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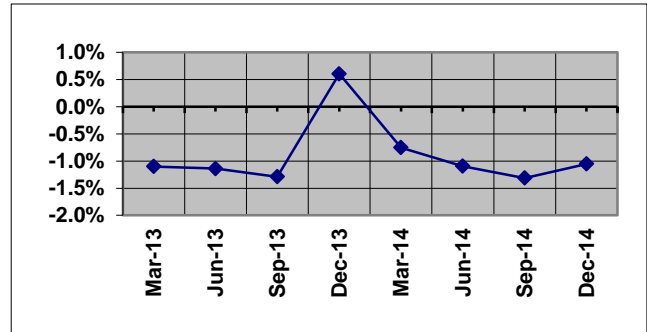
SUMMARY TREND TREATMENT POPULATION STATISTICS

TREATMENT POPULATION BY QUARTER

TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE BY QUARTER

Quarter	Tpop	% Change
Dec-12	228,266	
Mar-13	225,754	-1.10%
Jun-13	223,181	-1.14%
Sep-13	220,302	-1.29%
Dec-13	221,635	0.61%
Mar-14	219,970	-0.75%
Jun-14	217,562	-1.09%
Sep-14	214,705	-1.31%
Dec-14	212,447	-1.05%

CHART: PERCENT CHANGE

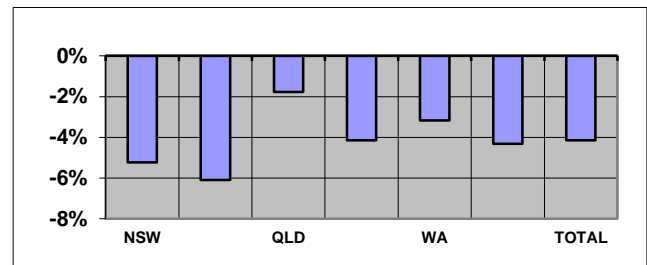


TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE: DEC - 13 and DEC - 14

TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE

	Dec-13	Dec-14	% Change
NSW	72,960	69,143	-5.23%
VIC	44,841	42,110	-6.09%
QLD	57,448	56,435	-1.76%
SA	18,324	17,565	-4.14%
WA	20,309	19,667	-3.16%
TAS	6,840	6,545	-4.31%
TOTAL	221,635	212,447	-4.15%

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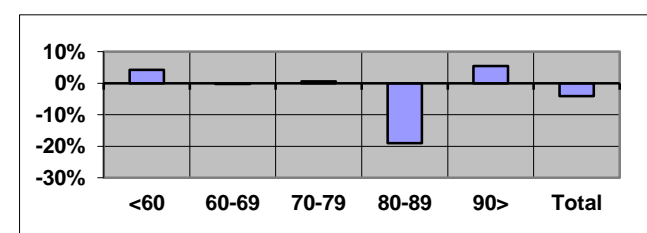
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TREATMENT POPULATION BY AGE GROUP: DEC - 13 and DEC - 14

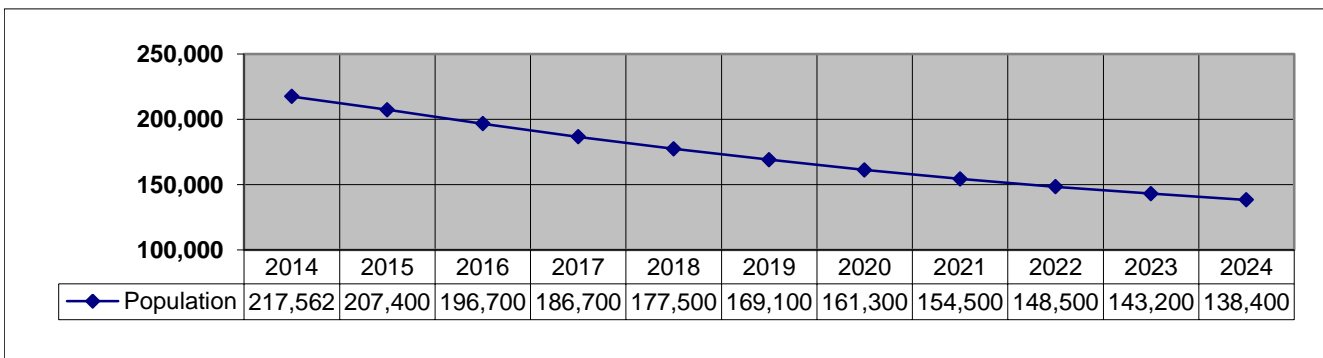
TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE

	Dec-13	Dec-14	% Change
<60	36,635	38,179	4.21%
60-69	46,019	45,913	-0.23%
70-79	24,943	25,073	0.52%
80-89	69,507	56,311	-18.99%
90>	44,531	46,967	5.47%
Total	221,635	212,447	-4.15%

CHART: PERCENT CHANGE



TREATMENT POPULATION PROJECTIONS AS AT 30 JUNE



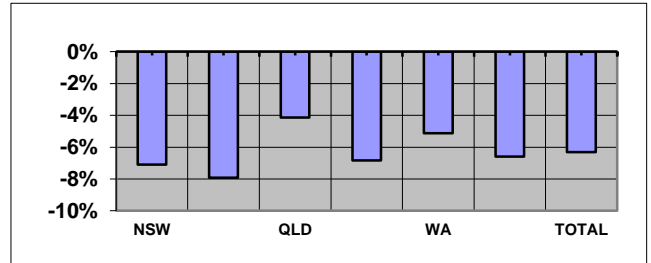
SUMMARY TREND (Continuation)
TREATMENT POPULATION STATISTICS

NUMBER OF GOLD CARDS BY STATE: DEC - 13 and DEC - 14

TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE

	Dec-13	Dec-14	% Change
NSW	57,503	53,422	-7.10%
VIC	35,971	33,124	-7.91%
QLD	40,784	39,094	-4.14%
SA	13,881	12,931	-6.84%
WA	14,447	13,706	-5.13%
TAS	5,415	5,058	-6.59%
TOTAL	168,526	157,884	-6.31%

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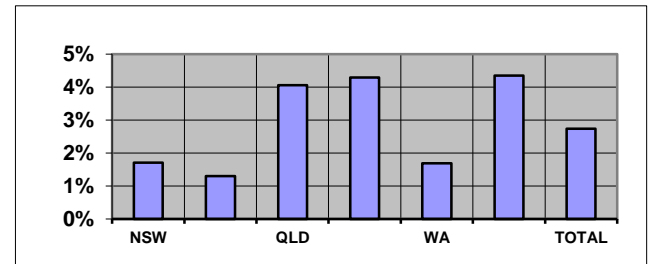


NUMBER OF WHITE CARDS BY STATE: DEC - 13 and DEC - 14

TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE

	Dec-13	Dec-14	% Change
NSW	15,457	15,721	1.71%
VIC	8,870	8,986	1.31%
QLD	16,664	17,341	4.06%
SA	4,443	4,634	4.30%
WA	5,862	5,961	1.69%
TAS	1,425	1,487	4.35%
TOTAL	53,109	54,563	2.74%

