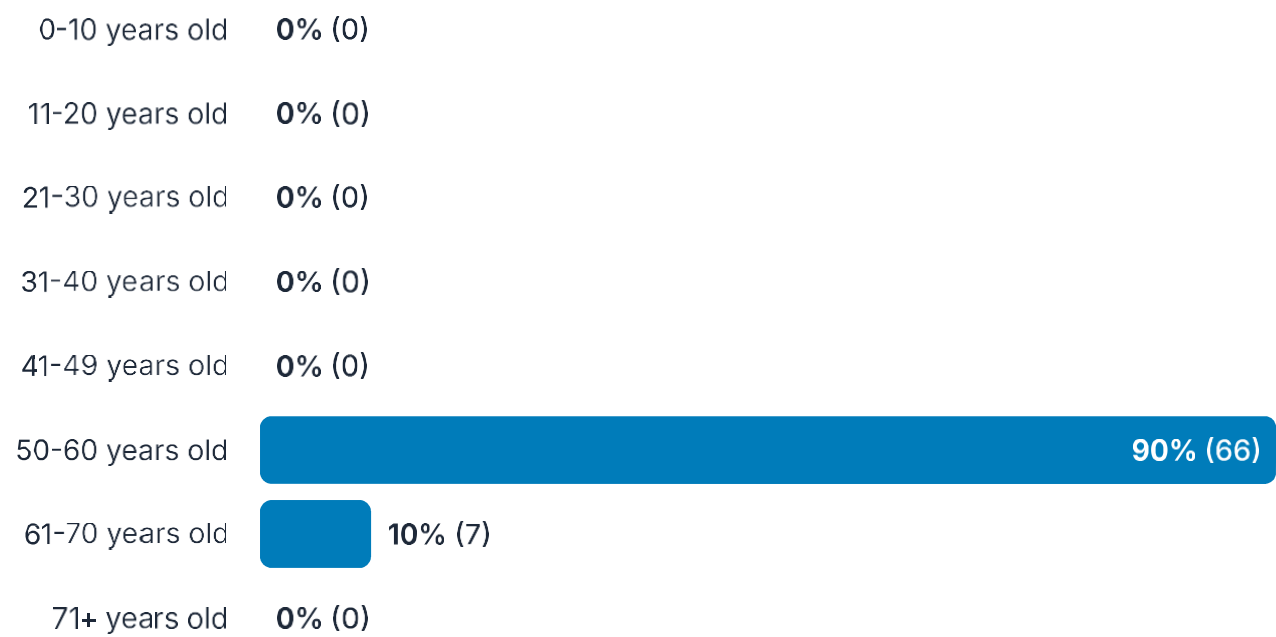


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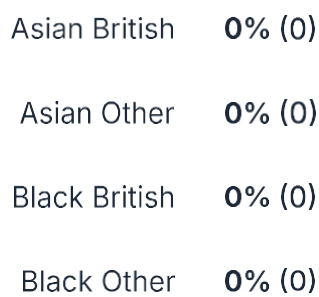
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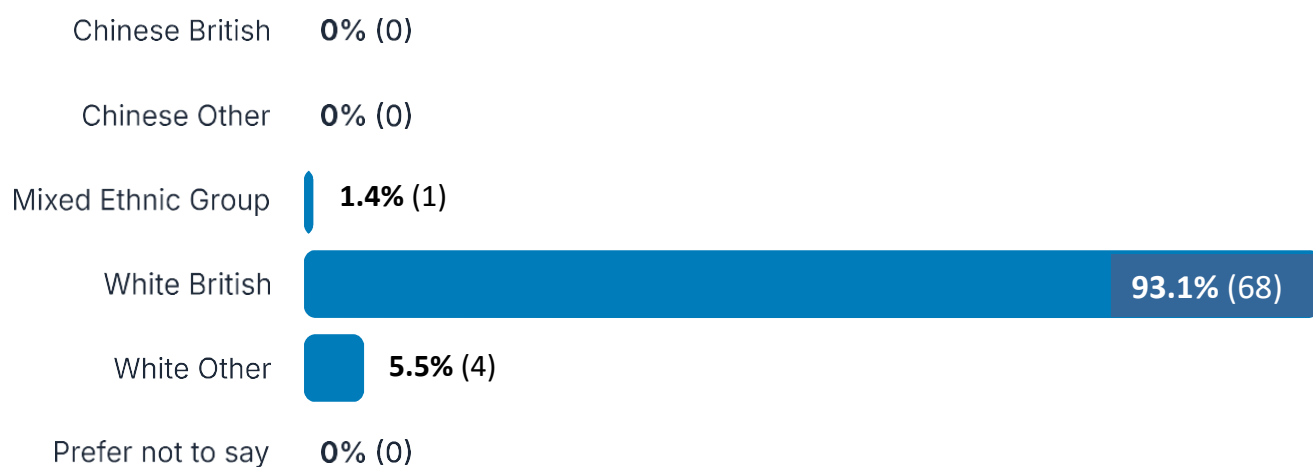


