

The National Diabetes Services Scheme (NDSS) is an initiative of the Australian Government administered by Diabetes Australia.

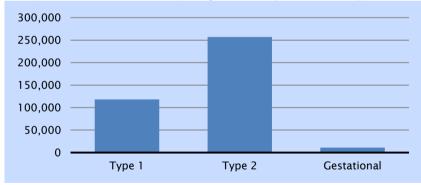
# **INSULIN THERAPY**

## as at 31 March 2017

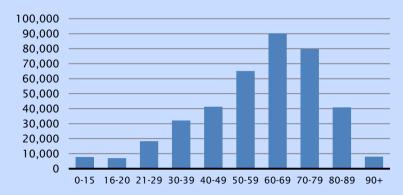
There were 390,490 people with diabetes who required insulin therapy registered on the NDSS. This was 31% of all people with diabetes

Diabetes Type	Requiring Insulin	% of Total	% of Diabetes Type
Type 1	118,142	30%	100%
Type 2	257,145	66%	24%
Gestational	11,014	3%	29%
Other	4,189	1%	55%
Total	390,490	100%	31%

#### People With Diabetes Requiring Insulin by Diabetes Type



#### People With Diabetes Requiring Insulin by Age Group



Over the last 12 months 21,321 people were registered requiring insulin therapy: 3,186 with type 1 diabetes, 6,511 with type 2 diabetes, 11,014 with gestational diabetes, and 610 with other types of diabetes

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Equivalent to 58 new insulin requiring registrants every day

66% of all people requiring insulin therapy had type 2 diabetes and 30% had type 1 diabetes

257,145 people with type 2 diabetes required insulin therapy

7,747 people requiring insulin therapy were aged 15 years or under

14,747 people requiring insulin therapy were aged 20 years or under

218,918 people requiring insulin therapy were aged 60 years or older

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### Statistical Snapshot at 31 March 2017