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Formal Access Application - Notice of Decision

I refer to your Formal Access Application (application) under the *Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009* (**GIPA Act**) lodged with the Department of Communities and Justice (**Department**) on 28 September 2023. Your original application sought access to:

'For Aboriginal Affairs Documents, specifically reports, ministerial briefing notes and attachments, correspondence (including emails), audits, investigations relating to one or more of the following:

- 1. Aboriginal children
- 2. Sexual assault (including rape/indecent assault)

Please limit searches to just the Director-General. Excluding: duplicates, documents that have been publicly released, media releases/reports/articles, correspondence with media, personal information such as home/email addresses and phone numbers.'

Amended scope

On 4 October 2023, I advised you that your application was invalid as it did not include such information as is reasonably necessary to enable the government information applied for to be identified. On 5 October 2023, after providing clarification on the scope of your application, a preliminary search of the Office of the Secretary's inbox returned over 3200 results. On 29 October 2023 you agreed to reduce the scope of your application to:

'For the date range of 1/02/2023 – 28/09/2023, any investigative reports or research reports held in the Department Secretary's general mailbox that contains the word "aboriginal" or "sexual assault" in the title of the document.'

I advised you that a decision would be made on your application by 16 November 2023.

Searches

On 1 November 2023, the Office of the Secretary (**OSEC**) conducted searches of its inbox for any investigative reports and research reports held in OSEC's inbox containing the word 'aboriginal' or 'sexual assault' in the title of the document for the date range 1/02/2023-28/09/2023. The search officer utilised the advanced search function of Outlook and I am satisfied that reasonable searches were conducted. **Five documents** fall within the scope of your request.

Decision

For the reasons set out in this notice, I have decided to:

- grant you full access to 4 documents in accordance with section 58(1)(a) of the GIPA Act,
- refuse you access to 1 document in accordance with section 58(1)(d) of the GIPA Act.

Reasons for decision

(a) Access grant decision

I have decided to provide you with access to the Attorney-General's work plan 2022-2027, a BOCSAR report on sexual assault and sexual touching offences in Eurobodalla and two BOCSAR reports on Aboriginal contact with the justice system. While the BOCSAR reports do not fall squarely within the scope of your request, I have interpreted your request for research reports as a request for BOCSAR statistics also. For these records, I am satisfied that there is an overriding public interest in favour of disclosure and I have decided to provide you with access in full.

(b) Access refuse decision

I have also decided to refuse access to one document, being a draft report by the NSW Ombudsman dated 1 February 2023) on the basis that:

'...Disclosure of the information could reasonably be expected to....reveal a deliberation or consultation conducted, or an opinion, advice or recommendation given, in such a way as to prejudice a deliberative process of government or an agency' (s 14 Table 1(e)).

I note that:

- the words 'could reasonably be expected to' are to be given their ordinary meaning. It must be based on real and substantial grounds, and it must not be purely speculative, fanciful, imaginary or contrived,
- the word 'prejudice' is also to be given its ordinary meaning, that is, to cause detriment or disadvantage, or to impede or derogate from.

The test

The process of decision making involves balancing the public interest in favour of disclosure against the public interest against, to determine whether the negatives outweigh the positives (s 13). Only then can non-disclosure be justified. There is a presumption in favour of disclosure and a legal right to information enshrined in the GIPA Act (see ss 3,5,9, and 12). The only negative factors against disclosure which may be relied on by an agency are listed in the Table in s 14 GIPA Act. The agency carries the burden of establishing the grounds it relies on to withhold information (s 105 GIPA Act).

Public interest consideration in favour of disclosure

In addition to the general presumption in favour of disclosure of government information set out in s 12 of the GIPA Act, I have identified the following as a consideration in favour of disclosure:

disclosure could reasonably be expected to inform the public about the operations of agencies.

I accept that the disclosure of the draft report could be expected to inform the public about the operations of the NSW Ombudsman and the Department, particularly how agencies respond to consultations with other agencies. This is a matter which carries some weight in my consideration.

Public interest consideration against disclosure

Balanced against this is the consideration at s 14 Table 1(e) as outlined above. There are two elements to this consideration. First one must look to see whether information involves or contains a deliberation, consultation, opinion, advice or recommendation. Then the second element is that one looks to see whether the revelation of such information could be reasonably expected to prejudice a deliberative process of government or an agency. Use of the expression 'in such a way' in the item leaves open the possibility that there may be some way of disclosing information which would not be prejudicial, for example by appropriately redacting the document.

In my view, the draft report involves the deliberation and opinion of the NSW Ombudsman on the Aboriginal Outcomes Strategy. It is in draft form and was provided to the Department for consultation. The Department was asked to review the draft report, provide any comments, and outline any factual inconsistencies or inaccuracies contained in that report. The Department did so.

The draft version of the report provides opinions, advice and recommendations that were used to inform decision making by the Department. The information contained in this document relates to the thinking process of the Department and is crucial to the deliberative process of the Department as it provides information relevant to the decision maker to consider and act upon.

Disclosing the draft report would prejudice the deliberative process of government. A significant part of the deliberative process is transparent engagement and consultation with parties identified as stakeholders. To reveal the advice and deliberations of public sector officials captured in the correspondence which includes considerations of options for decision making and responding to a corporate organisation taking into account the Department's decision would prejudice the Department in any current or future similar process or project in which it is a stakeholder.

Specifically Departmental officers may feel more inhibited in putting ideas on paper, and providing voluntary advice and comments on another agency's documents if they knew that such opinions, deliberations and comments were to be made public. The revelation of this document would inhibit the free and timely flow of ideas within the forums of government which need an opportunity to provide frank and fearless advice. Departmental officers may feel reluctance in providing their input on another agency's documents if they knew that their deliberative and consultative work was likely to be revealed to the public through the GIPA process. In my view the connection between the information and the prejudice is clear.

I place significant weight on this consideration.

Balancing the public interest

I am satisfied that the reliance on s 14 Table 1(e) has been established and is of such substance as to outweigh the public interest considerations in favour of disclosure. Redacting the material would take most of the meaning out of the document, and thus does not seem to be an appropriate solution. Access to this draft NSW Ombudsman report is refused.

Nonetheless, a finalised version of that report dated 28 February 2023 is publicly available (link).

Review rights

If you are aggrieved by any of the reviewable decisions in this notice of decision, you may seek a review under Part 5 of the GIPA Act, by requesting any one of the following:

- An internal review that must be lodged with Open Government, Information and Privacy within 20 working days of this notice of decision. You must lodge your internal review at the address shown at the bottom of the first page and must be accompanied by the appropriate application fee of \$40.
- Alternatively, a request for an external review may be lodged with either the Information and Privacy Commission, or the NSW Civil and Administrative Tribunal. Please note that you must lodge your request for an external review within 8 weeks of this notice of decision.

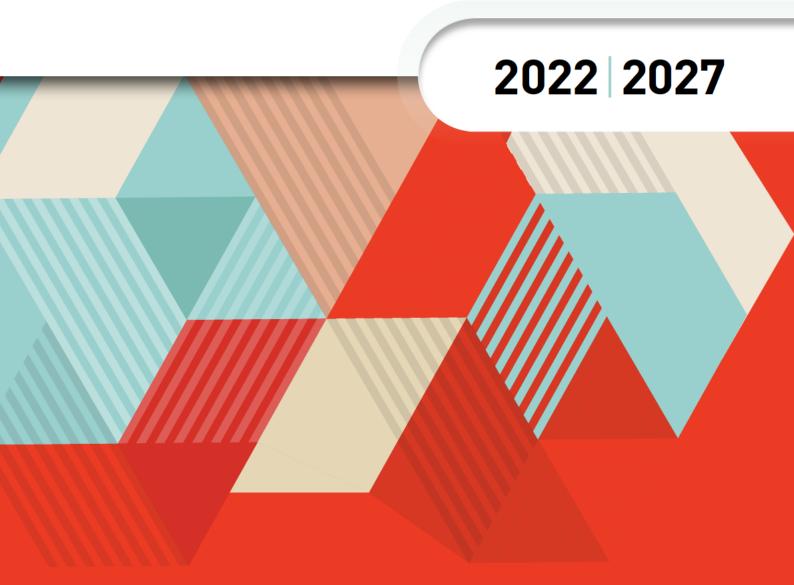
If you have any questions, please contact the Department on telephone (02) 9716 2662.

Yours sincerely

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Open Government, Information and Privacy Unit
Department of Communities and Justice



The Meeting of Attorneys-General Work Plan to Strengthen Criminal Justice Responses to Sexual Assault



Acknowledgement of Country

Australian, state and territory governments acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of this Country. We pay our respects to First Nations peoples past and present, and their continuing connection to the land, waters, community, and cultures.

Note on terminology

This document uses 'victim-survivor' to describe a person who has experienced sexual assault. We recognise that not all people with lived experience will identify with this term. It also refers to women's and men's experiences of sexual assault to reflect the ways in which the data referred to has been captured. We acknowledge that non-binary, gender fluid and transgender people experience sexual assault at disproportionate rates, and that there are gaps in data collection.

Support services

Sexual assault is a challenging issue. Reading this document may bring up strong feelings. Free and confidential 24-hour support services are available online and via telephone.

The National Sexual Assault, Domestic and Family Violence Counselling Service, 1800Respect, provides support for people who have experienced, or are at risk of experiencing, violence and abuse, including sexual violence. It also contains an online searchable database to locate services in your area. Call 1800 737 732 or visit www.1800Respect.org.au.

For crisis support or suicide prevention services, call Lifeline on 13 11 14 or visit www.Lifeline.org.au If you are, or someone else is, in immediate danger, call Triple Zero: 000.

Reporting sexual assault

If you want to report a crime, contact your local police on **131 444** or visit your local police station. Some states and territories offer online and alternative methods of reporting. If you want to report a crime anonymously, call Crime Stoppers on **1800 333 000** or visit www.CrimeStoppers.com.au

Accessibility

If you speak a language other than English and need help understanding this document, you can contact the free Translating and Interpreting Service on 131 450.

If you are deaf and/or find it hard hearing or speaking with people who use a phone, the National Relay Service (NRS) can help you. Please contact the NRS Helpdesk by calling **1800** 555 660 or through your preferred <u>call option</u>.



Endorsed by the Meeting of Attorneys-General on 12 August 2022

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Introduction

Under the *Meeting of Attorneys-General Work Plan to Strengthen Criminal Justice Responses to Sexual Assault* (MAG Work Plan) jurisdictions will seek to take collective and individual action to improve the experiences of victim-survivors of sexual assault in the criminal justice system. The focus of the MAG Work Plan is on the following priority areas:

- strengthening legal frameworks to ensure victim-survivors have improved justice outcomes and protections, wherever necessary and appropriate, across Australia
- building justice sector capability to better support and protect victim-survivors
- supporting research and greater collaboration to identify best practices, and to ensure actions are supported by a sound and robust evidence base.

While the MAG Work Plan is primarily focused on criminal justice responses, it is intended operate alongside existing and prospective efforts around prevention, early intervention and healing for victim-survivors of family, domestic and sexual violence at the national and state and territory level (outlined on page 6).



Sexual assault and the criminal justice system

Sexual assault continues to be underreported to police in Australia.¹ For those who do choose to report, attrition rates are high, prosecution rates are low, and conviction rates are even lower.² This illustrates the barriers faced by victim-survivors throughout the criminal justice system, the challenges of prosecuting these offences, and the importance of a coordinated national response.

Sexual assault

For the purposes of the MAG Work Plan, sexual assault is broadly defined as a type of criminalised sexual violence or harm that involves any physical contact, threat, or intent of contact, of a sexual nature against a person's will. Legal definitions and interpretations of sexual assault are included in Australian Government, state and territory law, and vary across the jurisdictions.

Barriers to justice are complex and interrelated, and the result of a variety of social and economic factors. Victim-survivors may be required to continuously retell their story without dedicated legal advocacy, support or guidance, and are at risk of facing their alleged perpetrators in court room settings. These circumstances can be highly confronting and compound victim-survivors' trauma.

Australia's criminal justice systems

As a federation, Australia has nine criminal justice systems, comprising eight state or territory systems and one federal system. These criminal justice systems broadly incorporate criminal laws and frameworks, and the institutions and agencies that enforce, prosecute and adjudicate them – including the police, prosecution authorities, criminal courts and defence lawyers.

State and territories are primarily responsible for administering and enforcing the majority of criminal laws, including sexual offences. While there are similarities between state and territory systems, each can differ in significant ways such as legal definitions, defences for the accused, penalties and corrections for offenders, administrative arrangements and the operation of courts, police and other key institutions and agencies. The ways that victim-survivors are supported and guided through criminal justice systems also varies between jurisdictions.

i In the field of criminology, attrition has often considered to be "the process whereby cases drop out of the criminal justice system at one of a number of potential points of exit from that system."

Development of the MAG Work Plan

At the **Meeting of Attorneys-General** (MAG) on 9 June 2021, participants agreed to task justice officials with developing a joint program of work on criminal justice responses to sexual assault.³ At a further MAG on 12 November 2021, participants noted an update on the development of a work plan and agreed that "effective law and policy reforms need to be supported by coordinated national action to drive cultural change and build capability to improve experiences for all victim-survivors of sexual assault."⁴

The MAG Work Plan will operate alongside ongoing and prospective national, state and territory work agendas that seek to improve responses to family, domestic and sexual violence in Australia. This includes, but is not limited to, the forthcoming National Plan to End Violence against Women and Children 2022-2032 (the National Plan), the National Strategy to Prevent and Respond to Child Sexual Abuse 2021-2030 (the National Strategy), the Respect@Work: Sexual Harassment National Inquiry Report, Safe and Supported: the National Framework for Protecting Australia's Children 2021-2031⁵, the National Agreement on Closing the Gap, 6 and state and territory strategies, laws and policy reforms.

Justice officials from each Australian jurisdiction have developed the MAG Work Plan in consultation with other relevant agencies. The initiatives were informed by the outcomes of key recent national, state and/or territory inquiries and consultation processes, and will be informed by ongoing initiatives, including, but not limited to:

- the Statement from Delegates 2021 National Summit on Women's Safety⁷ and consultation workshops for the next National Plan as reflected in the National Plan Victim-Survivor Advocates Consultation Report⁸
- the National Strategy Public Consultation Report⁹
- the ACT's Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Program Steering Committee's Listen.
 Take Action to Prevent, Believe and Heal Report¹⁰
- the Queensland Women's Safety and Justice Taskforce Hear her voice Report two –
 Women and girls' experiences across the criminal justice system¹¹
- the New South Wales Law Reform Commission Consent in relation to sexual offences Report¹²
- the Victorian Law Reform Commission *Improving the Response of the Justice System to Sexual Offences Report*¹³, and
- the Western Australian proposed consultation on sexual assault including the current WA Law Reform Commission review into Sexual Assault laws.

What will be delivered under the MAG Work Plan?

The MAG Work Plan is split into three priority areas to ensure there is a focus on:

- strengthening legal frameworks to ensure victim-survivors have improved justice outcomes and protections, wherever necessary and appropriate, across Australia
- building justice sector capability to better support and protect victim-survivors
- supporting research and greater collaboration to identify best practices, and to ensure actions are supported by a sound and robust evidence base

Each priority comprises specific initiatives that Australian Government and state and territory governments will endeavour to consider, individually and/or collectively, over the lifespan of the MAG Work Plan. Jurisdictions will have discretion to progress these initiatives in a way that works best for their criminal justice system, while striving to develop best-practices and raise the overall standards of victim-survivor experiences in accessing justice without compromising the operation of justice systems or processes.

Timeframes

The initiatives on pages 8-11 are intended to drive change in priority areas and will be progressed in line with the following timeframes which commence upon endorsement of the MAG Work Plan:

- short term (1 year)
- medium term (2-3 years)
- long term (4-5 years).

These timeframes provide jurisdictions with sufficient flexibility to progress relevant initiatives in ways that work best for the unique characteristics of each criminal justice system, while also ensuring there is accountability for the delivery and outcomes of the MAG Work Plan.

PRIORITY 1:

LEGAL FRAMEWORKS

1.1 Criminal laws: Review the criminal offences and legal definitions (including consent) relating to sexual offending in the context of the unique characteristics of each jurisdiction's legislative framework and criminal justice system and, if necessary, consider progressing and implementing appropriate reforms.

Short to medium term

In recent years, jurisdictions across Australia have passed significant reforms to ensure their criminal law frameworks reflect the gravity and complex nature of sexual offending, and the impacts on victim-survivors. This includes reforms to implement key recommendations from parliamentary inquiries, law reform commission reviews, and the Royal Commission into Institutional Responses to Child Sexual Abuse's (the Royal Commission) *Criminal Justice Report.*¹⁴

Where not already settled, jurisdictions will review relevant criminal offences and legal definitions, such as those relating to consent, to enable the Australian Government, states and territories to ensure criminal offences and legal definitions are appropriate and reflect community expectations.

1.2 Evidence admissibility: Consider existing reforms that facilitate greater admissibility of tendency and coincidence evidence in child sexual abuse matters, and consider whether additional reforms should apply to sexual offence proceedings involving adult victim-survivors.

Medium to long term

Previously, a Council of Attorneys-General led Working Group recommended reforms to the tendency and coincidence rules in criminal proceedings relating to child sexual offences, in response to recommendations made by the Royal Commission to facilitate greater admissibility of these forms of evidence across all jurisdictions.

Jurisdictions will consider reforms regarding the admissibility of tendency and coincidence evidence (or propensity and similar fact evidence), and the potential extension of these reforms to sexual offences involving adult victim-survivors.

1.3 Procedural protections: Examine legislative protections for vulnerable witnesses giving evidence in criminal proceedings, and consider extending, if necessary, eligibility for those that are not currently accessible to victim-survivors of sexual offences.

Medium term

ii The predecessor to MAG, which last met in July 2020.



Procedural protections broadly refer to procedural measures capable of minimising harm, including trauma or intimidation, for witnesses when they give evidence as part of the court process. Examples of current legislative protections available to victim-survivors in sexual assault proceedings include the prohibition of direct cross-examination of a victim by an unrepresented accused, and the ability to give evidence via an audio-visual link or use screens to avoid seeing the accused in the courtroom.

