
Preliminary Results of the 2022 Crawford County Community Health Needs Assessment

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CHNA Goal

To collect, analyze, and use reliable data to improve community health in Crawford County

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Survey

PRIORITY: collect valid & reliable results

- Administered online (May 2022)
- 790+ responses*

* The sample is NOT representative of the Crawford County population.
Data collection continues until a more representative sample is obtained.

Sample is NOT Representative of Population

	Survey Sample <small>(n=794)</small>	Crawford County
Age Median	54 years old	43.2 years old**
Sex Percentage of females	80.0%	51.0%*
Education Percentage of persons age 25+ with a bachelor's degree or higher	64.4%	20.4%*
Median Income	59% above \$50,000	50% above \$51,919*
Insurance Percentage of persons below age 65 without health insurance	2.5%	8.6%*

*data from U.S. Census (2016-2020): <https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/crawfordcountypennsylvania>

** data from Data USA (2019): <https://datausa.io/profile/geo/crawford-county-pa/>



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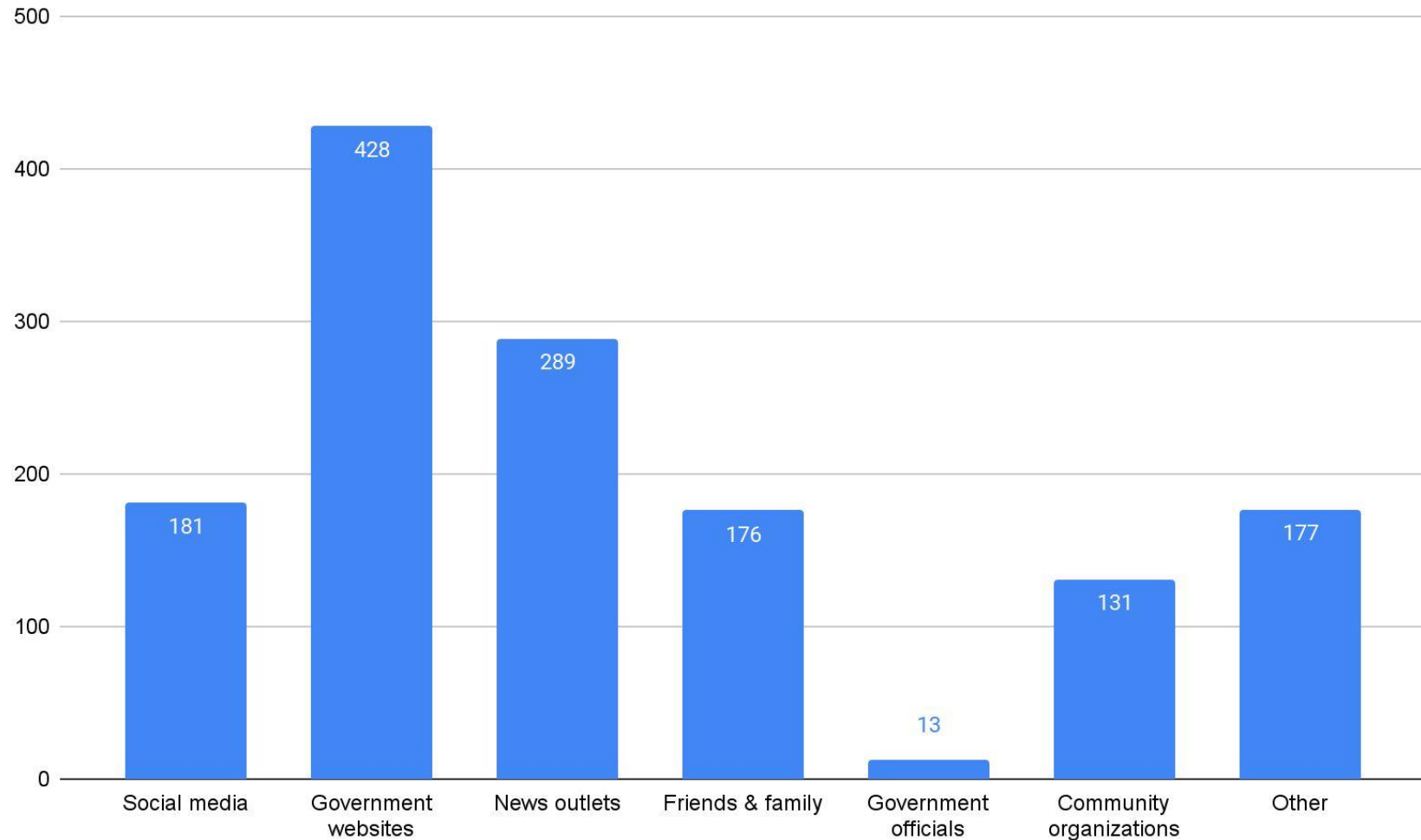


2022 Survey Topics

- Perceptions of community health
- Barriers to health care
- Challenges for healthy living
- Needed actions in the community

