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Swan Hill District Health 2024 people matter survey results report



Public Sector Commission



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About your report

The results in this report help your organisation build a positive workplace culture with integrity that live the public sector values.

Report contents

The visual on the right shows you what sections we've included in this report for your organisation's survey results.

Comparing data in this report

Your organisation took part in the survey in 2023 and 2022.

This means you'll be able to compare about 98% of this year's survey with your previous results.

Rounding of percentages

In this report, we round numbers up or down to their nearest whole percentage. This means some percentages may not add up to 100%.

Survey questions and definitions

Download Survey questions: Survey questions: People matter survey 2024 (DOCX, 83 pages) to see how we asked questions and defined concepts in the 2024 survey.

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Privacy and anonymity

To protect you, we:

- use an anonymous survey link and everyone in your organisation receives the same survey link
- de-identify all survey response data provided to your organisation
- don't collect your name, date of birth or employee ID
- don't release employee experience results when fewer than 10 people in a work group have responded to the survey
- don't release employee experience results for demographic groups where organisations have fewer than 30 responses in total
- don't link the free-text comment reporting to any other survey information

Read more in our privacy policy.



Survey's theoretical framework

What this is

The framework provides an overview of the workplace factors and outcomes that the survey measures.

Why this is important

Based on theory and research, the framework focuses on core themes that help guide organisations in creating better workplaces.

We developed the framework in consultation with stakeholders from the public sector and Deakin University.

Our public sector values

The public sector values inform the professional and ethical conduct of everyone who works in the public sector.

As such, these values underpin the theoretical framework of the survey.

There's a strong link between workplace culture and how staff perceive their organisation lives the public sector values.

Senior	Organisation	Workgroup	Job and	Outcomes
leadership	climate	climate	manager	
 Lead the organisation Set the culture Lead by example Actions influence outcomes 	 Organisational	 Quality service	 Manager	 Engagement Satisfaction Wellbeing -
	integrity Collaboration Safety climate Patient safety	delivery Innovation Workgroup	leadership Manager support Workload Learning and	work-related stress Wellbeing -
	climate	support Safe to speak up	development Job enrichment Meaningful work	job related affect Intention to stay Acting on negative

Flexible working

- behaviours
- Inclusion

The public sector values that underpin the framework and all public sector organisations



Responsiveness







Integrity













Respect

Leadership

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Human Rights





Your comparator group

What this is

This is a list of similar organisations to yours.

We try to make sure they're in the same industry your organisation is in. Some organisations may not have taken part in the survey previously. This means your comparator group may be different to previous years.

How we use this in your report

In this report, we compare your organisation's survey results to your comparator group's results.

This is so you can compare how your organisation is doing in your industry or to similar organisations.

We refer to your comparator group in this report as 'comparator'.

Albury Wodonga Health	We
Bairnsdale Regional Health Service	We
Barwon Health	
Bendigo Health Care Group	
Central Gippsland Health Service	
Echuca Regional Health	
Goulburn Valley Health Services	
Grampians Health	
Latrobe Regional Hospital	
Mildura Base Public Hospital	
Northeast Health Wangaratta	
South West Healthcare	

West Gippsland Healthcare Group

Western District Health Service

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Your response rate

What this is

This is how many staff in your organisation did the survey in 2024.

Why this is important

The higher the response rate, the more your results will reflect how staff feel. If less than 100 completed the survey, consider how much one person could change your results.

For example, if only 25 people did the survey, 1 person would account for 4% of any result.

In this example, if your survey result and comparator group result or previous survey result are within 4% of each other, there is very little difference in the results.

How to read this

The number in the brackets () shows how many staff completed the survey this year.

²⁰²³ 44% (290)		2024	
		31% (227)	
Comparator	30%	Comparator	33%
Public Sector	42%	Public Sector	44%



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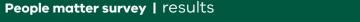
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Your employee engagement index

What is this

Engaged employees are committed to their organisation's goals and values, and motivated to contribute to organisational success.

The employee engagement index is a score out of 100. It is a weighting of all engagement question responses.

The weightings for each engagement response are:

- strongly agree is 100 points
- agree is 75 points
- neither agree nor disagree is 50 points
- disagree is 25 points
- strongly disagree is 0 points

Why this is important

High engagement may lead to greater satisfaction and lower absences, turnover and workplace stress.

2023		2024
65		66
Comparator Public Sector	66 68	Com Publ

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66		

Comparator	65
Public Sector	69





Engagement question results 1 of 2

What is this

This is the overall sense of pride, attachment, inspiration, motivation and advocacy your employees have for your organisation.

Your group's engagement index

Your 2024 index is 66.

Why this is important

High engagement drives greater productivity, employee wellbeing and lower absences, turnover and workplace stress.

How to read this

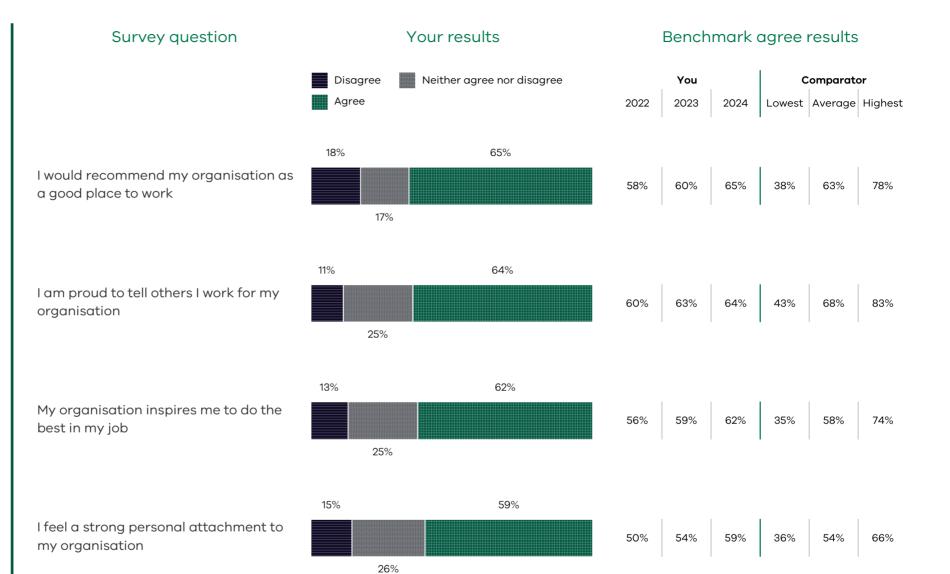
Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

65% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I would recommend my organisation as a good place to work'.







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Engagement question results 2 of 2

What is this

This is the overall sense of pride, attachment, inspiration, motivation and advocacy your employees have for your organisation.

Your group's engagement index

Your 2024 index is 66.

Why this is important

High engagement drives greater productivity, employee wellbeing and lower absences, turnover and workplace stress.

How to read this

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Example

59% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation motivates me to help achieve its objectives'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disagree You Comparator Agree 2022 2023 2024 Lowest Average Highest 13% 59% My organisation motivates me to help 55% 59% 59% 35% 74% 58% achieve its objectives

28%





Scorecard: satisfaction, stress, intention to stay, inclusion

What is this

This scorecard provides overall results for satisfaction, high to severe work-related stress, intention to stay and inclusion. There are more people outcomes scorecards throughout this report.

Why this is important

This page shows which outcomes are performing well and which outcomes you can look to improve.

How to read this

Each label represents a group of questions in the survey about people outcomes. Each result is the overall percentage of positive responses for your organisation,

comparator and public sector.

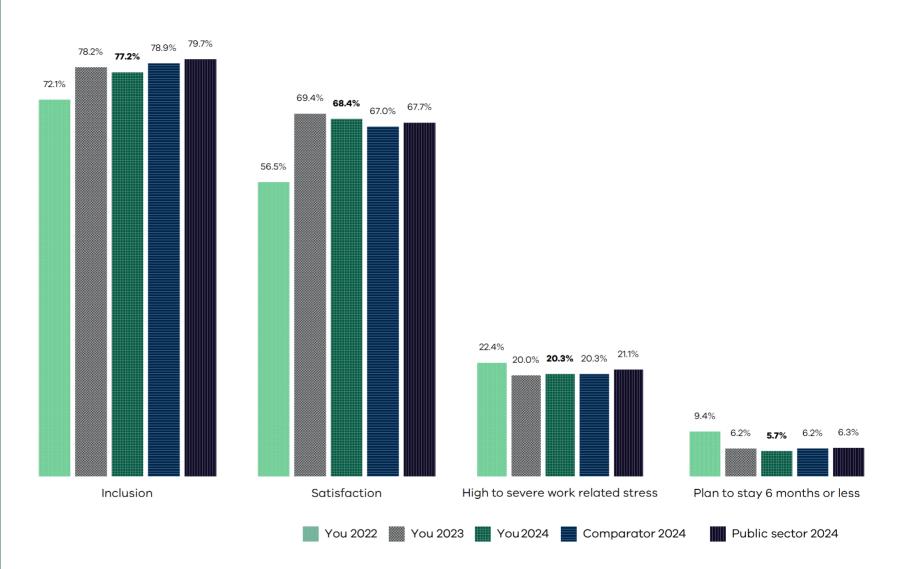
Example

In 2024:

• 77.2% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Inclusion.

Compared to:

 78.9% of staff in your comparator group and 79.7% of staff across the public sector.





Satisfaction question results

What is this

This is how satisfied staff are with their iobs, work-life balance and career development.

Why this is important

High satisfaction may lead to improved engagement, performance and lower absences and turnover.

How to read this

Under 'Your results' see results for each question in descending order by most satisfied.

