

BSS Survey

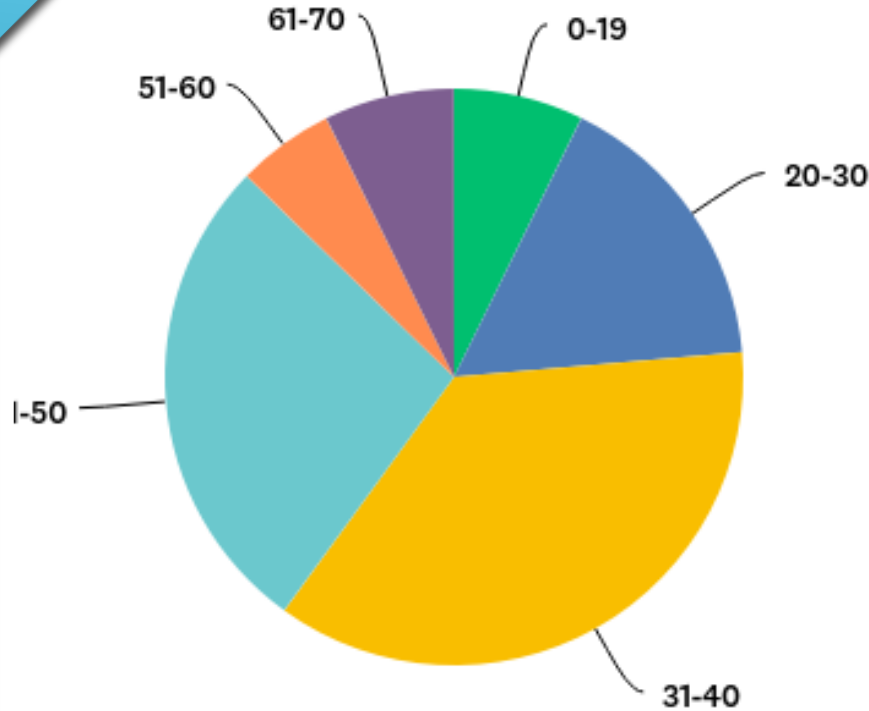
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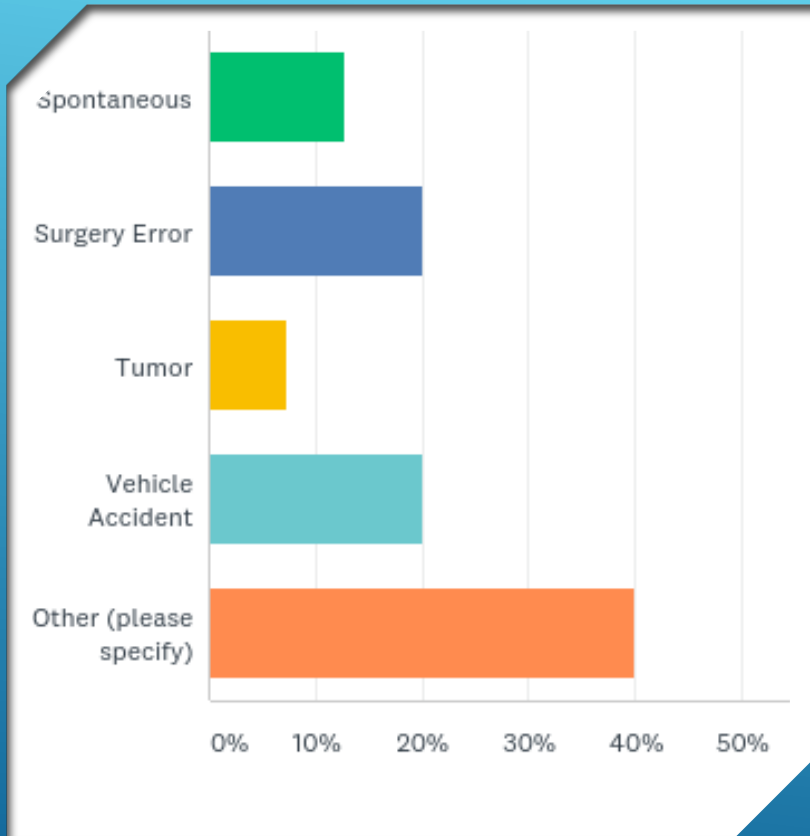
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Q1: WHAT AGE DID YOU GET BROWN SEQUARD SYNDROME?

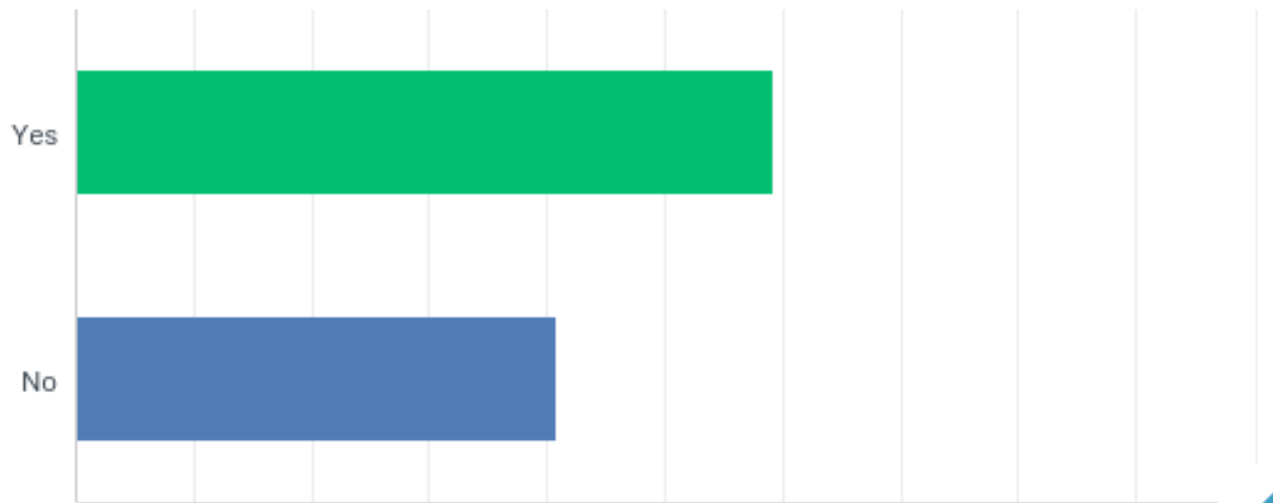
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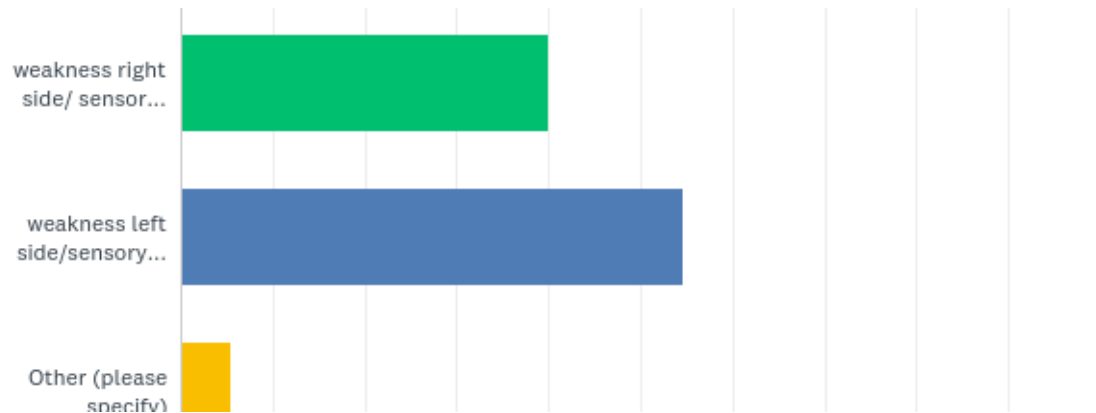
Q2: HOW DID YOU GET BROWN SEQUARD SYNDROME?

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Q4: DID YOU HAVE A FUSION AT YOUR INJURY SITE?

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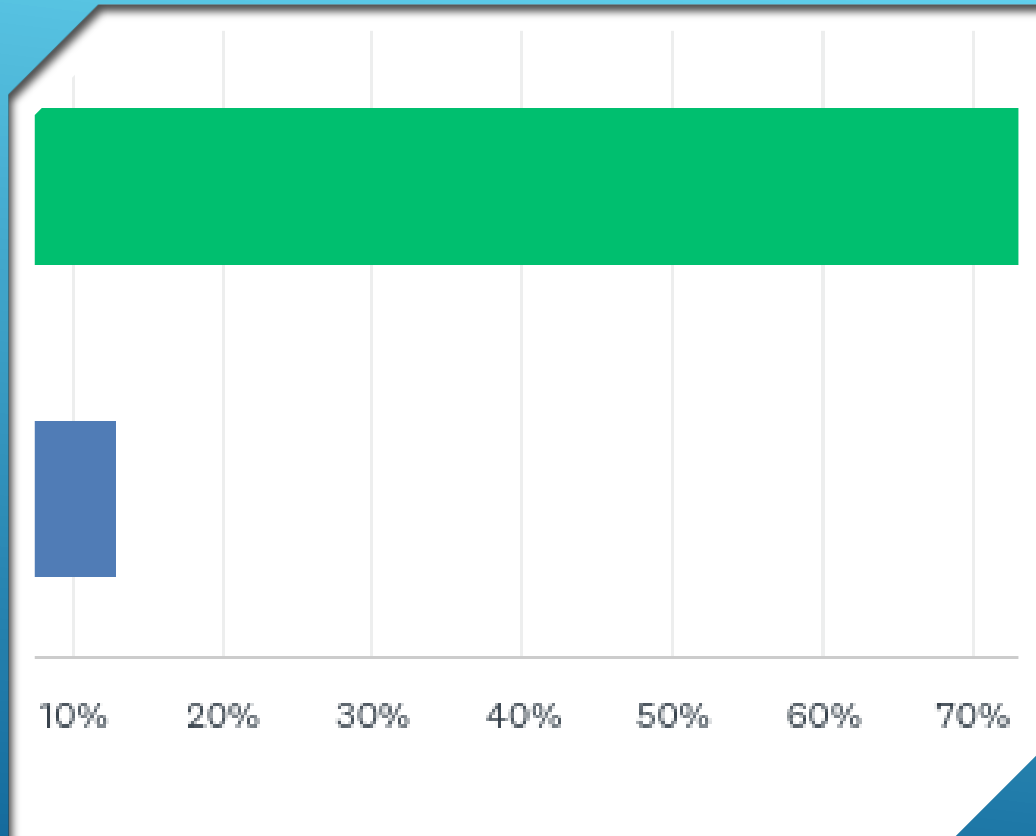


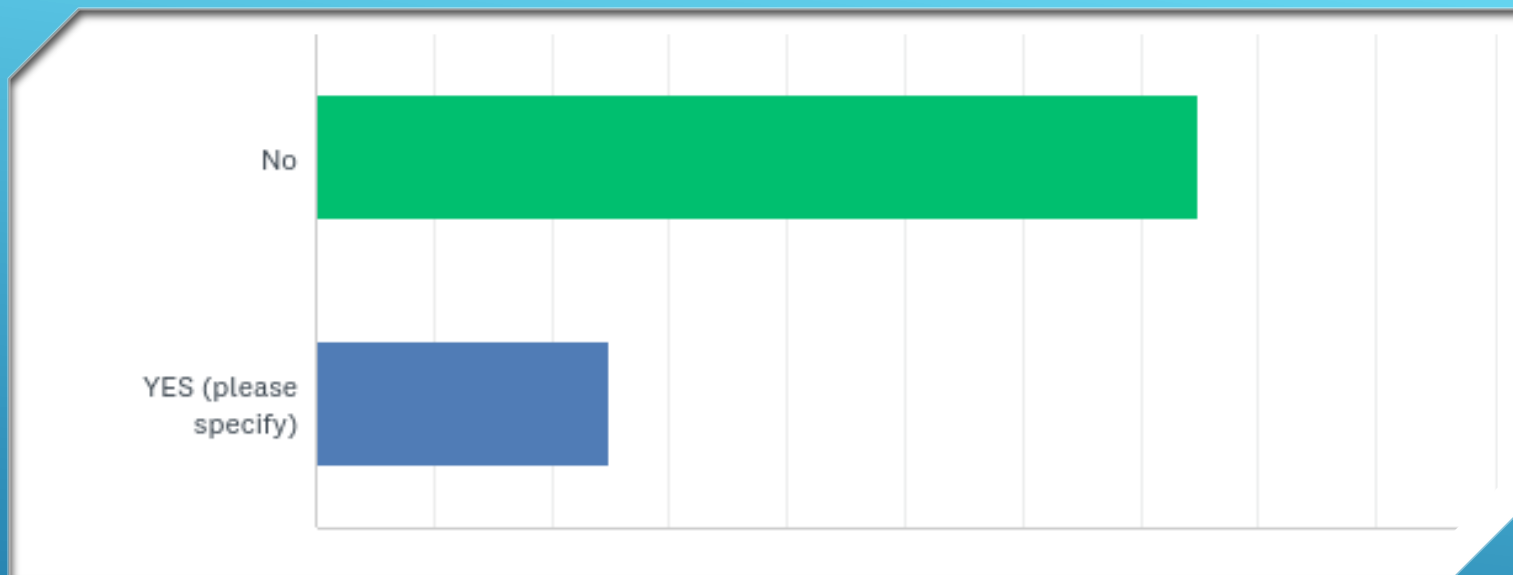
Q5: DO YOU HAVE WEAKNESS ON ONE SIDE
AND SENSORY DEFICIT ON THE OTHER?

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Q6: WERE YOU
GIVEN AN
OFFICIAL
DIAGNOSIS OF
BSS FROM
DOCTOR?