CHART: PERCENT CHANGE

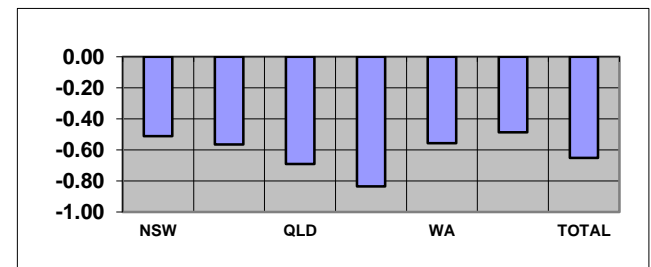


AVERAGE AGE BY STATE: DEC - 13 and DEC - 14

TABLE: AVERAGE AGE CHANGE

	Dec-13	Dec-14	Yrs Change
NSW	77.00	76.49	-0.51
VIC	78.29	77.72	-0.56
QLD	71.31	70.62	-0.69
SA	75.27	74.43	-0.83
WA	72.85	72.29	-0.56
TAS	74.82	74.33	-0.49
TOTAL	75.15	74.50	-0.65

CHART: AVERAGE AGE CHANGE

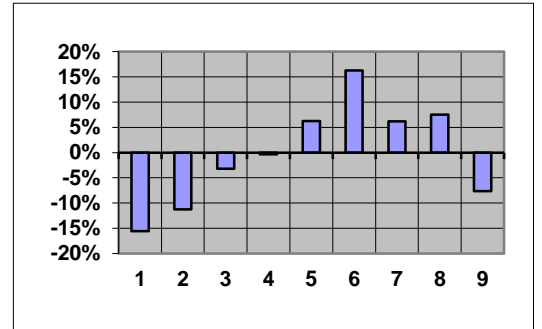


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TABLE: TREATMENT POPULATION BY CONFLICT (TOTAL)

Conflict	Dec-13	Dec-14	% Change
1. First World War	167	141	-15.57%
2. Second World War	110,857	98,339	-11.29%
3. Korea, Malaya & FESR	20,227	19,581	-3.19%
4. Vietnam	46,998	46,826	-0.37%
5. Gulf War	961	1,021	6.24%
6. East Timor, Afghanistan & Iraq	6,847	7,964	16.31%
7. Peacekeeping & Other Operations	3,772	4,006	6.20%
8. No Operational Service	38,932	41,853	7.50%
9. British Commonwealth & Allied	4,519	4,174	-7.63%

CHART: PERCENT CHANGE



Note 1: Unknown numbers are not included in Summary Tables.

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Definition

The "treatment population" consists of veterans and dependants who have been issued a Gold or White card entitling them to medical and other treatment at Department expense under the Veterans' Entitlement Act, the Social Security and Veterans' Entitlements Amendment (No2) Act 1987, the Veterans' Entitlement (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments) Act 1986 and the Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 2004.

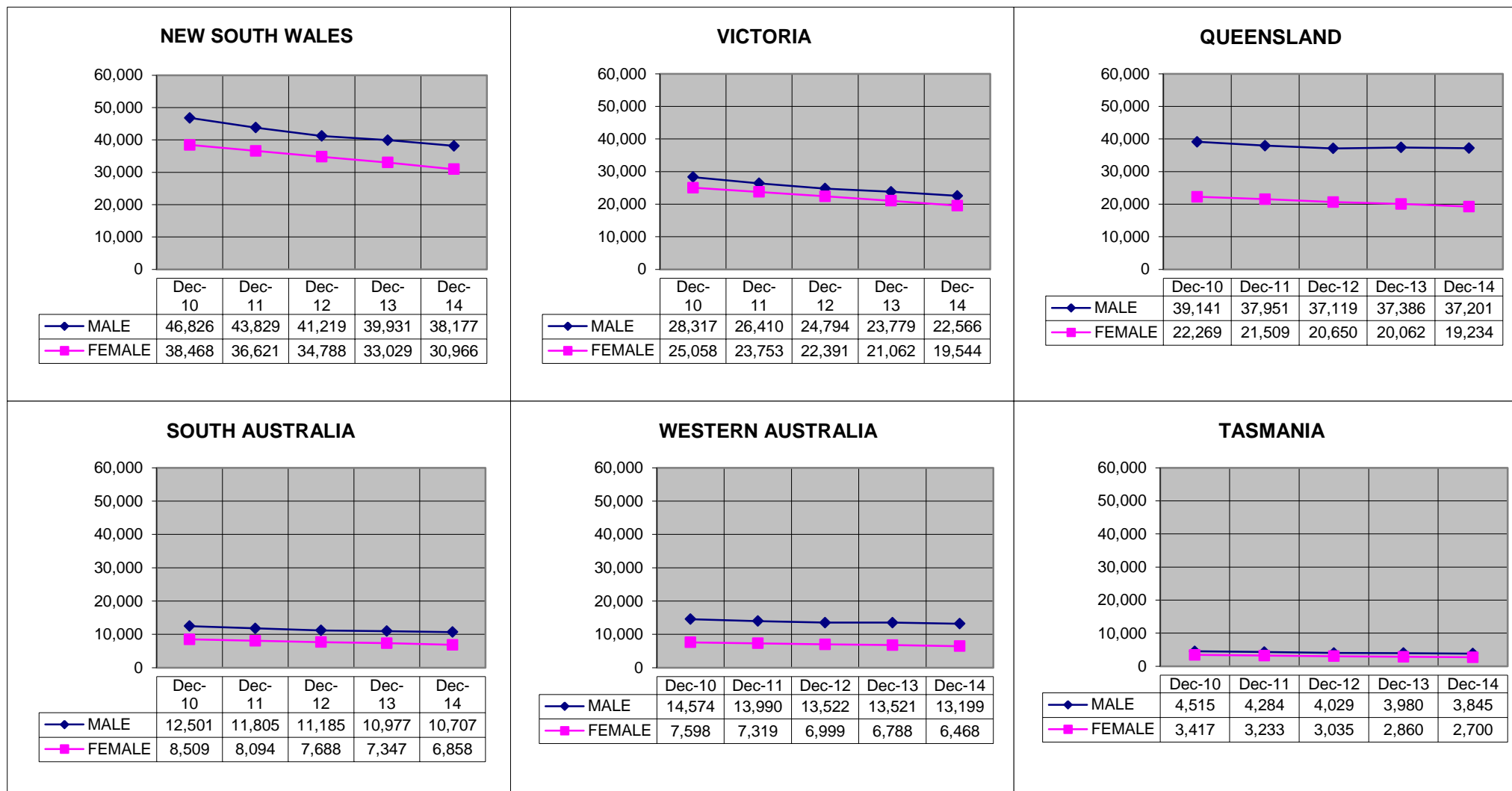
Revisions

From September 2013 table 5 reports card holders by the legislation under which treatment expenses are paid.

Considerable changes have been made to table 6 and so it is no longer comparable to historical reports. Prior to September 2013, table 6 grouped clients by conflict using DVA file number. This resulted in veterans from recent conflicts being counted in a single group (Defence/Peace Keeping). From September 2013, clients are now counted under each conflict or operation in which they are known to have served. This change has made it possible to report figures for conflicts such as East Timor, Afghanistan and Iraq. Merchant mariners from the second world war are now included in the count of all former servicemen and women from World War II. Veterans from the Far East Strategic Reserve (FESR) are now included with those who served in Korea or Malaya.

