

Appendix 1: Number of recorded private swimming pools in Western Australia²⁹⁰

Local government	Total number of recorded swimming pools	Total population	Total number of dwellings	Total district area (sq km)
Albany	155	36,262	15,893	4,310
Armadale	4,794	75,000	28,426	560
Ashburton	528	10,001	2,589	105,647
Augusta-Margaret River	116	13,000	9,056	2,138
Bassendean	767	14,600	6,588	11
Bayswater	2,593	61,262	27,822	33
Belmont	1,177	40,083	17,545	40
Beverley	17	1,755	764	2,310
Boddington	53	2,226	828	1,900
Boyup Brook	13	1,738	820	2,838
Bridgetown-Greenbushes	41	4,513	2,263	1,691
Brookton	11	964	502	1,626
Broome	1,446	14,997	8,153	56,000
Broomhill-Tambellup	24	1,214	544	2,810
Bruce Rock	6	974	563	2,772
Bunbury	1,412	31,348	13,911	66
Busselton	1,250	34,290	14,258	1,454
Cambridge	3,103	28,000	11,180	22
Canning	6,186	96,383	32,343	65
Capel	922	16,447	5,955	554
Carnamah	13	550	291	2,835
Carnarvon	152	6,800	2,575	53,000
Chapman Valley	94	1,174	434	4,007
Chittering	389	4,966	2,081	1,220
Christmas Island	2	1,500	627	35
Claremont	733	9,605	4,598	5
Cockburn	6,688	101,973	36,647	170
Cocos (Keeling) Islands	2	572	172	14
Collie	318	9,692	3,943	1,685
Coolgardie	75	5,800	1,673	30,400
Coorow	25	1,200	880	4,137
Corrigin	17	1,063	620	3,095
Cottesloe	612	8,182	3,750	4

²⁹⁰ The Ombudsman's investigation has provided a snapshot of all recorded private swimming pools in Western Australia as at 30 June 2015.

Investigation into ways to prevent or reduce deaths of children by drowning

Local government	Total number of recorded swimming pools	Total population	Total number of dwellings	Total district area (sq km)
Cranbrook	13	1,173	802	3,390
Cuballing	28	894	368	1,250
Cue	1	320	200	13,716
Cunderdin	15	1,390	575	1,872
Dalwallinu	44	1,350	693	7,187
Dandaragan	Unknown	3,600	3,085	6,934
Dardanup	727	1,400	5,716	518
Denmark	25	5,800	3,314	1,860
Derby-West Kimberley	106	8,941	3,008	118,560
Donnybrook-Balingup	161	5,750	2,354	1,541
Dowerin	8	705	410	1,867
Dumbleyung	9	605	354	2,553
Dundas	6	1,141	527	92,725
East Fremantle	526	7,462	3,050	3
East Pilbara	373	12,581	2,873	371,696
Esperance	107	13,477	6,460	44,500
Exmouth	87	2,487	1,089	6,261
Fremantle	190	30,321	13,464	19
Gingin	241	5,054	1,625	3,223
Gnowangerup	11	1,307	795	5,000
Goomalling	13	1,013	574	1,845
Gosnells	7,278	121,252	42,454	127
Greater Geraldton	1,747	40,448	15,659	9,889
Halls Creek	-	4,031	1,070	143,025
Harvey	1,475	26,975	10,108	1,766
Irwin	168	3,780	1,660	2,223
Jerramungup	-	1,232	886	6,540
Joondalup	21,552	167,623	58,524	96
Kalamunda	6,290	59,716	22,415	324
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	2,341	32,620	15,933	95,229
Karratha	1,658	25,907	8,944	15,196
Katanning	116	4,183	1,904	1,523
Kellerberrin	23	1,181	561	1,852
Kent	2	601	340	6,552
Kojonup	86	1,982	823	2,937
Kondinin	7	1,200	485	7,340
Koorda	25	487	295	2,662
Kulin	8	826	441	4,790
Kwinana	1,645	35,000	13,496	118
Lake Grace	11	1,361	754	11,890