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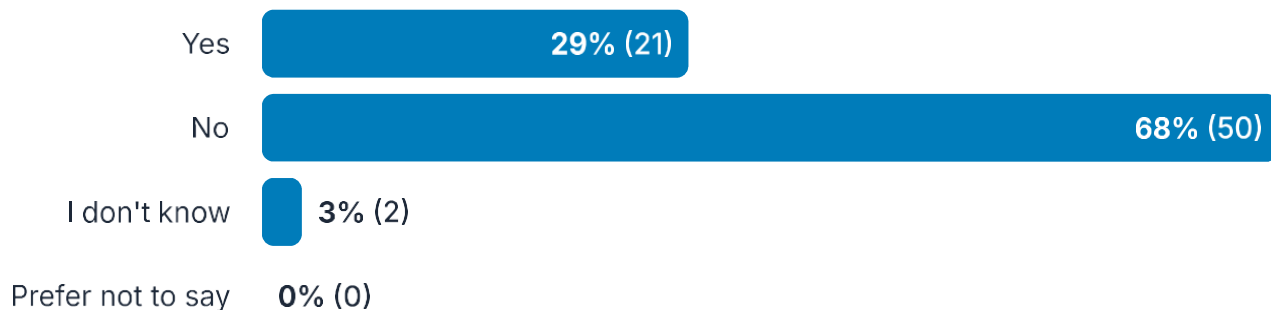
3. Which of the following best reflects your ethnicity? Responses: 73





