



Domestic and Family Violence Database Global Summary July – September 2007

The following statistical information has been collated from data provided by domestic and family violence prevention and support services funded by the Queensland Government's Department of Communities. The data is collected by the service providers in respect of each new client, or new client matter presenting for assistance in relation to domestic or family violence. Therefore, it does not accurately reflect numbers of individual people, and cannot be seen to represent the total workload of these services, because the data is collected only for *new clients* or *new client matters*. Furthermore, the data only relates to people who access support services and should not be seen to represent the incidence of domestic and family violence in Queensland. Charts have been provided where practical and useful.

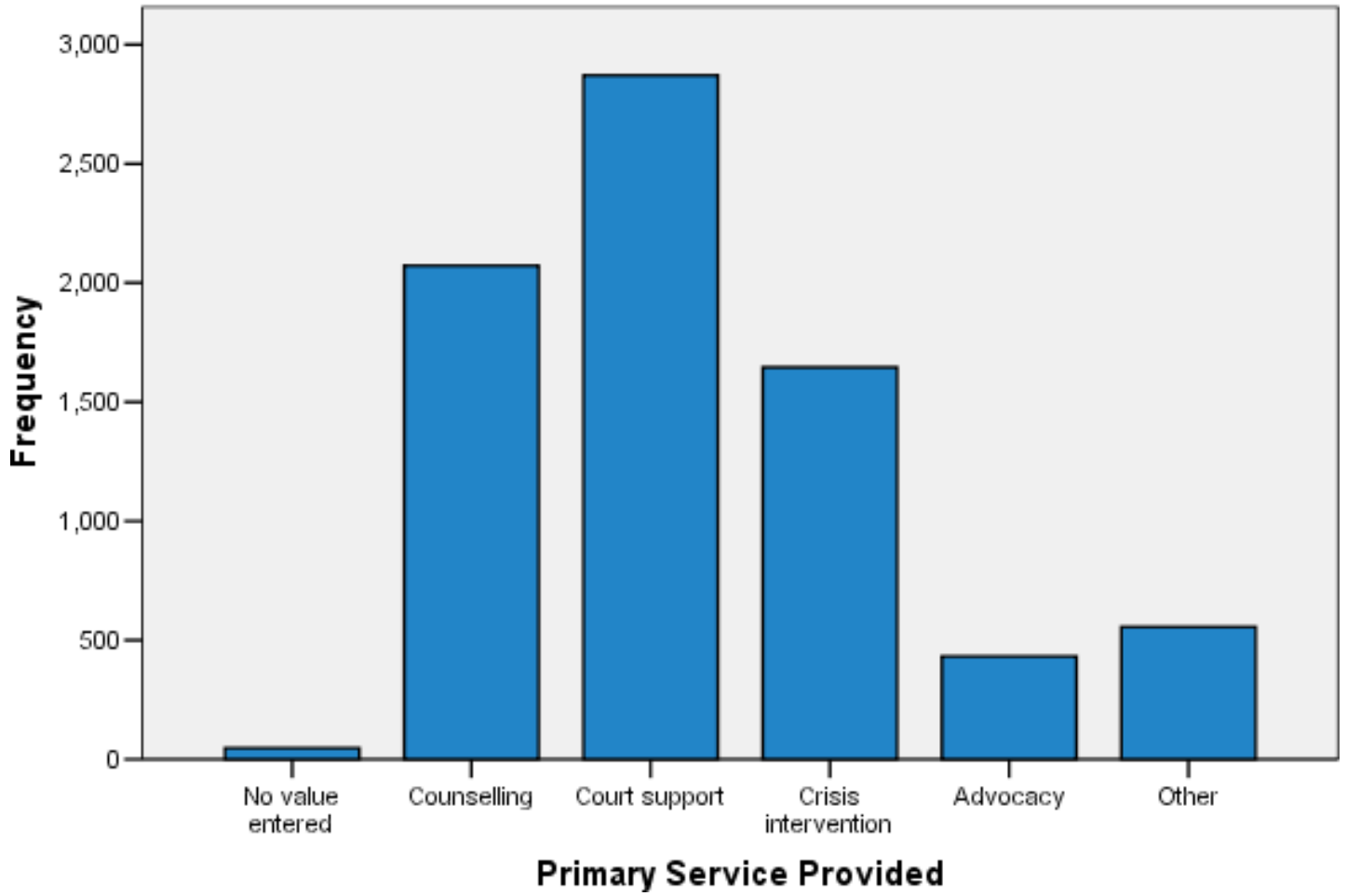
NB: Percentages may be greater/less than 100 due to rounding or missing (not recorded) data