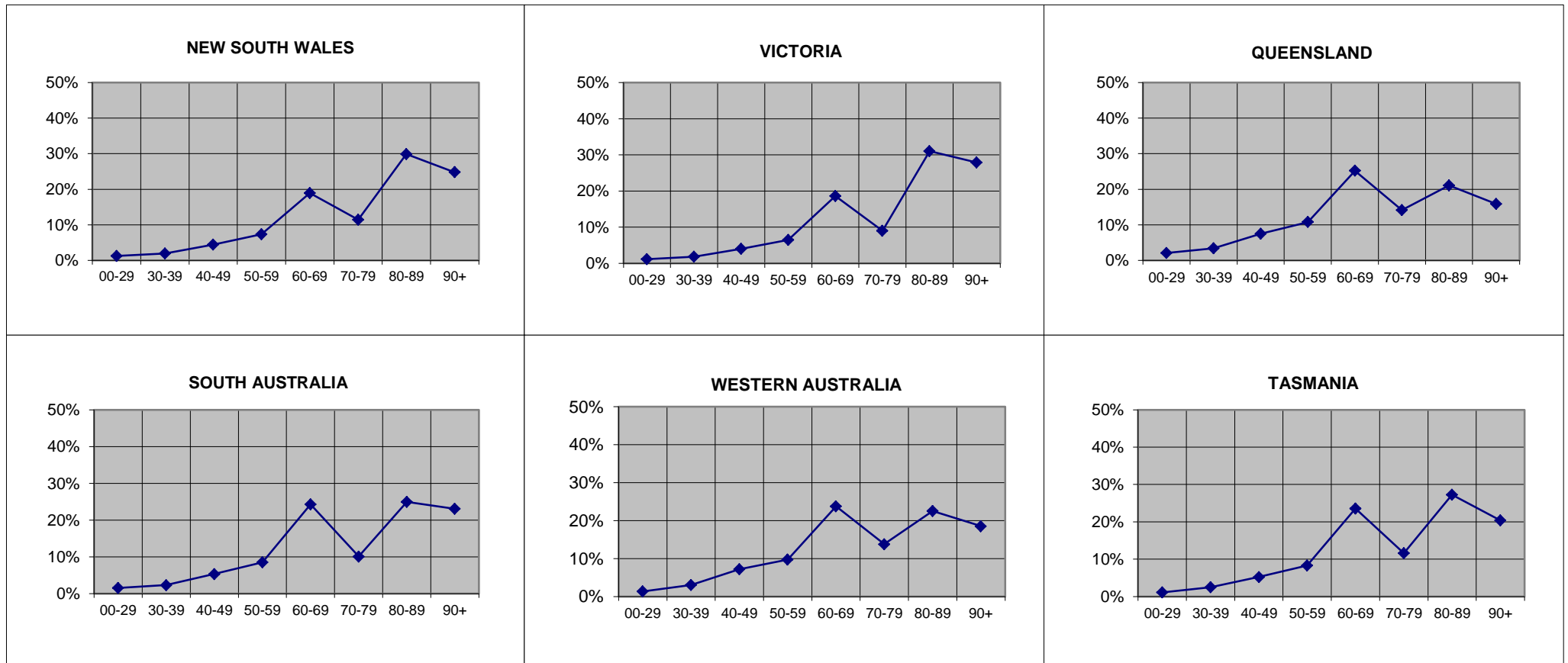
Veterans with service in more than one of the specified conflict groups are counted under each relevant conflict. For this reason, individual conflicts can not be summed. Net totals for multiple conflicts can be requested by emailing 'stats@dva.gov.au'.

GRAPH 1: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE AND SEX FROM DECEMBER 2010 - DECEMBER 2014



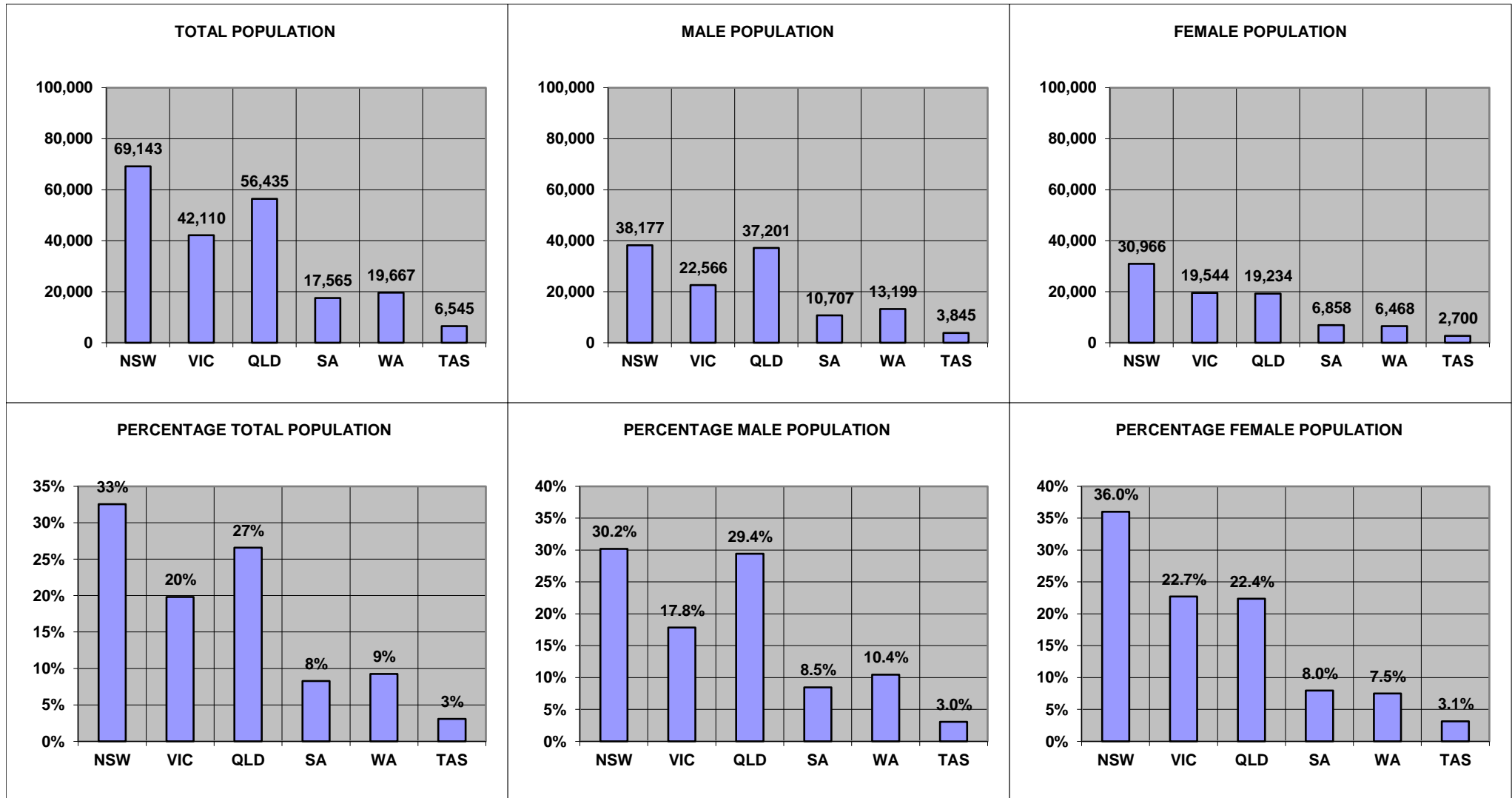
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GRAPH 2: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015



