

Table A25: Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children in out-of-home care, by Indigenous status and relationship of carer, states and territories, 30 June 2012

Relationship	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT	Total
Number									
Indigenous relative/kin	2,922	275	659	670	275	24	64	158	5,047
Other Indigenous caregiver	1,065	65	593	231	118	25	13	59	2,169
Other relative/kin	886	238	382	193	110	47	10	0	1,866
<i>Total placed with relatives/kin, other Indigenous caregivers or in Indigenous residential care</i>	<i>4,873</i>	<i>578</i>	<i>1,634</i>	<i>1,094</i>	<i>503</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>87</i>	<i>217</i>	<i>9,082</i>
Other caregiver	1,097	449	1,407	484	173	114	46	352	4,122
<i>Total not placed with relatives/kin, other Indigenous caregivers or in Indigenous residential care</i>	<i>1,097</i>	<i>449</i>	<i>1,407</i>	<i>484</i>	<i>173</i>	<i>114</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>352</i>	<i>4,122</i>
Total	5,970	1,027	3,041	1,578	676	210	133	569	13,204
Per cent									
Indigenous relative/kin	48.9	26.8	21.7	42.5	40.7	11.4	48.1	27.8	38.2
Other Indigenous caregiver	17.8	6.3	19.5	14.6	17.5	11.9	9.8	10.4	16.4
Other relative/kin	14.8	23.2	12.6	12.2	16.3	22.4	7.5	0.0	14.1
<i>Total placed with relatives/kin, other Indigenous caregivers or in Indigenous residential care</i>	<i>81.6</i>	<i>56.3</i>	<i>53.7</i>	<i>69.3</i>	<i>74.4</i>	<i>45.7</i>	<i>65.4</i>	<i>38.1</i>	<i>68.8</i>
Other caregiver	18.4	43.7	46.3	30.7	25.6	54.3	34.6	61.9	31.2
<i>Total not placed with relatives/kin, other Indigenous caregivers or in Indigenous residential care</i>	<i>18.4</i>	<i>43.7</i>	<i>46.3</i>	<i>30.7</i>	<i>25.6</i>	<i>54.3</i>	<i>34.6</i>	<i>61.9</i>	<i>31.2</i>
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Notes

1. This table does not include Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander children who were living independently or whose living arrangements were unknown.
2. Percentages in the table may not add to 100 due to rounding.
3. Family group homes and residential care are reported under other caregiver.

Source: AIHW Child Protection Collection 2012.