Key Findings

Sources of Information About Health and Medicine



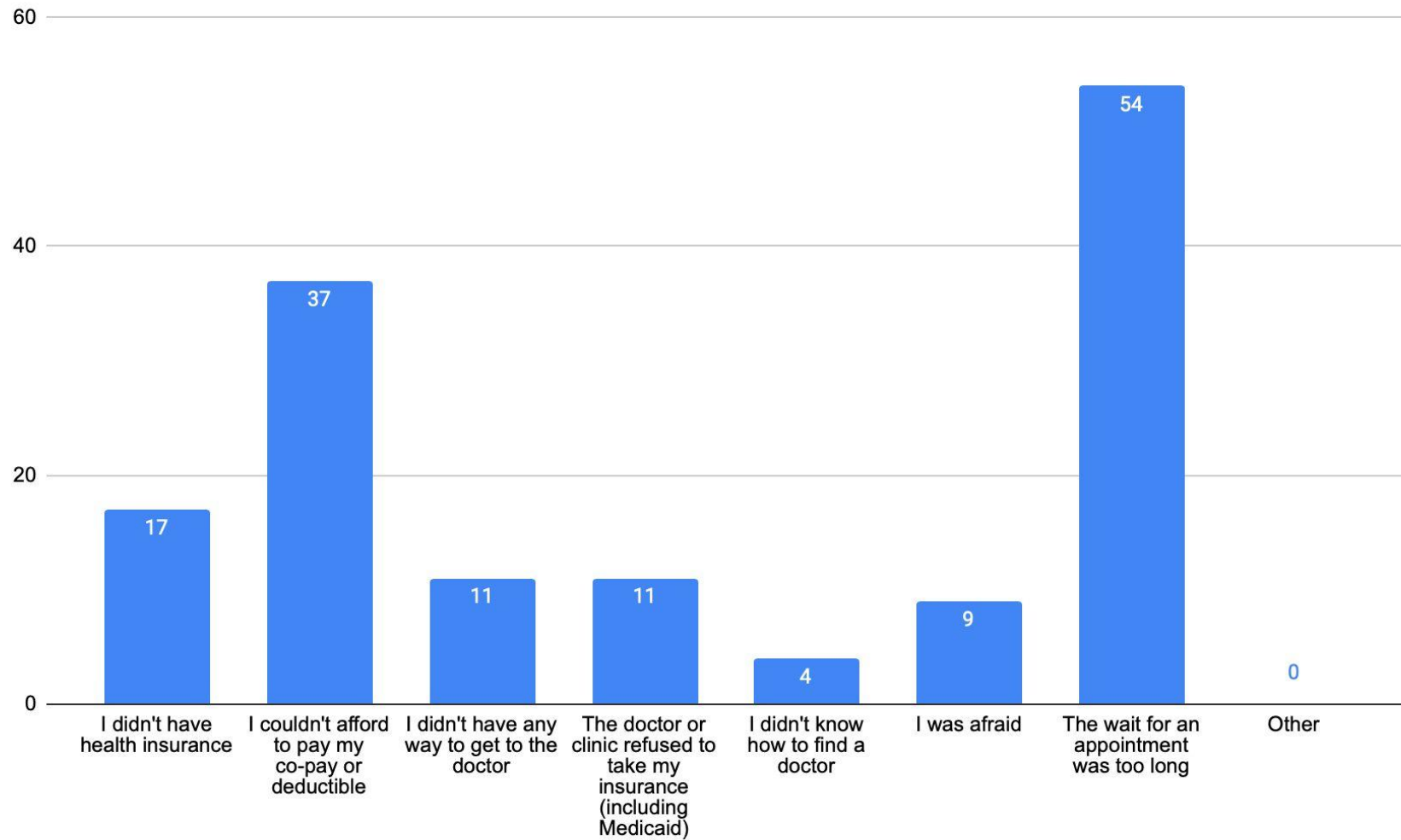
764 total responses



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Barriers to Medical Care



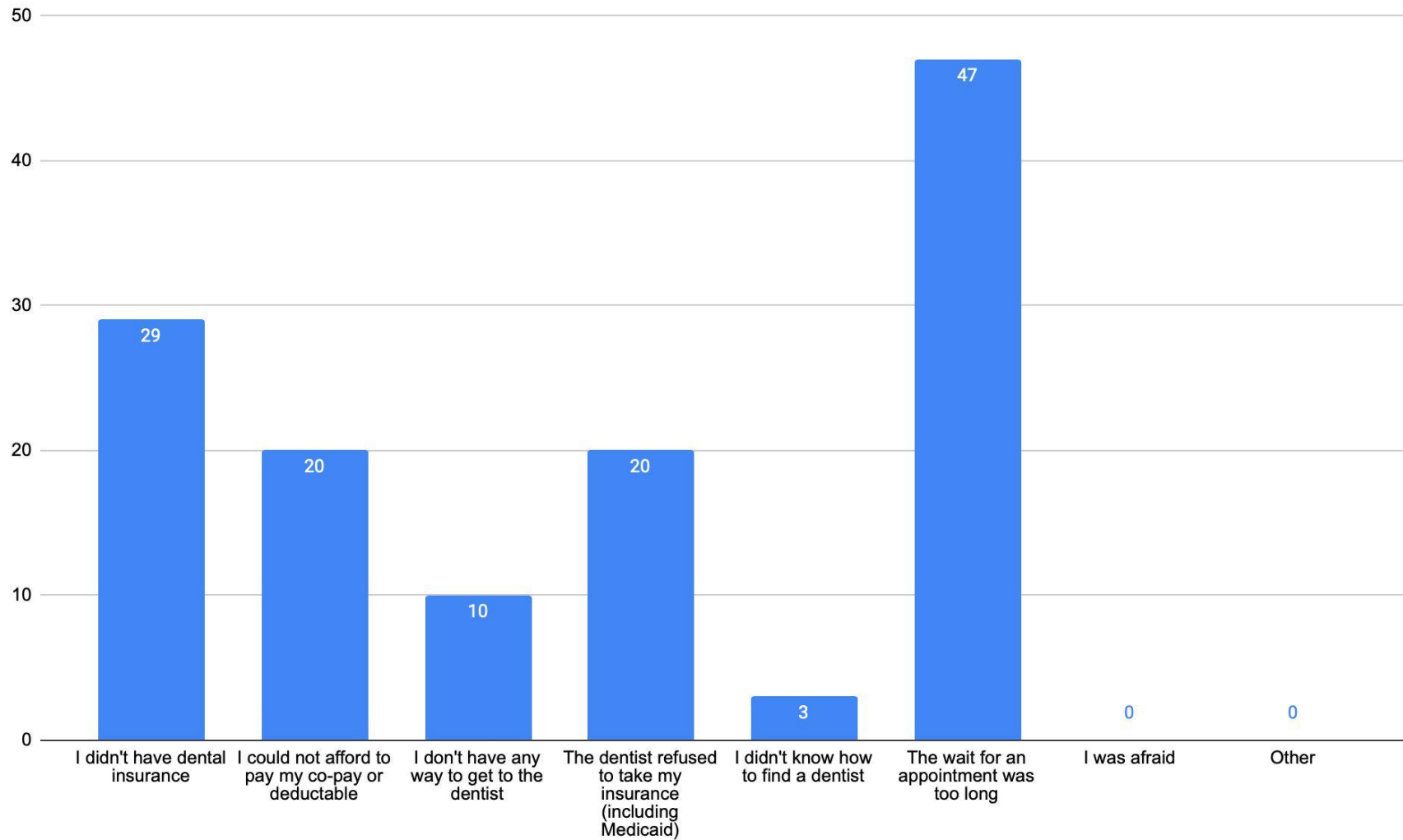