1. Total Number of New Client/Matters – 7623

2. Primary Service Provided

	Frequency	Percent
Court Support	2871	37.7
Crisis Intervention	1645	21.6
Other	556	7.3
Advocacy	432	5.7
Counselling	2072	27.2
No value entered	47	0.6
Total	7623	100

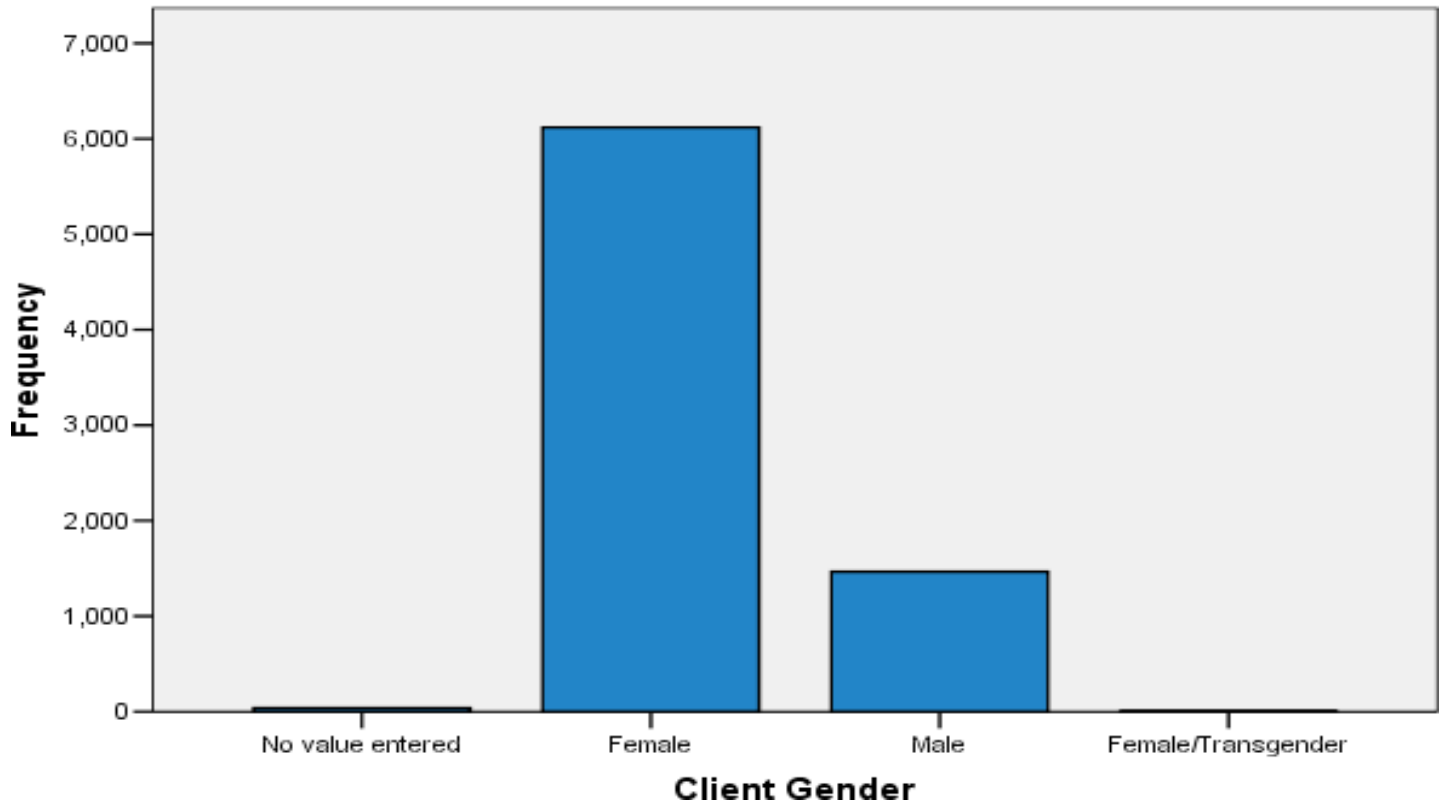
Primary Service Provided



3. Client gender

	Frequency	Percent
Female	6119	80.3
Male	1466	19.2
Female/Transgender	2	0.0
No Value Entered	36	0.5
Total	7623	100

Client Gender



4. Cultural Identity (Ten most frequent)

	Frequency	Percent
Australian	6272	82.3
Australian Aboriginal	585	7.7
New Zealander	121	1.6
Unknown	94	1.2
Filipino	46	0.6
Australian Torres Strait Islander	38	0.5
Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander	28	0.4
Indonesian	25	0.3
Fijian	21	0.3
Indian	20	0.3
Total	7250	95.2

5. Country of Birth (Ten most frequent)

	Frequency	Percent
Australia	6841	89.7
New Zealand	182	2.4
Unknown	90	1.2
Philippines	54	0.7
United Kingdom	46	0.6
Indonesia	24	0.3
Papua New Guinea	24	0.3
South Africa	23	0.3
Fiji	20	0.3
Thailand	20	0.3
Total	7324	196.1

6. Years in Australia if born overseas (where known)

	Frequency	Percent
Less than 2 years	71	0.9
2 – 5 years	117	1.5
More than 5 years	396	5.2
Total	584	7.6

7. Language spoken at home (Ten most frequent)

	Frequency	Percent
English	7494	98.3
Korean	13	0.2
Unknown	11	0.1
Japanese	8	0.1
Arabic	7	0.1
Indonesian	7	0.1
Vietnamese	7	0.1
Russian	6	0.1
Hindustani	5	0.1
Mandarin	5	0.1
Total	7563	99.3