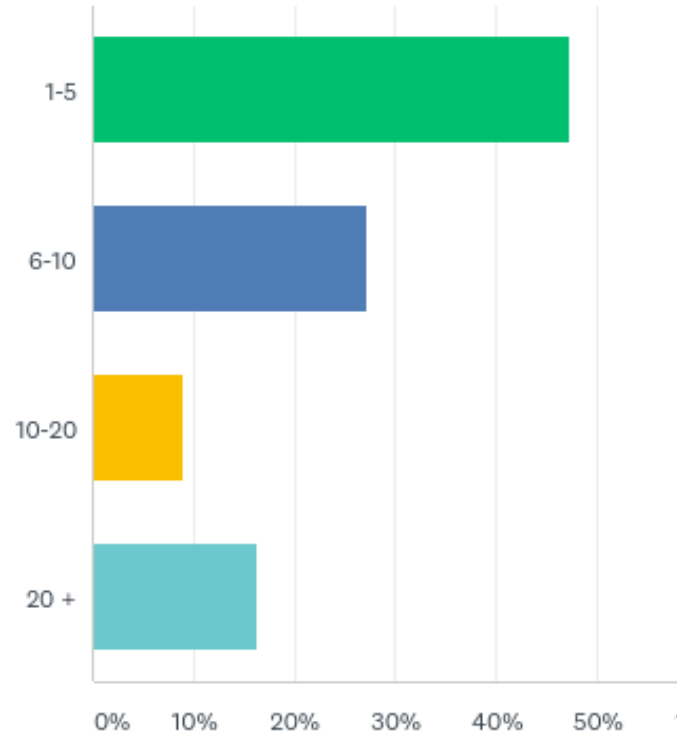
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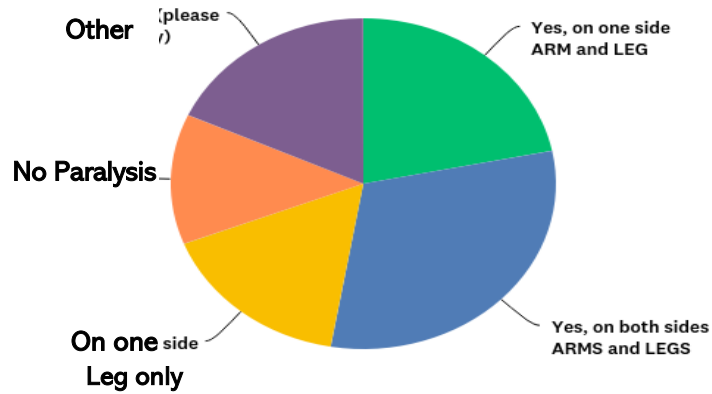
Q7: DO YOU HAVE OTHER INCOMPLETE SPINAL CORD SYNDROMES?

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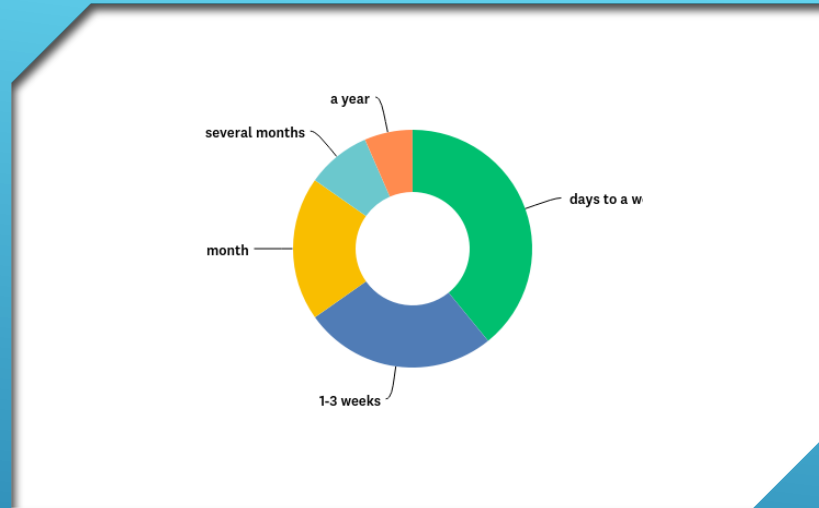
Q8: HOW MANY YEARS SINCE YOUR BSS INJURY/DIAGNOSIS?

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Q9: WERE YOU PARALYZED AT THE BEGINNING OF BSS?

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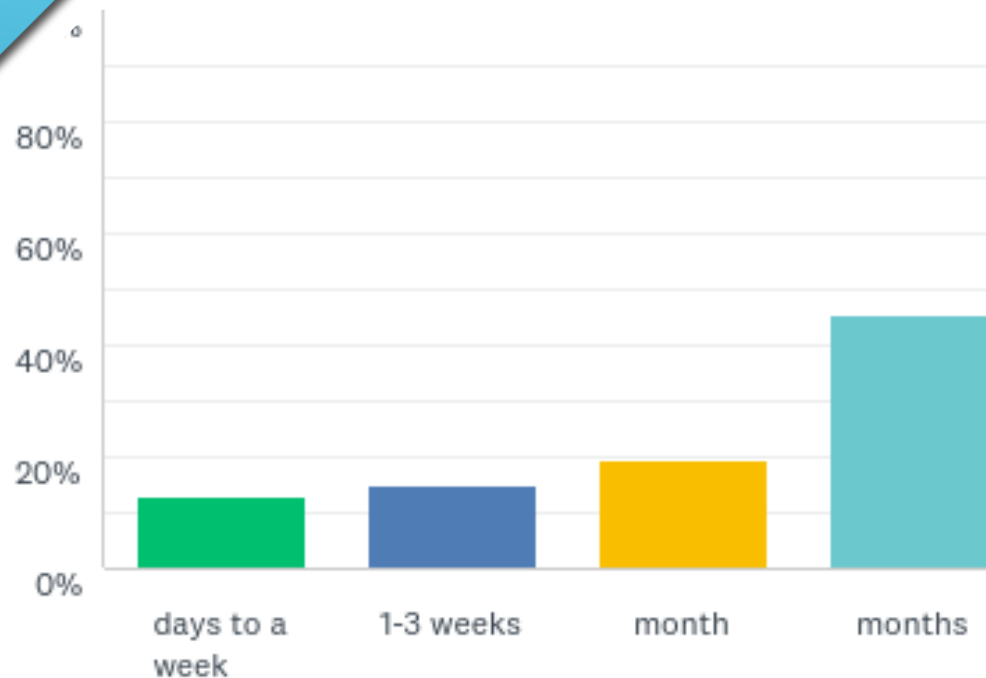


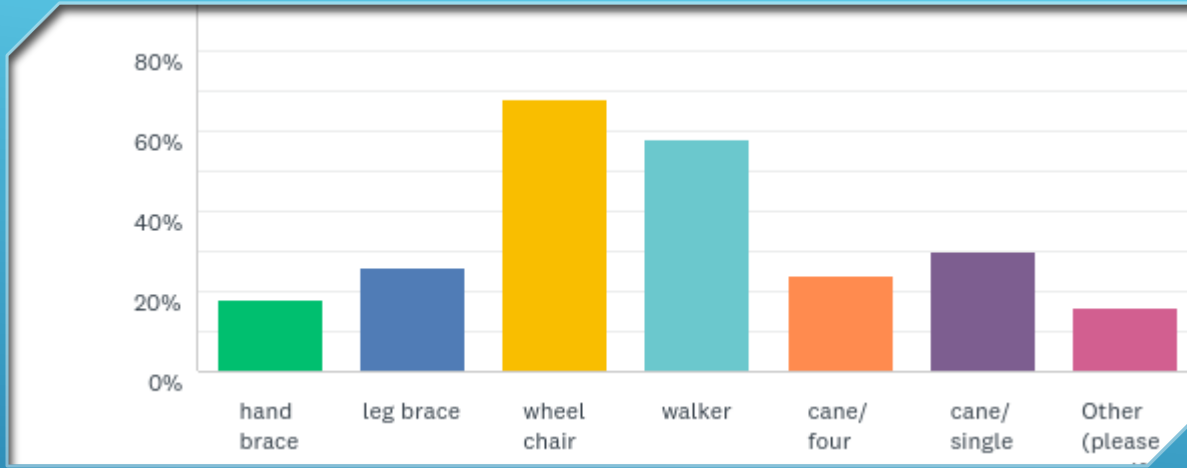
Q10: IF YOU WERE PARALYZED, HOW MUCH TIME DID IT TAKE UNTIL YOU COULD MAKE SLIGHT MOVEMENTS?

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Q11: IF YOU
WERE INITIALLY
PARALYZED,
HOW LONG
UNTIL YOU
WALKED AGAIN?

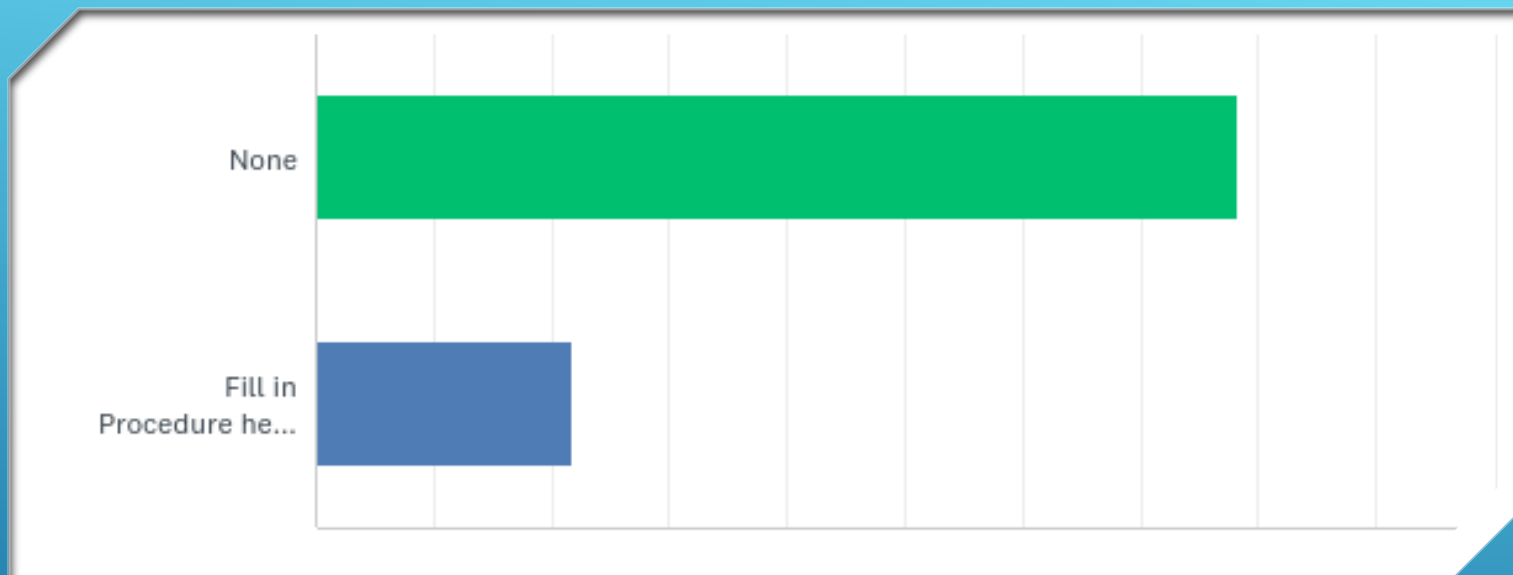
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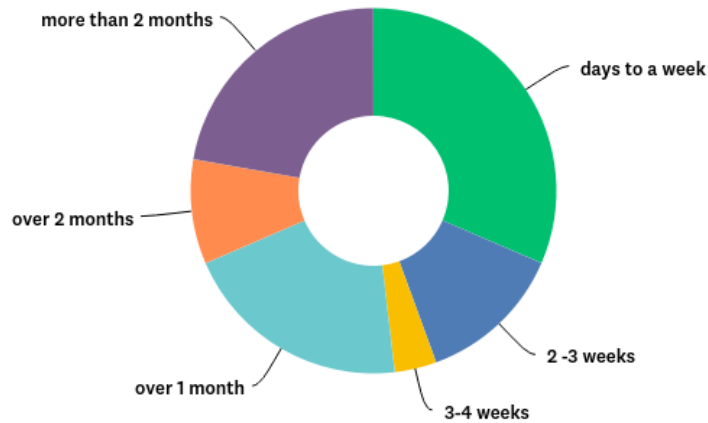
Q12: WHAT AIDS WERE NEEDED TO INITIALLY USE YOUR ARMS AND LEGS? YOU MAY CHOOSE MORE THAN ONE.

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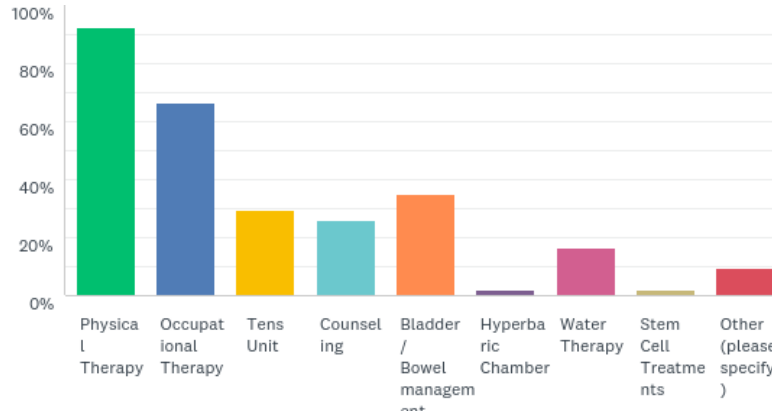
Q13: WHAT SURGICAL PROCEDURES DID YOU HAVE TO TRY TO CORRECT THE BROWN SEQUARD SYNDROME?

Answered: 55 Skipped: 0



Q14: HOW LONG
WERE YOU IN THE
HOSPITAL DURING
YOUR INITIAL
DIAGNOSIS OF BSS?