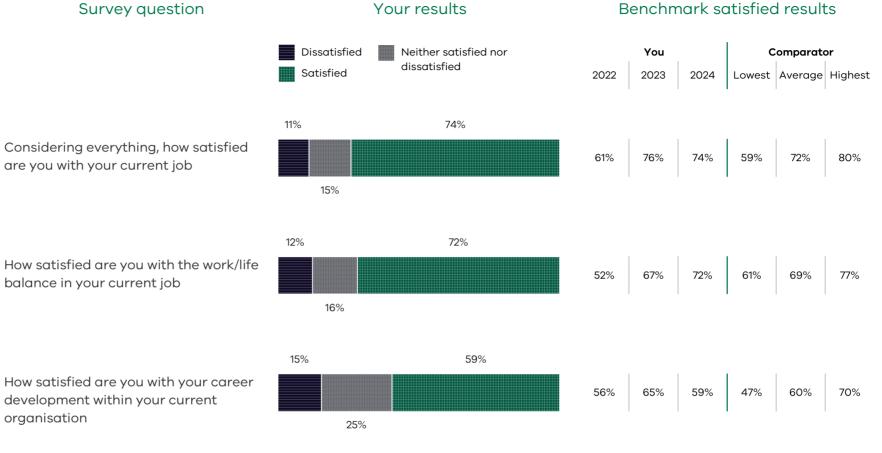
'Satisfied' combines responses for satisfied and very satisfied and 'Dissatisfied' combines responses for dissatisfied and very dissatisfied.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

organisation

Example

74% of your staff who did the survey were satisfied or very satisfied with 'Considering everything, how satisfied are you with your current job'.



Your results





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Benchmark satisfied results

Work-related stress levels

What is this

This is the level of stress experienced by employees in response to work-related factors.

Why this is important

Stress can negatively affect peoples health and wellbeing as well as their performance and behaviour.

How to read this

In this survey we asked staff to tell us their stress level.

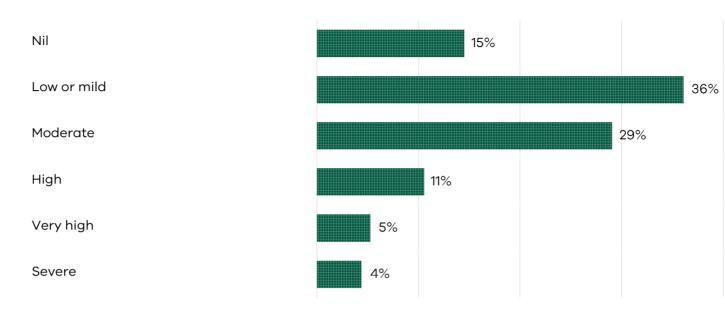
The graph at the top shows how staff in your group rated their current levels of work-related stress.

The numbers below show the percentage of staff in your group who said they experienced high to severe stress in 2024 compared to 2023, your comparator and the public sector.

Example

20% of your staff who did the survey said they had high to severe stress in 2024. This is compared to 20% of staff in your comparator group and 21% of staff across the public sector.

How would you rate your current level of work-related stress? (You 2024)



Reported levels of high to severe stress

2023		2024	
20%		20%	
Comparator Public Sector	23% 24%	Comparator Public Sector	20% 21%





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Work-related stress causes

What is this

This is the main work-related causes of stress reported by staff.

Why this is important

Stress can negatively affect peoples health and wellbeing as well as their performance and behaviour.

How to read this

In the survey, we ask staff to tell us if they have experienced mild to severe stress at work, as shown in the visual above the table.

If they answer yes, we ask them to tell us what caused the stress. They can select more than one cause.

In descending order, the table shows the top 10 causes.

Example

85% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced mild to severe stress. Of that 85%, 49% said the top reason was 'Workload' .

Experienced some work-related s	stress	Did not	experience some	work-related stress
Of those that experienced work related stress it was from	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Workload	42%	49%	52%	48%
Time pressure	37%	36%	40%	41%
Dealing with clients, patients or stakeholders	17%	21%	18%	18%
Social environment (e.g. relationships with colleagues, manager or senior leaders)	18%	18%	15%	13%
Management of work (e.g. supervision, training, information, support)	12%	15%	13%	12%
Competing home and work responsibilities	14%	13%	13%	13%
Other	18%	11%	15%	13%
Organisation or workplace change	9%	10%	10%	12%
Unclear job expectations	7%	8%	9%	12%
Job security	4%	8%	6%	9%





85% Experienced some work-related stress

194

Did not experience some work-related stress

33

15%

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Work-related stress

What is this

This is how manageable your staff feels their stress at your organisation.

Why this is important

Stress can negatively affect peoples health and wellbeing as well as their performance and behaviour.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

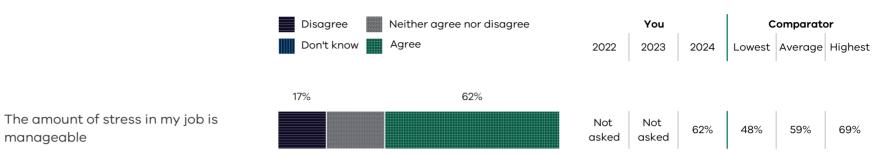
62% of your staff who did the survey said the amount of stress in their job was manageable.

Survey question

manageable

Your results

Benchmark agree results



21%





Burnout levels

What is this

This is the level of burnout experienced by employees in response to work-related factors.

Why this is important

Burnout can affect negatively affect peoples health and wellbeing as well as their performance and behaviour.

How to read this

In the survey, we ask staff to tell us if they have experienced being burned out at work, as shown in the visual above the table.

Example

30% of your staff who did the survey said they felt burnout at work. Of that 30%, 52% rated their level as 'Occasionally I am under stress, and I don't always have as much energy as I once did, but I don't feel burned out'.

68			158	
30%			70%	
Experienced some burnout		Did not experience any burnout		
Overall, based on your definition of burnout, how would you rate your	You	You	Comparator	Public sector

level of burnout?	2023	2024	2024	2024
Occasionally I am under stress, and I don't always have as much energy as I once did, but I don't feel burned out	51%	52%	47%	49%
I am definitely burning out and have one or more symptoms of burnout, such as physical and emotional exhaustion	22%	19%	23%	21%
I enjoy my work. I have no symptoms of burnout	18%	18%	19%	20%
The symptoms of burnout that I am experiencing won't go away. I think about frustration at work a lot	4%	7%	7%	6%
I feel completely burned out and often wonder if I can go on. I am at the point where I may need some changes or may need to seek some help	5%	4%	4%	3%





Intention to stay

What is this

This is what your staff intend to do with their careers in the near future.

Why this is important

In the public sector, we want to attract, keep, motivate and engage staff.

How to read this

In the survey, we ask staff to tell us how long they intend to work at their organisation.

Example

7% of your group who did the survey said they intended to work for your organisation for Over 6 months and up to 1 year.

Employees plan to work at your organisation for	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
6 months or less	6%	6%	6%	6%
Over 6 months and up to 1 year	9%	7%	8%	9%
Over 1 year and up to 3 years	23%	24%	21%	24%
Over 3 years and up to 5 years	17%	15%	17%	16%
Over 5 years	44%	48%	49%	45%





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Inclusion question results

What is this

This is how many staff experience that they belong, and can be themselves, at work.

Why this is important

When people feel like they belong, they can bring their true selves and lived experience to their work and workplace. This leads to increased productivity, wellbeing and better outcomes for the community.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

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Example

81% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I feel culturally safe at work'.

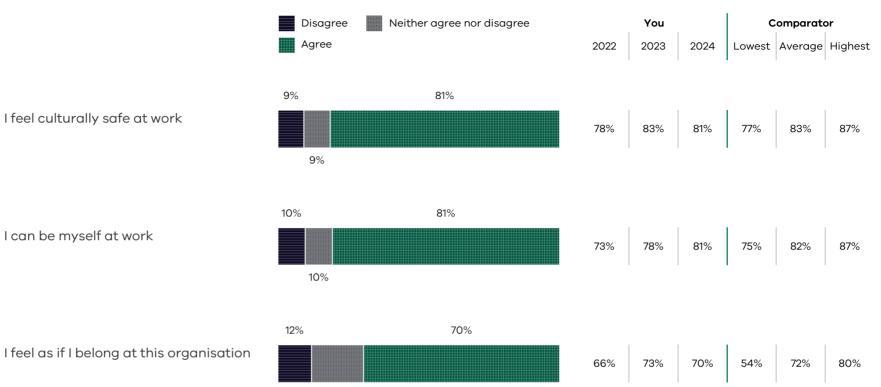
Survey question

I feel culturally safe at work

I can be myself at work



Benchmark agree results



19%



Inclusion - Barriers to success

What is this

This is a list of things that staff felt were barriers to their success at work.

Why this is important

These results can show areas of focus for improvement to enable employee success in the workplace.

How to read this

In the survey, we ask staff to select from a list, any barriers they have experienced and believe to have hindered their success at work. They can select more than one option.

In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

Example

10% of your staff who did the survey said they have experienced barriers to success in the last 12 months due to 'My caring responsibilities'.

Staff who experienced one or more barriers to success at work	60			167	
	26%			74%	
İ	Experienced barriers listed		Did no	ot experience any o	the barriers list
During the last 12 months, employees a success due to	experienced barriers to their	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public secto 2024
My caring responsibilities		7%	10%	8%	7%
My flexible working		6%	7%	6%	6%
My mental health		7%	7%	7%	7%
My age		5%	6%	7%	7%
My physical health		_	5%	5%	4%







Inclusion - Witnessed barriers to success

What is this

This is a list of things that staff witnessed were barriers to their success of other employees at work.

Why this is important

These results can show areas of focus for improvement to enable employee success in the workplace.

How to read this

In the survey, we ask staff to choose from a list, any barriers that they may have witnessed that hinder the success of other employees at work. They can select more than one option.

In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

Example

11% of your staff who did the survey said they have witnessed barriers to success of other employees in the last 12 months due to 'Flexible working'. Staff who witnessed one or more barriers to success at work



Witnessed barriers listed

Did not witness barriers listed

During the last 12 months, employees witnessed barriers to the success of other employees due to their	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Flexible working	7%	11%	10%	9%
Age	7%	8%	5%	6%
Caring responsibilities	4%	8%	9%	7%
Mental health	4%	7%	8%	7%
Cultural background	5%	5%	6%	5%





Scorecard: emotional effects of work

What is this

This is the level of positive and negative feelings experienced by staff in the 3 months before the survey.

Why this is important

Positive feelings can lead to higher wellbeing and job satisfaction and a lower chance of burnout.

How to read this

Each label represents a question in the survey about emotional effects of work. Each result is the percentage of staff who said they often, very often or always felt happy, enthusiastic, worried or miserable in the past 3 months.

You can compare these with your comparator group and the public sector.

