

Income Support Recipients by Federal Electorate - as at Sep 2012.

Payment Type	Age Pension	Carer Allowance	Carer Allowance (child hcc only)	Carer Payment	Double Orphan Pension	Disability Support Pension	Family Tax Benefit A	Family Tax Benefit B	Health Care Card	Low Income Card	Pensioner Concession Card	Commonwealth Seniors Health Card	Special Benefit	Wife Pension (AGE)	Wife Pension (DSP)	Widows B Pension
Extract Date	30SEP2012	21SEP2012	21SEP2012	21SEP2012	28SEP2012	28SEP2012	28SEP2012	28SEP2012	21SEP2012	21SEP2012	21SEP2012	21SEP2012	21SEP2012	30SEP2012	28SEP2012	30SEP2012
Electorate																
Adelaide	13717	2860	107	904	25	6702	7283	6220	10667	3756	23850	1849	60	51	36	<20
Aston	13241	2893	120	738	<20	3071	8762	7323	8562	3704	18892	1674	41	26	<20	<20
Ballarat	16516	4570	202	1841	<20	7354	12203	9941	13221	5348	29546	1507	<20	65	79	<20
Banks	16008	3851	120	1547	<20	3971	10536	8954	9328	2275	24302	2428	213	58	42	<20
Barker	19857	4024	181	1531	<20	7453	12962	9984	10873	2089	32904	2272	<20	87	104	<20
Barton	17004	4075	104	1482	<20	3937	9558	8040	8319	2019	24653	2384	101	78	40	<20
Bass	12514	2900	77	1410	<20	4713	8756	7144	9676	2838	22008	950	<20	53	63	<20
Batman	16558	4511	139	1495	<20	6055	7888	6870	11014	4436	26571	1181	52	103	63	<20
Bendigo	19263	4666	160	1903	<20	8073	12389	10078	13055	5108	33329	1708	<20	68	102	<20
Bennelong	13706	2454	93	834	<20	3299	7463	6449	6525	2055	19392	3002	157	28	20	<20
Berowra	10326	1769	79	374	<20	1829	5497	4782	4182	1266	13479	3175	37	<20	<20	<20
Blair	13191	4519	178	1681	<20	7898	14007	12133	10642	1764	27815	971	<20	62	121	<20
Blaxland	16141	7593	350	4737	<20	7808	17747	15802	18033	4355	34591	928	170	155	131	<20
Bonner	13738	2580	103	697	<20	3747	8563	7351	7215	2131	20443	1952	31	32	28	<20
Boothby	17376	2637	105	680	<20	4457	7041	5764	7499	2803	24519	2587	<20	43	39	<20
Bowman	15131	3433	124	1093	<20	4361	9864	8181	7387	1800	23482	1717	<20	45	62	<20
Braddon	13938	3499	89	1768	<20	6133	8923	7491	8082	1729	25322	867	<20	79	115	<20
Bradfield	9119	1430	56	241	<20	1473	4542	4093	3956	1082	11597	5058	40	<20	<20	<20
Brand	15338	3412	189	1056	<20	4849	12407	12296	8212	1567	25379	1099	20	74	94	<20
Brisbane	7544	1212	41	318	<20	4315	3783	3468	6768	2657	13550	1712	<20	<20	<20	<20
Bruce	17085	3996	121	1636	20	5652	10280	8781	12584	4334	27121	2236	129	64	48	<20
Calare	17592	4041	203	1420	<20	7452	11284	9634	9584	2525	30354	2222	<20	43	89	<20
Calwell	13804	7853	338	4138	<20	8277	17836	15393	18410	5285	30823	809	76	141	113	<20
Canberra	11376	2487	111	526	<20	3895	7664	7041	5411	1316	17749	2736	21	25	24	<20
Canning	17337	3398	153	1060	<20	5179	11098	10776	8467	1637	27996	1831	<20	54	85	<20
Capricornia	13098	3123	133	1020	<20	4994	9050	8915	7295	1180	22355	1399	<20	36	70	<20
Casey	13501	2834	157	736	<20	3951	10212	8433	8630	3300	20592	1551	<20	24	25	<20
Charlton	18304	4754	135	1781	<20	6839	9957	8695	7921	2001	30307	1449	<20	60	97	<20
Chifley	13497	6536	478	3268	<20	7767	18696	16175	15422	2925	31604	546	151	105	116	<20
