

Labour Market Dashboard
Tasmania

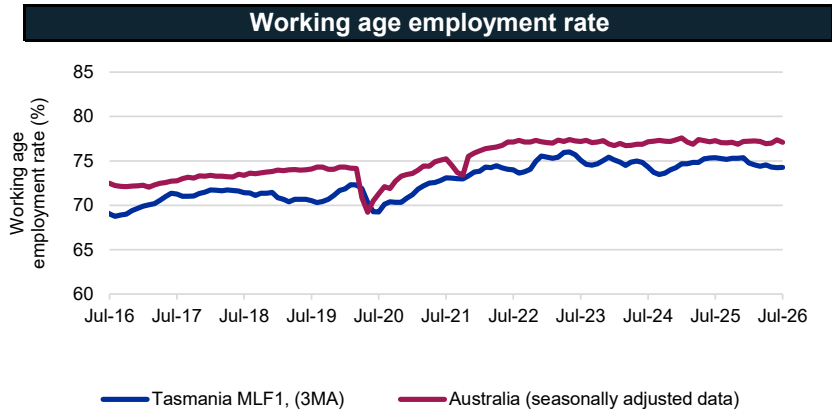
Data current as at 20 August 2026

Refer to source notes for data reference periods

This Labour Market Dashboard provides a summary of the key indicators for the Tasmanian labour market. Dashboards for Australia and Employment Regions are also available.

Labour market summary table											
	Working Age Employment Rate		Unemployment			Unemployment rate		Working Age Participation Rate		Youth unemployment rate	
	Jul-26 (%)	Jul-25 (%)	Jul-26 ('000)	Jul-25 ('000)	Change (%)	Jul-26 (%)	Jul-25 (%)	Jul-26 (%)	Jul-25 (%)	Jul-26 (%)	Jul-25 (%)
Tasmania	74.3	75.3	15.1	11.4	32.6	5.1	3.8	78.5	78.5	10.7	9.7
Australia	77.1	77.3	691.5	646.5	7.0	4.5	4.2	80.8	80.8	10.4	9.8

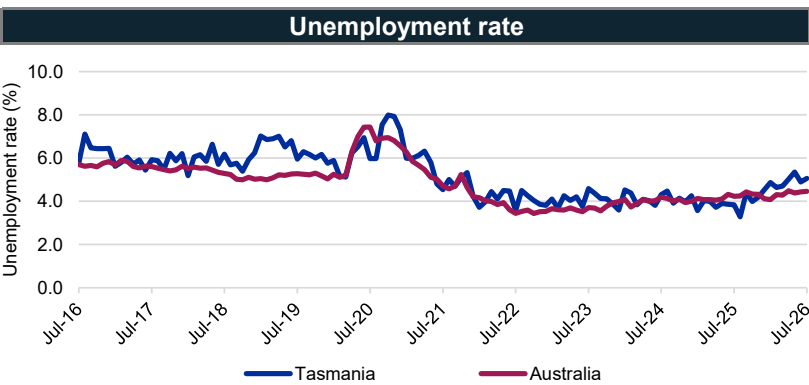
Source: ABS Labour Force Survey, July-26. Data are seasonally adjusted unless otherwise stated. state & and territory Youth unemployment rates are based on 12-month average MLF1 estimates, while working-age employment and participation rates are based on 3-month average MLF1 estimates.