95 total responses



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Barriers to Dental Care



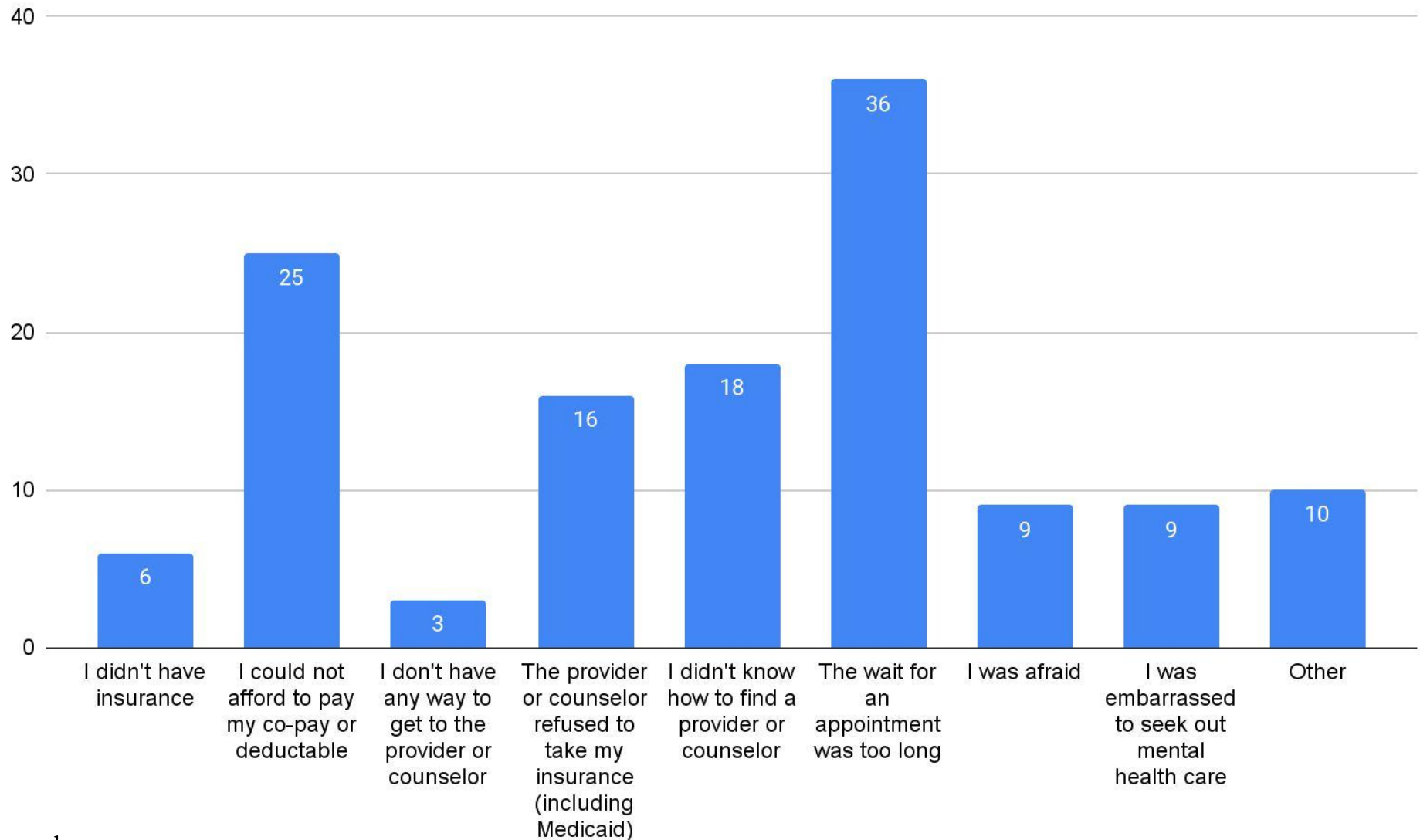
90 total responses



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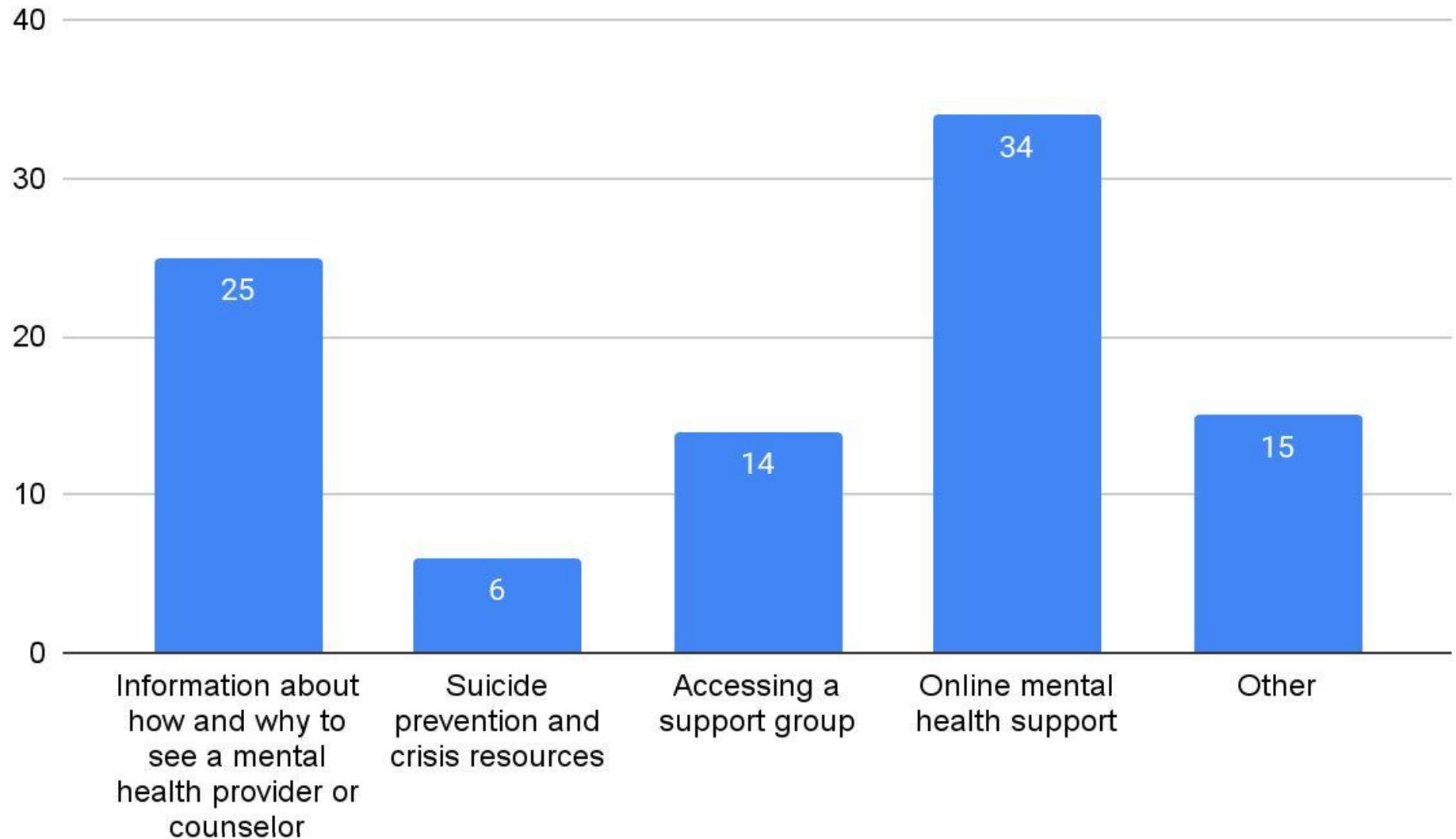


