

## Annual Operator Activity Survey - 2021 / 2022

### OPERATORS

#### 1. Operators by operator type, region and sector

Operator sector	TOTAL		OPERATORS OF CEMETERIES ONLY		OPERATORS OF CREMATORIA ONLY		OPERATORS WHO HAVE BOTH CEMETERIES & CREMATORIA	
	Total no. of all operators of cemeteries and crematoria	% of total number of all operators of cemeteries and crematoria	No. of operators of cemeteries only	% of operators of cemeteries only	No. of operators of crematoria only	% of operator of crematoria only	No. of operators who operate both cemeteries and crematoria	% of operators who operate both cemeteries and crematoria
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>100%</b>
Local Government	109	26%	104	28%	0	N/A	5	19%
Crown	11	3%	8	2%	0	N/A	3	12%
Private	48	12%	11	3%	19	100%	18	69%
Church	224	54%	224	61%	0	N/A	0	N/A
Community & Other	21	5%	21	6%	0	N/A	0	N/A
<b>Metropolitan Sydney<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>117</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100%</b>
Local Government	14	12%	14	13%	0	N/A	0	N/A
Crown	4	3%	1	1%	0	N/A	3	50%
Private	8	7%	3	3%	2	100%	3	50%
Church	86	74%	86	79%	0	N/A	0	N/A
Community & Other	5	4%	5	5%	0	N/A	0	N/A
<b>Rural and Regional NSW<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>300</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>100%</b>
Local Government	95	32%	90	34%	0	N/A	5	23%
Crown	8	3%	7	3%	0	N/A	1	5%
Private	41	14%	8	3%	17	100%	16	73%
Church	140	47%	140	54%	0	N/A	0	N/A
Community & Other	16	5%	16	6%	0	N/A	0	N/A

<sup>1</sup> Note some operators are in both Metropolitan Sydney and Rural and Regional NSW and will be recorded under both but will only be counted once for the Whole of NSW totals

## FACILITIES

### 2. Facilities by region and operator type

Facilities operator sector	TOTAL		CEMETERIES						CREMATORIA	
	Total no. of facilities (cemetaries & crematoria)	% of total number of facilities (cemetaries & crematoria)	No. of all cemetaries (active & inactive)	% of all cemetaries (active & inactive)	No. of active cemetaries	% of active cemetaries	No. of inactive cemetaries	% of inactive cemetaries	No. of crematoria	% of crematoria
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>1541</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1480</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1014</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>466</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>100%</b>
Local Government	1022	66%	1017	69%	671	66%	346	74%	5	8%
Crown	25	2%	21	1%	13	1%	8	2%	4	7%
Private	92	6%	40	3%	32	3%	8	2%	52	85%
Church	376	24%	376	25%	283	28%	93	20%	0	N/A
Community & Other	26	2%	26	2%	15	1%	11	2%	0	N/A
<b>Metropolitan Sydney</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>100%</b>
Local Government	54	30%	54	32%	32	28%	22	41%	0	N/A
Crown	14	8%	10	6%	10	9%	0	N/A	4	31%
Private	19	10%	10	6%	8	7%	2	4%	9	69%
Church	90	49%	90	53%	63	55%	27	50%	0	N/A
Community & Other	5	3%	5	3%	2	2%	3	6%	0	N/A
<b>Rural and Regional NSW</b>	<b>1359</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1311</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>899</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>412</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>100%</b>
Local Government	968	71%	963	73%	639	71%	324	79%	5	10%
Crown	11	1%	11	1%	3	0%	8	2%	0	N/A
Private	73	5%	30	2%	24	3%	6	1%	43	90%
Church	286	21%	286	22%	220	24%	66	16%	0	N/A
Community & Other	21	2%	21	2%	13	1%	8	2%	0	N/A