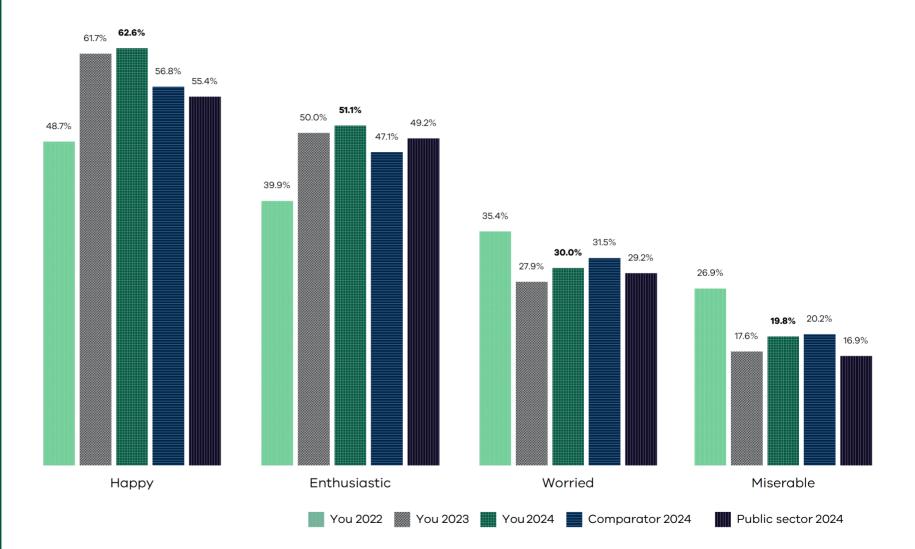
Example

In 2024:

• 62.6% of your staff who did the survey said work made them feel happy.

Compared to:

• 56.8% of staff in your comparator group and 55.4% of staff across the public sector.







Scorecard: negative behaviours

What is this

This is how many staff have experienced negative behaviours at work in the past 12 months.

Why this is important

Negative behaviours can be detrimental to health and wellbeing as well as performance and behaviour.

How to read this

Each label represents a question in the survey about negative behaviour. Each result is the percentage of staff who said they experienced bullying, sexual harassment, discrimination or violence and aggression in the past 12 months.

You can compare these with your comparator group and the public sector.

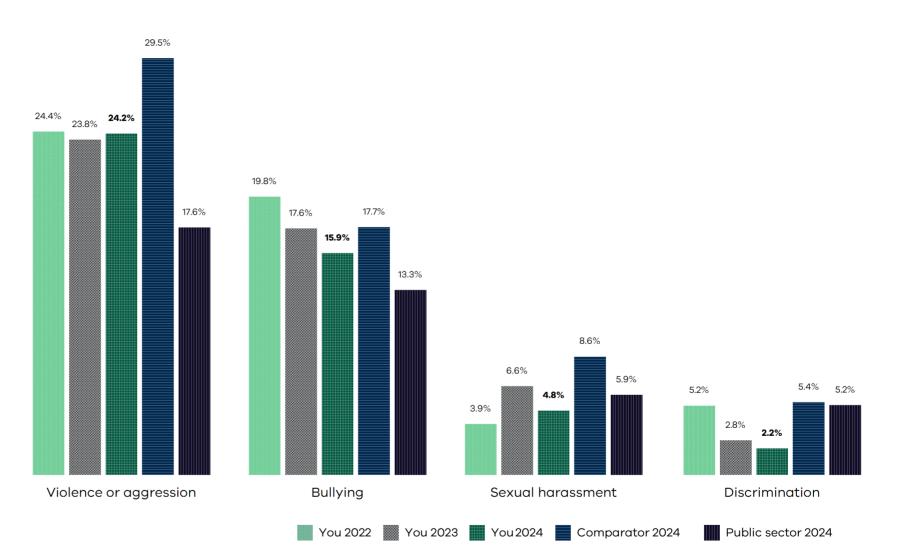
Example

In 2024:

• 24.2% of your staff who did the survey stated they experienced 'Violence or aggression' in the last 12 months.

Compared to:

• 29.5% of staff in your comparator group and 17.6% of staff across the public sector.







Bullying

What is this

This is repeated unreasonable behaviour directed at an employee that creates a risk to their health and safety.

Why this is important

Bullying can have an immediate and longterm negative impact on those involved, including those who witness bullying.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced bullying at work. If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers what they experienced. In descending order, the table shows the answers.

Example

16% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced bullying.

Of that 16%, 64% said the top type was 'Incivility (e.g. talking down to others, making demeaning remarks, not listening to somebody)'.

Have you experienced bullying at 36 165 26 16% 73% 11% Experienced bullying Experience bullying Did not experience bullying Not sure

If you experienced bullying, what type of bullying did you experience?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Incivility (e.g. talking down to others, making demeaning remarks, not listening to somebody)	65%	64%	71%	69%
Exclusion or isolation	35%	47%	40%	42%
Intimidation and/or threats	39%	42%	32%	30%
Withholding essential information for me to do my job	27%	36%	26%	28%
Verbal abuse	31%	33%	22%	21%
Other	12%	8%	14%	15%
Interference with my personal property and/or work equipment	4%	6%	4%	4%
Being assigned meaningless tasks unrelated to my job	6%	3%	11%	13%
Being given impossible assignment(s)	8%	0%	7%	9%





Telling someone about the bullying

What is this

This is if staff told someone when they experienced bullying.

Why this is important

By understanding how staff report bullying, organisations can plan how to support and protect staff.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced bullying at work. If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers who they told about it. In descending order, the table shows the answers.

Example

16% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced bullying, of which

- 61% said the top way they reported the bullying was 'Told a manager'.
- 92% said they didn't submit a formal complaint.

Have you experienced bullying at work in the last 12 months?	36 16%		165 73%		26 11%
	Experienced bullying	Did n	not experien	ce bullying	Not sure
Did you tell anyone about the bullyi	ng?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Told a manager		57%	61%	52%	50%
Told a colleague		37%	33%	41%	41%
Told a friend or family member		33%	25%	35%	35%
Told human resources		12%	22%	12%	13%
I did not tell anyone about the bullyi	ng	10%	17%	10%	12%
Submitted a formal complaint		14%	8%	11%	12%
Told the person the behaviour was r	not OK	24%	8%	16%	16%
Told employee assistance program	(EAP) or peer support	12%	6%	8%	10%
Told someone else		12%	6%	10%	11%







Bullying - reasons for not submitting a formal complaint

What is this

This is why staff who experienced bullying chose not to submit a formal complaint.

Why this is important

By understanding this, organisations can plan how to support and protect staff.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced bullying at work. We then asked them if they submitted a formal complaint. If they didn't, they could tell us with one or more answers why not. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

Example

92% of your staff who experienced bullying did not submit a formal complaint, of which:

• 55% said the top reason was 'I didn't think it would make a difference'.

Did you submit a formal complaint?

33 3 8% 92%

Submitted formal complaint

Did not submit a formal complaint

What was your reason for not submitting a formal complaint?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
I didn't think it would make a difference	52%	55%	53%	52%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my reputation	36%	39%	45%	49%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my career	25%	39%	31%	38%
I didn't think it was serious enough	9%	18%	16%	18%
Other	9%	15%	17%	16%
I didn't feel safe to report the incident	5%	12%	17%	20%
I didn't need to because I no longer had contact with the person(s) who bullied me	5%	9%	4%	5%
I believed there would be negative consequences for the person I was going to complain about	20%	6%	8%	10%
I didn't need to because I made the bullying stop	7%	6%	5%	6%
I thought the complaint process would be embarrassing or difficult	7%	3%	9%	12%



Perpetrators of bullying

What is this

This is who staff have said are responsible for bullying.

Why this is important

Understanding where bullying happens means organisations can work out what action to take.

How to read this

In this year's survey, 16% of your staff said they experienced bullying.

If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers who the perpetrator was. In descending order, the bar chart shows the perpetrators with the largest number of responses.

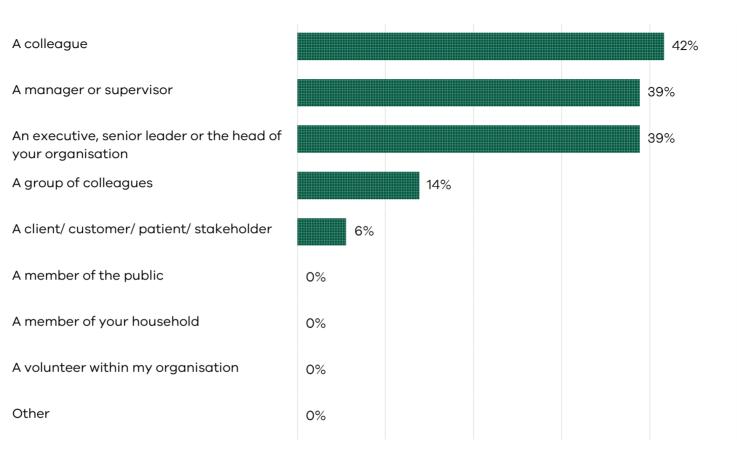
Each row is one perpetrator or group of perpetrators.

Example

16% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced bullying.

Of that 16%, 42% said it was by 'A colleague'.

36 people (16% of staff) experienced bullying (You 2024)







Relationship to perpetrator

What is this

This provides further detail on who staff have said are responsible for bullying within your organisation.

Why this is important

Understanding where bullying happens means organisations can work out what action to take.

How to read this

In this year's survey, 16% of your staff said they experienced bullying.

If they experienced bullying from within the organisation, they could tell us their relationship to the perpetrator.

The bar chart shows, in descending order, how many employees linked the bullying to different workplace relationships.

Example

16% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced bullying.

Of that 16%, 100% said it was by someone within the organisation.

Of that 100%, 56% said it was 'They were in my workgroup'.

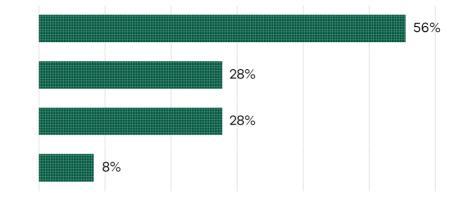
36 people (100% of staff who experienced bullying) experienced bullying from within your organisation (You 2024)

They were in my workgroup

They were my immediate manager or supervisor

They were outside my workgroup

They were someone I supervise or manage







Sexual harassment

What is this

This is non-consensual or unwelcome sexual behaviour that could cause an employee to feel offended, humiliated or intimidated.