Investigation into ways to prevent or reduce deaths of children by drowning

Local government	Total number of recorded swimming pools	Total population	Total number of dwellings	Total district area (sq km)
Laverton	2	1,225	163	183,198
Leonora	6	2,510	696	31,743
Mandurah	4,423	80,683	37,303	174
Manjimup	57	9,183	4,931	7,028
Meekathara	-	1,377	284	100,733
Melville	9,640	106,335	40,111	53
Menzies	-	353	96	128,353
Merredin	104	3,246	1,310	3,372
Mingenew	-	487	242	1,927
Moora	104	2,476	1,430	3,788
Morawa	4	950	416	3,528
Mosman Park	746	8,600	4,000	4
Mount Magnet	-	690	465	13,877
Mount Marshall	Unknown	481	361	10,134
Mukinbudin	5	490	315	3,413
Mundaring	3,450	38,108	13,855	644
Murchison	Unknown	112	67	49,500
Murray	1,185	15,988	7,360	1,821
Nannup	35	1,284	770	2,953
Narembeen	14	812	435	3,821
Narrogin (Shire)	20	900	369	1,618
Narrogin (Town)	134	4,500	1,949	13
Nedlands	2,590	22,144	8,490	21
Ngaanyatjarraku	Not provided	1,437	482	159,948
Northam	500	10,557	4,387	1,443
Northampton	124	3,192	2,282	12,499
Nungarin	-	300	134	1,145
Peppermint Grove	262	1,705	602	1
Perenjori	6	903	309	8,214
Perth	81	21,860	10,975	8
Pingelly	34	1,163	546	1,223
Plantagenet	17	5,116	2,490	4,875
Port Hedland	866	20,000	5,859	11,844
Quairading	51	1,022	503	2,040
Ravensthorpe	-	1,800	1,200	12,872
Rockingham	8,652	120,275	46,862	261
Sandstone	-	111	52	32,889
Serpentine-Jarrahdale	1,681	23,680	7,609	905
Shark Bay	7	984	485	25,000
South Perth	2,157	46,113	22,065	20
Stirling	10,499	223,307	88,000	105

Investigation into ways to prevent or reduce deaths of children by drowning

Local government	Total number of recorded swimming pools	Total population	Total number of dwellings	Total district area (sq km)
Subiaco	706	19,693	8,504	7
Swan	3,773	124,042	46,000	1,044
Tammin	-	400	222	1,087
Three Springs	8	700	378	1,927
Toodyay	72	4,686	2,286	1,693
Trayning	2	467	242	1,632
Upper Gascoyne	1	380	130	46,602
Victoria Park	697	37,682	14,503	18
Victoria Plains	15	931	510	2,563
Vincent	559	31,549	18,557	11
Wagin	71	1,844	909	1,950
Wandering	16	438	220	1,955
Wanneroo	10,006	179,813	64,324	684
Waroona	148	4,200	1,874	835
West Arthur	2	868	491	2,850
Westonia	Not provided	277	128	3,268
Wickepin	4	733	421	1,989
Williams	9	1,039	472	2,295
Wiluna	1	1,241	367	184,000
Wongan-Ballidu	24	1,511	603	184,000
Woodanilling	6	420	201	1,126
Wyalkatchem	17	523	332	1,743
Wyndham-East Kimberley	260	6,952	4,926	121,189
Yalgoo	-	419	86	33,258
Yilgarn	27	1,636	809	30,720
York	162	3,396	1,838	2,010
Grand Total	144,899	2,487,609	995,975	2,745,516

Source: Ombudsman Western Australia and *The Western Australian Local Government Directory 2016*²⁹¹

²⁹¹ Western Australian Local Government Association, *The Western Australian Local Government Directory 2016*, Western Australian Local Government Association, West Leederville, 2016.