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Question 1(a)

Subclass 600 Visitor visa granted between 2015-16 and 2018-19 to 30 April 2019 where the visa sub-type is sponsored family and the stay period is more than 3 months Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2019 (RFI 22191.02)

2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19 30/04/19
7,686	9,637	11,424	10,371

Question 1(b) and 1(b)(i)(1)

Subclass 600 Visitor visa granted between 2015-16 and 2018-19 to 30 April 2019 where the visa sub-type is sponsored family and the stay period recorded is a date Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2019 (RFI 22191.03)

2015-16		2016	2016-17 2017-18		-18	2018-19 to 30/04/19	
Total	Total that are allowed multiple entries	Intal	Total that are allowed multiple entries	Total	Total that are allowed multiple entries	Lotal	Total that are allowed multiple entries
105	94	838	798	3,221	3,178	4,264	4,224

Question 1(c) and 1(c)(i)(1)

Subclass 600 Visitor visa granted between 2015-16 and 2018-19 to 30 April 2019 where the visa sub-type is sponsored family and the stay period is recorded as months Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2019 (RFI 22191.04)

2015-16	2015-16 2016-17 2017-18		2018-19 to 30/04/19				
Total	Total that are allowed multiple entries	Total	Total that are allowed multiple entries	Total that are allowed multiple entries		Total	Total that are allowed multiple entries
21,408	134	26,900	362	26,629	491	23,048	189

Question 1(e)

Subclass 600 Visitor visa granted between 2015-16 and 2018-19 to 30 April 2019 where the visa sub-type is sponsored family and the stay period is more than 12 months Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2019 (RFI 22191.05)

2018-19 to 30/04/19	2017-18	2016-17	2015-16
3,966	1,915	82	12

Question 1(h

Subclass 600 Visitor visa granted between 2015-16 and 2018-19 to 30 April 2019 where the visa sub-type is sponsored family and the next visa application lodged before the expiry of the 600 Visitor visa was a bridging visa application

Note 1: Does not include bridging visas associated to a substantive visa application.

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2019 (RFI 22191.06)

Total
<5

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Question 1(h)(i)(1)

Subclass 600 Visitor visa granted between 2015-16 and 2018-19 to 30 April 2019 where the visa sub-type is sponsored family and the next visa application lodged before the expiry of the 600 Visitor visa was a bridging visa application and was granted - by visa period

Note 1: Does not include bridging visas associated to a substantive visa application.

Note 2: Visa period is from the visa grant date to the visa in effect until date.

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2019 (RFI 22191.07)

Visa Period	Total
2 Weeks	<5
More than 2 weeks to 1 month	0
More than 1 month to 3 months	0
More than 3 months	0

Question 2

Subclass 600 Visitor visa granted between 2015-16 and 2018-19 to 30 April 2019 where the visa sub-type is sponsored family

Source: Department of Home Affairs, 2019 (RFI 22191.01)

2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19 to 30/04/19
23,199	29,633	31,268	28,179

As at 30 June 2018 there were an estimated 62,900* Unlawful Non-Citizens (UNC) in Australia. Of these around 47,050* had overstayed a visa in the visitor category

* Numbers provided are an estimate only, and are rounded. The Estimate of Unlawful Non-Citizens is reported annually. No IMAs are included in this data. Some people included may have since resolved their immigration status and further interrogation of departmental systems is required to ascertain an individual's actual current status.

Note: this information cannot be disaggregated further into citizenship or age group details.

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Onshore removals from immigration detention, of those who arrived on a sponsored family visitor (short stay) visa, and had an unlawful reason as an overstayer for the period 2015-16 to 2018-19 (Jul-Apr).

Note: this is based on the latest arrival visa and may not neccessarily be the visa that the client last held upon removal. Figures are based on removals data only and has not been matched to any other data sources.

Figures for 2018-19 (Jul-Apr) were extracted from Departmental systems on 07 May 2019. As data has been drawn from a dynamic source, any historical figures provided may differ slightly in previous or future reporting.

Removed from onshore immigration detention (voluntary and involuntary) to their country of origin or a third country.

This table accounts for onshore removals figures only and does not include departures of non-citizens from Offshore Processing Centres. Please consult Regional Returns and Removals Section for reporting on this cohort.

Qu (1a i - top 20 countries of origin)

	Fin Year					
Citizenship at departure	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019 (Jul-Apr)		
Vietnam	15	8	6	6		
Lebanon	<5	5	<5	0		
China	<5	<5	<5	0		
Nepal	0	<5	0	0		
Pakistan	0	0	0	<5		
Canada	0	<5	0	0		
Bangladesh	0	<5	0	0		
Laos	0	0	<5	0		
Fiji	<5	0	0	0		
Total	24	21	10	7		

Qu (1g i - age categories)

	Fin Year					
Age Group	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019 (Jul-Apr)		
Under 40	11	13	7	(001-Apr) <5		
40-60	<5	0	0	<5		
Over 60	11	8	<5	<5		
Total	24	21	10	7		