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# **TREATMENT POPULATION STATISTICS**

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**DATA EXTRACT AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**

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## SUMMARY TREND

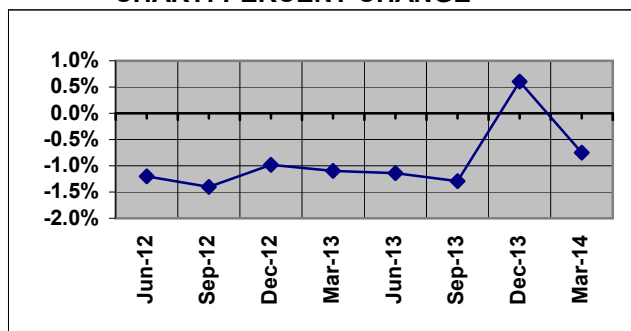
## TREATMENT POPULATION STATISTICS

## TREATMENT POPULATION BY QUARTER

TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE BY QUARTER

Quarter	Tpop	% Change
Mar-12	236,645	
Jun-12	233,800	-1.20%
Sep-12	230,525	-1.40%
Dec-12	228,266	-0.98%
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%

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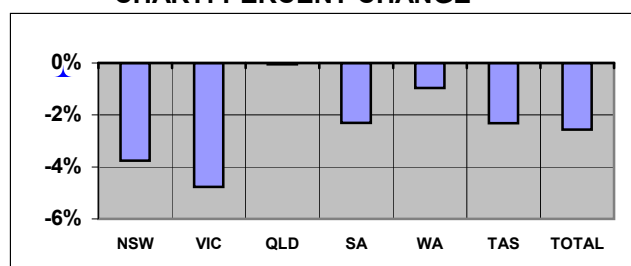


## TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE: MAR - 13 and MAR - 14

TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE

	Mar-13	Mar-14	% Change
NSW	75,076	72,252	-3.76%
VIC	46,482	44,264	-4.77%
QLD	57,382	57,353	-0.05%
SA	18,606	18,178	-2.30%
WA	20,378	20,183	-0.96%
TAS	6,962	6,801	-2.31%
TOTAL	225,754	219,970	-2.56%

CHART: PERCENT CHANGE



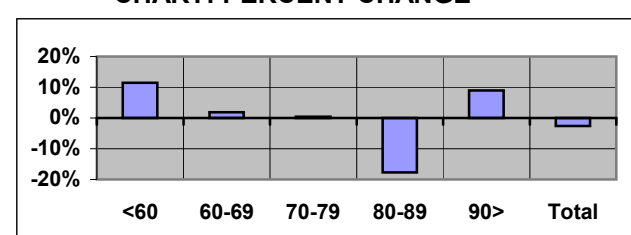
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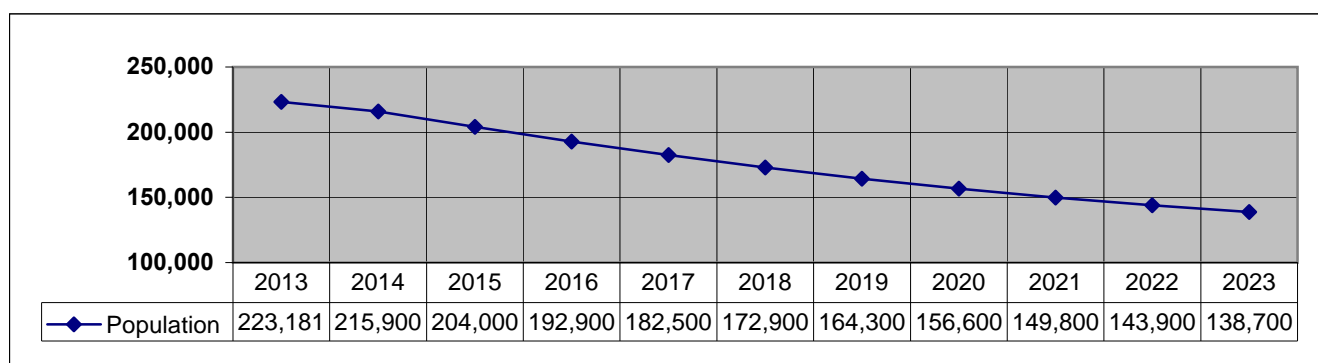
TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE

	Mar-13	Mar-14	% Change
<60	33,372	37,181	11.41%
60-69	45,153	46,019	1.92%
70-79	24,869	24,961	0.37%
80-89	80,719	66,430	-17.70%
90>	41,641	45,379	8.98%
Total	225,754	219,970	-2.56%

CHART: PERCENT CHANGE



## TREATMENT POPULATION PROJECTIONS AS AT 30 JUNE



## SUMMARY TREND (Continuation)

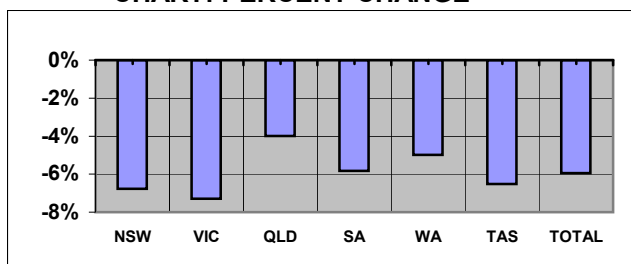
### TREATMENT POPULATION STATISTICS

#### NUMBER OF GOLD CARDS BY STATE: MAR - 13 and MAR - 14

TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE

	Mar-13	Mar-14	% Change
NSW	60,767	56,654	-6.77%
VIC	38,121	35,340	-7.30%
QLD	42,146	40,463	-3.99%
SA	14,524	13,678	-5.82%
WA	15,043	14,292	-4.99%
TAS	5,716	5,343	-6.53%
TOTAL	176,829	166,303	-5.95%

CHART: PERCENT CHANGE

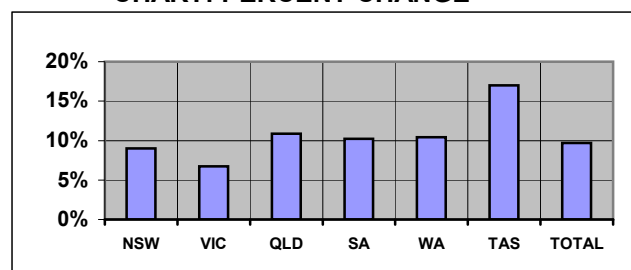


#### NUMBER OF WHITE CARDS BY STATE: MAR - 13 and MAR - 14

TABLE: TOTAL AND % CHANGE

	Mar-13	Mar-14	% Change
NSW	14,309	15,598	9.01%
VIC	8,361	8,924	6.73%
QLD	15,236	16,890	10.86%
SA	4,082	4,500	10.24%
WA	5,335	5,891	10.42%
TAS	1,246	1,458	17.01%
TOTAL	48,925	53,667	9.69%

