

Domestic and Family Violence Database Global Summary July 2011 – September 2011

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.

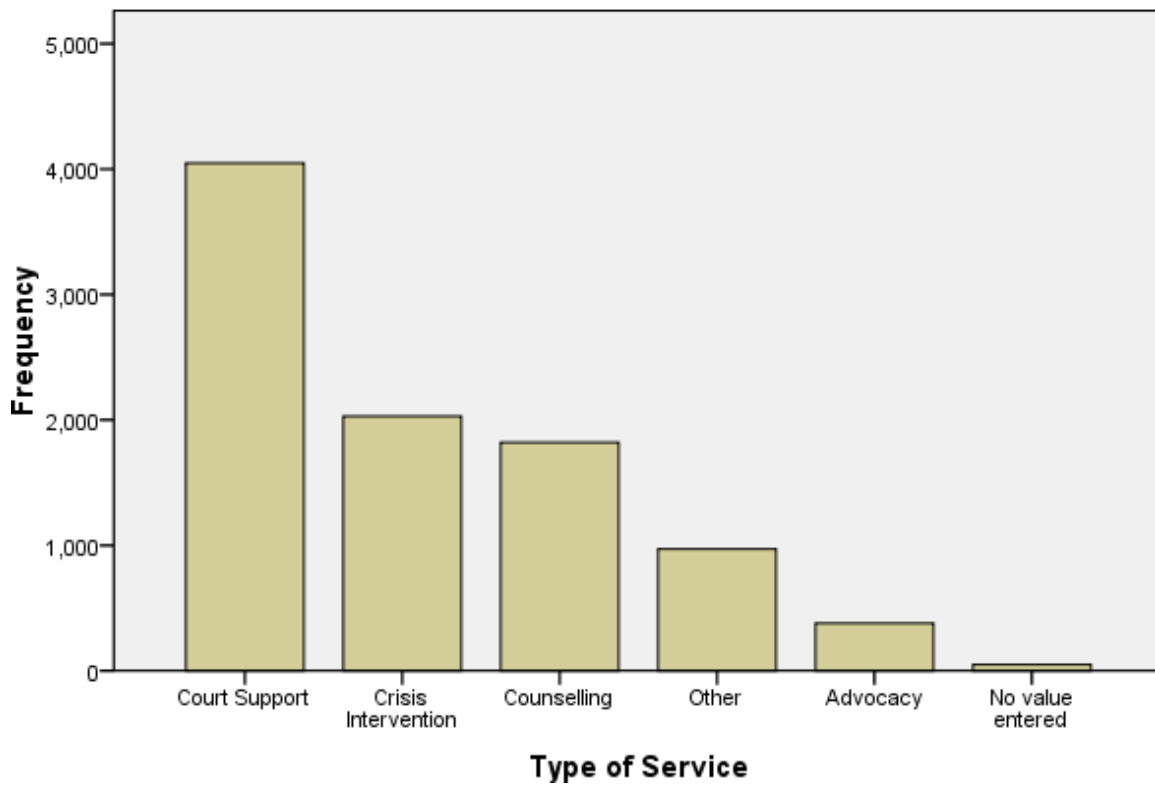
NB: Percentages may be greater/less than 100 due to rounding or missing (not recorded) data

1. Total Number of New Client/Matters – 9297

2. Primary Service Provided

	Frequency	Percent
Court Support	4048	43.5
Crisis Intervention	2030	21.8
Other	970	10.4
Advocacy	379	4.1
Counselling	1821	19.6
No value entered	49	0.5
Total	9297	100

