3 Level of support

3.1 Key chart

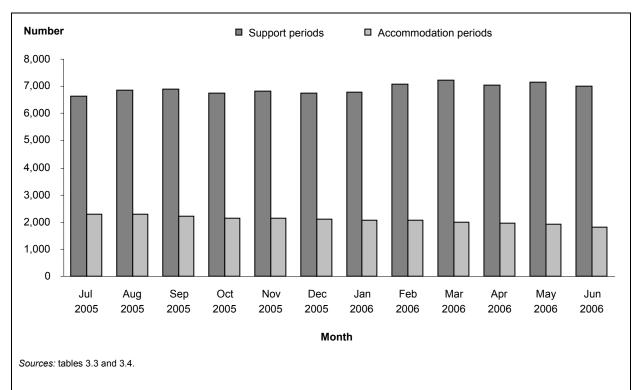


Figure 3.1: SAAP support periods active each day and accommodation periods active each night, average by month, Victoria, 2005–06 (number)

3.2 Tables

Table 3.1: SAAP support periods and clients, Victoria, 2005-06 (number)

Support periods	71,800
With accommodation	14,350
Without accommodation	57,400
Clients	37,650
Mean number of support periods per client	1.90
Clients per 10,000 population 10+ ^(a)	83

⁽a) 'Per 10,000 population aged 10+' shows how many people out of every 10,000 aged 10 years and over in the general population became SAAP clients. The rate is estimated by comparing the number of SAAP clients aged 10 years and over with the estimated resident population aged 10 years and over at 30 June 2005 (preliminary estimates).

Notes

- 1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 0.
- 2. Number of clients in this table relates to clients that ever received assistance from a SAAP agency in Victoria.
- 3. Support period figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.
- 4. Client figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Sources: SAAP Client Collection; ABS 2006a.

Table 3.2: SAAP accompanying child support periods and accompanying children, Victoria, 2005–06 (number)

Accompanying child support periods				
With accommodation ^(a)	8,950			
Without accommodation ^(a)	20,450			
Accompanying children	18,500			
Mean number of accompanying child support periods per accompanying child	1.46			
Accompanying children per 10,000 population aged 0–17 ^(b)	160			

- (a) Dates of support and accommodation are not collected for accompanying children. For the purposes of calculating the number of accompanying child support periods with and without a period of accommodation, accompanying children are assumed to have the same periods of support and accommodation as their parent(s) or guardian(s).
- (b) 'Per 10,000 population aged 0–17' shows how many children out of every 10,000 aged 17 years and under in the general population accompanied SAAP clients. The rate is estimated by comparing the number of accompanying children aged 17 years and under with the estimated resident population aged 17 years and under at 30 June 2005 (preliminary estimates).

Notes

- 1. Number excluded due to errors and omissions (weighted): 0.
- 2. Number of accompanying children in this table relates to children that *ever* accompanied a client to a SAAP agency in Victoria.
- 3. Accompanying child support period figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation.
- 4. Accompanying children figures have been weighted to adjust for agency non-participation and client non-consent.

Sources: SAAP Client Collection; ABS 2006a.

Table 3.3: SAAP support periods: number of support periods active each day, average by month and region, Victoria, 2005–06

Date	East Metro.	North & West Metro.	South Metro.	Barwon South Western	Gipps- land	Gramp- ians	Hume	Loddon Mallee	State- wide	Total
July 2005	880	1,780	1,400	440	490	350	350	690	250	6,630
August 2005	880	1,810	1,470	450	490	370	370	730	270	6,850
September 2005	860	1,850	1,520	470	470	360	360	740	250	6,890
October 2005	840	1,880	1,470	470	440	360	340	710	240	6,750
November 2005	860	1,820	1,450	510	460	370	340	750	240	6,810
December 2005	850	1,790	1,440	460	480	360	340	760	250	6,730
January 2006	840	1,860	1,460	480	450	370	340	740	240	6,780
February 2006	860	1,900	1,540	490	480	380	360	800	260	7,070
March 2006	890	1,870	1,570	510	510	370	400	810	290	7,210
April 2006	820	1,780	1,590	530	500	320	450	780	290	7,040
May 2006	820	1,740	1,630	530	490	350	480	810	310	7,160
June 2006	790	1,720	1,530	540	450	350	490	790	340	7,000
Support periods: total number of days	310,520	663,130	549,210	178,540	173,400	131,160	140,430	277,200	97,940	2,521,520

Notes

Source: SAAP Administrative Data and Client Collections.

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (unweighted): 0.

^{2.} Please refer to the counting rules (Appendix 1, Section A1.4 of the national report) for the method used to calculate the monthly average.

^{3.} Figures are unweighted and have not been adjusted for agency non-participation and/or client non-consent.

Table 3.4: SAAP support periods with accommodation: number of accommodation periods active each night, average by month and region, Victoria, 2005–06

Date	East Metro.	North & West Metro.	South Metro.	Barwon South Western	Gipps-	Gramp- ians	Hume	Loddon Mallee	State- wide	Total
July 2005	360	710	560	130	110	100	50	120	120	2,270
August 2005	350	690	570	140	100	120	50	120	120	2,270
September 2005	330	680	570	140	90	120	40	120	120	2,210
October 2005	310	680	550	130	90	110	40	120	110	2,140
November 2005	310	670	540	140	100	110	50	120	100	2,140
December 2005	310	640	520	140	100	110	50	120	100	2,110
January 2006	310	640	510	140	90	100	50	120	90	2,070
February 2006	310	620	520	140	90	100	50	120	100	2,050
March 2006	300	620	510	140	90	90	40	120	90	2,000
April 2006	300	620	510	130	80	80	40	120	90	1,960
May 2006	290	590	500	130	80	80	40	120	80	1,910
June 2006	260	550	460	130	80	80	40	100	80	1,790
Accommodation periods: total number of nights	110,060	226,990	186,120	48,180	32,910	35,780	16,310	41,530	35,310	733,200

Notes

Source: SAAP Administrative Data and Client Collections.

^{1.} Number excluded due to errors and omissions (unweighted): 1,377.

^{2.} Please refer to the counting rules (Appendix 1, Section A1.4 of the national report) for the method used to calculate the monthly average.

^{3.} Figures are unweighted and have not been adjusted for agency non-participation and/or client non-consent.