CHART: PERCENT CHANGE

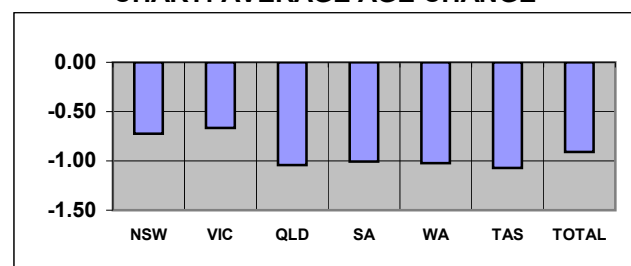


#### AVERAGE AGE BY STATE: MAR - 13 and MAR - 14

TABLE: AVERAGE AGE CHANGE

	Mar-13	Mar-14 Yrs Change	
NSW	77.62	76.90	-0.72
VIC	78.86	78.19	-0.67
QLD	72.20	71.15	-1.04
SA	76.09	75.08	-1.01
WA	73.74	72.72	-1.02
TAS	75.70	74.63	-1.07
TOTAL	75.92	75.01	-0.91

CHART: AVERAGE AGE CHANGE

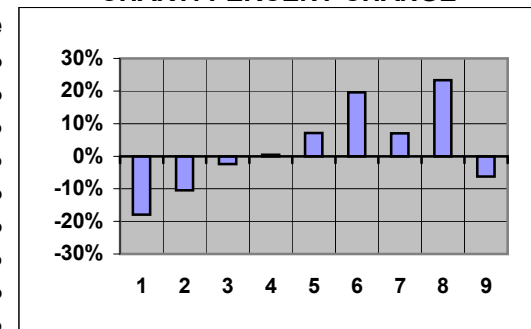


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#### TABLE: TREATMENT POPULATION BY CONFLICT (TOTAL)

Conflict	Mar-13	Mar-14	% Change
1. First World War	195	160	-17.95%
2. Second World War	120,740	108,151	-10.43%
3. Korea, Malaya & FESR	20,556	20,063	-2.40%
4. Vietnam	46,682	46,887	0.44%
5. Gulf War	914	979	7.11%
6. East Timor, Afghanistan & Iraq	5,969	7,138	19.58%
7. Peacekeeping & Other Operations	3,576	3,828	7.05%
8. Serving Member	32,372	39,923	23.33%
9. British Commonwealth & Allied	4,748	4,452	-6.23%

CHART: PERCENT CHANGE



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

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### **Definition**

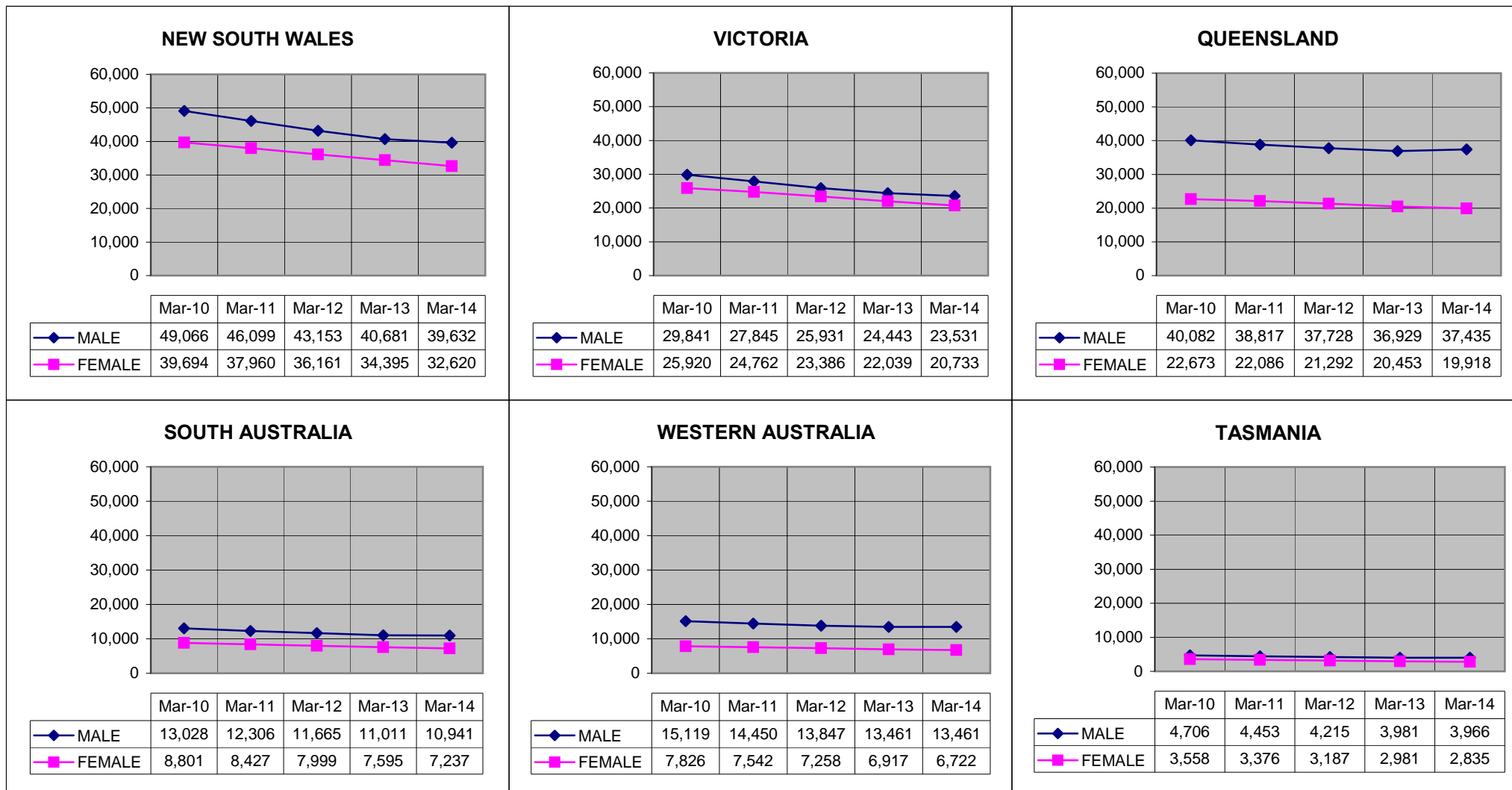
The "treatment population" consists of veterans and dependants who have been issued a Gold or White card entitling them to medical and other treatment at Department expense under the Veterans' Entitlement Act, the Social Security and Veterans' Entitlements Amendment (No2) Act 1987, the Veterans' Entitlement (Transitional Provisions and Consequential Amendments) Act 1986, the Military Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 2004 and the Safety Rehabilitation and Compensation Act 1988.