Why this is important

Sexual harassment can have an immediate and long-term negative impact on those involved, including those who witness sexual harassment.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced sexual harassment at work.

If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers what they experienced. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

Example

5% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced sexual harassment. Of those, 64% said the top type was 'Intrusive questions about my private life or comments about my physical appearance'. Have you experienced sexual harassment at work in the last 12 months?

11		216	
5%		95%	
Experience	ed sexual harassment	Did not experience sexu	al harassment

Behaviours reported	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Intrusive questions about my private life or comments about my physical appearance	53%	64%	48%	50%
Sexually suggestive comments or jokes that made me feel offended (in either a group or one on one situation)	63%	45%	57%	53%
Inappropriate physical contact	5%	18%	27%	23%
Unwelcome touching, hugging, cornering or kissing	5%	9%	21%	20%
Inappropriate staring or leering that made me feel intimidated	0%	9%	18%	17%
Repeated or inappropriate invitations to go out on dates	11%	0%	4%	5%
Sexual gestures, indecent exposure or inappropriate display of the body	0%	0%	11%	9%
Repeated or inappropriate advances on email, social networking websites or internet chat rooms by a work colleague	5%	0%	1%	3%
Request or pressure for sex or other sexual act	0%	0%	1%	2%
Any other unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature	11%	0%	9%	9%





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Response to sexual harassment

What is this

This is how staff responded when they experienced sexual harassment.

Why this is important

How staff respond when they experience sexual harassment may help organisations work out what action they need to take.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced sexual harassment at work.

If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers how they responded. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

Example

5% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced sexual harassment. Of those, 55% said the top response was 'Pretended it didn't bother me'.

Have you experienced sexual harassment at work in the last 12 months?

11	216	
5%	95%	

Experienced sexual harassment

Did not experience sexual harassment

When the harassment happened to you, did you respond in any of the following ways?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Pretended it didn't bother me	32%	55%	38%	40%
Tried to laugh it off or forget about it	53%	36%	36%	39%
Avoided the person(s) by staying away from them	32%	27%	32%	36%
Told the person the behaviour was not OK	53%	27%	42%	34%
Told a colleague	32%	18%	30%	30%
Told a manager	16%	18%	22%	24%
Avoided locations where the behaviour might occur	11%	9%	13%	14%
Told a friend or family member	16%	9%	18%	21%
Other	0%	9%	4%	4%
Sought a transfer to another role/location/roster	0%	0%	2%	2%



Sexual harassment - reasons for not submitting a formal complaint

What is this

This is why staff who experienced sexual harassment chose not to submit a formal complaint.

Why this is important

By understanding this, organisations can work out what action to take.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced sexual harassment at work. We then asked them if they submitted a formal complaint. If they did not, they could tell us with one or more answers why not. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

Example

100% of your staff who experienced sexual harassment did not submit a formal complaint, of which:

• 82% said the top reason was 'I didn't think it was serious enough'.

Did you submit a formal complaint?		11		
	1	00%		
Submitted formal complaint		Did not	submit a formal c	omplaint
What was your reason for not submitting a formal complaint?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
I didn't think it was serious enough	53%	82%	44%	46%
I didn't think it would make a difference	41%	36%	43%	40%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my reputation	0%	36%	19%	26%
I thought the complaint process would be embarrassing or difficult	6%	27%	6%	10%
I believed there would be negative consequences for the person I was going to complain about	6%	18%	8%	11%
I didn't need to because I made the harassment stop	35%	9%	11%	10%
I didn't need to because I no longer had contact with the person(s) who harassed me	12%	9%	11%	10%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my career	0%	0%	11%	17%
I didn't know how to make a complaint	6%	0%	3%	4%

I didn't feel safe to report the incident

0%

0%



7%

5%





Perpetrators of sexual harassment

What is this

This is who staff have said are responsible for sexual harassment.

Why this is important

Understanding where harassment happens means organisations can work out what action to take.

How to read this

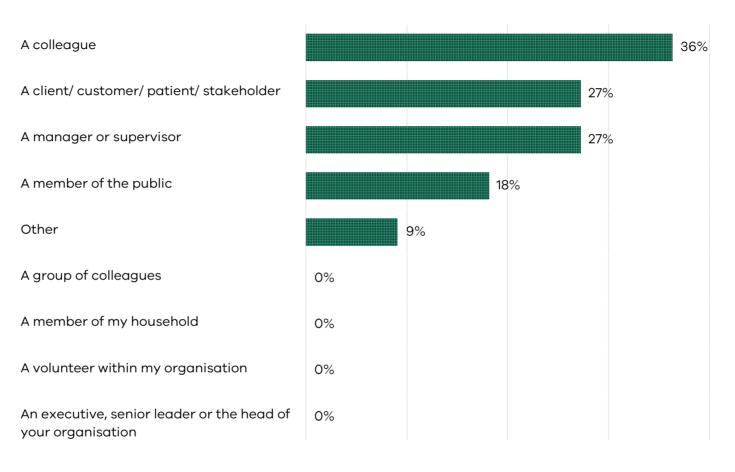
In this year's survey, 5% of your staff said they experienced sexual harassment. If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers who the perpetrator was. In descending order, the bar chart shows the perpetrators with the largest number of responses.

Each row is one perpetrator or group of perpetrators.

Example

5% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced sexual harassment. Of that 5%, 36% said it was by 'A colleague'.

11 people (5% of staff) experienced sexual harassment (You 2024)









Frequency of sexual harassment

What is this

This is how often staff experienced sexual harassment.

Why this is important

Understanding the frequency staff experienced sexual harassment may help organisations work out what action to take.

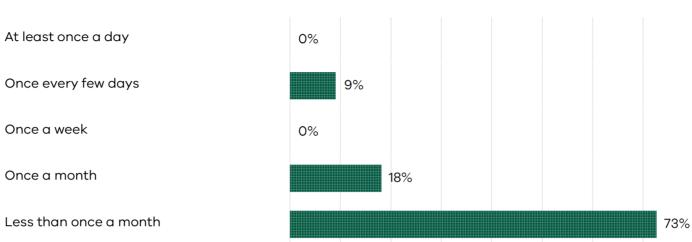
How to read this

In this year's survey, 5% of your staff said they experienced sexual harassment. If they did, they could tell us how often they experienced this behaviour. The graph shows how often staff were experiencing sexual harassment.

Example

5% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced sexual harassment. Of that 5%, 0% said it was 'At least once a day'.

How often have you experienced the behaviour(s)? (You 2024)







Discrimination

What is this

Discrimination is when a person treats, or proposes to treat, a person unfavourably because of their personal characteristics, such as their age or gender, or other attributes.

Why this is important

Staff expect to have a safe and inclusive working environment to work in that is free of discrimination.

Why there is no data here

We've not published the results for this section because less than 10 people said they experienced discrimination. We do this to protect the respondents.





This is when staff are abused, threatened or assaulted in a situation related to their

Violence and aggression can have an immediate and long-term negative impact on those involved, including those who witness violence and aggression.

How to read this

People outcomes

Why this is important

What is this

work.

Violence and aggression

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced violence or aggression. If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers what they experienced. In descending order, the table shows the answers.

Example

24% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression. Of that 24%, 84% said it was 'Abusive language'.

Have you experienced violence or aggression at work in the last 12 months?

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Did not experience violence or aggression		Not sure	
You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
93%	84%	88%	81%
61%	73%	70%	71%
29%	33%	45%	38%
13%	24%	36%	26%
4%	18%	12%	9%
3%	7%	3%	3%
3%	0%	1%	1%

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Told a friend or fai

Told employee assistance program (EAP) or peer support

Told someone else

- 67% said the top way they reported the • violence or agression was 'Told a manager'.
- ٠ incident report

Have you experienced violence or aggression at work in the last 12 months?

People	outcomes	

Telling someone about violence and aggression

What is this

This is who staff told about what violence and aggression they experienced.

Why this is important

Understanding this means organisations can plan how to support and protect staff.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced violence or aggression. If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers who they told. In descending order, the table shows the

answers.

Example

24% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression, of which

- 60% said they didn't submit a formal
- I did not tell anyone about the incident(s)

55

24%

-	Experienced violence or aggression	Did not experience violence or aggression		
Did you tell anyone about the incide	ent?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024
Told a manager		57%	67%	55%
Submitted a formal incident report		29%	40%	37%
Told a colleague		39%	31%	47%
Told the person the behaviour was	not OK	29%	16%	34%
Told human resources		9%	9%	3%
Told a friend or family member		14%	9%	17%

10%

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5%

5%

3%





Public sector

2024

58%

36%

45%

30%

4%

19%

7%

5%

4%



People outcomes

Violence and aggression - reasons for not submitting a formal incident report What is this

This is why staff who experienced violence or aggression chose not to submit a formal incident report.

Why this is important

By understanding this, organisations can work out what action to take.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced violence or aggression at work. We then asked them if they submitted a formal incident report. If they did not, they could tell us with one or more answers why not. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

Example

60% of your staff who experienced violence or aggression did not submit a formal incident report, of which:

• 33% said the top reason was 'I didn't think it would make a difference'.

Did you submit a formal incident report?



Submitted formal incident report

Did not submit a formal incident report

What was your reason for not submitting a formal incident report?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
I didn't think it would make a difference	33%	33%	41%	39%
I didn't think it was serious enough	33%	30%	31%	32%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my reputation		18%	10%	15%
I didn't need to because I no longer had contact with the person(s) who was aggressive or violent to me	18%	12%	13%	14%
Other	27%	12%	24%	23%
I didn't need to because I made the violence or aggression stop	14%	9%	14%	14%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my career	6%	6%	7%	12%
I believed there would be negative consequences for the person I was going to complain about	4%	6%	2%	4%
I thought the complaint process would be embarrassing or difficult	0%	6%	3%	4%
I was advised not to	0%	6%	2%	2%





People outcomes

Perpetrators of violence and aggression

What is this

This is who staff have said are responsible for violence and aggression.

Why this is important

Understanding this means organisations can plan how to support and protect staff.