4. Do you have any family history of breast cancer (grandmother, mother, sister, daughter)

Responses: 73



5. Have you been invited to attend the breast cancer screening programme in the UK before?

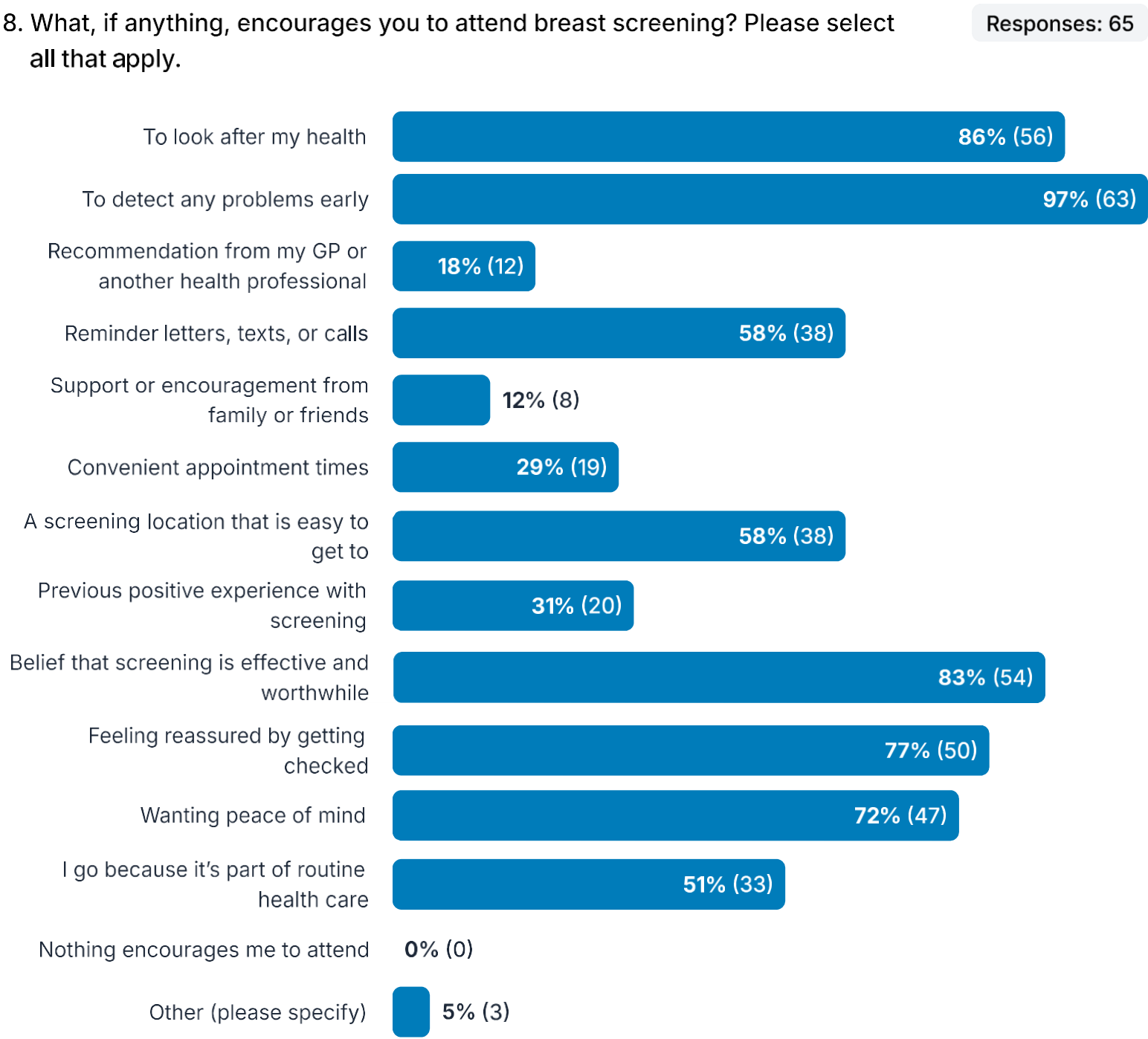
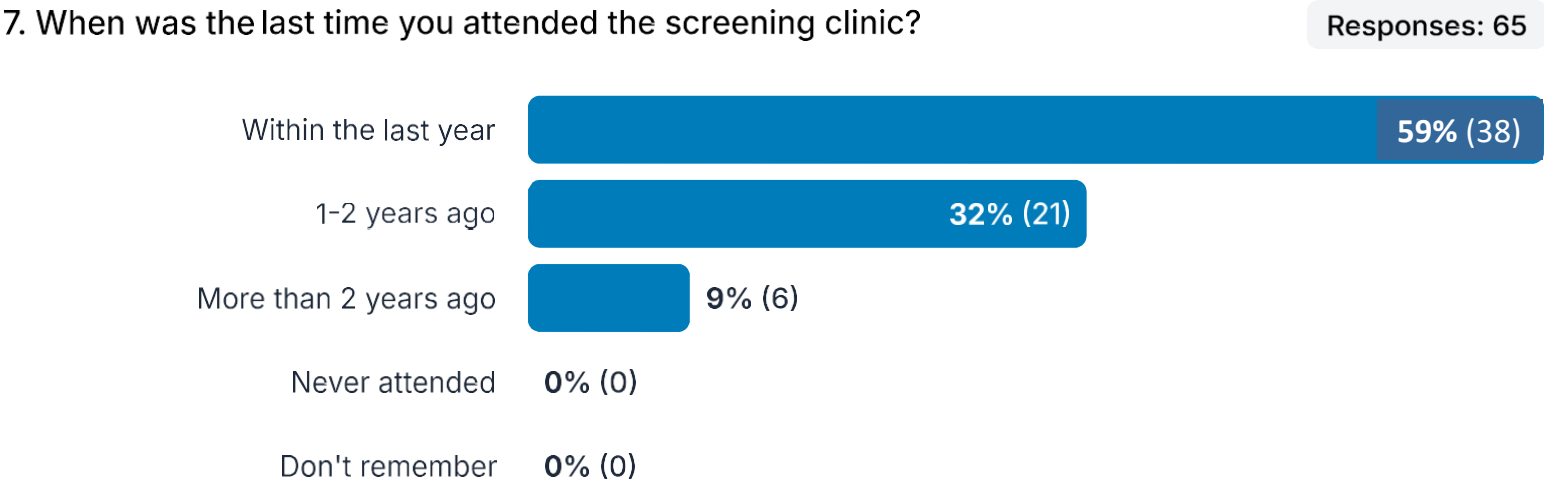
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6. Have you ever attended the breast screening programme in the UK before?

