

WPQ 39968 (2025)**Table 1: Total amount paid in legal aid funding for psychiatric/psychologist reports, by month, between 1 January 2024 and 31 July 2025**

Month	Amount Approved (GST Inclusive)		
	Criminal	Family	Civil
January 2024	\$203,606.25	-	\$9,458.75
February 2024	\$112,617.48	-	-
March 2024	\$292,288.33	-	-
April 2024	\$201,069.96	-	-
May 2024	\$303,108.05	-	-
June 2024	\$205,268.77	-	-
July 2024	\$259,985.87	-	-
August 2024	\$329,745.58	-	-
September 2024	\$307,382.01	\$7,787.45	-
October 2024	\$416,104.38	-	-
November 2024	\$355,089.55	-	-
December 2024	\$484,026.35	-	\$9,861.25
January 2025	\$215,339.08	-	-
February 2025	\$219,462.77	-	-
March 2025	\$417,044.37	-	-
April 2025	\$325,778.09	-	-
May 2025	\$411,000.21	-	-
June 2025	\$470,858.65	-	-
July 2025	\$474,656.31	-	-
Total	\$6,004,432.06	\$7,787.45	\$19,320.00

Notes:

- Month is based on the invoice assessed and approved date.
- The approved amount is for private legal aid providers in the District Court only and does not include the Public Defence Service.
- The data includes approved psychiatric/psychologist related disbursements and excludes disbursements for travel and/or interpreters.
- There may be multiple psychologist/psychiatrist disbursements approved for a single legal aid case. It cannot be determined exactly how many reports these disbursements relate to.
- Not all providers are GST registered, GST included for those providers that are.
- Where information is not existing for a measure, a dash (-) is used in the table.
- This report contains data drawn from a database that is subject to change, as new data is continually recorded and/or re-coded. This data was run as at 19 August 2025.