## INTERMENT SERVICES SNAPSHOT

### 3. Interment services by region and operator type

Snapshot of sector	Total no. of interment <sup>2</sup> & cremation services	% of total no. of interment <sup>2</sup> & cremation services	No. of interments of bodily remains	% of interments of bodily remains	No. of cremations	% of cremations	No. of interments of cremated remains	% of interments of cremated remains
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>81657</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>20686</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>44846</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>16125</b>	<b>100%</b>
Local Government	15435	18.9%	8952	43.3%	1514	3.4%	4969	30.8%
<b>Crown</b>	<b>16453</b>	<b>20.1%</b>	<b>7738</b>	<b>37.4%</b>	<b>5840</b>	<b>13.0%</b>	<b>2875</b>	<b>17.8%</b>
Private	47667	58.4%	3552	17.2%	37492	83.6%	6623	41.1%
Church	1873	2.3%	244	1.2%	0	N/A	1629	10.1%
Community & Other	229	0.3%	200	1.0%	0	N/A	29	0.2%
<b>Metropolitan Sydney</b>	<b>38641</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11285</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>20620</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>6736</b>	<b>100%</b>
Local Government	1580	4.1%	1224	10.8%	0	N/A	356	5%
Crown	16170	41.8%	7514	66.6%	5840	28.3%	2816	42%
Private	20089	52.0%	2358	20.9%	14780	71.7%	2951	44%
Church	701	1.8%	88	0.8%	0	N/A	613	9%
Community & Other	101	N/A	101	0.9%	0	N/A	0	N/A
<b>Rural and Regional NSW</b>	<b>43016</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>9401</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>24226</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>9389</b>	<b>100%</b>
Local Government	13855	32.2%	7728	82.2%	1514	6.2%	4613	49%
Crown	283	0.7%	224	2.4%	0	N/A	59	0.6%
Private	27578	64.1%	1194	12.7%	22712	93.8%	3672	39%
Church	1172	2.7%	156	1.7%	0	N/A	1016	10.8%
Community & Other	128	0.3%	99	1.1%	0	N/A	29	0.3%

<sup>2</sup> interment & cremation services means interments of bodily remains, interments of cremated remains, and cremations.

## INTERMENT SERVICES IN DETAIL

### 4A. Interment services by region and operator type

Interment services operator sector	TOTAL				ALL INTERMENTS OF BODILY AND CREMATED REMAINS			
	Total no. of interment <sup>2</sup> & cremation services	% of total no. of interment <sup>2</sup> & cremation services	% Cremation Rate <sup>3</sup>	Grave occupancy rate <sup>4</sup>	No. of interments of bodily and cremated remains	% of interments of bodily and cremated remains	No. of interments of bodily remains	% of interments of bodily remains
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>81657</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>1.56</b>	<b>36811</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>20686</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	15435	18.9%	14%	1.42	13921	38%	8952	43.3%
<i>Crown</i>	16453	20.1%	43%	1.50	10613	29%	7738	37.4%
<i>Private</i>	47667	58.4%	91%	2.44	10175	28%	3552	17.2%
<i>Church</i>	1873	2.3%	0%	1.36	1873	5%	244	1.2%
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	229	0.3%	0%	1.14	229	1%	200	1.0%
<b>Metropolitan Sydney</b>	<b>38641</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>1.70</b>	<b>18021</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11285</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	1580	4.1%	0%	1.73	1580	9%	1224	10.8%
<i>Crown</i>	16170	41.8%	44%	1.50	10330	57%	7514	66.6%
<i>Private</i>	20089	52.0%	86%	3.14	5309	29%	2358	20.9%
<i>Church</i>	701	1.8%	0%	1.33	701	4%	88	0.8%
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	101	0.3%	0%	1.01	101	1%	101	0.9%
<b>Rural and Regional NSW</b>	<b>43016</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>1.41</b>	<b>18790</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>9401</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	13855	32.2%	16%	1.38	12341	66%	7728	82.2%
<i>Crown</i>	283	0.7%	0%	1.48	283	2%	224	2.4%
<i>Private</i>	27578	64.1%	95%	1.70	4866	26%	1194	12.7%
<i>Church</i>	1172	2.7%	0%	1.37	1172	6%	156	1.7%
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	128	0.3%	0%	1.30	128	1%	99	1.1%

<sup>2</sup> interment & cremation services means interments of bodily remains, interments of cremated remains, and cremations.

<sup>3</sup> cremation rate means cremations vs Interments of bodily remains.

<sup>4</sup> grave occupancy rate is the number of interments per interment site / grave.

