

Who we are

The Director of Public Prosecutions is the leader of, and Accountable Authority for, the Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions (Cth) (CDPP) through which the Commonwealth conducts prosecutions of all indictable and summary Commonwealth offences. The CDPP works in a dynamic and complex environment driven by the work of our partner agencies and the matters they refer. We prosecute matters covering a wide range of criminal conduct and offending increasingly occurs across state and international borders.

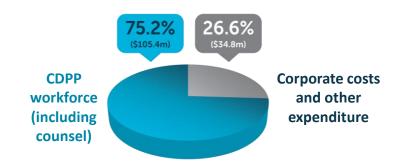
Total headcount by location



Diversity



2025-26 Budget (\$138 million)



Legal and enabling headcount



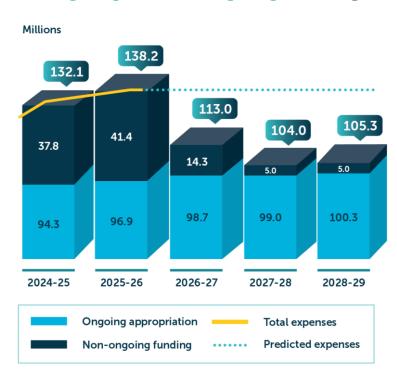
Attendance type



of employees identify as Culturally & Linguistically Diverse



Ongoing vs non-ongoing funding







Matters received and completed

Matters received



2024/25	
2535	

2023/24 2098



Matters completed



2024/25	
2646	

2023/24 2304

2022/23 2341

Matters on hand as at Q4 2025



Total defended matters



Defended matters convictions (target 70%)

72



2022/23 116

2024/25

2023/24

2022/23

52

74

76

Total defended matters

convictions

conviction rate

Total defended matters



72.2%

2023/24 66.7%

2022/23 65.5%



56 Partner Agencies with matters on hand

All convictions including guilty pleas (target 90%)

Total prosecutions



2024/25 1577

2023/24 1453

1555

2022/23

Total convictions

Conviction rate



2024/25 1557

1416

2023/24

2022/23 1515

2024/25 98.7%

2023/24 97.5%

2022/23 97.4%

Total victims/witnesses/ caregivers supported by the Witness Assistance **Services**



supported

Matters Partner Agency

1285	Australian Federal Police	39.4%
377	New South Wales Police Force	11.5%
288	Victoria Police	8.8%
202	Australian Border Force	6.2%
199	Queensland Police Service	6.1%
169	Services Australia - Centrelink	5.2%
118	ASIC	3.6%
116	Australian Taxation Office	3.6%

Types of offences on hand



754 Drugs











155 Tobacco





124 Corporations



71 Environment



70 Migration and passport



52 Terrorism



Human trafficking