Jurisdictions will examine legislative protections available to those who are considered to be a vulnerable witness in law, and consider extending eligibility for these protections to victim-survivors of sexual assault who may not otherwise be eligible.

PRIORITY 2: JUSTICE SYSTEM PRACTICES, CAPABILITIES, AND SUPPORTS

2.1 Justice sector education: Develop a national approach to education and training to foster an informed, shared understanding among judicial officers, legal and justice sector professionals of the common myths and misconceptions about sexual assault.

Medium to long term

Building a national shared understanding of sexual assault and consent within the justice sector will improve the capability of the criminal justice system to respond to sexual offending, including by making victim-survivors feel safer and more supported when engaging in the criminal justice process, regardless of different legal frameworks.

2.2 Legal advice and support: Assess victim-survivors' understanding of, and access to, legal assistance and resources, including specialised legal services. Further consider the merits of independent victim-survivor advocates and other existing models of support operating domestically and internationally.

Medium to long term

Access to legal assistance and specialised advice can provide victim-survivors, particularly those who face heightened barriers to justice, with greater support and a more comprehensive understanding of their legal options, protections and entitlements, placing them in a stronger position to engage with the criminal justice system.

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Jurisdictions will assess victim-survivors' access to legal assistance and resources, including through specialised legal services, and consider the merits of independent and specialist legal assistance.

2.3 Practical support and accessibility: Review opportunities to provide tailored and accessible supports to victim-survivor witnesses who require communication assistance or other non-legal services, including witness intermediary schemes, interpretation and translation services, or assistance animals.

Medium term

Certain victim-survivors may face additional barriers to justice and be at a heightened risk of experiencing compound trauma when engaging with the criminal justice system. For example, First Nations women face barriers to reporting their experiences of family violence, including fearing the threat of child removal, homelessness and potential isolation from their family and community. Inclusive practical supports can address some of the barriers faced by victim-survivors, and improve their access to, and experience of, the criminal justice system.

Jurisdictions will review available practical supports and their accessibility, and consider introducing or enhancing supports where necessary.

2.4 Courthouse infrastructure and facilities: Consider how to improve access to, and the operation of, audio visual link technologies, court support resources, specialist court facilities, and other available capabilities.

Medium term

Research shows that courthouse technology and facilities have provided benefits in supporting at risk and vulnerable witnesses to engage with criminal justice systems. For example, the use of technologies in courthouses can provide the opportunity for victim-survivors to provide evidence to court proceedings without being in the same room as the accused. This can reduce the risk of re traumatisation and improve the experiences of victim-survivors.¹⁶

Jurisdictions will consider how to improve access to, and the operation of, audio visual link technologies, court support resources, specialist court facilities, and other available facilities to improve the capability of the court system to support witnesses giving evidence in sexual assault trials.



PRIORITY 3: RESEARCH AND COLLABORATION

3.1 Shared evidence base: Strengthen national datasets, share research and learnings (including via the National Working Group on Criminal Justice Responses to Sexual Assault), and commission academic research where needed to build a shared evidence base that informs best practice policy development, implementation, and evaluation. This could include exploring restorative justice practices and alternative reporting mechanisms for sexual offending, including those which can be initiated at multiple points throughout the justice process and those outside the criminal justice system.

Ongoing

Data and research are crucial to understanding the prevalence of sexual assault, evaluating the efficacy of responses and interventions, and informing future initiatives to improve criminal justice systems.

Jurisdictions will work to build a more comprehensive shared evidence base and improve our understanding of sexual assault (including technology facilitated sexual assault), as well as the diverse needs and lived experiences of victim-survivors. Jurisdictions will also explore evidence and research on new programs, practices and measures that may strengthen criminal justice responses to sexual assault.

3.2 Coordinated reporting: Coordinated and collective annual reporting on relevant actions advanced by jurisdictions, either collectively or individually, to provide MAG and the public with greater visibility of efforts across Australia.

Ongoing

Coordinated reporting is important to monitoring outcomes across the three priorities.

Jurisdictions will provide annual environmental scan progress reports to MAG to facilitate discussion of current approaches in criminal justice responses to sexual assault. These reports will be published online to provide transparency and accountability. A final report will be publicly released at the conclusion of the MAG Work Plan, to provide visibility of national progress made and the trajectory of future initiatives. These reports are discussed below in the *Monitoring and reporting* section.

Working Group on Criminal Justice Responses to Sexual Assault

Following the 9 June 2021 MAG, a Working Group comprising Australian Government, state and territory justice officials was formed to advance the development of the MAG Work Plan. The Australian Attorney-General's Department chairs, and provides secretariat support for, the Working Group.

The Working Group will have operational and administrative responsibility for the MAG Work Plan. In particular, it will monitor and consider whether any changes are required based on, for example, changing environmental circumstances and priorities. MAG agreement will be sought where changes to the Work Plan are required.

The Working Group will meet quarterly to support the ongoing administration of the MAG Work Plan and to share ideas, expertise and resources. The Working Group will invite relevant experts and stakeholders to Working Group meetings as necessary to inform initiatives under the Work Plan, including other agencies with responsibility for responses to sexual violence.

Monitoring and reporting

The **MAG Work Plan** has been formally endorsed by all Attorneys-General in Australia and will operate over a five-year period.

The secretariat, with Working Group support, will deliver an annual progress report to MAG, comprising an overview of key activities and progress against initiatives outlined in the Work Plan and accompanied by an environmental scan of related activities. The annual progress report and accompanying environmental scan will also be published online to provide visibility of progress made and the trajectory of future initiatives to the Australian community.

Advice will separately be provided to MAG where the Working Group has identified a need to adjust the parameters of the Work Plan, or to make significant changes to the delivery or prioritisation of initiatives.

A final report at the conclusion of the 5 years will be publicly released outlining whether the Work Plan has met its objectives and delivered on the identified initiatives. This will be led by the Australian Government Secretariat in consultation with states and territories through the Working Group.

Individual jurisdictions will also be responsible for reporting on the delivery of Work Plan initiatives directly to their respective Attorneys-General and governments.

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Closing the gap: Aboriginal adults contacts with the Justice system



April 2018 to March 2023

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| Court appearances | <u>1a</u> <u>1b</u> | Number and rate of Aboriginal adults appearing in court by Statistical Area of residence when charged Number Aboriginal adults appearing in court by Local Government Area of residence when charged |
| Custody | <u>2a</u> <u>2b</u> | Number and rate of Aboriginal adults in custody by Statistical Area of residence prior to entering custody Number of Aboriginal adults in custody by Local Government Area of residence prior to entering custody |

For further information about these and related statistics, contact the NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics on 02 8346 1100 or email bcsr@justice.nsw.gov.au

Table 1a. Number and rate[^] of Aboriginal adults appearing in court by Statistical Area^{^^} of residence when charged

| | April 2018 | April 2019 | April 2020 | April 2021 | April 2022 | April 2022 to March | | Aboriginal |
|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| Statistical Area | to March | 2023 Rate per | Ratio to NSW | population aged |
| | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 100,000 | Aboriginal rate* | 18+ years |
| Capital Region | 830 | 967 | 978 | 944 | 1068 | 19351.3 | 0.8 | 5519 |
| Central Coast | 1309 | 1204 | 1178 | 1254 | 1373 | 15570.4 | 0.7 | 8818 |
| Central West | 1705 | 1668 | 1804 | 1715 | 1970 | 20835.5 | 0.9 | 9455 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton | 923 | 879 | 906 | 827 | 1079 | 20726.1 | 0.9 | 5206 |
| Far West and Orana | 2994 | 3206 | 3087 | 3140 | 3445 | 23681.9 | 1.0 | 14547 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 1409 | 1379 | 1385 | 1311 | 1492 | 14485.4 | 0.6 | 10300 |
| Illawarra | 1150 | 1087 | 1133 | 1027 | 1497 | 25620.4 | 1.1 | 5843 |
| Mid North Coast | 1784 | 1858 | 1909 | 1872 | 2137 | 23047.9 | 1.0 | 9272 |
| Murray | 561 | 543 | 656 | 633 | 763 | 28290.7 | 1.2 | 2697 |
| New England and North West | 2330 | 2282 | 2476 | 2567 | 2706 | 20462.8 | 0.9 | 13224 |
| Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | 1322 | 1334 | 1323 | 1297 | 1486 | 15158.6 | 0.6 | 9803 |
| Richmond - Tweed | 1193 | 1183 | 1184 | 1059 | 1367 | 19207.5 | 0.8 | 7117 |
| Riverina | 1279 | 1511 | 1634 | 1496 | 1486 | 25207.8 | 1.1 | 5895 |
| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 649 | 710 | 714 | 732 | 870 | 18999.8 | 0.8 | 4579 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbur | 92 | 73 | 90 | 75 | 99 | 7819.9 | 0.3 | 1266 |
| Sydney - Blacktown | 1801 | 1785 | 1839 | 1998 | 2535 | 38166.2 | 1.6 | 6642 |
| Sydney - City and Inner South | 1818 | 2076 | 2097 | 1948 | 2187 | 50660.2 | 2.1 | 4317 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 425 | 529 | 551 | 547 | 643 | 26074.6 | 1.1 | 2466 |
| Sydney - Inner South West | 648 | 702 | 663 | 771 | 889 | 29205.0 | 1.2 | 3044 |
| Sydney - Inner West | 315 | 365 | 399 | 396 | 486 | 28157.6 | 1.2 | 1726 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | 103 | 101 | 106 | 125 | 135 | 14392.3 | 0.6 | 938 |
| Sydney - Northern Beaches | 119 | 118 | 120 | 98 | 117 | 10493.3 | 0.4 | 1115 |
| Sydney - Outer South West | 1001 | 952 | 902 | 909 | 1148 | 18997.2 | 0.8 | 6043 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountain | 1160 | 1086 | 1166 | 1153 | 1551 | 19467.8 | 0.8 | 7967 |
| Sydney - Parramatta | 749 | 749 | 837 | 965 | 1141 | 40346.5 | 1.7 | 2828 |
| Sydney - Ryde | 59 | 66 | 75 | 83 | 104 | 21355.2 | 0.9 | 487 |
| Sydney - South West | 833 | 943 | 1009 | 1054 | 1177 | 35580.4 | 1.5 | 3308 |
| Sydney - Sutherland | 206 | 208 | 206 | 212 | 230 | 13142.9 | 0.6 | 1750 |
| Unknown | 1158 | 1205 | 1216 | 1310 | 1474 | na | na | na |
| Interstate/overseas | 388 | 361 | 366 | 278 | 319 | na | na | na |
| Total Aboriginal Adults | 30313 | 31130 | 32009 | 31796 | 36974 | 23675.2 | 1.0 | 156172 |
| Total NSW Adults | 132885 | 128143 | 120304 | 121719 | 141099 | 2349.4 | 0.1 | 6005630 |

[^] Rates require use of population estimates that are based on ABS Estimated Resident Population (ERP) by Indigenous Status (a) by Sex by Age Groups, as at 30 Jun 2016 - Statistical Area 4 ASGS 2016, Australia

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^{^^}Statistical Areas are as defined by the Australian Bureau of Statistics

^{**&#}x27;The Ratio to NSW Aboriginal rate' is a comparison of the rate of Aboriginal people appearing in court per population in a region versus the average rate of Aboriginal people appearing in court in NSW. A ratio of one indicates parity with the NSW Aboriginal custody rate. A ratio of two or more indicates that Aboriginal people in that region are twice as likely to be in custody as other Aboriginal people in NSW. Rates above the NSW Aboriginal average are highlighted in red, whilst rates below the NSW Aboriginal rate are highlighted in green.

Table 1b. Number of Aboriginal adults appearing in court by Local Government Area of residence when charged

| Statistical Area | LGA | April 2018 to March 2019 | April 2019 to March 2020 | April 2020 to March 2021 | April 2021 to March 2022 | April 2022 to March 2023 |
|--|--|---|--|--|---|---|
| Capital Region Capital Region | Bega Valley Eurobodalla | 107 307 | 138 330 | 146 365 | 128 348 | 156 395 |
| Capital Region Capital Region | Goulburn Mulwaree Hilltops | 136 81 | 175 72 | 156 83 | 147 81 | 159 72 |
| Capital Region Capital Region | Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Snowy Monaro Regional** | 140 37 | 183 40 | 154 33 | 160 46 | 222 28 |
| Capital Region Capital Region | Upper Lachlan Shire Yass Valley** | 5 16 | 8 21 | 7 33 | 4 30 | 7 29 |
| Capital Region Central Coast | Total: Capital Region Central Coast | 829 1309 | 967 | 977 1178 | 944 1254 | 1068 |
| Central Coast Central West | Total: Central Coast Bathurst Regional | 1309 354 | 1204 | 1178 386 | 1254 | 1373 416 |
| Central West Central West | Bland** Blayney | 15 26 | 21 22 | 20 22 | 19 24 | 27 19 |
| Central West Central West | Cabonne** Cowra | 28 128 | 31 113 | 31 138 | 22 150 | 29 151 |
| Central West Central West | Forbes Lachlan** | 120 108 | 121 135 | 132 139 | 131 107 | 134 115 |
| Central West | Lithgow | 152 | 128 | 178 | 161 | 181 |
| Central West Central West | Mid-Western Regional** Oberon** | 140 9 | 123 15 | 112 21 | 110 22 | 133 23 |
| Central West Central West | Orange Parkes | 480 159 | 478 183 | 478 147 | 430 181 | 571 178 |
| Central West Central West | Weddin Total: Central West | 6 1725 | 7 1681 | 10 1814 | 7 1711 | 8 1985 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton Coffs Harbour - Grafton | Bellingen** Clarence Valley** | 39 383 | 36 384 | 45 373 | 44 320 | 44 485 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton Coffs Harbour - Grafton | Coffs Harbour Total: Coffs Harbour - Grafton | 501 923 | 459 879 | 488 906 | 463 827 | 550 1079 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Bogan Bourke | 51 276 | 71 252 | 62 243 | 54 234 | 70 272 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Brewarrina Broken Hill | 133 308 | 162 277 | 175 273 | 136 351 | 145 370 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Central Darling Cobar | 134 67 | 129 40 | 123 53 | 171 60 | 147 67 |
| Far West and Orana | Coonamble | 220 | 265 | 268 | 191 | 205 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Dubbo Regional** Gilgandra | 964 107 | 1217 131 | 1111 102 | 1171 117 | 1330 144 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Narromine Unincorporated Far West | 127 1 | 150 3 | 143 3 | 140 2 | 157 0 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Walgett Warren | 365 74 | 299 79 | 335 79 | 320 69 | 343 79 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Warrumbungle Shire** Total: Far West and Orana | 145 2972 | 117 3192 | 107 3077 | 128 3144 | 101 3430 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | Cessnock Dungog | 353 15 | 312 20 | 361 11 | 317 15 | 377 15 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | Maitland** Muswellbrook | 369 188 | 414 161 | 370 176 | 341 165 | 471 178 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | Port Stephens** Singleton** | 344 156 | 346 136 | 333 126 | 310 144 | 329 122 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | Upper Hunter Shire | 36 | 31 | 42 | 41 | 39 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Illawarra | Total: Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Kiama** | 1461 15 | 7 | 7 | 1333 | 27 |
| llawarra Ilawarra | Shellharbour Wollongong | 302 833 | 294 786 | 285 840 | 243 764 | 342 1126 |
| Illawarra Mid North Coast | Total: Illawarra Kempsey | 1150 568 | 1087 590 | 1132 602 | 1026 566 | 1495 690 |
| Mid North Coast Mid North Coast | Mid-Coast** Nambucca Valley** | 782 192 | 754 184 | 726 239 | 723 238 | 769 248 |
| Mid North Coast Mid North Coast Mid North Coast | Port Macquarie-Hastings Total: Mid North Coast | 268 1810 | 342 1870 | 350 1917 | 353 1880 | 443 2150 |
| Murray | Albury | 313 | 290 | 387 | 388 7 | 458 |
| Murray Murray | Balranald Berrigan | 11 6 | 10 5 | 13 2 | 7 10 | 16 20 |
| Murray Murray | Edward River Federation** | 55 15 | 51 24 | 75 30 | 52 20 | 77 12 |
| Murray Murray | Greater Hume Shire** Hay | 9 15 | 15 11 | 16 9 | 14 30 | 9 27 |
| Murray Murray | Murray River Wentworth | 14 121 | 17 114 | 31 91 | 7 104 | 18 123 |
| Murray New England and North West | Total: Murray Armidale Regional** | 559 252 | 537 274 | 654 302 | 632 316 | 760 276 |
| New England and North West New England and North West New England and North West | Glen Innes Severn Gunnedah | 92 157 | 99 139 | 107 161 | 135 173 | 136 185 |
| New England and North West | Gwydir Inverell | 32 | 11 247 | 30 231 | 29 248 | 22 286 |
| New England and North West New England and North West | Liverpool Plains** | 218 60 | 57 | 66 | 71 | 77 |
| New England and North West New England and North West | Moree Plains Narrabri | 550 206 | 406 202 | 471 208 | 579 168 | 557 209 |
| New England and North West New England and North West | Tamworth Regional Tenterfield | 668 71 | 748 68 | 783 81 | 733 71 | 848 71 |
| New England and North West New England and North West | Uralla Walcha | 13 11 | 18 14 | 18 19 | 21 24 | 21 18 |
| New England and North West Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | Total: New England and North West Lake Macquarie** | 2330 607 | 2283 614 | 2477 590 | 2568 619 | 2706 721 |
| Newcastle and Lake Macquarie Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | Newcastle Total: Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | 639 1246 | 667 1281 | 690 1280 | 647 1266 | 713 1434 |
| Richmond - Tweed Richmond - Tweed | Ballina Byron | 184 57 | 155 70 | 139 65 | 161 60 | 221 76 |
| Richmond - Tweed | Kyogle | 60 | 61 | 64 | 41 | 66 |
| Richmond - Tweed Richmond - Tweed | Lismore Richmond Valley** | 351 263 | 374 250 | 350 284 | 297 226 | 352 328 |
| Richmond - Tweed Richmond - Tweed | Tweed Total: Richmond - Tweed | 278 1193 | 273 1183 | 282 1184 | 274 1059 | 324 1367 |
| Riverina Riverina | Carrathool** Coolamon | 11 10 | 17 15 | 15 14 | 21 8 | 24 12 |
| Riverina Riverina | Cootamundra-Gundagai Griffith | 47 258 | 64 279 | 49 329 | 50 230 | 51 271 |
| Riverina Riverina | Junee Leeton | 39 137 | 49 142 | 55 131 | 40 162 | 52 137 |
| Riverina | Lockhart** | 7 | 5 | 11 | 7 | 10 |
| Riverina Riverina | Murrumbidgee** Narrandera | 38 98 | 44 108 | 40 128 | 29 135 | 21 107 |
| Riverina Riverina | Snowy Valleys** Temora | 61 15 | 78 19 | 71 18 | 83 17 | 77 16 |
| Riverina Riverina | Wagga Wagga Total: Riverina | 560 1281 | 697 1517 | 775 1636 | 715 1497 | 711 1489 |
| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Shoalhaven** Wingecarribee** | 579 71 | 641 69 | 638 78 | 627 106 | 792 80 |
| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | Total: Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven Hawkesbury** | 650 199 | 710 | 716 | 733 | 872 205 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills and The Hills Shire | The Hills Shire** | 39 | 43 | 46 | 38 | 41 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury Sydney - Blacktown Sydney - Blacktown | Total: Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury Blacktown Total: Sydney - Blacktown | 238 1800 | 190 1785 | 1838 1838 | 194 1997 | 246 2531 |
| Sydney - Blacktown Sydney - City and Inner South | Total: Sydney - Blacktown Sydney** | 1800 1437 | 1785 1655 | 1838 1649 | 1997 1585 | 2531 1725 |
| Sydney - City and Inner South Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | Total: Sydney - City and Inner South Randwick** | 1437 356 | 1655 449 | 1649 467 | 1585 482 | 1725 544 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | Waverley Woollahra | 53 13 | 56 16 | 72 5 | 52 6 | 71 20 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Sydney - Inner South West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** | 422 276 | 521 292 | 544 283 | 540 312 | 635 |
| Sydney - Inner South West | Canterbury-Bankstown** | 454 | 492 | 497 | 534 | 623 |
| Sydney - Inner South West Sydney - Inner South West Sydney - Inner West | Georges River Total: Inner South West | 112 842 | 125 909 | 119 899 | 149 995 | 152 1142 |
| Sydney - Inner West Sydney - Inner West | Burwood Canada Bay | 32 38 | 20 41 | 26 30 | 36 36 | 45 66 |
| Sydney - Inner West Sydney - Inner West | Inner West** Strathfield** | 445 24 | 536 30 | 571 24 | 490 30 | 574 54 |
| Sydney - Inner West Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Total: Inner West Hornsby** | 539 42 | 627 61 | 651 53 | 592 69 | 739 73 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove | 11 7 | 2 | 11 6 | 2 20 | 12 14 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Mosman | , 3 37 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 3 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | North Sydney Willoughby Tatala Sydney - North Sydney and Hamaky | 37 13 | 18 13 | 25 14 | 15 25 | 18 21 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Sydney - Northern Beaches | Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches | 113 119 | 108 118 | 114 120 | 135 98 | 141 117 |
| Sydney - Northern Beaches Sydney - Outer South West | Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** | 119 94 | 118 114 | 120 82 | 98 84 | 117 115 |
| Sydney - Outer South West Sydney - Outer South West | Campbelltown** Wollondilly** | 854 76 | 816 61 | 778 67 | 789 67 | 985 86 |
| Sydney - Outer South West Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** | 1024 | 991 | 927 | 940 | 1186 115 |
| , -, una biac ividuntanis | Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | 872 1000 | 866 961 | 936 1026 | 932 1021 | 1279 1394 |
| | Cumberland** | 295 | 307 | 314 | 359 | 478 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Sydney - Parramatta | | 373 | 371 678 | 434 748 | 502 861 | 557 1035 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta | Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta | 668 | | | | |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Ryde | Parramatta** | | 8 53 | 15 50 | 16 55 | 17 81 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde | Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill | 668 8 | 8 | 15 | | |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde Sydney - South West Sydney - South West | Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill Ryde** Total: Sydney - Ryde Fairfield** Liverpool** | 8 46 54 302 564 | 8 53 61 306 634 | 15 50 65 349 700 | 55 71 371 720 | 81 98 428 794 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde Sydney - South West Sydney - South West Sydney - South West Sydney - South West | Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill Ryde** Total: Sydney - Ryde Fairfield** Liverpool** Total: Sydney - South West Sutherland Shire** | 8 46 54 302 564 866 207 | 8 53 61 306 634 940 209 | 15 50 65 349 700 1049 208 | 55 71 371 720 1091 214 | 81 98 428 794 1222 231 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde Sydney - South West Sydney - South West Sydney - South West Sydney - Sutherland Sydney - Sutherland NA | Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill Ryde** Total: Sydney - Ryde Fairfield** Liverpool** Total: Sydney - South West Sutherland Shire** Total: Sydney - Sutherland Interstate/overseas | 668 8 46 54 302 564 866 207 207 | 8 53 61 306 634 940 209 209 361 | 15 50 65 349 700 1049 208 208 366 | 55 71 371 720 1091 214 214 278 | 81 98 428 794 1222 231 231 319 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Parramatta Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde Sydney - Ryde Sydney - South West Sydney - South West Sydney - South West Sydney - Sutherland Sydney - Sutherland NA NA NA Total | Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill Ryde** Total: Sydney - Ryde Fairfield** Liverpool** Total: Sydney - South West Sutherland Shire** Total: Sydney - Sutherland | 8 46 54 302 564 866 207 | 8 53 61 306 634 940 209 209 | 15 50 65 349 700 1049 208 208 | 55 71 371 720 1091 214 214 | 81 98 428 794 1222 231 231 |