How to read this

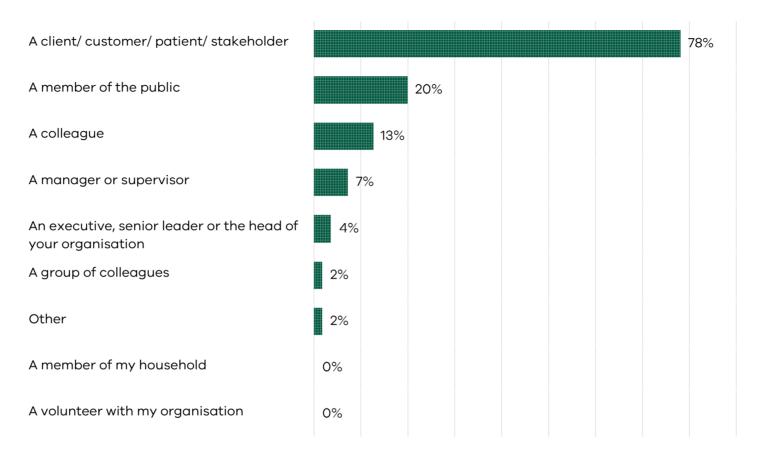
In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced violence or aggression. If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers who the perpetrator was. In descending order, the bar chart shows the perpetrators with the largest number of responses.

Each row is one perpetrator or group of perpetrators.

Example

24% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression. Of that 24%, 78% said it was by 'A client/ customer/ patient/ stakeholder'.

55 people (24% of staff) experienced violence or aggression (You 2024)







People outcomes

Relationship to perpetrator

What is this

This provides further detail on who staff have said are responsible for violence or aggression within your organisation.

Why this is important

Understanding where violence or aggression happens means organisations can work out what action to take.

How to read this

In this year's survey, 24% of your staff said they experienced violence or aggression. If they experienced violence or aggression from within the organisation, they could tell us their relationship to the perpetrator.

The bar chart shows, in descending order, how many employees linked the violence or aggression to different workplace relationships.

Example

24% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression. Of that 24%, 20% said it was by someone within the organisation.

Of that 20%, 45% said it was 'They were outside my workgroup'.

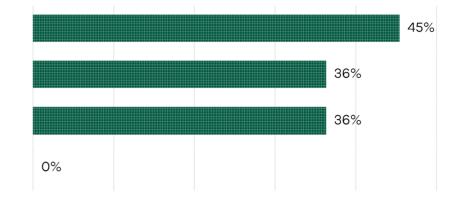
11 people (20% of staff who experienced violence or aggression) experienced violence or aggression from within your organisation (You 2024)

They were outside my workgroup

They were in my workgroup

They were my immediate manager or supervisor

They were someone I supervise or manage









Negative behaviour

Witnessing negative behaviours

What is this

This is where staff witnessed people acting in a negative way against a colleague.

Why this is important

Witnessing negative behaviour can still have a negative impact on the person, as it does on the victim.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd witnessed any negative behaviour at work.

They could tell us with one or more answers if they witnessed negative behaviour and what type they witnessed.

In descending order, the table shows the answers.

Example

24% of your staff who did the survey said they witnessed some negative behaviour at work.

76% said 'No, I have not witnessed any of the situations above'.

Discrimination against a colleague

Sexual harassment of a colleague

Violence or aggression against a colleague

Have you witnessed any negative behaviour at work in the last 12	55			172	
months?	24%	76%			
	Witnessed some negative beha	Witnessed some negative behaviour Did not witness some negative		ative behaviour	
During the last 12 months in your curr witnessed any of the following negativ		You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
No, I have not witnessed any of the sit	uations above	74%	76%	70%	77%
Bullying of a colleague		17%	15%	20%	15%

8%

7%

0%

10%

9%

2%

9%

6%

2%

8%

6%

1%





negative behaviours What is this

Negative behaviour

Taking action when witnessing

This is what your staff did when they witnessed negative behaviour at work.

Why this is important

What staff do when they witness negative behaviour may help organisations understand what support their staff need.

How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd witnessed any negative behaviour at work.

If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers what action they took. In descending order, the table shows the answers.

Example

24% of your staff who did the survey witnessed negative behaviour, of which:

• 64% said the top action they took was 'Spoke to the person who experienced the behaviour'. Have you witnessed any negative behaviour at work in the last 12 months?

55	172
24%	76%

Witnessed some negative behaviour

Did not witness some negative behaviour

When you witnessed these behaviour(s), did you do any of the following?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Spoke to the person who experienced the behaviour	72%	64%	71%	71%
Told a manager	35%	53%	42%	40%
Told the person the behaviour was not OK	34%	22%	27%	24%
Spoke to the person who behaved in a negative way	30%	20%	24%	20%



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23%

People outcomes

Negative behaviour - satisfaction with making a formal complaint

What is this

This is how satisfied a staff member was with how your organisation managed their complaint.

Why this is important

When staff submit a formal complaint for negative behaviours, they should feel your organisation will manage it effectively and professionally.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each type of negative behaviour in descending order by most satisfied.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

64% of staff were satisfied with the way your organisation handled their formal 'Violence or aggression' complaint.





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- Flexible working
- Respect
 - - Leadership

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 - Adjustments
 - Caring



Highest scoring questions

What is this

These are the questions your group had the highest agreement or satisfaction with in 2024.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your group has the highest agreement or satisfaction with questions from the 2024 survey.

In this table, your score for this year is shown in the 'You 2024' column.

You can also compare your 2024 scores against your 2023 scores and your 2024 comparator group.

Example

On the first row 'Meaningful work', the 'You 2024' column shows 94% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'I achieve something important through my work'. In the 'Change from 2023' column, you have a +1% change, which is a positive trend.

Question group	Highest scoring questions	You 2024	Change from 2023	Comparator 2024
Meaningful work	I achieve something important through my work	94%	+1%	92%
Meaningful work	I can make a worthwhile contribution at work	ake a worthwhile contribution at work 94% +		93%
Job enrichment	I can use my skills and knowledge in my job	se my skills and knowledge in my job 92%		93%
Meaningful work	I get a sense of accomplishment from my work 91%		+1%	85%
Job enrichment	I understand how my job helps my organisation achieve its goals 91% -		-1%	89%
Job enrichment	I clearly understand what I am expected to do in this job	90%	+1%	88%
Quality service delivery	My workgroup provides high quality advice and services	86%	+3%	79%
Topical	I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work	85%	+5%	82%
Patient safety climate	I am encouraged by my colleagues to report any patient safety concerns I may have	85%	+6%	80%
Manager leadership	My manager treats employees with dignity and respect	85%	-2%	83%





Lowest scoring questions

What is this

These are the questions your group had the lowest agreement or satisfaction with in 2024.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your group has the lowest agreement or satisfaction with questions from the 2024 survey.

In this table, your score for this year is shown in the 'You 2024' column.

You can also compare your 2024 scores against your 2023 scores and your 2024 comparator group.

Example

On the first row 'Taking action', the 'You 2024' column shows 31% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year'. In the 'Change from 2023' column, you have a +4% change, which is a positive trend.

Question group	Lowest scoring questions	You 2024	Change from 2023	Comparator 2024
Taking action	My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year	31%	+4%	30%
Safety climate	All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress	41%	-2%	39%
Taking action	I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this year's survey	45%	+0%	42%
Organisational integrity	y I have an equal chance at promotion in my organisation		-3%	46%
Safety climate	Senior leaders show support for stress prevention through involvement and commitment	47%	+2%	45%
Organisational integrity	I believe the promotion processes in my organisation are fair	48%	-4%	44%
Safety climate	My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress	51%	+3%	47%
Safety climate	Senior leaders consider the psychological health of employees to be as important as productivity	52%	+4%	49%
Safety climate	In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	55%	+6%	47%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity	56%	+4%	57%





Most improved

What is this

This is where staff feel their group has most improved.

How to read this

Use this data to see if your organisation has a developing or changing trend. In this table, your trend is shown in the 'Increase from 2023' column.

When you use this data, focus on the increase instead of individual numbers. This is because the increase from 2023 shows you where the most positive changes are happening in your organisation.

Example

On the first row 'Collaboration', the 'You 2024' column shows 67% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'Workgroups across my organisation willingly share information with each other'. In the 'Increase from 2023' column, you have a 9% increase, which is a positive trend.

Question group	Most improved from last year	You 2024	Increase from 2023	Comparator 2024
Collaboration	Workgroups across my organisation willingly share information with each other	67%	+9%	61%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction	57%	+7%	54%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest	71%	+7%	63%
Patient safety climate	I am encouraged by my colleagues to report any patient safety concerns I may have	85%	+6%	80%
Safety climate	In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	55%	+6%	47%
Organisational integrity	My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination	61%	+6%	58%
Engagement	I feel a strong personal attachment to my organisation	59%	+5%	54%
Engagement	I would recommend my organisation as a good place to work	65%	+5%	63%
Organisational integrity	My organisation encourages employees to act in ways that are consistent with human rights	79%	+5%	80%
Topical	I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work	85%	+5%	82%





Most declined

What is this

This is where staff feel their group has most declined.

How to read this

Use this data to see if your organisation has a developing or changing trend. In this table, your trend is shown in the 'Decrease from 2023' column.

When you use this data, focus on the decrease instead of individual numbers. This is because the decrease from 2023 shows you where the most negative changes are happening in your organisation.

Example

On the first row 'Satisfaction', the 'You 2024' column shows 59% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'How satisfied are you with your career development within your current organisation'.

In the 'Decrease from 2023' column, you have a 6% decrease, which is a negative trend.

Question group	Largest decline from last year	You 2024	Decrease from 2023	Comparator 2024
Satisfaction	How satisfied are you with your career development within your current organisation	59%	-6%	60%
Manager support	My manager provides me with enough support when I need it	77%	-6%	77%
Manager support	I receive meaningful recognition when I do good work	58%	-5%	56%
Flexible working	My manager supports working flexibly	80%	-5%	77%
Learning and development	My organisation places a high priority on the learning and development of staff	62%	-5%	58%
Safety climate	My organisation provides a physically safe work environment	82%	-5%	76%
Manager leadership	My manager demonstrates honesty and integrity	80%	-4%	81%
Manager leadership	My manager models my organisation's values	80%	-4%	80%
Organisational integrity	I believe the promotion processes in my organisation are fair	48%	-4%	44%
Learning and development	I am satisfied with the way my learning and development needs have been addressed in the last 12 months	66%	-4%	61%







Biggest positive difference from comparator

What is this

This is where your staff have agreed more to a question compared to staff at similar organisations.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your organisation has the biggest positive difference with questions from the 2024 survey compared to your comparator group.