Barriers to Mental Health Services



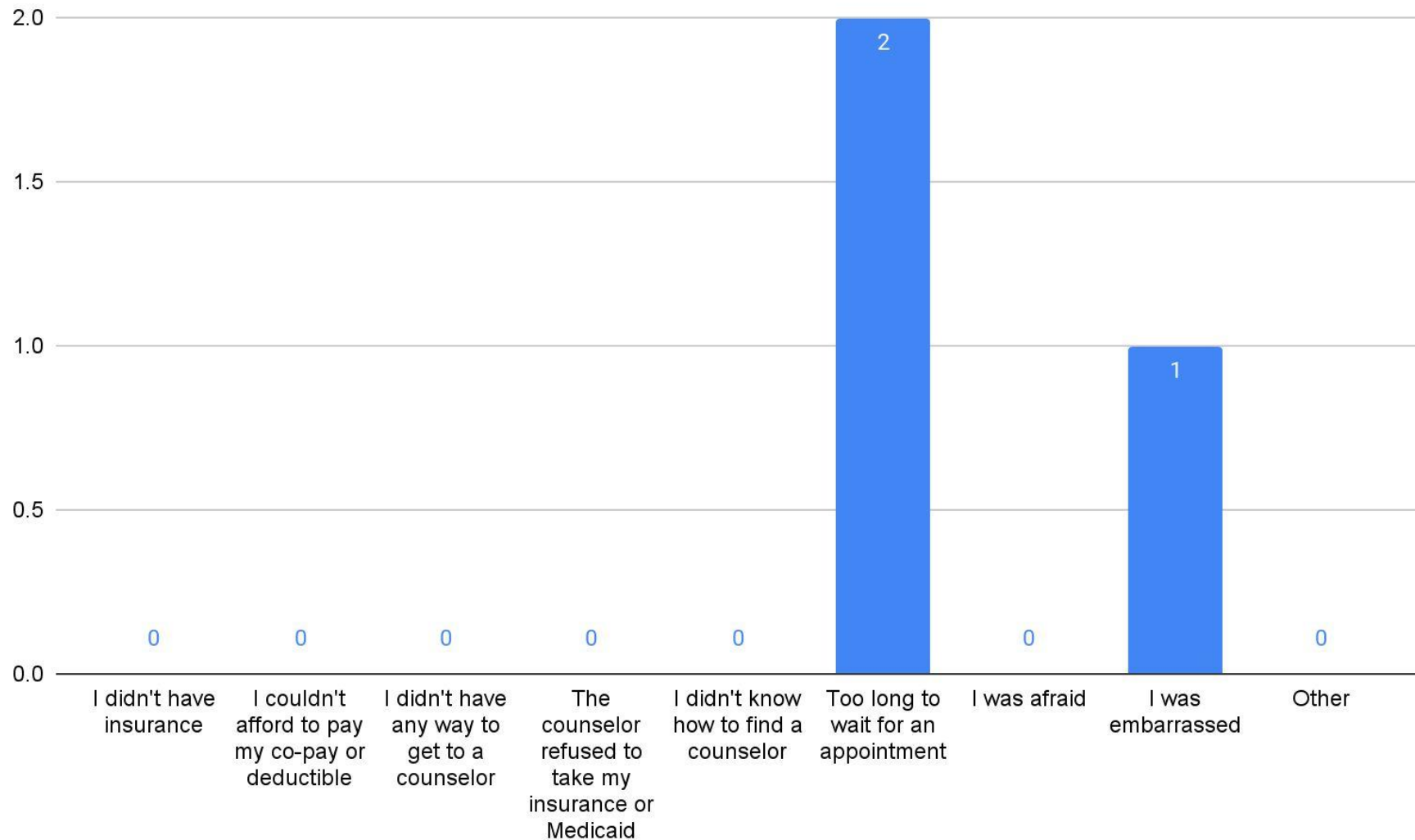
70 total responses

Needed Mental Health Services



68 total responses