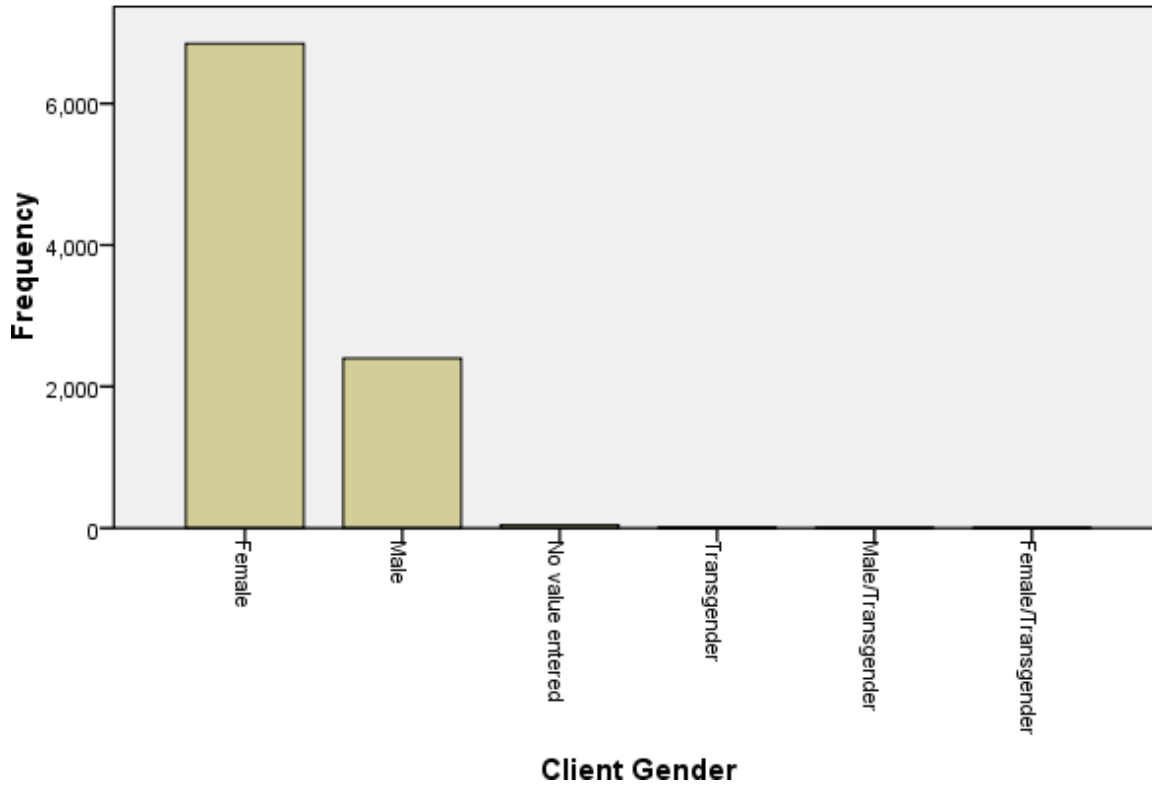
Type of Service



3. Client gender

	Frequency	Percent
Female	6847	73.6
Male	2400	25.8
Transgender	4	0.0
No Value Entered	43	0.5
Female/Transgender	1	0.0
Male/Transgender	2	0.0
Total	9297	100

Client Gender



4. Cultural Identity (Ten most frequent)

	Frequency	Percent
Australian	7352	79.1
Australian Aboriginal	809	8.7
New Zealander	151	1.6
Australian Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander	100	1.1
Australian Torres Strait Islander	77	0.8
Filipino	49	0.5
Indian	44	0.5
Samoan	39	0.4
Chinese	38	0.4
Maori	38	0.4
Total	8697	93.5

5. Country of Birth (Ten most frequent)

	Frequency	Percent
Australia	8372	90.1
New Zealand	208	2.2
United Kingdom	64	0.7
Philippines	63	0.7
Sudan	40	0.4
China	36	0.4
Fiji	34	0.4
India	33	0.4
Papua New Guinea	31	0.3
Samoa	31	0.3
Total	8912	95.9

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

	Frequency	Percent
More than 5 years	494	5.3
2 – 5 years	159	1.7
Less than 2 years	82	0.9
Total	735	7.9

7. Language spoken at home (Ten most frequent)

	Frequency	Percent
English	9119	98.1
Sudanese	19	0.2
Spanish	17	0.2
Tongan	10	0.1
Cantonese	9	0.1
Unknown	9	0.1
Tagalog	8	0.1
Thai	8	0.1
Hindustani (Hindi)	7	0.1
Vietnamese	7	0.1
Total	9213	99.2