### **Revisions**

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

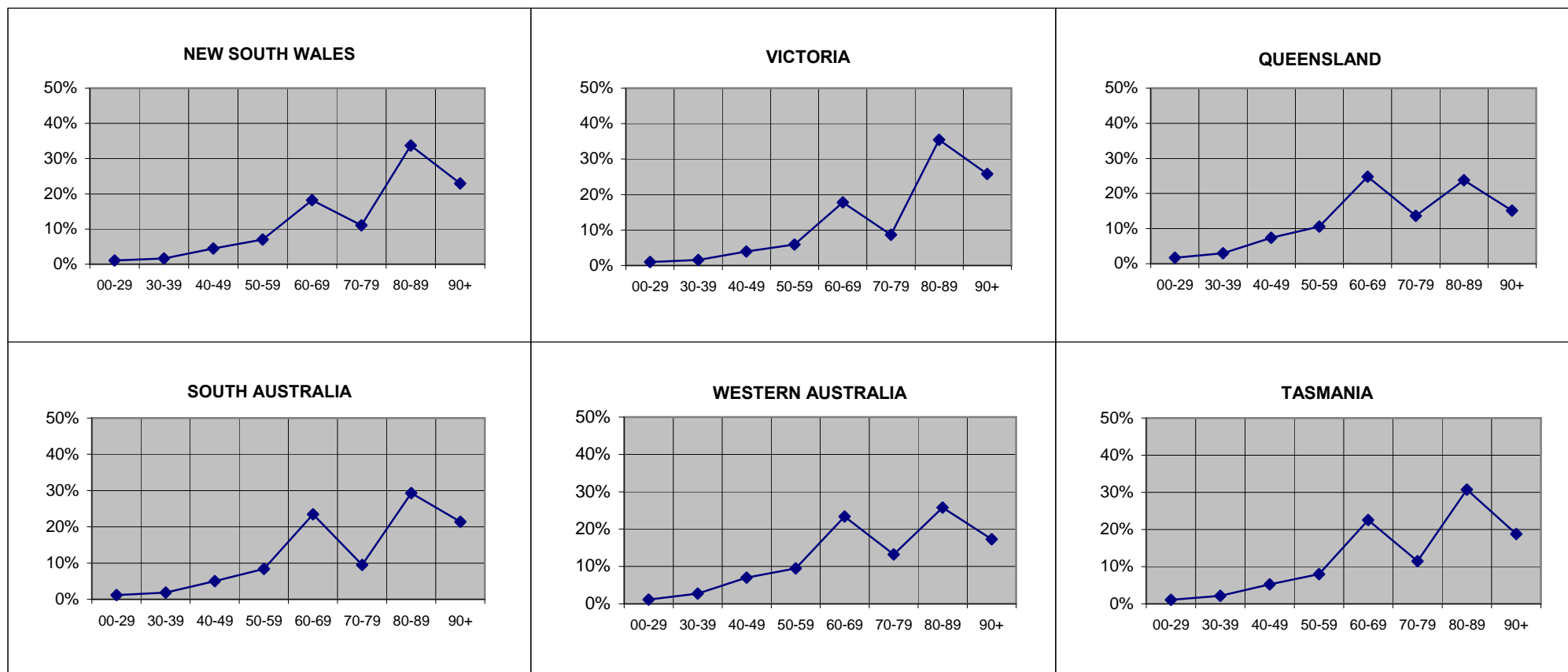
Considerable changes have been made to table 6 and so it is no longer comparable to historical reports. Prior to September 2013, table 6 grouped clients by conflict using DVA file number. This resulted in veterans from recent conflicts being counted in a single group (Defence/Peace Keeping). From September 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 MARCH 2010 - MARCH 2014**

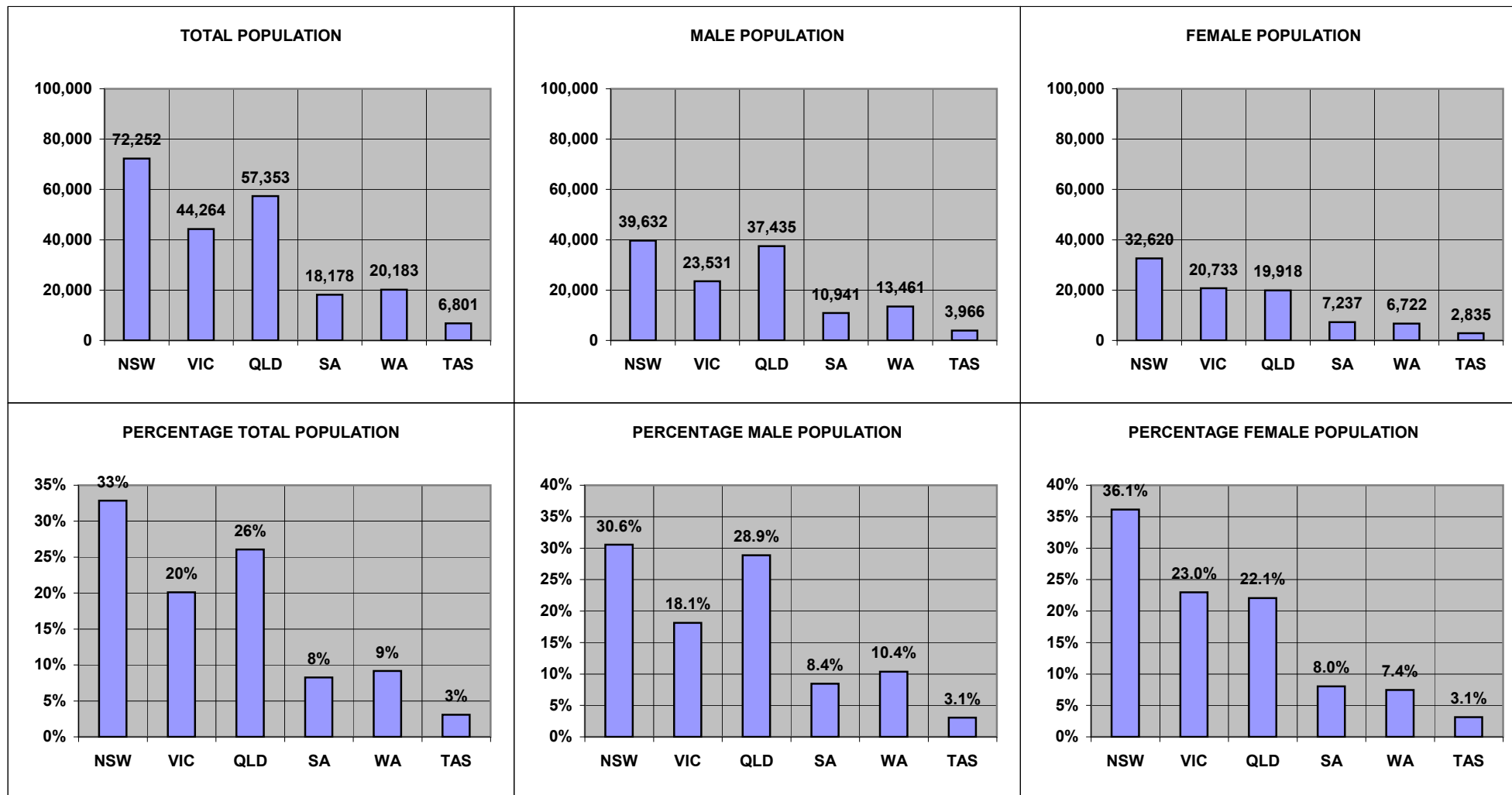
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**GRAPH 2: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**