Chisholm	15048	2627	73	647	<20	3401	6694	5832	9068	4383	20677	3024	83	33	<20	<20
Cook	14699	2391	123	558	<20	2448	6363	5497	4855	1148	19304	3393	<20	<20	<20	<20
Corangamite	18104	3606	172	1122	<20	4662	10307	8342	10551	4429	26650	2702	<20	32	51	<20
Corio	17256	4803	216	1725	<20	6856	10933	9436	12046	4041	30214	1186	<20	71	54	<20
Cowan	11252	2699	165	794	<20	3486	10555	9387	8064	2254	18265	1073	26	47	81	<20
Cowper	21428	6233	139	2618	<20	9735	13334	10846	12281	2405	39606	1877	<20	104	155	<20
Cunningham	17816	4010	101	1414	<20	5922	8453	7724	8895	3085	27994	2035	<20	47	41	<20
Curtin	9062	1184	49	233	<20	2334	3094	3094	3984	1817	12491	3694	<20	<20	<20	<20
Dawson	12539	3171	96	1087	<20	4465	9307	8825	7150	1163	21316	1825	<20	48	69	<20
Deakin	15961	2634	98	678	<20	3864	7775	6899	8035	3067	22342	2496	39	34	<20	<20
Denison	11026	2398	66	987	<20	5337	7209	5966	8553	2870	19798	1314	<20	27	39	<20
Dickson	10052	2767	100	721	<20	3230	10273	8600	6972	1663	16544	1293	<20	31	36	<20
Dobell	18659	4519	182	1710	<20	6520	12506	10443	9761	1954	31255	1610	<20	51	64	<20
Dunkley	17347	3420	157	1060	<20	5798	10877	9333	10078	3141	28016	2023	<20	30	28	<20
Durack	9134	2481	114	1094	<20	6423	11740	11358	11247	673	20855	1265	<20	38	53	<20
Eden-Monaro	18052	3454	93	1233	<20	6521	9644	7804	7521	1383	28893	2355	<20	58	79	<20
Fadden	15288	3596	111	1363	<20	4485	12811	10699	10912	2253	24940	1828	20	43	36	<20
Fairfax	16599	3376	72	1163	<20	4960	11353	9197	9406	2213	26364	2210	<20	36	57	<20
Farrer	19229	4088	123	1483	<20	6892	10953	8799	9490	2148	31484	2192	<20	78	105	<20
Fisher	18020	3569	86	1158	<20	4668	10317	8499	9347	2471	27308	2254	<20	40	45	<20
Flinders	21363	3760	111	1202	<20	5454	11147	9155	9361	2877	31442	2920	<20	32	42	<20
Flynn	11770	3541	104	1322	<20	5398	9445	9706	7604	1144	21700	1648	<20	57	109	<20
Forde	12495	3945	148	1515	<20	5816	15002	12446	10928	1858	24199	816	26	57	71	<20
Forrest	14225	2571	87	825	<20	4513	10391	10014	7502	1520	23139	2167	<20	48	52	<20
Fowler	13979	7964	400	5051	<20	7672	17449	15311	16284	4574	34023	483	139	104	87	<20
Franklin	12384	2760	83	1081	<20	4760	8342	6654	6862	1745	20791	1358	<20	53	77	<20
Fraser	10512	2546	107	566	<20	4468	8983	8324	8459	3288	17826	2394	47	<20	<20	<20
Fremantle	13314	2648	139	801	<20	4670	8110	7759	6976	1921	21479	1728	<20	73	71	<20
Gellibrand	14913	4159	116	1553	<20	5542	9365	8502	12425	4525	25435	1102	86	70	55	<20
Gilmore	22262	5008	122	2080	<20	7122	10837	9100	9183	1893	35214	2294	<20	64	91	<20
Gippsland	19744	4991	204	1848	<20	7873	11240	9637	12030	3606	33744	2028	<20	62	86	<20
Goldstein	11625	2144	69	469	<20	2643	4453	3905	5085	2147	15818	3571	36	<20	<20	<20
Gorton	14522	7079	348	2892	24	6955	18183	15454	18266	5979	30143	753	111	133	173	<20
Grayndler	13672	2917	52	1091	<20	4639	6736	6032	8090	2495	21751	1384	78	75	38	<20
Greenway	11541	3508	231	1380	<20	4116	12440	10827	9101	1989	20255	899	119	59	49	<20
Grey	20356	4817	134	2050	<20	8944	11567	9969	11244	1732	35914	1786	<20	83	126	<20