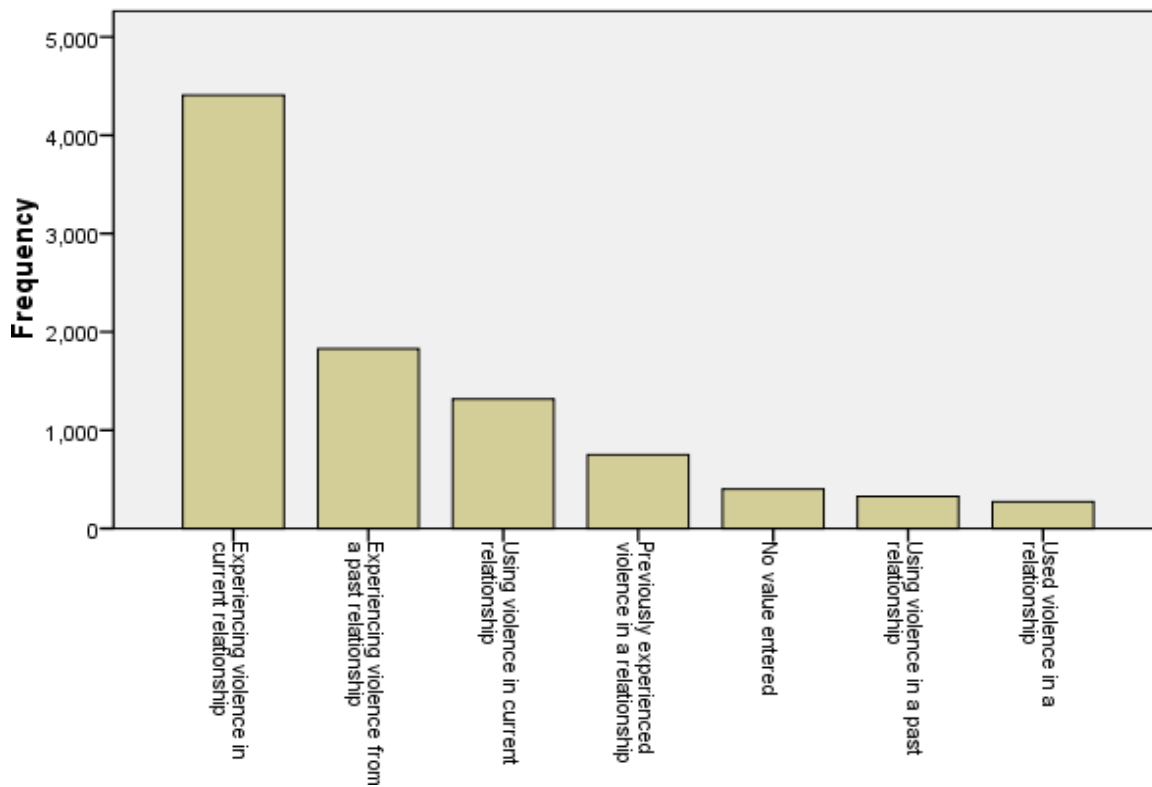
8. Type of relationship

	Frequency	Percent
Spouse	7061	75.9
Spousal same sex	33	0.4
Intimate personal	676	7.3
Intimate personal same sex	26	0.3
Family - sibling	227	2.4
Informal care – providing care	5	0.1
Informal care – receiving care	4	0.0
Family – Parent/Child Respondent	384	4.1
Family – Parent Respondent/Child Respondent	230	2.5
Grandparent/Grandchild Respondent	24	0.3
Grandparent Respondent/Grandchild	7	0.1
Other	378	4.1
No value entered	242	2.5
Total	9297	100

9. Primary Reason for contact

	Frequency	Percent
Experiencing violence in current relationship	4406	47.4
Previously experienced violence in a relationship	750	8.1
Experiencing violence from a past relationship	1827	19.7
Using violence in current relationship	1316	14.2
Used violence in a relationship	271	2.9
Using violence in a past relationship	327	3.5
No value entered	400	4.3
Total	9297	100

