4,275	1,072	396	86	44,079
	Per cent								
Females									
Death	81.2	78.7	80.4	74.4	84.2	93.3	84.6	63.6	80.4
Return to community	4.9	4.2	5.4	4.6	3.1	2.0	4.9	22.7	4.6
To hospital	5.3	6.9	7.8	8.8	4.6	2.8	2.4	4.5	6.3
To another home	6.0	8.7	4.5	9.2	6.7	1.3	6.5	4.5	6.7
Unknown	2.6	1.5	2.0	3.1	1.3	0.6	1.6	4.5	2.1
<i>Total females</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>
Males									
Death	81.3	77.3	79.3	74.9	82.9	89.7	80.0	69.0	79.7
Return to community	5.7	7.0	6.4	4.5	4.3	4.4	8.0	11.9	5.9
To hospital	4.9	6.2	8.2	9.1	5.2	2.8	0.7	9.5	6.2
To another home	4.8	7.1	4.3	7.8	5.4	2.1	7.3	4.8	5.6
Unknown	3.2	2.4	1.8	3.7	2.1	1.0	4.0	4.8	2.7
<i>Total males</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>
Persons									
Death	81.2	78.2	80.0	74.6	83.8	92.0	82.8	66.3	80.1
Return to community	5.2	5.2	5.8	4.6	3.5	2.9	6.1	17.4	5.1
To hospital	5.2	6.7	7.9	8.9	4.8	2.8	1.8	7.0	6.2
To another home	5.5	8.1	4.4	8.7	6.3	1.6	6.8	4.7	6.3
Unknown	2.9	1.8	1.9	3.3	1.6	0.7	2.5	4.7	2.3
Total persons	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) 'State/Territory' refers to the location of the service.

**Table A3.6: Separations of respite residents, separation mode by sex and State/Territory,^(a)
1 July 1998 to 30 June 1999**

Sex/ separation mode	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Australia
	Number								
Females									
Death	168	97	73	24	40	9	3	1	415
Return to community	5,178	4,239	2,941	1,165	1,190	757	319	109	15,898
To hospital	432	245	203	135	132	24	12	7	1,190
To another home	1,150	950	936	436	603	111	83	12	4,281
Unknown	2,383	727	266	236	366	24	15	16	4,033
<i>Total females</i>	<i>9,311</i>	<i>6,258</i>	<i>4,419</i>	<i>1,996</i>	<i>2,331</i>	<i>925</i>	<i>432</i>	<i>145</i>	<i>25,817</i>
Males									
Death	160	78	73	31	50	13	2	2	409
Return to community	3,098	2,472	1,717	801	776	421	175	98	9,558
To hospital	285	144	147	86	90	19	5	5	781
To another home	558	449	490	206	262	66	38	6	2,075
Unknown	1,252	448	184	170	203	12	13	17	2,299
<i>Total males</i>	<i>5,353</i>	<i>3,591</i>	<i>2,611</i>	<i>1,294</i>	<i>1,381</i>	<i>531</i>	<i>233</i>	<i>128</i>	<i>15,122</i>
Persons									
Death	328	175	146	55	90	22	5	3	824
Return to community	8,276	6,711	4,658	1,966	1,966	1,178	494	207	25,456
To hospital	717	389	350	221	222	43	17	12	1,971
To another home	1,708	1,399	1,426	642	865	177	121	18	6,356
Unknown	3,635	1,175	450	406	569	36	28	33	6,332
Total persons	14,664	9,849	7,030	3,290	3,712	1,456	665	273	40,939
Per cent									
Females									
Death	1.8	1.6	1.7	1.2	1.7	1.0	0.7	0.7	1.6
Return to community	55.6	67.7	66.6	58.4	51.1	81.8	73.8	75.2	61.6
To hospital	4.6	3.9	4.6	6.8	5.7	2.6	2.8	4.8	4.6
To another home	12.4	15.2	21.2	21.8	25.9	12.0	19.2	8.3	16.6
Unknown	25.6	11.6	6.0	11.8	15.7	2.6	3.5	11.0	15.6
<i>Total females</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>
Males									
Death	3.0	2.2	2.8	2.4	3.6	2.4	0.9	1.6	2.7
Return to community	57.9	68.8	65.8	61.9	56.2	79.3	75.1	76.6	63.2
To hospital	5.3	4.0	5.6	6.6	6.5	3.6	2.1	3.9	5.2
To another home	10.4	12.5	18.8	15.9	19.0	12.4	16.3	4.7	13.7
Unknown	23.4	12.5	7.0	13.1	14.7	2.3	5.6	13.3	15.2
<i>Total males</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>
Persons									
Death	2.2	1.8	2.1	1.7	2.4	1.5	0.8	1.1	2.0
Return to community	56.4	68.1	66.3	59.8	53.0	80.9	74.3	75.8	62.2
To hospital	4.9	3.9	5.0	6.7	6.0	3.0	2.6	4.4	4.8
To another home	11.6	14.2	20.3	19.5	23.3	12.2	18.2	6.6	15.5
Unknown	24.8	11.9	6.4	12.3	15.3	2.5	4.2	12.1	15.5
Total persons	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) 'State/Territory' refers to the location of the home.

