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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 2026 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

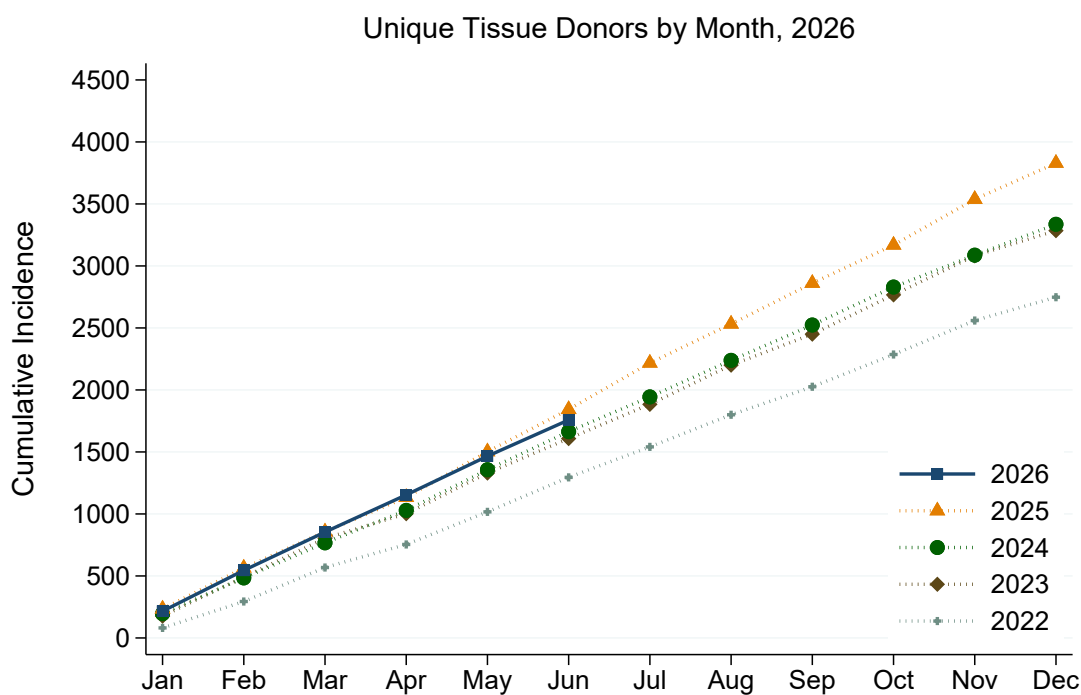


Figure 1: Unique Tissue Donors by Month, 2026

Eye and Tissue Donation Registry

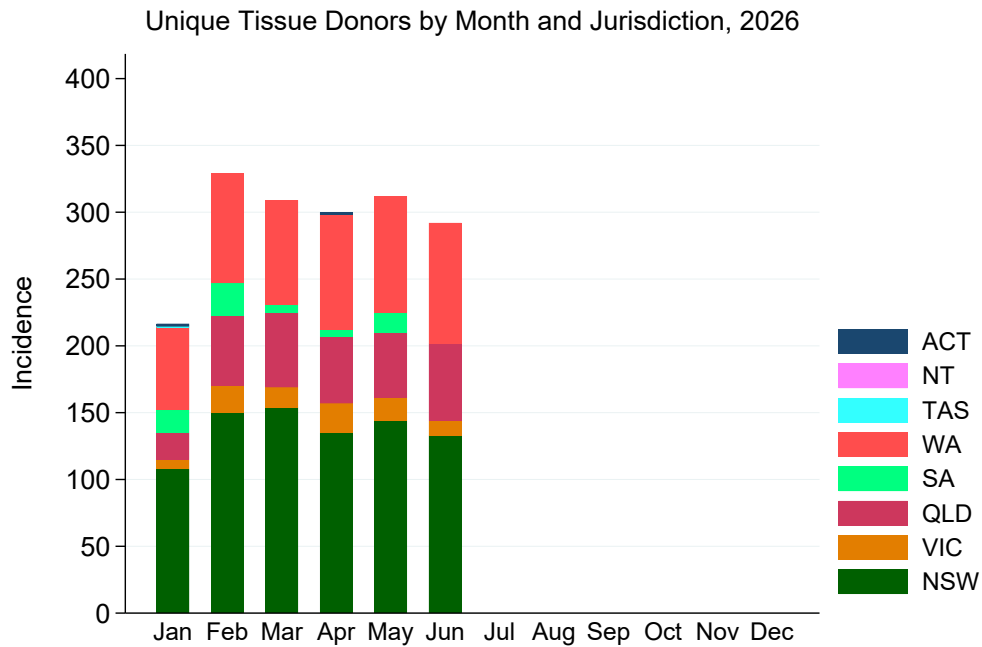


Figure 2: Unique Tissue Donors by Month and Jurisdiction, 2026

Table 1: Unique Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	108	150	154	135	144	133							824
VIC	7	20	15	22	17	11							92
QLD	20	53	56	50	49	58							286
SA	17	24	6	5	15	0							67
WA	62	82	78	86	87	90							485
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	0							1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	1	0	0	2	0	0							3
AUSTRALIA	216	329	309	300	312	292							1758

Eye and Tissue Donation Registry

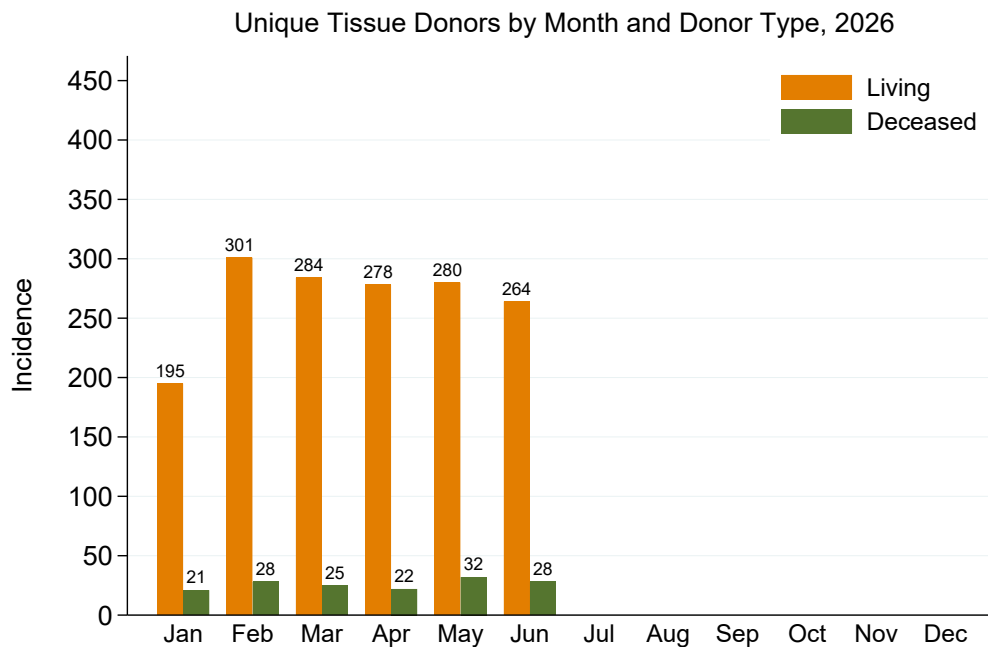


Figure 3: Unique Tissue Donors by Month and Donor Type, 2026

Table 2: Unique Living Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	101	143	148	131	135	122							780
VIC	4	11	6	17	8	2							48
QLD	15	43	51	41	41	50							241
SA	16	24	4	5	10	0							59
WA	59	80	75	84	86	90							474
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
AUSTRALIA	195	301	284	278	280	264							1602

Table 3: Unique Deceased Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	7	7	6	4	9	11							44
VIC	3	9	9	5	9	9							44
QLD	5	10	5	9	8	8							45
SA	1	0	2	0	5	0							8
WA	3	2	3	2	1	0							11
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	0							1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	1	0	0	2	0	0							3
AUSTRALIA	21	28	25	22	32	28							156