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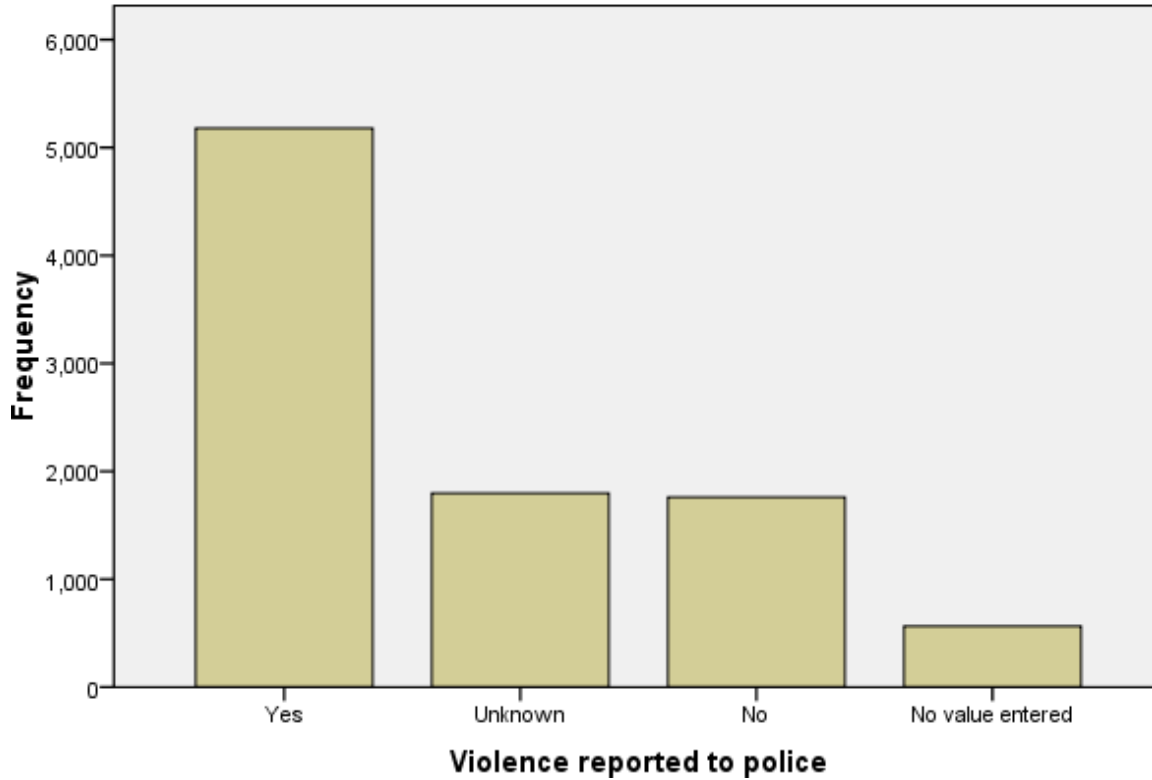
10. Gender of other party

	Frequency	Percent
Male	6407	68.9
Female	2461	26.5
No value entered	349	3.8
Female/Transgender	3	0.0
Multiple other parties	77	0.8
Total	9297	100

11. Violence reported to police

	Frequency	Percent
Yes	5179	55.7
No	1759	18.9
Unknown	1796	19.3
No value entered	563	6.1
Total	9297	100

Violence reported to police



12. Current domestic violence order status

	Frequency	Percent
No current order	2046	22.0
Service assisting with application	606	6.5
Current application	2410	25.9
Current order	2610	28.1
Current temporary order	1263	13.6
Current registered interstate order	6	0.1
Unregistered interstate order	8	0.1
Expired order	149	1.6
Applying to vary	510	5.5
Multiple current orders	67	0.7
Unknown	706	7.6
Total	9297	100

13. Who is client on current order

	Frequency	Percent
The aggrieved	4183	45.0
The respondent	1628	17.5
Cross-order aggrieved/respondent	248	2.7
No value entered	3061	32.9
Aggrieved & respondent	166	1.8
A combination of two or more of the above	11	0.1
Total	9297	100

14. Disabilities

	Frequency	Percent
No disability	5335	57.4
Physical	198	2.1
Special Learning	29	0.3
Intellectual	106	1.1
Autism	9	0.1
Acquired brain injury	28	0.3
Psychiatric	297	3.2
Neurological	32	0.3
Sensory and speech	17	0.2
Unknown	2174	23.4
No value entered	1072	11.6
Total	9297	100

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

	Frequency*
0-2 years	1843
3-5 years	1922
6-8 years	1637
9-11 years	1267
12-14 years	956
15-18 years	665
>18 years	549
Unknown	1300
Unborn	189
Total	9028

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