MID NORTH COAST (MNC) DATA PROFILE 2025

Key demographic information[1]

7%
Of people are Aboriginal

326,453 people live in MNC

5%
Of people speak a language other than English
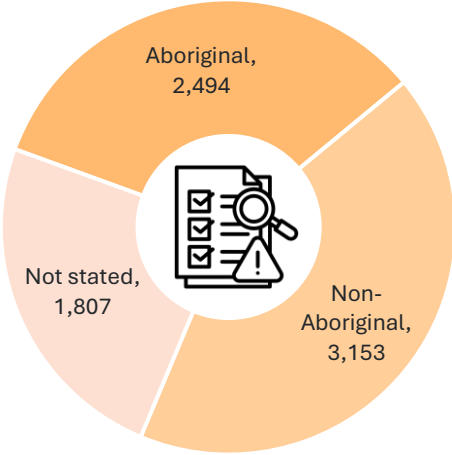
21%
Of people are aged 0-19

8%
Of people have a disability

12%
Of people are born overseas

Children & young people

With a concern report[2]

- Aboriginal, 3,007
- Not stated, 2,448
- Non-Aboriginal, 3,929

With a ROSH report[2]

- Aboriginal, 2,494
- Not stated, 1,807
- Non-Aboriginal, 3,153

In out-of-home care[2]

- Aboriginal, 513
- Non-Aboriginal, 363
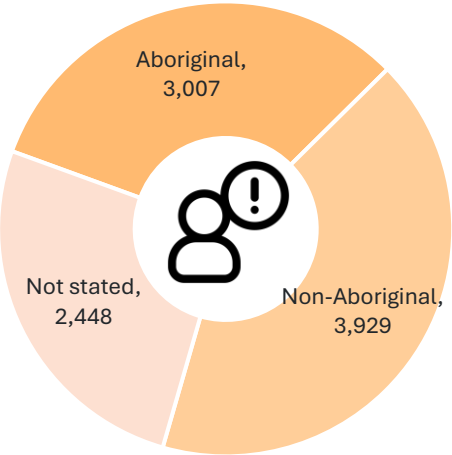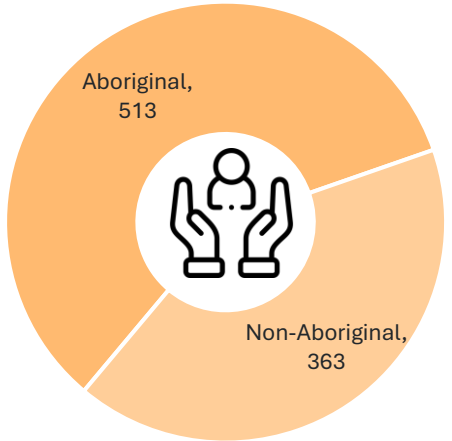
Types of vulnerability for children in first year of school[3]

- Communication skills and general knowledge, 240
- Physical health and wellbeing, 370
- Language and cognitive skills, 254
- Social competence, 320
- Emotional maturity, 311

Education attendance[1]

- University, 6,688
- Preschool, 5,776
- TAFE/private training, 7,673
- Primary, 23,690
- Secondary, 18,922
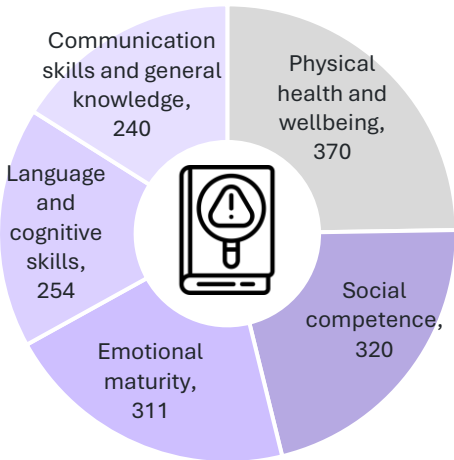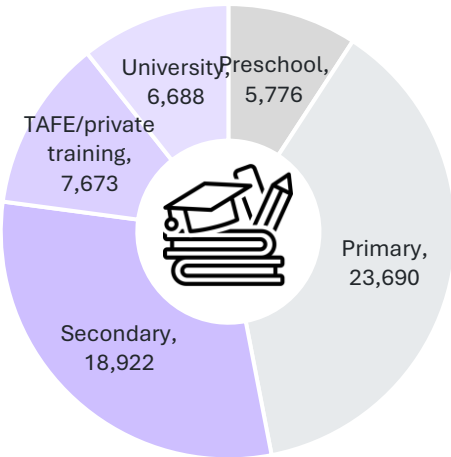
Highest education achieved[1]