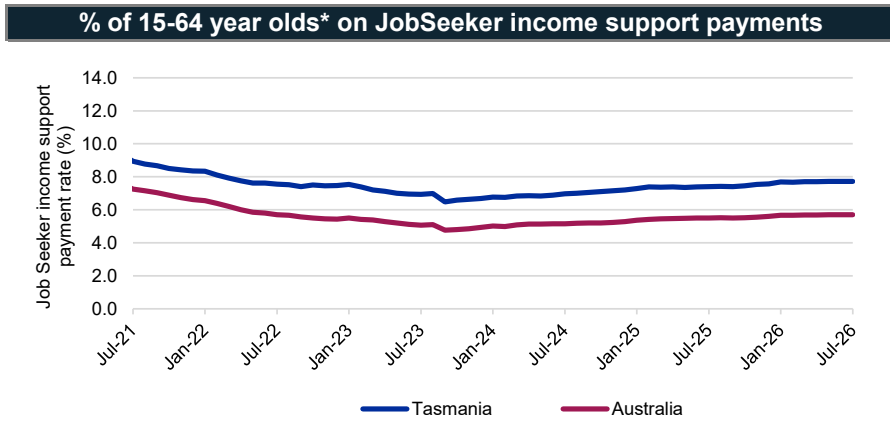
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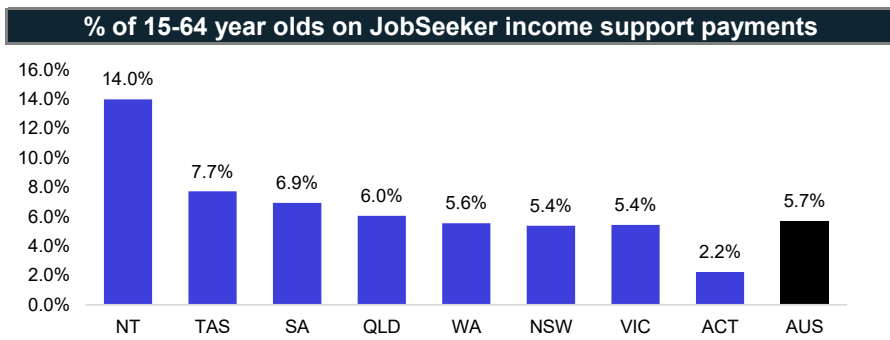
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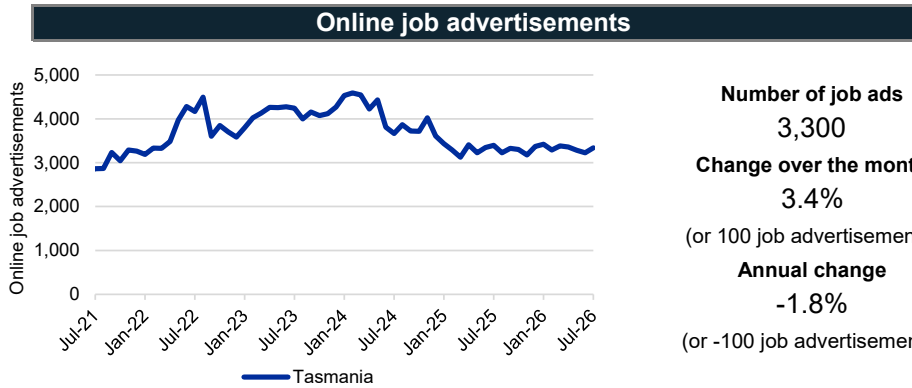
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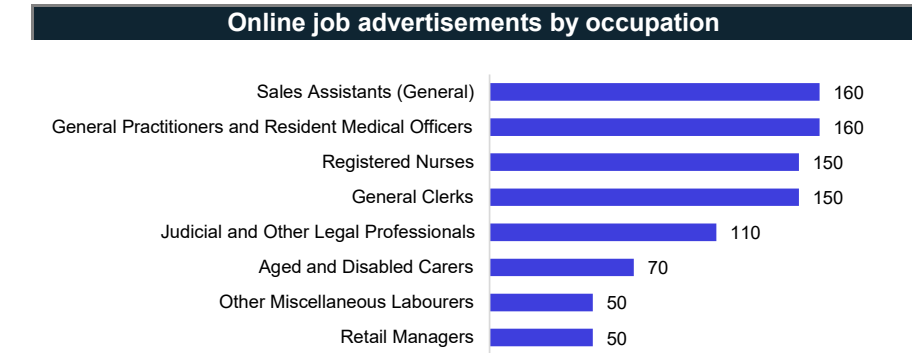
Change in JobSeeker income support payments		
	Tasmania	Australia
Payments - July 2025	26,265	986,090
Payments - July 2026	27,470	1,035,160
Change (July 2025 to July 2026)	↑ 1,205	↑ 49,070
Change % (July 2025 to July 2026)	↑ 4.6%	↑ 5.0%



