

Eye and Tissue Donation in Australia

Monthly Report
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Preliminary Data

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1 Acknowledgements

According to the Eye Bank Association of Australia and New Zealand (EBAANZ), since the end of 2011, the number of corneal transplants in Australia each year has exceeded the number of new patients requiring transplants each year. This means the current demand for corneal transplants in Australia is being met and should be noted when comparing 2025 corneal transplantation numbers to previous years published.



2 Counting Methodology

Each tissue bank and Queensland eye bank uses a Minimum Data Set Template (MDS) to provide the Registry de-identified donor information for each tissue type, as well as aggregate data for reporting of notified tissue graft implants and notified tissue graft recipients.

Each eye bank (excluding Queensland eye bank) use a generated report from the Electronic Donor Record (EDR), which collects data about eye donation activity in Australia.

Data received undergoes reconciliation and cross checking between the solid organ sector (ANZOD), the eye sector (participating eye banks) and the tissue sector (participating tissue banks) to ensure accuracy at the time of reporting.

The Registry declares:

- All donations of eye tissue have come from deceased donors.
- Eye donors include those who have donated 2 whole eyes, 2 corneas or one whole eye or one cornea.
- Eye and Tissue Graft Implants and Transplant Recipient data includes transplant events that have occurred in a different jurisdiction to where the tissue was donated.
- Graft Implants and Transplant Recipient data may or may not be a direct outcome of tissue donations reported for the month, as tissue can be stored for a period of time before the graft is implanted.
- Outcome data does not capture tissue that has been supplied for implant but not yet notified as implanted to the distributing tissue bank.
- This report supersedes previous monthly reports and as data reported is subject to revision it may change in subsequent reporting.



3 Eye and Tissue Donors

3.1 Unique Tissue Donors

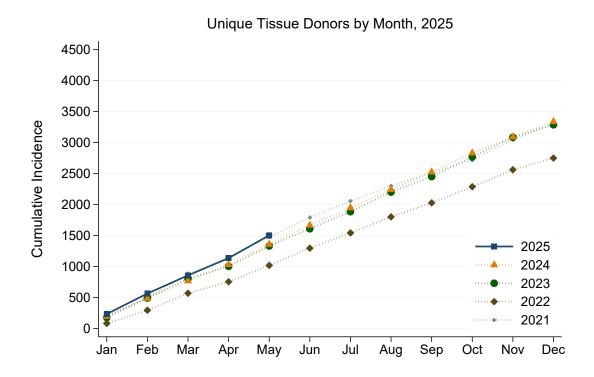


Figure 1: Unique Tissue Donors by Month, 2025



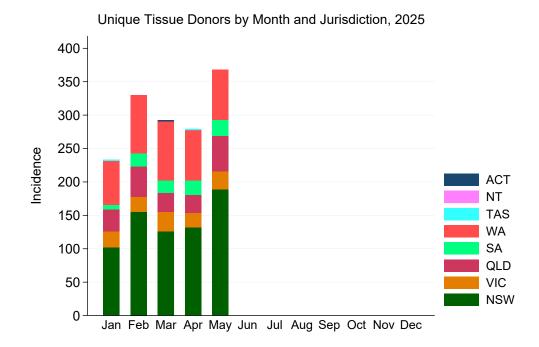


Figure 2: Unique Tissue Donors by Month and Jurisdiction, 2025

Table 1: Unique Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	102	155	126	132	189								704
VIC	24	23	29	22	27								$\bf 125$
QLD	33	45	29	27	53								187
SA	7	20	18	21	24								90
WA	67	87	89	76	75								394
TAS	1	0	0	1	0								2
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	1	0	0								1
AUSTRALIA	234	330	292	279	368								1503



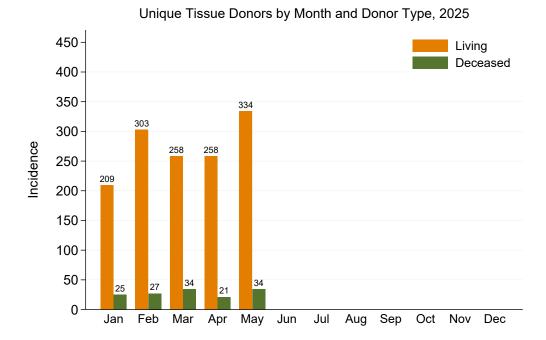


Figure 3: Unique Tissue Donors by Month and Donor Type, 2025

Table 2: Unique Living Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	97	150	117	126	180								670
VIC	15	19	22	14	13								83
QLD	24	31	18	23	43								139
SA	6	18	15	20	24								83
WA	67	85	86	75	74								387
TAS	0	0	0	0	0								0
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0								0
AUSTRALIA	209	303	258	258	334								1362