Griffith	9170	1669	63	490	<20	4159	5724	5184	7400	2681	15622	1438	20	<20	23	<20
Groom	15591	3429	105	1150	<20	5984	11578	9645	8263	2081	26296	1982	<20	48	75	<20
Hasluck	14714	2979	138	962	<20	4638	11383	10521	8786	1892	23983	1474	<20	59	75	<20
Herbert	10806	3323	99	1198	<20	5054	12179	10911	10425	2405	21358	1068	<20	34	37	<20
Higgins	8753	1785	57	397	<20	2634	3018	2773	5462	2564	12658	3012	31	<20	<20	<20
Hindmarsh	20028	3338	133	1035	<20	5419	7603	6265	8325	2619	28705	2228	32	70	47	<20
Hinkler	24051	6790	150	2882	<20	8963	12445	10541	12179	2230	41400	1616	<20	117	159	<20
Holt	13275	5592	200	2313	39	7188	21343	17505	17750	5412	28005	739	93	71	56	<20
Hotham	16998	3577	141	1184	<20	4451	8637	7274	9097	3553	24867	1767	73	58	39	<20
Hughes	12381	3654	291	1424	<20	3411	9151	7870	6783	1636	19532	1494	46	28	23	<20
Hume	17018	3994	198	1318	<20	5987	10772	8716	7973	1541	27478	2433	<20	77	72	<20
Hunter	14661	4316	170	1689	<20	7029	10123	10054	7777	1263	27331	1191	<20	86	116	<20
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Lilley	15088	2711	90	789	<20	4687	8749	7701	7584	1924	23128	1908	<20	25	25	<20
Lindsay	12499	4685	428	1642	<20	5648	13144	11346	9975	1785	24577	870	51	59	69	<20
Linglari	3754	1448	46	769	<20	6560	11515	10546	14965	301	14190	294	<20	<20	<20	<20
Longman	16682	5030	151	1847	<20	6659	14302	12101	11392	2121	30372	1220	<20	85	106	<20
Lyne	24342	5544	110	2337	<20	8184	11224	9122	10330	1888	39113	2218	<20	93	126	<20
Lyons	13649	4155	121	2178	<20	6965	10028	7989	8962	1754	26509	995	<20	85	124	<20
Macarthur	11283	5070	394	1852	<20	4839	12228	10543	9191	1711	22019	864	30	63	46	<20
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Macquarie	13962	3151	190	960	<20	4280	10090	8662	7533	1665	22424	1926	<20	21	47	<20
Makin	16994	3750	264	1128	<20	5268	11020	8778	9021	2294	26585	907	22	60	73	<20
Mallee	18266	4349	171	1762	<20	7434	11596	8921	10975	2992	30876	2327	<20	63	80	<20
Maranoa	17659	4493	104	1919	<20	7615	13085	10601	9441	1599	31062	2623	<20	107	130	<20
Maribyrnong	17133	4682	130	1680	<20	4507	8500	7392	11193	3924	26484	1495	71	95	64	<20
Mayo	18216	3153	163	892	<20	4644	10165	7915	8121	2084	26428	2373	<20	57	76	<20
McMahon	14339	7083	271	4292	<20	5848	13323	11508	11819	3259	28867	999	111	99	82	<20
Mcwen	15091	4429	229	1405	<20	5608	15872	13236	12333	3967	26030	2081	<20	45	61	<20
Mcmillan	18455	4182	201	1397	<20	6372	12631	10539	11292	3516	30405	2332	<20	56	75	<20
Mcpherson	16291	3426	101	1260	<20	4628	11815	9691	10741	2455	25850	1973	<20	41	43	<20
Melbourne	9846	2420	60	1000	22	6000	5841	5492	13889	6891	19657	1424	105	24	<20	<20
Melbourne Ports	9241	1923	38	518	<20	4517	4054	3724	6969	2653	15585	2567	50	<20	<20	<20
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Moore	9282	1970	138	460	<20	2213	7836	7232	5764	1843	13946	1797	<20	21	29	<20
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Murray	18440	4491	151	1793	<20	6979	12007	9397	10990	2942	31180	2053	21	76	96	<20