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** These LGAs span across two or more statistical areas. They are listed under the Statistical Area which contains the largest area of each LGA. As some LGAs cross SA4 boundaries and due to the estimated undercount of Aboriginal persons in Census data (see above note) it is recommended to use Tables 1 and 3 for SA4 rates rather than the Statistical Area totals here.

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Table 2a(i). Number and rate of Aboriginal adults in custody by Statistical Area of residence prior to entering custody

| | | | | | | Mar-23 | Ratio to NSW | Aboriginal |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|----------|-------------------|----------------|
| Statistical Area | Mar-19 | Mar-20 | Mar-21 | Mar-22 | Mar-23 | Rate per | Aboriginal | population |
| | | | | | | 100,000 | rate* | aged 18+ years |
| Capital Region | 79 | 98 | 88 | 81 | 80 | 1449.5 | 0.6 | 5519 |
| Central Coast | 134 | 138 | 141 | 170 | 152 | 1723.7 | 0.7 | 8818 |
| Central West | 175 | 177 | 193 | 175 | 183 | 1935.5 | 0.8 | 9455 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton | 106 | 112 | 87 | 121 | 117 | 2247.4 | 0.9 | 5206 |
| Far West and Orana | 348 | 319 | 287 | 298 | 293 | 2014.2 | 0.8 | 14547 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 140 | 145 | 176 | 175 | 161 | 1563.1 | 0.7 | 10300 |
| Illawarra | 141 | 135 | 135 | 128 | 136 | 2327.6 | 1.0 | 5843 |
| Mid North Coast | 214 | 225 | 175 | 184 | 196 | 2113.9 | 0.9 | 9272 |
| Murray | 60 | 76 | 76 | 91 | 83 | 3077.5 | 1.3 | 2697 |
| New England and North West | 283 | 286 | 290 | 274 | 257 | 1943.4 | 0.8 | 13224 |
| Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | 198 | 198 | 227 | 215 | 214 | 2183.0 | 0.9 | 9803 |
| Richmond - Tweed | 127 | 131 | 115 | 126 | 131 | 1840.7 | 0.8 | 7117 |
| Riverina | 162 | 158 | 177 | 165 | 190 | 3223.1 | 1.4 | 5895 |
| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 79 | 84 | 75 | 82 | 83 | 1812.6 | 0.8 | 4579 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | 9 | 9 | 13 | 11 | 10 | 789.9 | 0.3 | 1266 |
| Sydney - Blacktown | 261 | 251 | 231 | 208 | 233 | 3508.0 | 1.5 | 6642 |
| Sydney - City and Inner South | 228 | 235 | 200 | 234 | 228 | 5281.4 | 2.2 | 4317 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 74 | 71 | 67 | 66 | 71 | 2879.2 | 1.2 | 2466 |
| Sydney - Inner South West | 65 | 62 | 66 | 56 | 63 | 2069.6 | 0.9 | 3044 |
| Sydney - Inner West | 41 | 38 | 32 | 52 | 46 | 2665.1 | 1.1 | 1726 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | 8 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 746.3 | 0.3 | 938 |
| Sydney - Northern Beaches | 10 | 11 | 13 | 9 | 12 | 1076.2 | 0.5 | 1115 |
| Sydney - Outer South West | 111 | 114 | 119 | 99 | 117 | 1936.1 | 0.8 | 6043 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | 104 | 121 | 103 | 117 | 122 | 1531.3 | 0.6 | 7967 |
| Sydney - Parramatta | 120 | 126 | 126 | 147 | 118 | 4172.6 | 1.8 | 2828 |
| Sydney - Ryde | 6 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 1232.0 | 0.5 | 487 |
| Sydney - South West | 89 | 96 | 100 | 105 | 114 | 3446.2 | 1.5 | 3308 |
| Sydney - Sutherland | 21 | 18 | 19 | 21 | 16 | 914.3 | 0.4 | 1750 |
| Interstate/overseas | 34 | 46 | 30 | 30 | 41 | na | na | na |
| Unknown | 65 | 67 | 177 | 51 | 229 | na | na | na |
| Aboriginal adult custody population | 3492 | 3561 | 3552 | 3503 | 3709 | 2374.9 | 1.0 | 156172 |
| Total NSW adult custody population | 13466 | 13525 | 13063 | 12352 | 12555 | 209.1 | 0.1 | 6005630 |

[^] Population estimates based on ABS Estimated Resident Population (ERP) by Indigenous Status (a) by Sex by Age Groups, as at 30 Jun 2016 - Statistical Area 4 ASGS 2016, Australia

people in that region are twice as likely to be in custody as other Aboriginal people in NSW. Rates above the NSW Aboriginal average are highlighted in red,

Table 2a(ii). Quarterly number of Aboriginal adults in custody by Statistical Area of residence prior to entering custody

| Statistical Area | 2019/Mar 2 | 019/Jun 2 | 019/Sep 2 | 019/Dec 2 | 020/Mar 2 | 020/Jun 2020/Se | p 2020/De | c 2 | 2021/Mar 2 | 021/Jun 2 | 021/Sep 2 | 021/Dec 2 | 022/Mar 2 | 022/Jun 2 | 022/Sep 2 | 022/Dec 2 | 023/Mar |
|--|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|-------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| Capital Region | 79 | 83 | 84 | 87 | 98 | 85 | 93 | 88 | 88 | 88 | 91 | 75 | 81 | 74 | 76 | 75 | 80 |
| Central Coast | 134 | 130 | 130 | 123 | 138 | 131 | 146 | 141 | 141 | 166 | 164 | 151 | 170 | 163 | 153 | 146 | 152 |
| Central West | 175 | 177 | 181 | 180 | 177 | 196 | 184 | 189 | 193 | 182 | 175 | 172 | 175 | 179 | 181 | 160 | 183 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton | 106 | 115 | 128 | 122 | 112 | 103 | 102 | 93 | 87 | 84 | 108 | 111 | 121 | 121 | 122 | 119 | 117 |
| Far West and Orana | 348 | 348 | 344 | 319 | 319 | 300 | 318 | 291 | 287 | 303 | 286 | 268 | 298 | 289 | 291 | 286 | 293 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 140 | 139 | 141 | 146 | 145 | 124 | 148 | 154 | 176 | 194 | 177 | 171 | 175 | 183 | 179 | 159 | 161 |
| Illawarra | 141 | 140 | 143 | 141 | 135 | 137 | 132 | 119 | 135 | 134 | 129 | 129 | 128 | 137 | 145 | 148 | 136 |
| Mid North Coast | 214 | 198 | 203 | 240 | 225 | 179 | 172 | 175 | 175 | 192 | 180 | 182 | 184 | 198 | 198 | 181 | 196 |
| Murray | 60 | 61 | 55 | 63 | 76 | 65 | 79 | 77 | 76 | 79 | 70 | 85 | 91 | 102 | 94 | 94 | 83 |
| New England and North West | 283 | 291 | 299 | 295 | 286 | 263 | 239 | 242 | 290 | 287 | 272 | 252 | 274 | 298 | 304 | 256 | 257 |
| Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | 198 | 209 | 223 | 216 | 198 | 188 | 194 | 199 | 227 | 227 | 243 | 228 | 215 | 219 | 231 | 210 | 214 |
| Richmond - Tweed | 127 | 146 | 143 | 139 | 131 | 114 | 108 | 115 | 115 | 113 | 113 | 116 | 126 | 132 | 112 | 116 | 131 |
| Riverina | 162 | 153 | 161 | 168 | 158 | 143 | 156 | 182 | 177 | 186 | 180 | 176 | 165 | 179 | 179 | 191 | 190 |
| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 79 | 72 | 86 | 78 | 84 | 74 | 81 | 76 | 75 | 78 | 69 | 64 | 82 | 83 | 84 | 77 | 83 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | 9 | 9 | 7 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 12 | 11 | 13 | 13 | 12 | 9 | 11 | 8 | 12 | 10 | 10 |
| Sydney - Blacktown | 261 | 237 | 237 | 242 | 251 | 226 | 220 | 217 | 231 | 240 | 233 | 223 | 208 | 224 | 223 | 222 | 233 |
| Sydney - City and Inner South | 228 | 232 | 244 | 238 | 235 | 223 | 203 | 224 | 200 | 191 | 208 | 223 | 234 | 248 | 222 | 216 | 228 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 74 | 73 | 77 | 69 | 71 | 67 | 68 | 66 | 67 | 58 | 59 | 60 | 66 | 72 | 71 | 73 | 71 |
| Sydney - Inner South West | 65 | 63 | 65 | 71 | 62 | 65 | 64 | 69 | 66 | 58 | 56 | 59 | 56 | 62 | 69 | 69 | 63 |
| Sydney - Inner West | 41 | 40 | 32 | 32 | 38 | 33 | 34 | 36 | 32 | 34 | 43 | 44 | 52 | 52 | 51 | 46 | 46 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | 8 | 10 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 11 | 7 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 5 | 10 | 7 |
| Sydney - Northern Beaches | 10 | 10 | 12 | 9 | 11 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 14 | 12 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 15 | 15 | 12 |
| Sydney - Outer South West | 111 | 121 | 113 | 110 | 114 | 102 | 98 | 122 | 119 | 119 | 91 | 101 | 99 | 93 | 111 | 112 | 117 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | 104 | 91 | 90 | 109 | 121 | 111 | 111 | 102 | 103 | 106 | 108 | 103 | 117 | 117 | 126 | 115 | 122 |
| Sydney - Parramatta | 120 | 121 | 125 | 119 | 126 | 118 | 117 | 114 | 126 | 118 | 114 | 122 | 147 | 134 | 116 | 117 | 118 |
| Sydney - Ryde | 6 | 7 | 6 | 9 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 8 | 8 | 6 |
| Sydney - South West | 89 | 83 | 87 | 96 | 96 | 88 | 83 | 99 | 100 | 98 | 90 | 91 | 105 | 97 | 95 | 106 | 114 |
| Sydney - Sutherland | 21 | 22 | 19 | 17 | 18 | 21 | 15 | 19 | 19 | 25 | 20 | 23 | 21 | 15 | 18 | 19 | 16 |
| Interstate/overseas | 34 | 38 | 38 | 47 | 46 | 36 | 35 | 39 | 30 | 34 | 34 | 33 | 30 | 38 | 37 | 40 | 41 |
| Unknown | 65 | 62 | 57 | 63 | 67 | 77 | 96 | 123 | 177 | 198 | 119 | 104 | 51 | 88 | 149 | 186 | 229 |
| Aboriginal adult custody population | 3492 | 3481 | 3537 | 3563 | 3561 | 3309 | 3336 | 3411 | 3552 | 3639 | 3471 | 3400 | 3503 | 3632 | 3677 | 3582 | 3709 |
| Total NSW adult custody population | 13466 | 13403 | 13522 | 13635 | 13525 | 12703 | 12701 | 12766 | 13063 | 13066 | 12254 | 12168 | 12352 | 12336 | 12452 | 12247 | 12555 |