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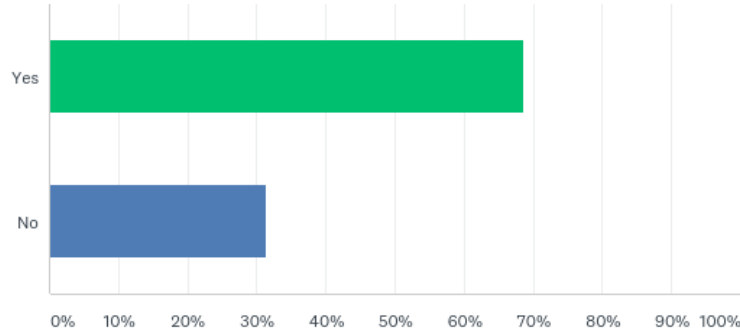


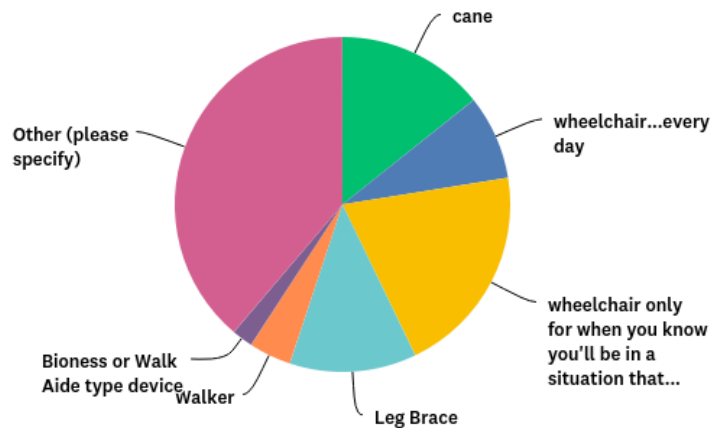
Q15: IMMEDIATELY
AFTER YOUR SPINAL
CORD INJURY WHAT
TYPES OF THERAPIES
WERE USED? CHECK ALL
THAT APPLY.

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Q18: DO YOU HAVE DROP FOOT?

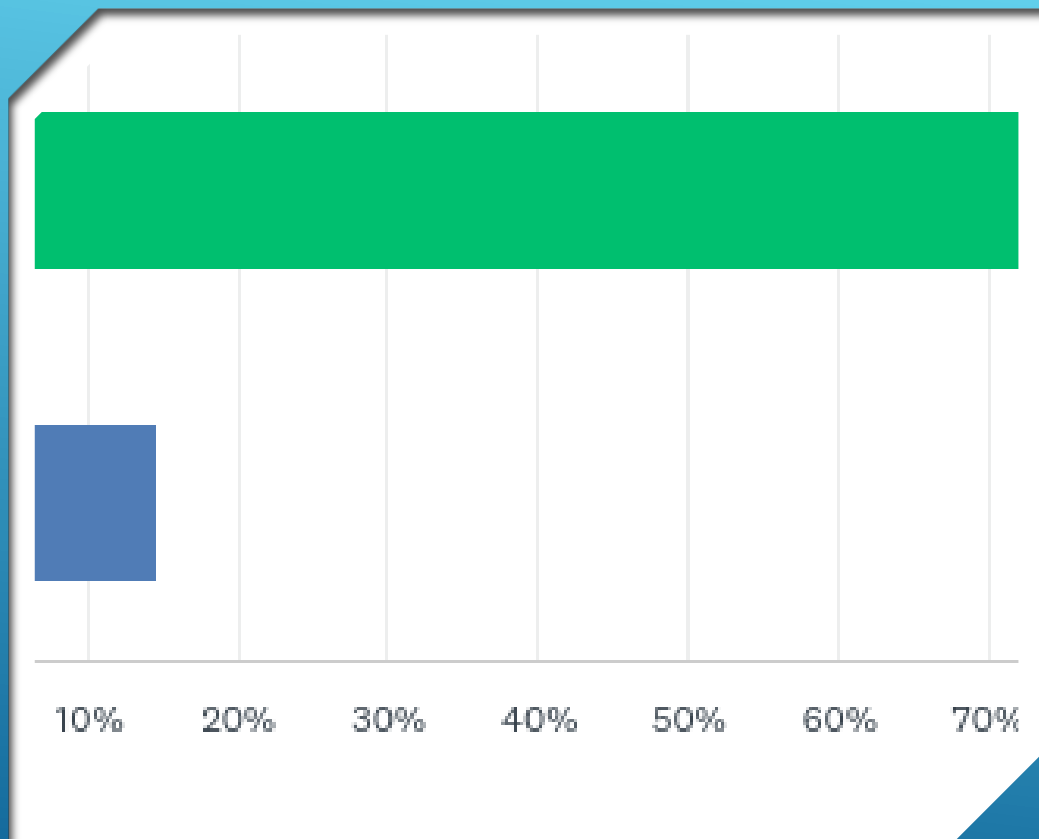
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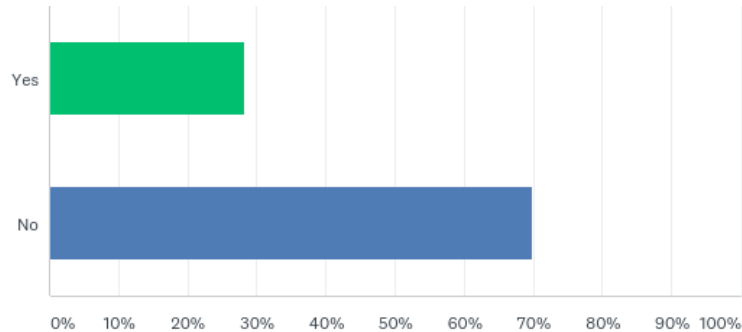
Q19: DO YOU
USE ANY OF THE
FOLLOWING
DEVICES TO
WALK? CHECK
ALL THAT APPLY

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Skipped: 6



Q20: DO YOU
HAVE
HYPERSENSITIVITY?

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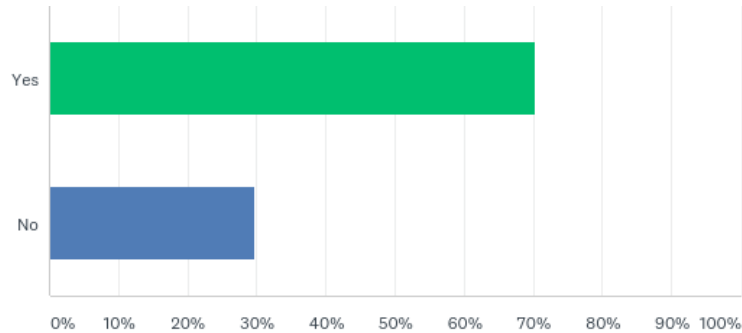


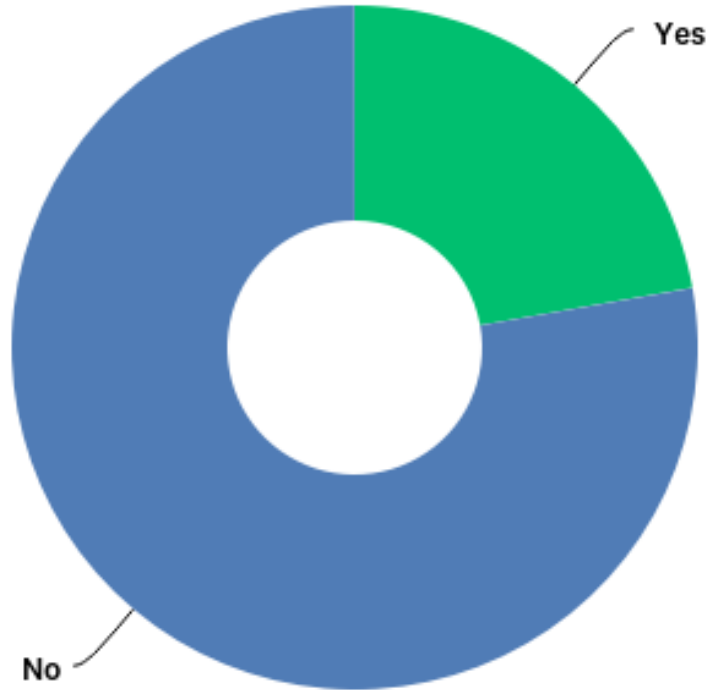
Q23: WHEN STIMULUS IS APPLIED TO YOUR LACK OF SENSATION SIDE, DOES IT CAUSE TWITCHING OR SPASMS IN YOUR WEAK SIDE? EXAMPLE; IF YOU TOUCHED WATER(OR ANYTHING THAT CAUSES DISCOMFORT FOR YOU) AND IT CAUSED A PAIN OR UNCOMFORTABLE SENSATION, WOULD YOUR OPPOSITE SIDE SPASM OR TWITCH FROM IT?

Answered: 53
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Q25: DOES
YOUR LACK OF
SENSATION
SIDE FEEL
NUMB?

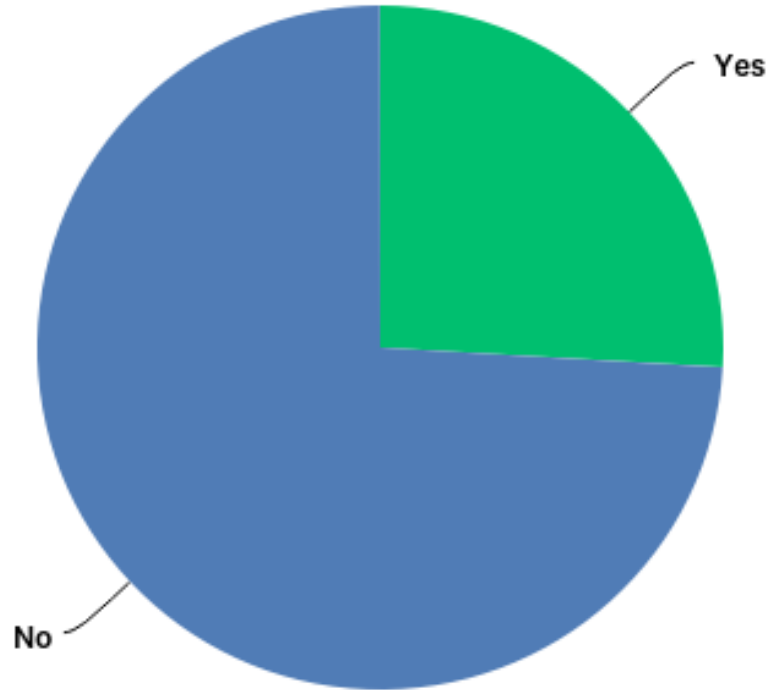
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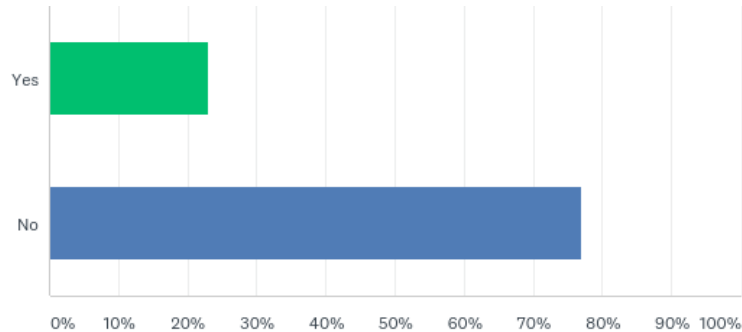
Q26: DO YOU
FEEL
TEMPERATURE -
HOT/COLD- ON
YOUR LACK OF
SENSATION SIDE?

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Skipped: 1



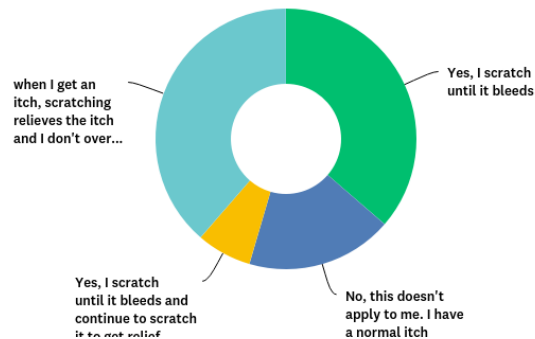
Q27: DO YOU
FEEL PIN PRICK
PAIN ON YOUR
LACK OF
SENSATION SIDE?

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Q29: WHEN YOU HAVE AN ITCH, FROM A BUG BITE OR OTHER REASON, ON YOUR LACK OF SENSATION SIDE...DO YOU GET RELIEF FROM SCRATCHING?

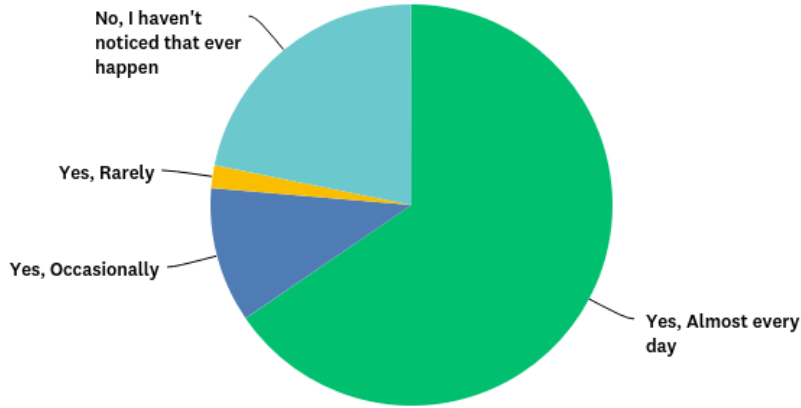
Answered: 48
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Q30: IF SCRATCHING DOES NOT RELIEVE AN ITCH, DO YOU SCRATCH UNTIL THE AREA BLEEDS? DO YOU SCRATCH EVEN THROUGH THE BLEEDING TO OBTAIN RELIEF?