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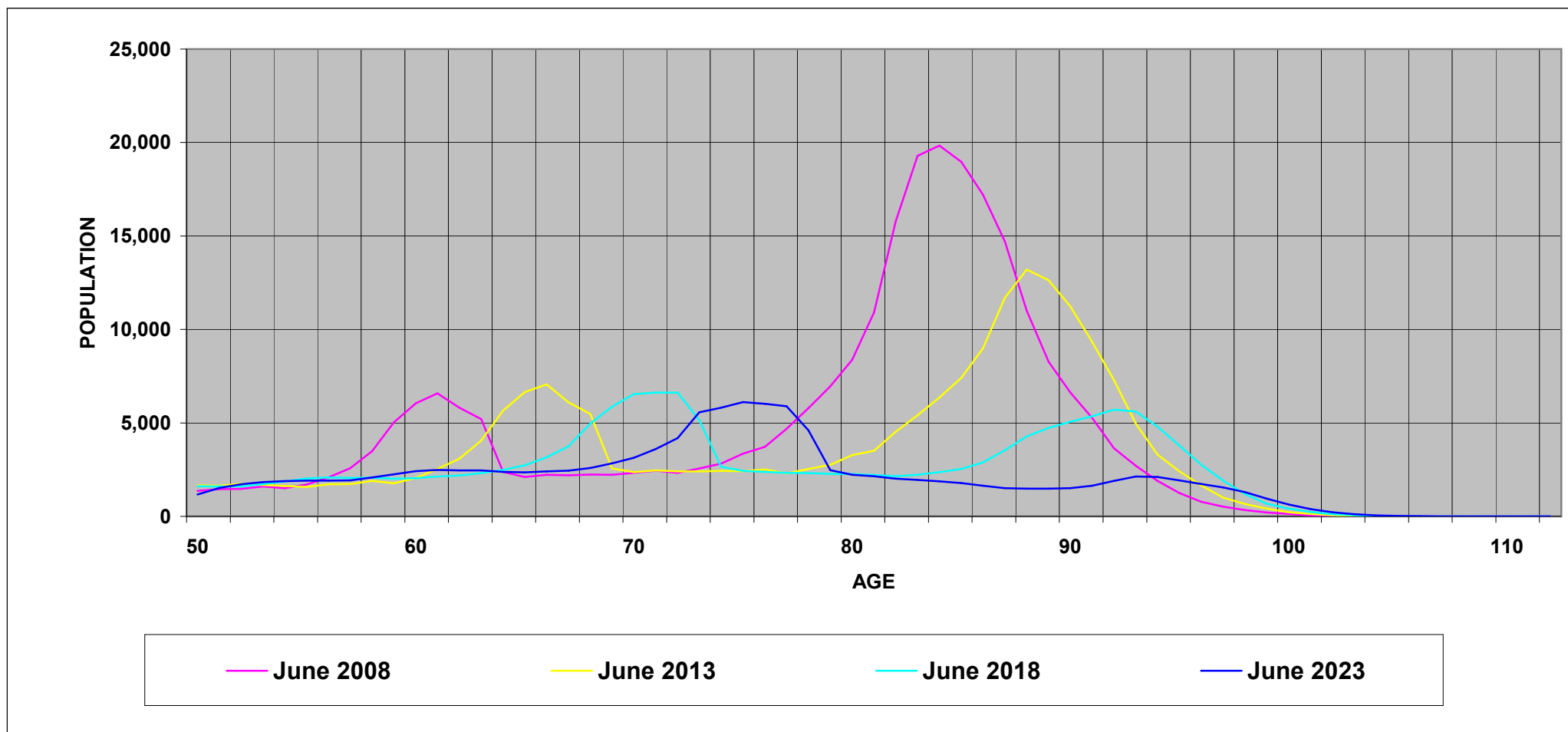
**GRAPH 3: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE AND SEX, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**



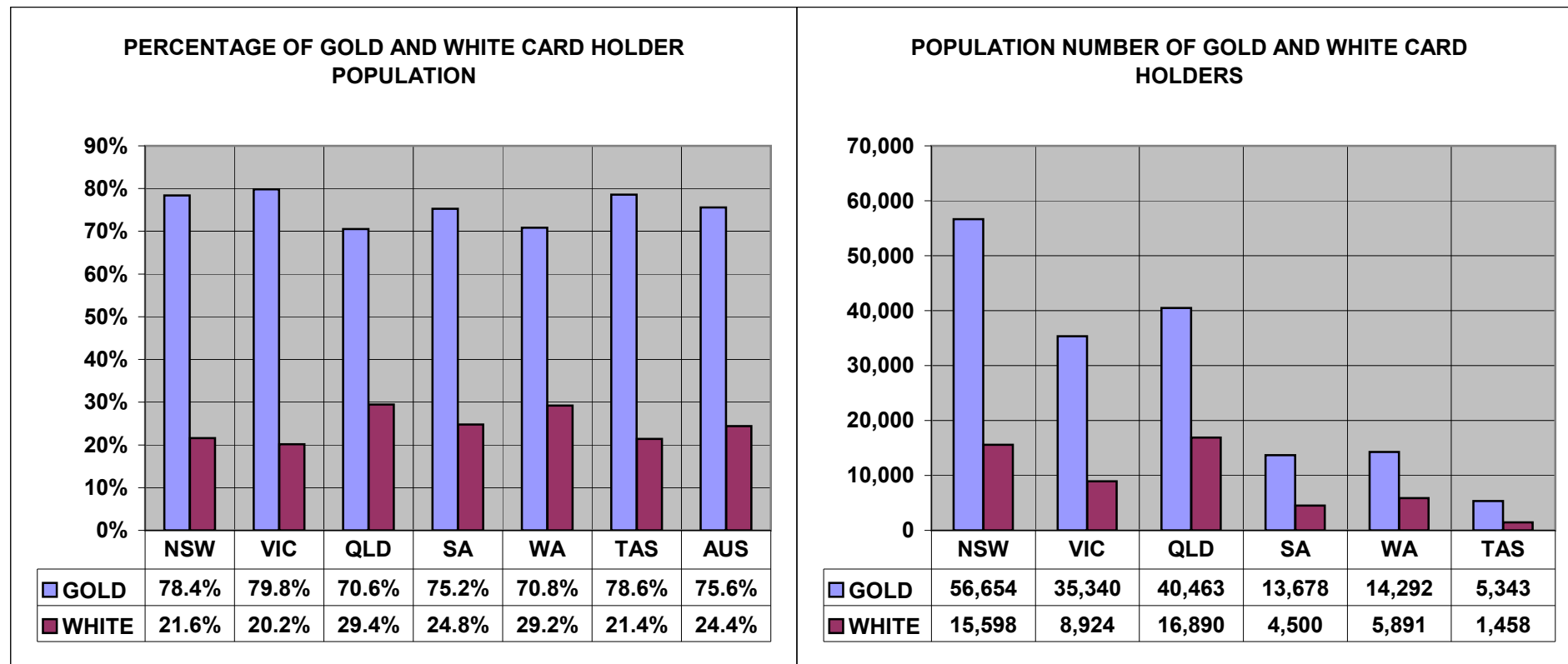
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**GRAPH 4: TOTAL TREATMENT POPULATION BY AGE TREND FROM JUNE 2008 TO JUNE 2023**  
**DATA AS AT JUNE 2013**



**GRAPH 5: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE AND CARD HOLDER, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**



