



Stocktake of Australian Government Subsidised Aged Care Places as at 30 June 2022

Total Unused# Residential Care Places by State/Territory as at 30 June 2022

State/Territory	Total unused residential*	Total all allocated residential care places	% all unused residential of total all allocated residential care places
NSW	5,130	86,398	5.9%
Vic	3,045	67,335	4.5%
Qld	1,925	51,916	3.7%
WA	898	24,765	3.6%
SA	561	20,194	2.8%
Tas	253	5,615	4.5%
ACT	193	3,592	5.4%
NT	46	865	5.3%
Total	12,051	260,680	4.6%

Notes:

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Total Unused# Residential Care Places by Aged Care Planning Region as at 30 June 2022

State/Territory	Aged Care Planning Region	Total unused residential*	Total all allocated residential care places	% all unused residential of total all allocated residential care places	
NSW	Central Coast	190	4,449	4.3%	
	Central West	90	2,395	3.8%	
	Far North Coast	229	4,447	5.1%	
	Hunter	639	7,950	8.0%	
	Illawarra	179	5,140	3.5%	
	Inner West	387	5,021	7.7%	
	Mid North Coast	326	5,447	6.0%	
	Nepean	61	3,208	1.9%	
	New England	0	2,061	0.0%	
	Northern Sydney	1,509	11,270	13.4%	
	Orana Far West	14	1,873	0.7%	
	Riverina/Murray	47	3,521	1.3%	
	South East Sydney	517	9,649	5.4%	
	Southern Highlands	139	2,825	4.9%	
	South West Sydney	376	9,102	4.1%	
	Western Sydney	427	8,040	5.3%	
NSW		5,130	86,398	5.9%	
Vic	Barwon-South Western	107	5,603	1.9%	
	Eastern Metro	738	13,909	5.3%	
	Gippsland	44	3,908	1.1%	
	Grampians	2	2,983	0.1%	
	Hume	14	3,599	0.4%	
	Loddon-Mallee	76	4,614	1.6%	
	Northern Metro	622	9,009	6.9%	
	Southern Metro	1,011	16,378	6.2%	
	Western Metro	431	7,332	5.9%	
	Vic		3,045	67,335	4.5%
	Qld	Brisbane North	339	6,366	5.3%
		Brisbane South	379	8,172	4.6%
Cabool		63	5,204	1.2%	
Central West		0	124	0.0%	
Darling Downs		173	3,201	5.4%	
Far North		111	2,562	4.3%	
Fitzroy		0	1,660	0.0%	
Logan River Valley		134	3,161	4.2%	
Mackay		25	1,097	2.3%	
Northern		114	2,124	5.4%	
North West		0	150	0.0%	
South Coast		135	6,559	2.1%	
South West		28	289	9.7%	
Sunshine Coast		202	5,889	3.4%	
West Moreton		86	1,993	4.3%	
Wide Bay		136	3,365	4.0%	
Qld			1,925	51,916	3.7%
WA		Goldfields	6	302	2.0%
		Great Southern	0	667	0.0%
	Indian Ocean Territories	0	0	0.0%	
	Kimberley	0	190	0.0%	
	Metropolitan East	67	3,770	1.8%	
	Metropolitan North	308	6,286	4.9%	
	Metropolitan South East	146	4,826	3.0%	
	Metropolitan South West	174	5,788	3.0%	
	Mid West	27	434	6.2%	
	Pilbara	7	93	7.5%	
	South West	156	1,826	8.5%	
	Wheatbelt	7	583	1.2%	
	WA		898	24,765	3.6%
SA	Eyre Peninsula	50	528	9.5%	
	Flinders & Far North	0	227	0.0%	
	Hills, Mallee & Southern	49	2,088	2.3%	
	Metropolitan East	150	3,123	4.8%	
	Metropolitan North	27	3,784	0.7%	
	Metropolitan South	127	4,228	3.0%	
	Metropolitan West	90	2,996	3.0%	
	Mid North	0	400	0.0%	
	Riverland	65	527	12.3%	
	South East	0	806	0.0%	
	Yorke, Lower North & Barossa	3	1,487	0.2%	
	SA		561	20,194	2.8%
Tas	Northern	19	1,619	1.2%	
	North Western	15	1,178	1.3%	
	Southern	219	2,818	7.8%	
	Tas	253	5,615	4.5%	
ACT	ACT	193	3,592	5.4%	
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NT	Alice Springs	0	218	0.0%	
	Barkly	13	38	34.2%	
	Darwin	27	504	5.4%	
	East Arnhem	0	4	0.0%	
	Katherine	6	101	5.9%	
	NT	46	865	5.3%	
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