**INTERMENT SERVICES IN DETAIL**
**4B. Interment services by region and operator type**

Interment services operator sector	PERPETUAL TENURE						
	No. of interments of bodily remains that are first interments in an interment site	% of interments of bodily remains that are first interments in an interment site	No. of interments of bodily remains that are second or subsequent interments in an interment site	% of interments of bodily remains that are second or subsequent interments in an interment site	No. of interments of cremated remains that are the first interment in an interment site	% of interments of cremated remains that are the first interment in an interment site	No. of interments of cremated remains that are second and subsequent interments in the one interment site
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>13282</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>7222</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>10765</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5176</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	6308	47.5%	2579	36%	3974	37%	872
<i>Crown</i>	5165	38.9%	2459	34%	1566	15%	1305
<i>Private</i>	1453	10.9%	2096	29%	3993	37%	2586
<i>Church</i>	180	1.4%	64	1%	1211	11%	405
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	176	1.3%	24	0%	21	0%	8
<b>Metropolitan Sydney</b>	<b>6638</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>4503</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3439</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3264</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	707	10.7%	487	10.8%	251	11%	84
<i>Crown</i>	5014	75.5%	2386	53.0%	1557	53%	1255
<i>Private</i>	751	11.3%	1607	35.7%	1241	36%	1710
<i>Church</i>	66	1.0%	22	0.5%	390	0%	215
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	100	1.5%	1	0.0%	0	0%	0
<b>Rural and Regional NSW</b>	<b>6644</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>2719</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>7326</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1912</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	5601	84.3%	2092	77%	3723	77%	788
<i>Crown</i>	151	2.3%	73	3%	9	3%	50
<i>Private</i>	702	10.6%	489	18%	2752	18%	876
<i>Church</i>	114	1.7%	42	2%	821	2%	190
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	76	1.1%	23	1%	21	1%	8

**INTERMENT SERVICES IN DETAIL**

**4C. Interment services by region and operator type**

Interment services operator sector	RENEWABLE TENURE								
	% of interments of cremated remains that are second and subsequent interments in an interment site	No. of interments of bodily remains that are first interment in an interment site	% of interments of bodily remains that are first interment in an interment site	No. of interments of bodily remains that are second or subsequent interments in an interment site	% of interments of bodily remains that are second or subsequent interments in an interment site	No. of interments of cremated remains that are the first interment in an interment site	% of interments of cremated remains that are the first interment in an interment site	No. of interments of cremated remains that are second and subsequent interments in an interment site	% of interments of cremated remains that are second and subsequent interments in an interment site
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	17%	30	86%	20	100%	119	71%	2	33%
<i>Crown</i>	25%	5	14%	0	N/A	0	0%	0	0%
<i>Private</i>	50%	0	N/A	0	N/A	41	25%	3	50%
<i>Church</i>	8%	0	N/A	0	N/A	7	4%	1	17%
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	0%	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	0%	0	0%
<b>Metropolitan Sydney</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	11%	10	67%	20	100%	17	71%	2	67%
<i>Crown</i>	53%	5	33%	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<i>Private</i>	36%	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<i>Church</i>	0%	0	N/A	0	N/A	7	29%	1	33%
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	0%	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<b>Rural and Regional NSW</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	77%	20	100%	0	N/A	102	71%	0	N/A
<i>Crown</i>	3%	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<i>Private</i>	18%	0	N/A	0	N/A	41	29%	3	100%
<i>Church</i>	2%	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	1%	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A