Table A3.8: Separations of permanent residents, length of stay by separation mode, 1 July 1998 to 30 June 1999

Length of stay	Death	Return to community	To hospital	To other home	Unknown	Total
	Number					
<4 wks	2,786	622	226	186	147	3,967
4-<8 wks	1,880	322	166	153	85	2,606
8-<13 wks	1,550	234	164	139	83	2,170
13-<26 wks	2,753	333	274	277	104	3,741
26-<39 wks	2,055	184	188	194	76	2,697
39-<52 wks	1,834	103	187	157	50	2,331
1-<2 yrs	6,107	230	527	538	162	7,564
2-<3 yrs	4,671	86	337	366	92	5,552
3-<4 yrs	3,307	45	213	231	63	3,859
4-<5 yrs	2,290	27	140	156	37	2,650
5-<8 yrs	3,621	23	202	233	61	4,140
8+ yrs	2,471	22	124	137	48	2,802
Total	35,325	2,231	2,748	2,767	1,008	44,079
Per cent (column)						
<4 wks	7.9	27.9	8.2	6.7	14.6	9.0
4-<8 wks	5.3	14.4	6.0	5.5	8.4	5.9
8-<13 wks	4.4	10.5	6.0	5.0	8.2	4.9
13-<26 wks	7.8	14.9	10.0	10.0	10.3	8.5
26-<39 wks	5.8	8.2	6.8	7.0	7.5	6.1
39-<52 wks	5.2	4.6	6.8	5.7	5.0	5.3
1-<2 yrs	17.3	10.3	19.2	19.4	16.1	17.2
2-<3 yrs	13.2	3.9	12.3	13.2	9.1	12.6
3-<4 yrs	9.4	2.0	7.8	8.3	6.3	8.8
4-<5 yrs	6.5	1.2	5.1	5.6	3.7	6.0
5-<8 yrs	10.3	1.0	7.4	8.4	6.1	9.4
8+ yrs	7.0	1.0	4.5	5.0	4.8	6.4
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Per cent (row)						
<4 wks	70.2	15.7	5.7	4.7	3.7	100.0
4-<8 wks	72.1	12.4	6.4	5.9	3.3	100.0
8-<13 wks	71.4	10.8	7.6	6.4	3.8	100.0
13-<26 wks	73.6	8.9	7.3	7.4	2.8	100.0
26-<39 wks	76.2	6.8	7.0	7.2	2.8	100.0
39-<52 wks	78.7	4.4	8.0	6.7	2.1	100.0
1-<2 yrs	80.7	3.0	7.0	7.1	2.1	100.0
2-<3 yrs	84.1	1.5	6.1	6.6	1.7	100.0
3-<4 yrs	85.7	1.2	5.5	6.0	1.6	100.0
4-<5 yrs	86.4	1.0	5.3	5.9	1.4	100.0
5-<8 yrs	87.5	0.6	4.9	5.6	1.5	100.0
8+ yrs	88.2	0.8	4.4	4.9	1.7	100.0
Total	80.1	5.1	6.2	6.3	2.3	100.0