Eye and Tissue Donation Registry

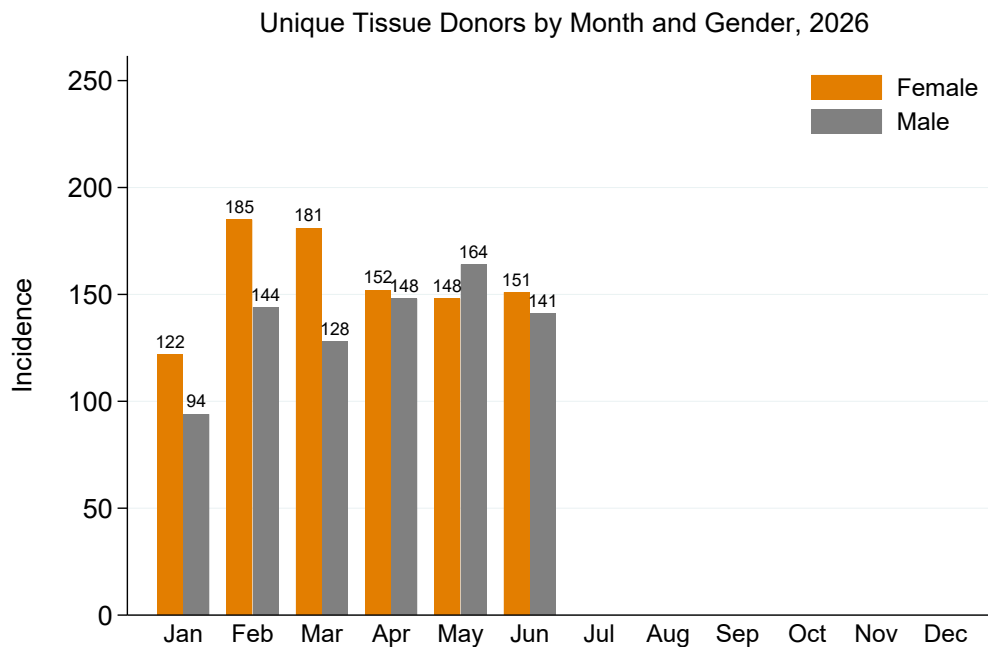


Figure 4: Unique Tissue Donors by Month and Gender, 2026

Table 4: Unique Female Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	65	91	86	74	73	69							458
VIC	4	8	10	7	3	3							35
QLD	10	27	38	23	24	28							150
SA	10	16	5	2	8	0							41
WA	32	43	42	45	40	51							253
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	0							1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	0	0	1	0	0							1
AUSTRALIA	122	185	181	152	148	151							939

Table 5: Unique Male Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	43	59	68	61	71	64							366
VIC	3	12	5	15	14	8							57
QLD	10	26	18	27	25	30							136
SA	7	8	1	3	7	0							26
WA	30	39	36	41	47	39							232
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	1	0	0	1	0	0							2
AUSTRALIA	94	144	128	148	164	141							819

Eye and Tissue Donation Registry

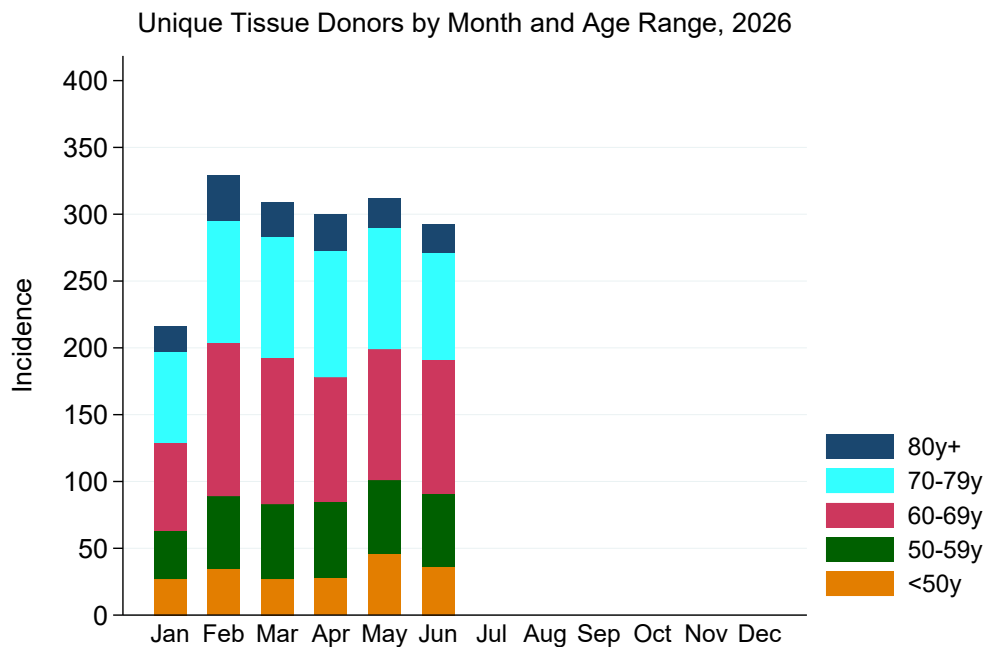


Figure 5: Unique Tissue Donors by Month and Age Range, 2026

Table 6: Unique Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2026

	<50y	50-59y	60-69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	106	135	269	234	80	824
VIC	24	19	19	21	9	92
QLD	26	61	102	81	16	286
SA	4	8	20	20	15	67
WA	37	89	171	159	29	485
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	1	1	1	0	0	3
AUSTRALIA	199	313	582	515	149	1758

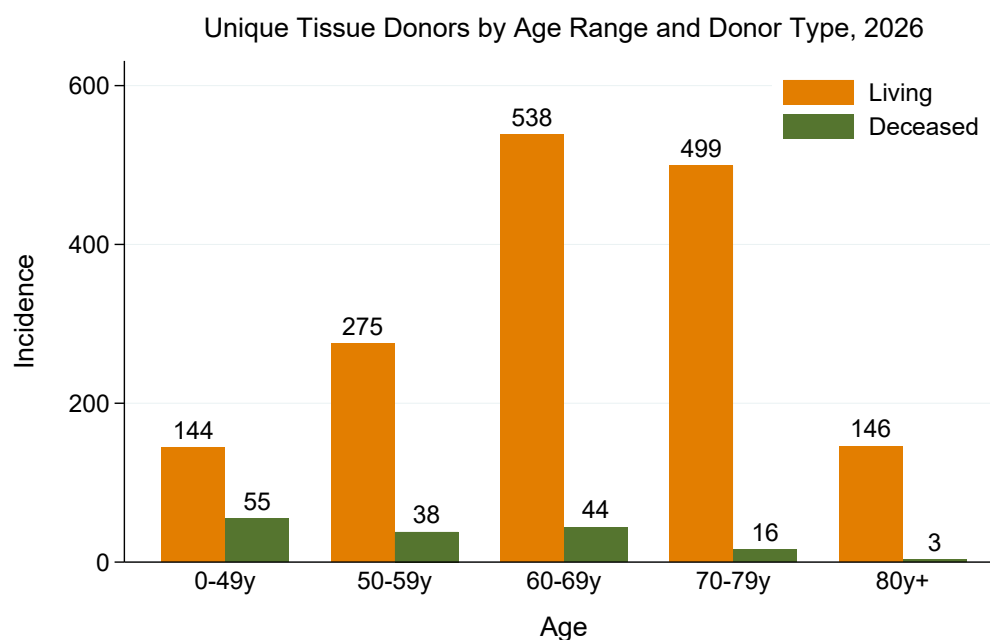


Figure 6: Unique Tissue Donors by Age Range and Donor Type, 2026

Table 7: Unique Living Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2026

	<50y	50-59y	60-69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	91	125	257	229	78	780
VIC	5	6	12	16	9	48
QLD	12	50	86	78	15	241
SA	3	6	15	20	15	59
WA	33	88	168	156	29	474
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	144	275	538	499	146	1602

Table 8: Unique Deceased Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2026

