

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND ESTIMATES COMMITTEE

BUDGET ESTIMATES HEARINGS 2016-17

ATTACHMENT: QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE AND FURTHER INFORMATION TO BE SUPPLIED AT THE HEARINGS

PREVENTION OF FAMILY VIOLENCE

1. Please provide the latest data on the incidence of family violence in Victoria, compiled by Local Government Area (LGA), to the Committee.

Response:

Data on family incidents is published by the Crime Statistics Agency. The latest data on the incident rate per 100,000 population is attached.

2. With regard to men's behaviour change programs (MBCPs) in operation in Victoria:
 - a. How many programs currently operate in Victoria?

Response:

The Department of Health and Human Services has advised that it currently funds 24 providers to deliver MBCPs in 30 locations across the state.

- b. What are the waiting lists for each of these programs?

Response:

The Victorian Royal Commission into Family Violence report states that approximately 700 men were on waiting lists for voluntary programs as at March 2015. This data is sourced from No To Violence.

- c. What is provided in the 2016-17 Budget to address waiting lists for these programs?

Response:

The 2016-17 State Budget provided \$8.3 million for changing perpetrator behaviour - men's behaviour change. This will expand the provision of places in MBCPs.

Incidence of family violence in Victoria, compiled by Local Government Area (LGA)

Crime Statistics Agency

Table 4. Family incident rate per 100,000 population by region and local government area - January 2011 to December 2015

	Jan - Dec 2011	Jan - Dec 2012	Jan - Dec 2013	Jan - Dec 2014	Jan - Dec 2015	% change Dec 2014 - Dec 2015
North West Metro Region						
Banyule	686.3	925.6	968.1	996.0	1,068.4	7.3%
Brimbank	878.3	985.3	1,053.4	1,135.0	1,376.1	21.2%
Darebin	756.3	936.8	1,085.9	1,101.3	1,126.5	2.3%
Hobsons Bay	613.3	800.9	1,002.1	1,135.5	1,182.0	4.1%
Hume	1,166.4	1,338.5	1,501.1	1,569.6	1,558.6	-0.7%
Maribyrnong	654.7	874.2	1,023.9	1,035.9	1,013.7	-2.1%
Melbourne	739.2	851.8	1,008.2	968.0	1,054.5	8.9%
Melton	980.1	1,113.8	1,251.3	1,401.2	1,518.2	8.3%
Moonee Valley	613.3	726.8	841.9	804.5	908.8	13.0%
Moreland	601.0	866.9	904.2	972.5	1,060.2	9.0%
Nillumbik	352.4	471.7	532.5	664.8	607.2	-8.7%
Whittlesea	850.1	1,118.5	1,228.9	1,388.7	1,417.6	2.1%
Wyndham	794.8	1,000.2	1,146.0	1,182.2	1,312.4	11.0%
Yarra	638.8	777.9	894.8	826.5	1,040.1	25.8%
<i>Sub total</i>	<i>777.2</i>	<i>959.1</i>	<i>1,076.8</i>	<i>1,135.2</i>	<i>1,220.4</i>	<i>7.5%</i>
Eastern Region						
Alpine	439.2	644.1	581.2	715.0	793.9	11.0%
Bass Coast	1,032.0	1,097.5	1,467.3	1,710.8	1,865.8	9.1%
Baw Baw	868.9	1,022.7	1,110.5	1,316.8	1,480.9	12.5%
Benalla	1,425.7	2,002.8	2,245.1	2,184.3	2,420.8	10.8%
Boroondara	290.3	336.6	365.9	372.5	426.2	14.4%
East Gippsland	1,419.7	1,740.0	2,105.4	2,385.1	2,321.1	-2.7%
Greater Shepparton	889.2	1,667.2	2,112.0	2,190.6	2,218.1	1.3%
Indigo	444.0	631.0	572.5	798.2	795.9	-0.3%
Knox	726.9	1,035.0	948.3	1,003.2	1,099.4	9.6%
Latrobe	2,164.3	2,566.2	2,765.2	2,853.9	3,387.6	18.7%
Manningham	416.3	464.0	516.4	591.5	601.6	1.7%
Mansfield	340.0	509.2	537.6	1,095.3	1,263.5	15.4%
Maroondah	554.4	803.4	838.7	887.4	959.6	8.1%
Mitchell	1,071.1	1,519.0	1,477.3	1,827.9	2,020.5	10.5%
Moira	401.3	649.3	885.8	1,061.3	1,210.3	14.0%
Monash	440.9	608.6	656.5	628.0	711.0	13.2%
Murrindindi	390.0	789.7	785.5	1,044.5	1,035.5	-0.9%