Table 3: Unique Deceased Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	5	5	9	6	9								34
VIC	9	4	7	8	14								42
QLD	9	14	11	4	10								48
SA	1	2	3	1	0								7
WA	0	2	3	1	1								7
TAS	1	0	0	1	0								2
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	1	0	0								1
AUSTRALIA	25	27	34	21	34								141



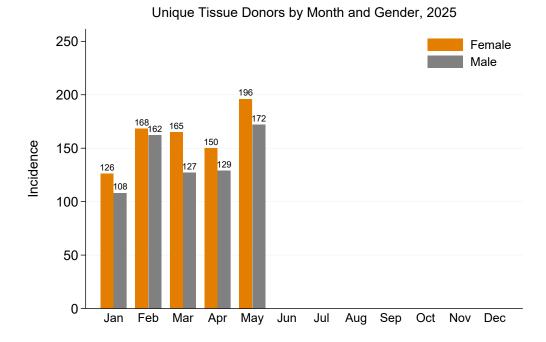


Figure 4: Unique Tissue Donors by Month and Gender, 2025

Table 4: Unique Female Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	67	83	68	77	106								401
VIC	11	9	15	11	15								61
QLD	11	24	17	8	27								87
SA	2	10	12	11	12								47
WA	35	42	53	43	36								209
TAS	0	0	0	0	0								0
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0								0
AUSTRALIA	126	168	165	150	196								805

Table 5: Unique Male Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	35	72	58	55	83								303
VIC	13	14	14	11	12								64
QLD	22	21	12	19	26								100
SA	5	10	6	10	12								43
WA	32	45	36	33	39								185
TAS	1	0	0	1	0								2
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	1	0	0								1
AUSTRALIA	108	162	127	129	172								698



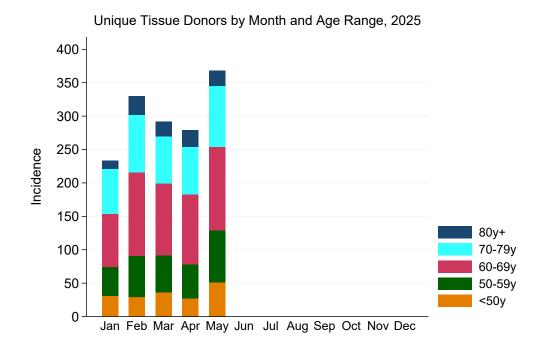


Figure 5: Unique Tissue Donors by Month and Age Range, 2025

Table 6: Unique Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2025

	<50y	50-59y	60–69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	84	135	228	200	57	704
VIC	23	22	50	23	7	125
QLD	24	58	81	21	3	187
SA	6	7	31	28	18	90
WA	35	67	153	114	25	394
TAS	1	1	0	0	0	2
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	1	0	0	0	0	1
AUSTRALIA	174	290	543	386	110	1503



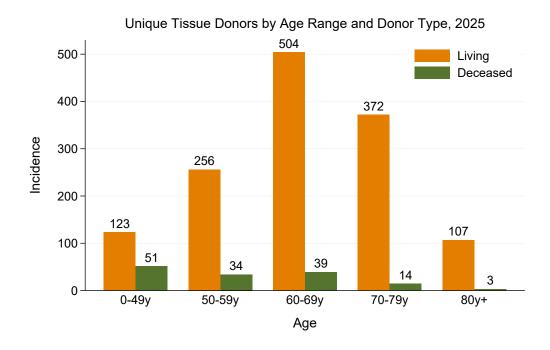


Figure 6: Unique Tissue Donors by Age Range and Donor Type, 2025

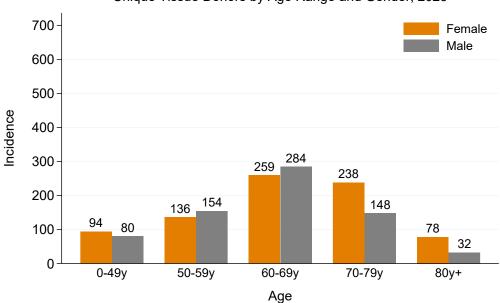
Table 7: Unique Living Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2025