In this table, the difference to your comparator is shown in the 'Difference' column.

Example

On the first row 'Workload', the 'You2024' column shows 65% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'I have enough time to do my job effectively'.

The 'Difference' column, shows that agreement for this question was 12% higher than in your comparator.

Question group	Biggest positive difference from comparator	You 2024	Difference	Comparator 2024
Workload	I have enough time to do my job effectively	65%	+12%	53%
Quality service delivery	My workgroup uses its resources well	80%	+11%	70%
Workload	The workload I have is appropriate for the job that I do	67%	+9%	58%
Quality service delivery	My workgroup acts fairly and without bias	77%	+8%	69%
Innovation	My workgroup learns from failures and mistakes	79%	+8%	71%
Learning and development	I am satisfied with the opportunities to progress in my organisation	59%	+8%	51%
Innovation	My workgroup encourages employee creativity	72%	+8%	64%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest	71%	+8%	63%
Safety climate	In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	55%	+8%	47%
Quality service delivery	My workgroup provides high quality advice and services	86%	+7%	79%





Biggest negative difference from comparator

What is this

This is where your staff have agreed less to a question compared to staff at similar organisations.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your organisation has the biggest negative difference with questions from the 2024 survey compared to your comparator group.

In this table, the difference to your comparator is shown in the 'Difference' column.

Example

On the first row 'Patient safety climate', the 'You 2024' column shows 62% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'I would recommend a friend or relative to be treated as a patient here'. The 'Difference' column, shows that agreement for this question was 4% lower than in your comparator.

Question group	Biggest negative difference from comparator	You 2024	Difference	Comparator 2024
Patient safety climate	I would recommend a friend or relative to be treated as a patient here	62%	-4%	66%
Engagement	I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation	64%	-4%	68%
Inclusion	I feel as if I belong at this organisation	70%	-2%	72%
Inclusion	I feel culturally safe at work	81%	-2%	83%
Inclusion	I can be myself at work	81%	-1%	82%
Organisational integrity	I have an equal chance at promotion in my organisation	45%	-1%	46%
Organisational integrity	I believe the recruitment processes in my organisation are fair	57%	-1%	58%
Organisational integrity	My organisation encourages respectful workplace behaviours	74%	-1%	74%
Manager leadership	My manager demonstrates honesty and integrity	80%	-1%	81%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity	56%	-1%	57%





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What is this

This is how well staff feel their organisation takes action and makes improvements from your survey results.

Why this is important

If your organisation takes action as a result of survey results, your staff may feel their feedback is valuable.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most aareed.

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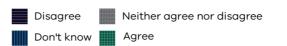
Example

45% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with "I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this year's survey'.

Survey question



Benchmark agree results





24%

42%

62%

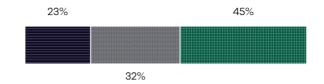
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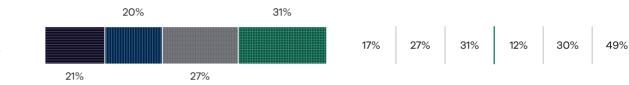
44%

41%

I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this year's survey

My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year









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Senior leadership

What is this

This is how supported staff feel by senior leaders in their organisation and how well they believe senior leaders communicate.

Why this is important

Supportive senior leaders who communicate well mean staff may feel more connected to their work and organisation.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

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Example

57% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Senior leaders model my organisation's values'.









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What is this

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Why this is important

This page shows which factors are performing well and which factors you can look to improve.

How to read this

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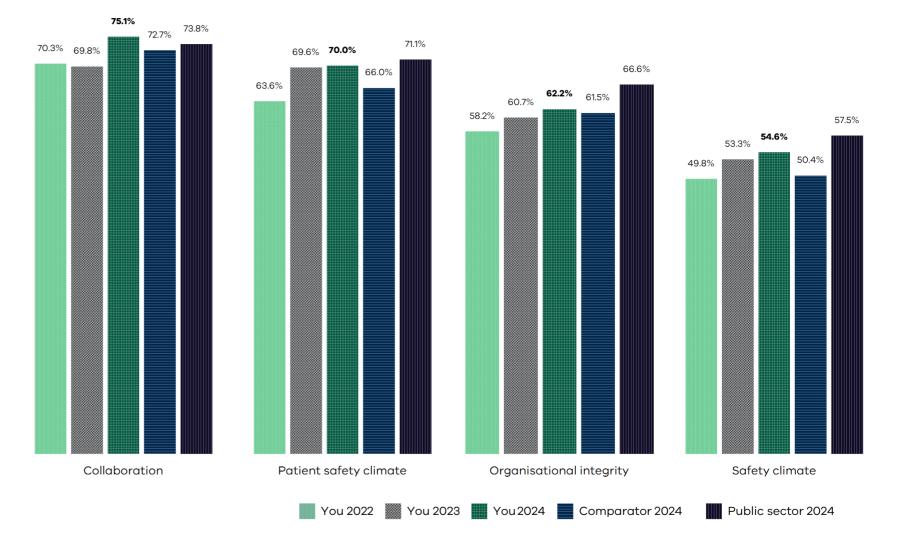
Example

In 2024:

• 75.1% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Collaboration.

Compared to:

• 72.7% of staff in your comparator group and 73.8% of staff across the public sector.







55

79% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My

Organisational climate

Organisational integrity 1 of 2

What is this

This is how much trust staff have in your organisation's ability to operate, implement policy and deliver services for Victorians.

Why this is important

We need the community to have high trust in how we work and what we do.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

organisation encourages employees to act in ways that are consistent with human rights'.

Agree Don't know 2022 2023 2024 Lowest Average Highest 2% 79% My organisation encourages employees 79% 65% 76% 74% 80% 88% to act in ways that are consistent with human rights 4% 15% 74% My organisation encourages respectful 74% 57% 71% 69% 74% 81% workplace behaviours 10% 16% 1% 70% My organisation is committed to earning 69% 68% 70% 39% 69% 86% a high level of public trust 7% 22% 64% 3% My organisation does not tolerate 59% 61% 64% 44% 62% 74% improper conduct 16% 18%

Your results

Disaaree

Neither agree nor disagree

Survey question







Benchmark agree results

Comparator

You

What is this

We need the community to have high trust in how we work and what we do.

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How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

61% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination'.

Benchmark agree results Survey question Your results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2022 2023 2024 Lowest Average Highest This is how much trust staff have in your organisation's ability to operate, implement policy and deliver services for Victorians. 2% 61% My organisation takes steps to eliminate 51% 55% 61% 43% 58% bullying, harassment and discrimination 16% 21% 7% 57% I believe the recruitment processes in 57% 55% 59% 43% 58% my organisation are fair 18% 19% 9% 48% I believe the promotion processes in my 43% 52% 48% 31% 44% organisation are fair

26%

17%

I have an equal chance at promotion in my organisation







69%

68%

57%



Organisational climate

Collaboration

What is this

This shows how well the workgroups in your organisation work together and share information.

Why this is important

Improving these results can improve the cohesiveness of your organisation and allow for greater intra-organisational collaboration.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

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84% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with "I am able to work effectively with others outside my immediate workgroup'.

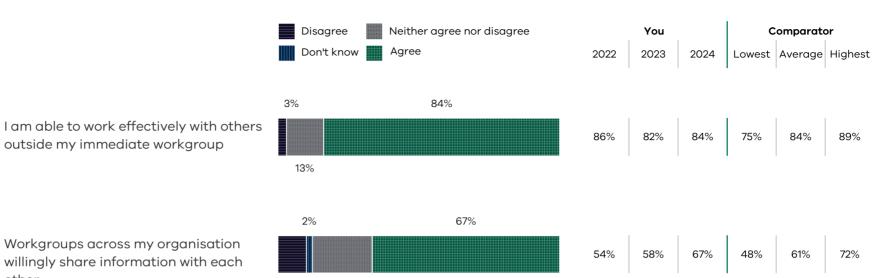
Survey question

outside my immediate workgroup

other

Your results

Benchmark agree results



10% 21%





Organisational climate

Safety climate 1 of 2

What is this

This is how well staff feel your organisation supports safety at work.

Why this is important

A safe workplace is a key outcome of Leading the way and the Victorian public sector mental health and wellbeing charter.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

82% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation provides a physically safe work environment'.

employees who may experience stress

21%

23%

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know Lowest Average Highest 2022 2023 2024 82% My organisation provides a physically 82% 63% 74% 87% 76% 88% safe work environment 8% 9% 20% 55% In my workplace, there is good 55% 35% 55% 46% 48% 47% communication about psychological safety issues that affect me 26% 26% 52% Senior leaders consider the 47% 48% 52% 34% 49% 63% psychological health of employees to be as important as productivity 22% 51% 6% My organisation has effective 48% 51% 35% 46% 47% 55% procedures in place to support

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Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results **Organisational climate** Safety climate 2 of 2 Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2022 2023 2024 Lowest Average Highest This is how well staff feel your organisation supports safety at work. Why this is important 28% 47% A safe workplace is a key outcome of Senior leaders show support for stress 45% 45% 47% 29% 45% 58% Leading the way and the Victorian public prevention through involvement and commitment sector mental health and wellbeing 25% How to read this 25% 41% Under 'Your results', see results for each All levels of my organisation are involved question in descending order by most 43% 41% 22% 39% 41% 54% in the prevention of stress

34%

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strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and

highest scores with your own.

47% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Senior leaders show support for stress prevention through involvement and commitment'.

What is this

charter.

agreed.

disagree.

Example

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high-quality care and experiences. The Victorian Managed Insurance

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Authority and the Victorian Quality Council developed these tools.

This is the safety culture in a healthcare

A good patient safety climate means safe,

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workplace.

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

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Example

85% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with " am encouraged by my colleagues to report any patient safety concerns I may have'.