	<50y	50-59y	60-69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	15	10	12	5	2	44
VIC	19	13	7	5	0	44
QLD	14	11	16	3	1	45
SA	1	2	5	0	0	8
WA	4	1	3	3	0	11
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	1	1	1	0	0	3
AUSTRALIA	55	38	44	16	3	156

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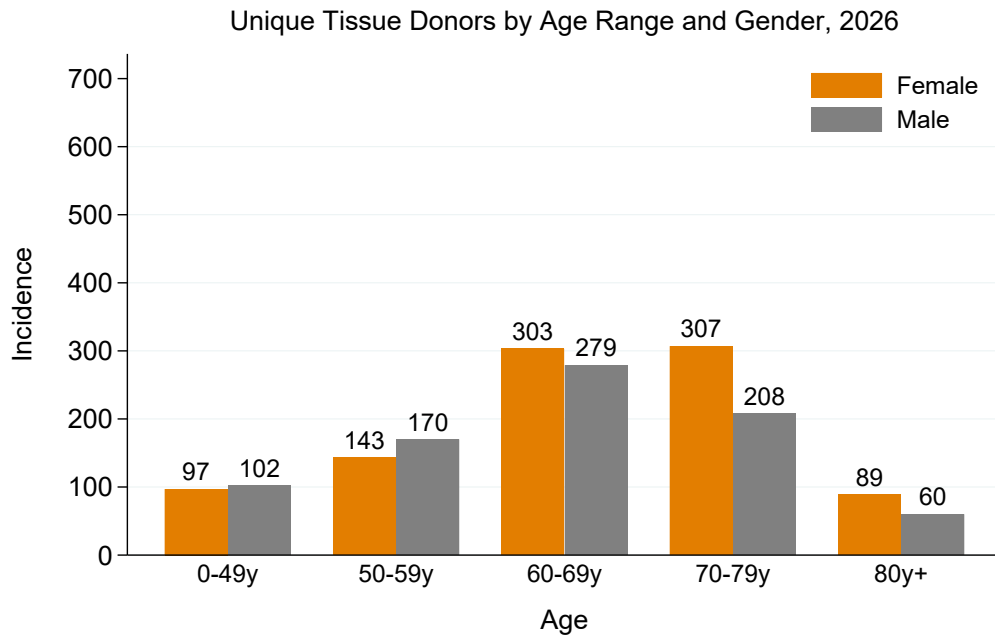


Figure 7: Unique Tissue Donors by Age Range and Gender, 2026

Table 9: Unique Female Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2026

	<50y	50-59y	60-69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	56	63	140	149	50	458
VIC	6	6	11	7	5	35
QLD	13	35	53	41	8	150
SA	1	4	11	16	9	41
WA	20	35	87	94	17	253
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	0	0	1	0	0	1
AUSTRALIA	97	143	303	307	89	939

Table 10: Unique Male Tissue Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2026

	<50y	50-59y	60-69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	50	72	129	85	30	366
VIC	18	13	8	14	4	57
QLD	13	26	49	40	8	136
SA	3	4	9	4	6	26
WA	17	54	84	65	12	232
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	1	1	0	0	0	2
AUSTRALIA	102	170	279	208	60	819

3.2 Eye Donors

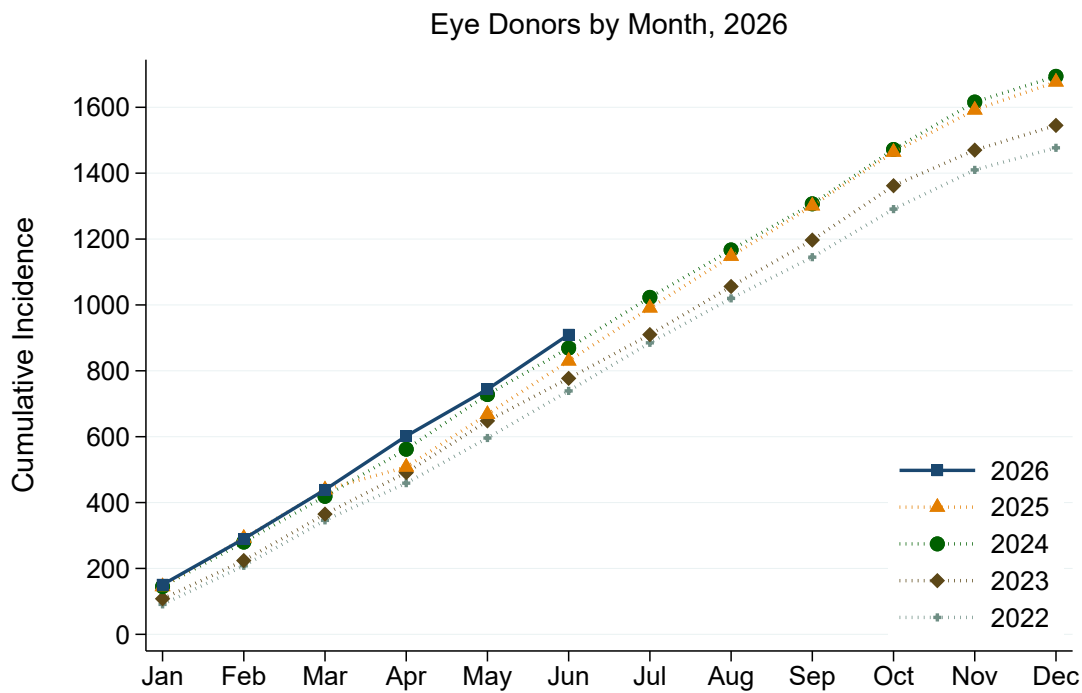


Figure 8: Eye Donors by Month, 2026

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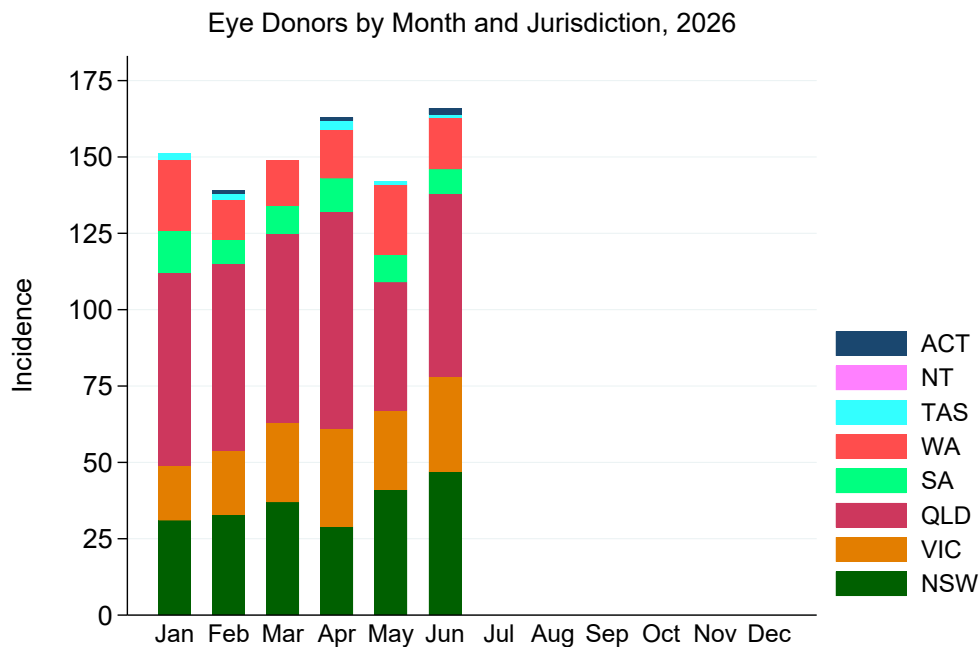


Figure 9: Eye Donors by Month and Jurisdiction, 2026

Table 11: Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	31	33	37	29	41	47							218
VIC	18	21	26	32	26	31							154
QLD	63	61	62	71	42	60							359
SA	14	8	9	11	9	8							59
WA	23	13	15	16	23	17							107
TAS	2	2	0	3	1	1							9
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	1	0	1	0	2							4
AUSTRALIA	151	139	149	163	142	166							910