	<50y	50-59y	60–69y	70–79y	80y+	Total
NSW	73	126	218	198	55	670
VIC	6	10	37	23	7	83
QLD	10	47	70	10	2	139
SA	3	6	28	28	18	83
WA	31	67	151	113	25	387
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	123	256	504	372	107	1362

Table 8: Unique Deceased Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2025

	<50 y	50-59y	60-69y	70–79y	80y+	Total
NSW	11	9	10	2	2	34
VIC	17	12	13	0	0	42
QLD	14	11	11	11	1	48
SA	3	1	3	0	0	7
WA	4	0	2	1	0	7
TAS	1	1	0	0	0	2
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	1	0	0	0	0	1
AUSTRALIA	51	34	39	14	3	141





Unique Tissue Donors by Age Range and Gender, 2025

Figure 7: Unique Tissue Donors by Age Range and Gender, 2025

Table 9: Unique Female Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2025

	<50y	50-59y	60-69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	51	71	116	125	38	401
VIC	6	11	22	15	7	61
QLD	14	28	32	10	3	87
SA	3	4	14	14	12	47
WA	20	22	75	74	18	209
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	94	136	259	238	78	805

Table 10: Unique Male Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2025

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	< 50y	50-59y	60–69y	70 - 79y	80y+	Total
NSW	33	64	112	75	19	303
VIC	17	11	28	8	0	64
QLD	10	30	49	11	0	100
SA	3	3	17	14	6	43
WA	15	45	78	40	7	185
TAS	1	1	0	0	0	2
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	1	0	0	0	0	1
AUSTRALIA	80	154	284	148	32	698



3.2 Eye Donors

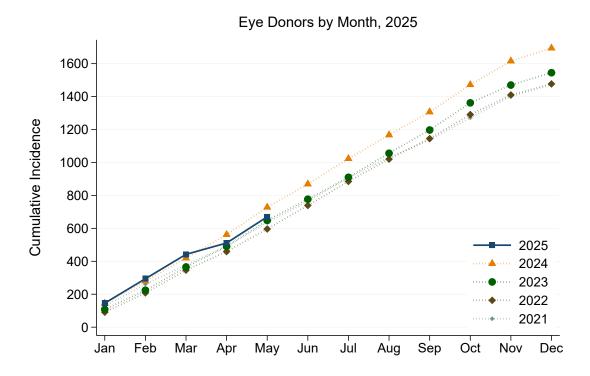


Figure 8: Eye Donors by Month, 2025



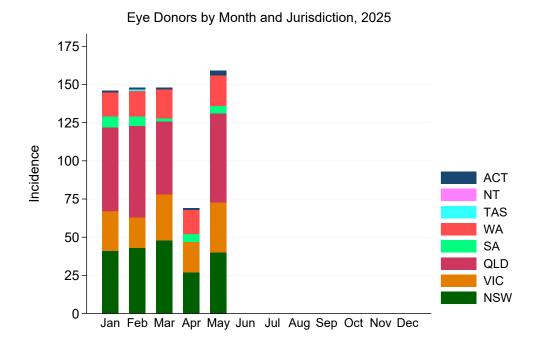


Figure 9: Eye Donors by Month and Jurisdiction, 2025

Table 11: Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	41	43	48	27	40								199
VIC	26	20	30	20	33								129
QLD	55	60	48	0	58								221
SA	7	6	2	5	5								25
WA	16	17	19	16	20								88
TAS	0	1	0	0	0								1
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	1	1	1	1	3								7
AUSTRALIA	146	148	148	69	159								670



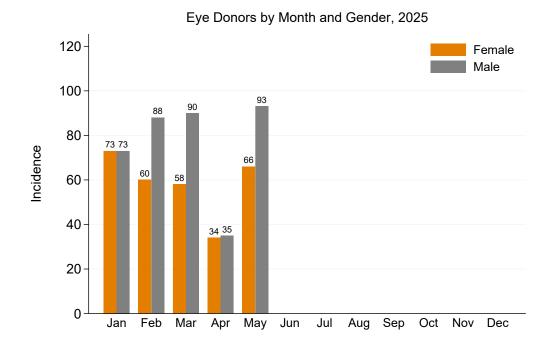


Figure 10: Eye Donors by Month and Gender, 2025

Table 12: Female Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	22	13	21	12	16								84
VIC	15	9	13	8	12								57
QLD	25	29	15	0	31								100
SA	4	2	2	4	0								12
WA	7	7	7	9	6								36
TAS	0	0	0	0	0								0
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	0	1	1								2
AUSTRALIA	73	60	58	34	66								291