## INTERMENT SERVICES IN DETAIL

### 4D. Interment services by region and operator type

Interment services operator sector	PERSONS WITHOUT MEANS				CREMATIONS				PERSON WITHOUT MEANS	
	No. of interments of bodily remains of a person without means	% of interments of bodily remains of a person without means	No. of interments of cremated remains of a person without means	% of interments of cremated remains of a person without means	Total no. of cremations (including persons without means)	% of total no. of cremations (including persons without means)	No. of cremations	% of NSW cremations	No. of cremations of a person without means	% of cremations of a person without means
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>44846</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>44530</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	15	12%	2	18%	1514	3%	1514	3%	0	N/A
<i>Crown</i>	109	86%	4	36%	5840	13%	5839	13%	1	0%
<i>Private</i>	3	2%	0	N/A	37492	84%	37177	83%	315	100%
<i>Church</i>	0	0%	5	45%	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<b>Metropolitan Sydney</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>20620</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>20434</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	0	0%	2	33%	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
<i>Crown</i>	109	727%	4	67%	5840	28%	5839	29%	1	1%
<i>Private</i>	0	N/A	0	N/A	14780	72%	14595	71%	185	99%
<i>Church</i>	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	N/A
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A	0	N/A
<b>Rural and Regional NSW</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>24226</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>20434</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	15	83%	0	N/A	1514	6%	1514	7%	0	N/A
<i>Crown</i>	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<i>Private</i>	3	17%	0	N/A	22712	94%	22582	111%	130	100%
<i>Church</i>	0	N/A	5	100%	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A

## INTERMENT SERVICE RATES PER FACILITIES

### 5. Interment service activity rates by facility

Cemeteries	No. of local government cemeteries	No. of Crown cemeteries	No. of private cemeteries	No. of church cemeteries	No of community & other cemeteries	% of local government cemeteries	% of Crown cemeteries	% of private cemeteries	% of church cemeteries	% of community & other cemeteries
>10 interments per year - bodily remains and cremated remains	219	10	4	31	4	21.5%	47.6%	10.0%	8.2%	15.4%
<10 interments per year - bodily remains and cremated remains	452	3	28	252	11	44.4%	14.3%	70.0%	67.0%	42.3%

	Local Government	Crown	Private	Church	Community & other
Average no. of interments per cemetery by sector (bodily & cremated remains)	13.7	505.4	254.4	5.0	8.8

## OTHER RELATED CEMETERY ACTIVITIES

### 6. Other related cemetery activities that are not interment services by region and operator type

Interment services operator sector	Scatterings of cremated bodily remains <sup>5</sup>		PREPURCHASED INTERMENT SITES			
	No. of scatterings of cremated bodily remains within a cemetery	% of scatterings of cremated bodily remains within a cemetery	No. of pre-purchased perpetual interment sites	% of pre-purchased perpetual interment sites	No. of pre-purchased renewable interment sites	% of pre-purchased renewable interment sites
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>87693</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	18	4%	28910	33%	287	65%
<i>Crown</i>	145	36%	46463	53%	13	3%
<i>Private</i>	208	51%	6091	7%	0	N/A
<i>Church</i>	32	8%	6228	7%	139	32%
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	4	1%	1	0%	0	N/A
<b>Metropolitan Sydney</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>56837</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	6	2%	2219	4%	232	73%
<i>Crown</i>	145	52%	46370	82%	13	4%
<i>Private</i>	110	39%	4494	8%	0	N/A
<i>Church</i>	18	6%	3754	7%	74	23%
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	0	N/A	0	N/A	0	N/A
<b>Rural and Regional NSW</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>30856</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Local Government</i>	12	4%	26691	47%	55	46%
<i>Crown</i>	0	N/A	93	4%	0	N/A
<i>Private</i>	98	68%	1597	3%	0	N/A
<i>Church</i>	14	13%	2474	55%	65	54%
<i>Community &amp; Other</i>	4	22%	1	0%	0	N/A

<sup>5</sup> Scattering of cremated bodily remains within a cemetery is not an interment services under *Cemeteries and Crematoria Act 2013* as an interment right is not required.