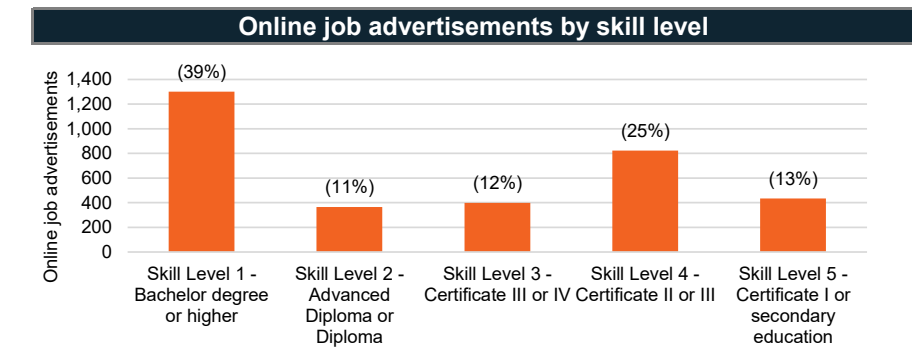
Source: Department of Social Services, JobSeeker income support payment recipients, data.gov.au, July - 26; ABS, Labour Force Survey, MLF1, July -26



Source: Jobs and Skills Australia, Internet Vacancy Index, seasonally adjusted data, July-26



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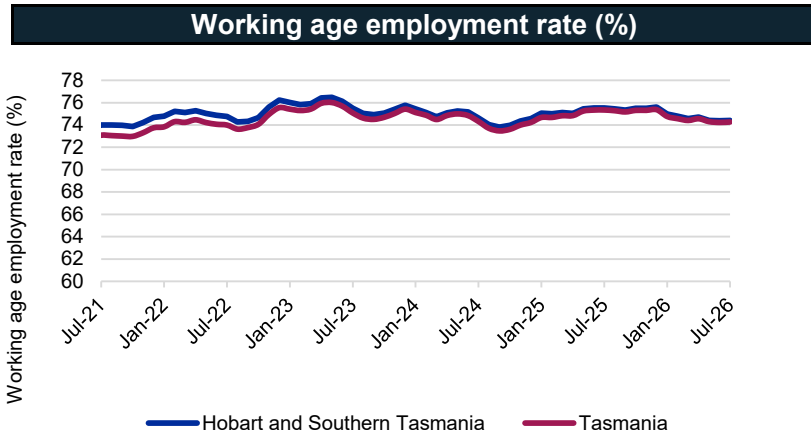