Table 13: Male Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	19	30	27	15	24								115
VIC	11	11	17	12	21								72
QLD	30	31	33	0	27								121
SA	3	4	0	1	5								13
WA	9	10	12	7	14								$\bf 52$
TAS	0	1	0	0	0								1
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	1	1	1	0	2								5
AUSTRALIA	73	88	90	35	93								379



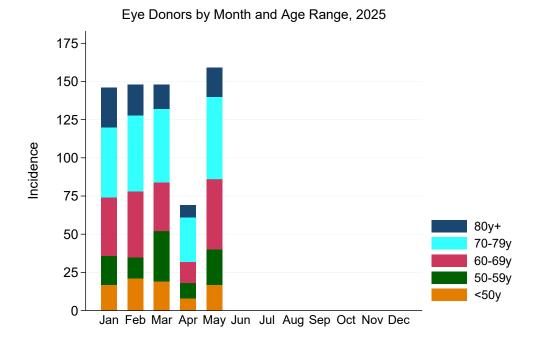


Figure 11: Eye Donors by Month and Age Range, 2025

Table 14: Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2025

	<50y	50-59y	60–69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	13	23	42	82	39	199
VIC	27	27	40	28	7	129
QLD	24	27	55	77	38	221
SA	2	7	9	7	0	25
WA	14	14	26	31	3	88
TAS	0	1	0	0	0	1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	2	0	1	2	2	7
AUSTRALIA	82	99	173	227	89	670



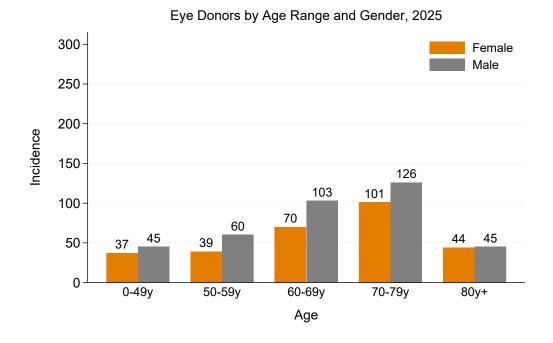


Figure 12: Eye Donors by Age Range and Gender, 2025

Table 15: Female Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2025

	<50 y	50-59y	60-69y	70 - 79y	80y+	Total
NSW	7	9	18	31	19	84
VIC	12	12	13	15	5	57
QLD	10	9	26	36	19	100
SA	2	3	3	4	0	12
WA	6	6	10	14	0	36
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	0	0	0	1	1	2
AUSTRALIA	37	39	70	101	44	291

Table 16: Male Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2025

	<50 y	50-59y	60-69y	70 - 79y	80y +	Total
NSW	6	14	24	51	20	115
VIC	15	15	27	13	2	72
QLD	14	18	29	41	19	121
SA	0	4	6	3	0	13
WA	8	8	16	17	3	52
TAS	0	1	0	0	0	1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	2	0	1	1	1	5
AUSTRALIA	45	60	103	126	45	379



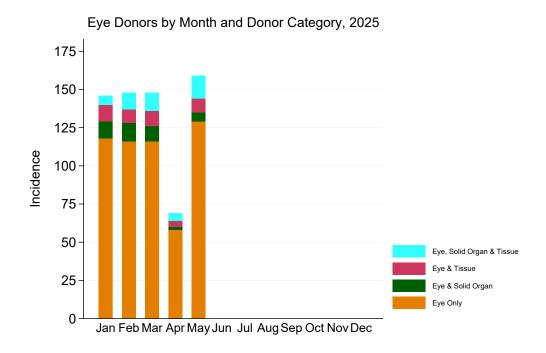


Figure 13: Eye Donors by Month and Donor Category, 2025

Table 17: Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Donor Category, 2025

	Eye Only	Eye and Solid Organ	Eye and Tissue	Eye, Solid Organ and Tissue
NSW	171	12	5	11
VIC	77	18	16	18
QLD	185	4	19	13
SA	20	2	0	3
WA	78	4	3	3
TAS	1	0	0	0
ACT	5	1	0	1
AUSTRALIA	537	41	43	49



