

Queensland public sector workforce profile

as at September 2020 – quick facts



The bi-annual workforce profile provides a summary of the Queensland public sector (sector) workforce and implements recommendations from the 2018 *Review into Queensland public sector workforce reporting* (Coaldrake review) to improve the accuracy of workforce reporting.



there are
234,142.49
full-time equivalent (FTE)
in the sector

Occupation types

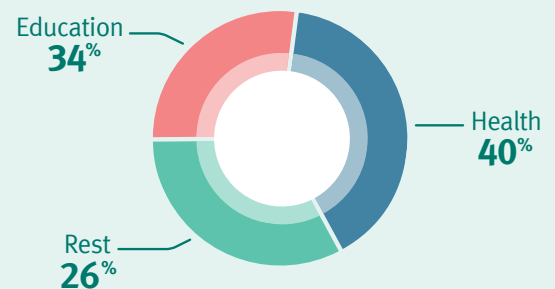


9 out of 10 employees (91.25 per cent) work in frontline (including key frontline roles) and frontline support roles – delivering, or providing essential support to allow delivery of, services, programs and outcomes directly to the Queensland community.



8.75 per cent of employees work in corporate roles – integral to the proper functioning of the sector and enabling delivery of the Queensland Government objectives for the Queensland community.

Key sectors



Location



64% Most sector employees live and work in regional Queensland* (64 per cent)



36% The remainder live and work in Brisbane and surrounding suburbs (36 per cent)

15 out of 19 regions* in Queensland have 95 per cent or higher of their public sector workforce in frontline and frontline support roles.

Diversity and age



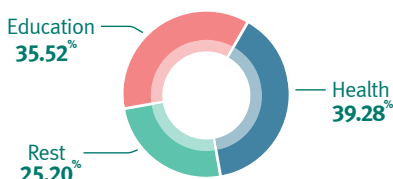
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within the sector ...

- 2.87 per cent identify as people with disability
- 2.50 per cent are Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples
- 10.10 per cent are from a non-English speaking background
- 50.14 per cent of the leadership cohort ** are women
- the average employee age is 44.59 years

Workforce earnings

two-thirds of the workforce
157,375.99 FTE = **earn up to \$100K** per annum



1.52% > earn over **\$180K** per annum



more than three quarters of these are in the health and education sectors

*Statistical areas in accordance with the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS)
** Senior Officer, Senior Executive and Chief Executive in classified roles