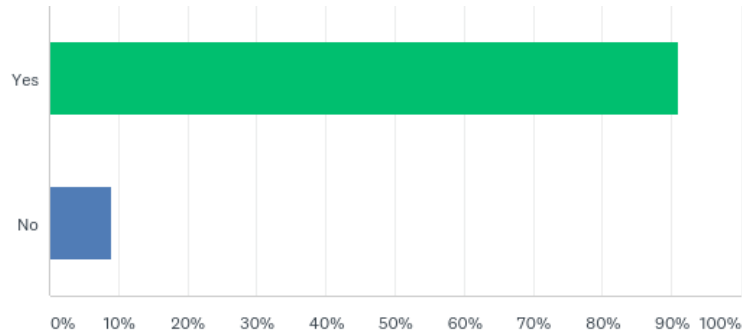
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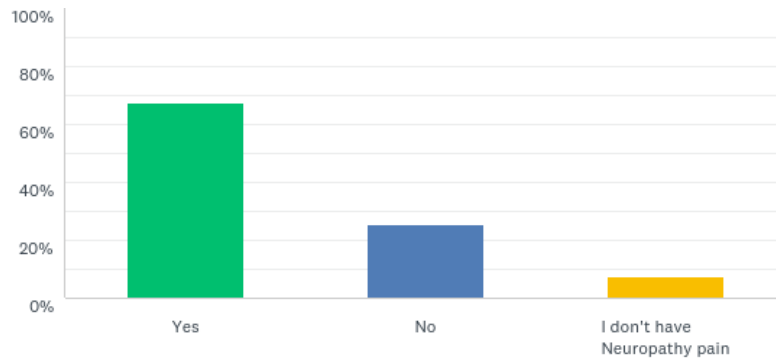
Q31: DO YOU HAVE
SKIN TEMPERATURE
DIFFERENCES?
EXAMPLE; YOUR LEFT
CALF FEELS WARMER
THAN YOUR RIGHT
CALF?

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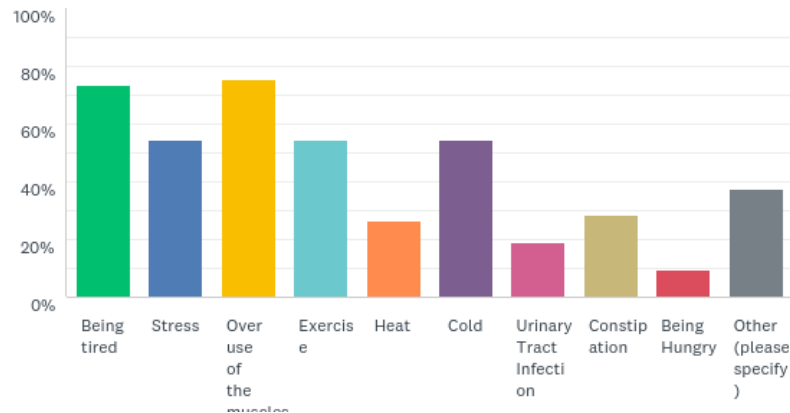
Q33: DO YOU
HAVE
NEUROPATHY
PAIN?

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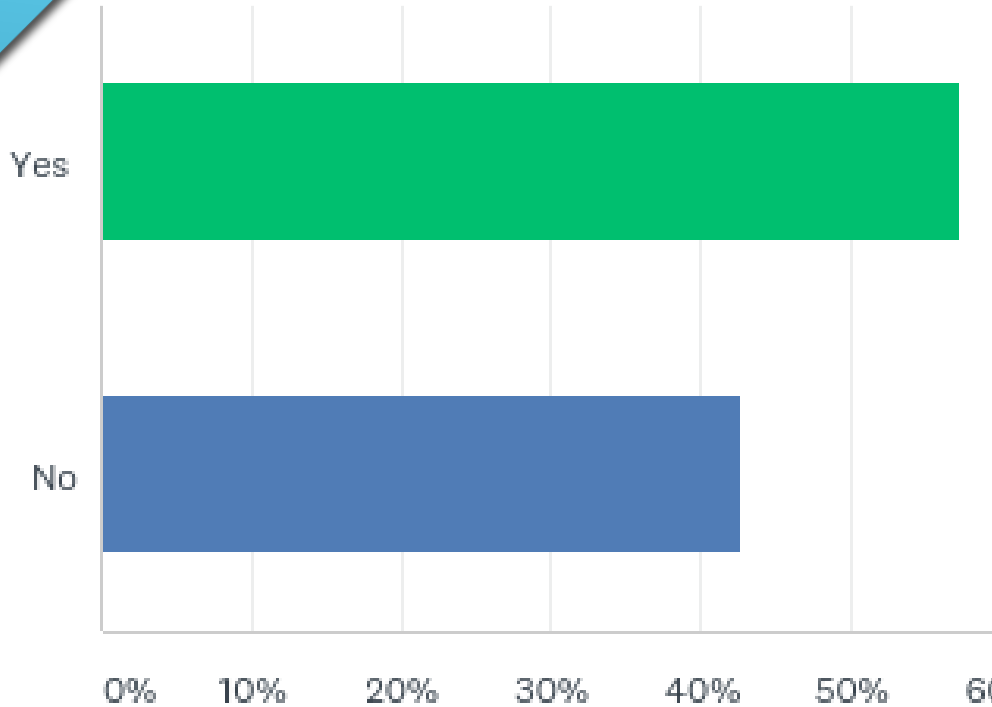
Q34: IF YOU
HAVE
NEUROPATHY
PAIN, IS THE PAIN
CONSTANT?

Answered: 55
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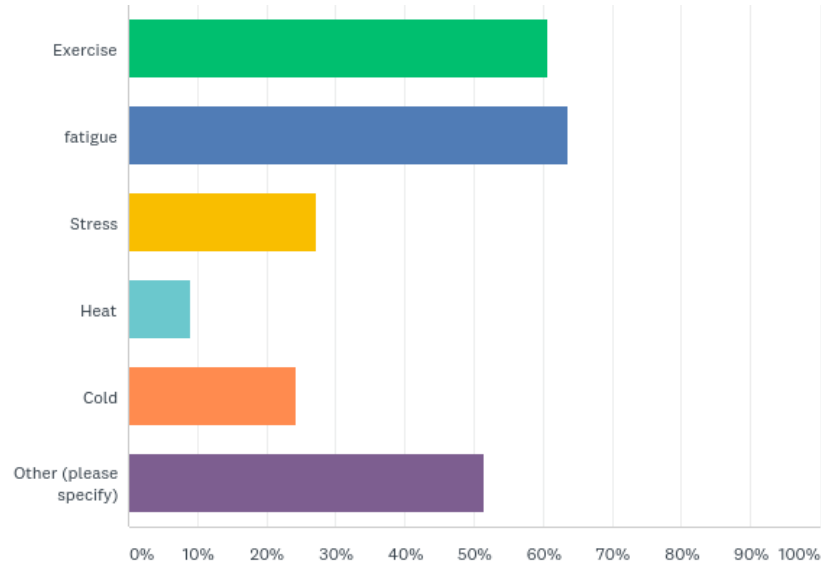
Q35: WHAT CAN CAUSE YOUR NEUROPATHY TO BECOME MORE SEVERE? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY AND WRITE YOUR OWN IN THE COMMENT BOX.

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Q36: DO YOU HAVE CLONUS?

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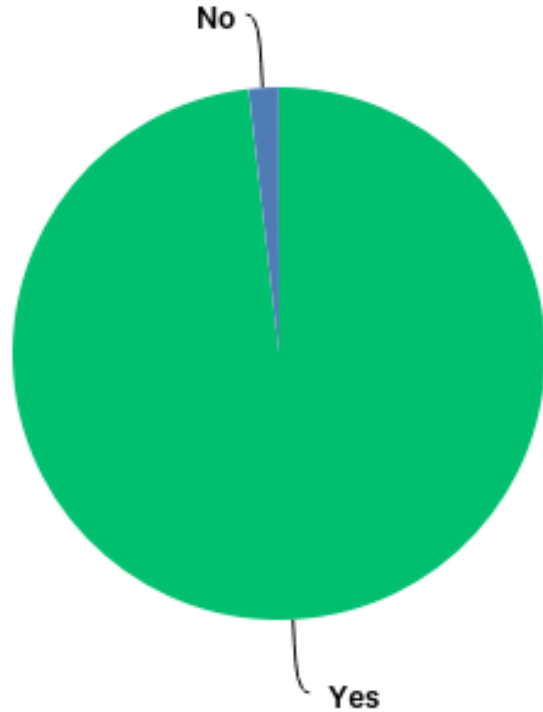


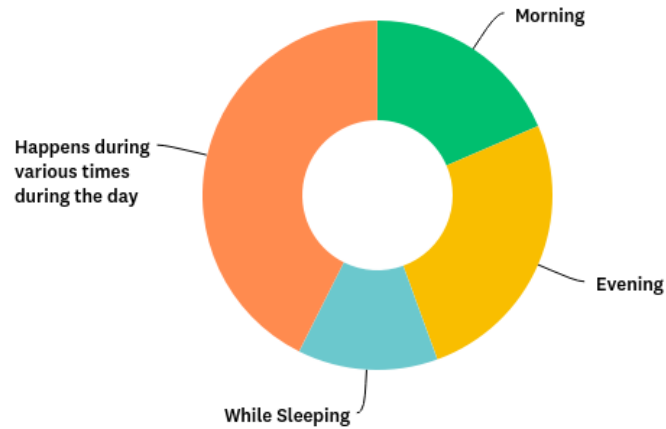
Q37: WHAT DO
YOU FIND
INCREASES
CLONUS? CHECK
AS MANY THAT
APPLY

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Skipped: 22

Q38: DO YOU HAVE SPASMS?

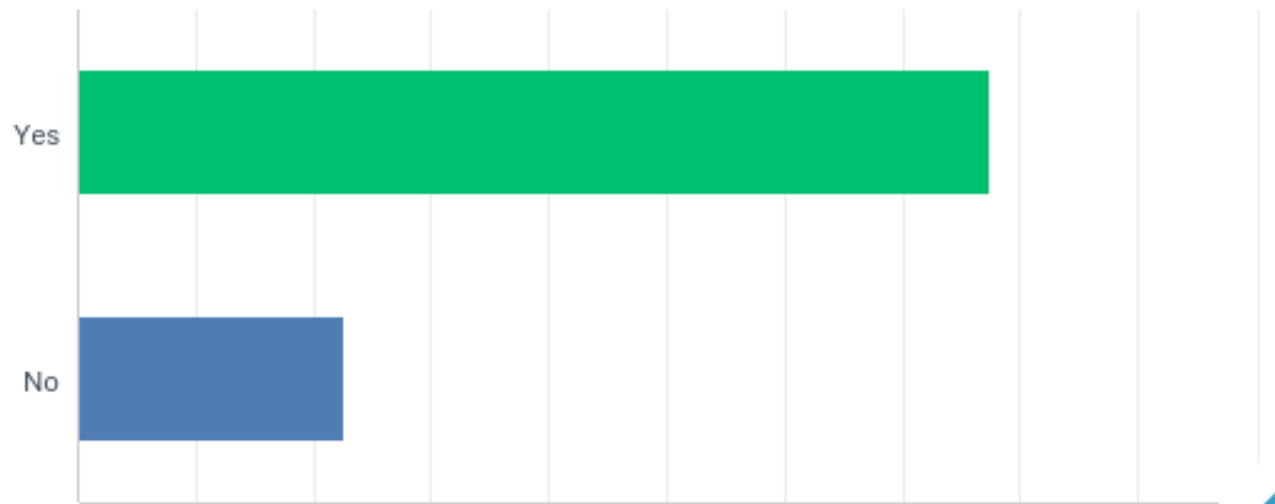
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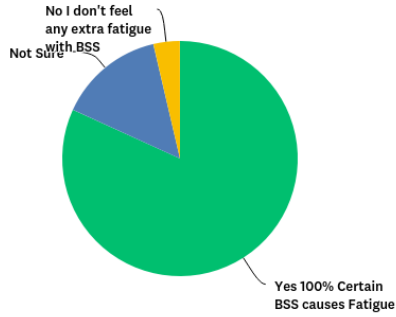
Q39: DO YOU
FIND YOUR
SPASMS ARE
WORSE DURING
A PARTICULAR
TIME OF DAY?

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Skipped: 1



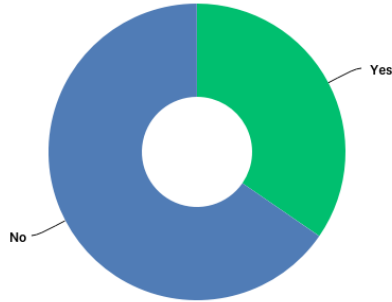
Q41: DO YOU ARM AND LEG MUSCLES CONTRACT, WHEN YOU TRY TO STAND, AFTER BEING IN THE SAME POSITION FOR A WHILE?

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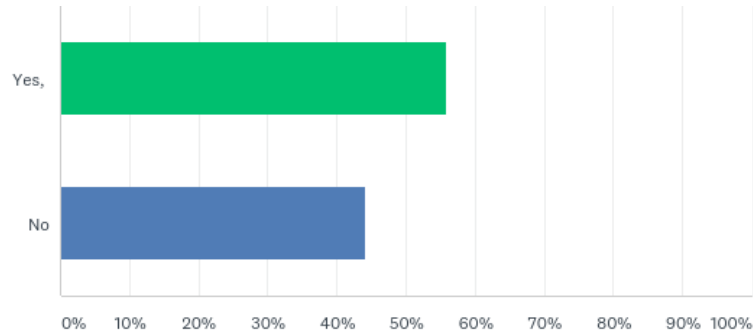
Q42: DO YOU BELIEVE
THERE IS A DIRECT
CORRELATION BETWEEN
BSS AND FATIGUE?

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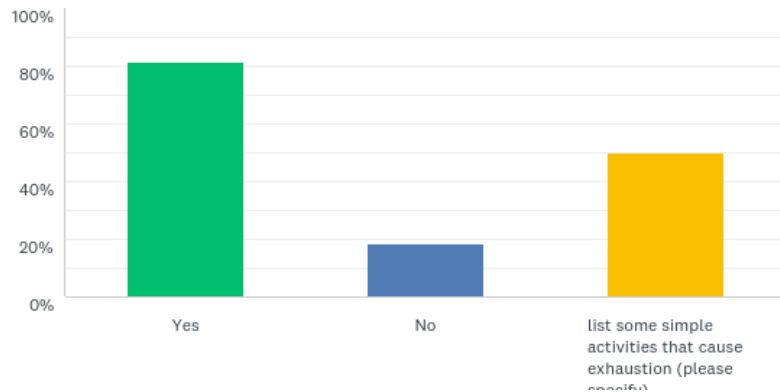
Q43: DO YOU HAVE
AUTONOMIC
DYSREFLEXIA? IF SO
PLEASE EXPLAIN WHAT
BRINGS THIS ON FOR
YOU.