4 Tissue Donations

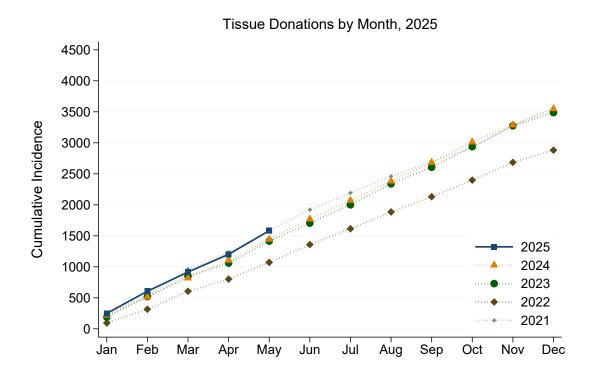


Figure 14: Tissue Donations by Month, 2025



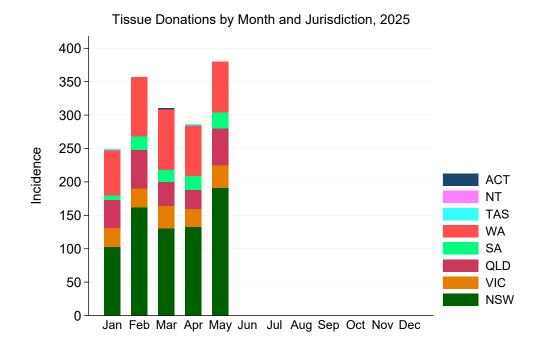


Figure 15: Tissue Donations by Month and Jurisdiction, 2025

Table 18: Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

-	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	103	162	131	133	191								720
VIC	28	28	33	27	34								150
QLD	42	58	36	28	55								219
SA	7	20	18	21	24								90
WA	68	89	91	76	76								400
TAS	1	0	0	1	0								2
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	1	0	0								1
AUSTRALIA	249	357	310	286	380								1582



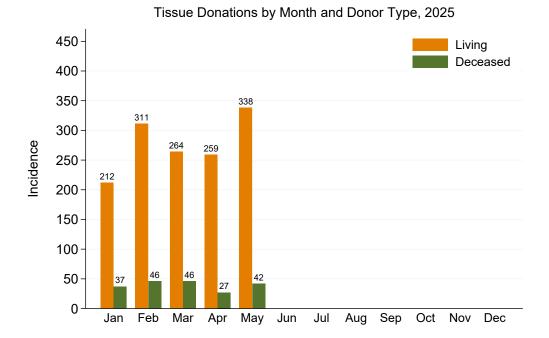


Figure 16: Tissue Donations by Month and Donor Type, 2025

Table 19: Living Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	98	156	121	127	182								684
VIC	15	19	22	14	13								83
QLD	25	31	18	23	44								141
SA	6	18	15	20	24								83
WA	68	87	88	75	75								393
TAS	0	0	0	0	0								0
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0								0
AUSTRALIA	212	311	264	259	338								1384



Table 20: Living Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Tissue Type, 2025

	Amnion	Cardiovascular	Musculoskeletal
NSW	28	13	643
VIC	0	4	79
QLD	0	0	141
SA	0	0	83
WA	0	0	393
TAS	0	0	0
NT	0	0	0
ACT	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	28	17	1339

Table 21: Deceased Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	5	6	10	6	9								36
VIC	13	9	11	13	21								67
QLD	17	27	18	5	11								78
SA	1	2	3	1	0								7
WA	0	2	3	1	1								7
TAS	1	0	0	1	0								2
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	1	0	0								1
AUSTRALIA	37	46	46	27	42								198

Table 22: Deceased Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Donor Category, 2025

	So	olid Org	an/Tissi	ue		Tissue	e Only			To	tal	
	cv	ms	skin	pi	cv	ms	skin	pi	cv	ms	skin	pi
NSW	24	4	0	0	1	7	0	0	25	11	0	0
VIC	18	7	8	1	6	10	17	0	24	17	25	1
QLD	13	16	9	0	0	25	15	0	13	41	24	0
SA	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0
WA	0	4	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	7	0	0
TAS	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	65	31	17	1	7	45	32	0	72	7 6	49	1