Survey question

report any patient safety concerns I

Management is driving us to be a

safety-centred organisation

Patient care errors are handled

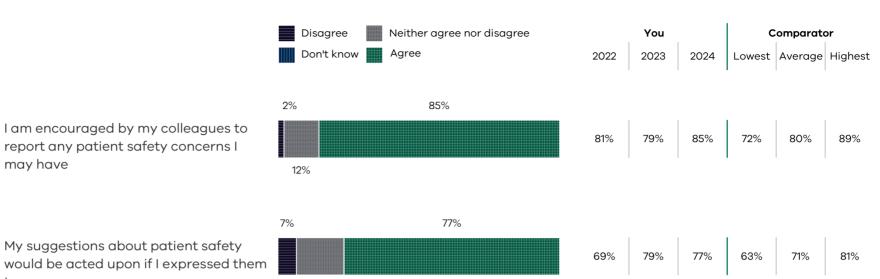
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6% 71% 67% 23%

17%





71%

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51% 67%



82%

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What is this

This is the safety culture in a healthcare workplace.

Why this is important

A good patient safety climate means safe, high-quality care and experiences. The Victorian Managed Insurance Authority and the Victorian Quality Council developed these tools.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

67% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Trainees in my discipline are adequately supervised'.

8% 67% Trainees in my discipline are adequately 57% 69% supervised 15% 11% 12% 66% The culture in my work area makes it 57% 69% easy to learn from the errors of others 22% 12% 62% I would recommend a friend or relative 57% 58% to be treated as a patient here 26% 2% 61% This health service does a good job of 55% 64% training new and existing staff 15% 23%

Disaaree

Don't know

Your results

Agree

Neither agree nor disagree

Survey question



48%

61%

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What is this

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Why this is important

This page shows which factors are performing well and which factors you can look to improve.

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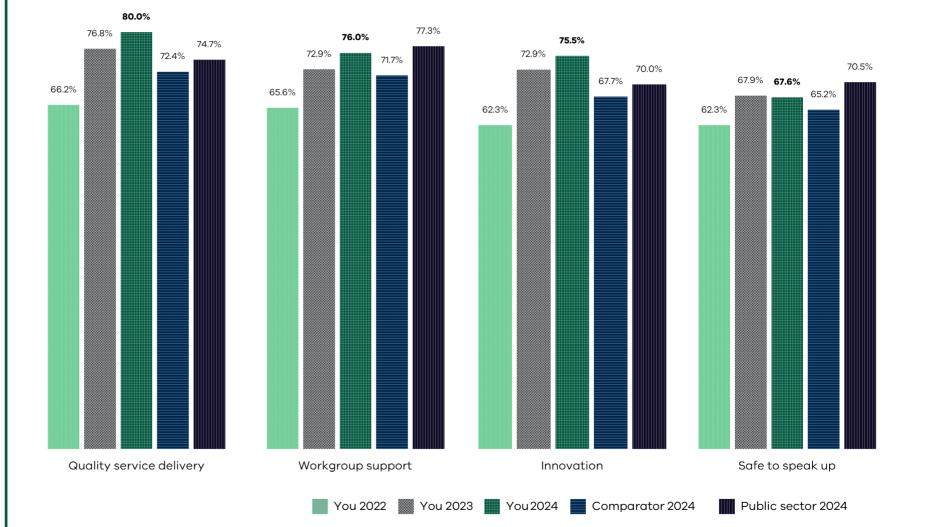
Example

In 2024:

• 80.0% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Quality service delivery.

Compared to:

• 72.4% of staff in your comparator group and 74.7% of staff across the public sector.







My workgroup has clear lines of responsibility

My workgroup provides high quality advice and services

My workgroup uses its resources well

My workgroup acts fairly and without bias

Workgroup climate

Quality service delivery

What is this

This is how well workgroups in your organisation operate to deliver quality services.

Why this is important

The public sector must provide highquality services in a timely way to meet the needs of Victorians.

Workgroups need to be motivated, make impartial decisions and have clear accountabilities.

How to read this

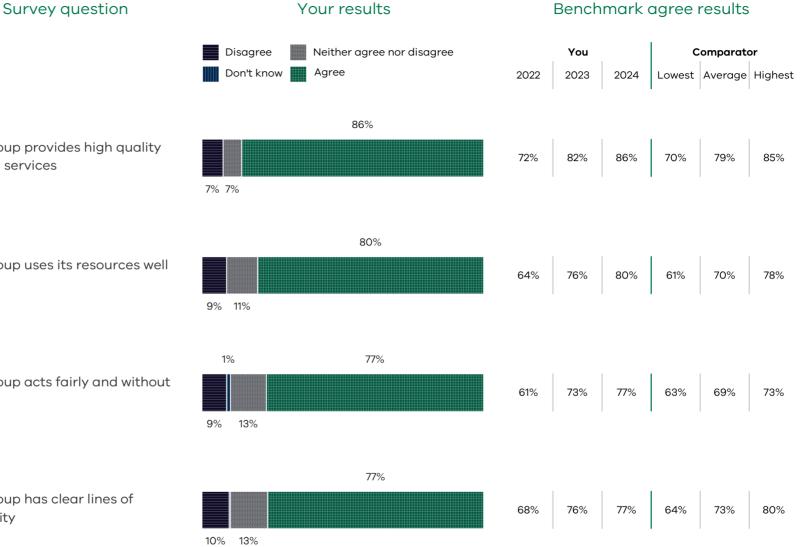
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Example

86% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup provides high quality advice and services'.





Benchmark agree results

Workgroup climate

Innovation

What is this

This is how well staff feel their workgroup innovates its operations.

Why this is important

Innovation can reduce costs, create public value and lead to higher quality services.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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Example

79% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup learns from failures and mistakes'.





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This is how well staff feel people work together and support each other in your organisation.

Why this is important

Collaboration can lead to higher team satisfaction, performance and effectiveness.

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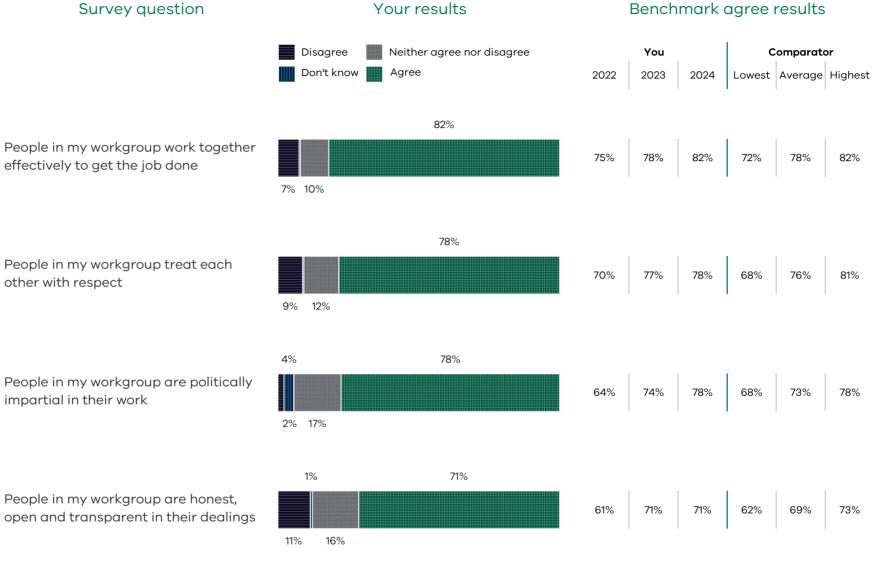
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Example

82% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup work together effectively to get the job done'.







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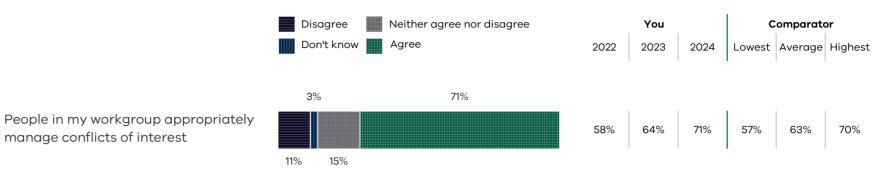
Example

71% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest'.

Survey question

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Workgroup climate

Safe to speak up

What is this

This is how freely and confidently staff feel they can talk about issues without fear of retribution.

Why this is important

Organisations with psychologically safe cultures empower staff to report negative behaviour and integrity issues.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

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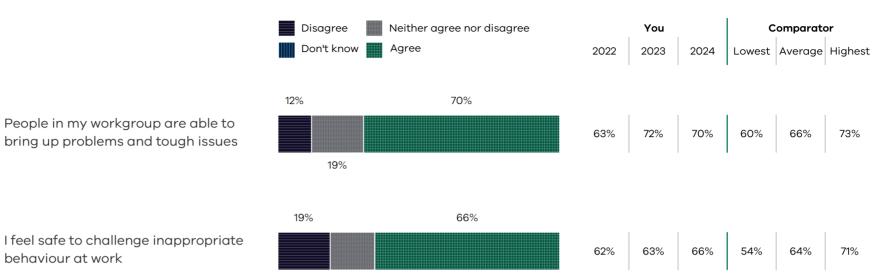
70% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup are able to bring up problems and tough issues'.

Survey question

behaviour at work

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16%





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What is this

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Why this is important

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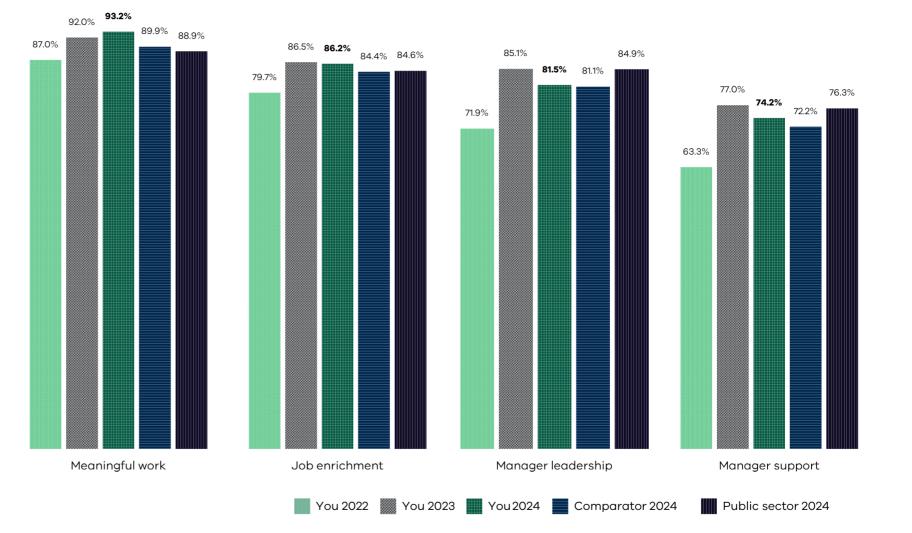
Example

In 2024:

• 93.2% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Meaningful work.

