

# SOUTH AUSTRALIAN PUBLIC SECTOR WORKFORCE INFORMATION

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**Table 19 - Employees in the South Australian Public Sector by Occupation\* and Gender, June 2013**

\*Australian & New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO)

Occupations				Male	% Total Males	Female	% Total Females	Total	% Total	
Managers	Chief Executives, General Managers and Legislators	Chief Executives, General Managers and Legislators	1111 Chief Executives and Managing Directors	225	0.7%	154	0.2%	379	0.4%	
			1112 General Managers	326	1.0%	266	0.4%	592	0.6%	
	Specialist Managers	Business Administration Managers	1322 Finance Managers	117	0.3%	62	0.1%	179	0.2%	
			1324 Policy and Planning Managers	146	0.4%	123	0.2%	269	0.3%	
		Education, Health and Welfare Services Managers	1342 Health and Welfare Services Managers	81	0.2%	133	0.2%	214	0.2%	
			1343 School Principals	559	1.6%	903	1.3%	1,462	1.4%	
			1344 Other Education Managers	85	0.2%	444	0.6%	529	0.5%	
		ICT Managers	1351 ICT Managers	155	0.5%	47	0.1%	202	0.2%	
		Miscellaneous Specialist Managers	1391 Commissioned Officers (Management)	184	0.5%	24	0.0%	208	0.2%	
			1399 Other Specialist Managers	699	2.0%	448	0.6%	1,147	1.1%	
	Hospitality, Retail and Service Managers	Accommodation and Hospitality Managers	1419 Other Accommodation and Hospitality Managers	163	0.5%	354	0.5%	517	0.5%	
	All Other Managers				323	0.9%	238	0.3%	561	0.5%
	Total Managers				3,063	9.0%	3,196	4.6%	6,259	6.0%
Professionals	Business, Human Resource and Marketing Professionals	Accountants, Auditors and Company Secretaries	2211 Accountants	364	1.1%	411	0.6%	775	0.7%	
			2212 Auditors, Company Secretaries and Corporate Treasurers	83	0.2%	81	0.1%	164	0.2%	
		Human Resource and Training Professionals	2231 Human Resource Professionals	105	0.3%	353	0.5%	458	0.4%	
		Information and Organisation Professionals	2244 Intelligence and Policy Analysts	277	0.8%	362	0.5%	639	0.6%	
			2247 Management and Organisation Analysts	195	0.6%	252	0.4%	447	0.4%	
			2249 Other Information and Organisation Professionals	184	0.5%	233	0.3%	417	0.4%	
		Sales, Marketing and Public Relations Professionals	2251 Advertising and Marketing Professionals	53	0.2%	117	0.2%	170	0.2%	
	Design, Engineering, Science and Transport Professionals	Engineering Professionals	2332 Civil Engineering Professionals	143	0.4%	27	0.0%	170	0.2%	
			2339 Other Engineering Professionals	112	0.3%	39	0.1%	151	0.1%	
		Natural and Physical Science Professionals	2343 Environmental Scientists	407	1.2%	276	0.4%	683	0.7%	
			2346 Medical Laboratory Scientists	255	0.7%	378	0.5%	633	0.6%	
			2349 Other Natural and Physical Science Professionals	63	0.2%	96	0.1%	159	0.2%	
	Education Professionals	Miscellaneous Education Professionals	2491 Education Advisers and Reviewers	101	0.3%	235	0.3%	336	0.3%	
		School Teachers	2410 School Teachers nfd	1,428	4.2%	3,687	5.3%	5,115	4.9%	
			2411 Early Childhood (Pre-primary School) Teachers	13	0.0%	640	0.9%	653	0.6%	
2412 Primary School Teachers			890	2.6%	4,516	6.4%	5,406	5.2%		
2414 Secondary School Teachers			1,622	4.8%	2,120	3.0%	3,742	3.6%		