Answered: 53
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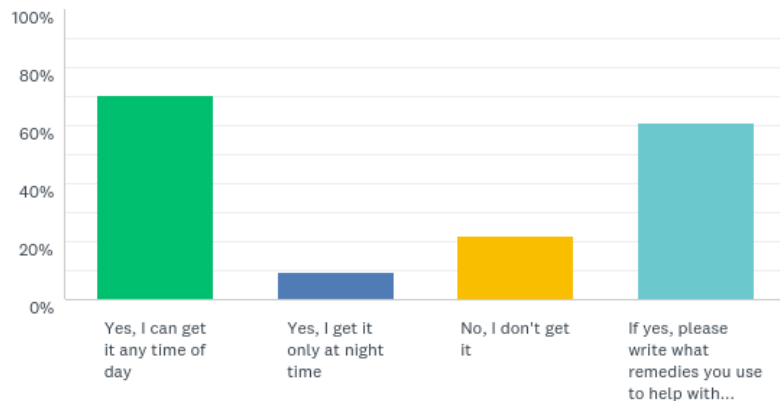
Q44: IF YOU AND YOUR FAMILY MEMBERS GET THE SAME ILLNESS (VIRUS, COLD, FLU).. DO YOU TAKE LONGER TO RECOVER AND GET WELL?

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Q45: DO YOU
SUFFER FROM
EXHAUSTION,
AFTER SIMPLE
ACTIVITIES?

Answered: 54
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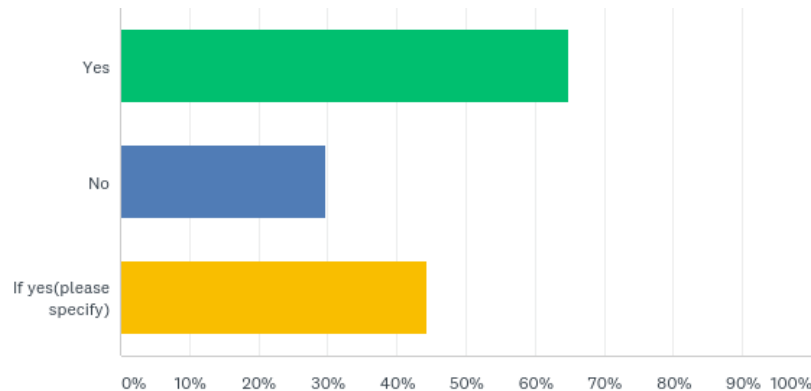


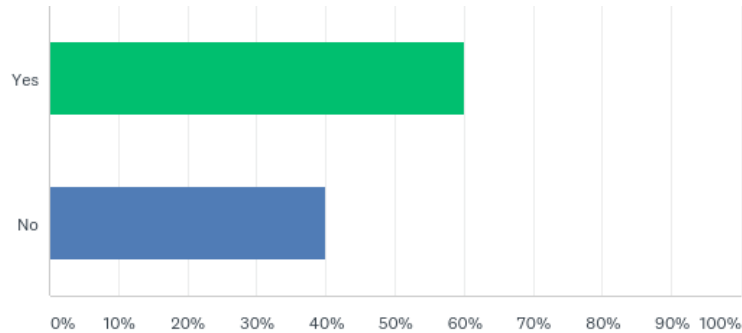
Q47: DO YOUR HANDS OR FEET FEEL ICY COLD SOMETIMES? IF YES, PLEASE WRITE IN THE COMMENTS WHAT PRODUCTS OR WHAT YOU DO TO TAKE THE CHILL AWAY?

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Q48: DO YOU
HAVE TROUBLE
WITH YOUR
SHORT TERM
MEMORY SINCE
BSS?

Answered: 54
Skipped: 1



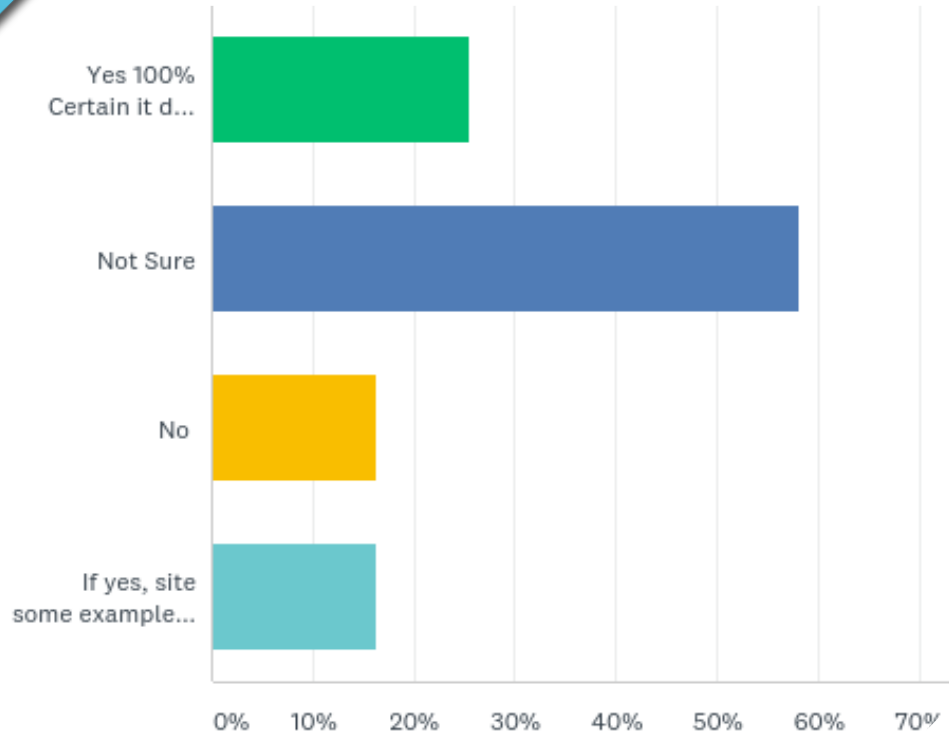


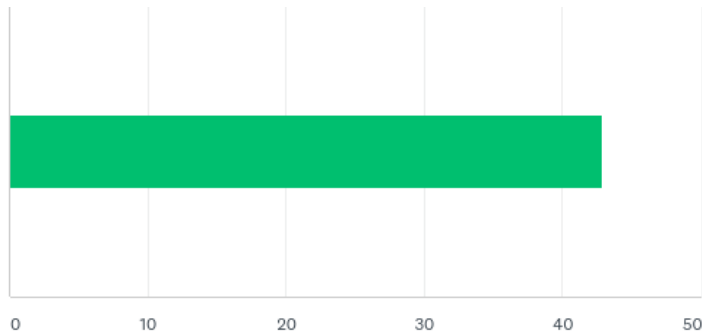
Q49: SINCE BSS, DO YOU HAVE TROUBLE FINDING THE CORRECT WORDS? EXAMPLE; YOU MEAN TO SAY "CAR" AND YOU SAY TRUCK" OR YOU MEAN TO SAY "RIGHT" AND YOU SAY "LEFT". PLEASE ONLY REPLY YES IF THERE HAS BEEN A SIGNIFICANT CHANGE SINCE BSS.

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Q50: DO YOU BELIEVE BSS EFFECTS YOUR BODY'S IMMUNE SYSTEM TO FIGHT OFF ILLNESS?

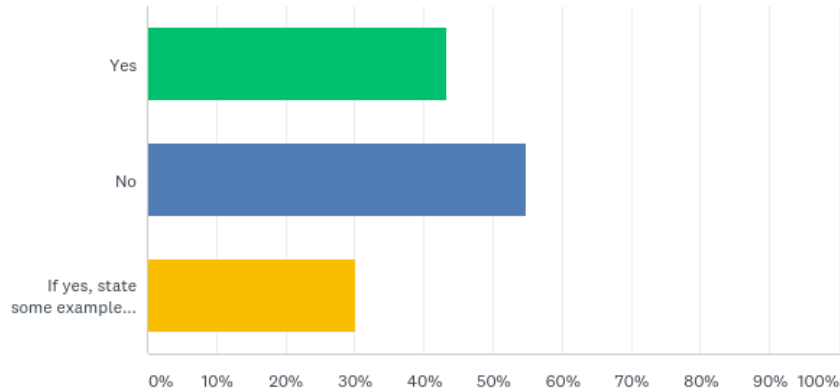
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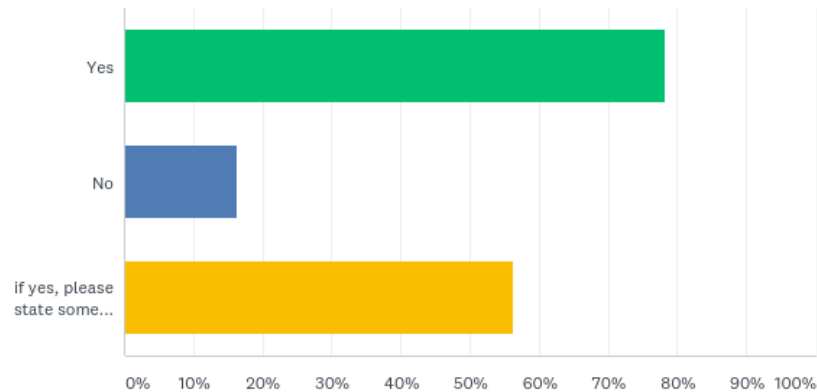
Q51: IF YOU HAVE
TROUBLE WITH
USING CERTAIN
WORDS, HOW
OFTEN DOES THIS
HAPPEN?

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Skipped: 1



Q52: DO YOU FIND
YOUR LACK OF
SENSATION SIDE HEALS
SLOWER THAN THE
OTHER SIDE?..EXAMPLE
CUTS, BRUISES OR BUG
BITES?

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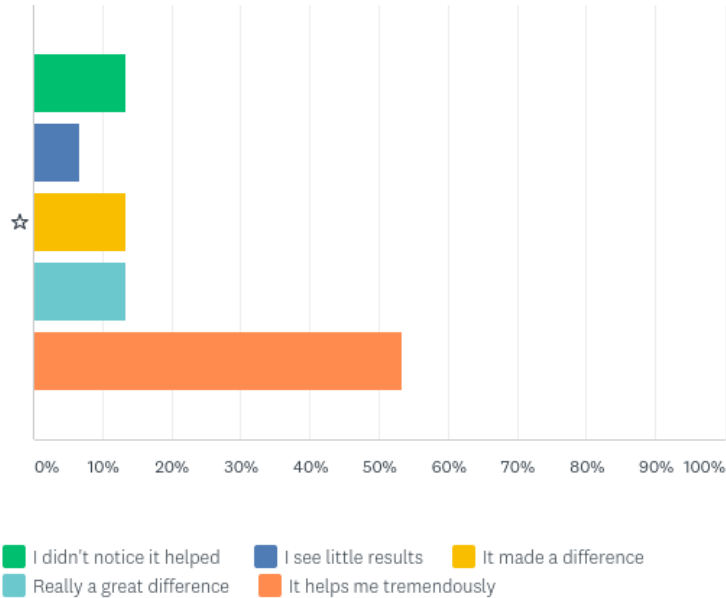


Q53: DO YOU OFTEN
FIND INJURIES ON YOUR
LACK OF SENSATION
SIDE AND DON'T KNOW
HOW THEY HAPPENED
BECAUSE YOU DIDN'T
FEEL IT?

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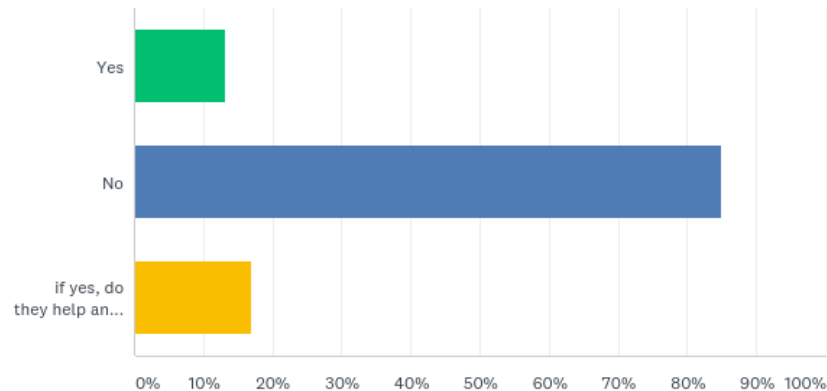
Q57: IF YOU TRIED
CANNIBIS HELPS
WITH YOUR BSS
SYMPTOMS? SKIP
QUESTION IF NOT
APPLICABLE

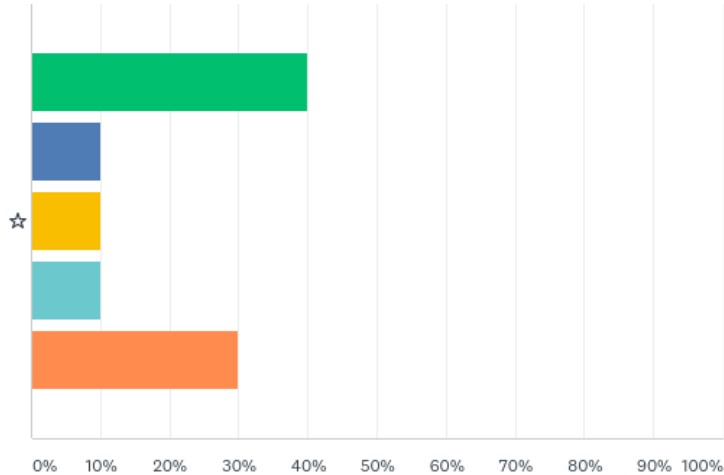
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Q59: DO YOU GET BOTOX INJECTIONS TO HELP WITH MUSCLE SPASTICITY?

