

WPQ 31609 (2019)

Table 1: Total number of approved legal aid providers broken down by region, month and Public Defence Service providers.

Region	As at 1 July 19	As at 1 Aug 19	As at 1 Sept 19
Northland	83	84	86
Auckland	695	705	713
Auckland - PDS	33	31	32
Manukau - PDS	45	46	46
North Shore - PDS	10	10	10
Waitakere - PDS	20	18	21
Bay of Plenty	169	170	174
Tauranga - PDS	9	9	9
Waikato	193	197	198
Gisborne	34	34	33
Hamilton - PDS	14	14	14
Hawke's Bay	70	69	68
Hawke's Bay - PDS	7	7	7
Manawatu-Whanganui	73	75	75
Taranaki	47	47	47
Wellington	286	291	292
Wellington - PDS	19	19	20
Nelson	48	48	48
Marlborough	13	12	12
West Coast	7	7	7
Canterbury	216	217	220
Christchurch - PDS	19	20	18
Otago	79	77	77
Dunedin - PDS	7	7	7
Southland	46	48	51
Total	2,242	2,262	2,285

Notes:

- Public Defence Service (PDS) providers are included by regional office.
- There is not a PDS office in every Justice Service Region.
- Legal aid providers with approval to act in a limited or temporary capacity are not included.
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- The data presented was recorded at the first of every month