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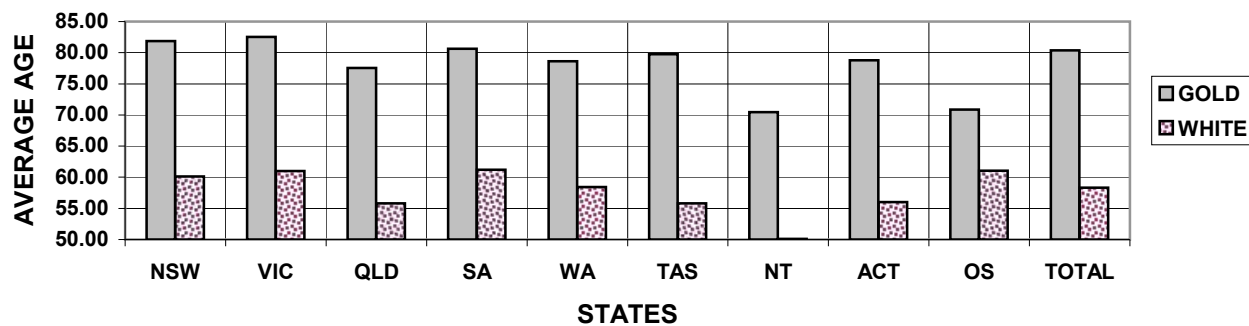
	UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES</b>	665	990	2,699	4,185	12,035	7,170	23,290	15,952	<b>66,986</b>
	1.0%	1.5%	4.0%	6.2%	18.0%	10.7%	34.8%	23.8%	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>VICTORIA</b>	422	687	1,728	2,630	7,861	3,838	15,675	11,423	<b>44,264</b>
	1.0%	1.6%	3.9%	5.9%	17.8%	8.7%	35.4%	25.8%	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>QUEENSLAND</b>	995	1,731	4,236	6,059	14,205	7,816	13,652	8,659	<b>57,353</b>
	1.7%	3.0%	7.4%	10.6%	24.8%	13.6%	23.8%	15.1%	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA</b>	160	247	681	1,259	3,920	1,600	5,239	3,842	<b>16,948</b>
	0.9%	1.5%	4.0%	7.4%	23.1%	9.4%	30.9%	22.7%	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA</b>	235	549	1,410	1,915	4,715	2,673	5,198	3,488	<b>20,183</b>
	1.2%	2.7%	7.0%	9.5%	23.4%	13.2%	25.8%	17.3%	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>TASMANIA</b>	75	148	356	541	1,532	779	2,091	1,279	<b>6,801</b>
	1.1%	2.2%	5.2%	8.0%	22.5%	11.5%	30.7%	18.8%	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>	50	92	227	268	337	123	92	41	<b>1,230</b>
	4.1%	7.5%	18.5%	21.8%	27.4%	10.0%	7.5%	3.3%	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY</b>	86	189	510	871	1,107	836	1,062	605	<b>5,266</b>
	1.6%	3.6%	9.7%	16.5%	21.0%	15.9%	20.2%	11.5%	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>OVERSEAS</b>	9	28	116	132	307	126	131	90	<b>939</b>
	1.0%	3.0%	12.4%	14.1%	32.7%	13.4%	14.0%	9.6%	<b>100.0%</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,697</b>	<b>4,661</b>	<b>11,963</b>	<b>17,860</b>	<b>46,019</b>	<b>24,961</b>	<b>66,430</b>	<b>45,379</b>	<b>219,970</b>
	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>2.1%</b>	<b>5.4%</b>	<b>8.1%</b>	<b>20.9%</b>	<b>11.3%</b>	<b>30.2%</b>	<b>20.6%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**TABLE 2: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE, CARD AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**

		UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	126	90	418	1,097	8,827	6,393	21,810	15,038	<b>53,799</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	539	900	2,281	3,088	3,208	777	1,480	914	<b>13,187</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>990</b>	<b>2,699</b>	<b>4,185</b>	<b>12,035</b>	<b>7,170</b>	<b>23,290</b>	<b>15,952</b>	<b>66,986</b>
<b>VICTORIA</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	62	63	273	629	5,695	3,363	14,536	10,719	<b>35,340</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	360	624	1,455	2,001	2,166	475	1,139	704	<b>8,924</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>1,728</b>	<b>2,630</b>	<b>7,861</b>	<b>3,838</b>	<b>15,675</b>	<b>11,423</b>	<b>44,264</b>
<b>QUEENSLAND</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	177	195	722	1,625	10,096	6,850	12,650	8,148	<b>40,463</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	818	1,536	3,514	4,434	4,109	966	1,002	511	<b>16,890</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>995</b>	<b>1,731</b>	<b>4,236</b>	<b>6,059</b>	<b>14,205</b>	<b>7,816</b>	<b>13,652</b>	<b>8,659</b>	<b>57,353</b>
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	24	16	115	328	3,005	1,353	4,767	3,581	<b>13,189</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	136	231	566	931	915	247	472	261	<b>3,759</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>1,259</b>	<b>3,920</b>	<b>1,600</b>	<b>5,239</b>	<b>3,842</b>	<b>16,948</b>
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	32	30	224	523	3,462	2,194	4,620	3,207	<b>14,292</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	203	519	1,186	1,392	1,253	479	578	281	<b>5,891</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>549</b>	<b>1,410</b>	<b>1,915</b>	<b>4,715</b>	<b>2,673</b>	<b>5,198</b>	<b>3,488</b>	<b>20,183</b>
<b>TASMANIA</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	8	8	56	162	1,185	691	2,006	1,227	<b>5,343</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	67	140	300	379	347	88	85	52	<b>1,458</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>1,532</b>	<b>779</b>	<b>2,091</b>	<b>1,279</b>	<b>6,801</b>
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	2	1	17	42	205	104	79	39	<b>489</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	48	91	210	226	132	19	13	2	<b>741</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>1,230</b>
<b>AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	11	9	44	95	457	712	963	564	<b>2,855</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	75	180	466	776	650	124	99	41	<b>2,411</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>1,107</b>	<b>836</b>	<b>1,062</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>5,266</b>
<b>OVERSEAS</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	3	7	27	38	210	96	96	56	<b>533</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	6	21	89	94	97	30	35	34	<b>406</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>939</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	445	419	1,896	4,539	33,142	21,756	61,527	42,579	<b>166,303</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	2,252	4,242	10,067	13,321	12,877	3,205	4,903	2,800	<b>53,667</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,697</b>	<b>4,661</b>	<b>11,963</b>	<b>17,860</b>	<b>46,019</b>	<b>24,961</b>	<b>66,430</b>	<b>45,379</b>	<b>219,970</b>

**TABLE 3: AVERAGE AGE OF THE TREATMENT POPULATION BY CARD  
AND STATE, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**

CARD	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT	OS	TOTAL
<b>GOLD</b>	81.85	82.54	77.57	80.61	78.62	79.77	70.45	78.77	70.89	<b>80.39</b>
<b>WHITE</b>	60.11	60.97	55.79	61.19	58.42	55.81	50.09	55.99	61.06	<b>58.35</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>77.57</b>	<b>78.19</b>	<b>71.15</b>	<b>76.31</b>	<b>72.72</b>	<b>74.63</b>	<b>58.18</b>	<b>68.34</b>	<b>66.64</b>	<b>75.01</b>