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Aboriginal people in custody in NSW. A ratio of one indicates parity with the NSW Aboriginal custody rate. A ratio of two or more indicates that Aboriginal

| Statistical Area Capital Region | LGA Bega Valley | 2019/M ar 2 | 2 020/Mar | 2021/Mar 2 | 022/Mar 2 | 023/Ma |
|--|---|--------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Capital Region Capital Region | Eurobodalla Goulburn Mulwaree | 20 15 | 35 12 | 28 14 | 23 16 | 25 14 |
| Capital Region Capital Region | Hilltops Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional | 5 19 | 5 25 | 7 17 | 7 20 | 12 16 |
| Capital Region Capital Region | Snowy Monaro Regional** Upper Lachlan Shire | 4 2 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| apital Region apital Region | Yass Valley** Total: Capital Region | 1 80 | 3 98 | 3 88 | 2 81 | 0 80 |
| entral Coast entral Coast | Central Coast Total: Central Coast | 134 134 | 138 138 | 141 141 | 170 170 | 152 152 |
| entral West entral West | Bathurst Regional Bland** | 42 0 | 43 4 | 48 1 | 54 1 | 52 0 |
| entral West entral West | Blayney Cabonne** | 3 9 | 2 5 | 4 9 | 3 | 3 7 |
| entral West entral West | Cowra Forbes | 9 18 | 8 9 | 7 10 | 13 6 | 9 |
| entral West entral West | Lachlan** Lithgow | 13 11 | 15 10 | 17 11 | 12 13 | 11 |
| entral West entral West | Mid-Western Regional** Oberon** | 11 1 | 12 3 | 9 | 8 | 10 1 |
| entral West entral West | Orange Parkes Wooddin | 43 14 | 50 16 | 61 16 | 53 8 | 54 18 |
| entral West entral West | Weddin Total: Central West | 0 174 | 0 177 | 0 193 | 0 175 | 182 |
| offs Harbour - Grafton offs Harbour - Grafton offs Harbour - Grafton | Bellingen** Clarence Valley** Coffs Harbour | 5 46 55 | 4 50 58 | 3 46 38 | 2 64 55 | 56 57 |
| offs Harbour - Grafton ar West and Orana | Total: Coffs Harbour - Grafton Bogan | 106 5 | 112 7 | 87 7 | 121 7 | 117 7 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Bourke Brewarrina | 36 18 | 32 18 | 33 11 | 17 14 | 24 15 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Broken Hill Central Darling | 29 21 | 22 13 | 20 10 | 34 14 | 26 12 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Cobar Coonamble | 4 | 4 21 | 4 16 | 3 18 | 18 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Dubbo Regional** Gilgandra | 159 10 | 136 10 | 135 6 | 139 7 | 137 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Narromine Unincorporated NSW** | 13 | 18 5 | 14 1 | 16 0 | 9 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Walgett Warren | 22 | 25 2 | 22 | 18 4 | 21 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Warrumbungle Shire** Total: Far West and Orana | 7 348 | 6 319 | 7 287 | 7 298 | 11 29 4 |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle | Cessnock Dungog | 48 48 | 48 | 63 2 | 298 56 4 | 294 46 |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle | Dungog Maitland** Muswellbrook | 4 36 11 | 3 33 15 | 46 16 | 4 47 13 | 43 20 |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle | Port Stephens ** | 11 25 8 | 15 30 10 | 32 | 13 39 15 | 20 36 13 |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle | Singleton** Upper Hunter Shire Total: Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 8 4 136 | 10 5 144 | 16 2 177 | 15 3 177 | 13 2 162 |
| awarra | Kiama** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | C |
| awarra awarra awarra | Shellharbour Wollongong Total: Illawarra | 38 103 141 | 29 106 135 | 34 101 135 | 28 100 128 | 34 102 136 |
| awarra Iid North Coast Iid North Coast | Total: Illawarra Kempsey Mid-Coast** | 141 80 95 | 80 95 | 135 58 81 | 128 66 84 | 136 52 |
| lid North Coast lid North Coast lid North Coast | Nambucca Valley** | 95 18 28 | 95 26 30 | 81 15 27 | 84 13 24 | 92 19 |
| lid North Coast | Port Macquarie-Hastings Total: Mid North Coast Albury | 28 221 34 | 30 231 46 | 27 181 41 | 24 187 60 | 34 197 58 |
| lurray lurray lurray | Albury Balranald Berrigan | 34 1 0 | 46 1 1 | 41 1 0 | 60 0 0 | 58 1 |
| urray | Edward River Federation** | 5 | 4 | 7 | 9 | 7 |
| urray urray urray | Greater Hume Shire** | 2 2 2 | 2 | 2 6 3 | 1 4 | 2 |
| urray urray | Hay Murray River Wentworth | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 4 |
| urray urray | Total: Murray | 13 61 | 12 77 | 14 77 | 15 92 | 84 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Armidale Regional** Glen Innes Severn | 36 15 | 33 10 | 47 9 | 35 9 | 38 13 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Gunnedah Gwydir | 13 2 | 14 2 | 21 4 | 24 2 | 20 3 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Inverell Liverpool Plains** Moree Plains | 29 8 65 | 30 6 | 24 8 | 21 4 76 | 27 5 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Narrabri | 22 | 68 20 | 78 12 | 19 | 55 16 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Tamworth Regional Tenterfield | 82 5 | 94 6 | 78 5 | 79 3 | 76 4 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Uralla Walcha Total: Now England and North West | 3 3 | 1 2 | 2 | 3 0 275 | 259 |
| ew England and North West ewcastle and Lake Macquarie ewcastle and Lake Macquarie | Total: New England and North West Lake Macquarie** Newcastle | 283 82 113 | 286 81 112 | 290 86 134 | 90 120 | 258 87 124 |
| ewcastle and Lake Macquarie chmond - Tweed | Total: Newcastle and Lake Macquarie Ballina | 113 195 | 193 24 | 220 17 | 210 25 | 211 16 |
| chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed | Byron Kyogle | 2 15 | 3 | 3 | 4 11 | 5 |
| chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed | Lismore Richmond Valley** | 41 20 | 35 29 | 38 20 | 37 23 | 41 31 |
| chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed | Tweed Total: Richmond - Tweed | 32 127 | 31 131 | 31 115 | 25 125 | 31 131 |
| verina Verina | Carrathool** Coolamon | 1 0 | 2 2 | 1 1 | 0 1 | 0 |
| verina verina verina | Cootamon Cootamundra-Gundagai Griffith | 4 32 | 4 34 | 3 37 | 3 36 | 5 35 |
| verina verina verina | Junee Leeton | 5 7 | 6 19 | 8 13 | 7 13 | 10 16 |
| verina verina verina | Lockhart** Murrumbidgee** | , 0 1 | 0 2 | 2 | 13 1 0 | 3 |
| verina verina verina | Narrandera Snowy Valleys** | 16 7 | 11 7 | 10 6 | 10 9 | 12 10 |
| verina verina verina | Temora Wagga Wagga | , 3 85 | 2 68 | 4 91 | 3 81 | 3 92 |
| verina verina uthern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Wagga Wagga Total: Riverina Shoalhaven** | 73 | 157 79 | 176 72 | 164 77 | 92 189 77 |
| uthern Highlands and Shoalhaven uthern Highlands and Shoalhaven uthern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Snoalnaven** Wingecarribee** Total: Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 73 7 80 | 79 5 84 | 72 3 75 | 77 5 82 | 77 6 83 |
| dney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury dney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | Hawkesbury** The Hills Shire** | 18 0 | 17 2 | 18 4 | 13 8 | 19 5 |
| dney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury dney - Blacktown | Total: Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury Blacktown | | 19 251 | 22 231 | 21 208 | 24 233 |
| dney - Blacktown dney - City and Inner South | Total: Sydney - Blacktown Sydney** | 261 261 176 | 251 251 185 | 231 231 159 | 208 208 178 | 233 233 161 |
| dney - City and Inner South dney - Eastern Suburbs | Total: Sydney - City and Inner South Randwick** | 176 1 76 67 | 185 64 | 159 159 61 | 178 178 | 161 161 |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs | Waverley Woollahra | 6 1 | 7 | 5 1 | 7 0 | 5 |
| rdney - Eastern Suburbs rdney - Inner South West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** | 74 | 72 | 67 27 | 66 | 71 |
| dney - Inner South West dney - Inner South West | Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River | 45 11 | 44 13 | 46 12 | 42 9 | 48 13 |
| dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West | Total: Inner South West Burwood | 91 2 | 85 1 | 85 | 79 5 | 100 |
| dney - Inner West | Canada Bay Inner West** | 4 | 6 60 | 8 46 | 7 76 | 9 |
| rdney - Inner West rdney - Inner West r dney - Inner West | Strathfield** Total: Inner West | 62 1 69 | 1 68 | 46 1 58 | 76 1 89 | 65 1 81 |
| dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Horns by** Ku-ring-gai | 1 2 | 2 1 | 3 1 | 3 0 | 3 3 |
| dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Lane Cove Mosman | 0 | 0 | 1 1 0 | 1 0 | 1 |
| raney - North Sydney and Hornsby rdney - North Sydney and Hornsby rdney - North Sydney and Hornsby | North Sydney Willoughby | 2 | 2 | 1 2 | 0 0 2 | 0 |
| rdney - North Sydney and Hornsby rdney - North Sydney and Hornsby rdney - Northern Beaches | Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches | 8 10 | 6 11 | 2 8 13 | 6 | 1 7 12 |
| dney - Northern Beaches dney - Outer South West | Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** | 10 10 7 | 11 11 7 | 13 13 7 | 9 9 9 | 12 12 |
| dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West | Campbelltown** Wollondilly** | 93 14 | 100 11 | 104 11 | 88 6 | 102 |
| dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West dney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains ** | 14 114 4 | 118 118 | 11 122 5 | 103 8 | 123 |
| dney - Outer West and Blue Mountains dney - Outer West and Blue Mountains dney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | 90 94 | 102 110 | 89 94 | 98 106 | 95 107 |
| dney - Parramatta | Cumberland** Parramatta** | 30 | 36 | 34 | 43 | 35 |
| rdney - Parramatta r <mark>dney - Parramatta</mark> rdney - Ryde | Total: Sydney - Parramatta | 87 117 | 84 120 | 83 117 | 96 139 | 75 110 |
| rdney - Ryde rdney - Ryde rdney - Ryde | Hunters Hill Ryde** Total: Sydney - Pyde | 1 3 | 1 5 | 2 3 | 1 3 | 5 5 |
| rdney - Ryde rdney - South West | Total: Sydney - Ryde Fairfield** Liverpool** | 4 34 | 6 36 | 43 60 | 45 63 | 39 74 |
| rdney - South West | Liverpool ** Total: Sydney - South West Sutherland Shire** | 55 89 | 61 97 | 60 103 | 63 108 | 74 113 |
| vdney - Sutherland vdney - Sutherland | Sutherland Shire** Total: Sydney - Sutherland Interstate/overseas | 21 21 | 18 18 | 19 19 | 21 21 | 16 16 |
| A | Interstate/overseas | 34 | 46 | 30 | 30 | 41 |
| A A A | Unknown Total: NA | 65 99 | 67 113 | 177 207 | 51 81 | 229 27 0 |

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** These LGAs span across two or more statistical areas. They are listed under the Statistical Area which contains the largest area of each LGA. As some LGAs cross SA4 boundaries and due to the estimated undercount of Aboriginal persons in Census data (see above note) it is recommended to use Tables 1 and 3 for SA4 rates rather than the Statistical Area totals here.