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	Jul-26 (%)	Jul-25 (%)	Jul-26 ('000)	Jul-25 ('000)	Change (%)	Jul-26 (%)	Jul-25 (%)	Jul-26 (%)	Jul-25 (%)	Jul-26 (%)	Jul-25 (%)
Hobart and Southern Tasmania	74.4	75.5	8.6	6.3	35.7	5.4	4.0	78.8	78.8	12.6	10.8
Tasmania	74.3	75.3	15.1	11.4	32.6	5.1	3.8	78.5	78.5	10.7	9.7
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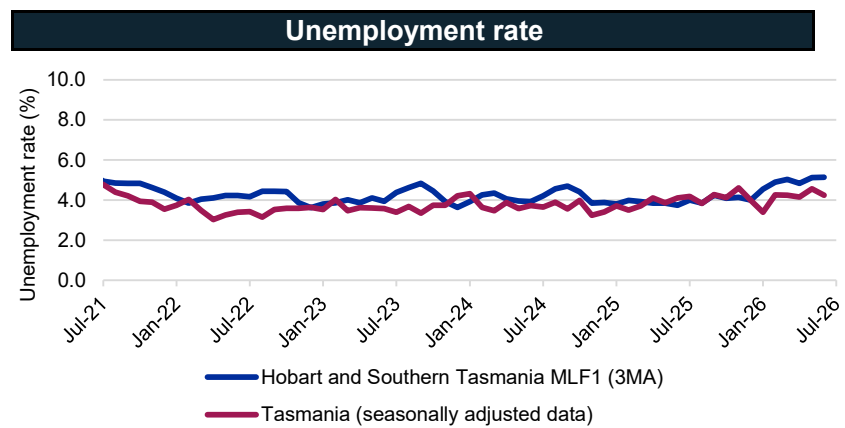
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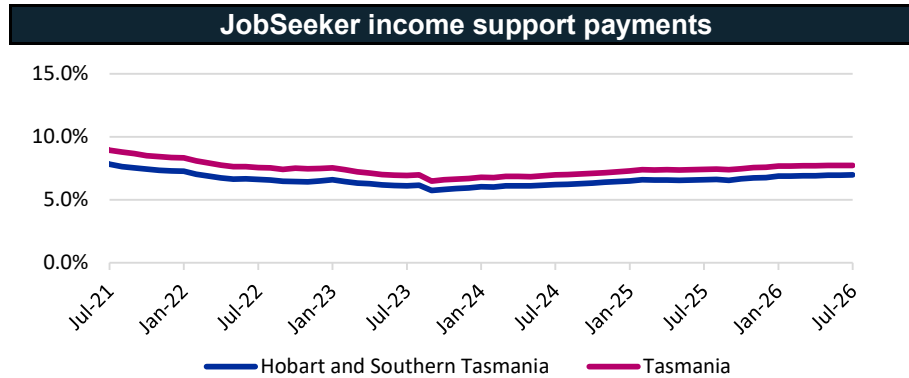
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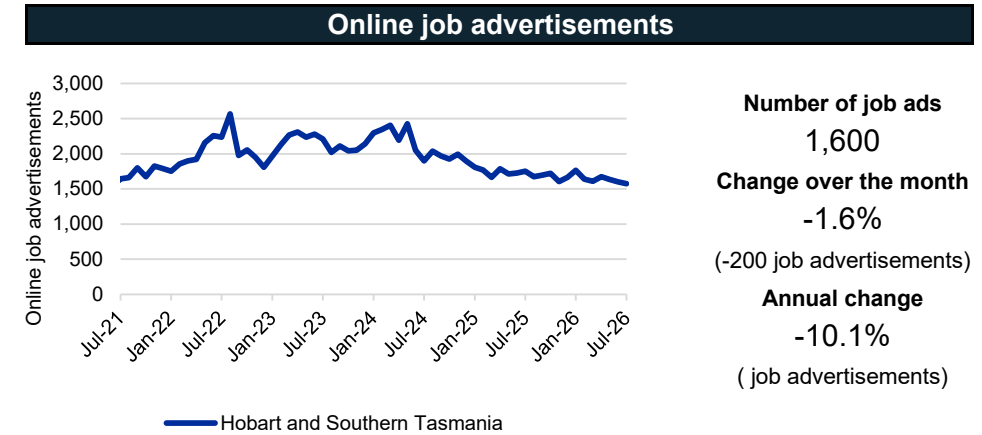
Change in JobSeeker income support payments		
	Hobart and Southern Tasmania	Tasmania
Payments - July 2025	12,430	26,265
Payments - July 2026	13,235	27,470
Change from July 2025 to July 2026	805	1,205
	6.5%	4.6%

% of 15-64 year olds on JobSeeker income support payments		
	total persons on JobSeeker income support	% of 15-64 year olds on JobSeeker income support
Hobart and Southern Tasmania	13,235	7.0%
Tasmania	27,470	7.7%
Australia	1,035,160	5.7%