Substance Abuse Services



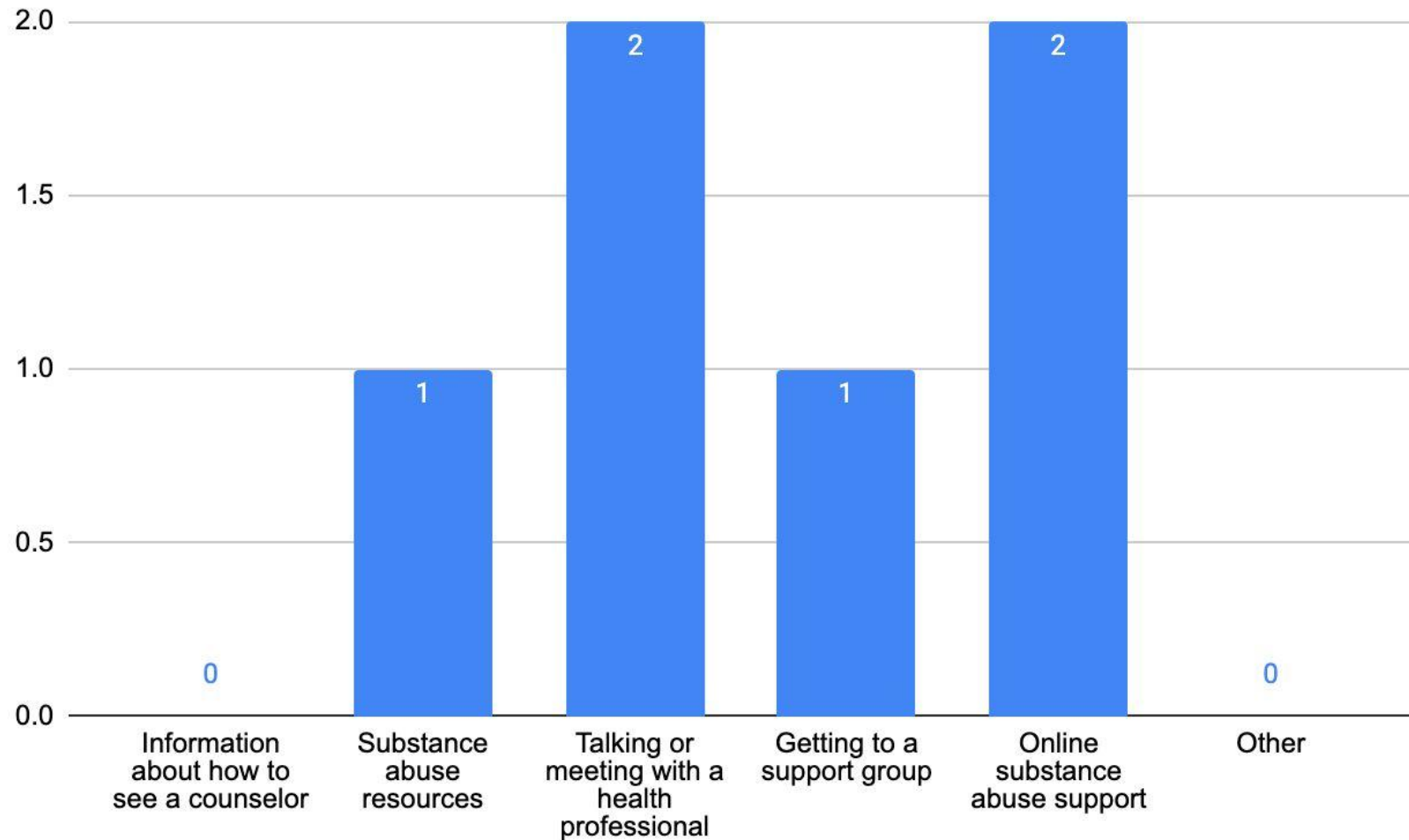
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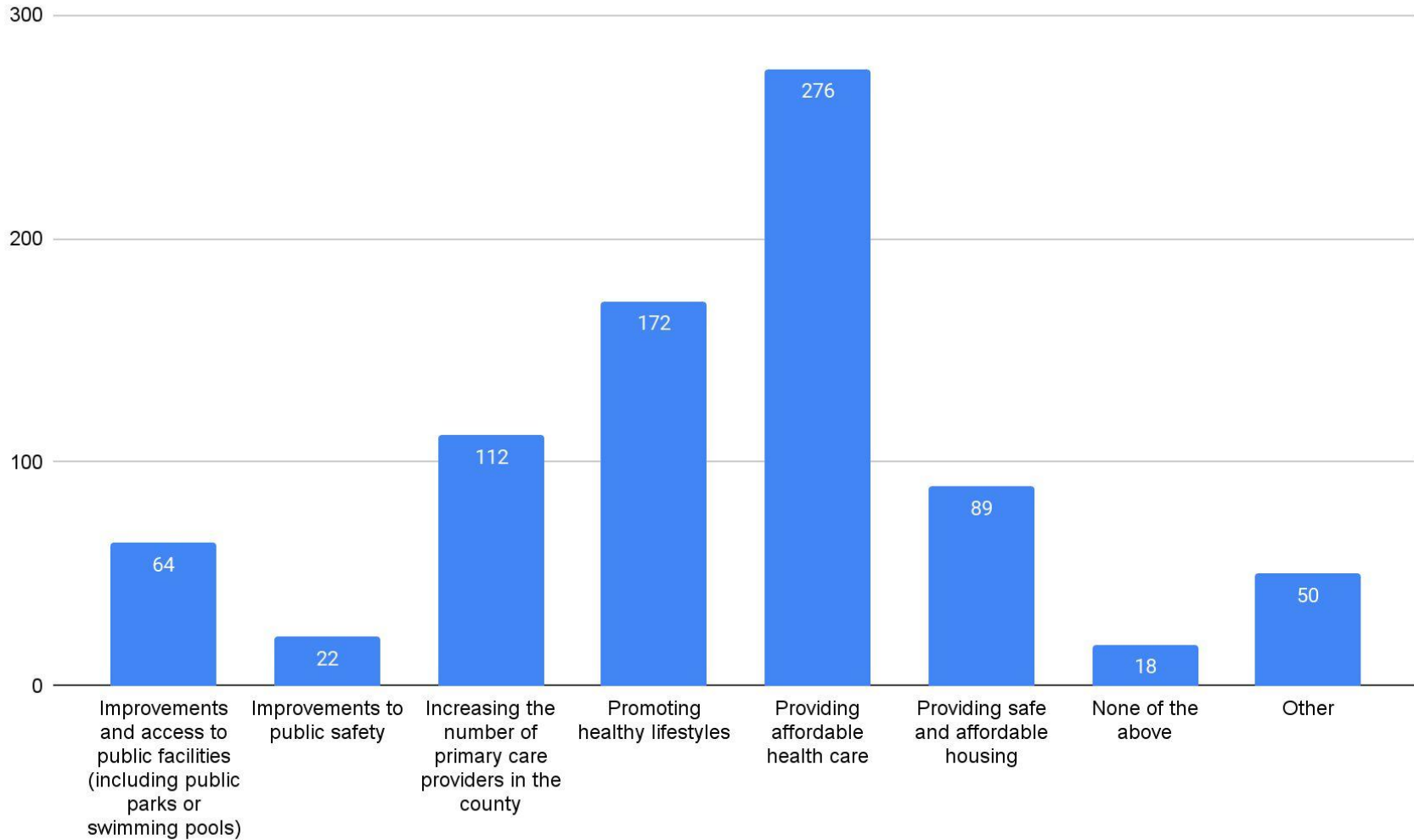