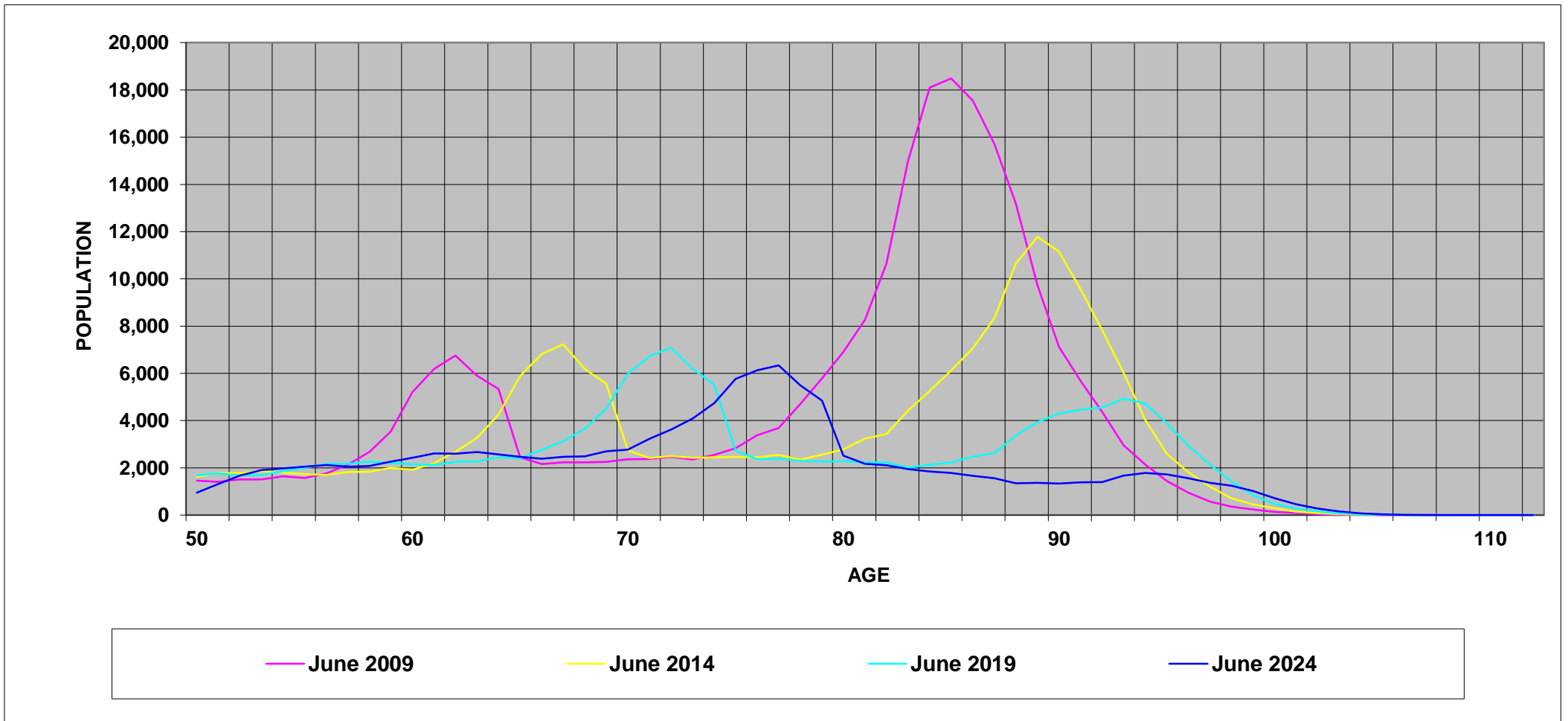
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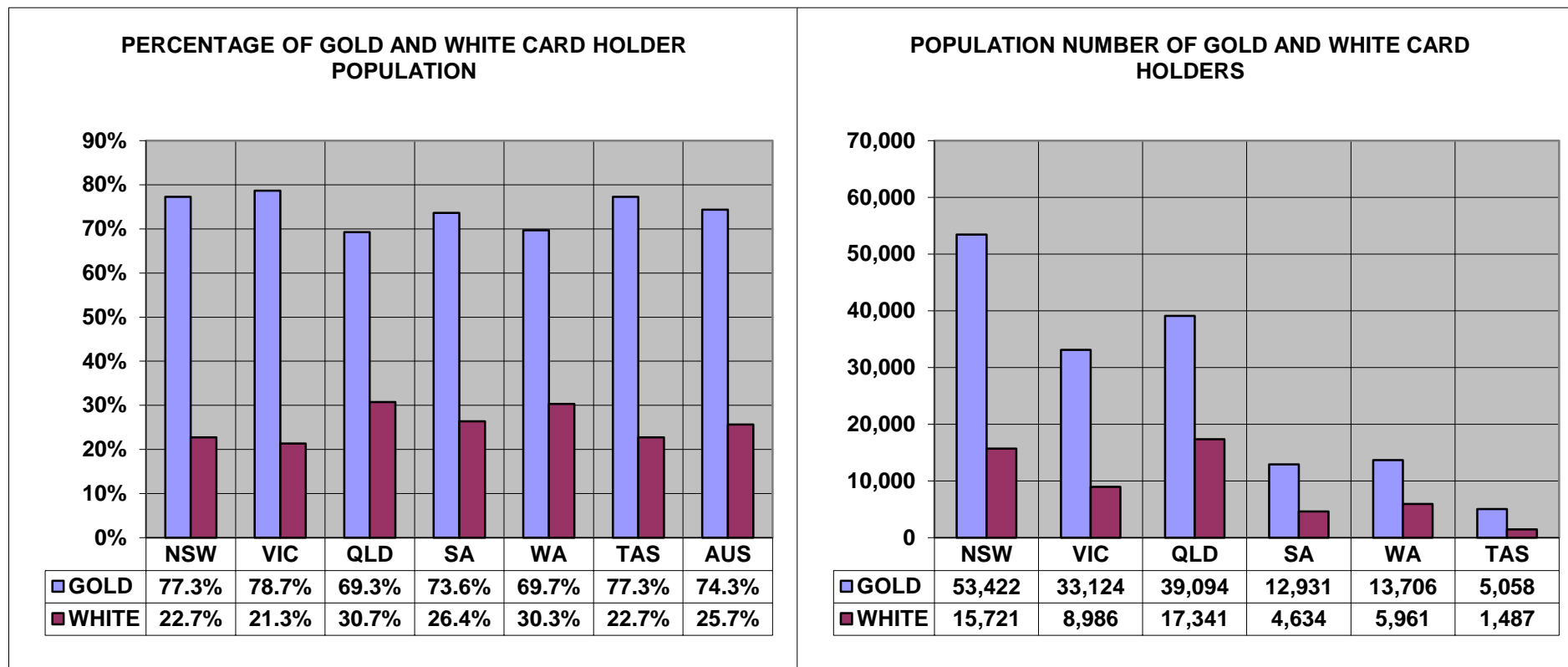