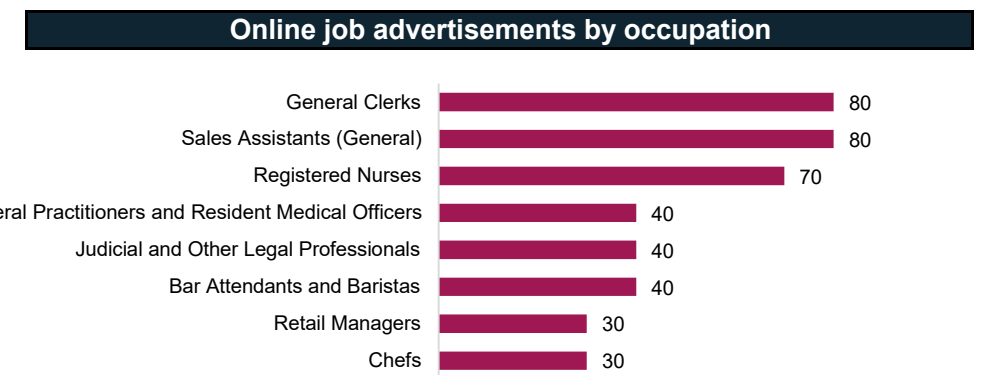
Source: Department of Social Services, JobSeeker income support payment recipients, July 2026; ABS, Labour Force Survey, MLF1 (3MA) July 2026

LGAs with highest unemployment rates (%)		
Local Government Area (LGA)	Mar-26	Mar-25
Brighton	8.8	8.3
Derwent Valley	6.7	6.5
Glenorchy	6.2	5.9
Tasman	4.8	5.0
Central Highlands (Tas.)	4.6	5.0

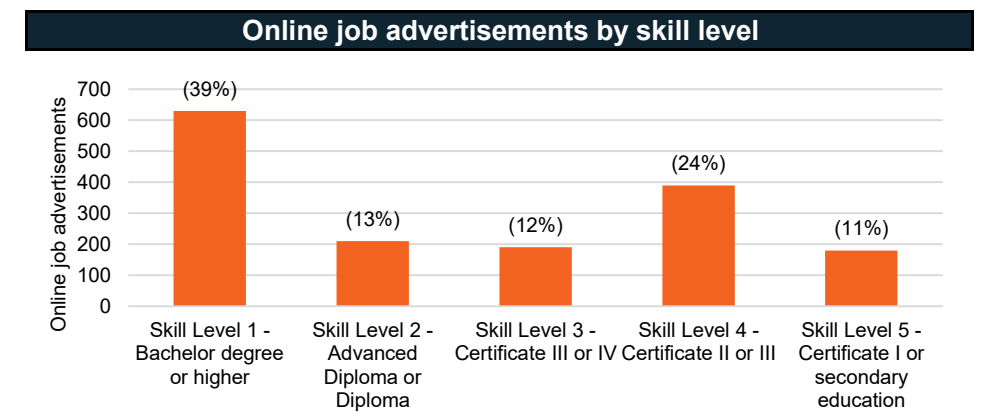
Source: Department of Employment and Workplace Relations, Small Area Labour Markets, smoothed data, March-26 quarter



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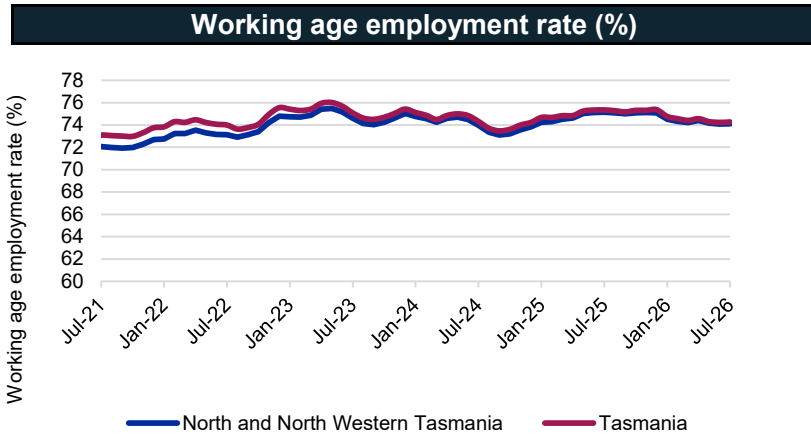