| atistical Area apital Region apital Region apital Region | Bega Valley Eurobodalla Goulburn Mulwaree | 2 019/Mar 20 14 20 15 | 13 31 14 | 13 36 | 11 29 | 14 35 12 | 12 34 | 14 35 13 | 11 35 10 | 14 28 14 | 12 29 14 | 12 36 | 10 27 | 9 23 16 | 2022/Jun 20 7 22 13 | 7 21 | 5 26 12 | 23,10 |
|---|--|---------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------|
| pital Region pital Region | Hilltops | 15 5 | 14 5 | 10 3 | 10 4 | 5 | 10 4 | 6 | 10 5 | 7 | 14 6 | 15 7 | 14 4 | 16 7 | 13 9 | 15 10 | 12 11 | |
| pital Region pital Region | Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Snowy Monaro Regional** Upper Lachlan Shire | 19 4 | 15 4 | 4 | 24 5 | 25 3 | 20 4 | 18 4 | 4 | 17 4 | 18 4 | 14 3 | 15 3 | 3 | 19 2 | 3 | 3 | |
| oital Region pital Region pital Region | Yass Valley** | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | |
| oital Region Itral Coast | Total: Capital Region Central Coast | 134 134 | 130 130 | 130 | 123 123 | 98 138 | 131 131 | 94 146 | 141 141 | 141 141 | 166 166 | 91 164 | 75 151 | 170 | 74 163 | 76 153 | 75 146 | 1 |
| ntral Coast ntral West | Total: Central Coast Bathurst Regional | 134 42 | 41 | 41 | 47 | 43 | 46 | 42 | 141 49 | 48 | 43 | 164 49 | 48 | 170 54 | 163 57 | 153 58 | 47 | 1 |
| itral West itral West | Bland** Blayney | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3 | |
| tral West tral West | Cabonne** Cowra | 9 | 7 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 13 | 11 | 17 7 | 11 | |
| tral West tral West | Forbes Lachlan** | 13 | 8 | 15 | 12 11 | 15 10 | 16 | 11 16 | 15 | 17 | 8 15 | 10 16 | 10 | 12 | 11 | 14 | 13 | |
| ntral West ntral West | Lithgow Mid-Western Regional** | 11 11 | 13 11 | 14 9 | 10 11 | 10 12 | 9 13 | 9 11 | 14 12 | 11 9 | 13 8 | 14 7 | 9 7 | 13 8 | 12 6 | 10 6 | 9 7 | |
| ntral West ntral West | Oberon** Orange | 1 43 | 2 54 | 2 52 | 2 53 | 3 50 | 2 56 | 1 62 | 0 62 | 0 61 | 0 67 | 0 52 | 0 59 | 0 53 | 0 55 | 0 44 | 0 39 | |
| ntral West ntral West | Parkes Weddin | 14 0 | 13 0 | 15 0 | 14 0 | 16 0 | 18 0 | 12 0 | 13 0 | 16 0 | 13 0 | 14 0 | 14 0 | 8 0 | 11 0 | 13 0 | 15 0 | |
| ntral West ffs Harbour - Grafton | Total: Central West Bellingen** | 174 5 | 177 4 | 181 4 | 180 4 | 177 4 | 195 6 | 184 | 189 | 193 | 182 | 175 5 | 172 | 175 2 | 179 1 | 181 | 160 4 | 1 |
| offs Harbour - Grafton offs Harbour - Grafton | Clarence Valley** Coffs Harbour | 46 55 | 58 53 | 55 69 | 52 66 | 50 58 | 49 48 | 50 49 | 43 47 | 46 38 | 46 36 | 53 50 | 58 50 | 64 55 | 63 57 | 66 54 | 63 52 | |
| ffs Harbour - Grafton r West and Orana | Total: Coffs Harbour - Grafton Bogan | 106 5 | 115 4 | 128 5 | 122 9 | 112 7 | 103 | 102 | 93 7 | 87 | 84 7 | 108 7 | 111 5 | 121 7 | 121 7 | 122 | 119 4 | 1 |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Bourke Brewarrina | 36 18 | 37 16 | 41 20 | 36 17 | 32 18 | 30 14 | 33 12 | 30 10 | 33 11 | 34 14 | 26 12 | 23 11 | 17 14 | 23 15 | 22 14 | 24 14 | |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Broken Hill Central Darling | 29 21 | 27 13 | 27 16 | 19 15 | 22 13 | 24 11 | 34 12 | 25 12 | 20 10 | 20 11 | 20 13 | 22 14 | 34 14 | 26 13 | 22 14 | 26 14 | |
| West and Orana West and Orana | Cobar Coonamble | 4 17 | 6 15 | 5 17 | 2 16 | 4 21 | 3 17 | 2 20 | 3 19 | 4 16 | 4 24 | 3 18 | 3 12 | 3 18 | 3 11 | 2 12 | 1 15 | |
| West and Orana West and Orana | Dubbo Regional** Gilgandra | 159 10 | 171 10 | 153 13 | 146 7 | 136 10 | 141 6 | 138 6 | 131 5 | 135 6 | 127 6 | 131 4 | 129 4 | 139 7 | 137 5 | 139 7 | 133 5 | 1 |
| West and Orana West and Orana | Narromine Unincorporated NSW** | 13 4 | 16 4 | 13 3 | 16 3 | 18 5 | 16 5 | 20 4 | 13 3 | 14 1 | 14 1 | 14 1 | 14 1 | 16 0 | 18 3 | 14 3 | 11 2 | |
| West and Orana West and Orana | Walgett Warren | 22 | 22 | 19 5 | 22 | 25 2 | 24 | 22 | 26 1 | 22 | 32 | 28 | 21 | 18 | 19 3 | 25 4 | 24 | |
| West and Orana | Warrumbungle Shire** | 7 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 9 | |
| Mest and Orana nter Valley exc Newcastle | Total: Far West and Orana Cessnock | 48 | 348 50 | 344 51 | 319 50 | 319 48 | 300 | 317 55 | 291 55 | 287 63 | 303 | 286 56 | 268 53 | 298 56 | 289 58 | 291 56 | 286 49 | |
| nter Valley exc Newcastle nter Valley exc Newcastle | Dungog Maitland** | 36 | 3 30 | 2 32 | 2 35 | 3 33 | 1 39 | 1 42 | 4 34 | 2 46 | 1 53 | 2 48 | 3 53 | 4 47 | 2 47 | 3 49 | 3 44 | |
| nter Valley exc Newcastle nter Valley exc Newcastle | Muswellbrook Port Stephens** | 11 25 | 12 25 | 10 29 | 11 29 | 15 30 | 12 23 | 14 26 | 18 27 | 16 32 | 15 37 | 20 28 | 17 32 | 13 39 | 18 43 | 19 39 | 15 35 | |
| nter Valley exc Newcastle nter Valley exc Newcastle | Singleton** Upper Hunter Shire | 8 4 | 11 3 | 12 2 | 11 3 | 10 5 | 7 | 10 1 | 12 2 | 16 2 | 16 3 | 16 4 | 11 2 | 15 3 | 12 2 | 10 3 | 11 2 | |
| nter Valley exc Newcastle warra | Total: Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Kiama** | 136 | 134 0 | 138 | 141 0 | 144 0 | 123 | 149 0 | 152 | 177 | 194 0 | 174 0 | 171 | 177 0 | 182 0 | 179 | 159 0 | : |
| warra warra | Shellharbour Wollongong | 38 103 | 34 106 | 39 104 | 32 109 | 29 106 | 31 105 | 34 98 | 28 91 | 34 101 | 35 99 | 34 95 | 32 97 | 28 100 | 37 100 | 30 114 | 31 117 | 1 |
| warra d North Coast | Total: Illawarra Kempsey | 141 80 | 140 74 | 143 74 | 141 86 | 135 80 | 137 58 | 132 61 | 119 66 | 135 58 | 134 70 | 129 60 | 129 57 | 128 66 | 137 64 | 145 59 | 148 47 | 1 |
| d North Coast d North Coast | Mid-Coast** Nambucca Valley** | 95 18 | 91 11 | 89 12 | 104 26 | 95 26 | 76 22 | 69 15 | 73 11 | 81 15 | 85 12 | 81 12 | 77 17 | 84 13 | 89 14 | 95 15 | 87 17 | |
| d North Coast d North Coast | Port Macquarie-Hastings Total: Mid North Coast | 28 221 | 29 205 | 34 209 | 30 246 | 30 231 | 27 183 | 30 175 | 30 180 | 27 181 | 31 198 | 34 187 | 34 185 | 24 187 | 35 202 | 31 200 | 32 183 | 1 |
| rray rray | Albury Balranald | 34 1 | 34 | 31 0 | 37 1 | 46 1 | 36 1 | 43 1 | 39 2 | 41 | 47 1 | 48 | 59 0 | 60 0 | 66 0 | 54 1 | 60 | |
| ırray ırray | Berrigan Edward River | 0 5 | 0 4 | 0 | 0 6 | 1 4 | 0 3 | 1 5 | 0 8 | 0 7 | 1 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 13 | 0 13 | 0 10 | |
| irray irray | Federation** Greater Hume Shire** | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | |
| rray | Нау | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | |
| rray rray | Murray River Wentworth | 13 | 11 62 | 11 | 10 | 12 | 13 | 15 | 16 70 | 14 | 11 | 6 | 12 | 15 | 1 15 | 17 | 13 | |
| w England and North West | Total: Murray Armidale Regional** | 61 36 | 62 46 | 56 47 | 42 | 77 33 | 65 29 | 79 30 | 78 39 | 77 47 | 80 51 | 71 38 | 86 33 | 92 35 | 103 43 | 95 41 | 95 37 | |
| v England and North West v England and North West | Glen Innes Severn Gunnedah | 15 13 | 14 16 | 14 15 | 14 16 | 10 14 | 11 16 | 11 13 | 7 14 | 9 21 | 9 21 | 7 19 | 8 22 | 24 | 10 21 | 11 19 | 12 14 | |
| v England and North West v England and North West | Gwydir Inverell | 2 29 | 2 24 | 1 26 | 2 29 | 2 30 | 2 25 | 2 32 | 2 24 | 4 24 | 4 26 | 5 25 | 4 30 | 2 21 | 3 31 | 3 38 | 2 18 | |
| v England and North West v England and North West | Liverpool Plains** Moree Plains | 8 65 | 7 67 | 6 78 | 6 74 | 6 68 | 6 67 | 7 61 | 7 66 | 8 78 | 5 65 | 6 71 | 4 61 | 4 76 | 2 75 | 5 73 | 4 61 | |
| w England and North West w England and North West | Narrabri Tamworth Regional | 22 82 | 17 87 | 19 86 | 15 90 | 20 94 | 17 85 | 10 65 | 9 69 | 12 78 | 13 84 | 17 77 | 18 68 | 19 79 | 19 89 | 25 82 | 19 83 | |
| w England and North West w England and North West | Tenterfield Uralla | 5 3 | 4 2 | 4 1 | 3 1 | 6 1 | 1 1 | 2 | 1 2 | 5 2 | 6 2 | 4 2 | 3 2 | 3 | 3 2 | 3 2 | 2 1 | |
| w England and North West w England and North West | Walcha Total: New England and North West | 3 283 | 5 291 | 2 299 | 3 295 | 2 286 | 3 263 | 3 239 | 2 242 | 2 290 | 1 287 | 1 272 | 0 253 | 0 275 | 1 299 | 2 304 | 3 256 | 2 |
| wcastle and Lake Macquarie wcastle and Lake Macquarie | Lake Macquarie** Newcastle | 82 113 | 82 125 | 92 128 | 90 125 | 81 112 | 73 112 | 75 115 | 78 118 | 86 134 | 92 129 | 100 139 | 100 125 | 90 120 | 98 118 | 103 126 | 93 115 | 1 |
| wcastle and Lake Macquarie | Total: Newcastle and Lake Macquarie Ballina | 195 | 207 | 220 | 215 | 193 | 185 | 190 16 | 196 14 | 220 | 221 | 239 | 225 | 210 | 216 | 229 | 208 | 2 |
| chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed | Byron Kyogle | 2 | 1 22 | 0 16 | 2 13 | 3 | 0 10 | 1 1 10 | 3 11 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 11 | 4 | 8 | 4 | 2 | |
| chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed | Lismore Richmond Valley** | 41 | 43 | 42 | 41 | 35 29 | 30 27 | 30 22 | 34 | 38 20 | 34 | 38 | 34 | 37 23 | 42 21 | 34 | 34 | |
| hmond - Tweed | Tweed | 20 32 | 21 36 | 32 28 | 25 31 | 31 | 31 | 29 | 18 35 | 31 | 18 27 | 18 25 | 19 28 | 25 | 29 | 19 30 | 35 116 | |
| nmond - Tweed erina | Total: Richmond - Tweed Carrathool ** | 127 1 | 146 1 | 143 1 | 139 1 | 2 | 114 | 108 1 | 0 | 115 1 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 125 | 131 | 2 2 | 116 1 | 1 |
| erina erina | Coolamon Cootamundra-Gundagai | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | |
| erina erina | Griffith Junee | 32 5 | 26 4 | 31 5 | 37 5 | 34 6 | 31 5 | 35 6 | 40 7 | 37 8 | 41 7 | 39 6 | 41 8 | 36 7 | 39 6 | 43 7 | 41 9 | |
| erina erina | Leeton Lockhart** | 7 0 | 12 0 | 12 0 | 19 0 | 19 0 | 12 2 | 12 2 | 18 1 | 13 2 | 12 3 | 13 2 | 12 2 | 13 1 | 14 1 | 13 1 | 15 2 | |
| erina erina | Murrumbidgee** Narrandera | 1 16 | 2 19 | 1 19 | 2 16 | 2 11 | 2 6 | 1 10 | 0 15 | 0 10 | 1 15 | 1 15 | 1 12 | 0 10 | 1 7 | 1 11 | 1 12 | |
| erina erina | Snowy Valleys** Temora | 7 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 7 2 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 6 4 | 5 7 | 7 | 5 3 | 9 | 7 3 | 5 2 | 8 2 | |
| erina erina | Wagga Wagga Total: Riverina | 85 161 | 75 152 | 80 160 | 74 167 | 68 157 | 73 143 | 77 156 | 88 181 | 91 176 | 85 185 | 82 179 | 85 175 | 81 164 | 94 178 | 88 178 | 94 190 | 1 |
| thern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Shoalhaven** Wingecarribee** | 73 | 67 | 82 | 75 | 79 | 69 | 74 | 71 | 72 | 76 | 66 | 60 | 77 | 79 | 81 | 73 | |
| thern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Total: Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 80 | 73 | 86 | 78 | 84 | 74 | 81 | 76 | 75 | 78 | 69 | 64 | 82 13 | 83 13 | 84 | 77 | |
| ney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury ney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury ney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | Hawkesbury** The Hills Shire** Total: Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | 18 0 18 | 18 0 18 | 16 0 16 | 19 2 21 | 17 2 19 | 18 5 23 | 18 4 22 | 17 4 21 | 18 4 22 | 19 4 23 | 18 4 22 | 14 5 19 | 13 8 21 | 12 5 17 | 19 5 24 | 17 5 22 | |
| ney - Bauknam Hills and Hawkesbury ney - Blacktown ney - Blacktown | Blacktown Total: Sydney - Blacktown | 261 261 | 237 237 | 237 237 | 242 242 | 251 251 | 226 226 | 220 220 | 217 217 217 | 231 231 | 240 240 | 233 233 | 223 223 | 208 208 | 224 224 | 223 223 | 222 222 | : |
| ney - City and Inner South | Sydney** | 176 | 184 | 189 | 181 | 185 | 176 | 162 | 180 | 159 | 150 | 162 | 177 | 178 | 190 | 163 | 159 | |
| ney - City and Inner South ney - Eastern Suburbs | Total: Sydney - City and Inner South Randwick** Waverley | 176 67 | 184 66 | 189 69 | 181 63 | 185 64 | 61 61 | 162 63 | 63 2 | 159 61 | 54 4 | 162 52 | 177 54 | 178 59 | 190 65 | 163 63 | 159 65 | : |
| ney - Eastern Suburbs ney - Eastern Suburbs | Waverley Woollahra Total: Sydney Fastern Suburba | 6 1 | 6 1 | 7 2 | 0 | 7 1 | 0 | 6 0 | 3 1 | 1 | 4 1 | 6 1 | 6 0 | 7 | 7 1 | 7 1 | 6 1 | |
| ney - Eastern Suburbs ney - Inner South West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** | 74 35 | 73 | 78 34 | 69 32 | 72 28 | 67 32 | 69 29 | 67 27 | 67 27 | 59 22 | 59 24 | 27 | 28 | 73 36 | 71 34 | 72 31 | |
| ney - Inner South West ney - Inner South West | Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River | 45 11 | 41 16 | 42 18 | 48 18 | 44 13 | 41 14 | 41 14 | 49 10 | 46 12 | 45 7 | 47 6 | 45 7 | 42 9 | 43 11 | 52 13 | 54 13 | |
| ney - Inner South West ney - Inner West | Total: Inner South West Burwood | 91 2 | 90 | 94 1 | 98 0 | 85 | 87 | 84 4 | 86 3 | 85 | 74 2 | 77 | 79 4 | 79 5 | 90 4 | 99 3 | 98 4 | |
| ney - Inner West ney - Inner West | Canada Bay Inner West** | 4 62 | 6 57 | 3 55 | 4 62 | 6 60 | 4 53 | 8 42 | 8 53 | 8 46 | 6 53 | 6 61 | 8 59 | 7 76 | 6 75 | 8 73 | 8 69 | |
| ney - Inner West ney - Inner West | Strathfield** Total: Inner West | 1 69 | 1 65 | 3 62 | 2 68 | 1 68 | 2 60 | 3 57 | 1 65 | 1 58 | 1 62 | 2 72 | 2 73 | 1 89 | 2 87 | 2 86 | 2 83 | |
| ney - North Sydney and Hornsby ney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai | 1 2 | 1 2 | 1 1 | 1 1 | 2 1 | 3 | 3 1 | 4 1 | 3 | 5 1 | 4 | 5 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 4 | |
| ney - North Sydney and Hornsby ney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Lane Cove Mosman | 0 | 0 | 0 0 | 0 | 0 1 | 0 0 | 0 | 0 0 | 1 0 | 2 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 0 | 0 | 2 1 | |
| ney - North Sydney and Hornsby ney - North Sydney and Hornsby ney - North Sydney and Hornsby | North Sydney Willoughby | 2 | 4 | 3 | 1 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 1 | 1 2 | 1 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 4 | 0 | 0 | |
| ney - North Sydney and Hornsby ney - Northern Beaches | Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches | 8 | 10 10 | 7 12 | 5 | 6 11 | 8 | 8 14 | 7 | 8 | 11 14 | 7 12 | 9 9 | 6 9 | 10 12 | 5 15 | 10 15 | |
| ney - Northern Beaches ney - Outer South West | Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** | 10 10 7 | 10 10 8 | 12 12 5 | 9 | 11 11 7 | 13 13 8 | 14 14 8 | 14 14 8 | 13 13 | 14 14 10 | 12 12 12 | 8 | 9 9 9 | 12 12 7 | 15 15 7 | 15 15 11 | |
| ney - Outer South West | Campbel I town ** | 7 93 14 | 102 | 5 100 11 | 5 96 12 | 100 | 88 | 83 | 109 | 104 | 10 106 | 12 79 | 9 90 7 | 9 88 | 7 85 | 7 101 7 | 11 100 7 | |
| ney - Outer South West ney - Outer South West | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West | 14 114 | 15 125 | 11 116 | 12 113 | 11 118 | 10 106 | 11 102 | 11 128 | 11 122 | 9 125 | 7 98 | 7 106 | 6 103 | 96 0 | 7 115 | 7 118 | |
| ney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | Blue Mountains** Penrith** | 4 90 | 4 77 | 5 75 | 6 91 | 8 102 | 9 90 | 8 92 | 5 86 | 5 89 | 6 89 | 7 89 | 6 85 | 8 98 | 9 99 | 12 101 | 13 88 | - |
| ney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ney - Parramatta | Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** | 94 30 | 81 37 | 80 40 | 97 32 | 110 36 | 99 33 | 100 | 91 26 | 94 34 | 95 28 | 96 27 | 91 30 | 106 43 | 108 37 | 113 34 | 101 35 | |
| ney - Parramatta ney - Parramatta | Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta | 87 117 | 79 116 | 79 119 | 80 112 | 84 120 | 80 113 | 78 111 | 81 107 | 83 117 | 84 112 | 80 107 | 86 116 | 96 139 | 87 124 | 74 108 | 69 104 | |
| ney - Ryde ney - Ryde | Hunters Hill Ryde** | 1 2 | 0 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 5 | 1 4 | 1 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 5 | 1 2 | 0 3 | 1 5 | 2 | |
| ney - Ryde | Total: Sydney - Ryde Fairfield** | 3 4 34 | 5 20 | 4 4 | 7 | 6 | 5 2F | 3 4 | 7 //1 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 7 | |
| Iney - South West Iney - South West | Liverpool** | 55 | 28 54 | 33 55 | 39 58 | 36 61 | 35 55 | 36 49 | 41 58 | 43 60 | 29 68 | 29 60 | 38 55 | 45 63 | 38 62 | 34 62 | 42 66 | |
| dney - South West | Total: Sydney - South West Sutherland Shire** | 89 21 | 82 22 | 88 19 | 97 17 | 97 18 | 90 21 | 85 15 | 99 19 | 103 19 | 97 25 | 89 20 | 93 23 | 108 21 | 100 15 | 96 18 | 108 19 | : |
| dney - Sutherland | Takalı Cooları (C. el., 1997) | | | | 47 | 10 | 21 | 15 | 19 | 10 | 25 | 20 | 22 | | | | 19 | |
| Iney - Sutherland Iney - Sutherland | Total: Sydney - Sutherland Interstate/overseas Unknown | 21 34 65 | 38 62 | 19 38 57 | 47 63 | 18 46 67 | 36 77 | 35 96 | 39 123 | 30 177 | 25 34 198 | 20 34 119 | 33 104 | 30 51 | 15 38 88 | 18 37 149 | 40 186 | |

** These LGAs span across two or more statistical areas. They are listed under the Statistical Area which contains the largest area of each LGA. As some LGAs cross SA4 boundaries and due to the estimated undercount of Aboriginal persons in Census data (see above note) it is recommended to use Tables 1 and 3 for SA4 rates rather than the Statistical Area totals here. Source NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research ref sr23-22620