Eye and Tissue Donation Registry

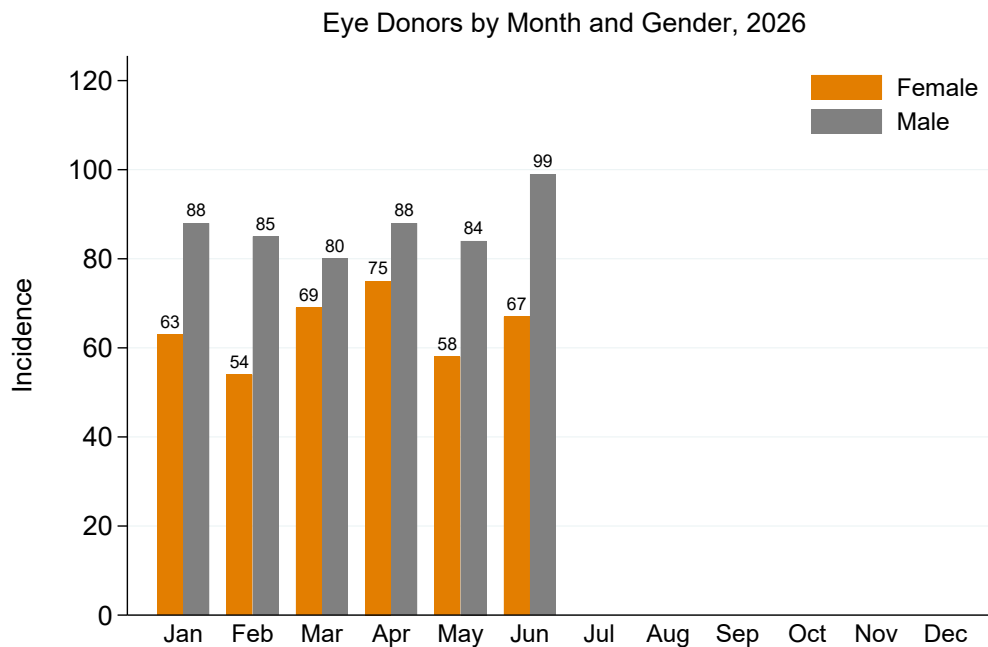


Figure 10: Eye Donors by Month and Gender, 2026

Table 12: Female Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	14	15	16	7	18	14							84
VIC	6	9	15	18	8	13							69
QLD	26	20	28	35	16	31							156
SA	4	1	4	7	5	4							25
WA	12	7	6	6	10	4							45
TAS	1	1	0	1	1	1							5
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	1	0	1	0	0							2
AUSTRALIA	63	54	69	75	58	67							386

Table 13: Male Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	17	18	21	22	23	33							134
VIC	12	12	11	14	18	18							85
QLD	37	41	34	36	26	29							203
SA	10	7	5	4	4	4							34
WA	11	6	9	10	13	13							62
TAS	1	1	0	2	0	0							4
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0	2							2
AUSTRALIA	88	85	80	88	84	99							524

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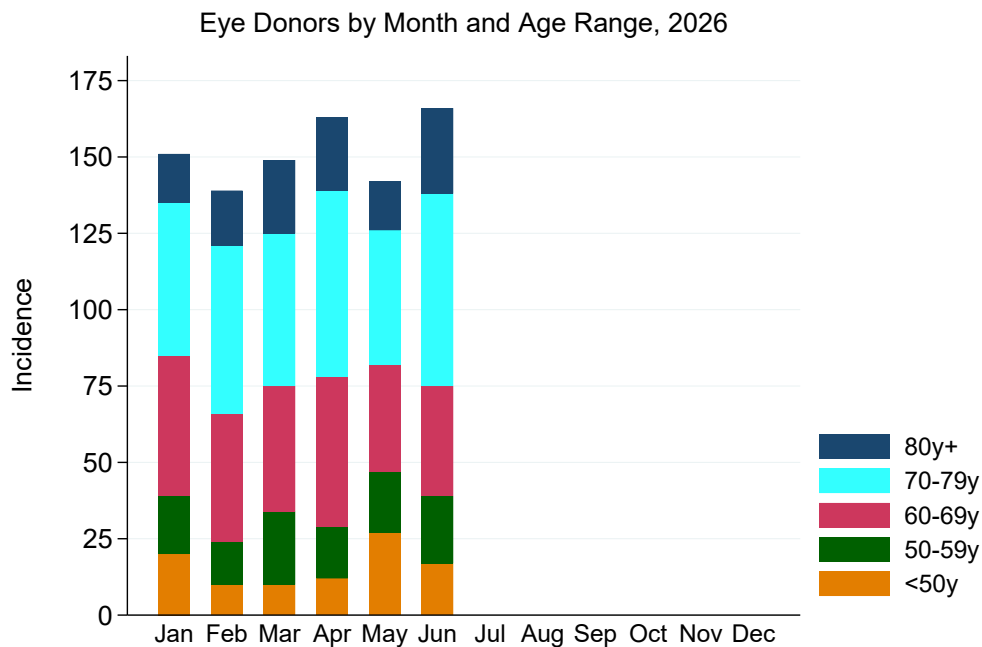


Figure 11: Eye Donors by Month and Age Range, 2026

Table 14: Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2026

	<50y	50-59y	60-69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	17	20	61	82	38	218
VIC	25	28	36	54	11	154
QLD	34	31	94	128	72	359
SA	3	12	18	24	2	59
WA	15	19	38	32	3	107
TAS	1	5	1	2	0	9
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	1	1	1	1	0	4
AUSTRALIA	96	116	249	323	126	910

Eye and Tissue Donation Registry

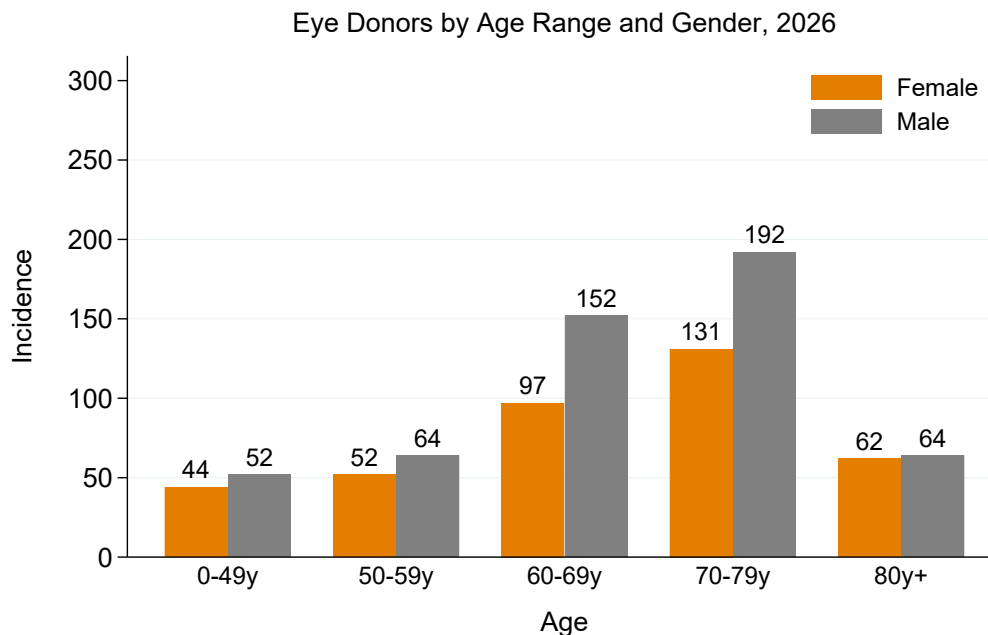


Figure 12: Eye Donors by Age Range and Gender, 2026

Table 15: Female Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2026

	<50y	50-59y	60-69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	10	6	14	34	20	84
VIC	13	12	17	20	7	69
QLD	13	16	45	49	33	156
SA	1	5	6	12	1	25
WA	5	10	15	14	1	45
TAS	1	2	0	2	0	5
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	1	1	0	0	0	2
AUSTRALIA	44	52	97	131	62	386