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North and North Western Tasmania	74.1	75.2	6.8	5.3	27.8	4.9	3.8	78.1	78.3	8.8	8.5
Tasmania	74.3	75.3	15.1	11.4	32.6	5.1	3.8	78.5	78.5	10.7	9.7
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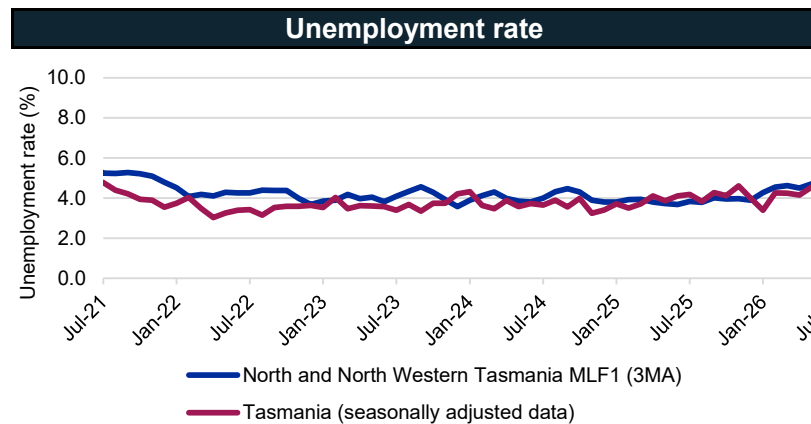
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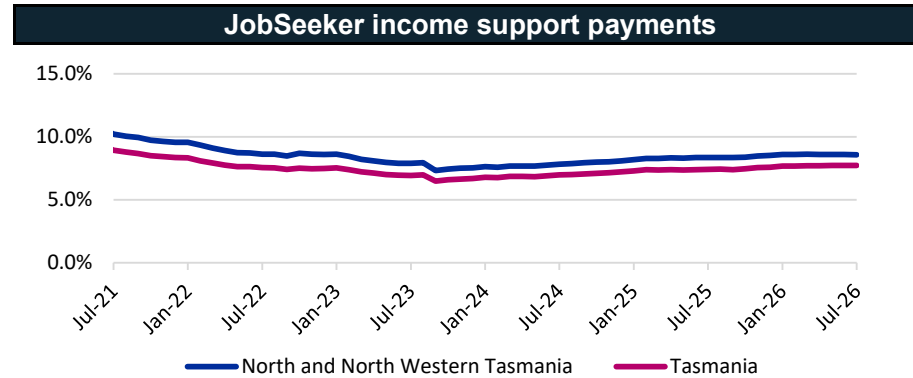
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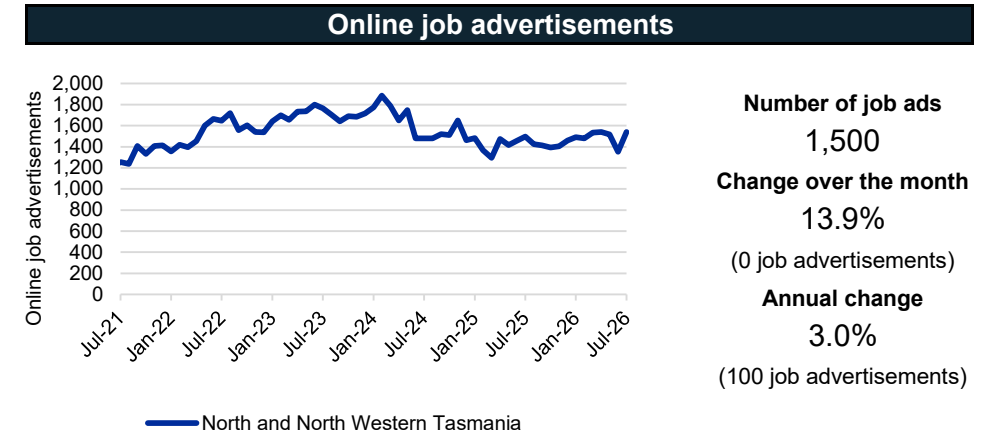
Change in JobSeeker income support payments		North and North Western Tasmania	Tasmania
Payments - July 2025		13,860	26,265
Payments - July 2026		14,240	27,470
Change from July 2025 to July 2026		380	1,205
		2.7%	4.6%