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Professionals	Education Professionals	School Teachers	2415	Special Education Teachers	51	0.1%	155	0.2%	206	0.2%
		Tertiary Education Teachers	2422	Vocational Education Teachers (Aus) / Polytechnic Teachers (NZ)	945	2.8%	1,246	1.8%	2,191	2.1%
	Health Professionals	Health Diagnostic and Promotion Professionals	2511	Dieticians	14	0.0%	151	0.2%	165	0.2%
			2512	Medical Imaging Professionals	127	0.4%	345	0.5%	472	0.5%
			2513	Occupational and Environmental Health Professionals	156	0.5%	188	0.3%	344	0.3%
			2515	Pharmacists	86	0.3%	252	0.4%	338	0.3%
			2519	Other Health Diagnostic and Promotion Professionals	46	0.1%	169	0.2%	215	0.2%
			Health Therapy Professionals	2523	Dental Practitioners	90	0.3%	77	0.1%	167
		2524		Occupational Therapists	43	0.1%	464	0.7%	507	0.5%
		2525		Physiotherapists	105	0.3%	380	0.5%	485	0.5%
		2527		Speech Professionals and Audiologists	10	0.0%	341	0.5%	351	0.3%
		Medical Practitioners	2531	Generalist Medical Practitioners	688	2.0%	707	1.0%	1,395	1.3%
			2532	Anaesthetists	180	0.5%	68	0.1%	248	0.2%
			2534	Psychiatrists	107	0.3%	93	0.1%	200	0.2%
			2535	Surgeons	262	0.8%	46	0.1%	308	0.3%
			2539	Other Medical Practitioners	945	2.8%	626	0.9%	1,571	1.5%
	Midwifery and Nursing Professionals	2541	Midwives	9	0.0%	813	1.2%	822	0.8%	
		2542	Nurse Educators and Researchers	56	0.2%	356	0.5%	412	0.4%	
		2543	Nurse Managers	37	0.1%	137	0.2%	174	0.2%	
		2544	Registered Nurses	1,536	4.5%	10,701	15.3%	12,237	11.7%	
ICT Professionals	Database and Systems Administrators, and ICT Security Specialists	2621	Database and Systems Administrators, and ICT Security Specialists	171	0.5%	62	0.1%	233	0.2%	
	ICT Network and Support Professionals	2631	Computer Network Professionals	251	0.7%	89	0.1%	340	0.3%	
Legal, Social and Welfare Professionals	Legal Professionals	2713	Solicitors	148	0.4%	270	0.4%	418	0.4%	
	Social and Welfare Professionals	2723	Psychologists	69	0.2%	248	0.4%	317	0.3%	
		2725	Social Workers	251	0.7%	1,136	1.6%	1,387	1.3%	
		2726	Welfare, Recreation and Community Arts Workers	202	0.6%	511	0.7%	713	0.7%	
All Other Professionals					1,040	3.0%	955	1.4%	1,995	1.9%
Total Professionals					13,920	40.8%	34,409	49.0%	48,329	46.4%
Technicians and Trades Workers	Engineering, ICT and Science Technicians	Agricultural, Medical and Science Technicians	3112	Medical Technicians	272	0.8%	539	0.8%	811	0.8%
			3114	Science Technicians	218	0.6%	176	0.3%	394	0.4%
		ICT and Telecommunications Technicians	3131	ICT Support Technicians	389	1.1%	166	0.2%	555	0.5%
	Electrotechnology and Telecommunications Trades Workers	Electricians	3411	Electricians	168	0.5%	2	0.0%	170	0.2%
	Other Technicians and Trades Workers	Miscellaneous Technicians and Trades Workers	3999	Other Miscellaneous Technicians and Trades Workers	140	0.4%	21	0.0%	161	0.2%