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| tatistical Area | LGA | Apr 2018 - Mar 2019 | Apr 2019 - Mar 2020 | Apr 2020 - | Apr 2021 - | • |
|--|---|--|--|--|---|-----|
| apital Region | Bega Valley | Mar 2019 | Mar 2020 20 | Mar 2021 | Mar 2022 7 | Mar |
| apital Region apital Region | Eurobodalla Goulburn Mulwaree | 59 15 | 23 5 | 44 8 | 36 16 | |
| apital Region apital Region | Hilltops Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional | 11 22 | 35 20 | 15 17 | 16 14 | |
| apital Region apital Region | Snowy Monaro Regional** Upper Lachlan Shire | 2 | 4 0 | 1 0 | 0 | |
| apital Region | Yass Valley** | 4 | 3 | 0 | 1 | |
| apital Region entral Coast | Total: Capital Region Central Coast | 130 53 | 110 74 | 95 57 | 90 77 | |
| entral Coast entral West | Total: Central Coast Bathurst Regional | 53 | 74 34 | 57 | 77 20 | |
| entral West | Bland** | 6 | 5 | 6 | 5 | |
| entral West entral West | Blayney Cabonne** | 0 | 4 1 | 0 | 4 | |
| entral West entral West | Cowra Forbes | 12 16 | 9 12 | 7 17 | 7 8 | |
| entral West | Lachlan** | 35 | 25 | 30 | 41 | |
| entral West entral West | Lithgow Mid-Western Regional** | 2 5 | 4 5 | 3 9 | 8 7 | |
| entral West entral West | Oberon** | 0 55 | 1 87 | 0 54 | 0 116 | |
| entral West | Orange Parkes | 15 | 17 | 13 | 116 | |
| entral West entral West | Weddin Total: Central West | 0 186 | 0 204 | 0 173 | 0 230 | |
| offs Harbour - Grafton offs Harbour - Grafton | Bellingen** Clarence Valley** | 7 47 | 2 37 | 5 38 | 1 37 | |
| offs Harbour - Grafton | Coffs Harbour | 71 | 66 | 46 | 65 | |
| offs Harbour - Grafton r West and Orana | Total: Coffs Harbour - Grafton Bogan | 125 | 105 | 89 | 103 | |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Bourke Brewarrina | 44 16 | 39 14 | 58 18 | 39 11 | |
| r West and Orana | Broken Hill | 18 | 10 | 18 | 22 | |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Central Darling Cobar | 23 13 | 20 2 | 14 16 | 14 8 | |
| r West and Orana | Coonamble | 29 | 23 | 38 | 46 | |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Dubbo Regional** Gilgandra | 138 10 | 120 8 | 119 7 | 103 8 | |
| r West and Orana | Narromine | 8 | 10 | 13 | 10 | |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Unincorporated Far West Walgett | 0 36 | 0 77 | 0 44 | 0 63 | |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Warren Warrumbungle Shire** | 2 11 | 5 27 | 7 10 | 4 9 | |
| r West and Orana | Total: Far West and Orana | 350 | 355 | 368 | 341 | |
| inter Valley exc Newcastle inter Valley exc Newcastle | Cessnock Dungog | 9 0 | 12 0 | 16 1 | 12 1 | |
| inter Valley exc Newcastle | Maitland** | 56 | 75 | 42 | 53 | |
| inter Valley exc Newcastle inter Valley exc Newcastle | Muswellbrook Port Stephens** | 10 12 | 22 37 | 16 29 | 19 20 | |
| inter Valley exc Newcastle | Singleton** | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | |
| inter Valley exc Newcastle inter Valley exc Newcastle | Upper Hunter Shire Total: Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 1 99 | 4 162 | 4 121 | 1 120 | |
| awarra | Kiama** | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | |
| awarra awarra | Shellharbour Wollongong | 16 61 | 46 46 | 30 43 | 47 49 | |
| awarra | Total: Illawarra | 78 | 94 | 74 | 97 | |
| id North Coast id North Coast | Kempsey Mid-Coast** | 43 109 | 54 115 | 41 81 | 132 95 | |
| id North Coast id North Coast | Nambucca Valley** | 47 | 25 | 27 | 29 | |
| id North Coast | Port Macquarie-Hastings Total: Mid North Coast | 31 230 | 36 230 | 58 207 | 55 311 | |
| urray urray | Albury Balranald | 26 1 | 29 0 | 33 4 | 28 0 | |
| urray | Berrigan | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | |
| urray urray | Edward River Federation** | 3 | 8 1 | 16 1 | 9 | |
| urray | Greater Hume Shire** | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | |
| urray urray | Hay Murray River | 1 | 4 2 | 0 | 5 1 | |
| urray | Wentworth Total: Murray | 12 53 | 16 | 12 66 | 17 62 | |
| urray w England and North West | Total: Murray Armidale Regional** | 54 | 63 | 66 41 | 58 | |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Glen Innes Severn Gunnedah | 24 31 | 21 31 | 14 34 | 16 29 | |
| ew England and North West | Gwydir | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Inverell Liverpool Plains** | 60 16 | 32 5 | 30 4 | 50 8 | |
| ew England and North West | Moree Plains | 87 | 85 | 89 | 206 | |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Narrabri Tamworth Regional | 13 65 | 29 79 | 26 100 | 32 129 | |
| ew England and North West | Tenterfield | 24 | 10 | 14 | 34 | |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Uralla Walcha | 2 | 4 5 | 13 3 | 7 1 | |
| ew England and North West | Total: New England and North West | 383 | 363 | 369 | 571 | |
| ewcastle and Lake Macquarie ewcastle and Lake Macquarie | Lake Macquarie** Newcastle | 62 35 | 56 72 | 96 65 | 101 93 | |
| ewcastle and Lake Macquarie chmond - Tweed | Total: Newcastle and Lake Macquarie Ballina | 97 12 | 128 | 161 23 | 194 | |
| chmond - Tweed | Byron | 3 | 4 | 5 | 0 | |
| chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed | Kyogle Lismore | 4 31 | 3 40 | 2 29 | 7 29 | |
| chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed | Richmond Valley** | 39 | 48 | 28 35 | 57 | |
| chmond - Tweed | Tweed Total: Richmond - Tweed | 33 122 | 24 136 | 122 | 20 119 | |
| verina verina | Carrathool** Coolamon | 0 | 0 1 | 1 | 0 | |
| verina | Cootamundra-Gundagai | 4 | 2 | 4 | 12 | |
| verina verina | Griffith Junee | 16 1 | 47 4 | 42 3 | 17 7 | |
| verina | Leeton | 2 | 6 | 7 | 4 | |
| verina verina | Lockhart** Murrumbidgee** | 0 | 2 13 | 3 17 | 3 | |
| verina | Narrandera | 19 | 18 | 16 | 16 | |
| verina verina | Snowy Valleys** Temora | 8 | 5 3 | 7 6 | 6 1 | |
| verina verina | Wagga Wagga Total: Riverina | 63 122 | 76 177 | 107 214 | 105 176 | |
| outhern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Shoalhaven** | 122 72 | 53 | 62 | 82 | |
| outhern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Wingecarribee** Total: Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 1 73 | 9 62 | 3 65 | 5 87 | |
| dney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | Hawkesbury** | 3 | 8 | 11 | 19 | |
| rdney - Baulkham Hills and The Hills Shire rdney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | The Hills Shire** Total: Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | 5 8 | 1 9 | 2 13 | 3 22 | |
| dney - Blacktown | Blacktown | 83 | 99 | 89 | 103 | |
| dney - Blacktown dney - City and Inner South | Total: Sydney - Blacktown Sydney** | 83 50 | 99 50 | 89 42 | 103 48 | |
| rdney - City and Inner South rdney - Eastern Suburbs | Total: Sydney - City and Inner South Randwick** | 50 21 | 50 | 42 37 | 48 15 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs | Waverley | / 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | |
| • | Woollahra | 1 | | 0 | 1 17 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 1 0 22 | 0 13 | 38 | -/ | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** | 1 0 22 9 | 0 13 11 | 38 14 | 15 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner South West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 1 0 22 | 0 13 | 38 | | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 | 14 14 1 1 29 | 15 16 6 37 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - Inner West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 | 38 14 14 1 29 1 0 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - Inner West dney - Inner West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 | 38 14 14 1 29 | 15 16 6 37 2 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 2 34 1 39 | 38 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 | 38 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 | 38 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 | 38 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Mosman North Sydney Willoughby | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 2 2 2 | 38 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 0 0 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Mosman North Sydney Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 2 2 5 10 | 38 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 0 0 0 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 0 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - Northern Beaches | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Mosman North Sydney Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 30 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 2 2 5 10 10 | 38 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 0 3 9 9 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 0 1 2 7 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - Northern Beaches dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Mosman North Sydney Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 30 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 6 6 6 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 2 2 5 10 10 10 43 | 38 14 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 0 3 9 9 6 52 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 0 1 2 7 4 4 4 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - Northern Beaches dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Mosman North Sydney Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** Wollondilly** | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 30 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 0 2 2 5 10 10 43 1 | 38 14 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 0 0 3 9 9 6 52 2 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 0 1 2 7 4 4 4 4 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - Northern Beaches dney - Outer South West | Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Mosman North Sydney Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 30 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 4 1 0 1 4 1 8 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 2 2 5 10 10 43 1 54 | 38 14 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 0 3 9 9 6 52 2 60 3 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 0 1 2 7 4 4 4 13 72 2 87 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - Northern Beaches dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West dney - Outer West and Blue Mountains dney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Mosman North Sydney Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 30 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 0 5 3 5 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 0 2 2 5 10 10 43 1 54 5 63 | 38 14 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 0 0 3 9 9 9 6 52 2 60 3 32 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 0 0 1 2 7 4 4 4 13 72 2 87 12 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - Northern Beaches dney - Outer South West dney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Mosman North Sydney Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 30 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 6 6 6 5 35 1 41 8 19 27 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 0 2 2 5 10 10 43 1 54 5 63 68 4 | 38 14 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 0 0 3 9 9 6 52 2 60 3 32 35 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 0 1 2 7 4 4 13 72 2 87 12 48 60 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs dney - Inner South West dney - Inner West dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - Northern Beaches dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West dney - Outer South West dney - Outer West and Blue Mountains dney - Parramatta | Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River Total: Inner South West Burwood Canada Bay Inner West** Strathfield** Total: Inner West Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove Mosman North Sydney Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby Northern Beaches Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** Parramatta** | 1 0 22 9 10 14 33 0 1 27 2 30 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 1 6 6 6 5 35 1 41 8 19 27 | 0 13 11 12 3 26 2 2 34 1 39 1 0 0 0 2 2 5 10 10 43 1 54 5 63 68 4 14 | 38 14 14 14 1 29 1 0 42 0 43 3 0 0 0 3 9 9 6 52 2 60 3 32 35 | 15 16 6 37 2 1 33 1 37 0 4 0 0 0 1 2 7 4 4 4 13 72 2 87 12 48 60 11 8 | |
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^{**} These LGAs span across two or more statistical areas. They are listed under the Statistical Area which contains the largest area of each LGA. As some LGAs cross SA4 boundaries and due to the estimated undercount of Aboriginal persons in Census data (see above note) it is recommended to use Tables 1 and 3 for SA4 rates rather than the Statistical Area totals here. Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research

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Table 1a. Number and rate[^] of Aboriginal young people proceeded against by the NSW Police via a court diversion* by the residential Statistical Area^{^^} of the offender

| | 4 204.0 | A 2010 | 4 2020 | 4 2024 | 4 2022 | A 2022 | Balla ta NOM | Alexander Lander |
|--|---------|------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--|------------------|---|
| Statistical Area | • | Apr 2019 - Mar 2020 | • | - | - | Apr 2022 - Mar 2023 Rate per 10,000 | Aboriginal rate* | Aboriginal population aged 10-17 years^ |
| Capital Region | 130 | | 95 | 90 | | 820.0 | 1.1 | 1817 |
| Central Coast | 53 | 74 | 57 | 77 | 151 | 539.1 | 0.7 | 2801 |
| Central West | 178 | 203 | 172 | 227 | 215 | 734.0 | 1.0 | 2929 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton | 125 | 105 | 89 | 103 | 157 | 990.5 | 1.3 | 1585 |
| Far West And Orana | 358 | 356 | 369 | 344 | 358 | 948.3 | 1.2 | 3775 |
| Hunter Valley Exc Newcastle | 96 | 148 | 119 | 113 | 225 | 678.3 | 0.9 | 3317 |
| Illawarra | 78 | 94 | 74 | 97 | 94 | 506.2 | 0.7 | 1857 |
| Mid North Coast | 227 | 230 | 206 | 309 | 316 | 1055.8 | 1.4 | 2993 |
| Murray | 53 | 63 | 66 | 62 | 62 | 676.1 | 0.9 | 917 |
| New England And North West | 383 | 363 | 369 | 571 | 587 | 1509.4 | 2.0 | 3889 |
| Newcastle And Lake Macquarie | 103 | 142 | 164 | 203 | 103 | 360.4 | 0.5 | 2858 |
| Richmond - Tweed | 122 | 136 | 122 | 119 | 139 | 624.2 | 0.8 | 2227 |
| Riverina | 122 | 177 | 214 | 176 | 222 | 1190.3 | 1.5 | 1865 |
| Southern Highlands And Shoalhaven | 73 | 62 | 65 | 87 | 72 | 520.2 | 0.7 | 1384 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills And Hawkesbury | 7 | 5 | 9 | 6 | 16 | 347.1 | 0.5 | 461 |
| Sydney - Blacktown | 83 | 99 | 89 | 103 | 163 | 743.6 | 1.0 | 2192 |
| Sydney - City And Inner South | 74 | 87 | 77 | 77 | 67 | 1114.8 | 1.5 | 601 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 22 | 13 | 38 | 17 | 47 | 1154.8 | 1.5 | 407 |
| Sydney - Inner South West | 24 | 13 | 16 | 27 | 34 | 517.5 | 0.7 | 657 |
| Sydney - Inner West | 15 | 13 | 21 | 18 | 22 | 788.5 | 1.0 | 279 |
| Sydney - North Sydney And Hornsby | 1 | 4 | 1 | 7 | 8 | 285.7 | 0.4 | 280 |
| Sydney - Northern Beaches | 6 | 10 | 9 | 4 | 9 | 329.7 | 0.4 | 273 |
| Sydney - Outer South West | 40 | 53 | 60 | 84 | 110 | 520.6 | 0.7 | 2113 |
| Sydney - Outer West And Blue Mountains | 28 | 67 | 38 | 75 | 85 | 351.4 | 0.5 | 2419 |
| Sydney - Parramatta | 13 | 19 | 35 | 20 | 25 | 536.5 | 0.7 | 466 |
| Sydney - Ryde | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 629.9 | 0.8 | 127 |
| Sydney - South West | 22 | 28 | 28 | 36 | 49 | 479.5 | 0.6 | 1022 |
| Sydney - Sutherland | 11 | 5 | 11 | 15 | 11 | 216.5 | 0.3 | 508 |
| In Custody | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | na | na | na |
| Interstate/overseas | 20 | 20 | 7 | 7 | 17 | na | na | na |
| Unknown | 1 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 15 | na | na | na |
| Total Aboriginal Youth | 2474 | 2713 | 2625 | 3082 | 3536 | 768.4 | 1.0 | 46019 |
| Total NSW Youth | 9841 | 10824 | 10456 | 11465 | 10929 | 150.2 | 0.2 | 727642 |

^{*}In NSW young people who offend can be proceeded against to court or they can be diverted from the court system. The Young Offenders Act 1997 (NSW) allows young people who meet the eligibility criteria to be diverted from court. The table above includes data on referrals to youth justice conferences, cautions and warnings under the Young Offenders Act. It does not include breach of bail or transport regulatory offences

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^{^^}Statistical Areas are as defined by the Australian Bureau of Statistics

Table 2a. Number and rate[^] of Aboriginal young people appearing in court by Statistical Area^{^^} of residence when charged

| | | | | | | | | Aboriginal |
|---------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Statistical Area | Apr 2018 - | Apr 2019 - | Apr 2020 - | Apr 2021 - | Apr 2022 - | Apr 2022 - Mar 2023 | Ratio to NSW | population aged 10- |
| | Mar 2019 | Mar 2020 | Mar 2021 | Mar 2022 | Mar 2023 | Rate per 10,000 | Aboriginal rate* | 17 years^ |
| Capital Region | 95 | 63 | 60 | 47 | 73 | 401.8 | 0.7 | 1817 |
| Central Coast | 116 | 89 | 77 | 76 | 93 | 332.0 | 0.5 | 2801 |
| Central West | 140 | 155 | 119 | 128 | 166 | 566.7 | 0.9 | 2929 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton | 140 | 102 | 91 | 79 | 115 | 725.6 | 1.2 | 1585 |
| Far West and Orana | 245 | 267 | 210 | 227 | 253 | 670.2 | 1.1 | 3775 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 110 | 120 | 117 | 87 | 114 | 343.7 | 0.6 | 3317 |
| Illawarra | 150 | 107 | 90 | 80 | 106 | 570.8 | 0.9 | 1857 |
| Mid North Coast | 127 | 123 | 132 | 140 | 147 | 491.1 | 0.8 | 2993 |
| Murray | 51 | 54 | 42 | 59 | 50 | 545.3 | 0.9 | 917 |
| New England and North West | 252 | 247 | 166 | 247 | 349 | 897.4 | 1.5 | 3889 |
| Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | 155 | 136 | 152 | 128 | 165 | 577.3 | 0.9 | 2858 |
| Richmond - Tweed | 123 | 121 | 90 | 110 | 107 | 480.5 | 0.8 | 2227 |
| Riverina | 108 | 95 | 87 | 87 | 133 | 713.1 | 1.2 | 1865 |
| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 69 | 55 | 30 | 43 | 32 | 231.2 | 0.4 | 1384 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbur | 13 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 14 | 303.7 | 0.5 | 461 |
| Sydney - Blacktown | 274 | 263 | 235 | 244 | 269 | 1227.2 | 2.0 | 2192 |
| Sydney - City and Inner South | 63 | 78 | 52 | 65 | 45 | 748.8 | 1.2 | 601 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 28 | 21 | 23 | 14 | 15 | 368.6 | 0.6 | 407 |
| Sydney - Inner South West | 45 | 45 | 38 | 28 | 43 | 654.5 | 1.1 | 657 |
| Sydney - Inner West | 18 | 16 | 17 | 12 | 21 | 752.7 | 1.2 | 279 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | 5 | 5 | 9 | 8 | 13 | 464.3 | 0.8 | 280 |
| Sydney - Northern Beaches | 16 | 15 | 14 | 16 | 23 | 842.5 | 1.4 | 273 |
| Sydney - Outer South West | 91 | 87 | 82 | 98 | 106 | 501.7 | 0.8 | 2113 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountain | 90 | 91 | 98 | 85 | 119 | 491.9 | 0.8 | 2419 |
| Sydney - Parramatta | 50 | 52 | 67 | 60 | 63 | 1351.9 | 2.2 | 466 |
| Sydney - Ryde | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 78.7 | 0.1 | 127 |
| Sydney - South West | 72 | 81 | 87 | 62 | 114 | 1115.5 | 1.8 | 1022 |
| Sydney - Sutherland | 28 | 23 | 21 | 13 | 13 | 255.9 | 0.4 | 508 |
| Interstate/overseas | 14 | 19 | 6 | 16 | 14 | na | na | na |
| Unknown | 63 | 70 | 38 | 43 | 66 | na | na | na |
| Total Aboriginal Youth | 2754 | 2611 | 2261 | 2314 | 2842 | 617.6 | 1.0 | 46019 |
| Total NSW Youth | 5605 | 5432 | 4955 | 4887 | 5562 | 76.4 | 0.1 | 727642 |

[^] Rates require use of population estimates that are based on ABS Estimated Resident Population (ERP) by Indigenous Status (a) by Sex by Age Groups, as at 30 Jun 2016 - Statistical Area 4 ASGS 2016, Australia

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Aboriginality as self-reported in any contact with NSW Police, i.e. whether a defendant has ever identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin. This data is sourced from the latest version of BOCSAR's Reoffending Database (ROD) and applied to all years. ROD contains "Aboriginality ever recorded" which is set to 'Aboriginal' for any person who had identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin in their contact with Police in relation to any charges finalised since 1994.

^{^^}Statistical Areas are as defined by the Australian Bureau of Statistics

^{**&#}x27;The Ratio to NSW Aboriginal rate' is a comparison of the rate of Aboriginal people in custody per population in a region versus the average rate of Aboriginal people in custody in NSW. A ratio of one indicates parity with the NSW Aboriginal custody rate. A ratio of two or more indicates that Aboriginal people in that region are twice as likely to be in custody as other Aboriginal people in NSW. Rates above the NSW Aboriginal average are highlighted in red, whilst rates below the NSW Aboriginal rate are highlighted in green.