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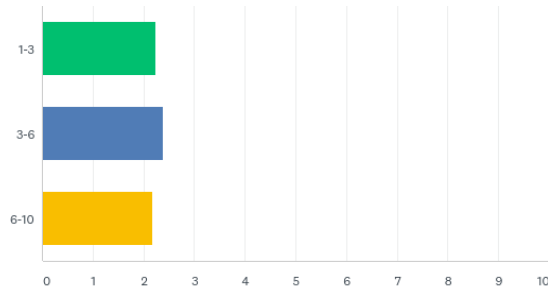




■ I haven't noticed a difference ■ I can tell a slight difference
■ It helps, but not tremendously ■ I can really feel a noticeable difference!
■ It's better than any medicine I've ever tried for nerve pain! Don't want to...

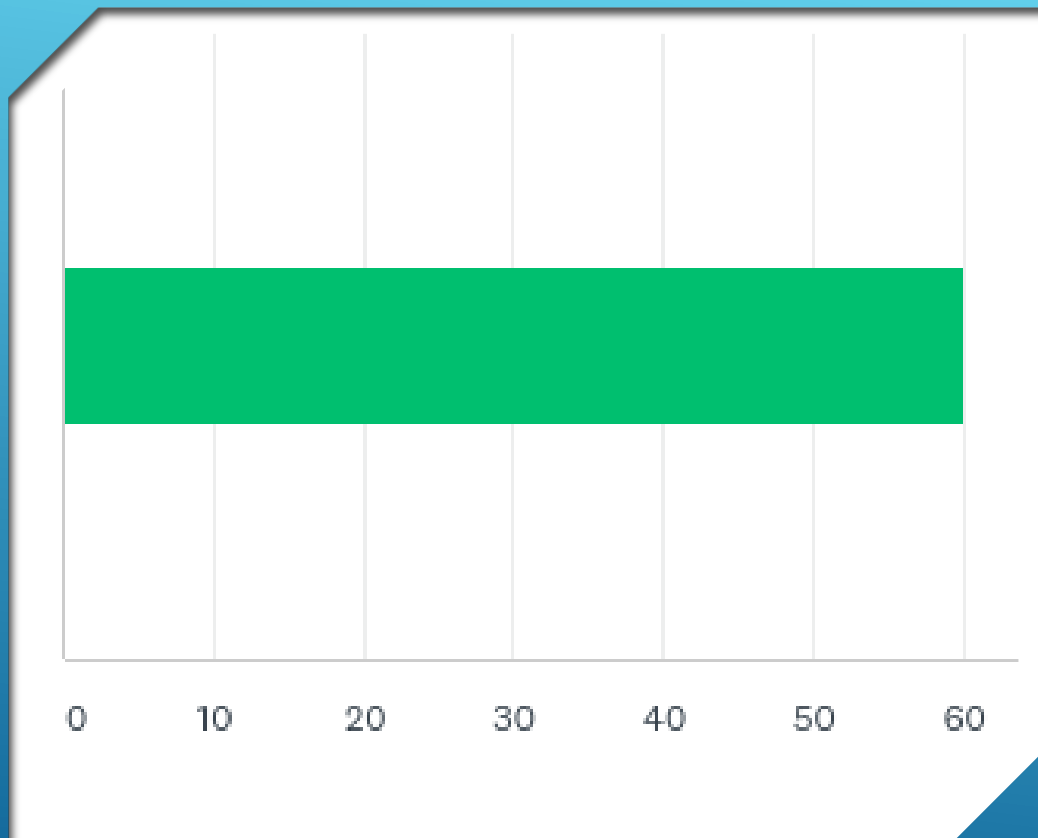
Q61: IF YOU TAKE ALPHA LIPOIC ACID, RATE HOW EFFECTIVE IT'S BEEN FOR YOUR NEUROPATHY PAIN. IF YOU HAVEN'T TAKEN IT, SKIP THE QUESTION.

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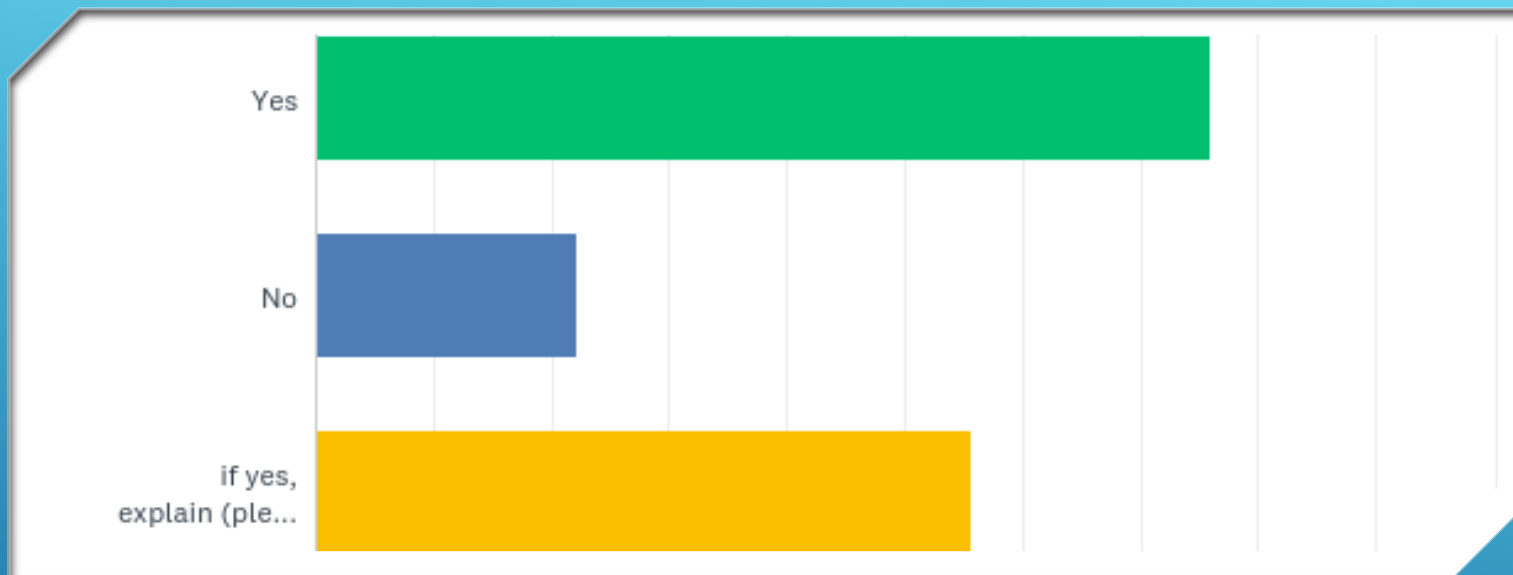
Q62: ON A PAIN SCALE OF 1 THROUGH 10, WHAT IS THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF PAIN YOU CAN FEEL MOST DAYS? PICK ONE AND CHOOSE N/A FOR THE OTHERS

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Skipped: 1



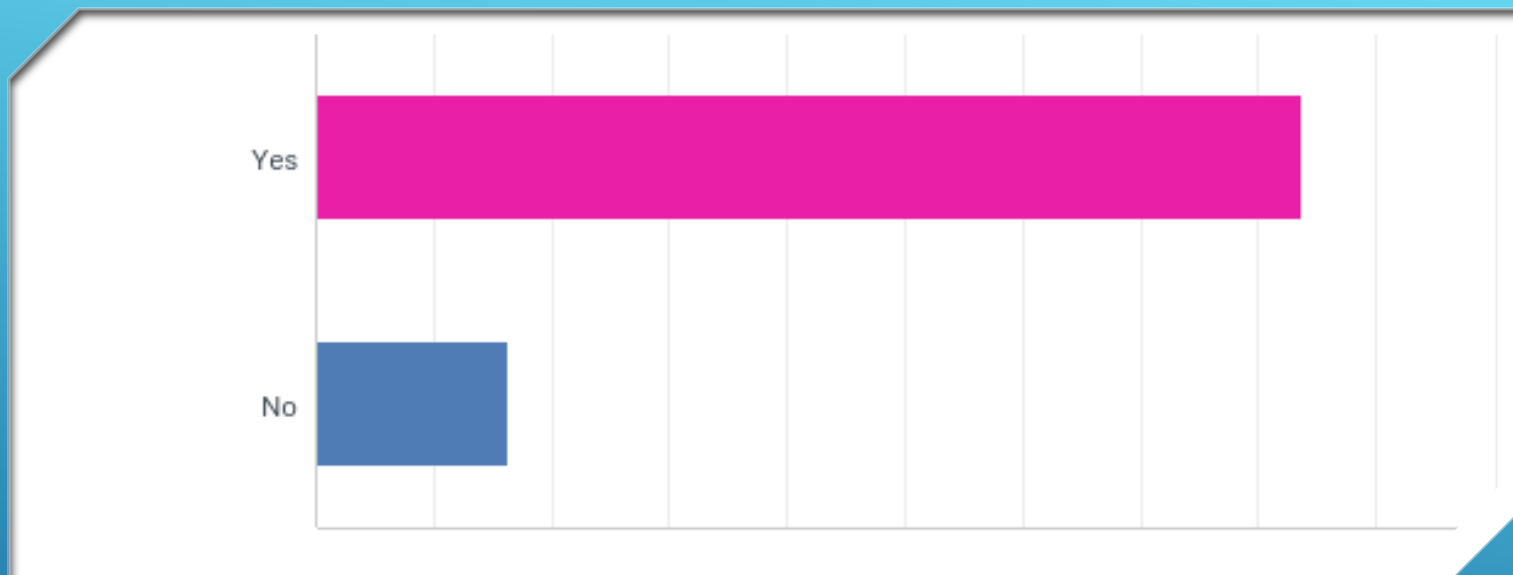
Q63: BASED ON THE SCALE BELOW, DO YOU FEEL YOU ARE MORE APT TO BE DEPRESSED THAN YOU WERE BEFORE YOUR INJURY?

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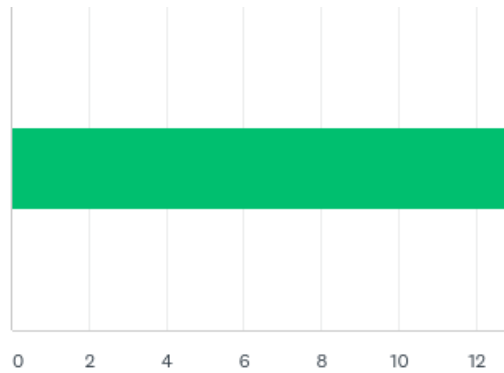
Q64: DO YOU FEEL YOU SOCIALLY
ISOLATE YOURSELF DUE TO BSS?

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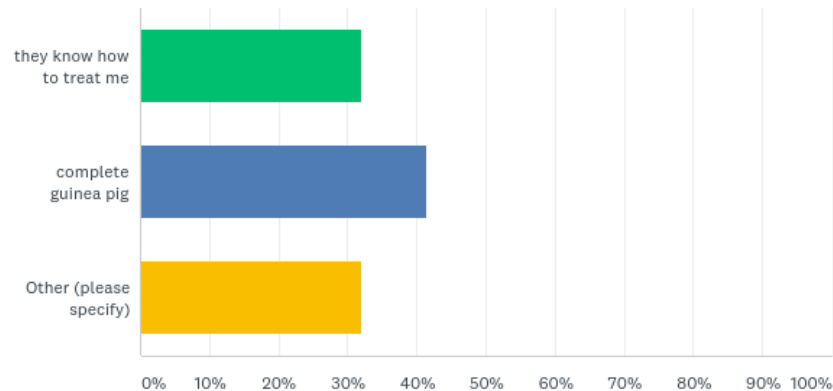
Q66: BECAUSE BSS CAN BE AN INVISIBLE DISABILITY, DO YOU FEEL PEOPLE DON'T UNDERSTAND YOU ARE REALLY DISABLED?

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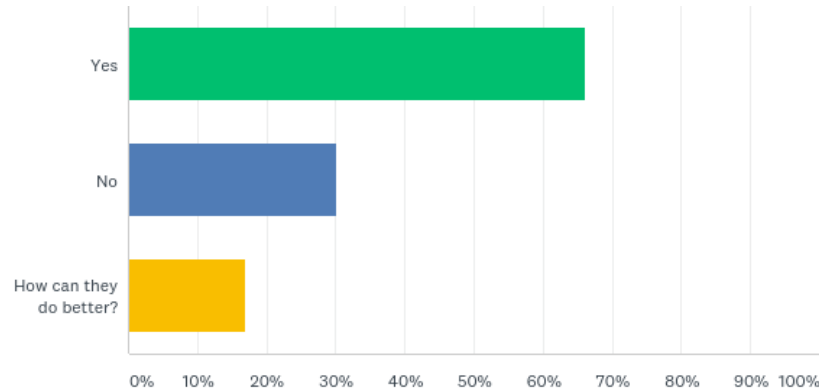
Q68: ON THE FOLLOWING SCALE, HOW MANY CASES OF BSS HAS THE MAIN DOCTOR YOU SEE PRIMARILY FOR BSS SEEN? IF YOU'VE SEEN MORE THAN ONE DOCTOR FOR BSS, THEN CHOOSE THE ONE WHO'S SEEN THE MOST CASES.

Answered: 50 Skipped: 5



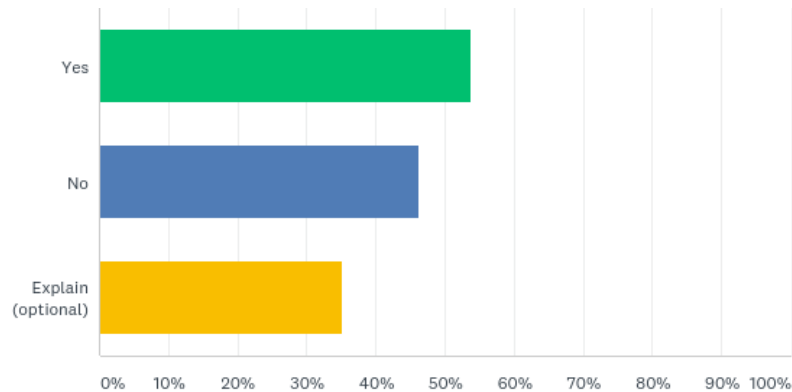
Q71: DO YOU THINK
YOUR DOCTOR
KNOWS HOW TO
TREAT YOU OR DO
YOU FEEL IT'S A
GUESSING GAME?