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**GRAPH 4: TOTAL TREATMENT POPULATION BY AGE TREND FROM JUNE 2009 TO JUNE 2024
DATA AS AT JUNE 2014**



GRAPH 5: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE AND CARD HOLDER, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015



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TABLE 1 : TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015

	UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
NEW SOUTH WALES	771	1,144	2,574	4,199	11,960	7,054	19,707	16,517	63,927
	1.2%	1.8%	4.0%	6.6%	18.7%	11.0%	30.8%	25.8%	100.0%
VICTORIA	494	772	1,688	2,718	7,830	3,800	13,061	11,744	42,110
	1.2%	1.8%	4.0%	6.5%	18.6%	9.0%	31.0%	27.9%	100.0%
QUEENSLAND	1,165	1,924	4,215	6,083	14,216	7,994	11,882	8,956	56,435
	2.1%	3.4%	7.5%	10.8%	25.2%	14.2%	21.1%	15.9%	100.0%
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	199	292	689	1,232	3,922	1,641	4,299	4,012	16,286
	1.2%	1.8%	4.2%	7.6%	24.1%	10.1%	26.4%	24.6%	100.0%
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	265	601	1,418	1,915	4,676	2,714	4,431	3,647	19,667
	1.3%	3.1%	7.2%	9.7%	23.8%	13.8%	22.5%	18.5%	100.0%
TASMANIA	74	165	343	543	1,542	760	1,785	1,333	6,545
	1.1%	2.5%	5.2%	8.3%	23.6%	11.6%	27.3%	20.4%	100.0%
NORTHERN TERRITORY	66	112	247	259	337	130	84	44	1,279
	5.2%	8.8%	19.3%	20.3%	26.3%	10.2%	6.6%	3.4%	100.0%
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	106	199	502	888	1,114	839	951	617	5,216
	2.0%	3.8%	9.6%	17.0%	21.4%	16.1%	18.2%	11.8%	100.0%
OVERSEAS	11	38	112	156	316	141	111	97	982
	1.1%	3.9%	11.4%	15.9%	32.2%	14.4%	11.3%	9.9%	100.0%
TOTAL	3,151	5,247	11,788	17,993	45,913	25,073	56,311	46,967	212,447
	1.5%	2.5%	5.5%	8.5%	21.6%	11.8%	26.5%	22.1%	100.0%

TABLE 2: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE, CARD AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015

		UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
NEW SOUTH WALES	GOLD	146	103	408	1,061	8,666	6,275	18,490	15,535	50,684
	WHITE	625	1,041	2,166	3,138	3,294	779	1,217	982	13,243
	TOTAL	771	1,144	2,574	4,199	11,960	7,054	19,707	16,517	63,927
VICTORIA	GOLD	73	73	275	638	5,622	3,310	12,130	11,003	33,124
	WHITE	421	699	1,413	2,080	2,208	490	931	741	8,986
	TOTAL	494	772	1,688	2,718	7,830	3,800	13,061	11,744	42,110
QUEENSLAND	GOLD	201	225	753	1,592	9,898	7,008	11,014	8,403	39,094
	WHITE	964	1,699	3,462	4,491	4,318	986	868	553	17,341
	TOTAL	1,165	1,924	4,215	6,083	14,216	7,994	11,882	8,956	56,435
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	GOLD	24	17	109	296	2,980	1,391	3,896	3,738	12,451
	WHITE	175	275	580	936	942	250	403	274	3,835
	TOTAL	199	292	689	1,232	3,922	1,641	4,299	4,012	16,286
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	GOLD	37	32	232	505	3,385	2,239	3,922	3,354	13,706
	WHITE	228	569	1,186	1,410	1,291	475	509	293	5,961
	TOTAL	265	601	1,418	1,915	4,676	2,714	4,431	3,647	19,667
TASMANIA	GOLD	8	9	53	157	1,174	670	1,709	1,278	5,058
	WHITE	66	156	290	386	368	90	76	55	1,487
	TOTAL	74	165	343	543	1,542	760	1,785	1,333	6,545
NORTHERN TERRITORY	GOLD	0	1	15	37	203	112	72	40	480
	WHITE	66	111	232	222	134	18	12	4	799
	TOTAL	66	112	247	259	337	130	84	44	1,279
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	GOLD	19	8	42	99	437	708	857	568	2,738
	WHITE	87	191	460	789	677	131	94	49	2,478
	TOTAL	106	199	502	888	1,114	839	951	617	5,216
OVERSEAS	GOLD	5	8	27	44	211	108	88	58	549
	WHITE	6	30	85	112	105	33	23	39	433
	TOTAL	11	38	112	156	316	141	111	97	982
TOTAL	GOLD	513	476	1,914	4,429	32,576	21,821	52,178	43,977	157,884
	WHITE	2,638	4,771	9,874	13,564	13,337	3,252	4,133	2,990	54,563
	TOTAL	3,151	5,247	11,788	17,993	45,913	25,073	56,311	46,967	212,447

TABLE 3: AVERAGE AGE OF THE TREATMENT POPULATION BY CARD AND STATE, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015

CARD	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT	OS	TOTAL
GOLD	81.84	82.47	77.39	80.58	78.52	79.75	71.10	78.50	70.55	80.29
WHITE	59.45	60.20	55.36	60.16	57.96	55.90	49.11	56.00	60.26	57.76
TOTAL	77.20	77.72	70.62	75.77	72.29	74.33	57.36	67.81	66.01	74.50

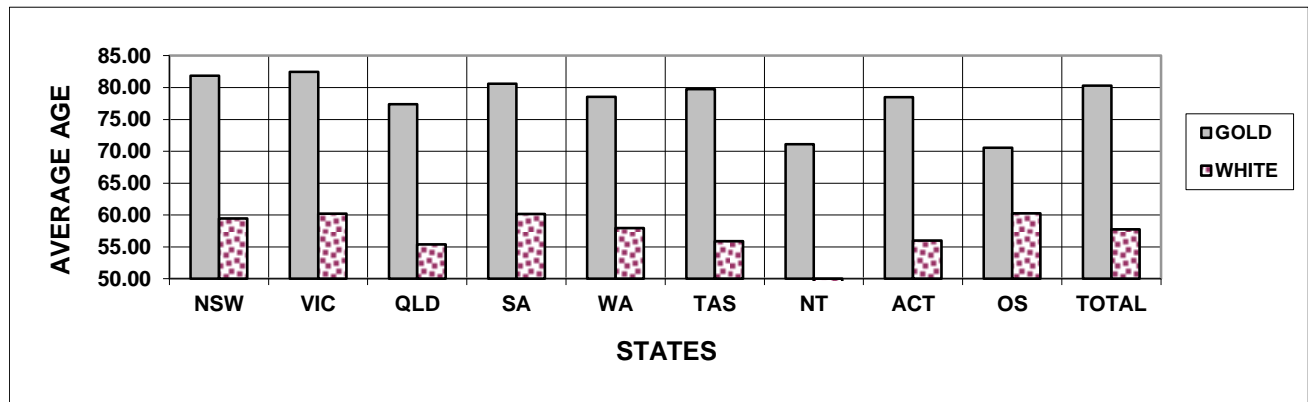


TABLE 4: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE, SEX AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015
GOLD AND WHITE CARDS

		UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
NEW SOUTH WALES	MALE	570	955	2,165	3,583	10,508	4,205	5,502	6,967	34,456
	FEMALE	201	189	409	616	1,452	2,849	14,205	9,550	29,471
	TOTAL	771	1,144	2,574	4,199	11,960	7,054	19,707	16,517	63,927
VICTORIA	MALE	371	639	1,399	2,282	6,975	2,280	3,473	5,144	22,566
	FEMALE	123	133	289	436	855	1,520	9,588	6,600	19,544
	TOTAL	494	772	1,688	2,718	7,830	3,800	13,061	11,744	42,110
QUEENSLAND	MALE	901	1,576	3,508	5,267	12,635	5,673	3,742	3,899	37,201
	FEMALE	264	348	707	816	1,581	2,321	8,140	5,057	19,234
	TOTAL	1,165	1,924	4,215	6,083	14,216	7,994	11,882	8,956	56,435
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	MALE	163	244	566	1,049	3,501	1,122	1,254	1,753	9,652
	FEMALE	36	48	123	183	421	519	3,045	2,259	6,634
	TOTAL	199	292	689	1,232	3,922	1,641	4,299	4,012	16,286
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	MALE	190	482	1,176	1,670	4,235	2,008	1,685	1,753	13,199
	FEMALE	75	119	242	245	441	706	2,746	1,894	6,468
	TOTAL	265	601	1,418	1,915	4,676	2,714	4,431	3,647	19,667
TASMANIA	MALE	59	133	268	462	1,375	463	502	583	3,845
	FEMALE	15	32	75	81	167	297	1,283	750	2,700
	TOTAL	74	165	343	543	1,542	760	1,785	1,333	6,545
NORTHERN TERRITORY	MALE	54	92	208	234	301	99	43	24	1,055
	FEMALE	12	20	39	25	36	31	41	20	224
	TOTAL	66	112	247	259	337	130	84	44	1,279
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	MALE	78	142	385	736	993	660	418	309	3,721
	FEMALE	28	57	117	152	121	179	533	308	1,495
	TOTAL	106	199	502	888	1,114	839	951	617	5,216
OVERSEAS	MALE	7	28	82	127	284	102	55	66	751
	FEMALE	4	10	30	29	32	39	56	31	231
	TOTAL	11	38	112	156	316	141	111	97	982
TOTAL	MALE	2,393	4,291	9,757	15,410	40,807	16,612	16,674	20,498	126,446
	FEMALE	758	956	2,031	2,583	5,106	8,461	39,637	26,469	86,001
	TOTAL	3,151	5,247	11,788	17,993	45,913	25,073	56,311	46,967	212,447

TABLE 4: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE, SEX AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015
GOLD CARD

		UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
NEW SOUTH WALES	MALE	75	80	314	733	7,307	3,447	4,395	6,263	22,614
	FEMALE	71	23	94	328	1,359	2,828	14,095	9,272	28,070
	TOTAL	146	103	408	1,061	8,666	6,275	18,490	15,535	50,684
VICTORIA	MALE	32	66	220	423	4,826	1,801	2,614	4,551	14,533
	FEMALE	41	7	55	215	796	1,509	9,516	6,452	18,591
	TOTAL	73	73	275	638	5,622	3,310	12,130	11,003	33,124
QUEENSLAND	MALE	90	187	614	1,180	8,460	4,704	2,933	3,478	21,646
	FEMALE	111	38	139	412	1,438	2,304	8,081	4,925	17,448
	TOTAL	201	225	753	1,592	9,898	7,008	11,014	8,403	39,094
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	MALE	11	11	86	200	2,585	876	883	1,537	6,189
	FEMALE	13	6	23	96	395	515	3,013	2,201	6,262
	TOTAL	24	17	109	296	2,980	1,391	3,896	3,738	12,451
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	MALE	18	24	184	373	2,983	1,542	1,206	1,530	7,860
	FEMALE	19	8	48	132	402	697	2,716	1,824	5,846
	TOTAL	37	32	232	505	3,385	2,239	3,922	3,354	13,706
TASMANIA	MALE	4	7	43	121	1,024	375	436	539	2,549
	FEMALE	4	2	10	36	150	295	1,273	739	2,509
	TOTAL	8	9	53	157	1,174	670	1,709	1,278	5,058
NORTHERN TERRITORY	MALE	0	0	11	31	170	81	32	21	346
	FEMALE	0	1	4	6	33	31	40	19	134
	TOTAL	0	1	15	37	203	112	72	40	480
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	MALE	11	5	25	63	341	533	328	272	1,578
	FEMALE	8	3	17	36	96	175	529	296	1,160
	TOTAL	19	8	42	99	437	708	857	568	2,738
OVERSEAS	MALE	2	6	17	23	181	69	33	31	362
	FEMALE	3	2	10	21	30	39	55	27	187
	TOTAL	5	8	27	44	211	108	88	58	549
TOTAL	MALE	243	386	1,514	3,147	27,877	13,428	12,860	18,222	77,677
	FEMALE	270	90	400	1,282	4,699	8,393	39,318	25,755	80,207
	TOTAL	513	476	1,914	4,429	32,576	21,821	52,178	43,977	157,884

TABLE 4: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE, SEX AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015**WHITE CARD**

		UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
NEW SOUTH WALES	MALE	495	875	1,851	2,850	3,201	758	1,107	704	11,842
	FEMALE	130	166	315	288	93	21	110	278	1,401
	TOTAL	625	1,041	2,166	3,138	3,294	779	1,217	982	13,243
VICTORIA	MALE	339	573	1,179	1,859	2,149	479	859	593	8,033
	FEMALE	82	126	234	221	59	11	72	148	953
	TOTAL	421	699	1,413	2,080	2,208	490	931	741	8,986
QUEENSLAND	MALE	811	1,389	2,894	4,087	4,175	969	809	421	15,555
	FEMALE	153	310	568	404	143	17	59	132	1,786
	TOTAL	964	1,699	3,462	4,491	4,318	986	868	553	17,341
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	MALE	152	233	480	849	916	246	371	216	3,463
	FEMALE	23	42	100	87	26	4	32	58	372
	TOTAL	175	275	580	936	942	250	403	274	3,835
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	MALE	172	458	992	1,297	1,252	466	479	223	5,339
	FEMALE	56	111	194	113	39	9	30	70	622
	TOTAL	228	569	1,186	1,410	1,291	475	509	293	5,961
TASMANIA	MALE	55	126	225	341	351	88	66	44	1,296
	FEMALE	11	30	65	45	17	2	10	11	191
	TOTAL	66	156	290	386	368	90	76	55	1,487
NORTHERN TERRITORY	MALE	54	92	197	203	131	18	11	3	709
	FEMALE	12	19	35	19	3	0	1	1	90
	TOTAL	66	111	232	222	134	18	12	4	799
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	MALE	67	137	360	673	652	127	90	37	2,143
	FEMALE	20	54	100	116	25	4	4	12	335
	TOTAL	87	191	460	789	677	131	94	49	2,478
OVERSEAS	MALE	5	22	65	104	103	33	22	35	389
	FEMALE	1	8	20	8	2	0	1	4	44
	TOTAL	6	30	85	112	105	33	23	39	433
TOTAL	MALE	2,150	3,905	8,243	12,263	12,930	3,184	3,814	2,276	48,769
	FEMALE	488	866	1,631	1,301	407	68	319	714	5,794
	TOTAL	2,638	4,771	9,874	13,564	13,337	3,252	4,133	2,990	54,563