Responses: 66





Other (please specify)

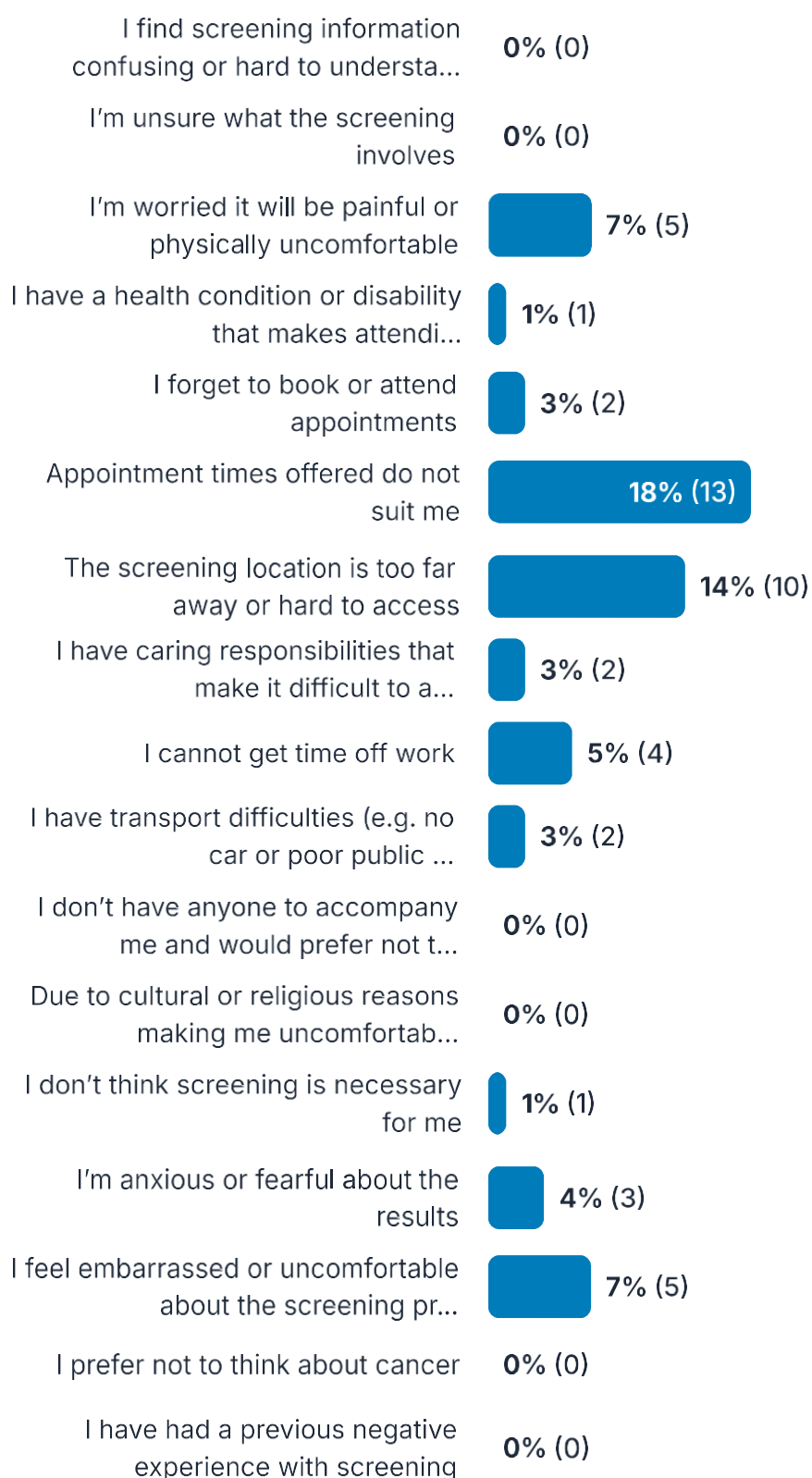
Previous issues within my family

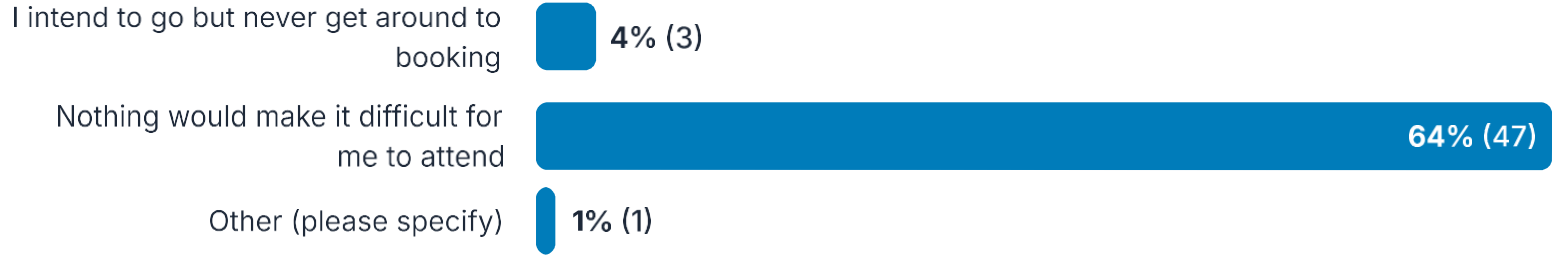
Previous breast cancer history

I had a cervical cancer scare so any screening is very important

Responses: 73

9. What, if anything, would make it difficult for you to attend a breast cancer screening appointment? Now please select the main reason you would find it difficult to attend a breast screening appointment.