New England	18973	4193	164	1743	<20	7633	12982	10487	12036	2958	33151	2408	<20	84	117	<20
Newcastle	15602	3567	101	1321	<20	7709	8126	7554	9503	3337	27730	1318	<20	52	51	<20
North Sydney	8317	1260	36	260	<20	1794	3880	3599	3616	1038	11223	3606	61	<20	<20	<20
O'Connor	13459	2708	114	998	<20	5493	11418	10336	9165	1239	23399	2699	<20	45	77	<20
Oxley	10038	3336	190	1280	21	5485	14161	12280	11002	2285	21087	825	46	39	52	<20
Page	20572	5283	200	2296	<20	9468	12692	10266	12165	2642	37538	2164	<20	80	130	<20
Parke	17764	4381	135	1924	<20	8126	13458	11413	11196	1642	33068	2366	<20	91	101	<20
Parramatta	13239	4224	151	2239	<20	6244	13845	12259	12897	3085	25397	1504	226	93	76	<20
Paterson	21094	5001	117	2004	<20	7054	10204	8813	8243	1695	33798	2172	<20	69	102	<20
Pearce	12786	2853	169	900	<20	3749	11901	11003	7752	1496	20785	1872	<20	49	76	<20
Perth	14112	2179	91	723	<20	4581	7591	6975	7853	2259	21823	1438	41	62	59	<20
Petrie	16308	3741	113	1231	<20	5759	12065	10351	9001	1787	27219	1463	<20	57	71	<20
Port Adelaide	18319	5685	286	2281	28	9878	14955	12399	14765	3633	36107	646	72	127	132	<20
Rankin	11244	3870	146	1602	20	6692	18179	15303	14631	2730	24972	798	57	66	89	<20
Reid	12972	3743	112	1696	<20	3728	10262	8974	10520	2740	20825	2135	170	87	47	<20
Richmond	19145	4367	115	1688	<20	8241	12328	10104	12251	2458	33730	2140	21	68	91	<20
Riverina	16356	3860	177	1431	<20	6082	11911	9379	9582	2481	27402	2490	<20	49	77	<20
Robertson	20154	3696	113	1194	<20	5867	10114	8693	8038	1783	30578	2197	<20	41	50	<20
Ryan	8622	1736	80	345	<20	2147	5478	4960	7009	3602	12382	3011	<20	<20	<20	<20
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Shortland	21219	4976	145	1799	<20	6771	9539	8316	7593	1615	33406	1463	<20	61	96	<20
Solomon	4359	1310	64	434	<20	3578	6870	6148	4652	575	10199	565	<20	21	<20	<20
Stirling	14709	2553	79	839	25	4825	8220	7530	8242	2267	23073	2123	46	60	49	<20
Sturt	19140	3259	142	909	<20	4956	8354	6709	7798	2465	27207	2794	39	56	53	<20
Swan	14205	2222	73	736	<20	4674	8169	7523	8864	2845	22312	1721	41	39	34	<20
Sydney	8641	1714	30	791	<20	6039	4158	3880	7658	2696	17514	1254	97	26	<20	<20
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Throsby	20216	5248	163	1975	<20	7293	10807	9453	8489	1732	33543	1672	<20	67	73	<20
Wakefield	17612	6569	415	2438	30	10356	17365	14571	15844	2883	37544	1015	45	81	138	<20
Wannon	16899	3715	129	1353	<20	6207	10365	8060	10090	3817	27733	2268	<20	59	84	<20
Warringah	9171	1287	57	281	<20	1802	4218	3842	3285	857	12198	3877	<20	<20	<20	<20
Watson	16375	5992	229	3166	<20	6154	15734	13770	15781	3798	30056	1552	176	200	106	<20
Wentworth	8130	1346	44	360	<20	2781	3386	3076	4602	1169	12366	2929	28	<20	<20	<20
Werriva	10919	5967	345	2983	<20	5819	15559	13214	12588	2740	24552	708	107	79	74	<20
Wide Bay	19678	5251	112	2403	<20	8791	12455	10357	11474	2109	35365	2182	<20	110	120	<20
Wills	18583	5445	134	1936	<20	5888	8832	7797	12073	4746	28807	1383	42	122	80	<20
Wright	12859	3936	139	1548	<20	5317	12243	9836	9080	1914	23046	1566	<20	48	108	<20