TABLE 5: TREATMENT POPULATION BY ACT, CARD TYPE, SEX AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015

			UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
VEA	GOLD	MALE	151	193	1,337	3,086	27,845	13,426	12,860	18,222	77,120
		FEMALE	200	51	360	1,266	4,691	8,393	39,318	25,755	80,034
		TOTAL	351	244	1,697	4,352	32,536	21,819	52,178	43,977	157,154
	WHITE	MALE	57	717	5,699	11,043	11,775	2,719	3,602	2,275	37,889
		FEMALE	12	104	1,044	1,045	328	49	316	714	3,612
		TOTAL	69	821	6,743	12,088	12,103	2,768	3,918	2,989	41,501
	TOTAL	MALE	208	910	7,036	14,129	39,620	16,145	16,462	20,497	115,009
		FEMALE	212	155	1,404	2,311	5,019	8,442	39,634	26,469	83,646
		TOTAL	420	1,065	8,440	16,440	44,639	24,587	56,096	46,966	198,655
MRCA	GOLD	MALE	92	193	177	61	32	2	0	0	557
		FEMALE	70	39	40	16	8	0	0	0	173
		TOTAL	162	232	217	77	40	2	0	0	730
	WHITE	MALE	2,078	2,447	1,493	733	264	6	0	0	7,021
		FEMALE	468	473	258	115	14	0	0	0	1,328
		TOTAL	2,546	2,920	1,751	848	278	6	0	0	8,349
	TOTAL	MALE	2,170	2,640	1,670	794	296	8	0	0	7,578
		FEMALE	538	512	298	131	22	0	0	0	1,501
		TOTAL	2,708	3,152	1,968	925	318	8	0	0	9,079
SRCA	WHITE	MALE	15	741	1,051	487	891	459	212	1	3,859
		FEMALE	8	289	329	141	65	19	3	0	854
		TOTAL	23	1,030	1,380	628	956	478	215	1	4,713

Note:

This table shows the Act liable to pay for all eligible treatment. Where a client has treatment eligibility under multiple Acts, all treatment costs are paid under a single Act.

TABLE 6: TREATMENT POPULATION BY CONFLICT, CARD AND SEX, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015

	Sex	Card	CONFLICTS - AUSTRALIAN FORCES											Total
			First World War	Second World War	Korea, Malaya & FESR	Vietnam	Gulf War	East Timor	Afghanistan	Iraq	Other Operations	Peace-keeping Forces	No Operational Service	
Veterans	Male	Gold	0	25,096	13,037	36,343	276	1,277	429	291	733	830	6,518	77,265
		White	0	3,161	667	4,076	640	3,472	2,016	1,079	1,069	1,226	29,726	44,750
		Total	0	28,257	13,704	40,419	916	4,749	2,445	1,370	1,802	2,056	36,244	122,015
	Female	Gold	0	1,053	33	110	16	68	24	22	34	11	416	1,735
		White	0	902	11	49	40	289	135	101	103	75	4,074	5,639
		Total	0	1,955	44	159	56	357	159	123	137	86	4,490	7,374
Total	Gold	0	26,149	13,070	36,453	292	1,345	453	313	767	841	6,934	79,000	
	White Total	0	4,063	678	4,125	680	3,761	2,151	1,180	1,172	1,301	33,800	50,389	
			0	30,212	13,748	40,578	972	5,106	2,604	1,493	1,939	2,142	40,734	129,389
Dependants	Male	Gold	12	197	16	63	15	25	21	10	9	7	58	412
		White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	12	197	16	63	15	25	21	10	9	7	58	412
	Female	Gold	129	67,930	5,817	6,185	34	75	62	28	35	99	1,061	78,472
		White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	129	67,930	5,817	6,185	34	75	62	28	35	99	1,061	78,472
Total	Gold	141	68,127	5,833	6,248	49	100	83	38	44	106	1,119	78,884	
	White Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
			141	68,127	5,833	6,248	49	100	83	38	44	1,119	78,884	
Total			141	98,339	19,581	46,826	1,021	5,206	2,687	1,531	1,983	2,248	41,853	208,273
			British Commonwealth and Allied veterans with a White card											4,174
Grand Total														212,447

Notes:

- (1) For veterans, the conflict categories have been derived from a combination of the conflict(s) to which any accepted disabilities have been attributed, the conflict from which the veteran has Qualifying Service (QS) or the conflict(s) listed in the veterans' service details (where known by DVA). Where none of these are known, DVA File Number is used.
- (2) For dependants the conflict categories have been derived from a combination of the conflict(s) to which any accepted disabilities for the deceased veteran have been attributed or the conflict(s) listed in the deceased veterans' service details (where known by DVA). Where neither of these are known, DVA File Number is used.
- (3) Veterans and dependants of veterans who have served in multiple conflicts are counted once under each relevant conflict group. For this reason the reported numbers for each conflict must not be summed.

**TABLE 7: PRISONERS OF WAR, BY POW COUNTRY AND STATE
WITH A GOLD CARD, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015**

	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT	OS	AUS
EUROPE	50	39	27	11	22	4	2	4	1	160
JAPAN	90	48	41	14	23	9	0	1	1	227
KOREA	4	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	9
TOTAL	144	88	69	26	46	13	3	5	2	396

**TABLE 8: DVA TREATMENT POPULATION COMPARED WITH AUSTRALIAN POPULATION
BY AGE GROUP OVER 64 AND SEX, AS AT 2 JANUARY 2015**

Age Groups	Males			Females			Persons		
	Total Population ¹	Treatment Population	% of Total Population	Total Population ¹	Treatment Population	% of Total Population	Total Population ¹	Treatment Population	% of Total Population
65-69	555,407	29,613	5.3%	564,674	3,014	0.5%	1,120,081	32,627	2.9%
70-74	401,418	9,528	2.4%	417,816	3,290	0.8%	819,234	12,818	1.6%
75-79	289,632	7,084	2.4%	322,410	5,171	1.6%	612,042	12,255	2.0%
80-84	196,036	5,528	2.8%	252,262	11,870	4.7%	448,298	17,398	3.9%
85 & over	164,903	31,644	19.2%	291,630	54,236	18.6%	456,533	85,880	18.8%
65 & over	1,607,396	83,397	5.2%	1,848,792	77,581	4.2%	3,456,188	160,978	4.7%
70 & over	1,051,989	53,784	5.1%	1,284,118	74,567	5.8%	2,336,107	128,351	5.5%
75 & over	650,571	44,256	6.8%	866,302	71,277	8.2%	1,516,873	115,533	7.6%
80 & over	360,939	37,172	10.3%	543,892	66,106	12.2%	904,831	103,278	11.4%
85 & over	164,903	31,644	19.2%	291,630	54,236	18.6%	456,533	85,880	18.8%

Source:

¹ Australian Demographic Statistics June 2014 ABS Cat. No. 3101.0 (Table 7)