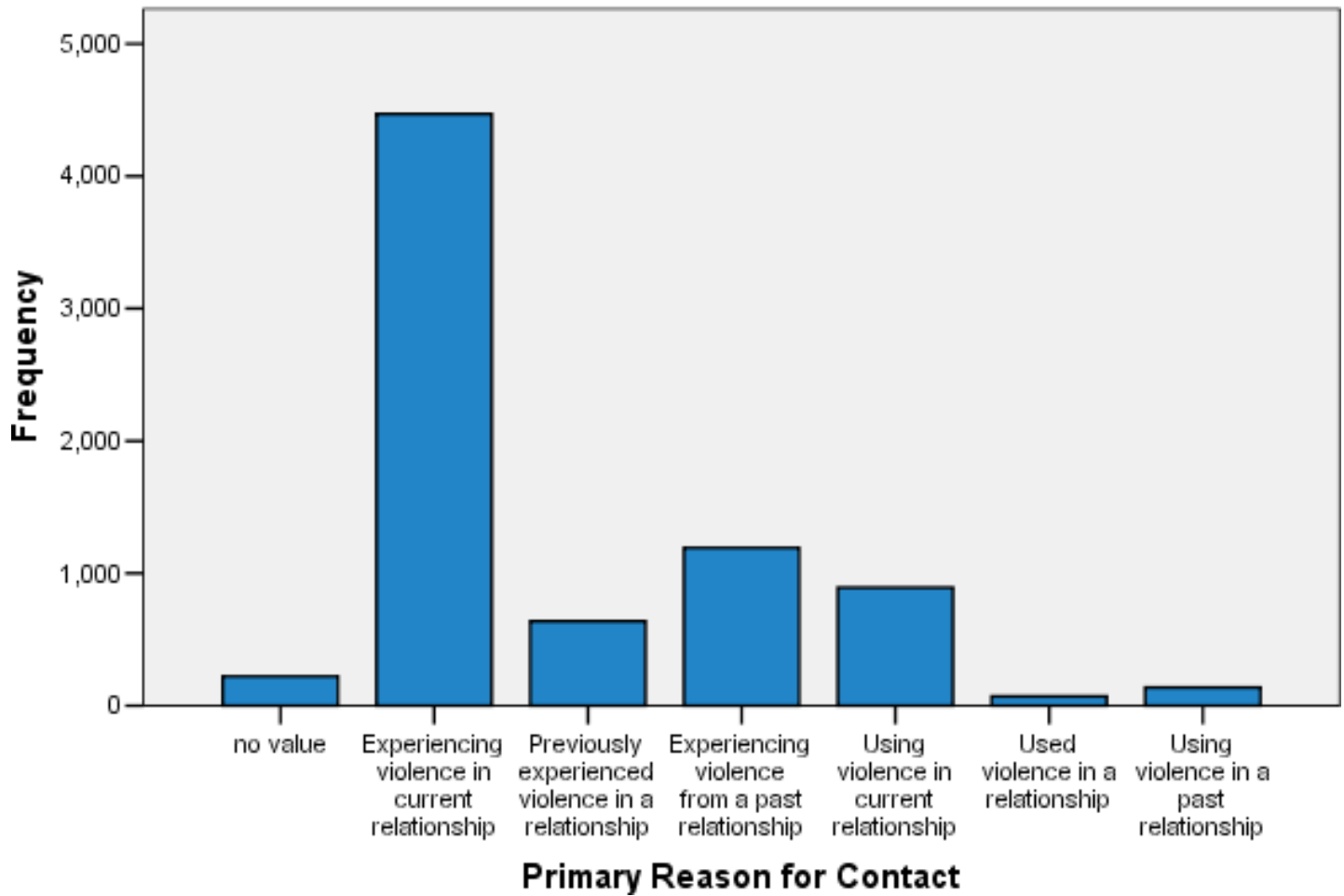
8. Type of relationship

	Frequency	Percent
Spouse	5855	76.8
Spouse – same sex	21	0.3
Intimate personal	560	7.3
Intimate personal – same sex	15	0.2
Providing informal care	10	0.1
Receiving informal care	11	0.1
Family - sibling	151	2.0
Family - parent/child respondent	518	6.8
Family – parent respondent/child	153	2.0
Family – grandparent/grandchild respondent	7	0.1
Family – grandparent respondent/grandchild	9	0.1
Other	229	3.0
No value entered	84	1.1
Total	7623	100

9. Primary Reason for contact

	Frequency	Percent
Experiencing violence in current relationship	4470	58.6
Experiencing violence from a past relationship	1192	15.6
Previously experienced violence in a relationship	639	8.4
Using violence in a current relationship	892	11.7
Used violence in a relationship	71	0.9
Using violence in a past relationship	138	1.8
No value entered	221	2.9
Total	7623	100