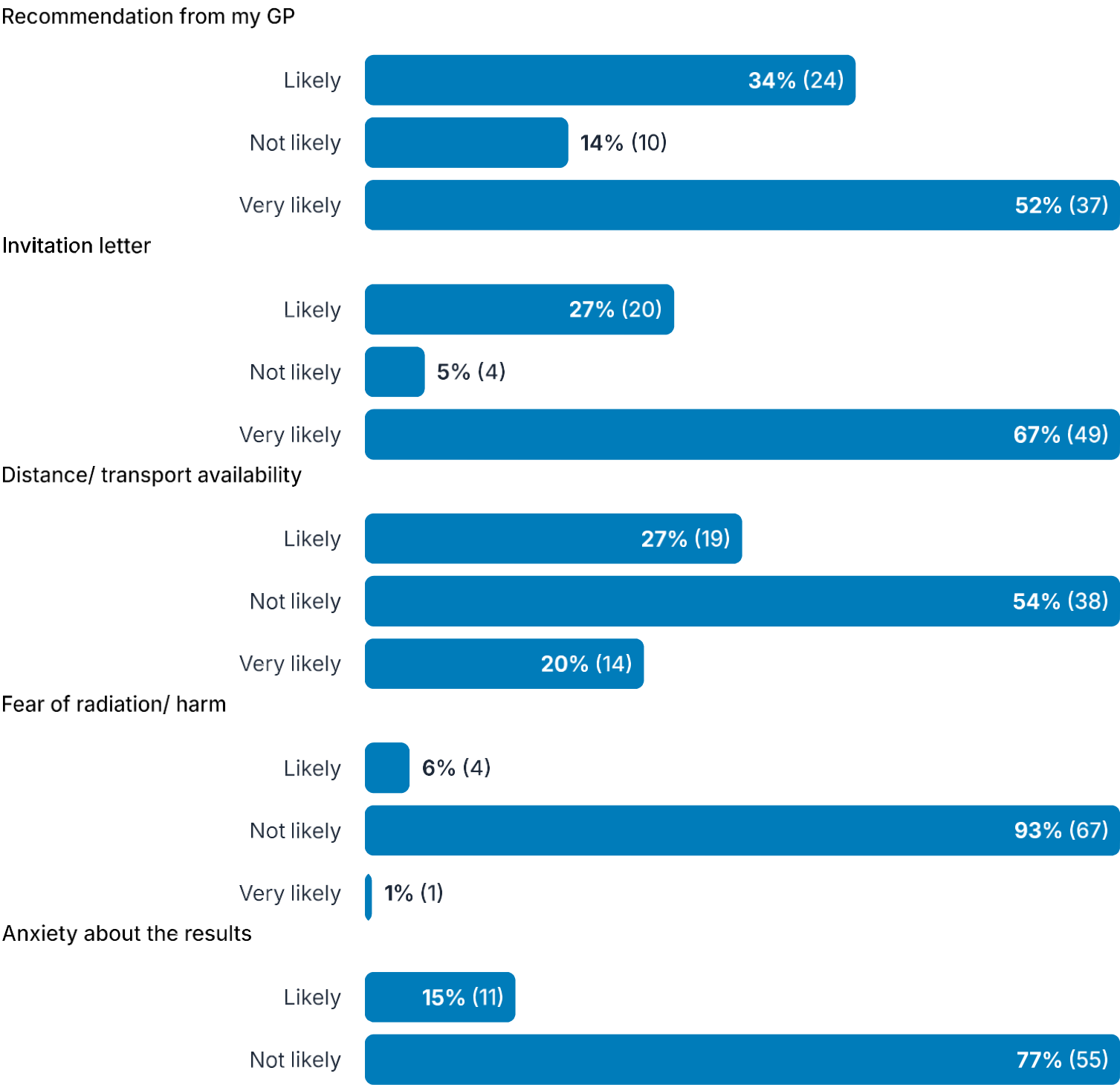


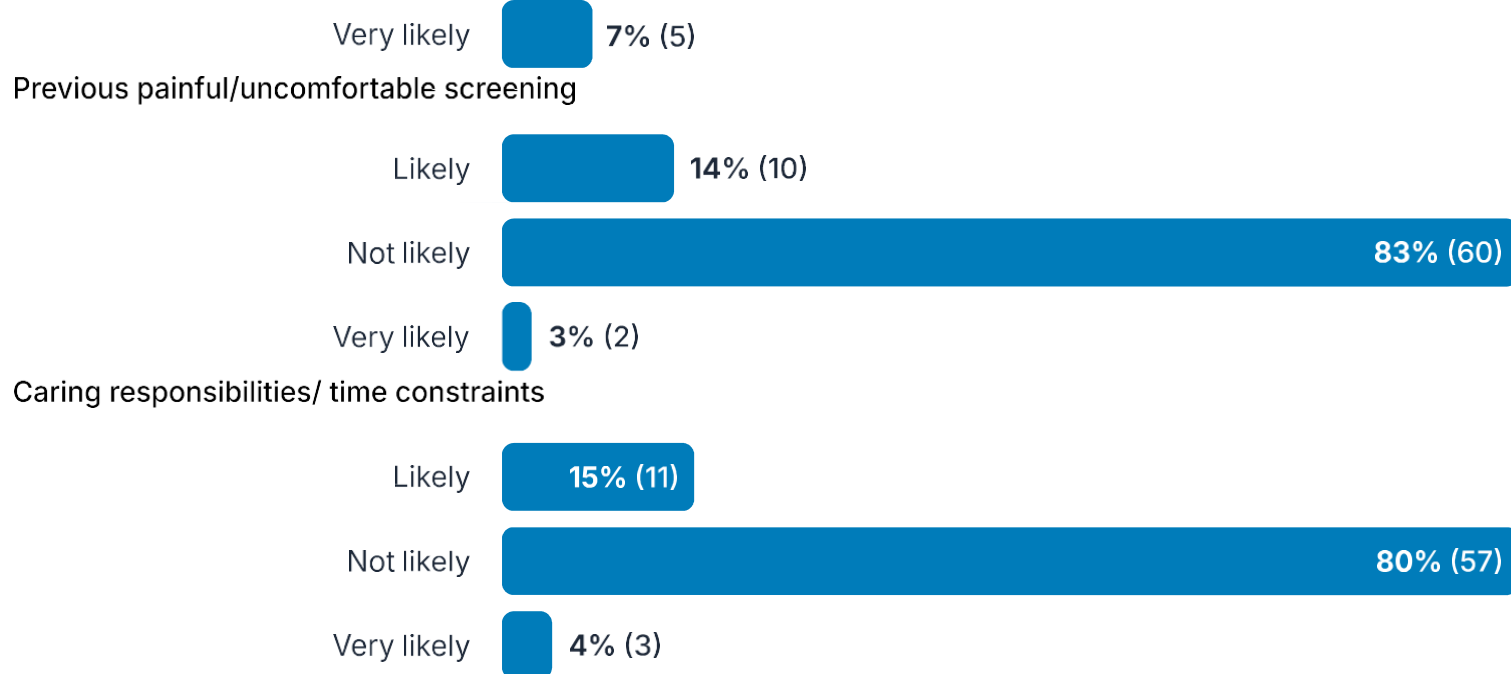


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