Some Customers live overseas or do not have a valid address and therefore cannot be assigned to a boundary (e.g State, Electorate, SLA, LGA etc). For this reason, the total of the numbers in this sheet may not represent the National total.

#### Caveats

The data represents a specific point in time (or snapshot) as at the date identified in the source above.

Some records can not be assigned to an electorate.

Customers who live overseas or do not have a valid home address on the Centrelink system cannot be assigned to an electorate.

#### Privacy

All cells that have a value of less than 20, including zero, have been changed to display "<20". This rule has been employed for privacy reasons.

#### Age Pension

Income support payment for customers that have reached Age Pension age. The customer's Age Pension age depends on their date of birth:

If born before 1/7/52, Age Pension age is 65

If born before 31/12/48, Age Pension age is 64.5

If born between 1/1/49 and 30/6/52, Age Pension age is 65

#### For men and women:

If born between 1/7/52 and 31/12/53, Age Pension age is 65.5

If born between 1/1/54 and 30/6/55, Age Pension age is 66

**If born between 1/7/55 and 31/12/56, Age Pension age is 66.5**

If born from 1/1/57 or later, Age Pension age is 67.

Centrelink pays the vast majority of Age Pensions. Age pensioners who also receive a Disability Pension from the Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA) have the choice of having their Age Pension paid by either DVA or Centrelink.

FTB Maximum Rate: Where a tabulation shows FTB customers on the maximum rate, these generally have family incomes of less than \$46,355 (2011/12). However, there is a large group of customers whose family incomes are less than \$46,355 but who do not receive the maximum rate of FTB due to their receipt of child support income and the operation of the maintenance income test.

FTB and Income Support Payments: Approximately one-third of FTB customers also receive an Income Support Payment and may be shown in both categories.

Payment by Instalment versus Lump Sum: Information shown here in regard to FTB Part A & Part B refers only to fortnightly instalment customers. It excludes an additional 8% (approximately) who are paid through a lump sum which is claimable at the end of a financial year.

Point-in-time data: This information represents the current population at a point in time and does not represent the total eligible population for the financial year.

FTB Part A and Part B: Where the tabulation shows FTB Part A and Part B separately, approximately three-quarters of customers will appear in both categories as they are in receipt of both payments.

Basic FTB Part A: Basic FTB Part A does not include Large Family Supplement, Multiple Birth Allowance or Rent Assistance.

**Concession cards**

Health Care Card numbers include those with a low income card entitlement. Do not add HCC to LIC

If born before 1/7/35, Age Pension age is 60  
If born between 1/7/35 and 31/12/36, Age Pension age is 60.5  
If born between 1/1/37 and 30/6/38, Age Pension age is 61  
If born between 1/7/38 and 31/12/39, Age Pension age is 61.5  
If born between 1/1/40 and 30/6/41, Age Pension age is 62  
If born between 1/7/41 and 31/12/42, Age Pension age is 62.5  
If born between 1/1/43 and 30/6/44, Age Pension age is 63  
If born between 1/7/44 and 31/12/45, Age Pension age is 63.5  
If born between 1/1/46 and 30/6/47, Age Pension age is 64  
**If born between 1/7/47 and 31/12/48, Age Pension age is 64.5**  
If born between 1/1/49 and 30/6/52, Age Pension age is 65

For men and women:

If born between 1/7/52 and 31/12/53, Age Pension age is 65.5  
If born between 1/1/54 and 30/06/55, Age Pension age is 66  
If born between 1/7/55 and 31/12/56, Age Pension age is 66.5  
**If born from 1/1/57 or later, Age Pension age is 67.**

Centrelink pays the vast majority of Age Pensions. Age pensioners who also receive a Disability Pension from the Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA) have the choice of having their Age Pension paid by either DVA or Centrelink.

**Wife (Age) Pension**

An income support payment for the female partner of an age pensioner.

There have been no new grants of Wife Pension since 1 July 1995.

**Widow B Pension**

An income support payment to ensure customers have an adequate level of income

if they are an older widow who does not qualify for parenting payment,

have limited needs, and have lost the financial support of their partner.

There have been no new grants of Widow B Pension since 20 March 1997.

The majority of Widows B Pensioners live overseas. As the remaining number is less than 20 this data has been excluded for privacy reasons