Table 16: Male Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Age Range, 2026

	<50y	50-59y	60-69y	70-79y	80y+	Total
NSW	7	14	47	48	18	134
VIC	12	16	19	34	4	85
QLD	21	15	49	79	39	203
SA	2	7	12	12	1	34
WA	10	9	23	18	2	62
TAS	0	3	1	0	0	4
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	0	0	1	1	0	2
AUSTRALIA	52	64	152	192	64	524

Eye and Tissue Donation Registry

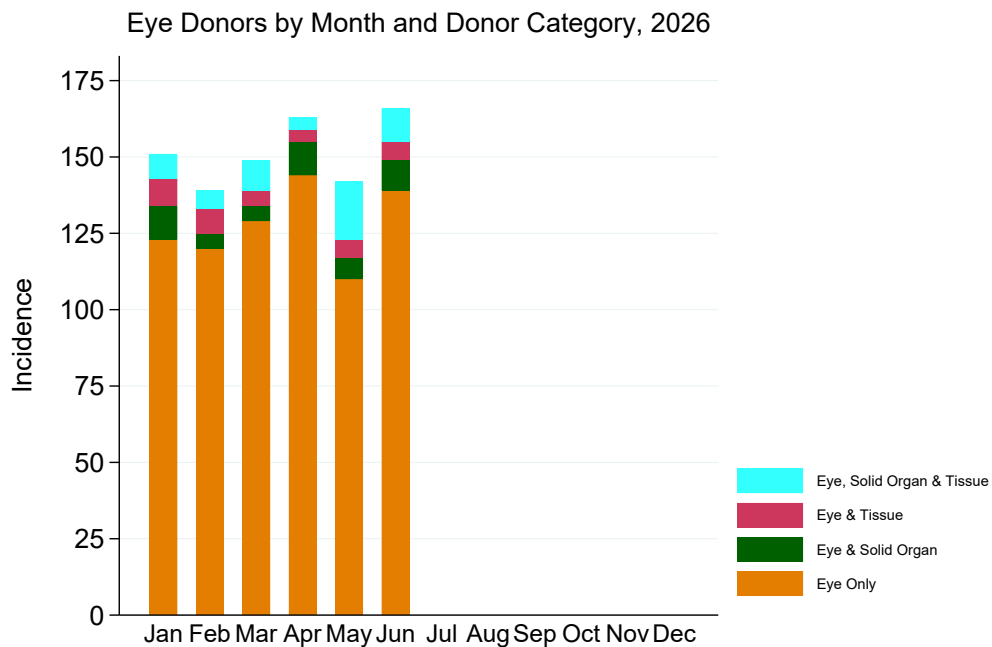


Figure 13: Eye Donors by Month and Donor Category, 2026

Table 17: Eye Donors by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Donor Category, 2026

	Eye Only	Eye and Solid Organ	Eye and Tissue	Eye, Solid Organ and Tissue
NSW	180	10	9	19
VIC	111	17	5	21
QLD	326	5	19	9
SA	49	5	0	5
WA	90	8	5	4
TAS	5	4	0	0
ACT	4	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	765	49	38	58

4 Tissue Donations

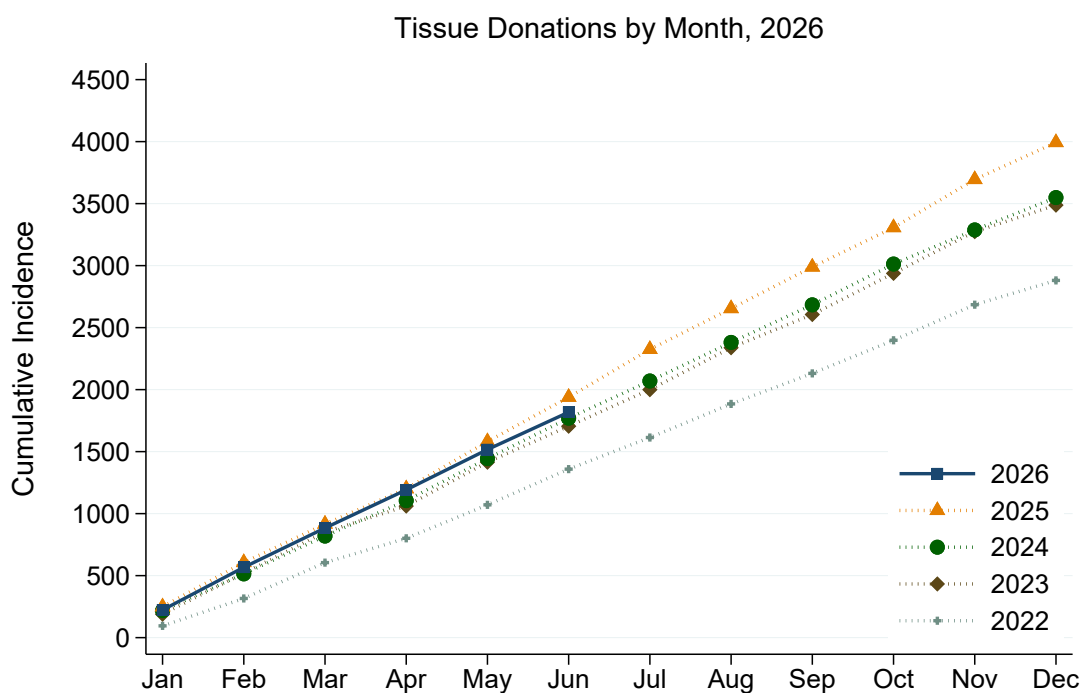


Figure 14: Tissue Donations by Month, 2026

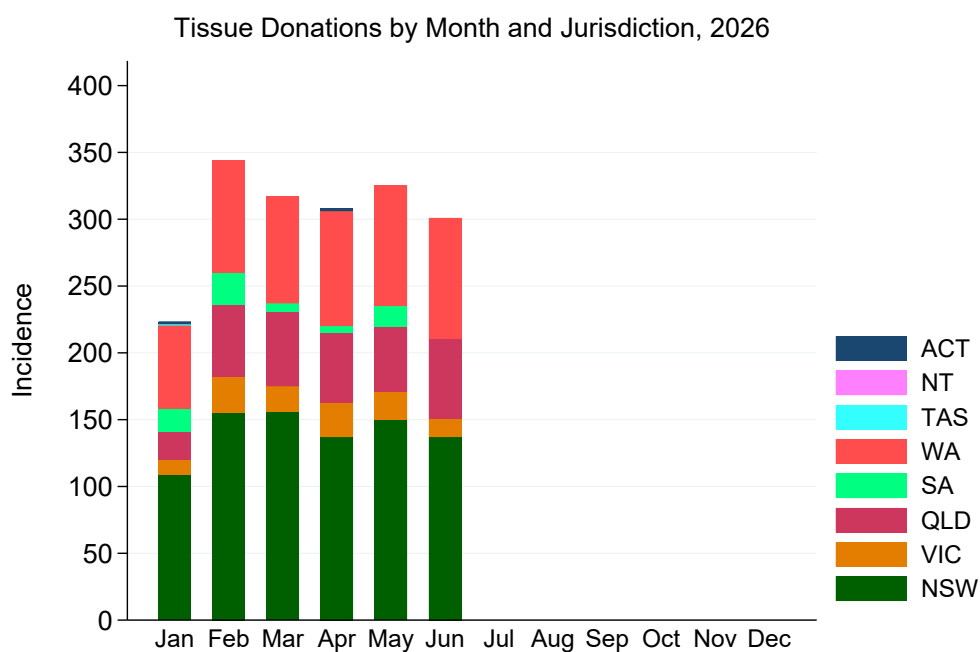


Figure 15: Tissue Donations by Month and Jurisdiction, 2026

Table 18: Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	109	155	156	137	150	137							844
VIC	11	27	19	26	21	14							118
QLD	21	54	56	52	49	60							292
SA	17	24	6	5	15	0							67
WA	63	84	80	86	90	90							493
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	0							1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	1	0	0	2	0	0							3
AUSTRALIA	223	344	317	308	325	301							1818