Resources Needed to Address Substance Abuse



6 total responses

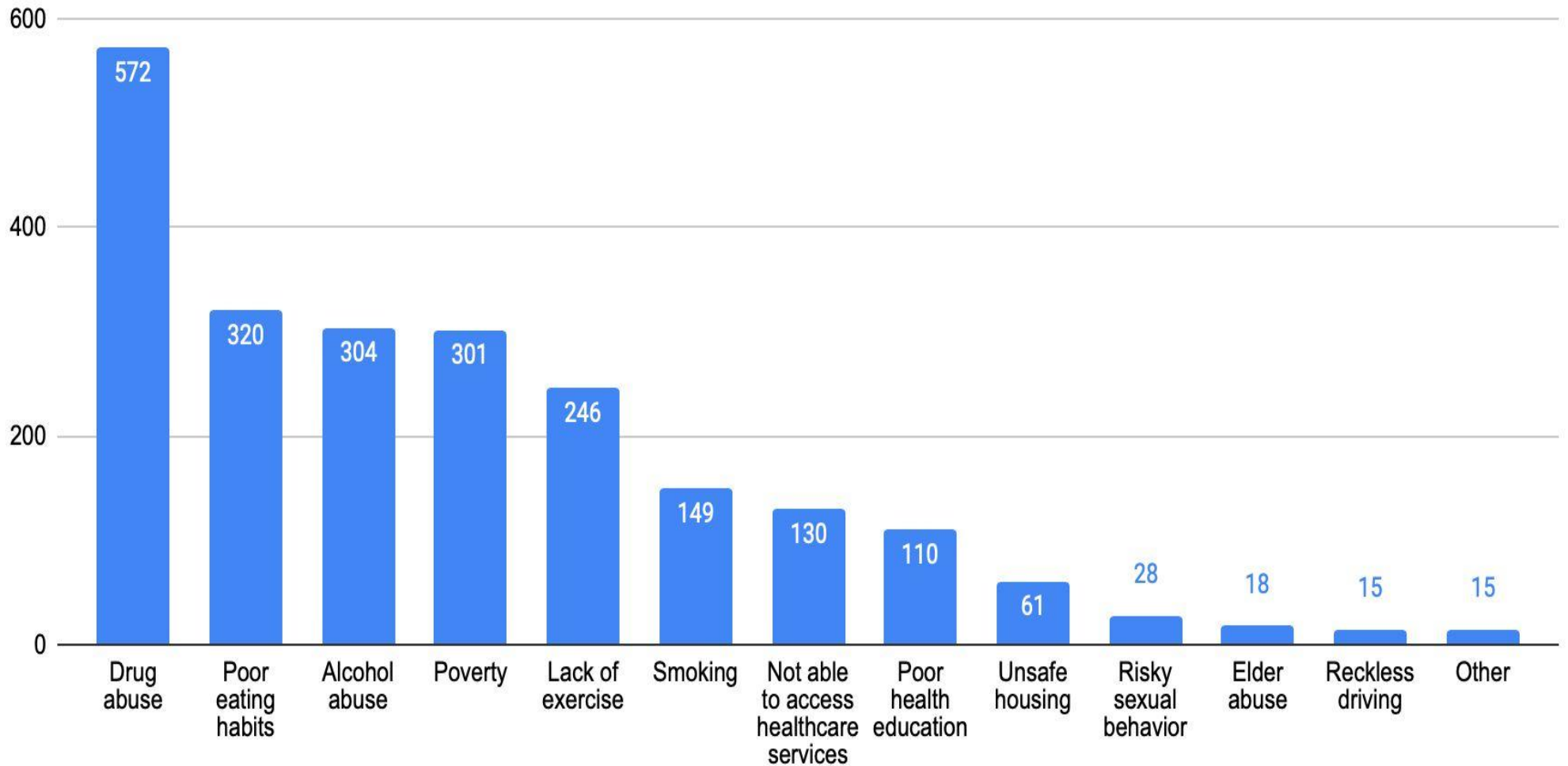
Actions to Improve Community's Health



781 total responses



Unhealthy Behaviors Impacting the Community



781 total responses



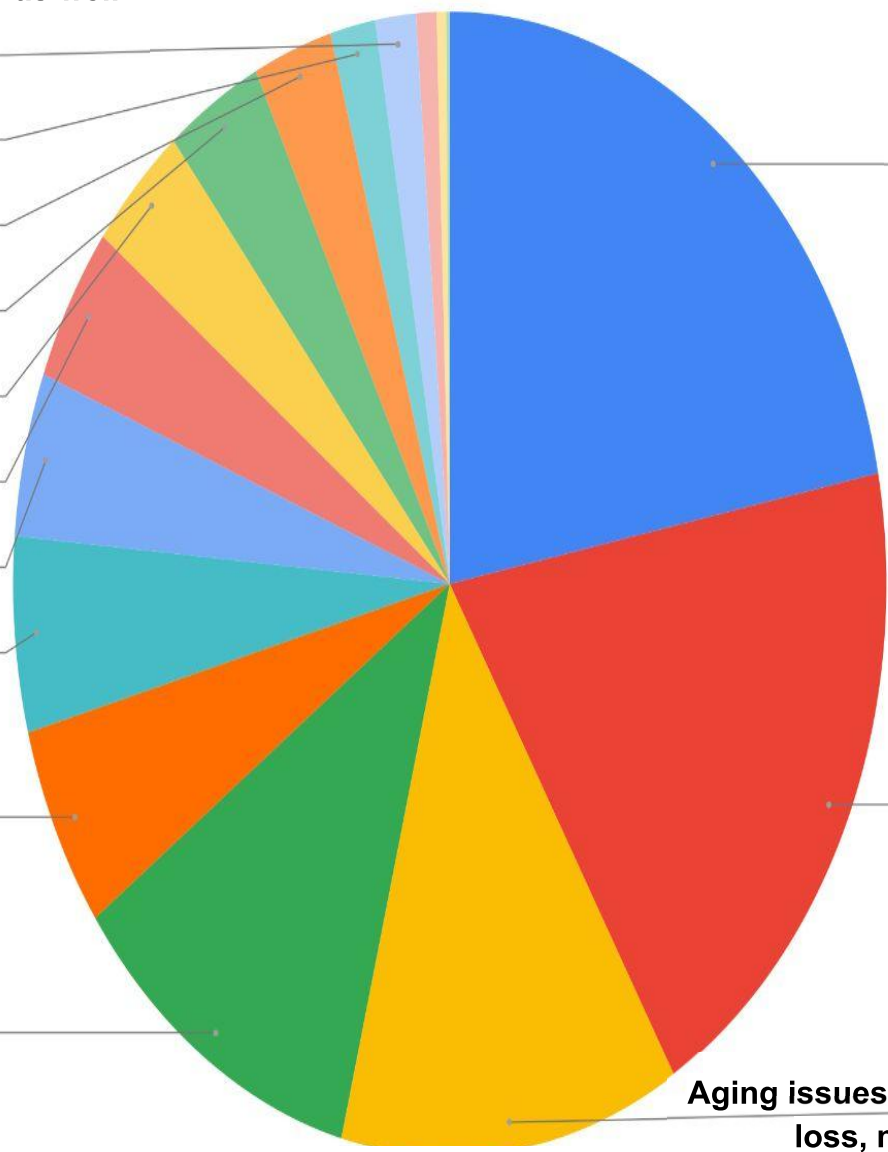
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Important Health Issues in the Community

