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Overview of the Australian aged care system





1.3 million consumers of aged care



\$17.1 billion in Australian Government expenditure

Informed access to aged care

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3.6 million visits to the My Aged Care website and 1.2 million calls answered



14 RAS organisations and **80** ACATs delivered assessment services

Home support

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1,523 funded CHSP organisations



722,838CHSP clients
across 2016–17

Home care

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702 operational home care providers



71,423 home care consumers at 30 June

Respite care

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579 funded CHSP organisations and **2,460** residential aged care homes delivered respite care



40,720 CHSP respite clients and **59,228** residential respite clients across 2016–17

Source: 2016–17 Report on the Operation of the Aged Care Act 1997





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Residential care



902 operational residential aged care providers



178,713 permanent residents at 30 June

Flexible care

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8,937 operational flexible care places across five programs



25,202 people received transition care and **110** received short term restorative care

Support for people with special needs

8



\$8 million in hardship supplements

Aged care workforce and sector support

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Over 366,000 in the aged care workforce of which **240,000** are in direct care roles

Quality and regulation

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340 applications to provide aged care were approved



11 Notices of Decision to Impose Sanctions were issued

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