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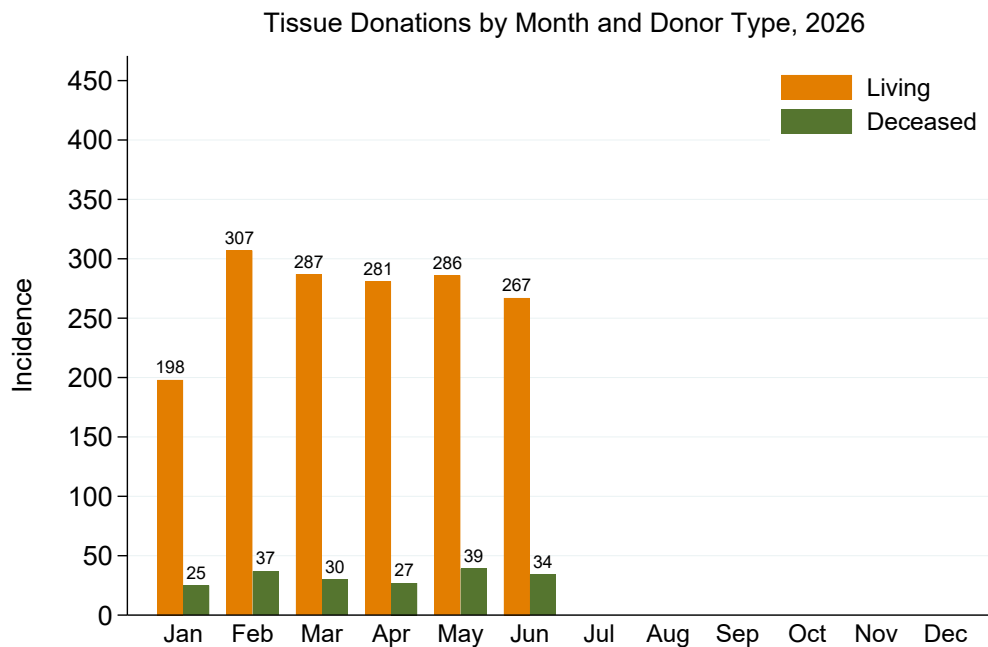


Figure 16: Tissue Donations by Month and Donor Type, 2026

Table 19: Living Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	102	147	149	133	138	125							794
VIC	4	11	6	17	8	2							48
QLD	16	43	51	42	41	50							243
SA	16	24	4	5	10	0							59
WA	60	82	77	84	89	90							482
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
AUSTRALIA	198	307	287	281	286	267							1626

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Table 20: Living Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Tissue Type, 2026

	Amnion	Cardiovascular	Musculoskeletal
NSW	24	13	757
VIC	0	5	43
QLD	0	0	242
SA	0	0	59
WA	0	0	482
TAS	0	0	0
NT	0	0	0
ACT	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	24	18	1583

Table 21: Deceased Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	7	8	7	4	12	12							50
VIC	7	16	13	9	13	12							70
QLD	5	11	5	10	8	10							49
SA	1	0	2	0	5	0							8
WA	3	2	3	2	1	0							11
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	0							1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	1	0	0	2	0	0							3
AUSTRALIA	25	37	30	27	39	34							192

Table 22: Deceased Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Donor Category, 2026

	Solid Organ/Tissue				Tissue Only				Total			
	cv	ms	skin	pi	cv	ms	skin	pi	cv	ms	skin	pi
NSW	32	8	0	0	0	10	0	0	32	18	0	0
VIC	21	12	10	0	3	14	10	0	24	26	20	0
QLD	13	9	0	0	0	27	0	0	13	36	0	0
SA	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0
WA	0	6	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	11	0	0
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ACT	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	78	35	10	0	3	56	10	0	81	91	20	0

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Table 23: Intended Solid Organ Donor Who Became Eyes and Tissue Donors, 2026

	Eye Only	Tissue Only	Eye and Tissue
NSW	3	0	1
VIC	20	0	2
QLD	2	0	4
SA	4	0	0
WA	1	0	0
TAS	2	0	0
NT	0	0	0
ACT	2	0	0
AUSTRALIA	34	0	7

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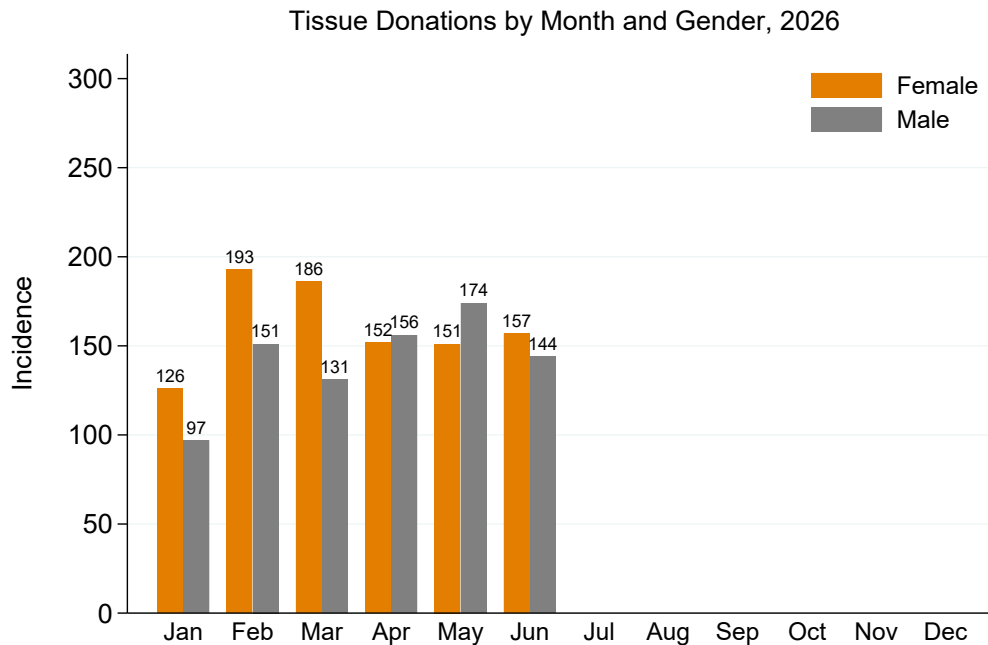


Figure 17: Tissue Donations by Month and Gender, 2026

Table 24: Female Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	65	95	87	74	74	71							466
VIC	6	11	13	7	3	5							45
QLD	11	27	38	23	24	30							153
SA	10	16	5	2	8	0							41
WA	33	44	43	45	42	51							258
TAS	1	0	0	0	0	0							1
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	0	0	1	0	0							1
AUSTRALIA	126	193	186	152	151	157							965

Table 25: Male Tissue Donations by Jurisdiction of Retrieval and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	44	60	69	63	76	66							378
VIC	5	16	6	19	18	9							73
QLD	10	27	18	29	25	30							139
SA	7	8	1	3	7	0							26
WA	30	40	37	41	48	39							235
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	1	0	0	1	0	0							2
AUSTRALIA	97	151	131	156	174	144							853