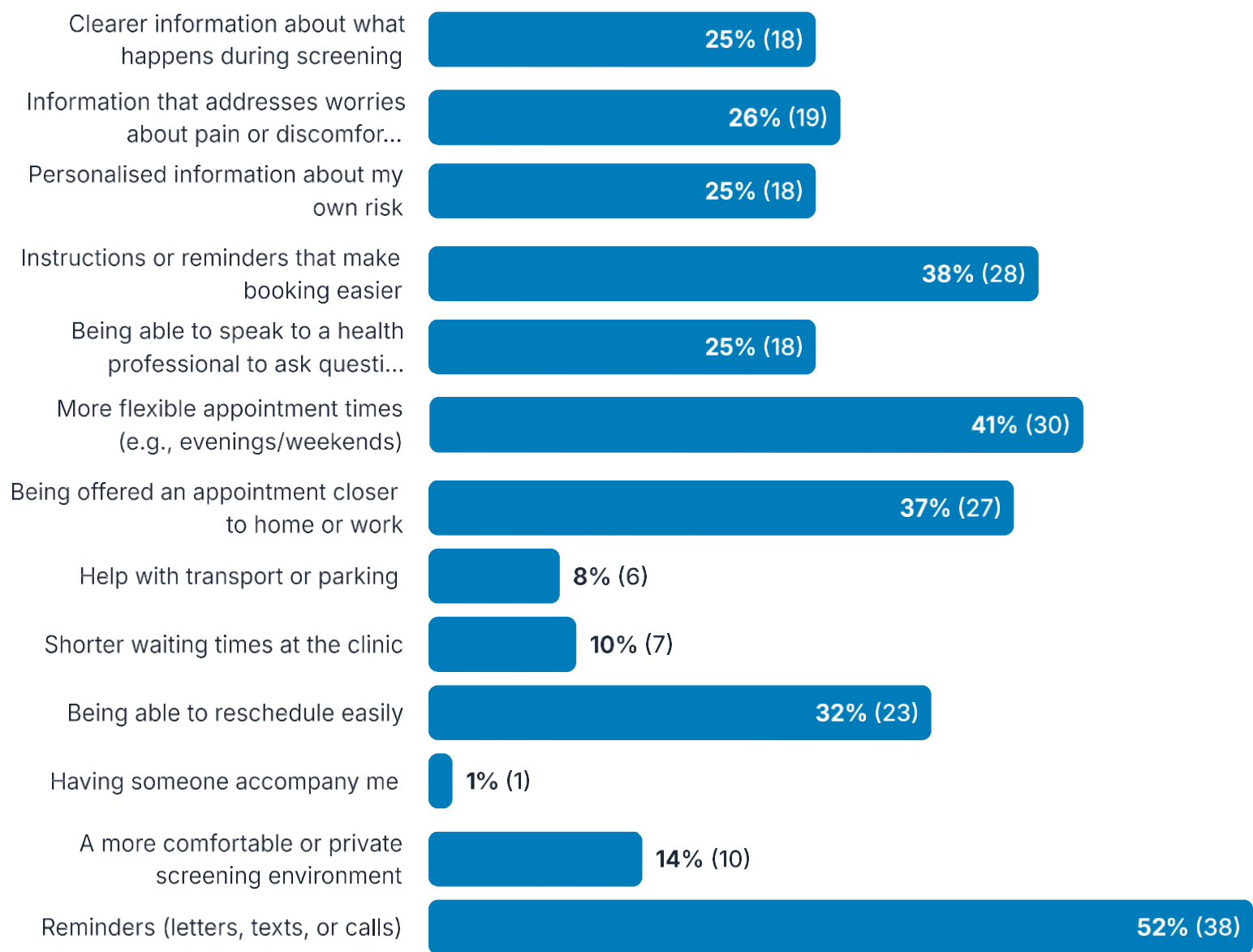
Nothing would discourage me from attending

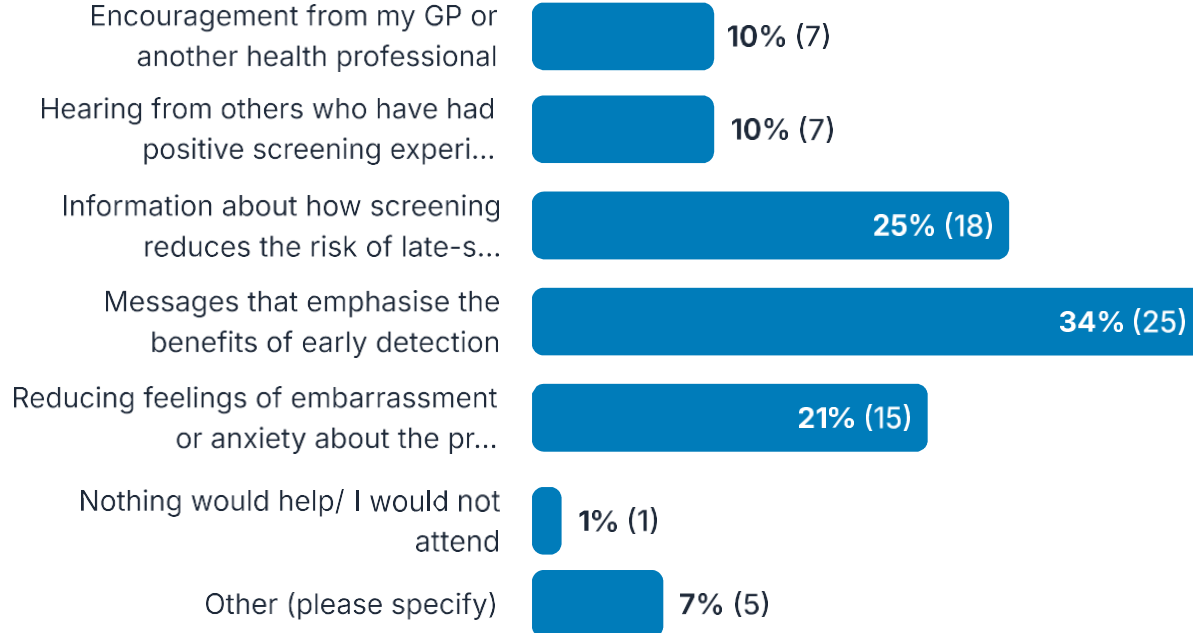
10. How much do each of the following influence you decision on whether or not you attend breast screening? Responses: 73