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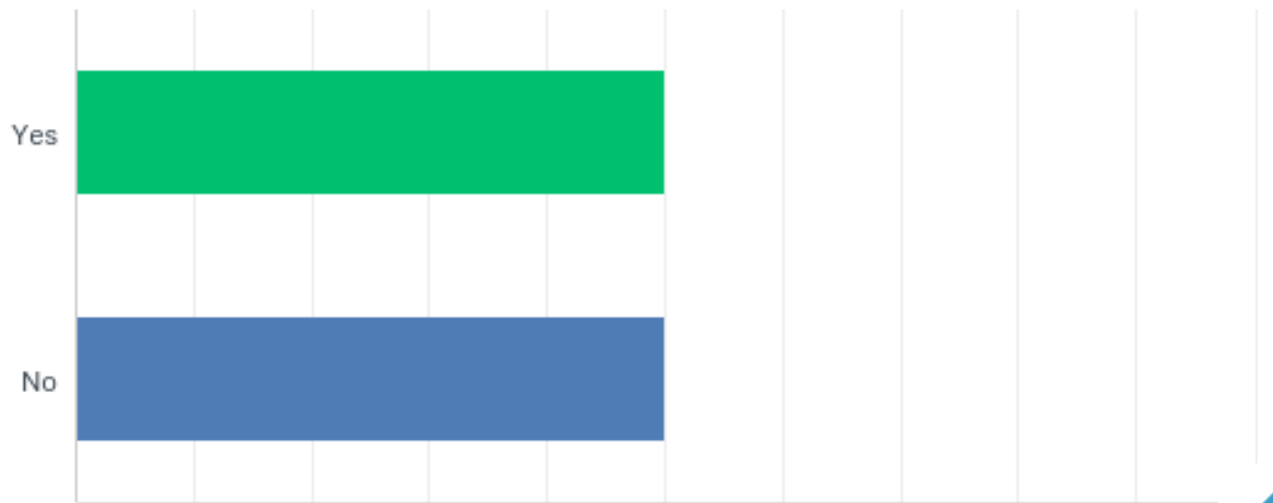
Q72: DO YOU FIND
YOUR DOCTORS ARE
COMPASSIONATE
WHEN TRYING TO
UNDERSTAND THE
COMPLEXITY OF BSS?

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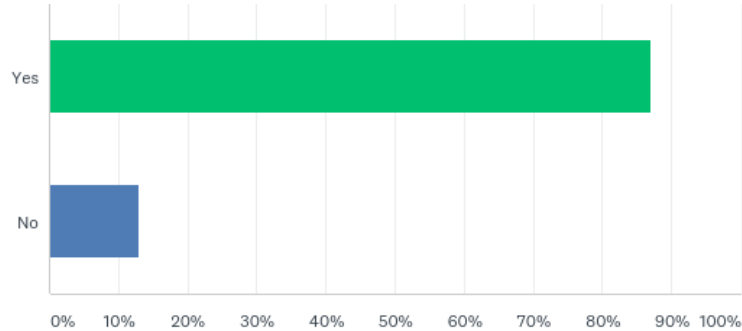
Q74: HAS BSS
CAUSED THE LOSS
OF RELATIONSHIPS,
INCLUDING
FRIENDS, FAMILY
OR SPOUSES?

Answered: 54
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Q77: DUE TO BSS, DID YOU HAVE TO
CHANGE PROFESSIONS?

Answered: 48 Skipped: 7

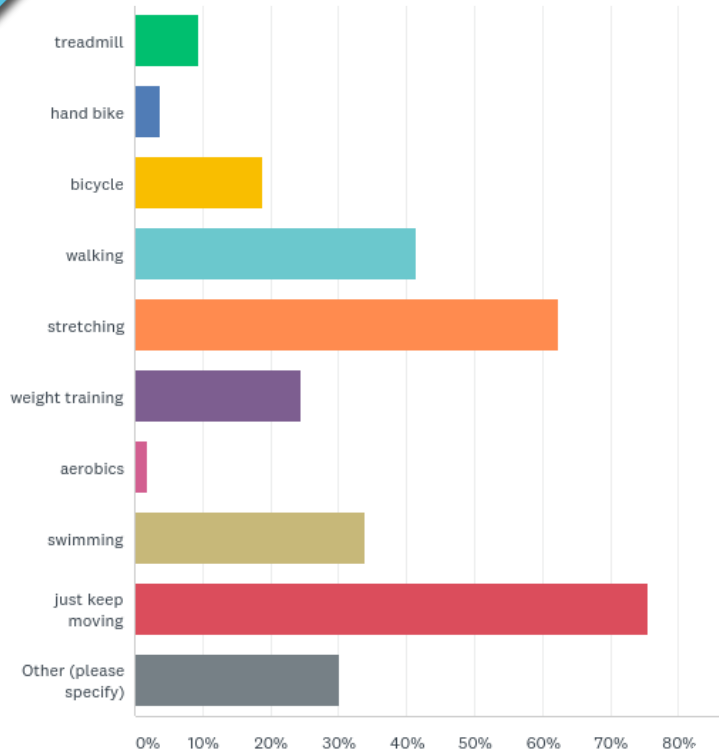


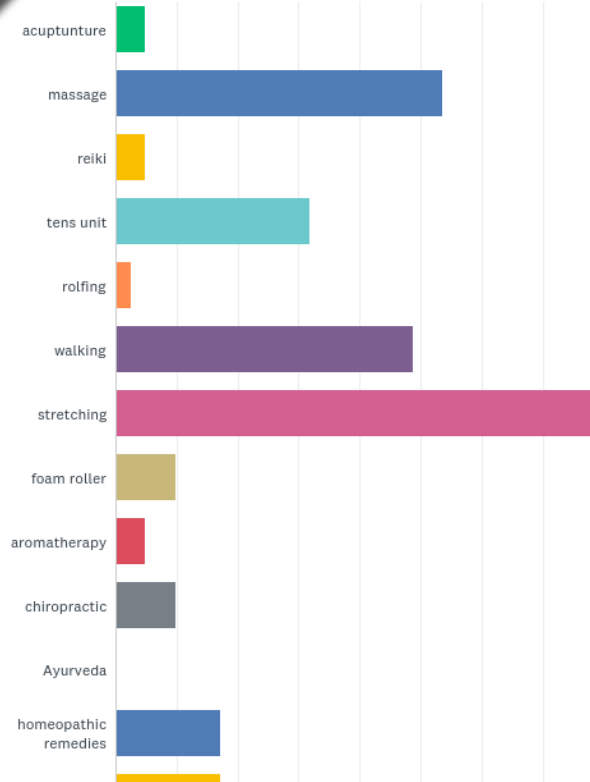
Q78: DUE TO BSS,
HAS YOUR ABILITY
TO WORK EITHER
PART TIME OR
FULL TIME
CHANGED?

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Q79: WHAT TYPES OF EXERCISES HELP YOU THE MOST?

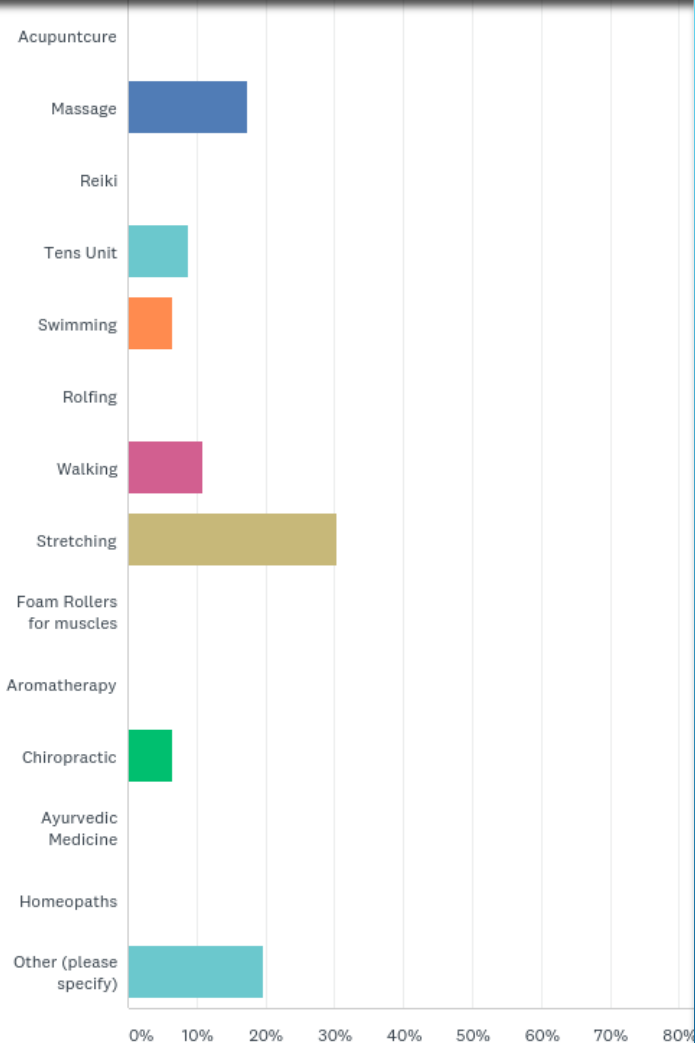
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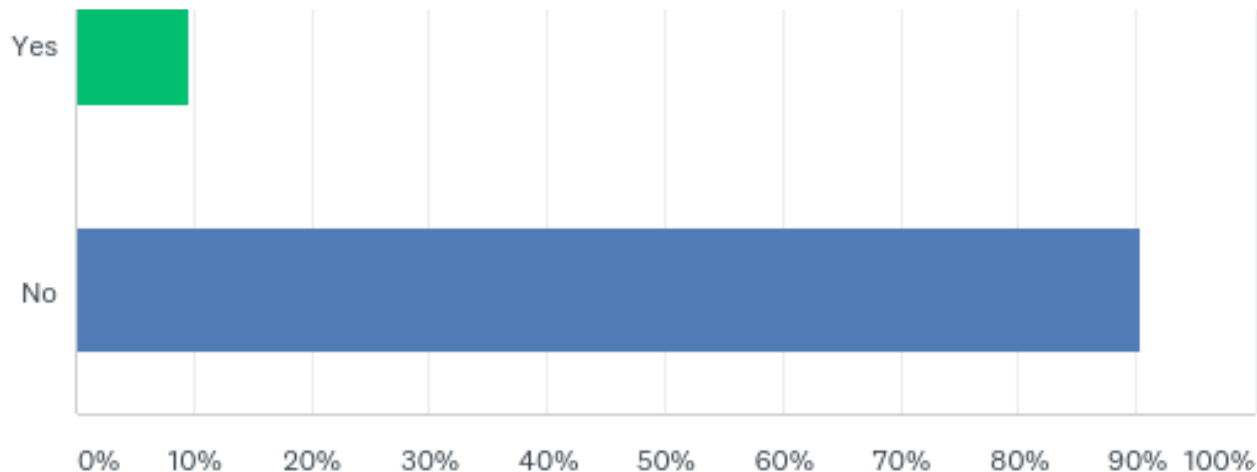
Q80: HAVE ANY OF THESE HELPED WITH YOUR BSS SYMPTOMS? CHECK ALL THAT APPLY AND COMMENT BELOW ON HOW THEY'VE HELPED.

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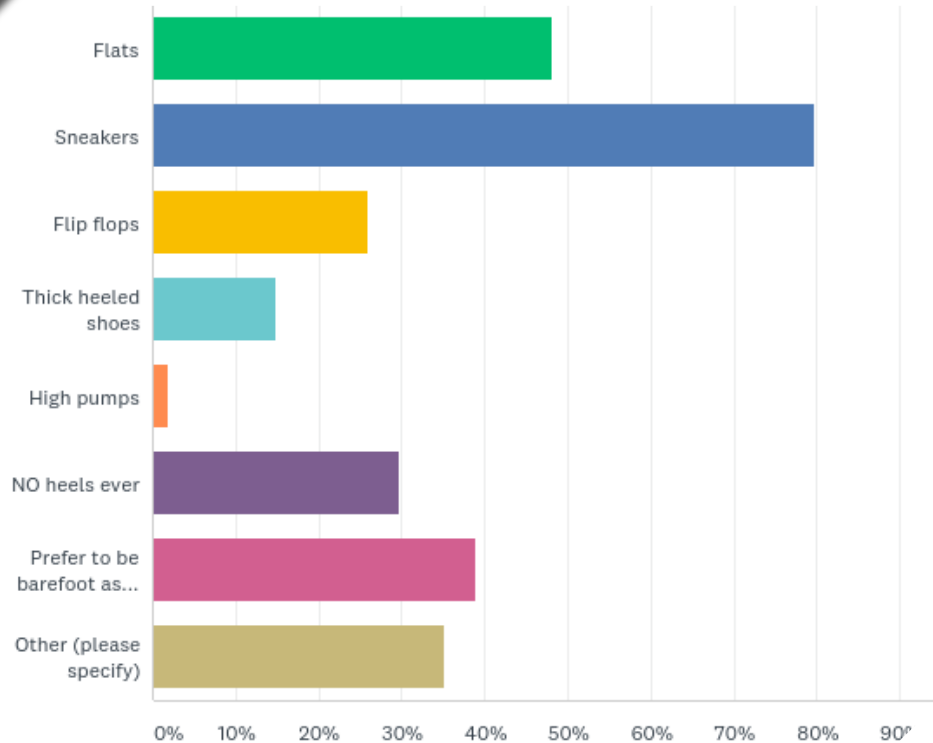
Q81: WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING HAVE YOU TRIED AND FOUND HELPED WITH YOUR BSS THE MOST.