**TABLE 4: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE, SEX AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**  
**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	498	820	2,293	3,547	10,588	4,092	7,165	6,910	35,913
	FEMALE	167	170	406	638	1,447	3,078	16,125	9,042	31,073
	TOTAL	665	990	2,699	4,185	12,035	7,170	23,290	15,952	66,986
VICTORIA	MALE	318	576	1,437	2,212	7,005	2,191	4,724	5,068	23,531
	FEMALE	104	111	291	418	856	1,647	10,951	6,355	20,733
	TOTAL	422	687	1,728	2,630	7,861	3,838	15,675	11,423	44,264
QUEENSLAND	MALE	767	1,431	3,547	5,251	12,623	5,417	4,555	3,844	37,435
	FEMALE	228	300	689	808	1,582	2,399	9,097	4,815	19,918
	TOTAL	995	1,731	4,236	6,059	14,205	7,816	13,652	8,659	57,353
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	MALE	127	201	564	1,075	3,505	1,048	1,691	1,724	9,935
	FEMALE	33	46	117	184	415	552	3,548	2,118	7,013
	TOTAL	160	247	681	1,259	3,920	1,600	5,239	3,842	16,948
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	MALE	171	446	1,173	1,670	4,284	1,935	2,105	1,677	13,461
	FEMALE	64	103	237	245	431	738	3,093	1,811	6,722
	TOTAL	235	549	1,410	1,915	4,715	2,673	5,198	3,488	20,183
TASMANIA	MALE	57	123	282	460	1,371	459	651	563	3,966
	FEMALE	18	25	74	81	161	320	1,440	716	2,835
	TOTAL	75	148	356	541	1,532	779	2,091	1,279	6,801
NORTHERN TERRITORY	MALE	36	77	188	240	299	97	45	24	1,006
	FEMALE	14	15	39	28	38	26	47	17	224
	TOTAL	50	92	227	268	337	123	92	41	1,230
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	MALE	63	136	383	739	988	643	475	292	3,719
	FEMALE	23	53	127	132	119	193	587	313	1,547
	TOTAL	86	189	510	871	1,107	836	1,062	605	5,266
OVERSEAS	MALE	5	21	88	109	274	94	72	60	723
	FEMALE	4	7	28	23	33	32	59	30	216
	TOTAL	9	28	116	132	307	126	131	90	939
TOTAL	MALE	2,042	3,831	9,955	15,303	40,937	15,976	21,483	20,162	129,689
	FEMALE	655	830	2,008	2,557	5,082	8,985	44,947	25,217	90,281
	TOTAL	2,697	4,661	11,963	17,860	46,019	24,961	66,430	45,379	219,970

**TABLE 4: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE, SEX AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014****GOLD CARD**

		<b>UNDER 30</b>	<b>30-39</b>	<b>40-49</b>	<b>50-59</b>	<b>60-69</b>	<b>70-79</b>	<b>80-89</b>	<b>90 &amp; OVER</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
<b>NEW SOUTH WALES</b>	<b>MALE</b>	62	69	323	734	7,456	3,339	5,869	6,235	<b>24,087</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	64	21	95	363	1,371	3,054	15,941	8,803	<b>29,712</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>1,097</b>	<b>8,827</b>	<b>6,393</b>	<b>21,810</b>	<b>15,038</b>	<b>53,799</b>
<b>VICTORIA</b>	<b>MALE</b>	27	56	219	410	4,885	1,723	3,698	4,507	<b>15,525</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	35	7	54	219	810	1,640	10,838	6,212	<b>19,815</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>5,695</b>	<b>3,363</b>	<b>14,536</b>	<b>10,719</b>	<b>35,340</b>
<b>QUEENSLAND</b>	<b>MALE</b>	78	159	588	1,192	8,632	4,467	3,660	3,442	<b>22,218</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	99	36	134	433	1,464	2,383	8,990	4,706	<b>18,245</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>722</b>	<b>1,625</b>	<b>10,096</b>	<b>6,850</b>	<b>12,650</b>	<b>8,148</b>	<b>40,463</b>
<b>SOUTH AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>MALE</b>	11	10	94	222	2,611	804	1,269	1,513	<b>6,534</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	13	6	21	106	394	549	3,498	2,068	<b>6,655</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>3,005</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>4,767</b>	<b>3,581</b>	<b>13,189</b>
<b>WESTERN AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>MALE</b>	15	24	177	379	3,067	1,465	1,571	1,460	<b>8,158</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	17	6	47	144	395	729	3,049	1,747	<b>6,134</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>3,462</b>	<b>2,194</b>	<b>4,620</b>	<b>3,207</b>	<b>14,292</b>
<b>TASMANIA</b>	<b>MALE</b>	4	6	47	117	1,040	374	576	522	<b>2,686</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	4	2	9	45	145	317	1,430	705	<b>2,657</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>1,185</b>	<b>691</b>	<b>2,006</b>	<b>1,227</b>	<b>5,343</b>
<b>NORTHERN TERRITORY</b>	<b>MALE</b>	0	1	12	35	170	79	33	22	<b>352</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	2	0	5	7	35	25	46	17	<b>137</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>489</b>
<b>AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY</b>	<b>MALE</b>	7	7	24	62	360	523	384	261	<b>1,628</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	4	2	20	33	97	189	579	303	<b>1,227</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>712</b>	<b>963</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>2,855</b>
<b>OVERSEAS</b>	<b>MALE</b>	0	5	18	21	179	64	39	28	<b>354</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	3	2	9	17	31	32	57	28	<b>179</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>210</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>533</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>MALE</b>	204	337	1,502	3,172	28,400	12,838	17,099	17,990	<b>81,542</b>
	<b>FEMALE</b>	241	82	394	1,367	4,742	8,918	44,428	24,589	<b>84,761</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>419</b>	<b>1,896</b>	<b>4,539</b>	<b>33,142</b>	<b>21,756</b>	<b>61,527</b>	<b>42,579</b>	<b>166,303</b>

**TABLE 4: TREATMENT POPULATION BY STATE, SEX AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**  
**WHITE CARD**

		UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
NEW SOUTH WALES	MALE	436	751	1,970	2,813	3,132	753	1,296	675	11,826
	FEMALE	103	149	311	275	76	24	184	239	1,361
	TOTAL	539	900	2,281	3,088	3,208	777	1,480	914	13,187
VICTORIA	MALE	291	520	1,218	1,802	2,120	468	1,026	561	8,006
	FEMALE	69	104	237	199	46	7	113	143	918
	TOTAL	360	624	1,455	2,001	2,166	475	1,139	704	8,924
QUEENSLAND	MALE	689	1,272	2,959	4,059	3,991	950	895	402	15,217
	FEMALE	129	264	555	375	118	16	107	109	1,673
	TOTAL	818	1,536	3,514	4,434	4,109	966	1,002	511	16,890
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	MALE	116	191	470	853	894	244	422	211	3,401
	FEMALE	20	40	96	78	21	3	50	50	358
	TOTAL	136	231	566	931	915	247	472	261	3,759
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	MALE	156	422	996	1,291	1,217	470	534	217	5,303
	FEMALE	47	97	190	101	36	9	44	64	588
	TOTAL	203	519	1,186	1,392	1,253	479	578	281	5,891
TASMANIA	MALE	53	117	235	343	331	85	75	41	1,280
	FEMALE	14	23	65	36	16	3	10	11	178
	TOTAL	67	140	300	379	347	88	85	52	1,458
NORTHERN TERRITORY	MALE	36	76	176	205	129	18	12	2	654
	FEMALE	12	15	34	21	3	1	1	0	87
	TOTAL	48	91	210	226	132	19	13	2	741
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	MALE	56	129	359	677	628	120	91	31	2,091
	FEMALE	19	51	107	99	22	4	8	10	320
	TOTAL	75	180	466	776	650	124	99	41	2,411
OVERSEAS	MALE	5	16	70	88	95	30	33	32	369
	FEMALE	1	5	19	6	2	0	2	2	37
	TOTAL	6	21	89	94	97	30	35	34	406
TOTAL	MALE	1,838	3,494	8,453	12,131	12,537	3,138	4,384	2,172	48,147
	FEMALE	414	748	1,614	1,190	340	67	519	628	5,520
	TOTAL	2,252	4,242	10,067	13,321	12,877	3,205	4,903	2,800	53,667