Table 23: Intended Solid Organ Donor Who Became Eyes and Tissue Donors, 2025

	Eye Only	Tissue Only	Eye and Tissue
NSW	4	0	0
VIC	9	0	3
QLD	1	0	2
SA	5	0	0
WA	3	0	0
TAS	1	0	0
NT	0	0	0
ACT	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	23	0	5



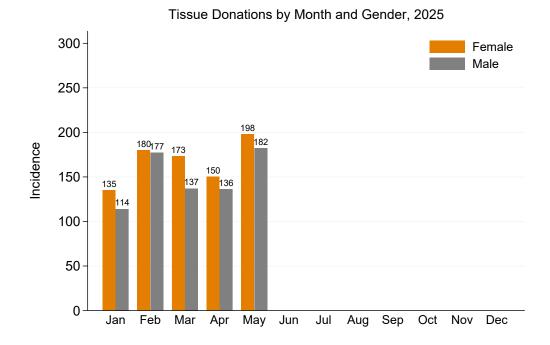


Figure 17: Tissue Donations by Month and Gender, 2025

Table 24: Female Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	68	84	71	77	106								406
VIC	13	9	16	11	15								64
QLD	16	33	20	8	28								105
SA	2	10	12	11	12								47
WA	36	44	54	43	37								214
TAS	0	0	0	0	0								0
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0								0
AUSTRALIA	135	180	173	150	198								836

Table 25: Male Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	35	78	60	56	85								314
VIC	15	19	17	16	19								86
QLD	26	25	16	20	27								114
SA	5	10	6	10	12								43
WA	32	45	37	33	39								186
TAS	1	0	0	1	0								2
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	1	0	0								1
AUSTRALIA	114	177	137	136	182								746



5 Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted

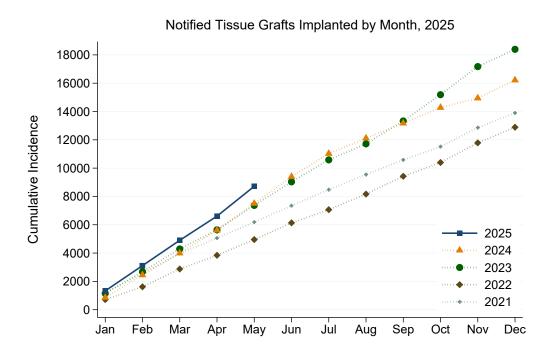
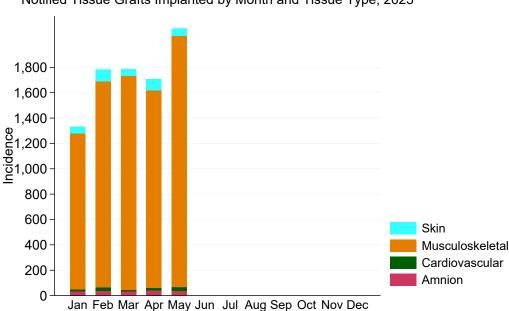


Figure 18: Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted by Month, 2025

Table 26: Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	755	967	1102	1060	1286								5170
VIC	192	186	120	149	216								863
QLD	324	574	492	422	531								2343
SA	5	6	9	2	1								23
WA	55	51	64	75	74								319
TAS	0	0	0	0	0								0
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0								0
AUSTRALIA	1331	1784	1787	1708	2108								8718





Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted by Month and Tissue Type, 2025

Figure 19: Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted by Month and Tissue Type, 2025

Table 27: Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Tissue Type, 2025

	Amnion	Cardiovascular	Musculoskeletal	Skin
NSW	181	94	4895	0
VIC	0	2	798	63
QLD	0	7	2050	286
SA	0	0	23	0
WA	0	0	319	0
AUSTRALIA	181	103	8085	349



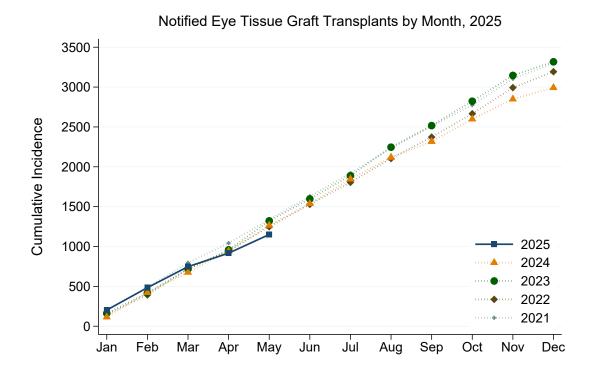


Figure 20: Notified Eye Tissue Graft Transplants by Month, 2025

Table 28: Notified Eye Tissue Graft Transplants by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	44	64	68	94	81								351
VIC	46	65	45	37	47								240
QLD	78	113	110	0	46								347
SA	7	8	7	4	7								33
WA	28	28	30	35	46								167
TAS	0	2	0	0	0								2
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	1	3	0	6								10
AUSTRALIA	203	281	263	170	233								1150

