

CSD or RM number	RTI / IP #0467/20	Due	27 February 2020
Responsible area	Human Resources Branch	Branch Clearance	Theresa Hodges, Chief Human Resources Officer, 3 March 2020
Division/HHS	Privacy and Right to Information Unit, Department of Health		

Request and Response:

a) The number of Queensland Health staff as at 30 June 2018* employed as designated social workers?
1,106 Headcount (962.22 Full Time Equivalent).

b) Breakdown of the services these people work in?

Service Type	Headcount	Full Time Equivalent
Allied Health Services	603	522.18
Child Health Services	67	55.46
Commercial Services	2	1.90
Emergency Medical Services	1	1.00
Health Maintenance Services	108	95.24
Managerial Services	17	12.14
Mental Health Services	229	206.07
Pathology Services	2	2.00
Population Health Services	45	39.69
Support Services	2	1.30
Treatment Services	29	25.24
Grand Total	1106	962.22

c) Information relating to the number of social work staff as at 30 June 2018* who held a Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)?

Of the 58.86% of Social Work Staff that recorded Qualification data - 72.59% have bachelor's degree and 25.96% have a higher degree. Refer Note 2.

d) As at 30 June 2018*, the number of the above staff who held a current Blue Card Notice (BCN) issued under the Working with Children (Risk Management and Screening) Act 2000?

90 Headcount (77.78 Full Time Equivalent). Refer Note 1.

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f) How many Queensland Health FTE staff held a BCN as at 30 June 2018*?

2,156. Headcount (1,766.13 Full Time Equivalent). Refer Note 1.

- g) How many Queensland Health staff were “Managerial” (including Executives) staff as at 30 June 2018*?
7,032 Headcount (5,615.64 Full Time Equivalent).
- h) How many of these Managerial and Executives staff held a current BCN as at 30 June 2018*?
66 Headcount (57.90 Full Time Equivalent). Refer Note 1.
- i) As at 30 June 2018, across all QHs Hospital and Health Services, how many Board members existed and, of that number, how many held a BCN?
141 Board Members of which 2 held a BCN. Refer Note 1.
- j) Referring to the Department of Health, Human Resource Policy - B40 (QH-POL-122) – December 2016”, is the following still relevant to permanent employees:
- Criminal History Checking Requirements”: “Working With Children Checks (Blue Card):
 - Persons engaged, other than registered health practitioners, who will provide health, counselling or support services only or mainly to children, or who will provide services to children for the minimum frequency.
 - If this policy and requirements have changed, please provide a current copy.

Human Resource Policy - B40 (QH-POL-122) – December 2016 is still current and subject to review.

** Note we are aware that some of this data may not be able to be provided by financial year but may be produced based on pay periods or similar.*

NOTES

1. The Blue Card Notice data is only as complete as the Hospital and Health Services (HHS) provided and there has not been a mandated requirement for HHSs to provide this information for input to payroll.
2. The qualifications data is only as complete as the Hospital and Health Services (HHS) provided and there has not been a mandated requirement for HHSs to provide this information for input to payroll.
3. Data is MOHRI Occupied Headcount and FTE as at period ending 17 June 2018.
4. Employee Qualifications and Blue Card Notice are from details held in the Decision Support System - Human Resources Module which contains data directly from the SAP HR Payroll System.
5. Identification of Managerial and Executives staff is based on the District Senior Officer (band 2.1) hourly rate equivalent and above. These rates have been identified as being occupied by executive directors and above.

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