## PLANNING REGIONS

### 7A. Whole of NSW, burials and cremated remains interments and cremations by planning regions

Planning Region	No. of cemeteries (Active)	No. of cemeteries (Inactive)	No. of cemeteries (Active & Inactive)	No. of burials*	% of NSW burials	No. of crematoria	No. of cremations*	% of NSW cremations	Cremation rate %	No. of services (burials & cremations)	% of total NSW services (burials & cremations)
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>1014</b>	<b>466</b>	<b>1480</b>	<b>20686</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>44976</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>68.5%</b>	<b>65662</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Central Coast</i>	21	4	25	488	2.4%	2	2430	5.4%	83.3%	2918	4.4%
<i>Central West and Orana</i>	163	87	250	1430	6.9%	5	1424	3.2%	49.9%	2854	4.3%
<i>Far West</i>	40	30	70	296	1.4%	2	318	0.7%	51.8%	614	0.9%
<i>Hunter</i>	177	54	231	1423	6.9%	7	5650	12.6%	79.9%	7073	10.8%
<i>Illawarra-Shoalhaven</i>	36	28	64	863	4.2%	4	2799	6.2%	76.4%	3662	5.6%
<i>Metropolitan Sydney</i>	115	54	169	11285	54.6%	13	20750	46.1%	64.8%	32035	48.8%
<i>New England North West</i>	98	53	151	910	4.4%	4	831	1.8%	47.7%	1741	2.7%
<i>North Coast</i>	92	42	134	1570	7.6%	11	4295	9.5%	73.2%	5865	8.9%
<i>Riverina-Murray</i>	118	44	162	1383	6.7%	10	5564	12.4%	80.1%	6947	10.6%
<i>South East and Tablelands</i>	154	70	224	1038	5.0%	3	915	2.0%	46.9%	1953	3.0%

\* Burials refers to interment of bodily remains, cremations refers to cremated bodily remains, ash interments refers to the interment of cremated bodily remains

Planning Region	No of interments of cremated remains	No. of cremated remains scattered within grounds	Total no. of interment of cremated remains & remains scattered within grounds	Total no. of all NSW services (burials, cremations & ash interments)	% of total no. of all NSW services (burials, cremations & ash interments)
<b>Whole of NSW</b>	<b>16125</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>16532</b>	<b>81787</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Central Coast</i>	1210	25	1235	4128	5.0%
<i>Central West and Orana</i>	1510	7	1517	4364	5.3%
<i>Far West</i>	117	0	117	731	0.9%
<i>Hunter</i>	1465	38	1503	8538	10.4%
<i>Illawarra-Shoalhaven</i>	1489	15	1504	5151	6.3%
<i>Metropolitan Sydney</i>	6736	279	7015	38771	47.4%
<i>New England North West</i>	296	6	302	2037	2.5%
<i>North Coast</i>	2551	30	2581	8416	10.3%
<i>Riverina-Murray</i>	422	3	425	7369	9.0%
<i>South East and Tablelands</i>	329	4	333	2282	2.8%

**7B. Metropolitan Sydney, burials and cremated remains interments and cremations by Sydney planning district**

Planning Region	No. of cemeteries (Active)	No. of cemeteries (Inactive)	No. of cemeteries (Active & Inactive)	No. of burials*	% of NSW burials	No. of crematoria	No. of cremations*	% of NSW cremations	Cremation rate %	No. of services (burials & cremations)	% of total NSW services (burials & cremations)
<b>Metropolitan Sydney</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>11285</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>20750</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>64.8%</b>	<b>32035</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Central</i>	17	6	23	848	7.5%	1	1107	5.3%	56.6%	1955	6.1%
<i>West Central</i>	16	10	26	5580	49.4%	4	5647	27.2%	50.3%	11227	35.0%
<i>North</i>	17	9	26	1559	13.8%	2	5698	27.5%	78.5%	7257	22.7%
<i>West</i>	31	16	47	563	5.0%	2	1567	7.6%	73.6%	2130	6.6%
<i>South West</i>	29	10	39	2064	18.3%	2	4447	21.4%	68.3%	6511	20.3%
<i>South</i>	5	3	8	671	5.9%	2	2284	11.0%	77.3%	2955	9.2%

Planning Region	No of interments of cremated remains	No. of cremated remains scattered within grounds	Total no. of interment of cremated remains & remains scattered within grounds	Total no. of all NSW services (burials, cremations & ash interments)	% of total no. of all NSW services (burials, cremations & ash interments)
<b>Metropolitan Sydney</b>	<b>6736</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>7015</b>	<b>38771</b>	<b>100%</b>
<i>Central</i>	809	70	879	2764	7.1%
<i>West Central</i>	2384	13	2397	13611	35.1%
<i>North</i>	1430	111	1541	8687	22.4%
<i>West</i>	176	0	176	2306	5.9%
<i>South West</i>	706	5	711	7217	18.6%
<i>South</i>	1231	80	1311	4186	10.8%