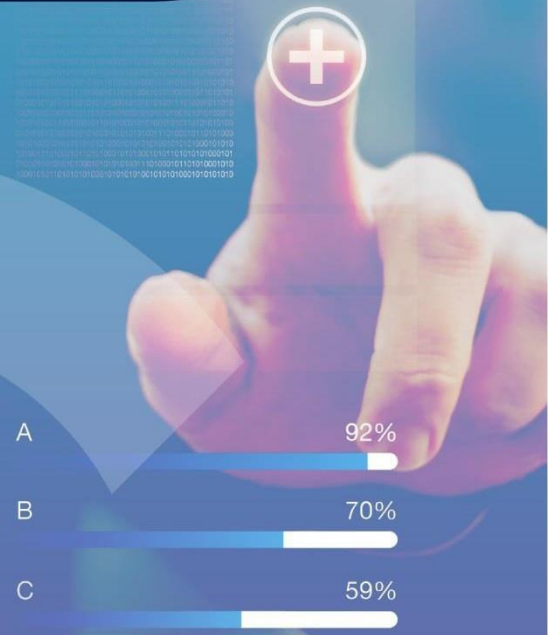


# Overview of serious misconduct

Quarter 4 - 2017/2018

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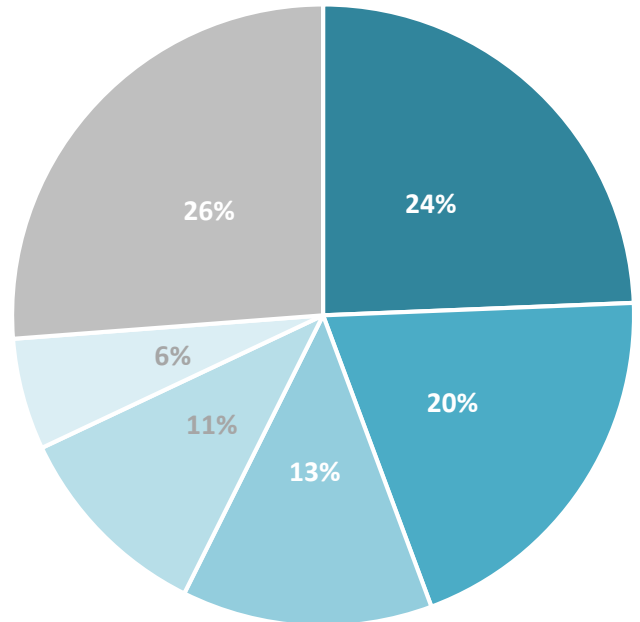


# Serious misconduct at a glance

## WA Police Force

### Allegation Categories

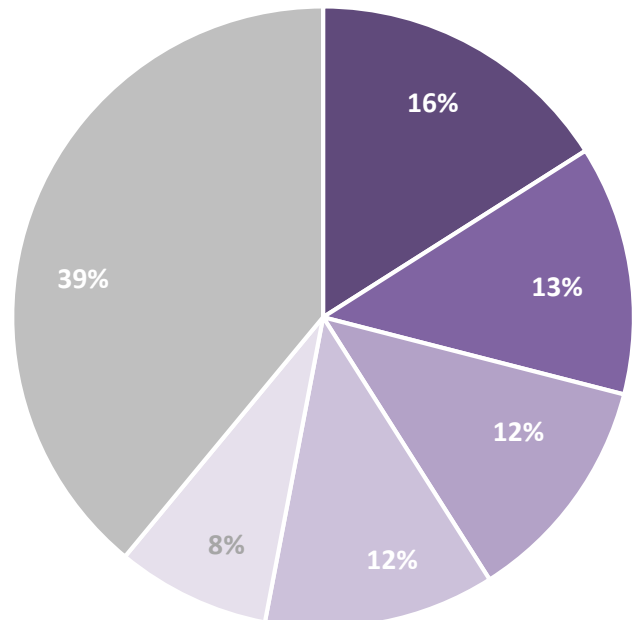
Unprofessional Conduct	<b>172 allegations</b>
Neglect of Duty	<b>141 allegations</b>
Assault - Physical / Excessive use of force	<b>92 allegations</b>
Breach of Code of Conduct / Policy / Procedures	<b>75 allegations</b>
No Allegation Identified	<b>41 allegations</b>
Other	<b>185 allegations</b>



## WA Public Sector (minus WAPF)

### Allegation Categories

Breach of Code of Conduct / Policy / Procedures	<b>100 allegations</b>
Using Position for Benefit / Detriment	<b>82 allegations</b>
Assault - Physical / Excessive Use of Force	<b>78 allegations</b>
Corrupt Conduct	<b>74 allegations</b>
Fraud / Falsification / Fabrication	<b>49 allegations</b>
Other	<b>250 allegations</b>