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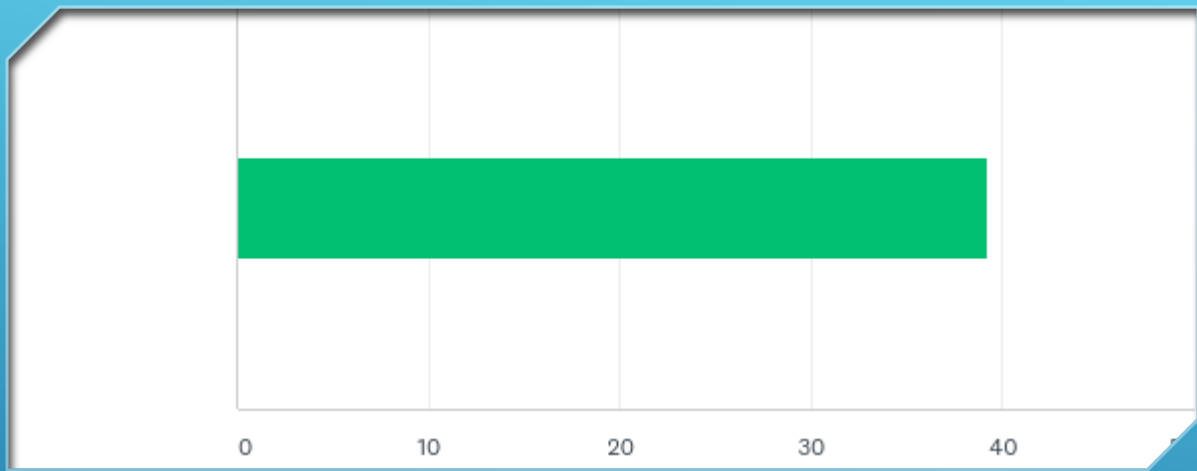
Q82: HAVE YOU BEEN DIAGNOSED WITH SECONDARY COMPLEX REGIONAL PAIN SYNDROME, CRPS, FORMERLY KNOWN AS RSD REFLEX SYMPATHETIC DYSTROPHY?

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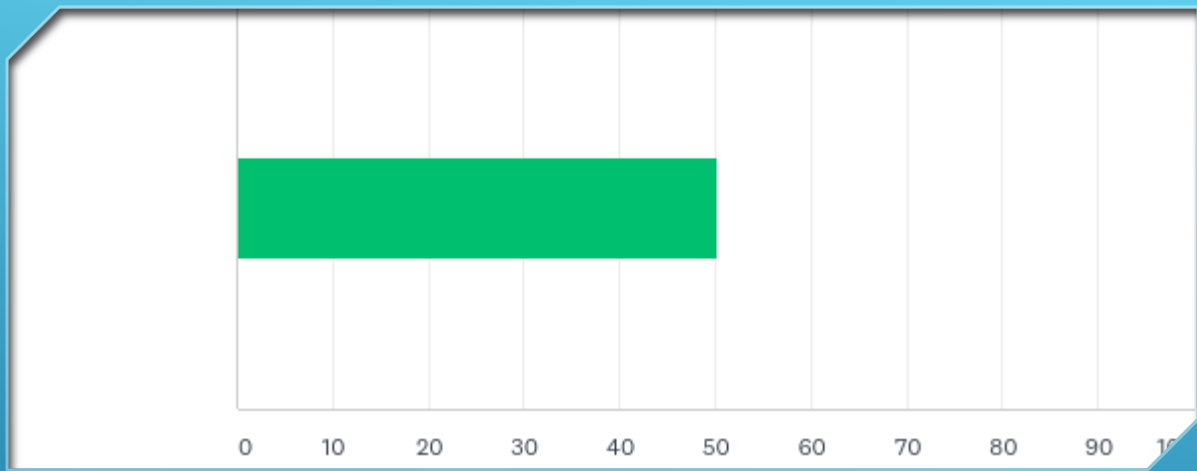
Q84: WHAT TYPE
OF SHOES CAN
YOU WEAR?
ANSWER AS
MANY AS APPLY.

Answered: 54
Skipped: 1



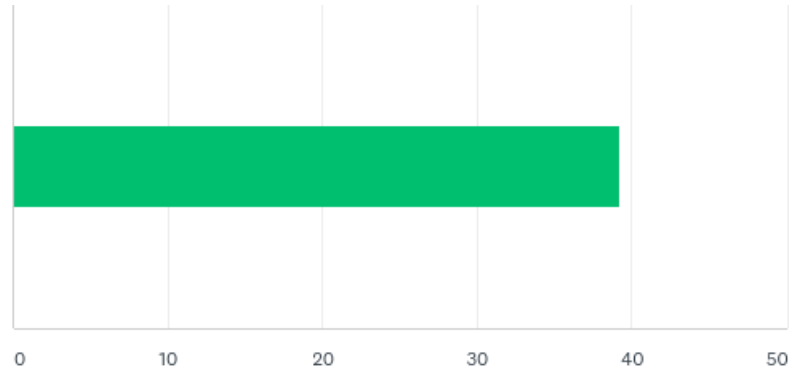
Q85: DO YOU HAVE INCONTINENCE?

Answered: 46 Skipped: 9



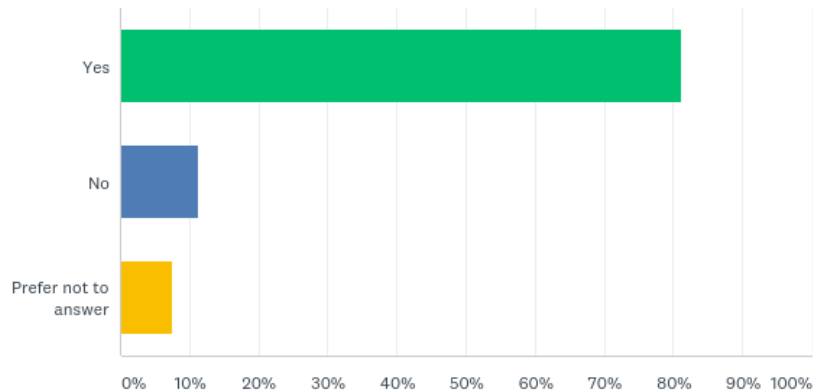
Q86: DO YOU HAVE BOWEL ISSUES?

Answered: 50 Skipped: 5



Q87: IS THE SEXUAL EXPERIENCE
UNCOMFORTABLE OR PAINFUL WITH BSS?

Answered: 47 Skipped: 8

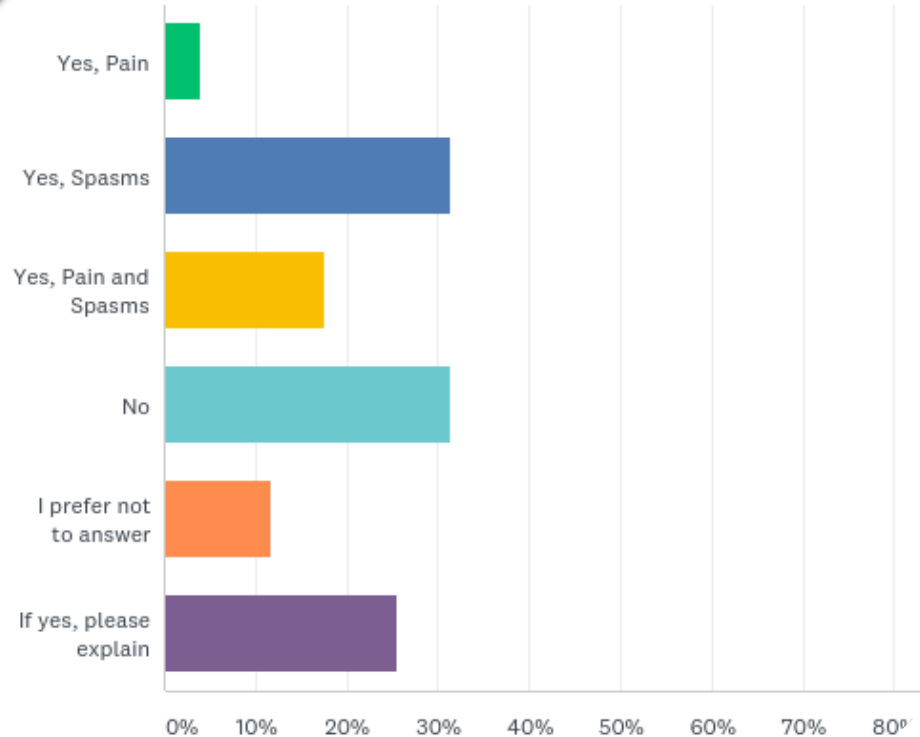


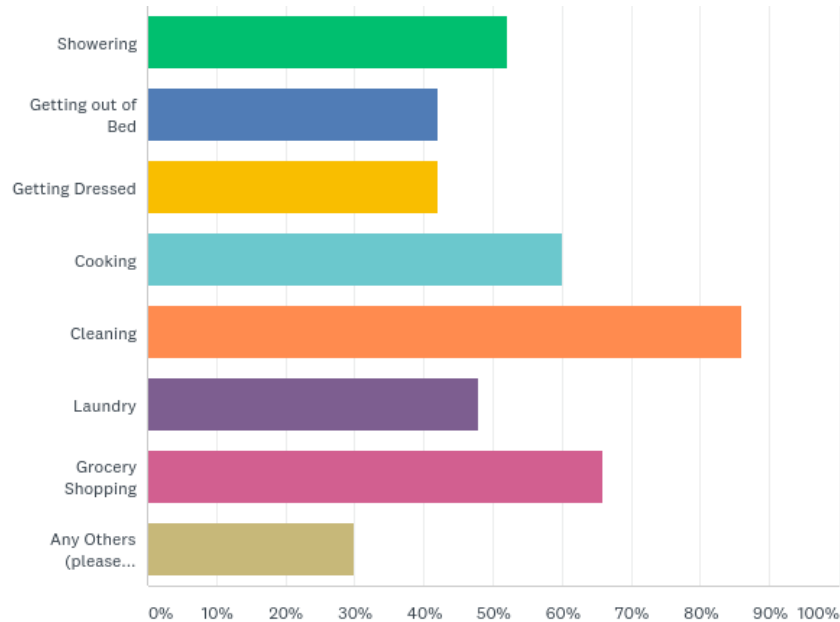
Q88: CAN YOU REACH ORGASM?

Answered: 53
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Q89: DOES ORGASM PRODUCE PAIN OR SPASMS?

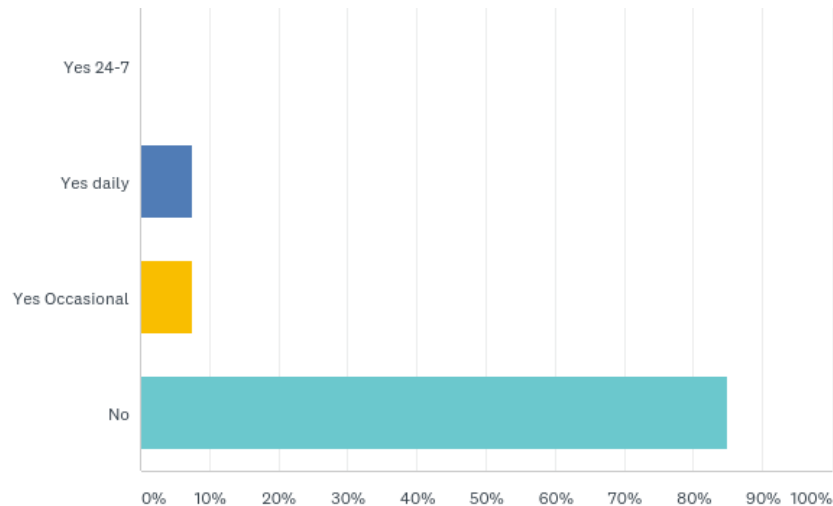
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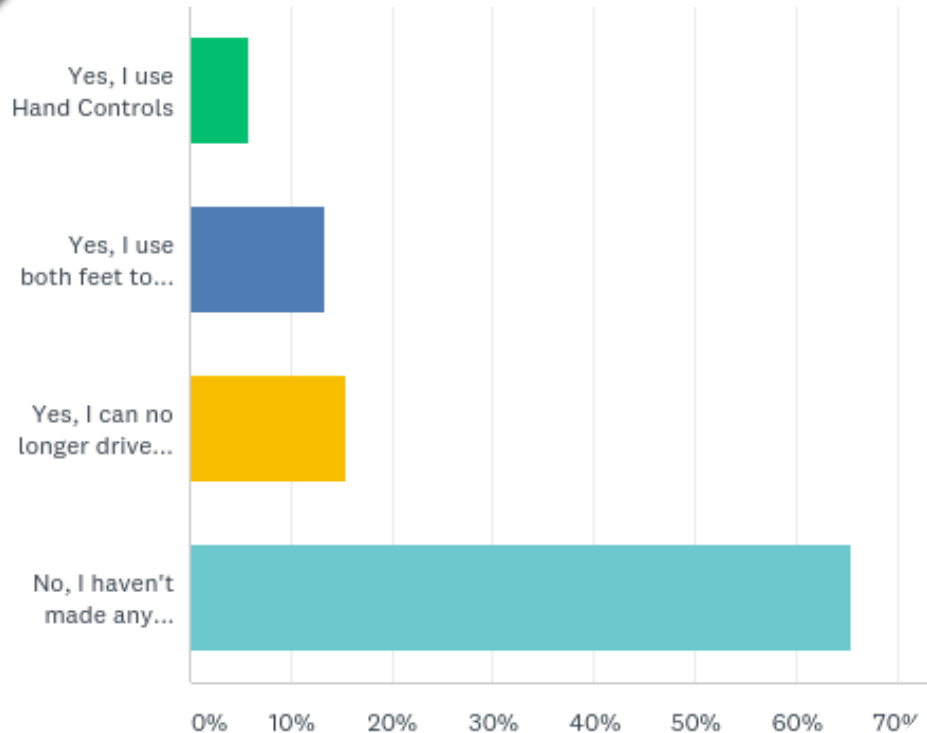
Q92: WHICH DAILY ACTIVITIES DO YOU HAVE DIFFICULTY DOING? ADD ANY MISSING IN THE COMMENT BOX. CHOOSE AS MANY ANSWERS AS APPLICABLE.

Answered: 50
Skipped: 5



Q94: DO YOU HAVE A HOME HEALTH AIDE?

Answered: 53
Skipped: 2



Q95: HAVE
YOU MADE
ADJUSTMENTS
IN ORDER TO
DRIVE?

Answered: 52
Skipped: 3