South Gippsland	756.0	1,016.0	920.2	1,378.1	1,193.4	-13.4%
Strathbogie	364.7	682.8	484.2	897.0	1,026.9	14.5%
Towong	743.5	778.3	764.1	776.3	682.4	-12.1%
Wangaratta	1,153.9	1,524.6	1,514.9	1,652.1	1,511.1	-8.5%
Wellington	1,036.4	1,425.7	1,410.7	1,695.9	1,970.9	16.2%
Whitehorse	388.5	551.8	499.0	607.2	640.7	5.5%
Wodonga	1,179.7	1,719.7	1,745.9	2,050.8	2,360.8	15.1%
Yarra Ranges	579.6	790.7	804.5	915.4	989.6	8.1%
<i>Sub total</i>	<i>690.2</i>	<i>930.1</i>	<i>979.8</i>	<i>1,084.5</i>	<i>1,179.3</i>	<i>8.7%</i>

Southern Metro Region

Bayside	405.7	524.8	492.0	596.3	611.9	2.6%
Cardinia	991.7	1,370.5	1,441.7	1,404.5	1,576.4	12.2%
Casey	1,129.4	1,246.5	1,298.0	1,354.9	1,357.4	0.2%
Frankston	1,285.0	1,735.1	1,682.4	1,836.0	1,873.0	2.0%
Glen Eira	417.8	488.4	549.0	547.0	609.1	11.4%
Greater Dandenong	1,176.1	1,428.8	1,538.9	1,399.8	1,382.7	-1.2%
Kingston	669.6	797.9	874.2	857.7	915.0	6.7%
Mornington Peninsula	696.7	988.5	1,123.1	1,230.8	1,267.4	3.0%
Port Phillip	664.1	831.7	797.1	849.8	987.1	16.2%
Stonnington	483.5	566.3	656.1	589.7	599.0	1.6%
<i>Sub total</i>	<i>835.7</i>	<i>1,032.5</i>	<i>1,085.6</i>	<i>1,111.2</i>	<i>1,155.1</i>	<i>4.0%</i>

Western Region

Ararat	1,412.7	1,746.8	1,972.0	2,092.3	1,920.6	-8.2%
Ballarat	1,430.9	1,659.9	1,597.0	1,692.2	1,657.4	-2.1%
Buloke	448.6	535.0	578.7	739.4	836.2	13.1%
Campaspe	827.6	936.0	1,216.2	1,613.3	1,627.6	0.9%
Central Goldfields	1,351.5	1,351.2	2,023.5	2,022.8	2,073.0	2.5%
Colac-Otway	663.5	1,025.7	1,478.7	1,453.6	1,597.3	9.9%
Corangamite	732.2	707.9	867.6	768.9	986.6	28.3%
Gannawarra	937.5	1,204.7	1,462.3	1,458.8	1,512.8	3.7%
Glenelg	992.5	1,179.3	1,444.6	1,524.0	1,607.7	5.5%
Golden Plains	195.2	421.2	441.7	574.4	641.6	11.7%
Greater Bendigo	952.0	1,316.5	1,479.1	1,525.6	1,594.7	4.5%
Greater Geelong	813.1	988.0	1,262.2	1,263.5	1,386.2	9.7%
Hepburn	649.4	645.0	902.8	900.1	1,143.5	27.0%
Hindmarsh	529.4	899.5	983.3	868.2	1,333.1	53.6%
Horsham	1,424.0	1,900.1	2,021.6	2,544.3	2,801.1	10.1%
Loddon	715.6	799.4	779.3	923.3	1,095.0	18.6%
Macedon Ranges	545.7	730.7	936.6	867.7	854.5	-1.5%
Mildura	1,696.2	2,461.8	2,600.4	2,668.0	3,033.4	13.7%
Moorabool	599.9	960.9	1,091.7	1,099.4	1,332.6	21.2%
Mount Alexander	570.7	676.1	1,050.4	1,110.4	940.8	-15.3%
Moyne	358.8	505.4	681.9	777.0	533.4	-31.4%

Unclassified

Northern Grampians	929.2	1,473.4	1,618.8	1,570.1	1,800.0	14.6%
Pyrenees	399.5	622.6	768.1	587.5	761.4	29.6%
Queenscliffe	196.0	194.5	294.3	66.1	64.8	-1.9%
Southern Grampians	1,086.2	1,117.8	1,257.4	1,595.6	1,762.3	10.4%
Surf Coast	333.8	491.4	555.1	603.9	656.4	8.7%
Swan Hill	1,615.1	2,711.2	2,472.8	2,521.9	2,867.4	13.7%
Warrnambool	1,031.6	1,315.0	1,462.5	1,671.6	1,894.7	13.3%
West Wimmera	466.5	619.8	562.5	577.6	722.5	25.1%
Yarriambiack	654.3	1,084.2	1,025.9	1,349.4	1,813.2	34.4%
<i>Sub total¹</i>	931.5	1,203.9	1,373.2	1,454.4	1,576.8	8.4%

Data extracted from LEAP on 18 January 2016 and is subject to variation

Note: Estimated resident population, for years preceding the current year, are taken from the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS), Regional Population Growth, Australia (cat. no. 3218.0) - as at 30 June. As ABS data is not available for the current year's rates to be calculated, the CSA uses estimates created by the Victorian Government's 'Victoria in future' report.

¹ Total includes offences with an unknown local government area

Source: <http://www.crimestatistics.vic.gov.au/home/crime+statistics/year+ending+31+december+2015/family+incidents>