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	Q3 2017 / 2018	Q4 2017 / 2018
<b>NUMBER OF ALLEGATIONS IDENTIFIED</b>	1,313	1,339

### Key Points

- The total number of allegations assessed by the Commission in 2017/2018 was 5051, consistent with the previous year, when 4939 allegations were assessed. Further detail about the Commissions work this year will be provided in the annual report.
- The number of allegations received and/or identified this quarter remained consistent with the previous quarter.
- Allegations received relating to WA Police Force remained consistent this quarter, as did the breakdown of the types of allegations received.
- Local Government allegations, in particular those related to corrupt conduct and breach of code of conduct / policy / procedures, increased this quarter.

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## Statistics

**Table 1: Public Sector Allegations**

Allegation Category	Q3 2017/2018		Q4 2017/2018	
	No.		No.	
Western Australia Police	747		706	
Local Government	154		212	
Independent agencies and other authorities	156		156	
Department of Education	69		90	
WA Health	86		81	
Department of Corrective Services	91		74	
Subject Agency Not Within jurisdiction	10		20	
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,313</b>		<b>1,339</b>	

**Table 2: Allegation Source**

Section Reported Under		Q3 2017/2018		Q4 2017/2018	
		No.	%	No.	%
Notifications from notifying authorities	s.28	843	64%	794	59%
Reports from the public	s. 25	423	32%	519	39%
Public Sector Commission	s.45M(d)	45	3%	26	2%
Commission's own propositions	s.26	2	1%	0	0%
Allegations initiated	s.22	0	0%	0	0%
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,313</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1,339</b>	<b>100%</b>

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**Table 3: Top Five Western Australia Police Force Allegation Categories**

Allegation Category	Q3 2017/2018		Q4 2017/2018	
	No.	%	No.	%
Unprofessional Conduct	193	26%	172	24%
Neglect of Duty	135	18%	141	20%
Assault - Physical / Excessive use of force	88	12%	92	13%
Breach of Code of Conduct / Policy / Procedures	68	9%	75	11%
No Allegation Identified	48	6%	41	6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>532</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>74%</b>

**Table 4: Top Five Local Government Allegation Categories**

Allegation Category	Q3 2017/2018		Q4 2017/2018	
	No.	%	No.	%
Breach of Code of Conduct / Policy / Procedures	39	25%	70	33%
Using Position for Benefit / Detriment	28	18%	39	18%
Corrupt Conduct	10	6%	28	13%
Failure to Declare - Gifts / Financial / Proximity / etc	21	14%	19	9%
Unprofessional Conduct	18	12%	13	6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>79%</b>

**Table 5: Top Five WA Health Allegation Categories**

Allegation Category	Q3 2017/2018		Q4 2017/2018	
	No.	%	No.	%
Unlawful Use of Computer	4	5%	20	25%
Fraud/Falsification/Fabrication	7	8%	11	14%
Breach of Confidentiality / Misuse of Information / etc	13	15%	10	12%
Stealing	4	5%	7	9%
Using Position for Benefit / Detriment	8	9%	6	7%
<b>Total</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>42%</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>67%</b>

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**Table 6: Top Five Department of Justice<sup>1</sup> Allegation Categories**

Allegation Category	Q3 2017/2018		Q4 2017/2018	
	No.	%	No.	%
Breach of Code of Conduct / Policy / Procedures	4	4%	9	12%
Fraud / Falsification / Fabrication	5	5%	9	12%
Corrupt Conduct	12	13%	7	9%
Unprofessional Conduct	10	11%	6	8%
Neglect of Duty	9	10%	6	8%
Drugs Related Conduct	6	7%	6	8%
Assault - Physical / Excessive Use of Force	10	11%	6	8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>65%</b>

**Table 7: Top Five Department of Education<sup>2</sup> Allegation Categories**

Allegation Category	Q3 2017/2018		Q4 2017/2018	
	No.	%	No.	%
Assault - Physical / Excessive use of force	40	58%	59	66%
Using Position for Benefit / Detriment	7	10%	10	11%
Fraud / Falsification / Fabrication	0	0%	4	4%
Breach of Code of Conduct / Policy / Procedures	6	9%	4	4%
Neglect of Duty	1	1%	4	4%
<b>Total</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>78%</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>89%</b>

<sup>1</sup> Data excludes Department of the Attorney General related allegations.

<sup>2</sup> Data excludes Department of Education Services and School Curriculum and Standards Authority allegations.

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