

# Gendered data summary



**WOMEN'S HEALTH  
& WELLBEING**  
Barwon South West

## Colac Otway Shire

Statement for context and on limitations of data to be included here.

- Gender diversity
- Age of data

### Age

		Age distribution (%)				
		0-14	15-24	25-44	45-64	65+
F	11,200	16.0%	9.3%	22.4%	27.2%	25.3%
M	11,224	17.3%	10.7%	22.6%	26.7%	22.7%

2021 data

### Born in Australia

	Colac Otway Shire	Barwon South West regional average	Victorian state average
F	83.1%	83.4%	73.6%
M	82.2%	83.0%	74.1%

2021 data

### English proficiency

	Colac Otway Shire		Barwon South West regional average		Victorian state average	
	Low English proficiency	English only	Low English proficiency	English only	Low English proficiency	English only
F	1.2%	88.1%	0.6%	89.5%	2.8%	78.1%
M	1.5%	87.3%	0.6%	89.1%	2.2%	78.3%

2021 data

## Indigenous status

	Colac Otway Shire	Barwon South West regional average	Victorian state average
F	1.4%	1.5%	1.4%
M	1.4%	1.6%	1.4%

2021 data

## Education (year 12 or equivalent)

	Colac Otway Shire	Barwon South West regional average	Victorian state average
F	39.4%	42.8%	45.3%
M	30.2%	35.4%	39.5%

2021 data

## Individual weekly income

	Colac Otway Shire		Barwon South West regional average		Victorian State average	
	Above min. weekly wage	Below min. weekly wage	Above min. weekly wage	Below min. weekly wage	Above min. weekly wage	Below min. weekly wage
F	28.3%	49.2%	30.3%	47.4%	30.9%	46.3%
M	39.5%	36.3%	42.2%	33.9%	41.7%	33.7%

2021 data

## Poverty

	Colac Otway Shire	Barwon South West regional average	Victorian state average
F	14.0%	11.9%	13.3%
M	14.0%	11.8%	12.0%

2016 data

## Homelessness (rate per 10,000)

	Colac Otway Shire	Barwon South West regional average	Victorian state average
F	140.93	97.8	91.6
M	85.63	64.1	63.2

2022 data

### Solo parent status (% and no. of families)

	Colac Otway Shire		Barwon South West regional average		Victorian state average	
F	79.1%	662	79.2%	1613	79.3%	2683.6
M	20.9%	175	20.8%	387.3	20.7%	633.1

2021 data

### Unpaid assistance to a person with a disability

	Colac Otway Shire	Barwon South West regional average	Victorian state average
F	14.0%	14.2%	13.4%
M	9.5%	9.5%	9.1%

2021 data

### Need for assistance with core activity

	Colac Otway Shire	Barwon South West regional average	Victorian state average
F	7.2%	6.5%	6.7%
M	6.5%	5.8%	5.9%

2021 data

### Experience of transport limitations

	Colac Otway Shire	Barwon South West regional average	Victorian state average
F	23.1%	26.2%	26.6%
M	27.2%	20.2%	24.2%

2011 data

#### For more information

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