11. Which of the following would help or encourage you to attend a breast screening appointment?Please select all that apply. Responses: 73





Other (please specify)

Better technology that enables this to be a pain free environment, a newer technology where you lay down is available. The process is set up for women with larger breast and those more petite ladies don't have the tissue to rest on a shelf.

Nothing. You important to miss

None of the above apply, I have no hesitation in attending screening.

My screening location gives me an appointment, every year the appointment has happened on time and I'm out within 20 mins. Been going annually for 10+ years due to family history (mother and sister died of breast cancer). Churchill Hospital Oxford. BRILLIANT SERVICE.

I would attend wherever and whatever

12. Is there anything else you'd like to tell us about your experience or views on breast screening?

Responses: 26

In my experience it's been in supermarket car parks which is absolutely FINE!!!! The more screening the better I say!!!

I have only been called to one routine screening and the staff were wonderful I do believe this positive experience is very important and it encouraged me to make the time to go when called and also to reassure my friends and to encourage them to attend

I attended my first breast screening yesterday. It was a very positive experience. Everything was clearly explained throughout the process and I felt confident in the people carrying out the screening. I have to travel

further as my local screening location is not accessible to wheelchairs, this did not deter me from- it was an easy process to change to an accessible location.

I have been for mammograms nearly every 3 years. The last being this month. It is an extremely worrying time however the care and empathy received is amazing. The anxiety of waiting for a phonecall to book is scary. But the procedure itself is obviously well rehearsed. I have very small breast which can make it more painful I believe. I would rather endure that momentarily and be healthy and catch things early.

Always had a very positive experience and would recommend others to go

Always had a good experience of booking, availability. Some mammograms more painful than others. Never not attended on invitation

Always been a positive experience

I find my invites to attend every timely and easy to reschedule. The staff are always lovely and discrete which helps.

Breast screening should be available from the age of 20 & above

Breast screening is so important. Maybe if it was around 30 years ago my mother would still be alive (my Mother died aged 50)

The availability of the mobile service rather than attending a general hospital

kind and friendly staff are reassuring however the fear of the pain is still an influencing factor. The concern around the effect of radiation on developing future cancers caused by the screening

No

I have had previous experiences with breast screening and I've been very impressed with my waiting time to be seen. The nurses and Doctors have been very thorough and understanding and explained everything .

Question 10 is confusing I would make it clearer and send out the survey again

Oops put this in the question 11 other field above.

Appointments have always been easy to attend

All were very helpful, considering and understanding never had an issue

I've been for two screenings and found the process straightforward. Bit sore having your boobs squished but very very worth it for peace of mind.

Always been dealt with kindly, ease of location and convenience of times . And always got results when said

Only had one so far, the staff were lovely & I had no pain whatsoever. For someone who has CPTSD, I was put at ease & felt comfortable with the procedure.

I think breast screening should be offered annually along with an ultrasound.

It's all been straightforward to attend, and at convenient locations with easy parking.

No xx

Experience on the day has been quite variable. It's noticeable when you are being seen by an experienced radiographer and when not. The reception experience is important too. A smile and a little kindness goes a long way. Last time someone scooted their chair back when I walked in and just said 'name?' Please treat everyone as if it is their first visit. They might be terrified. For staff it's routine and they see hundreds of people a week but it's anything but routine for those attending.

I've been twice now and found it fine each time. The ladies at the screening centre were lovely both times. It was a bit chilly though so maybe turn up the heating a little.