- Tertiary degree, 36,701
- Diploma, 29,346
- Secondary, 110,488
- Certificate, 59,241

Employment[1]

- Not in the labour force, 121,500
- Employed, 126,799
- Unemployed, 7,570

Housing[1]

- Homeless, 1,275
- State housing, 2,263
- Community housing, 2,090
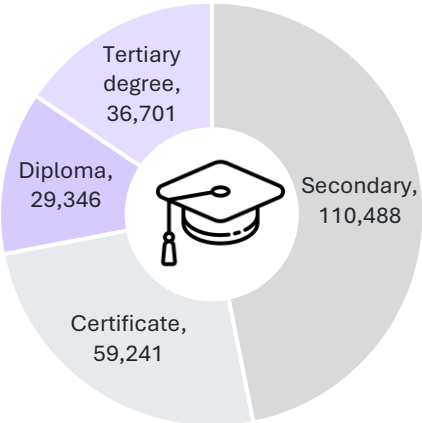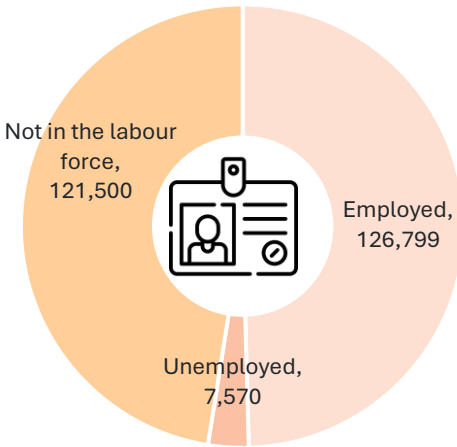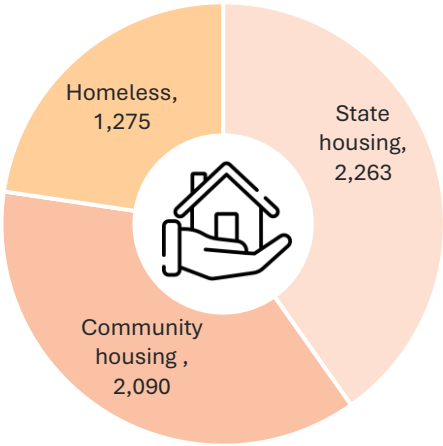
Weekly personal income[1]

- Negative income, 2,155
- Nil income, 15,507
- Not stated/not applicable, 75,448
- $0-$999, 161,634
- $2,000 or more, 16,353
- $1000-$1,999, 55,397
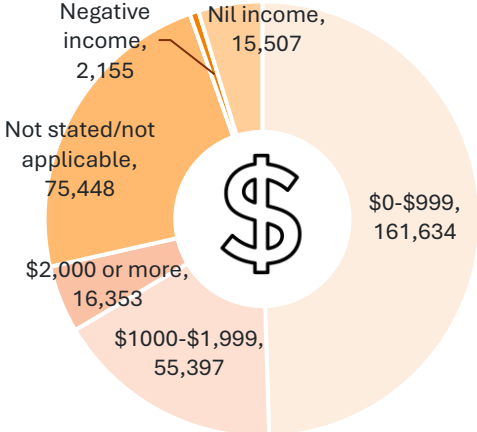
Data sources

[1]Census of population and housing, Australian Bureau of Statistics, 2021, abs.gov.au/census
The Census is the most comprehensive snapshot of the country and tells us about the economic, social and cultural make-up of the country. The Census of population and housing collects nationwide data on a range of topics, those included in the district data profile include: cultural diversity; employment, income and education; housing; homelessness; and core activity need for assistance.

[2]Child protection and out-of-home care key statistics for 2023/2024 by Local Government Area, dcj.nsw.gov.au/child-protection-and-out-of-home-care-data-local-government-area-heat-maps
The child protection and out-of-home care heat maps dashboard provides data at the LGA and DCJ district level, using data sourced from ChildStory/Corporate Information Warehouse and Australian Bureau of Statistics.

[3]Australian Early Development Census (AEDC), 2024, aedc.gov.au
The AEDC is a nationwide data collection of early childhood development. It provides evidence to support health, education and community policy and planning.