% of 15-64 year olds on JobSeeker income support payments		
	total persons on JobSeeker income support	% of 15-64 year olds on JobSeeker income support
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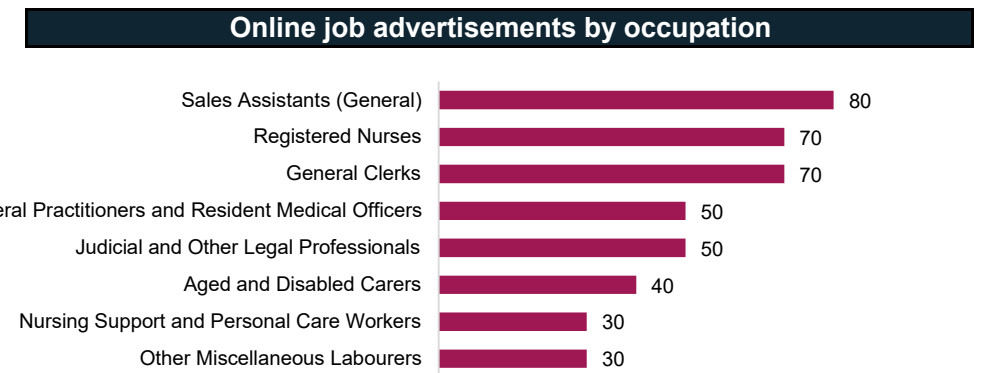
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Local Government Area (LGA)	Mar-26	Mar-25
West Coast	7.9	7.9
George Town	6.8	6.6
Break O'Day	6.6	7.0
Burnie	5.7	5.4
Devonport	5.2	5.0

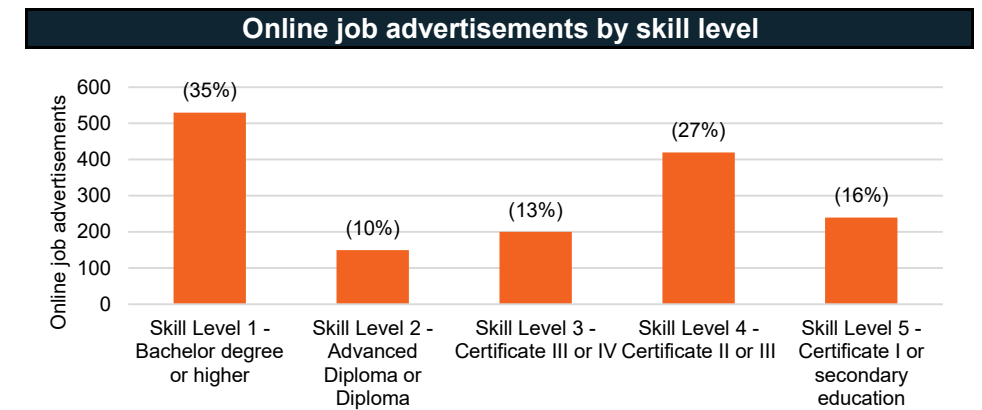
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