Injuries (including workplace injuries as well as car, ATV or snowmobile crashes)

- 1.5%
- Lung disease, such as asthma or COPD
- 1.7%
- Other
- 2.9%
- Early sexual activity/teen pregnancy
- 3.6%
- infectious (contagious) diseases, such as
- 3.7%
- Dental health (including tooth pain)
- 4.4%
- Heart disease/heart attack
- 4.6%
- Diabetes
- 5.5%
- Chronic pain
- 5.7%
- Cancer
- 11.1%



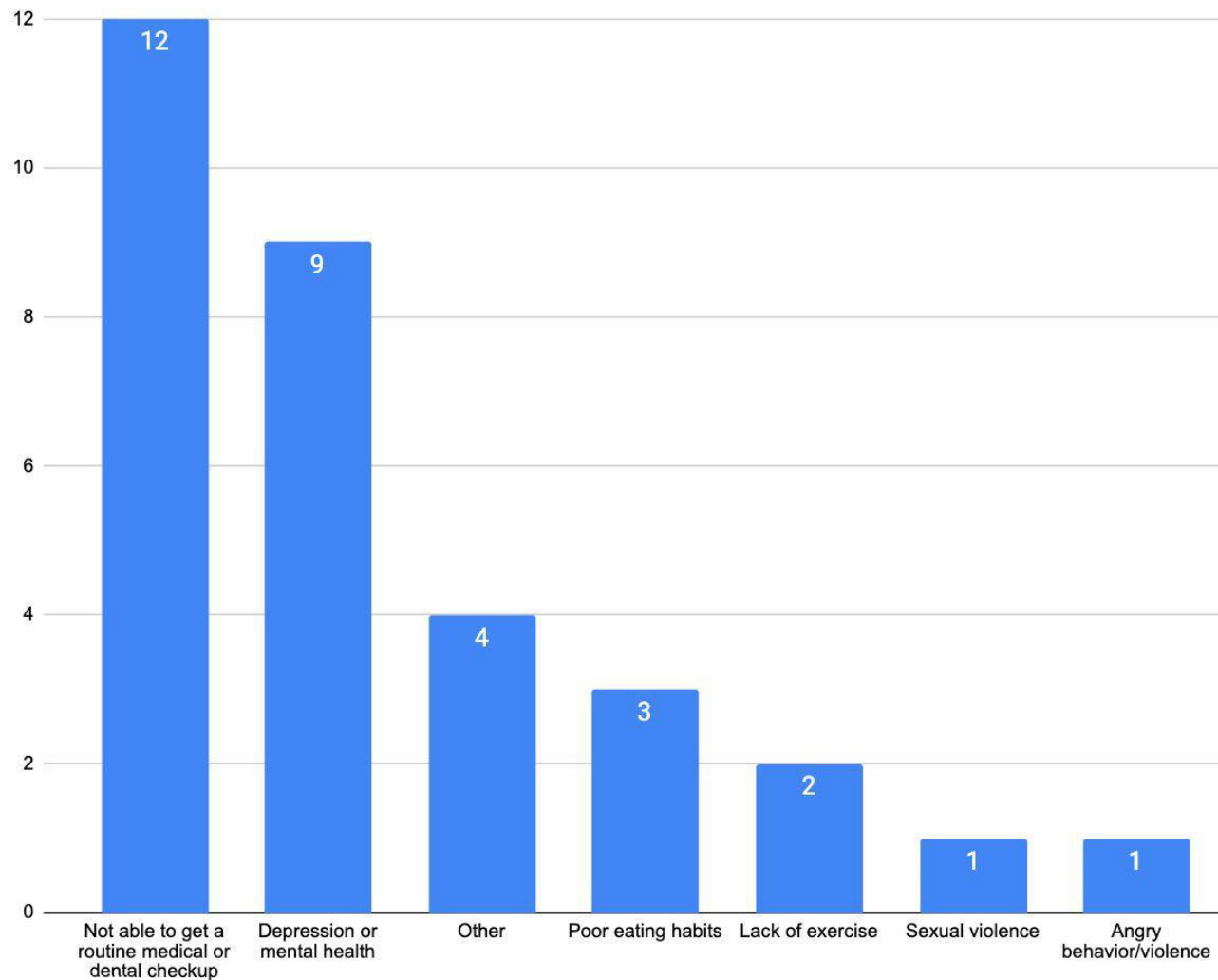
Mental health (including depression, hopelessness, and anxiety) 21.9%

Obesity and overweight 19.5%

Aging issues, such as Alzheimer's disease, hearing loss, memory loss, or arthritis 12.6%

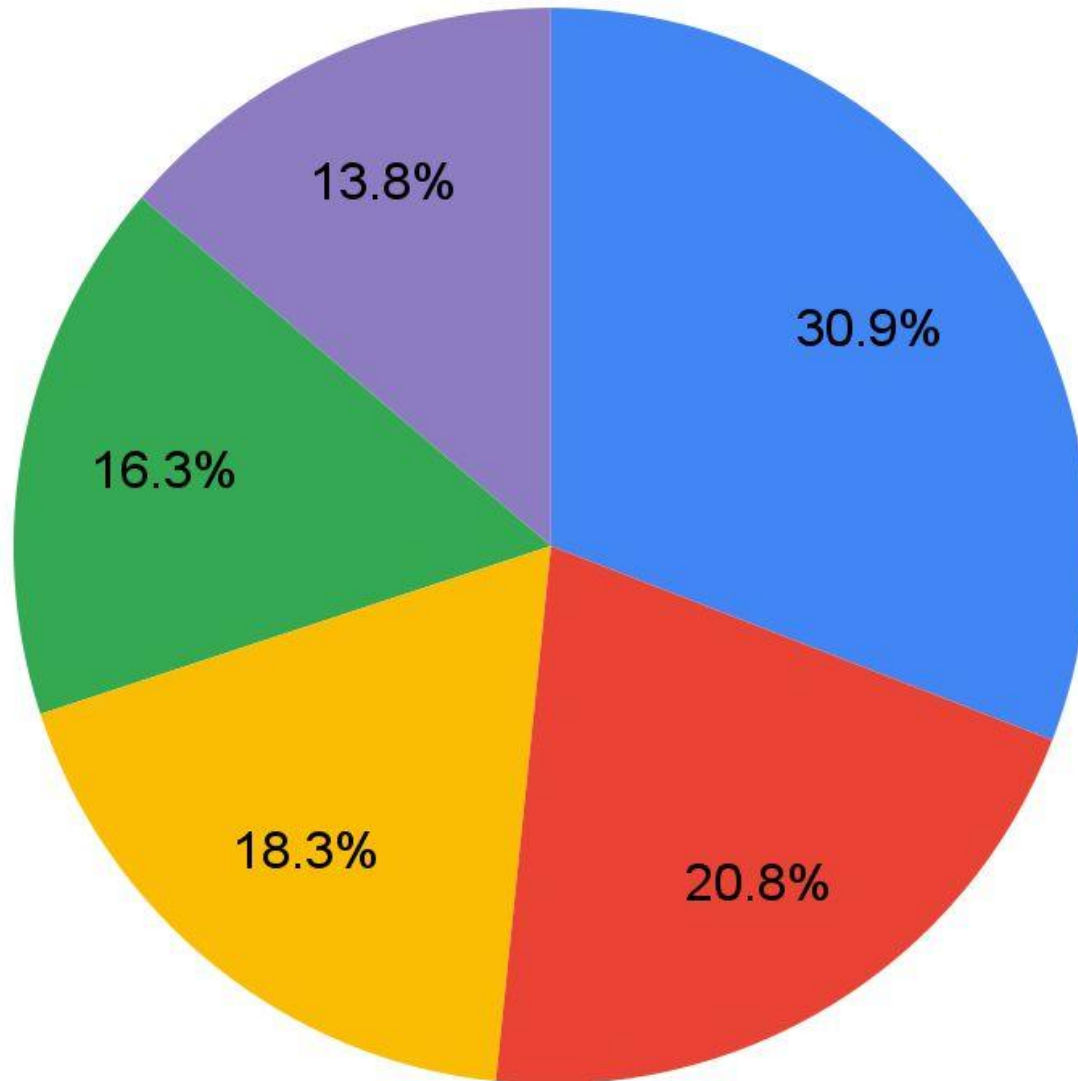
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Healthcare Services Needed by Children