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Table 2b. Number of Aboriginal young people appearing in court by Local Government Area of residence when charged

| tatistical Area | LGA | Mar 2019 | Mar 2020 | Mar 2021 | Apr 2021 - Mar 2022 | - |
|--|---|--|--|---|--------------------------------------|---|
| apital Region apital Region | Bega Valley Eurobodalla | 15 26 | | | | 2 |
| apital Region apital Region | Goulburn Mulwaree Hilltops | 19 7 | | | | |
| apital Region apital Region | Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Snowy Monaro Regional** | 20 3 | | | 6 | : |
| apital Region apital Region | Upper Lachlan Shire Yass Valley** | 0 | | 0 | 0 | |
| apital Region entral Coast | Total: Capital Region Central Coast | 95 116 | 62 | 60 | 47 | - |
| entral Coast | Total: Central Coast | 116 | 89 | 77 | 76 | (|
| entral West entral West | Bathurst Regional Bland** | 26 6 | | | | 2 |
| entral West entral West | Blayney Cabonne** | 0 | 1 2 | • | | |
| entral West entral West | Cowra Forbes | 13 9 | 9 20 | 11 12 | | : |
| entral West | Lachlan** Lithgow | 9 | 11 | 16 | 17 | 2 |
| entral West | Mid-Western Regional** | 13 | 8 | 5 | 3 | |
| entral West entral West | Oberon** Orange | 1 48 | 59 | 44 | 40 | ! |
| entral West entral West | Parkes Weddin | 7 0 | 5 0 | 9 | | ; |
| entral West offs Harbour - Grafton | Total: Central West Bellingen** | 141 | 156 | | | 1 |
| offs Harbour - Grafton offs Harbour - Grafton | Clarence Valley** Coffs Harbour | 57 82 | 47 48 | | | |
| offs Harbour - Grafton | Total: Coffs Harbour - Grafton Bogan | 140 | 102 | 91 | 79 | 1 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Bourke | 16 | 37 | 35 | 39 | |
| r West and Orana | Brewarrina Broken Hill | 14 23 | 8 | 17 | 24 | |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Central Darling Cobar | 11 8 | | | | |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Coonamble Dubbo Regional** | 32 77 | | | | |
| or West and Orana or West and Orana | Gilgandra Narromine | 4 11 | 6 5 | 2 7 | | |
| ar West and Orana | Unincorporated Far West | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| r West and Orana r West and Orana | Walgett Warren | 36 5 | | | | |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Warrumbungle Shire** Total: Far West and Orana | 7 244 | | | • | 2 |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle | Cessnock Dungog | 27 2 | 28 0 | | | |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle | Maitland** | 50 | 56 | 58 | 43 | |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle | Muswellbrook Port Stephens** | 12 14 | 16 | 18 | 17 | |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle | Singleton** Upper Hunter Shire | 10 4 | 12 2 | | | |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle awarra | Total: Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Kiama** | 119 | 128 | 124 | 98 | 1 |
| awarra | Shellharbour | 37 | 21 | 32 | 22 | |
| awarra awarra | Wollongong Total: Illawarra | 113 150 | | 90 | 80 | 1 |
| id North Coast id North Coast | Kempsey Mid-Coast** | 34 57 | | 28 | 45 | |
| id North Coast | Nambucca Valley** | 18 | 17 | 23 | 16 | |
| id North Coast id North Coast | Port Macquarie-Hastings Total: Mid North Coast | 18 127 | 123 | 132 | 140 | 1 |
| urray urray | Albury Balranald | 35 0 | | | | |
| lurray lurray | Berrigan Edward River | 1 | | | | |
| urray urray | Federation** Greater Hume Shire** | 4 | 2 | _ | _ | |
| urray | Нау | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | |
| urray urray | Murray River Wentworth | 1 9 | 7 | 10 | 16 | |
| lurray ew England and North West | Total: Murray Armidale Regional** | 53 | | | | |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Glen Innes Severn Gunnedah | 11 10 | | | | |
| ew England and North West | Gwydir | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Inverell Liverpool Plains** | 46 8 | | | | |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Moree Plains Narrabri | 55 11 | 50 12 | | | |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Tamworth Regional Tenterfield | 49 9 | 70 13 | | | |
| ew England and North West | Uralla | 4 | 2 | 0 | 2 | |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Walcha Total: New England and North West | 1 252 | 247 | | | 3 |
| ewcastle and Lake Macquarie ewcastle and Lake Macquarie | Lake Macquarie** Newcastle | 87 59 | 83 45 | | | |
| ewcastle and Lake Macquarie ichmond - Tweed | Total: Newcastle and Lake Macquarie Ballina | 146 | | | | 1 |
| chmond - Tweed chmond - Tweed | Byron Kyogle | 5 3 | 10 7 | | | |
| ichmond - Tweed ichmond - Tweed | Lismore | 54 | 49 | 39 | 40 | |
| ichmond - Tweed | Richmond Valley** Tweed | 23 8 | 28 23 | 19 | 35 | |
| i <mark>chmond - Tweed</mark> verina | Total: Richmond - Tweed Carrathool** | 123 | 121 | | | 1 |
| verina verina | Coolamon Cootamundra-Gundagai | 0 | 1 1 | 0 | 0 | |
| verina | Griffith | 12 | 6 | 11 | 8 | |
| verina verina | Junee Leeton | 2 1 | | _ | | |
| iverina iverina | Lockhart** Murrumbidgee** | 0 | | 0 8 | | |
| verina verina | Narrandera Snowy Valleys** | 12 5 | 18 4 | | | |
| verina | Temora | 1 | 7 | 1 | 0 | |
| verina verina | Wagga Wagga Total: Riverina | 70 106 | 95 | 87 | 87 | 1 |
| outhern Highlands and Shoalhaven outhern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Shoalhaven** Wingecarribee** | 67 2 | 54 2 | | | |
| outhern Highlands and Shoalhaven ydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | Total: Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven Hawkesbury** | 69 | 56 | 30 | 43 | |
| dney - Baulkham Hills and The Hills Shire | The Hills Shire** | 9 | 6 | 1 | 2 | |
| ydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury ydney - Blacktown | Total: Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury Blacktown | 24 274 | 263 | 235 | 244 | 2 |
| ydney - Blacktown ydney - City and Inner South | Total: Sydney - Blacktown Sydney** | 274 43 | 263 49 | | | 2 |
| vdney - City and Inner South vdney - Eastern Suburbs | Total: Sydney - City and Inner South Randwick** | 43 25 | 49 | 24 | 42 | |
| dney - Eastern Suburbs | Waverley | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| rdney - Eastern Suburbs r <mark>dney - Eastern Suburbs</mark> | Woollahra Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 0 28 | | | | |
| rdney - Inner South West rdney - Inner South West | Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** | 12 29 | | | | |
| dney - Inner South West | Georges River | 9 | 14 | 3 | 2 | |
| ydney - Inner South West ydney - Inner West | Burwood | 50 | 0 | 0 | 2 | |
| /dney - Inner West /dney - Inner West | Canada Bay Inner West** | 2 27 | | | 2 24 | |
| ydney - Inner West ydney - Inner West | Strathfield** Total: Inner West | 3 35 | | | | |
| dney - North Sydney and Hornsby dney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Hornsby** Ku-ring-gai | 4 2 | 4 | 5 | 3 | |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Lane Cove | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | |
| vdney - North Sydney and Hornsby vdney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Mosman North Sydney | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 | |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | 0 6 | 6 | 10 | 9 | |
| dney - North Sydney and Hornsov | Northern Beaches Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches | 16 16 | 15 | 14 | 16 | _ |
| dney - Northern Beaches | Camden** | 4 | 13 | 15 | 8 | |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West | Campbelltown** | 85 2 | 2 | 0 | 6 | |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer South West | Campbelltown** Wollondilly** | | 91 | | | 1 |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | · | 91 13 | 10 | 9 | - | : |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** | 13 74 | 74 | 89 | | |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Parramatta | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** | 13 74 87 16 | 74 84 25 | 89 98 32 | 79 20 | 1 |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | 13 74 87 | 74 84 25 21 | 89 98 32 28 | 79 20 37 | |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Ryde | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill | 13 74 87 16 29 45 | 74 84 25 21 46 | 89 98 32 28 60 | 79 20 37 57 | 1 |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Ryde ydney - Ryde ydney - Ryde | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill Ryde** Total: Sydney - Ryde | 13 74 87 16 29 45 0 2 | 74 84 25 21 46 1 3 | 89 98 32 28 60 0 2 | 79 20 37 57 0 2 | 1 |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill Ryde** | 13 74 87 16 29 45 0 | 74 84 25 21 46 1 3 4 | 89 98 32 28 60 0 2 2 41 | 79 20 37 57 0 2 29 | 1 |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Ryde ydney - Ryde ydney - South West ydney - South West | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill Ryde** Total: Sydney - Ryde Fairfield** Liverpool** Total: Sydney - South West | 13 74 87 16 29 45 0 2 2 16 50 66 | 74 84 25 21 46 1 3 4 30 48 78 | 89 98 32 28 60 0 2 2 41 44 85 | 79 20 37 57 0 2 29 34 63 | |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Ryde ydney - Ryde ydney - South West ydney - South West ydney - South West ydney - South West ydney - Sutherland ydney - Sutherland | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill Ryde** Total: Sydney - Ryde Fairfield** Liverpool** Total: Sydney - South West Sutherland Shire** Total: Sydney - Sutherland | 13 74 87 16 29 45 0 2 16 50 66 29 | 74 84 25 21 46 1 3 4 30 48 78 23 | 89 98 32 28 60 0 2 2 41 44 85 21 | 79 20 37 57 0 2 29 34 63 13 | |
| ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Parramatta ydney - Ryde ydney - Ryde ydney - Ryde ydney - South West | Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** Parramatta** Total: Sydney - Parramatta Hunters Hill Ryde** Total: Sydney - Ryde Fairfield** Liverpool** Total: Sydney - South West Sutherland Shire** | 13 74 87 16 29 45 0 2 2 16 50 66 | 74 84 25 21 46 1 3 4 30 48 78 23 19 70 | 89 98 32 28 60 0 2 41 44 85 21 6 38 | 79 20 37 57 0 2 29 34 63 13 13 16 43 | 1 |

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Note: The persons included in the table above are not a count of unique people. Each person appears only once for each finalised court appearance but if a person has more than one finalised court appearance in the reference period they will appear in the table multiple times.

Aboriginality as self-reported in any contact with NSW Police, i.e. whether a defendant has ever identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin. This data is sourced from the latest version of BOCSAR's Reoffending Database (ROD) and applied to all years. ROD contains "Aboriginality ever recorded" which is set to 'Aboriginal' for any person who had identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin in their contact with Police in relation to any charges finalised since 1994.

** These LGAs span across two or more statistical areas. They are listed under the Statistical Area which contains the largest area of each LGA. As some LGAs cross SA4 boundaries and due to the estimated undercount of Aboriginal persons in Census data (see above note) it is recommended to use Tables 1 and 3 for SA4 rates rather than the Statistical Area totals here.

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Table 3a(i). Number of Aboriginal young people in detention by Statistical Area^^ of residence prior to entering custody

| Statistical Area | 2019/Mar 20 | 20/Mar 20 | 21/Mar 20 | 22/Mar 20 | 23/Mar | Mar-23 Rate per 10,000 | Ratio to NSW Aboriginal rate* | Aboriginal population aged 10-17 years^ |
|--|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
| Capital Region | 5 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 5.5 | 0.2 | 1817 |
| Central Coast | 5 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 2801 |
| Central West | 7 | 8 | 6 | 9 | 7 | 23.9 | 0.9 | 2929 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton | 4 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1585 |
| Far West and Orana | 10 | 10 | 8 | 18 | 16 | 42.4 | 1.6 | 3775 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 1 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 9.0 | 0.3 | 3317 |
| Illawarra | 9 | 6 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 10.8 | 0.4 | 1857 |
| Mid North Coast | 8 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 7 | 23.4 | 0.9 | 2993 |
| Murray | 1 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 917 |
| New England and North West | 17 | 11 | 19 | 13 | 23 | 59.1 | 2.2 | 3889 |
| Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | 7 | 7 | 4 | 8 | 16 | 56.0 | 2.1 | 2858 |
| Richmond - Tweed | 2 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 5 | 22.5 | 0.8 | 2227 |
| Riverina | 5 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 42.9 | 1.6 | 1865 |
| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1384 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 21.7 | 0.8 | 461 |
| Sydney - Blacktown | 12 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 9 | 41.1 | 1.5 | 2192 |
| Sydney - City and Inner South | 3 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 16.6 | 0.6 | 601 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 24.6 | 0.9 | 407 |
| Sydney - Inner South West | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 15.2 | 0.6 | 657 |
| Sydney - Inner West | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 71.7 | 2.7 | 279 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 280 |
| Sydney - Northern Beaches | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 273 |
| Sydney - Outer South West | 3 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 18.9 | 0.7 | 2113 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4.1 | 0.2 | 2419 |
| Sydney - Parramatta | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 85.8 | 3.2 | 466 |
| Sydney - Ryde | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 78.7 | 3.0 | 127 |
| Sydney - South West | 2 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 39.1 | 1.5 | 1022 |
| Sydney - Sutherland | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 508 |
| Interstate/overseas | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | na | na | na |
| Unknown | 8 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 5 | na | na | na |
| Aboriginal youth custody population | 121 | 107 | 84 | 95 | 122 | 26.5 | 1.0 | 46019 |
| Total NSW youth custody population | 245 | 244 | 200 | 180 | 215 | 3.0 | 0.1 | 727642 |

[^] Population estimates based on ABS Estimated Resident Population (ERP) by Indigenous Status (a) by Sex by Age Groups, as at 30 Jun 2016 - Statistical Area 4 ASGS 2016, Australia ^^Statistical Areas are as defined by the Australian Bureau of Statistics

Table 3a(ii). Quarterly number of Aboriginal young people in detention by Statistical Area of residence prior to entering custody

| Statistical Area | 2019/Mar 20 |)19/Jun 20 | 19/Sep 20 | 19/Dec 20 | 20/Mar 20 | 20/Jun 2020/Sep | 2020/Dec | 20 | 21/Mar 20 | 21/Jun 20 | 21/Sep 20 | 21/Dec 20 | 22/Mar 20 | 22/Jun 20 | 022/Sep 20 | 22/Dec 20 | 23/Mar |
|--|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|----------|-----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|--------|
| Capital Region | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Central Coast | 5 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Central West | 7 | 10 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 9 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton | 4 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Far West and Orana | 10 | 14 | 8 | 8 | 10 | 6 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 3 | 10 | 18 | 13 | 15 | 12 | 16 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| Illawarra | 9 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Mid North Coast | 8 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 7 |
| Murray | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| New England and North West | 17 | 17 | 11 | 13 | 11 | 7 | 8 | 8 | 19 | 10 | 9 | 11 | 13 | 28 | 22 | 17 | 23 |
| Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | 7 | 11 | 11 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 2 | 8 | 13 | 16 | 5 | 16 |
| Richmond - Tweed | 2 | 3 | 8 | 6 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 8 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 5 |
| Riverina | 5 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 8 |
| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 4 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Sydney - Blacktown | 12 | 12 | 5 | 8 | 10 | 11 | 8 | 3 | 6 | 10 | 11 | 9 | 8 | 4 | 9 | 8 | 9 |
| Sydney - City and Inner South | 3 | 4 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Sydney - Inner South West | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Sydney - Inner West | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sydney - Northern Beaches | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sydney - Outer South West | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | 0 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Sydney - Parramatta | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Sydney - Ryde | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Sydney - South West | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Sydney - Sutherland | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Interstate/overseas | 1 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Unknown | 8 | 7 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 5 |
| Aboriginal youth custody population | 121 | 131 | 106 | 121 | 107 | 79 | 79 | 73 | 84 | 74 | 73 | 71 | 95 | 98 | 107 | 87 | 122 |
| Total NSW youth custody population | 245 | 275 | 235 | 270 | 244 | 193 | 190 | 184 | 200 | 200 | 172 | 159 | 180 | 191 | 209 | 171 | 215 |

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^{*&#}x27;The Ratio to NSW Aboriginal rate' is a comparison of the rate of Aboriginal people in custody per population in a region versus the average rate of Aboriginal people in custody in NSW. A ratio of one indicates parity with the NSW Aboriginal custody rate. A ratio of two or more indicates that Aboriginal people in that region are twice as likely to be in custody as other Aboriginal people in NSW. Rates above the NSW Aboriginal average are highlighted in red, whilst rates below the NSW Aboriginal rate are highlighted in green.

