

Remittances and Financial Help, Wave 1 and Wave 2 : Migrating Unit *

Type of financial help/ remittance	Visa Category					Total
	<i>Preferential Family/Family Stream</i>	<i>Concessional Family/Skilled- Australian Linked</i>	<i>Business Skills & Employer Nomination Scheme</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Humanitarian</i>	
	<i>Proportion receiving financial help/remittance</i>					
Financial help received from within Australia between arrival and Wave 1 interview	38%	23%	4%	5%	25%	26%
Financial help received from within Australia between Wave 1 and Wave 2 interview	24%	15%	3%	3%	14%	16%
Financial help received from overseas between arrival and Wave 1 interview	9%	11%	11%	16%	1%	11%
Financial help received from overseas between Wave 1 and Wave 2 interview	14%	16%	16%	20%	4%	15%
Remittances to friends/relatives overseas between arrival and Wave 1 interview	10%	12%	4%	10%	6%	9%
Remittances to friends/relatives overseas between Wave 1 and Wave 2 interview	21%	24%	8%	18%	23%	20%

Source: Longitudinal Survey of Immigrants to Australia,
Second Cohort Wave 1 and 2 data (for settler arrivals between 1/9/1999 and 31/8/2000 inclusive) as at 06/01/2003.

* So that outcomes for Wave 1 & Wave 2 can be compared, this table only includes results where the Primary Applicant was interviewed in both waves