

In Western Australia
from 2009 to 2013 there were
610 DEATHS
DUE TO
POISONING

HOSPITALISATIONS



2010 to 2014

7,997

MALE / FEMALE %



2010 to 2014

54.6%
Male

AGE RANGE



2010 to 2014

25-44
INDIVIDUALS AGED
EXPERIENCED THE
HIGHEST RATE OF
HOSPITALISATIONS

COST



2014

6,071 BED DAYS
\$10,560,204
APPROX.

ACCOUNTS FOR



1.5%
OF HOSPITALISATIONS
BY EXTERNAL CAUSES

FOCUS

In Western Australia Aboriginal people make up **3.1%**¹ of the population, however **8.92%** of **Poisoning** hospitalisations were Aboriginal People between **2010 and 2014**

References:

1. Australian Bureau of Statistics 2016, 'Western Australia, People', viewed 5 September 2017, <www.censusdata.abs.gov.au/census_services/getproduct/census/2016/quickstat/65?openocument>

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REGIONAL HOSPITALISATION RATES
COMPARED TO THE STATE

57% ▲
KIMBERLEY

10% ▼
PILBARA

20% ▲
MIDWEST

1% ▼
GOLDFIELDS

20% ▲
WHEATBELT

8% ▼
NORTH METRO

9% ▲
EAST METRO

6% ▼
SOUTH METRO

18% ▼
GREAT SOUTHERN

9% ▼
SOUTHWEST

Difference in regional hospitalisation rates compared to the WA State hospitalisation rate, 2010 - 2014