

REACHING THE RIGHT PEOPLE 2018:

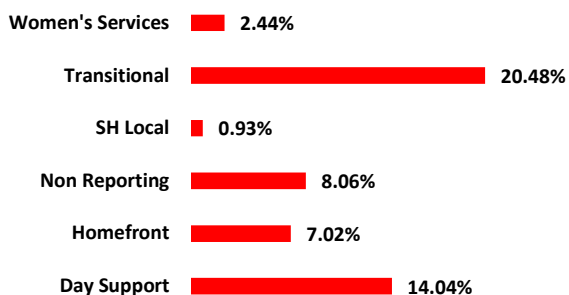
A SNAPSHOT OF ABORIGINAL AND/OR TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PEOPLES

Reaching the Right People aims to develop an understanding of people accessing Sacred Heart Mission's services.

This document takes a closer look at Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander peoples, with the purpose of developing a targeted and culturally competent and safe service delivery.

ACROSS THE MISSION

PERCENTAGE OF PEOPLES BY SERVICE



TOTAL PERCENTAGAGE

10%

INDENTIFIED
AS ABORIGINAL
AND/OR TORRES
STRAIT ISLANDER

TOTAL COUNT

149

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DEMOGRAPHICS

AGE

60%

AGED 26 – 45

31%

AGED 46 – 65

GENDER



44%

FEMALE

56%

MALE

LOCALITY*



**25% OF PEOPLE
LIVING IN THE CITY
OF PORT PHILLIP**

HOUSING SITUATION

DWELLING AT FIRST PRESENTATION



49%

no dwelling/street/
park/in the open



28%

house/townhouse/flat



23%

other

TIME SINCE LAST PERMANENT ADDRESS



20%

of people who reported being
homeless in the last 12 months
reported **sleeping rough or in
non – conventional** accommodation



20%

inadequate or inappropriate
dwelling conditions



19%

SLEEPING ROUGH

68%

MAIN PRESENTING REASON

41%

OTHER INFORMATION

INCOME SOURCE



41%

Disability
support

35%

Newstart
allowance

EMPLOYMENT



2%

of people report being
employed

JUSTICE

10%

of people reported having spent
time in a
adult correctional facility

MEDICAL

14%

of people reported having a
medical issue

*55% of respondents did not answer this question

Data source: SHIP database, period of 1 July 2017 to 30 June 2018