Table 29: Cornea Graft Transplants by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	43	62	59	66	68								298
VIC	42	47	44	37	47								217
QLD	73	103	87	0	40								303
SA	7	8	7	4	7								33
WA	28	28	30	35	43								164
TAS	0	2	0	0	0								2
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	1	3	0	6								10
AUSTRALIA	193	251	230	142	211								1027

Table 30: Sclera Unit Graft Transplants by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	1	2	9	28	13								53
VIC	4	18	1	0	0								23
QLD	5	10	23	0	6								44
SA	0	0	0	0	0								0
WA	0	0	0	0	3								3
TAS	0	0	0	0	0								0
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0								0
AUSTRALIA	10	30	33	28	22								123



6 Notified Tissue Graft Recipients

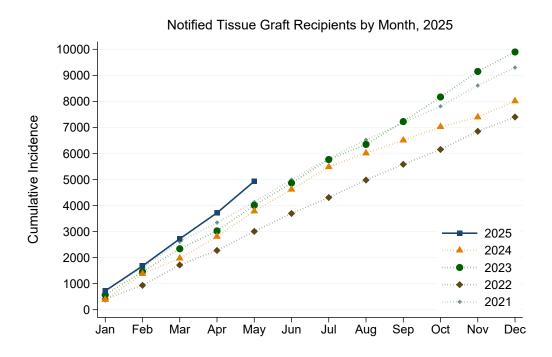


Figure 21: Notified Tissue Graft Recipients by Month, 2025

Table 31: Notified Tissue Graft Recipients by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	471	641	740	720	853								3425
VIC	83	99	75	75	116								448
QLD	134	182	161	148	192								817
SA	3	6	7	2	1								19
WA	32	28	60	53	48								221
TAS	0	0	0	0	0								0
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0								0
AUSTRALIA	723	956	1043	998	1210								4930



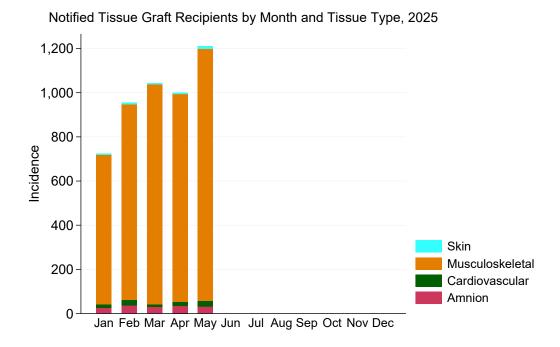


Figure 22: Notified Tissue Graft Recipients by Month and Tissue Type, 2025

Table 32: Notified Tissue Graft Recipients by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Tissue Type, 2025

	Amnion	Cardiovascular	Musculoskeletal	Skin
NSW	157	93	3175	0
VIC	0	2	436	10
QLD	0	7	789	21
SA	0	0	19	0
WA	0	0	221	0
AUSTRALIA	157	102	4640	31



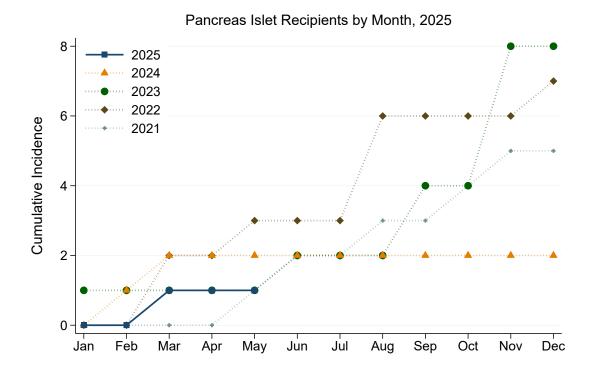


Figure 23: Pancreas Islet Recipients by Month, 2025

Table 33: Pancreas Islet Graft Recipients by Transplant Jurisdiction and Month, 2025