Primary Reason for Contact



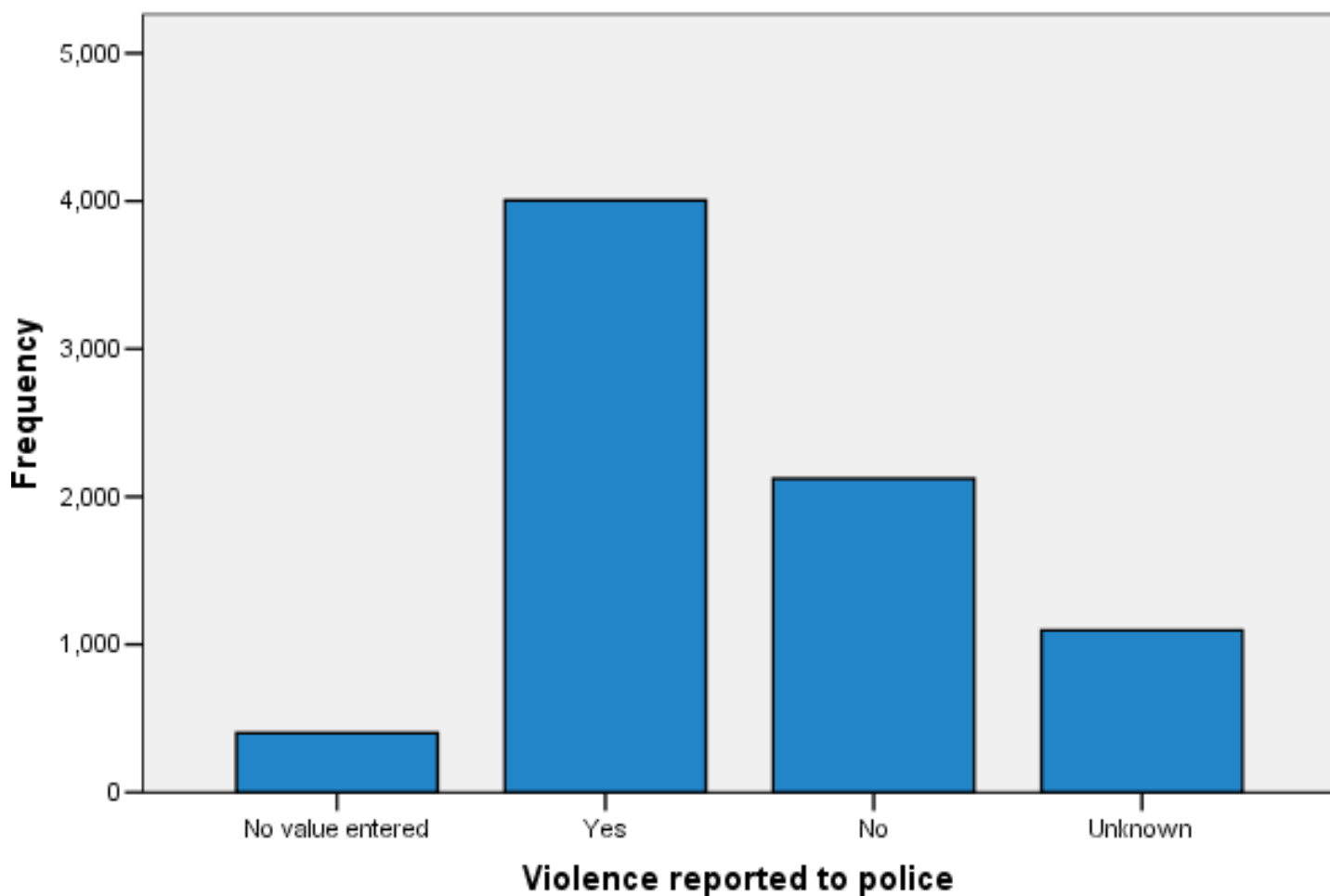
10. Gender of other party

	Frequency	Percent
Male	5894	77.3
Female	1455	19.1
Transgender	1	0.0
Female/Transgender	1	0.0
Male/Transgender	1	0.0
Multiple other parties	49	0.6
No value entered	222	2.9
Total	7623	100

11. Violence reported to police

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	4005	52.5
No	2121	27.8
Unknown	1096	14.4
No value entered	401	5.3
Total	7623	100

Violence reported to police



12. Current domestic violence order status

	Frequency
Current order application	1823
Current order	1859
Temporary order	818
Servicing assisting with order	521
Applying to vary order	296
Expired order	164
Multiple Orders	28
Registered Interstate order	12
Unregistered Interstate order	21
No current order	2156
Unknown	622
Total	8320

13. Who is client on current order

	Frequency	Percent
The aggrieved	3094	40.6
The respondent	985	12.9
Cross-order aggrieved/respondent	210	2.8
Aggrieved & respondent	117	1.5
A combination of two or more of the above	8	0.1
No value entered	3209	42.1
Total	7623	100

14. Disabilities

	Frequency
No disability	4434
Psychiatric disability	342
Physical disability	169
Specific learning disability	13
Intellectual disability	60
Neurological disability	41
Acquired brain injury	8
Autism	4
Sensory and speech disability	30
Unknown disability	2184
Total	7285

15. Reports of children in household (by age group)

	Frequency*
0-2 years	1575
3-5 years	1682
6-8 years	1464
9-11 years	1040
12-14 years	808
15-18 years	608
>18 years	501
Unknown	1276
Unborn	302
Total	7980

***NB** This figure represents the number of reports and not the actual number of children in the household