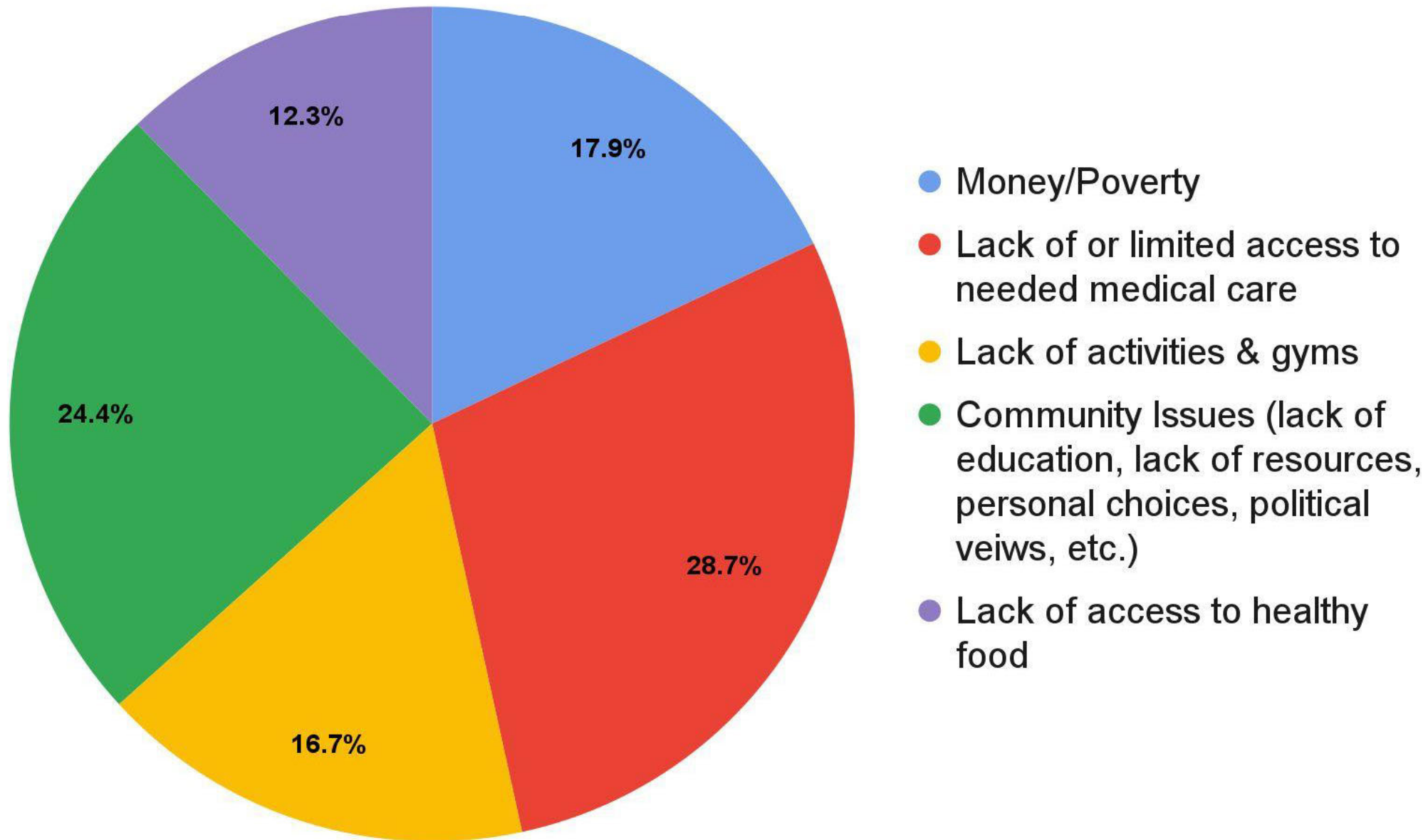
20 total responses

Greatest Challenges to Living a Healthy Life



- Not enough time for exercise, sleep and meal prep
- Health challenges associated with age, weight, or mental/physical health
- Lack of access or high cost of healthcare, gym, transportation, and healthy food
- Challenges with exercise, motivation, and poor habits
- Unable to eat a healthy diet

Challenges to leading a healthy life in Crawford County



Key Findings

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- The survey sample is **NOT** representative of the Crawford County population
- **Money** for copays, medical services, food, gyms, transport is a barrier in health care
- **Time** is a large barrier
- **Need** for specialty care (mental health services, substance abuse services)
- **Lack of access** to healthy foods (not available or affordable)

What is needed to create a healthy community

- Being able to get an appointment in a timely manner
- Accessibility to healthy foods
- Educating the public on how to be healthy
- Increased availability of mental health services

Next Steps



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In coming months...

- Collecting additional survey responses to get a more representative sample