TABLE 9: TREATMENT POPULATION TRENDS - ACTUAL AND PROJECTIONS AS AT 30 JUNE

	ACTUALS					PROJECTIONS									
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
CARD															
Gold	207,945	196,619	185,031	174,168	163,578	152,900	142,400	132,300	122,800	114,000	105,900	98,700	92,200	86,600	81,600
White	49,621	48,986	48,769	49,013	53,984	54,400	54,400	54,500	54,700	55,000	55,400	55,800	56,200	56,600	56,900
GENDER															
Male	150,104	142,556	135,572	129,865	128,640	124,000	119,300	115,100	111,500	108,300	105,600	103,200	101,100	99,200	97,400
Female	107,462	103,049	98,228	93,316	88,922	83,300	77,400	71,600	66,000	60,700	55,800	51,300	47,400	43,900	41,100
AVERAGE AGE															
Male	72.9	72.5	71.9	71.3	70.0	69.2	68.7	68.2	67.8	67.5	67.3	67.3	67.3	67.5	67.7
Female	82.5	82.9	83.2	83.4	83.1	83.1	83.1	83.0	82.7	82.4	81.9	81.3	80.6	79.8	79.1
STATE															
NSW	87,654	82,750	78,124	74,100	71,241	67,200	63,100	59,400	55,900	52,800	49,900	47,400	45,200	43,300	41,600
Vic	54,991	51,740	48,623	45,783	43,574	40,800	38,000	35,400	33,100	30,900	28,900	27,100	25,600	24,300	23,100
Qld	62,239	60,429	58,624	56,987	57,091	55,600	53,800	52,100	50,500	49,100	47,700	46,500	45,400	44,400	43,500
SA	21,577	20,463	19,376	18,408	17,996	17,100	16,300	15,400	14,600	13,900	13,300	12,800	12,300	11,800	11,400
WA	22,696	21,758	20,941	20,192	20,020	19,300	18,400	17,600	16,900	16,200	15,600	15,000	14,500	14,100	13,700
Tas	8,409	8,465	8,112	7,711	7,640	7,400	7,100	6,800	6,500	6,200	5,900	5,700	5,500	5,300	5,100
Total	257,566	245,605	233,800	223,181	217,562	207,400	196,700	186,700	177,500	169,100	161,300	154,500	148,500	143,200	138,400

- Notes:**
1. State figures are by state of residence with ACT and NT included in NSW and SA respectively.
 2. Projected client numbers may not add exactly to totals due to rounding.
 3. Figures to June 2013 are actual.

TABLE 9: TREATMENT POPULATION TRENDS - ACTUAL AND PROJECTIONS AS AT 30 JUNE (Continuation)

	ACTUALS					PROJECTIONS									
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
GOLD AND WHITE CARDS															
AGE GROUP															
<55	24,206	24,094	24,218	24,883	28,500	29,000	28,700	28,100	27,500	26,800	26,000	25,300	24,300	23,200	21,900
55-59	10,125	9,248	8,798	8,695	9,098	9,300	9,600	10,000	10,400	10,700	10,700	10,600	10,500	10,500	10,600
60-64	28,205	25,550	21,406	17,397	14,306	12,700	11,700	11,300	11,100	11,000	11,200	11,500	11,900	12,300	12,600
65-69	14,595	18,531	23,398	27,851	31,694	30,800	27,300	23,700	20,000	17,100	14,900	13,700	13,000	12,500	12,300
70-74	12,036	12,156	12,124	12,064	12,523	15,400	19,900	24,100	28,000	30,700	30,200	27,400	24,400	21,500	19,100
75-79	17,120	14,757	13,547	12,536	12,361	12,200	12,000	11,900	11,800	12,000	14,600	18,500	22,100	25,400	27,600
80-84	45,376	34,958	28,025	23,081	19,129	16,000	13,700	12,300	11,400	10,900	10,600	10,500	10,400	10,400	10,600
85-89	76,135	72,043	63,468	53,912	43,958	34,700	27,700	22,400	18,100	14,600	11,800	9,800	8,800	8,200	7,800
90+	29,768	34,268	38,816	42,762	45,993	47,400	46,100	43,000	39,200	35,300	31,300	27,100	23,000	19,300	16,100
Total	257,566	245,605	233,800	223,181	217,562	207,300	196,700	186,800	177,500	169,000	161,300	154,500	148,500	143,100	138,500
GOLD CARD															
AGE GROUP															
<55	4,741	4,689	4,587	4,611	4,677	4,600	4,300	4,100	3,800	3,600	3,500	3,300	3,200	3,000	2,800
55-59	4,167	3,338	2,874	2,710	2,678	2,600	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,400	2,300	2,100	2,000	1,900	1,900
60-64	20,926	18,461	14,680	11,038	7,880	6,200	5,100	4,400	4,000	3,600	3,500	3,400	3,300	3,300	3,300
65-69	11,473	14,702	18,749	22,390	25,099	24,300	21,100	17,500	13,800	10,800	8,500	7,100	6,200	5,400	4,900
70-74	10,531	10,652	10,655	10,674	10,943	13,400	17,500	21,200	24,600	26,800	26,000	22,900	19,700	16,500	13,800
75-79	15,827	13,445	12,206	11,167	10,738	10,500	10,400	10,300	10,300	10,400	12,800	16,300	19,400	22,200	24,000
80-84	41,465	32,500	26,628	21,919	17,935	14,800	12,400	10,900	10,000	9,400	9,100	8,900	8,800	8,800	9,000
85-89	71,002	66,674	58,250	49,530	40,483	32,300	26,200	21,400	17,300	13,800	10,900	8,900	7,800	7,100	6,700
90+	27,813	32,158	36,402	40,129	43,145	44,300	42,900	40,000	36,600	33,100	29,500	25,700	21,900	18,300	15,300
Total	207,945	196,619	185,031	174,168	163,578	152,900	142,400	132,300	122,800	114,000	105,900	98,700	92,200	86,600	81,600
WHITE CARD															
AGE GROUP															
<55	19,465	19,405	19,631	20,272	23,823	24,400	24,400	24,100	23,600	23,100	22,600	22,000	21,200	20,200	19,100
55-59	5,958	5,910	5,924	5,985	6,420	6,700	7,100	7,500	7,900	8,300	8,500	8,500	8,500	8,600	8,700
60-64	7,279	7,089	6,726	6,359	6,426	6,500	6,700	6,900	7,100	7,400	7,700	8,100	8,500	9,000	9,400
65-69	3,122	3,829	4,649	5,461	6,595	6,500	6,200	6,200	6,100	6,200	6,400	6,600	6,800	7,100	7,400
70-74	1,505	1,504	1,469	1,390	1,580	2,000	2,400	2,900	3,400	3,900	4,200	4,500	4,800	5,000	5,200
75-79	1,293	1,312	1,341	1,369	1,623	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,800	2,200	2,700	3,100	3,600
80-84	3,911	2,458	1,397	1,162	1,194	1,200	1,300	1,400	1,500	1,500	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600
85-89	5,133	5,369	5,218	4,382	3,475	2,400	1,500	1,000	800	800	800	900	1,000	1,100	1,100
90+	1,955	2,110	2,414	2,633	2,848	3,100	3,200	3,000	2,600	2,200	1,800	1,400	1,200	1,000	900
Total	49,621	48,986	48,769	49,013	53,984	54,400	54,400	54,500	54,700	55,000	55,400	55,800	56,200	56,600	56,900