**TABLE 5: TREATMENT POPULATION BY ACT, CARD TYPE, SEX AND AGE GROUP, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**

			UNDER 30	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-69	70-79	80-89	90 & OVER	TOTAL
<b>VEA</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	<b>MALE</b>	136	203	1,376	3,136	28,379	12,836	17,099	17,990	<b>81,155</b>
		<b>FEMALE</b>	177	50	364	1,355	4,735	8,918	44,428	24,589	<b>84,616</b>
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1,740</b>	<b>4,491</b>	<b>33,114</b>	<b>21,754</b>	<b>61,527</b>	<b>42,579</b>	<b>165,771</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	<b>MALE</b>	44	774	6,335	11,148	11,575	2,727	4,237	2,171	<b>39,011</b>
		<b>FEMALE</b>	4	102	1,120	983	276	52	516	628	<b>3,681</b>
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>876</b>	<b>7,455</b>	<b>12,131</b>	<b>11,851</b>	<b>2,779</b>	<b>4,753</b>	<b>2,799</b>	<b>42,692</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>MALE</b>	180	977	7,711	14,284	39,954	15,563	21,336	20,161	<b>120,166</b>
		<b>FEMALE</b>	181	152	1,484	2,338	5,011	8,970	44,944	25,217	<b>88,297</b>
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>1,129</b>	<b>9,195</b>	<b>16,622</b>	<b>44,965</b>	<b>24,533</b>	<b>66,280</b>	<b>45,378</b>	<b>208,463</b>
<b>MRCA</b>	<b>GOLD</b>	<b>MALE</b>	68	134	126	36	21	2	0	0	<b>387</b>
		<b>FEMALE</b>	64	32	30	12	7	0	0	0	<b>145</b>
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>532</b>
	<b>WHITE</b>	<b>MALE</b>	1,762	1,998	1,233	565	197	1	0	0	<b>5,756</b>
		<b>FEMALE</b>	395	367	201	85	9	0	0	0	<b>1,057</b>
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,157</b>	<b>2,365</b>	<b>1,434</b>	<b>650</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,813</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>MALE</b>	1,830	2,132	1,359	601	218	3	0	0	<b>6,143</b>
		<b>FEMALE</b>	459	399	231	97	16	0	0	0	<b>1,202</b>
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2,289</b>	<b>2,531</b>	<b>1,590</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,345</b>
<b>SRCA</b>	<b>WHITE</b>	<b>MALE</b>	32	722	885	418	765	410	147	1	<b>3,380</b>
		<b>FEMALE</b>	15	279	293	122	55	15	3	0	<b>782</b>
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>1,001</b>	<b>1,178</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4,162</b>

**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 28 MARCH 2014**

	Sex	Card	CONFLICTS - AUSTRALIAN FORCES											Total
			First World War	Second World War	Korea, Malaya & FESR	Vietnam	Gulf War	East Timor	Afghan-istan	Iraq	Other Operations	Peace-keeping Forces	No Operational Service	
Veterans	Male	Gold	0	29,417	13,452	36,237	255	1,141	307	221	683	783	6,231	81,151
		White	0	3,591	766	4,485	631	3,328	1,650	983	1,033	1,203	28,487	43,866
		Total	0	33,008	14,218	40,722	886	4,469	1,957	1,204	1,716	1,986	34,718	125,017
	Female	Gold	0	1,227	40	108	15	61	24	16	34	11	397	1,884
		White	0	1,007	11	42	36	269	97	90	95	67	3,758	5,349
		Total	0	2,234	51	150	51	330	121	106	129	78	4,155	7,233
	Total	Gold	0	30,644	13,492	36,345	270	1,202	331	237	717	794	6,628	83,035
		White	0	4,598	777	4,527	667	3,597	1,747	1,073	1,128	1,270	32,245	49,215
		Total	0	35,242	14,269	40,872	937	4,799	2,078	1,310	1,845	2,064	38,873	132,250
Dependants	Male	Gold	13	200	16	61	12	18	15	9	7	5	52	391
		White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	13	200	16	61	12	18	15	9	7	5	52	391
	Female	Gold	147	72,709	5,778	5,954	30	62	56	25	29	92	998	82,877
		White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	147	72,709	5,778	5,954	30	62	56	25	29	92	998	82,877
	Total	Gold	160	72,909	5,794	6,015	42	80	71	34	36	97	1,050	83,268
		White	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Total	160	72,909	5,794	6,015	42	80	71	34	36	97	1,050	83,268
	Total	160	108,151	20,063	46,887	979	4,879	2,149	1,344	1,881	2,161	39,923	215,518	
			British Commonwealth and Allied veterans with a White card											4,452
Grand Total														219,970

**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 28 MARCH 2014**

	NSW	VIC	QLD	SA	WA	TAS	NT	ACT	OS	AUS
<b>EUROPE</b>	61	47	29	14	27	4	2	4	1	<b>189</b>
<b>JAPAN</b>	118	62	51	18	28	11	0	1	1	<b>290</b>
<b>KOREA</b>	4	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	<b>9</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>488</b>

**TABLE 8: DVA TREATMENT POPULATION COMPARED WITH AUSTRALIAN POPULATION  
BY AGE GROUP OVER 64 AND SEX, AS AT 28 MARCH 2014**

Age Groups	Males			Females			Persons		
	Total Population <sup>1</sup>	Treatment Population	% of Total Population	Total Population <sup>1</sup>	Treatment Population	% of Total Population	Total Population <sup>1</sup>	Treatment Population	% of Total Population
<b>65-69</b>	537,242	28,003	5.2%	544,716	2,922	0.5%	1,081,958	30,925	2.9%
<b>70-74</b>	383,269	9,129	2.4%	398,035	3,376	0.8%	781,304	12,505	1.6%
<b>75-79</b>	277,129	6,847	2.5%	312,353	5,609	1.8%	589,482	12,456	2.1%
<b>80-84</b>	193,859	5,727	3.0%	251,970	14,317	5.7%	445,829	20,044	4.5%
<b>85 &amp; over</b>	156,490	35,918	23.0%	283,105	55,847	19.7%	439,595	91,765	20.9%
<b>65 &amp; over</b>	1,547,989	85,624	5.5%	1,790,179	82,071	4.6%	3,338,168	167,695	5.0%
<b>70 &amp; over</b>	1,010,747	57,621	5.7%	1,245,463	79,149	6.4%	2,256,210	136,770	6.1%
<b>75 &amp; over</b>	627,478	48,492	7.7%	847,428	75,773	8.9%	1,474,906	124,265	8.4%
<b>80 &amp; over</b>	350,349	41,645	11.9%	535,075	70,164	13.1%	885,424	111,809	12.6%
<b>85 &amp; over</b>	156,490	35,918	23.0%	283,105	55,847	19.7%	439,595	91,765	20.9%

Source:

<sup>1</sup> Australian Demographic Statistics September 2013 ABS Cat. No. 3101.0 (table 6)