Occupations				Male	% Total Males	Female	% Total Females	Total	% Total
	All Other Technicians and Trades Workers			985	2.9%	299	0.4%	1,284	1.2%
	Total Technicians and Trades Workers			2,172	6.4%	1,203	1.7%	3,375	3.2%
Community and Personal Service Workers	Health and Welfare Support Workers	Health and Welfare Support Workers	4111 Ambulance Officers and Paramedics	615	1.8%	415	0.6%	1,030	1.0%
			4112 Dental Hygienists, Technicians and Therapists	29	0.1%	133	0.2%	162	0.2%
			4114 Enrolled and Mothercraft Nurses	300	0.9%	2,857	4.1%	3,157	3.0%
			4117 Welfare Support Workers	553	1.6%	1,282	1.8%	1,835	1.8%
	Carers and Aides	Education Aides	4221 Education Aides	863	2.5%	6,526	9.3%	7,389	7.1%
		Personal Carers and Assistants	4231 Aged and Disabled Carers	510	1.5%	809	1.2%	1,319	1.3%
			4232 Dental Assistants	7	0.0%	410	0.6%	417	0.4%
			4233 Nursing Support and Personal Care Workers	371	1.1%	1,255	1.8%	1,626	1.6%
			4234 Special Care Workers	139	0.4%	466	0.7%	605	0.6%
	Hospitality Workers	Hospitality Workers	4315 Waiters	72	0.2%	88	0.1%	160	0.2%
	Protective Service Workers	Defence Force Members, Fire Fighters and Police	4412 Fire and Emergency Workers	1,012	3.0%	30	0.0%	1,042	1.0%
			4413 Police	3,322	9.7%	1,197	1.7%	4,519	4.3%
		Prison and Security Officers	4421 Prison Officers	719	2.1%	208	0.3%	927	0.9%
			4422 Security Officers and Guards	173	0.5%	79	0.1%	252	0.2%
	Sports and Personal Service Workers	Sports and Fitness Workers	4521 Fitness Instructors	55	0.2%	189	0.3%	244	0.2%
All Other Community and Personal Service Workers				157	0.5%	320	0.5%	477	0.5%
Total Community and Personal Service Workers				8,897	26.1%	16,264	23.2%	25,161	24.1%
Clerical and Administrative	Office Managers and Program Administrators	Contract, Program and Project Administrators	5111 Contract, Program and Project Administrators	825	2.4%	1,789	2.5%	2,614	2.5%
		Office and Practice Managers	5121 Office Managers	200	0.6%	418	0.6%	618	0.6%
	Personal Assistants and Secretaries	Personal Assistants and Secretaries	5211 Personal Assistants	79	0.2%	666	0.9%	745	0.7%
	General Clerical Workers	General Clerks	5311 General Clerks	1,017	3.0%	6,370	9.1%	7,387	7.1%
	Inquiry Clerks and Receptionists	Call or Contact Centre Information Clerks	5411 Call or Contact Centre Workers	149	0.4%	330	0.5%	479	0.5%
			5412 Inquiry Clerks	143	0.4%	329	0.5%	472	0.5%
		Receptionists	5421 Receptionists	15	0.0%	173	0.2%	188	0.2%
	Numerical Clerks	Accounting Clerks and Bookkeepers	5511 Accounting Clerks	183	0.5%	552	0.8%	735	0.7%
			5513 Payroll Clerks	78	0.2%	210	0.3%	288	0.3%
	Clerical and Office Support Workers	Clerical and Office Support Workers	5619 Other Clerical and Office Support Workers	44	0.1%	151	0.2%	195	0.2%
	Other Clerical and Administrative Workers	Logistics Clerks	5911 Purchasing and Supply Logistics Clerks	81	0.2%	71	0.1%	152	0.1%
			5992 Court and Legal Clerks	92	0.3%	383	0.5%	475	0.5%
		Miscellaneous Clerical and Administrative Workers	5995 Inspectors and Regulatory Officers	186	0.5%	86	0.1%	272	0.3%
5999 Other Miscellaneous Clerical and Administrative Workers			318	0.9%	649	0.9%	967	0.9%	

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	All Other Clerical and Administrative				164	0.5%	522	0.7%	686	0.7%
	Total Clerical and Administrative				3,574	10.5%	12,699	18.1%	16,273	15.6%
Sales Workers	Sales Representatives and Agents	Real Estate Sales Agents	6121	Real Estate Sales Agents	176	0.5%	291	0.4%	467	0.4%
	All Other Sales Workers				26	0.1%	59	0.1%	85	0.1%
	Total Sales Workers				202	0.6%	350	0.5%	552	0.5%
Machinery Operators and Drivers	Road and Rail Drivers	Automobile, Bus and Rail Drivers	7312	Bus and Coach Drivers	113	0.3%	68	0.1%	181	0.2%
			7313	Train and Tram Drivers	242	0.7%	31	0.0%	273	0.3%
	All Other Machinery Operators and Drivers				211	0.6%	35	0.0%	246	0.2%
	Total Machinery Operators and Drivers				566	1.7%	134	0.2%	700	0.7%
Labourers	Cleaners and Laundry Workers	Cleaners and Laundry Workers	8112	Commercial Cleaners	132	0.4%	1,021	1.5%	1,153	1.1%
	Construction and Mining Labourers	Construction and Mining Labourers	8211	Building and Plumbing Labourers	409	1.2%	7	0.0%	416	0.4%
	Food Preparation Assistants	Food Preparation Assistants	8513	Kitchenhands	68	0.2%	502	0.7%	570	0.5%
	Other Labourers	Miscellaneous Labourers	8993	Handypersons	614	1.8%	34	0.0%	648	0.6%
			8999	Other Miscellaneous Labourers	173	0.5%	76	0.1%	249	0.2%
	All Other Labourers				224	0.7%	132	0.2%	356	0.3%
	Total Labourers				1,620	4.8%	1,772	2.5%	3,392	3.3%
Other	Other	Other	Other	91	0.3%	130	0.2%	221	0.2%	
	Total Other				91	0.3%	130	0.2%	221	0.2%
Total SA Public Sector					34,105		70,157		104,262	

Notes
Only occupational codes with more than 150 active and paid persons have been reported individually.
The Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) Australian & New Zealand Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO) is a skill-based classification structure.