

Table 1. Number of Income Management participants by location and measure as at 1 March 2024

1.1 Northern Territory

Measure	Location						Total
	Alice Springs	Barkly	Katherine	Daly - Tiwi - West Arnhem	East Arnhem	Rest of NT	
Disengaged Youth	803	191	636	708	581	711	3,630
Long Term Welfare Payment Recipient	2,731	630	1,850	2,275	1,571	3,237	12,294
Voluntary Income Management	496	127	266	288	205	252	1,634
Child Protection	0	<5	0	0	0	0	<5
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient	16	5	13	17	20	26	97
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient - Youth	49	6	30	21	5	41	152
Supporting People at Risk	<5	0	0	0	0	0	<5

1.2 Western Australia

Measure	Location				Total
	Kimberley	NG Lands and Kiwirrkurra Community	Greater Perth and Peel	Rest of WA	
Disengaged Youth	n.p.	79	0	<5	88
Long Term Welfare Payment Recipient	n.p.	317	<5	n.p.	348
Voluntary Income Management	202	112	n.p.	<5	410
Child Protection	0	0	10	0	10
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient	0	n.p.	0	<5	9
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient - Youth	0	n.p.	<5	<5	18
Supporting People at Risk	0	0	0	0	0

1.3 Queensland

Measure	Location			Total
	Logan	Rockhampton and Livingston	Rest of QLD	
Disengaged Youth	<5	0	n.p.	19
Long Term Welfare Payment Recipient	<5	<5	36	39
Voluntary Income Management	16	14	5	35
Child Protection	0	0	0	0
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient	0	<5	<5	<5
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient - Youth	116	39	26	181
Supporting People at Risk	0	0	0	0

1.4 South Australia

Measure	Location				Total
	Greater Adelaide	Playford	APY Lands	Rest of SA	
Disengaged Youth	<5	<5	7	5	16
Long Term Welfare Payment Recipient	16	n.p.	<5	27	52
Voluntary Income Management	n.p.	15	49	<5	79
Child Protection	<5	0	0	<5	5
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient	0	<5	<5	0	<5
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient - Youth	11	40	<5	n.p.	58
Supporting People at Risk	0	0	0	0	0

1.5 Victoria

Measure	Location		Total
	Shepparton	Rest of VIC	
Disengaged Youth	0	<5	<5
Long Term Welfare Payment Recipient	0	8	8
Voluntary Income Management	n.p.	<5	31
Child Protection	0	0	0
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient	5	0	5
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient - Youth	n.p.	n.p.	23
Supporting People at Risk	0	0	0

1.6 New South Wales

Measure	Location		Total
	Greater Sydney	Rest of NSW	
Disengaged Youth	0	<5	<5
Long Term Welfare Payment Recipient	<5	<5	<5
Voluntary Income Management	5	5	10
Child Protection	0	0	0
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient	5	0	5
Vulnerable Welfare Payment Recipient - Youth	n.p.	n.p.	17
Supporting People at Risk	0	0	0

**Table 2. Current Income Management participants with an active BasicsCard by state/territory as at 1 March 2024**

The BasicsCard is one option available to Income Management participants. Most customers, but not all, choose to use a BasicsCard to access their income managed funds. A small number of IM participants choose to use other payment options, such as direct debit or BPay.

<b>Current Income Management participants with an active BasicsCard by state/territory</b>	
Northern Territory	17,650
Western Australia	860
Queensland	270
South Australia	209
Victoria	67
New South Wales	35
Australian Capital Territory/Tasmania/Unknown	12

**Table 3. Number of Income Management exemptions by Indigenous Indicator as at 1 March 2024**

Full time students receiving ABSTUDY or Austudy are not included in the granted exemptions, full-time student data, as those payments are not subject to the Disengaged Youth or Long Term Welfare Payment Recipient Measures of Income Management.

<b>Exemption Type</b>	<b>Indigenous Indicator</b>		<b>Total</b>
	<b>Indigenous</b>	<b>Non-Indigenous</b>	
Full Time Apprentices	<5	n.p.	<b>8</b>
Full Time Students	39	296	<b>335</b>
Parenting Requirements	273	416	<b>689</b>
Regular Paid Employment	<5	<5	<b>&lt;5</b>
< 25% of Max Payment	5	9	<b>14</b>
Auto < 25% Of Max Rate Payment	376	270	<b>646</b>
Child Participating In Approved Activity	<5	<5	<b>6</b>

**Table 4. Number of enhanced Income Management (eIM) participants by current location, volunteers and First Nations participants as at 1 March 2024**

	Income support payment															
enhanced Income Management region	Abstudy (Living Allowance)	Age Pension	Austudy	Carer Payment	Disability Support Pension	Family Tax Benefit	JobSeeker Payment	Parenting Payment Partnered	Parenting Payment Single	Partner Allowance	Special Benefit	Youth Allowance	Other Payments	Total Participants	Per cent Indigenous	Per cent volunteers
APY Lands (SA)	0	0	0	0	<5	0	12	<5	9	0	0	<5	0	32	n.p.	59%
Bankstown (NSW)	0	0	0	0	<5	0	19	0	<5	0	0	42	0	67	21%	n.p.
Bundaberg & Hervey Bay (QLD)	0	0	0	0	0	0	<5	0	7	0	0	<5	0	13	n.p.	77%
Cape York (QLD)	0	9	0	<5	10	<5	36	7	17	0	0	0	<5	83	n.p.	0%
Ceduna & Surrounds (SA)	0	0	0	<5	8	0	n.p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	50%	100%
East-Kimberley (WA)	0	<5	0	<5	8	0	17	<5	10	0	0	<5	0	44	n.p.	64%
Goldfields (WA)	0	<5	0	<5	10	0	19	0	n.p.	0	0	0	0	36	42%	n.p.
Greater Adelaide (SA)	<5	<5	0	0	<5	0	18	<5	5	0	0	15	0	46	59%	13%
Greater Perth and Peel (WA)	0	<5	0	<5	6	0	8	0	5	0	0	<5	0	25	32%	44%
Greater Shepparton (VIC)	0	0	0	0	<5	0	<5	0	<5	0	0	45	0	50	26%	n.p.
Kimberley (WA)	0	0	0	0	n.p.	0	15	<5	6	0	0	5	0	33	n.p.	24%
Logan (QLD)	0	0	0	<5	12	<5	43	<5	5	0	6	260	0	332	30%	2%
NG Lands and Kiwirrkurra Community (WA)	0	<5	0	0	8	0	10	<5	<5	0	0	10	0	38	n.p.	61%
Northern Territory	<5	26	0	35	170	24	5764	657	1911	0	n.p.	1180	0	9777	80%	3%
Playford (SA)	0	0	0	0	<5	0	n.p.	0	<5	0	<5	72	0	80	20%	0%
Rockhampton and Livingstone (QLD)	0	<5	0	<5	n.p.	0	15	0	<5	0	<5	65	0	90	46%	10%
Other / Out of Area	0	0	0	0	<5	0	90	n.p.	21	0	0	61	0	179	54%	n.p.

<sup>1</sup> Participants in Cape York and Doomadgee region include voluntary and compulsory participants referred by the Family Responsibilities Commission. Breakdown of Cape York and Doomadgee participant numbers by voluntary status is not provided.

<sup>2</sup> Some participants may move outside enhanced IM regions and continue to be eligible for the program.

**Notes**

Additional information on legislation, Income Management, location, data confidentialisation and data caveats can found in Income Management metadata update.