5 Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted

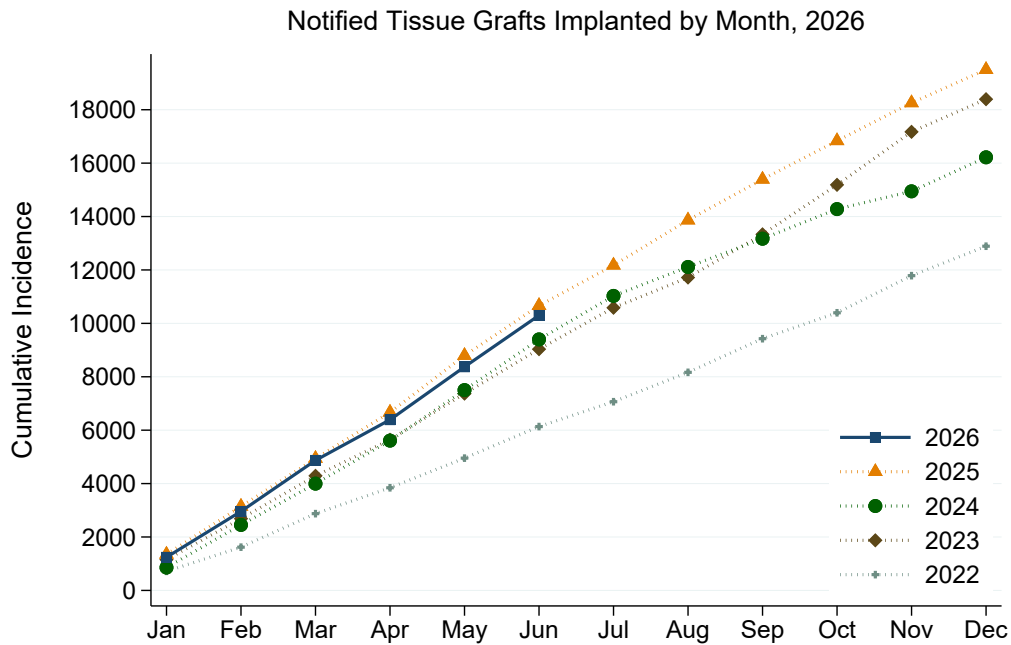


Figure 18: Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted by Month, 2026

Table 26: Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	745	1081	1091	1044	1261	1207							6429
VIC	240	210	202	150	253	215							1270
QLD	191	341	550	280	388	461							2211
SA	4	8	1	3	7	0							23
WA	62	78	67	43	72	45							367
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
AUSTRALIA	1242	1718	1911	1520	1981	1928							10300

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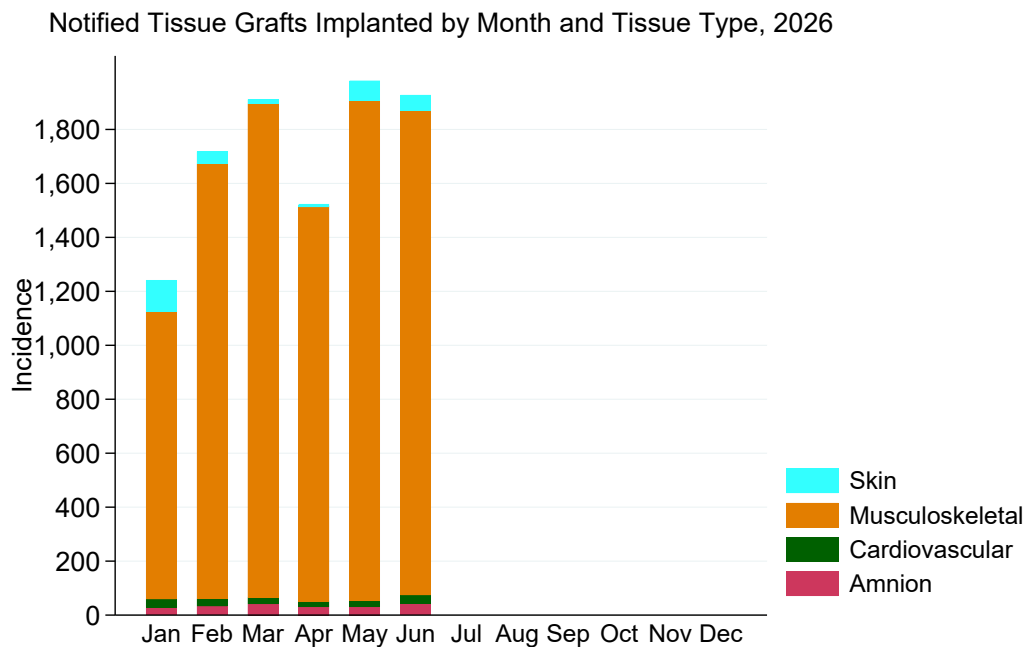


Figure 19: Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted by Month and Tissue Type, 2026

Table 27: Notified Tissue Grafts Implanted by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Tissue Type, 2026

	Amnion	Cardiovascular	Musculoskeletal	Skin
NSW	206	143	6080	0
VIC	0	12	943	315
QLD	0	3	2208	0
SA	0	0	23	0
WA	0	0	367	0
AUSTRALIA	206	158	9621	315

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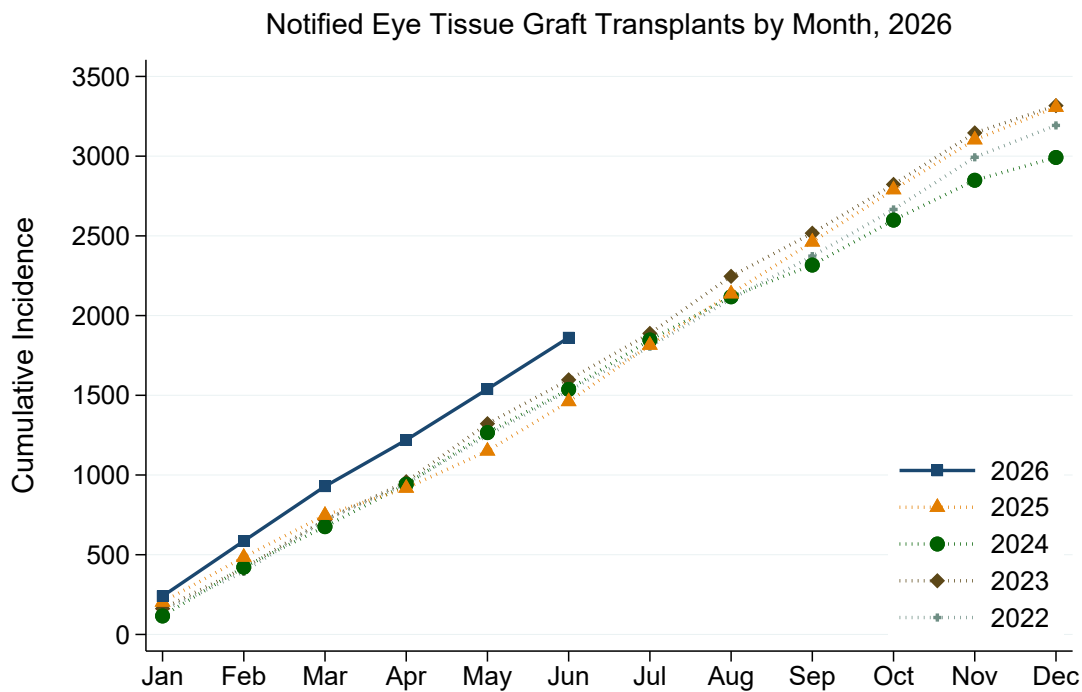


Figure 20: Notified Eye Tissue Graft Transplants by Month, 2026

Table 28: Notified Eye Tissue Graft Transplants by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	62	66	74	65	66	100							433
VIC	51	73	63	56	72	58							373
QLD	75	156	152	103	128	114							728
SA	17	11	14	15	13	9							79
WA	29	34	30	30	38	36							197
TAS	6	4	10	19	2	4							45
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	2	0	3	0	2							7
AUSTRALIA	240	346	343	291	319	323							1862

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Table 29: Cornea Graft Transplants by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	42	54	57	63	62	72							350
VIC	25	43	32	38	50	41							229
QLD	63	129	126	84	111	91							604
SA	8	6	11	15	13	9							62
WA	29	33	26	25	36	34							183
TAS	6	2	1	4	2	2							17
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	2	0	2	0	2							6
AUSTRALIA	173	269	253	231	274	251							1451

Table 30: Sclera Unit Graft Transplants by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	20	12	17	2	4	28							83
VIC	26	30	31	18	22	17							144
QLD	12	27	26	19	17	23							124
SA	9	5	3	0	0	0							17
WA	0	1	4	5	2	2							14
TAS	0	2	9	15	0	2							28
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	0	0	1	0	0							1
AUSTRALIA	67	77	90	60	45	72							411