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

	ACTUALS					PROJECTIONS									
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
<b><u>CARD</u></b>															
<b>Gold</b>	218,858	207,945	196,619	185,031	174,168	163,000	151,900	141,200	131,200	122,000	113,700	106,100	99,400	93,500	88,400
<b>White</b>	50,390	49,621	48,986	48,769	49,013	52,800	52,200	51,600	51,200	50,900	50,600	50,500	50,400	50,400	50,400
<b><u>GENDER</u></b>															
<b>Male</b>	157,847	150,104	142,556	135,572	129,865	127,400	121,800	116,900	112,600	108,900	105,700	103,000	100,800	98,800	97,000
<b>Female</b>	111,401	107,462	103,049	98,228	93,316	88,500	82,200	76,000	69,900	64,100	58,600	53,600	49,100	45,100	41,700
<b><u>AVERAGE AGE</u></b>															
<b>Male</b>	73.1	72.9	72.5	71.9	71.3	70.1	69.6	69.0	68.6	68.2	67.9	67.8	67.8	67.9	68.0
<b>Female</b>	82.1	82.5	82.9	83.2	83.4	83.2	83.3	83.3	83.2	82.9	82.6	82.1	81.5	80.8	80.1
<b><u>STATE</u></b>															
<b>NSW</b>	91,985	87,654	82,750	78,124	74,100	70,800	66,300	62,100	58,100	54,500	51,200	48,300	45,800	43,500	41,600
<b>Vic</b>	58,024	54,991	51,740	48,623	45,783	43,300	40,300	37,400	34,700	32,300	30,100	28,200	26,500	25,000	23,700
<b>Qld</b>	64,106	62,239	60,429	58,624	56,987	56,500	54,500	52,600	50,800	49,100	47,600	46,200	45,000	43,900	42,900
<b>SA</b>	22,620	21,577	20,463	19,376	18,408	17,800	16,700	15,700	14,800	13,900	13,200	12,500	12,000	11,500	11,100
<b>WA</b>	23,773	22,696	21,758	20,941	20,192	19,900	19,000	18,200	17,400	16,700	16,000	15,400	14,900	14,400	14,000
<b>Tas</b>	8,740	8,409	8,465	8,112	7,711	7,600	7,300	6,900	6,600	6,400	6,100	5,900	5,700	5,600	5,400
<b>Total</b>	269,248	257,566	245,605	233,800	223,181	215,900	204,000	192,900	182,500	172,900	164,300	156,600	149,800	143,900	138,700

- 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									
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
<b>GOLD AND WHITE CARDS</b>															
<b>AGE GROUP</b>															
<b>&lt;55</b>	24,584	24,206	24,094	24,218	24,883	27,500	27,000	26,400	25,700	24,800	23,900	23,100	22,200	21,300	20,100
<b>55-59</b>	11,684	10,125	9,248	8,798	8,695	9,100	9,300	9,600	9,900	10,200	10,500	10,500	10,400	10,200	10,100
<b>60-64</b>	29,397	28,205	25,550	21,406	17,397	14,800	12,900	12,000	11,400	11,200	11,100	11,200	11,500	11,800	12,200
<b>65-69</b>	11,316	14,595	18,531	23,398	27,851	31,200	30,500	27,300	24,000	20,500	17,500	15,200	13,900	13,100	12,600
<b>70-74</b>	12,102	12,036	12,156	12,124	12,064	12,600	15,300	19,600	23,700	27,600	30,500	30,400	27,900	25,200	22,300
<b>75-79</b>	20,394	17,120	14,757	13,547	12,536	12,300	12,000	11,900	11,800	11,700	11,900	14,500	18,200	21,800	25,100
<b>80-84</b>	58,937	45,376	34,958	28,025	23,081	19,100	15,900	13,500	12,100	11,200	10,700	10,400	10,300	10,300	10,200
<b>85-89</b>	74,661	76,135	72,043	63,468	53,912	43,500	34,800	27,800	22,400	18,000	14,400	11,500	9,600	8,500	7,900
<b>90+</b>	26,173	29,768	34,268	38,816	42,762	45,800	46,300	44,800	41,600	37,700	33,800	29,800	25,800	21,800	18,200
<b>Total</b>	269,248	257,566	245,605	233,800	223,181	215,900	204,000	192,900	182,500	172,900	164,300	156,600	149,800	143,900	138,700
<b>GOLD CARD</b>															
<b>AGE GROUP</b>															
<b>&lt;55</b>	4,945	4,741	4,689	4,587	4,611	4,600	4,500	4,400	4,300	4,200	4,100	4,000	4,000	3,900	3,800
<b>55-59</b>	5,625	4,167	3,338	2,874	2,710	2,700	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,500	2,500	2,400	2,300
<b>60-64</b>	22,044	20,926	18,461	14,680	11,038	8,300	6,400	5,300	4,600	4,200	3,900	3,800	3,800	3,800	3,800
<b>65-69</b>	8,744	11,473	14,702	18,749	22,390	24,900	24,300	21,100	17,700	14,200	11,300	8,900	7,500	6,500	5,800
<b>70-74</b>	10,615	10,531	10,652	10,655	10,674	10,900	13,300	17,400	21,000	24,400	26,800	26,300	23,600	20,600	17,500
<b>75-79</b>	19,090	15,827	13,445	12,206	11,167	10,700	10,400	10,300	10,200	10,200	10,400	12,700	16,200	19,300	22,200
<b>80-84</b>	53,446	41,465	32,500	26,628	21,919	18,000	14,700	12,200	10,700	9,800	9,200	8,900	8,800	8,800	8,700
<b>85-89</b>	69,810	71,002	66,674	58,250	49,530	40,100	32,400	26,300	21,400	17,200	13,600	10,700	8,700	7,600	6,900
<b>90+</b>	24,539	27,813	32,158	36,402	40,129	43,000	43,300	41,700	38,700	35,200	31,700	28,200	24,400	20,700	17,300
<b>Total</b>	218,858	207,945	196,619	185,031	174,168	163,000	151,900	141,200	131,200	122,000	113,700	106,100	99,400	93,500	88,400
<b>WHITE CARD</b>															
<b>AGE GROUP</b>															
<b>&lt;55</b>	19,639	19,465	19,405	19,631	20,272	22,900	22,500	22,000	21,400	20,600	19,800	19,100	18,300	17,400	16,400
<b>55-59</b>	6,059	5,958	5,910	5,924	5,985	6,400	6,700	7,000	7,300	7,600	7,900	7,900	7,900	7,800	7,800
<b>60-64</b>	7,353	7,279	7,089	6,726	6,359	6,500	6,600	6,700	6,800	7,000	7,200	7,400	7,700	8,000	8,300
<b>65-69</b>	2,572	3,122	3,829	4,649	5,461	6,300	6,300	6,200	6,200	6,200	6,200	6,300	6,400	6,600	6,800
<b>70-74</b>	1,487	1,505	1,504	1,469	1,390	1,700	1,900	2,300	2,700	3,200	3,700	4,100	4,400	4,600	4,800
<b>75-79</b>	1,304	1,293	1,312	1,341	1,369	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,500	1,600	1,800	2,100	2,500	2,900
<b>80-84</b>	5,491	3,911	2,458	1,397	1,162	1,200	1,200	1,300	1,300	1,400	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500
<b>85-89</b>	4,851	5,133	5,369	5,218	4,382	3,400	2,400	1,500	1,000	800	800	800	900	900	1,000
<b>90+</b>	1,634	1,955	2,110	2,414	2,633	2,900	3,000	3,100	2,900	2,500	2,100	1,700	1,300	1,100	900
<b>Total</b>	50,390	49,621	48,986	48,769	49,013	52,800	52,200	51,600	51,200	50,900	50,600	50,500	50,400	50,400	50,400