

One of the fastest growing catchments in Australia

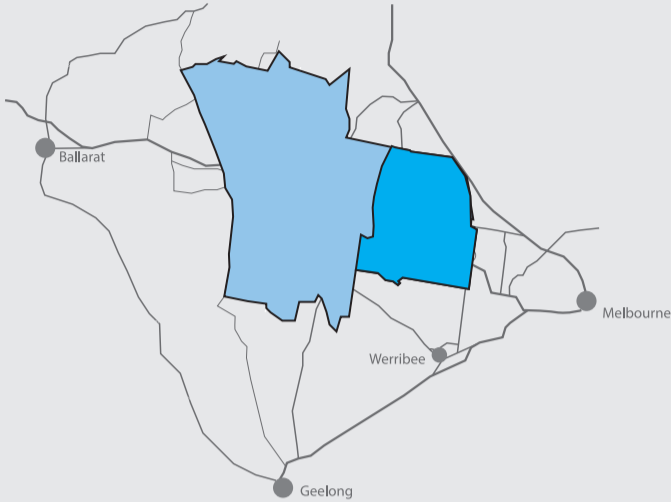


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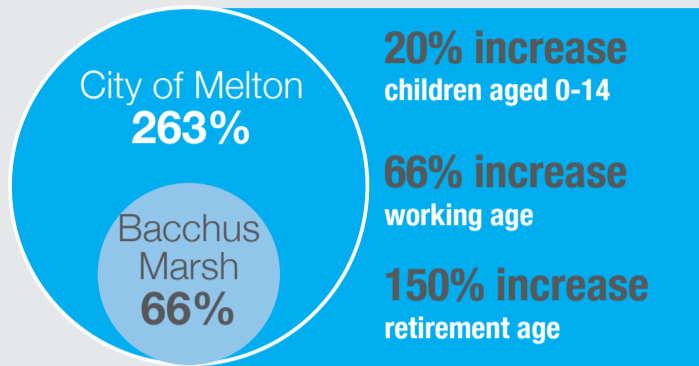
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LOCATION / GROWTH

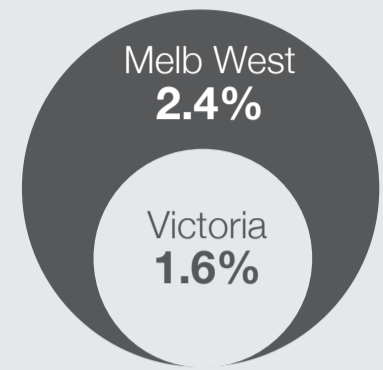
**163,900** people live here (2018)



**Predicted growth in our catchment** by 2031



**Predicted annual growth in Victoria** by 2037



**FACT** 3.9% babies born in Victoria are from our catchment

WHO LIVES HERE



**Average Age 34.5 YEARS** (state average 37)

**50.5% FEMALE**

**49.5% MALE**

**2 Children PER FAMILY** (state average 1.8)

**20.3% Born overseas**

**14.1% English second language**

**0.8% Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders**

**Top 10 languages other than English**

- > Dinka
- > Mandarin
- > Spanish
- > Vietnamese
- > Serbian
- > Punjabi
- > Italian
- > Greek
- > Croatian
- > Maltese



**Lower median weekly income than state average**

- > 58.4% work fulltime
- > 46% no formal qualifications after year 12
- > Level of education completed is lower than the state average

**RELATIONSHIPS**

**MARRIED 51%**

**SINGLE 38.3%**

**DEFACTO 10.5%**

**Living in Poverty**

21% Melton 13% Bacchus Marsh

**Single parent families affected by poverty**

46% Melton 47% Bacchus Marsh

HEALTH & ACCESS



**HEALTH ISSUES ABOVE THE STATE AVERAGE**

- Family Violence
- Smoking
- Alcohol use
- Methamphetamine use
- Poor Mental Health
- Chronic disease
- Cardiovascular disease
- Asthma in children
- Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary disease
- Diabetes
- Hypertension
- Chronic Heart Failure
- Obesity
- Poor oral health

**LOW RATES OF PARTICIPATION**

- Breast screening
- Bowel screening
- Cervical cancer screening
- Maternal & Child Health Programs

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**GPs Access per 1000 people**



**OUR ACTIVITY 2017/18**

<b>70,941</b>	Outpatient appointments
<b>17,970</b>	Urgent Care presentations
<b>7,046</b>	Dialysis sessions
<b>5,386</b>	Dental undertaken
<b>3,643</b>	Surgeries undertaken
<b>454</b>	Babies born

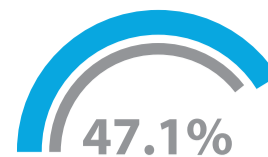
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**Bowel Screening**  
**Moorabool** 55.60%  
**Melton** 45.10%  
**Combined** 50.35%  
 state average 59.90%



**Chronic Disease**  
**Moorabool** 50.80%  
**Melton** 46.50%  
**Combined** 48.65%  
 state average 47.10%



**Cardiovascular Disease**  
**Combined** 7.55%  
 state average 7.20%



**Pulmonary Disease**  
**Combined** 1.95%  
 state average 1.87%



**Diabetes**  
**Moorabool** 4.15%  
**Melton** 9.37%  
**Combined** 6.76%  
 state average 5.30%



**Chronic Heart Failure**  
**Moorabool** 0.19%  
**Melton** 0.35%  
**Combined** 0.27%  
 state average 0.26%



**Hypertension**  
**Moorabool** 23.6%  
**Melton** 30.0%  
**Combined** 26.8%  
 state average 25.9%



**Mental Health**  
**Moorabool** 13.48%  
**Melton** 11.83%  
**Combined** 12.65%  
 state average 12.71%



**Methamphetamine use**  
**Combined** 0.25%  
 state average 0.22%



**Family Violence**  
**Moorabool** 2.38%  
**Melton** 1.43%  
**Combined** 1.90%  
 state average 1.23%



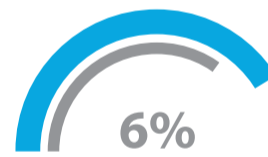
**Alcohol use**  
**Moorabool** 68.80%  
**Melton** 38.60%  
**Combined** 53.70%  
 state average 59.20%



**Smoking**  
**Combined** 13.70%  
 state average 13.10%



**Obesity**  
**Moorabool** 2.38%  
**Melton** 1.43%  
**Combined** 1.90%  
 state average 1.23%



**Poor Oral Health**  
**Combined** 8%  
 state average 6%



**Asthma in children**  
**Combined** 25.61%  
 state average 22.32%

Moorabool = Bacchus Marsh, Darley & Maddingley

**Bacchus Marsh**

Hospital providing Maternity, Theatre, Medical, Urgent care. Residential aged care, Palliative care, Allied health, Counselling, Community nursing and Outpatient services

**Melton**

Ambulatory care for Day Medical, Adult Health, Women and Children's Health, Urgent care, Dental Services, Allied health, Counselling services

**Caroline Springs**

General community health programs