Table A5.5: Separated permanent residents,^(a) separation mode by sex and level of dependency at separation, 1 July 1998 to 30 June 1999

Sex/ separation mode	High dependency				Low dependency				Total
	RCS1	RCS2	RCS3	RCS4	RCS5	RCS6	RCS7	RCS8	
Number									
Females									
Death	3,516	8,556	4,730	850	930	893	1,291	162	20,928
Return to community	76	235	235	71	101	102	210	49	1,079
To hospital	216	460	305	86	145	154	160	18	1,544
To another home	322	691	461	108	156	142	174	29	2,083
Other	59	136	106	26	29	48	79	62	545
<i>Total females</i>	<i>4,189</i>	<i>10,078</i>	<i>5,837</i>	<i>1,141</i>	<i>1,361</i>	<i>1,339</i>	<i>1,914</i>	<i>320</i>	<i>26,179</i>
Males									
Death	2,353	4,644	2,515	427	497	447	768	115	11,766
Return to community	67	160	187	51	57	74	145	39	780
To hospital	132	219	146	65	90	85	72	3	812
To another home	175	312	203	45	95	73	107	13	1,023
Other	55	88	61	17	29	38	79	25	392
<i>Total males</i>	<i>2,782</i>	<i>5,423</i>	<i>3,112</i>	<i>605</i>	<i>768</i>	<i>717</i>	<i>1,171</i>	<i>195</i>	<i>14,773</i>
Persons									
Death	5,869	13,200	7,245	1,277	1,427	1,340	2,059	277	32,694
Return to community	143	395	422	122	158	176	355	88	1,859
To hospital	348	679	451	151	235	239	232	21	2,356
To another home	497	1,003	664	153	251	215	281	42	3,106
Other	114	224	167	43	58	86	158	87	937
Total persons	6,971	15,501	8,949	1,746	2,129	2,056	3,085	515	40,952
Per cent									
Females									
Death	83.9	84.9	81.0	74.5	68.3	66.7	67.5	50.6	79.9
Other	1.8	2.3	4.0	6.2	7.4	7.6	11.0	15.3	4.1
Return to community	5.2	4.6	5.2	7.5	10.7	11.5	8.4	5.6	5.9
To hospital	7.7	6.9	7.9	9.5	11.5	10.6	9.1	9.1	8.0
To another home	1.4	1.3	1.8	2.3	2.1	3.6	4.1	19.4	2.1
<i>Total females</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>
Males									
Death	84.6	85.6	80.8	70.6	64.7	62.3	65.6	59.0	79.6
Other	2.4	3.0	6.0	8.4	7.4	10.3	12.4	20.0	5.3
Return to community	4.7	4.0	4.7	10.7	11.7	11.9	6.1	1.5	5.5
To hospital	6.3	5.8	6.5	7.4	12.4	10.2	9.1	6.7	6.9
To another home	2.0	1.6	2.0	2.8	3.8	5.3	6.7	12.8	2.7
<i>Total males</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>
Persons									
Death	84.2	85.2	81.0	73.1	67.0	65.2	66.7	53.8	79.8
Other	2.1	2.5	4.7	7.0	7.4	8.6	11.5	17.1	4.5
Return to community	5.0	4.4	5.0	8.6	11.0	11.6	7.5	4.1	5.8
To hospital	7.1	6.5	7.4	8.8	11.8	10.5	9.1	8.2	7.6
To another home	1.6	1.4	1.9	2.5	2.7	4.2	5.1	16.9	2.3
Total persons	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

(a) Each person is counted once regardless of the number of separations during the period. The RCS is associated with the last separation in the reporting period.

Note: This table excludes 2046 residents whose dependency levels were not reported.