



### **Appendix 3**

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#### Frequency of and age at autism spectrum disorder diagnoses in culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander (ATSI) groups

Group	Autistic disorder			Asperger disorder			Pervasive developmental disorder — not otherwise specified			Total		
	No. of children	Percentage (95% CI)	Median age in months (95% CI)	No. of children	Percentage (95% CI)	Median age in months (95% CI)	No. of children	Percentage (95% CI)	Median age in months (95% CI)	No. of children	Percentage (95% CI)	Median age in months (95% CI)
	1341	80.4% (79.1%–82.8%)	43 (43–44)	66	4.0% (3.1%–7.1%)	62 (58–64)	258	15.5% (14.2%–17.8%)	48 (46–50)	1 668	11.1% (10.5%–11.5%)	45 (44–45)
Not CALD	8922	66.6% (65.2%–66.8%)	46 (45–46)	2098	15.6% (15.4%–16.6%)	61 (60–62)	2368	17.7% (17.4%–18.6%)	52 (52–53)	13 406	88.9% (88.4%–89.4%)	50 (49–50)
ATSI	437	74.4% (70.9%–78.0%)	48 (45–50)	57	9.7% (7.3%–12.1%)	59 (44–64)	92	15.7% (12.7%–18.6%)	54 (50–58)	587	3.9% (3.6%–4.2%)	51 (49–52)
Not ATSI	8398	68.3% (67.4%–69.1%)	45 (45–45)	1762	14.3% (13.7%–14.9%)	61 (60–62)	2127	17.3% (16.6%–18.0%)	51 (50–52)	12 303	81.6% (81.0%–82.2%)	49 (48–49)
Not Stated	1428	65.4% (63.4%–67.3%)	47 (47–48)	345	15.8% (14.3%–17.3%)	62 (60–62)	407	18.6% (17.0%–20.3%)	55 (53–58)	2 184	14.5% (13.9%–15.1%)	51 (50–52)