6 Notified Tissue Graft Recipients

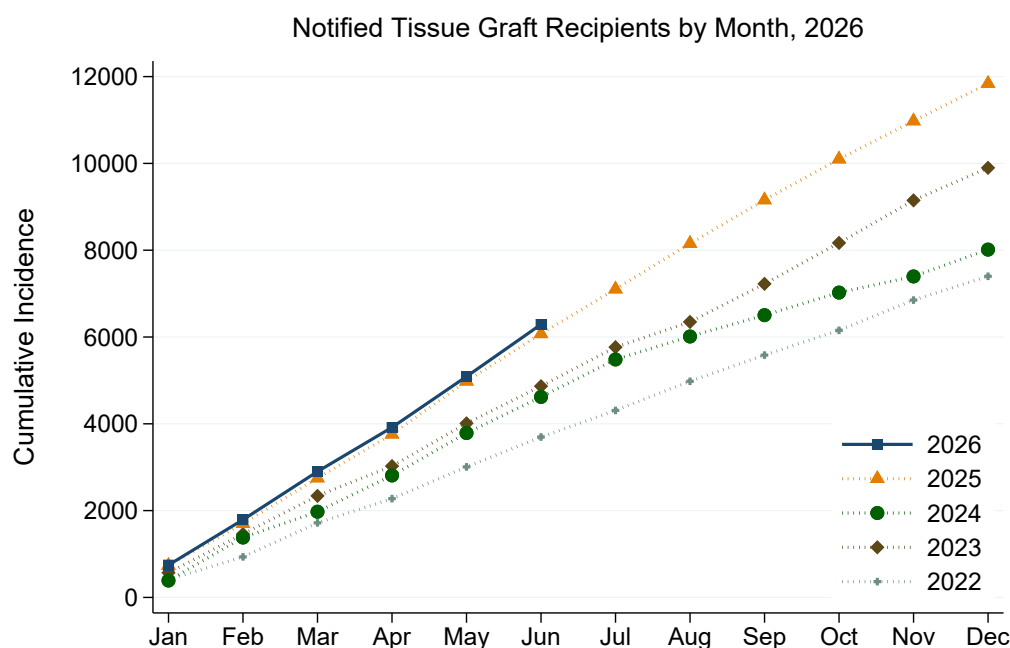


Figure 21: Notified Tissue Graft Recipients by Month, 2026

Table 31: Notified Tissue Graft Recipients by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Month, 2026

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
NSW	540	747	797	773	853	905							4615
VIC	85	107	113	87	103	83							578
QLD	73	129	153	123	156	180							814
SA	4	3	1	3	5	0							16
WA	44	59	45	32	55	33							268
TAS	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
NT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
ACT	0	0	0	0	0	0							0
AUSTRALIA	746	1045	1109	1018	1172	1201							6291

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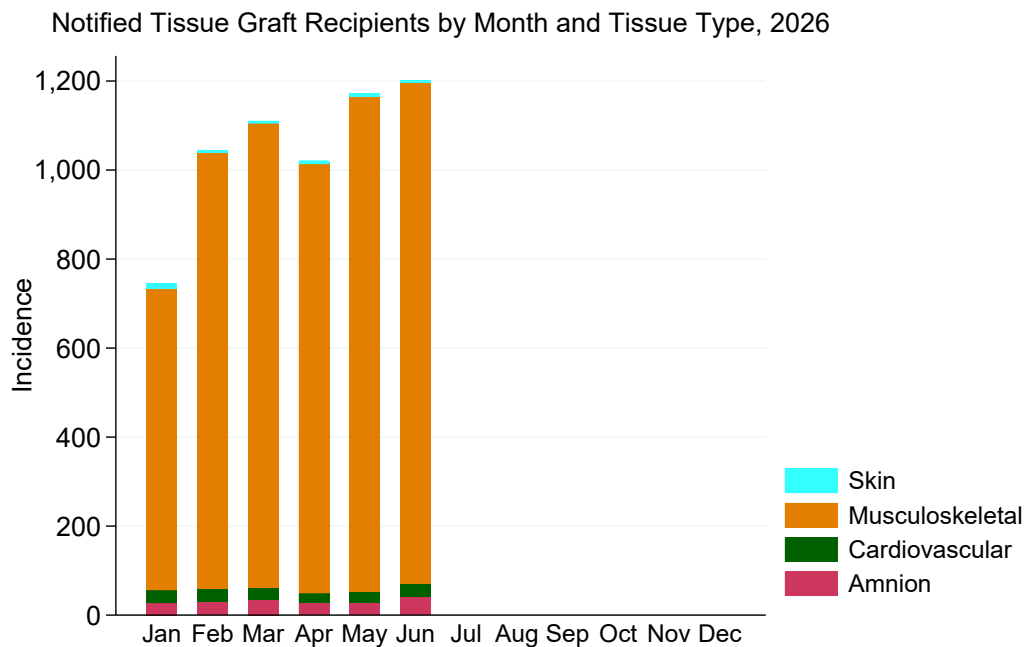


Figure 22: Notified Tissue Graft Recipients by Month and Tissue Type, 2026

Table 32: Notified Tissue Graft Recipients by Jurisdiction of Retrieving Bank and Tissue Type, 2026

	Amnion	Cardiovascular	Musculoskeletal	Skin
NSW	192	141	4282	0
VIC	0	12	531	35
QLD	0	3	811	0
SA	0	0	16	0
WA	0	0	268	0
AUSTRALIA	192	156	5908	35

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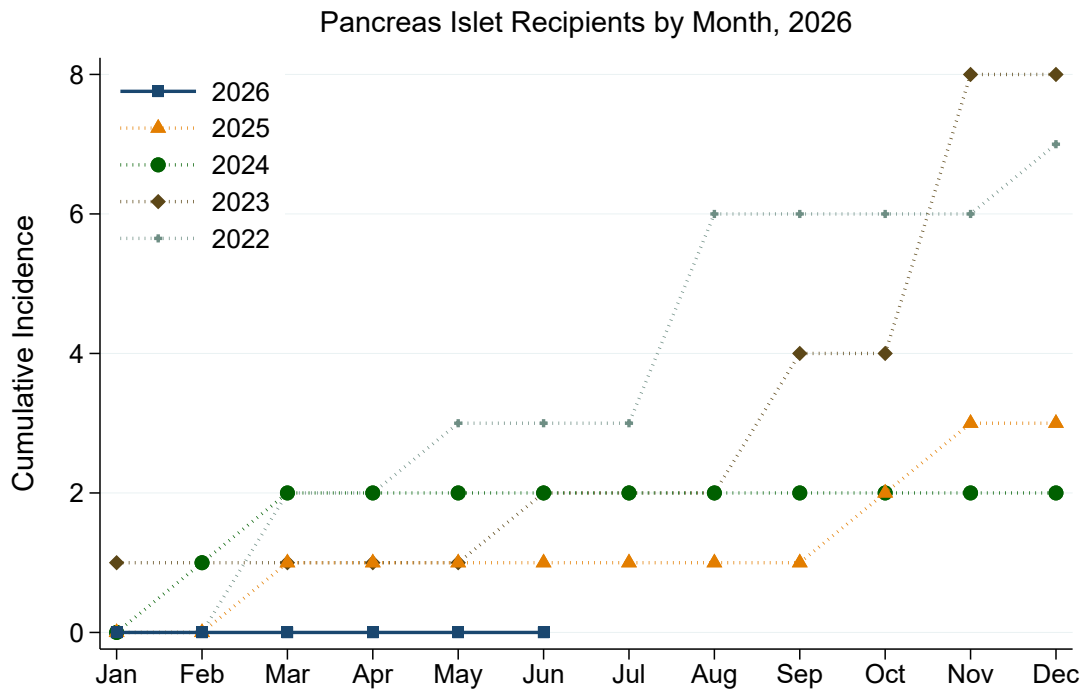


Figure 23: Pancreas Islet Recipients by Month, 2026

Table 33: Pancreas Islet Graft Recipients by Transplant Jurisdiction and Month, 2026

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

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.

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- 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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