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	0	0	0	0	0								0
VIC	0	0	1	0	0								1
QLD	0	0	0	0	0								0
SA	0	0	0	0	0								0
WA	0	0	0	0	0								0
TAS	0	0	0	0	0								0
NT	0	0	0	0	0								0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0								0
AUSTRALIA	0	0	1	0	0								1



7 Glossary and Definitions

- 1 Amnion (am) is the innemost layer of the embryonic membranes.
- 2 Cardiovascular tissue (cv) includes, but not limited to, heart valves, pericardium and annexed vessels.
- 3 Cornea The cornea is the transparent anterior tissue of the eyeball consisting of many layers.
- 4 Deceased solid organ and tissue donation identifies a donation event where one or more solid organs and tissues are retrieved from a deceased donor. Data has been crosschecked with the solid organ and tissue sector to ensure the donor has met the deceased solid organ and tissue donation criteria.
- 5 Deceased tissue donation identifies a donation event where one or more tissues are retrieved from a deceased donor and can comprise of musculoskeletal, cardiovascular, skin or eye tissue.
- 6 Donation event
 - A single retrieval event, within a calendar day, where a living donor can donate one or more musculoskeletal, cardiovascular, or amnion tissues.
 - Retrieval from deceased donors of solid organ, tissue and/or eyes that may occur on differing days but after the donor declaration of death date.
- 7 Eye only donor A deceased donor where eye only retrieval has taken place. A donor is counted as an eye only donor if 2 whole eyes, 2 corneas only, one eye or one cornea only is retrieved. Outcomes of donated eye tissue are not limited to transplantation.
- 8 Eye and solid organ (and tissue) donor A deceased donor where eye and solid organ retrieval has taken place. These donors may or may not have donated an additional tissue(s) e.g. musculoskeletal, cardiovascular or skin. Data has been crosschecked with the solid organ and tissue sector to confirm the donation event and donor classification.
- 9 Eye and tissue only donor A deceased donor where eye and an additional tissue(s) e.g. musculoskeletal, cardiovascular or skin has taken place. Data has been crosschecked with the tissue sector to confirm the donation event and donor classification.
- 10 Eye tissue donation Unless otherwise specified all donors undergo retrieval of both whole eyes or both corneas. This means the number of eye tissue donations can be calculated by doubling the amount of total eye donors.
- 11 Eye tissue graft transplants Corneal or scleral tissue transplanted into an eye tissue recipient within the reporting time period.
- 12 Eye tissue recipient Unless otherwise specified the number of eye tissue recipients is equal to the number of eye tissue graft transplants (consistent with EBAANZ).
- 13 Living tissue donation identifies a donation event where one or more tissues are retrieved from a living donor. Living tissue can be amnion, cardiovascular, but is vastly comprised of donated femoral heads (bone) retrieved during hip replacement surgery. A living musculoskeletal donor can donate one femoral head during one donation event, two femoral heads during one donation event or one femoral head during two separate donation events.
- 14 Musculoskeletal tissue (ms) includes, but not limited to, bone, cartilage and tendon retrieved from areas such as the pelvis, arm and leg.



- 15 Notified tissue graft implants Number of tissue grafts supplied and confirmed by the hospital to the distributing tissue bank to have been implanted. One tissue graft recipient may receive multiple graft implants.
- 16 Notified tissue graft recipients The number of tissue graft recipients, confirmed by the hospital to the distributing bank, who receive one or more graft implants during a single tissue transplant event.
- 17 Pancreas islet (pi) A multicellular structure within the pancreas that maintains normal blood glucose level within the body.
- 18 Sclera unit A unit of the protective outer layer of the eyeball, used for transplantation during ocular surgery.
- 19 Skin tissue (sk) includes, but not limited to, split thickness skin (epidermis and upper part of the dermis), of varying size.
- 20 Tissue transplant event
 - A single tissue transplant event occurs when a tissue graft recipient receives 1 or more tissue grafts on a single occasion. This will be counted as one tissue graft recipient, one tissue transplant event.
 - If a tissue graft recipient receives 1 or more tissue grafts during multiple tissue transplant events, this will be counted as one tissue graft recipient for each tissue transplant event.
- 21 Unique donor A deceased or living donor who donates one or more tissue(s) during a single donation event.



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