| t atistical Area apital Region apital Region | Bega Valley Eurobodalla | 19/Mar 2020 1 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|---|--|---|--|--|---|
| apital Region apital Region | Goulburn Mulwaree Hilltops | 1 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 1 |
| apital Region apital Region | Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional Snowy Monaro Regional** | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| apital Region | Upper Lachlan Shire | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| apital Region apital Region | Yass Valley** Total: Capital Region | 0 5 | 0 3 | 0 2 | 0 1 |
| entral Coast entral Coast | Central Coast Total: Central Coast | 5 5 | 3 3 | 1 1 | 2 2 |
| entral West entral West | Bathurst Regional Bland** | 3 0 | 3 0 | 1 0 | 2 |
| entral West entral West | Blayney Cabonne** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| entral West | Cowra | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| entral West entral West | Forbes Lachlan** | 0 1 | 2 0 | 1 0 | 3 0 |
| entral West entral West | Lithgow Mid-Western Regional** | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 |
| entral West entral West | Oberon** Orange | 0 2 | 1 1 | 0 4 | 0 4 |
| entral West entral West | Parkes Weddin | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| entral West | Total: Central West | 7 | 8 | 6 | 9 |
| offs Harbour - Grafton offs Harbour - Grafton | Bellingen** Clarence Valley** | 0 1 | 0 1 | 0 1 | 0 2 |
| offs Harbour - Grafton offs Harbour - Grafton | Coffs Harbour Total: Coffs Harbour - Grafton | 3 4 | 2 3 | 2 3 | 1 3 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Bogan Bourke | 0 2 | 0 2 | 0 | 1 4 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Brewarrina Broken Hill | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| ar West and Orana | Central Darling | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Cobar Coonamble | 0 0 | 0 2 | 0 1 | 0 0 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Dubbo Regional** Gilgandra | 7 0 | 5 0 | 4 0 | 12 0 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Narromine Unincorporated NSW** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ar West and Orana | Walgett | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ar West and Orana ar West and Orana | Warren Warrumbungle Shire** | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 |
| ar West and Orana unter Valley exc Newcastle | Total: Far West and Orana Cessnock | 10 | 10 | 8 | 18 |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle | Dungog Maitland** | 0 | 0 2 | 0 | 0 |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle | Muswellbrook | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle | Port Stephens ** Singleton ** | 0 1 | 1 0 | 1 | 0 |
| unter Valley exc Newcastle unter Valley exc Newcastle | Upper Hunter Shire Total: Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 0 1 | 0 4 | 0 2 | 1 3 |
| lawarra Iawarra | Kiama** Shellharbour | 0 4 | 0 3 | 0 | 0 |
| lawarra awarra | Wollongong Total: Illawarra | 5 9 | 3 6 | 2 5 | 1 1 |
| lid North Coast | Kempsey | 4 | 1 7 | 3 | 1 |
| lid North Coast lid North Coast | Mid-Coast** Nambucca Valley** | 3 | 7 0 | 1 | 2 |
| lid North Coast lid North Coast | Port Macquarie-Hastings Total: Mid North Coast | 1 8 | 0 8 | 1 6 | 1 4 |
| lurray Iurray | Albury Balranald | 1 0 | 2 | 3 0 | 1 |
| lurray | Berrigan Edward River | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| lurray lurray | Federation** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| lurray lurray | Greater Hume Shire** Hay | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 |
| 1urray 1urray | Murray River Wentworth | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 |
| lurray ew England and North West | Total: Murray Armidale Regional** | 1 5 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| ew England and North West | Glen Innes Severn | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Gunnedah Gwydir | 0 | 0 1 | 0 0 | 0 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Inverell Liverpool Plains** | 3 0 | 1 0 | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Moree Plains Narrabri | 5 1 | 5 1 | 8 0 | 3 0 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Tamworth Regional Tenterfield | 2 | 1 0 | 2 | 5 1 |
| ew England and North West | Uralla | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ew England and North West ew England and North West | Walcha Total: New England and North West | 0 17 | 0 11 | 0 19 | 0 13 |
| ewcastle and Lake Macquarie ewcastle and Lake Macquarie | Lake Macquarie** Newcastle | 6 1 | 5 2 | 1 3 | 3 4 |
| ewcastle and Lake Macquarie | Total: Newcastle and Lake Macquarie Ballina | 7 | 7 | 2 | 7 |
| ichmond - Tweed ichmond - Tweed | Byron | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ichmond - Tweed | Kyogle Lismore | 0 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| i chmond - Tweed i chmond - Tweed | Richmond Valley** Tweed | 0 | 1 0 | 1 1 | 2 2 |
| ichmond - Tweed iverina | Total: Richmond - Tweed Carrathool ** | 2 | 5 | 7 | 8 |
| iverina iverina | Coolamon Cootamundra-Gundagai | 0 | 0 0 | 0 | 0 |
| verina | Griffith | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| iverina iverina | Junee Leeton | 0 | 0 1 | 2 0 | 0 0 |
| iverina iverina | Lockhart** Murrumbidgee** | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 |
| iverina iverina | Narrandera Snowy Valleys** | 1 0 | 1 0 | 0 0 | 0 0 |
| iverina iverina | Temora Wagga Wagga | 0 2 | 0 2 | 0 1 | 0 2 |
| iverina | Total: Riverina | 5 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| outhern Highlands and Shoalhaven outhern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Shoalhaven** Wingecarribee** | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| outhern Highlands and Shoalhaven ydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | Total: Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven Hawkesbury** | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| ydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury ydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | The Hills Shire** Total: Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 1 | 0 0 |
| ydney - Blacktown ydney - Blacktown | Blacktown Total: Sydney - Blacktown | 12 12 | 10 10 | 6 6 | 8 8 |
| ydney - City and Inner South | Sydney** | 2 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| ydney - City and Inner South ydney - Eastern Suburbs | Total: Sydney - City and Inner South Randwick** | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| ydney - Eastern Suburbs ydney - Eastern Suburbs | Waverley Woollahra | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ydney - Eastern Suburbs ydney - Inner South West | Total: Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Bayside** | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| ydney - Inner South West ydney - Inner South West | Canterbury-Bankstown** Georges River | 0 1 | 0 0 | 0 0 | 1 0 |
| ydney - Inner South West ydney - Inner West | Total: Inner South West Burwood | 1 1 | 1 0 | 0 | 1 0 |
| ydney - Inner West | Canada Bay | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| ydney - Inner West ydney - Inner West | Inner West** Strathfield** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ydney - Inner West ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Total: Inner West Hornsby** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Ku-ring-gai Lane Cove | 0 0 | 0 1 | 0 0 | 0 0 |
| dney - North Sydney and Hornsby | Mosman North Sydney | 0 | 0 1 | 0 | 0 0 |
| Juney - North Sydney and Hornson | Willoughby Total: Sydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby | rotan syaney - North Syaney and Mornsby | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - Northern Beaches | Northern Beaches | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches | Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** | 1 | 2 | 0 | U |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer South West | Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches | | 2 2 0 | 0 | 1 0 |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West | Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West | 1 2 0 3 | 2 0 4 | 0 0 0 | 1 0 1 |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** | 1 2 0 3 0 | 2 0 4 0 0 | 0 | 1 0 1 0 2 |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Parramatta | Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains Cumberland** | 1 2 0 3 | 2 0 4 | 0 0 0 | 1 0 1 0 |
| ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - North Sydney and Hornsby ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Northern Beaches ydney - Outer South West ydney - Outer South Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains ydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | Total: Sydney - Northern Beaches Camden** Campbelltown** Wollondilly** Total: Sydney - Outer South West Blue Mountains** Penrith** Total: Sydney - Outer West and Blue Mountains | 1 2 0 3 0 0 0 | 2 0 4 0 0 0 | 0 0 0 0 1 1 | 1 0 1 0 2 2 |
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** These LGAs span across two or more statistical areas. They are listed under the Statistical Area which contains the largest area of each LGA. As some LGAs cross SA4 boundaries and due to the estimated undercount of Aboriginal persons in Census data (see above note) it is recommended to use Tables 1 and 3 for SA4 rates rather than the Statistical Area totals here.

Table 3b(ii). Quarterly number of Aboriginal young people in detention by Local Government Area of residence prior to entering custody

| | young people in detention by Local Government Area of reside | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--|--|---------------------------------------|--|-----------------------|--|--|---|--|
| Statistical Area Capital Region | Bega Valley | <mark>ar 2019/J</mark> ur 1 | n 2019/S e _l 1 | p 2019/De | c 2020/M a 0 | r 2020/Jun 0 | 2020/Se 0 | _ | c 2021/Ma | r 2021/Jun | 2021/Sep | 2021/De | c 2022/Ma 0 | r 2022/Jun 0 (| 2022/Sep | 2022/Dec 0 | 2023/Mar 0 |
| Capital Region Capital Region | Eurobodalla Goulburn Mulwaree | 1 1 | 2 | 2 : | 0 : | 0 (1 : | 0 1 | 0 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) () (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Capital Region Capital Region | Hilltops Queanbeyan-Palerang Regional | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 : | 1 2 | 2 (| 0 0 | 1 |
| Capital Region | Snowy Monaro Regional** | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 | 0 |
| Capital Region Capital Region | Upper Lachlan Shire Yass Valley** | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Capital Region Central Coast | Total: Capital Region Central Coast | 5 5 | 4 | 3 2 | 2 : | 3 3 | 2 3 | <u>1</u> 2 | 1 2 2 : | 2 1 L 3 | . : | <u>L</u> : | 1 : | 1 2 2 2 | 2 2 | 1 2 4 | <u>1</u> 0 |
| Central Coast Central West | Total: Central Coast Bathurst Regional | 5 3 | 2 | 2 : | 1 : | 3 3 | 3 4 | | 2 : | L 3 | <u> </u> | L : | 3 2 | 2 2 | 2 2 1 1 | 2 4 0 | 0 |
| Central West Central West | Bland** Blayney | 0 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) () (| 0 (|) () (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Central West Central West | Cabonne** Cowra | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 3 | 0 |
| Central West | Forbes | 0 | 1 | 0 : | 1 : | 2 : | 1 | 1 | 1 : | L 1 | | L : | 3 | 3 : | 1 (|) 1 | 0 |
| Central West Central West | Lachlan** Lithgow | 1 0 | 2 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) 1) (| 0 0 | 1 1 |
| Central West Central West | Mid-Western Regional** Oberon** | 0 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (1 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) () (|) (|) () (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Central West Central West | Orange Parkes | 2 1 | 1 2 | 1 : | 1 | 1 (| 0 1 | 1 1 | 4 4 0 (| 1 2 | ! 2) (| <u>?</u> : | 1 4 | 4 3 | 3 4 | 4 3 0 0 | 6 |
| Central West | Weddin | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (| |) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Central West Coffs Harbour - Grafton | Total: Central West Bellingen** | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (| | 0 0 | 0 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton Coffs Harbour - Grafton | Clarence Valley** Coffs Harbour | 1 3 | 1 | 2 (| 4 : 6 : | 1 (2 : | 0 1 | 0 1 | 1 : 4 : 2 | L C 2 1 | | l : | 1 2 2 : | 2 í 1 í | 1 2 1 2 | 2 1 | 0 |
| Coffs Harbour - Grafton Far West and Orana | Total: Coffs Harbour - Grafton Bogan | 4 0 | 0 | 0 1 | 0 : | 3 : | 1 0 | <u>1</u> | 5 3 | 3 1) (|) (|) (| 3 : | 3 2 1 (| 2 4 O (| 1 1 0 | 0 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Bourke Brewarrina | 2 | 2 | 1 : | 1 : | 2 (| 0 | 2 | 4 3 | 3 2 | : : | 1 : | 2 4 | 4 4 | 4 6 | 5 4 | 3 |
| Far West and Orana | Broken Hill | 0 | 1 | 1 : | 1 : | 1 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (|) 1 | 0 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Central Darling Cobar | 0 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) () (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Coonamble Dubbo Regional** | 0 7 | 2 | 0 (| 0 : 6 : | 2 2 | 2 4 | 2 3 | 0 : | l 1 1 3 | . (|) (| 0 (7 1: | 0 : 2 : | 1 (3 8 | 0 3 6 | 0 10 |
| Far West and Orana | Gilgandra Narromine | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Unincorporated NSW** | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Walgett Warren | 0 0 | 1 0 | 0 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) () (|) (|) () (| 0 (| 0 (0 (|) (| 0 0 | 1 0 |
| Far West and Orana Far West and Orana | Warrumbungle Shire** | 0 0 1 | 0 L4 | 0 0 | 0 (8 1 (| 0 (0 | 0 6 | 0 7 | 0 (6 |) (|) (|) (3 1 (| 0 (0 1) | 0 (8 1 3 |) (3 3 19 | 0 12 | 0 15 |
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| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | Dungog Maitland** | 0 | 1 | 2 : | 2 : | 2 : | 2 | 1 | 1 : | , () L () | , () : | , (L : | 0 (1 : | 0 (1 3 |) (3 2 | 0 0 | 0 1 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | Muswellbrook Port Stephens** | υ 0 | υ 0 | 0 (| υ (0 : | ບ (1 (| υ 0 | 0 1 | υ (1 : |) (L (|) (|) () (| υ : 0 (| 1 í |) (| 2 2 | 1 0 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | Singleton** Upper Hunter Shire | 1 0 | 1 | 0 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) () (| 0 (| 0 : | 1 1 | l 1 | 1 |
| Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | Total: Hunter Valley exc Newcastle | 1 | 2 | 2 : | 3 0 | 4 : | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 0 |) : | L : | 1 : | 3 (| 5 3 | 3 4 | 4 |
| Illawarra Illawarra | Kiama** Shellharbour | 0 4 | 4 | 3 4 | 4 : | 3 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 3 | , C 3 2 | . (| , () (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| , 0 L 0 | 0 |
| Illawarra Illawarra | Wollongong Total: Illawarra | 5 9 | 3 7 | 5 4 8 8 | 4 : 8 | 3 : 6 4 | 1 4 | 2 6 | 2 2 5 ! | 2 1 5 3 | . (|) () (| 0 : 0 : | 1 (1(|) 2) 3 | 1 3 1 | 1 2 |
| Mid North Coast Mid North Coast | Kempsey Mid-Coast** | 4 | 2 | 1 : | 2 : | 1 : | 1 | 0 | 1 : | 3 1 | | 2 (| 0 : | 1 (|) () / |) 2 | 1 |
| Mid North Coast | Nambucca Valley** | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 | - · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | L C |) (|) (| 0 (| _ () 1 | 1 (| 0 | 1 |
| Mid North Coast Mid North Coast | Port Macquarie-Hastings Total: Mid North Coast | 8 | 7 | 7 | 9 8 | 8 : | <u>2</u> | 2 | 5 (| 1 5 3 | . 2 | | 3 (| 1 (4 : |) (<u>1</u> 4 | , 1 1 3 | 0 7 |
| Murray Murray | Albury Balranald | 1 0 | 2 | 2 3 | 3 : 0 (| 2 : 0 (| 2 0 | 2 0 | 1 3 0 0 | 3 C |) (|) : | 1 : 0 (| 1 () (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Murray Murray | Berrigan Edward River | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Murray | Federation** | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (| | 0 | 0 |
| Murray Murray | Greater Hume Shire** Hay | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Murray Murray | Murray River Wentworth | 0 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) () (|) (|) () (| 0 (|) () (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Murray New England and North West | Total: Murray Armidale Regional** | <u>1</u> | 2 | 2 | 3 2 | 2 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 : | 3 C |) (|) : | 1 : | 1 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| New England and North West | Glen Innes Severn | 1 | 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 (| 0 | 1 | 1 : | L 1 | . (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 1 |
| New England and North West New England and North West | Gunnedah Gwydir | 0 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (1 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) : | 1 : 0 (| 1 : 0 : | 1 (1 1 | 0 L 0 | 1 0 |
| New England and North West New England and North West | Inverell Liverpool Plains** | 3 0 | 1 0 | 2 2 | 2 : | 1 : 0 (| 1 0 | 1 0 | 0 : | L 2 | | <u>?</u> | 3 : | 1 ! 0 (| 5 5 | 5 3 0 0 | 3 |
| New England and North West | Moree Plains Narrabri | 5 | 5 | 3 | 4 ! | 5 3 | 3 | 1 | 4 8 | 3 1 | | | 1 : | 3 12 | 2 9 | 9 6 | 10 |
| New England and North West New England and North West | Tamworth Regional | 2 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 : | 1 | 1 | 1 2 | 2 2 | ! : | L 4 | 4 ! | 5 (| 5 3 | 3 6 | 4 |
| New England and North West New England and North West | Tenterfield Uralla | 0 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 : | 1 (0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
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| Newcastle and Lake Macquarie Newcastle and Lake Macquarie | Lake Macquarie** Newcastle | 6 | | 7 | 6 ! | 5 | 7 | 4 | 3 | L 2 | | 1 | 1 | 3 4 | 4 6 | 5 2 | 5 10 |
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| Richmond - Tweed Richmond - Tweed | Ballina Byron | 1 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 1 : 0 (| 1 0 | 1 1 | 2 1 1 (| 2 2) 1 | . (| <u>?</u> (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 1 |
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| Richmond - Tweed Richmond - Tweed | Richmond Valley** Tweed | 1 | 1 | 2 : | 2 : | 1 : | 1 0 | 1 | 1 : | L 1 | . : | l : | 2 : | 2 2 | 2 3 | 3 1 | 3 |
| Richmond - Tweed | Total: Richmond - Tweed | 2 | 3 | 8 (| 6 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 8 | 7 7 | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | 3 | 3 | 8 ! | 5 4 | 4 | 5 |
| Riverina Riverina | Carrathool** Coolamon | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Riverina Riverina | Cootamundra-Gundagai Griffith | 0 2 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) () (|) (|) (L (| 0 (0 : | 0 (1 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Riverina Riverina | Junee Leeton | 0 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 : 1 (| 1 0 | 1 0 | 1 2 | 2 0 |) (|) () (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Riverina | Lockhart** | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Riverina Riverina | Murrumbidgee** Narrandera | 1 | 1 | 1 : | 1 | 1 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Riverina Riverina | Snowy Valleys** Temora | 0 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 1 0 |) () (|) (|) () (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
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| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Shoalhaven** Wingecarribee** | 4 | 3 | 1 2 | 2 | 0 (| 0 | 2 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 0 | 0 |
| Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | Total: Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven | 4 2 | 3 | 1 2 | 2 | 0 (| 0 0 | 2 2 | 0 (|) (| , (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (|) 0) 0 | 0 |
| Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury Sydney - Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury | Hawkesbury** The Hills Shire** | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) 0 | . 2 | <u>·</u> (| 0 (|) (|) () 1 | 1 L 0 | 1 0 |
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| Sydney - City and Inner South | Total: Sydney - City and Inner South | 2 | 3 | 4 : | 3 : | 2 2 | 1 2 | <u>2</u> | 0 2 | 2 0 |) (|) (| 0 (| 0 : | 1 1 | <u> </u> | 1 |
| Sydney - Eastern Suburbs Sydney - Eastern Suburbs | Randwick** Waverley | 0 | 0 | 0 (| 0 (| 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (| , () (| , (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 | 1 |
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| Sydney - Inner South West Sydney - Inner South West | Bayside** Canterbury-Bankstown** | 0 0 | 0 | 0 : | 1 | 1 (| 0 0 | 0 0 | 0 (|) 1 | . (|) (| 0 (| 0 (1 : |) (1 1 | 0 0 | 0 |
| Sydney - Inner South West | Georges River | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 (| 0 | 0 | 0 (|) (|) (|) (| 0 (| 0 (|) (| 0 0 | 0 |
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** These LGAs span across two or more statistical areas. They are listed under the Statistical Area which contains the largest area of each LGA. As some LGAs cross SA4

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NSW Criminal Courts Statistics April 2018 to March 2023

Table 1. Number of proven court appearances where the principal offence* was a selected child sex offence under the Crimes Act 1900, and the defendant resided in the Eurobodalla Local Government Area at time of charge; by legislation, section, short description and lawpart, jurisdiction and penalty type

| Legislation | Section Shor | rt description and lawpart | Jurisdiction | Penalty Type | Apr 2018 - Mar 2019 | Apr 2019 - Mar 2020 | Apr 2020 - Mar 2021 | Apr 2021 - Mar 2022 | Apr 2022 - Mar 2023 | Total |
|-----------------|--------------|--|--------------|--------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------|
| Crimes Act 1900 | 61J(1) Agg s | say assault vistim under the age of 16 years SL Lawnart 274 | Higher Court | Custody | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Crimes Act 1900 | OTI(T) Agg s | Agg sex assault- victim under the age of 16 years-SI - Lawpart 274 | Total | Custody | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

*If a court appearance involves more than one proven offence, the 'principal offence' is the one that receives the most serious penalty.

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