Compared to:

• 89.9% of staff in your comparator group and 88.9% of staff across the public sector.









Job and manager factors

Scorecard 2 of 2

What is this

This scorecard provides overall results for each job and manager factor in the survey's theoretical framework.

Why this is important

This page shows which factors are performing well and which factors you can look to improve.

How to read this

Each label represents a group of questions in the survey about job and manager factors.

Each result is the overall percentage of positive responses for your organisation, comparator and public sector.

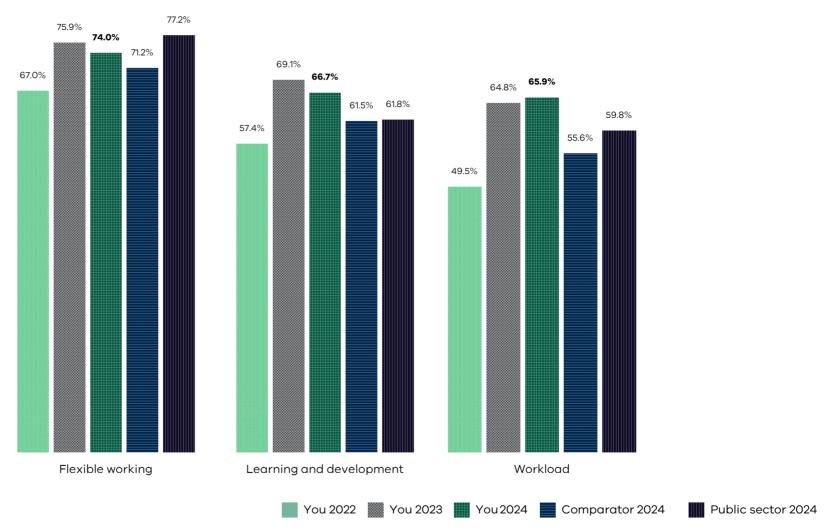
Example

In 2024:

 74.0% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Flexible working.

Compared to:

• 71.2% of staff in your comparator group and 77.2% of staff across the public sector.







Manager leadership

What is this

This is how well staff perceive their direct managers lead.

Why this is important

Great managers can foster the right environment for staff engagement. They can act as role models for your organisation's strategy and values.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

integrity

values

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

85% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager treats employees with dignity and respect'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 8% 85% My manager treats employees with 73% 87% 85% 76% 83% 88% dignity and respect 7% 9% 80% My manager demonstrates honesty and 71% 84% 80% 75% 81% 86% 11% 9% 80% My manager models my organisation's 71% 84% 80% 72% 86% 80% 11%

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What is this

This is how supported staff feel by their direct manager.

Why this is important

Supportive managers can give staff clarity, appreciation and positive feedback and coaching.

This can lead to higher satisfaction, performance and capacity to do work.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

81% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I can discuss problems or issues with my manager'.





Manager support 2 of 2

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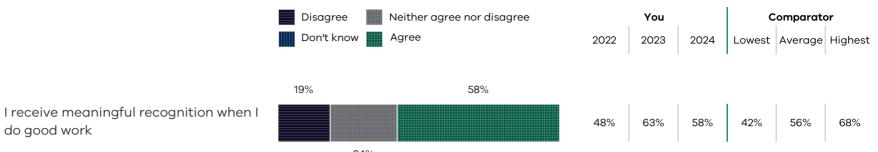
58% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with "I receive meaningful recognition when I do good work'.

Survey question

do good work

Your results

Benchmark agree results







Workload

What is this

This is how staff feel about workload and time pressure.

Why this is important

Workload and time pressure are the most prominent causes of work-related stress.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

67% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'The workload I have is appropriate for the job that I do'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disagree You Comparator 📕 Agree 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 16% 67% The workload I have is appropriate for 50% 67% 69% 68% 46% 58% the job that I do 17% 18% 65% I have enough time to do my job 49% 61% 65% 41% 53% 63% effectively





Learning and development

What is this

This is how well staff feel they can learn and grow in your organisation.

Why this is important

Good learning and career development can build engagement, efficiency and capability in organisations. It may also help staff retention.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

staff

Example

80% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I am developing and learning in my role'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 7% 80% I am developing and learning in my role 74% 81% 80% 67% 76% 81% 13% 17% 66% I am satisfied with the way my learning 56% 70% 66% 45% 61% 71% and development needs have been addressed in the last 12 months 18% 16% 62% My organisation places a high priority 52% 66% 62% 37% 58% 72% on the learning and development of 22% 18% 59% I am satisfied with the opportunities to 59% 59% 48% 38% 51% 65% progress in my organisation







Job enrichment 1 of 2

What is this

This is how staff feel about their autonomy at work and role clarity.

Why this is important

Job enrichment is one of the main drivers of employee engagement and workplace wellbeing.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

92% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I can use my skills and knowledge in my job'.





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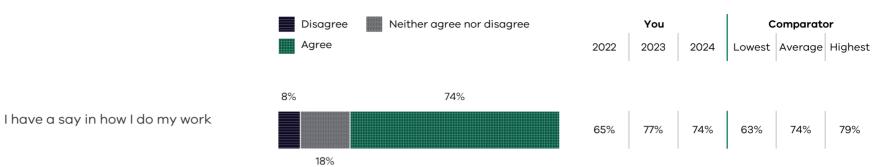
Example

74% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I have a say in how I do my work'.

Survey question

Your results

Benchmark agree results







Meaningful work

What is this

This is how staff feel about their contribution and how worthwhile their work is.

Why this is important

Staff who feel their work is meaningful can help achieve individual, team and organisational outcomes.

my work

work

my work

How to read this

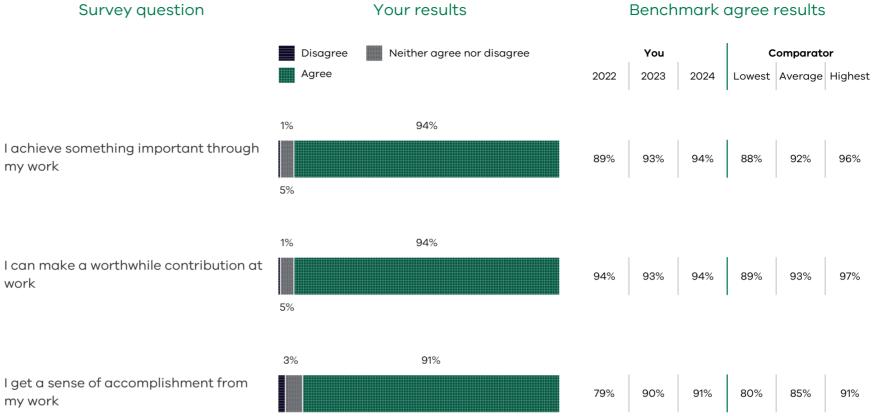
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Example

94% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with " achieve something important through my work'.







Flexible working

What is this

This is how well your organisation supports staff to work flexibly.

Why this is important

Supporting flexible working can improve employee wellbeing.

How to read this

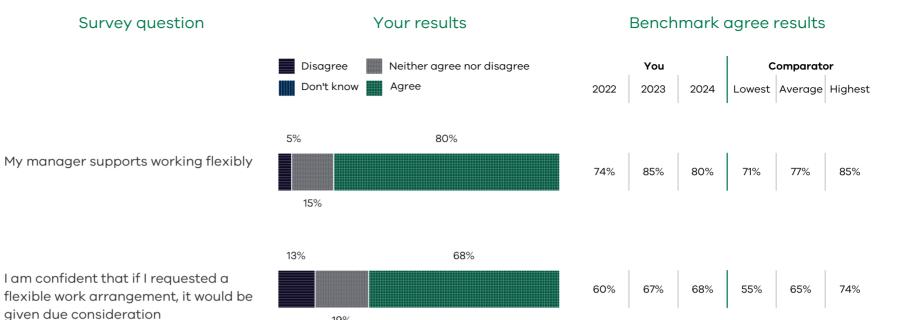
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Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

80% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager supports working flexibly'.







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What is this

This is a set of 7 values that form the basis for the professional and ethical conduct of everyone who works in the public sector.

Why this is important

There's a strong link between workplace culture and how staff perceive their organisation lives the public sector values.

How to read this

Each label represents a group of questions in the survey about public sector values. Each result is the overall percentage of positive responses for your organisation, comparator and public sector.

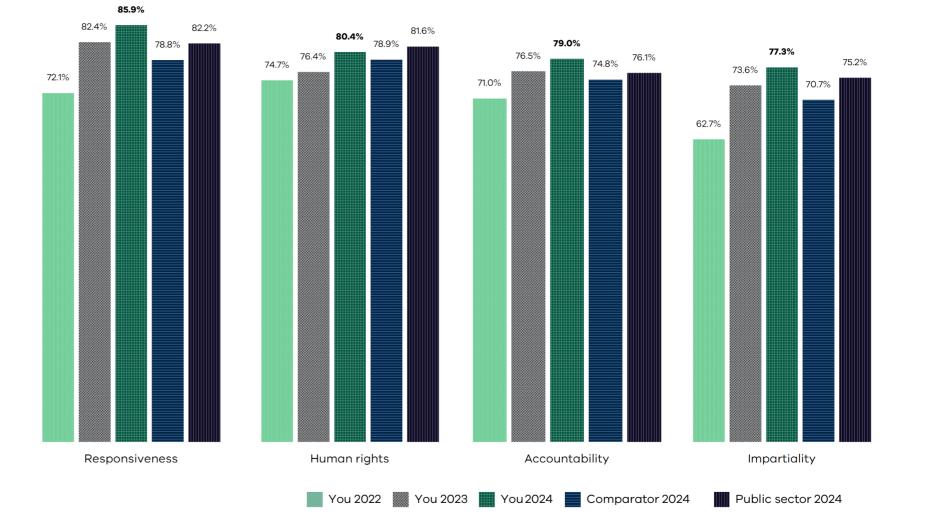
Example

In 2024:

• 85.9% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Responsiveness.

Compared to:

• 78.8% of staff in your comparator group and 82.2% of staff across the public sector.







Scorecard 2 of 2

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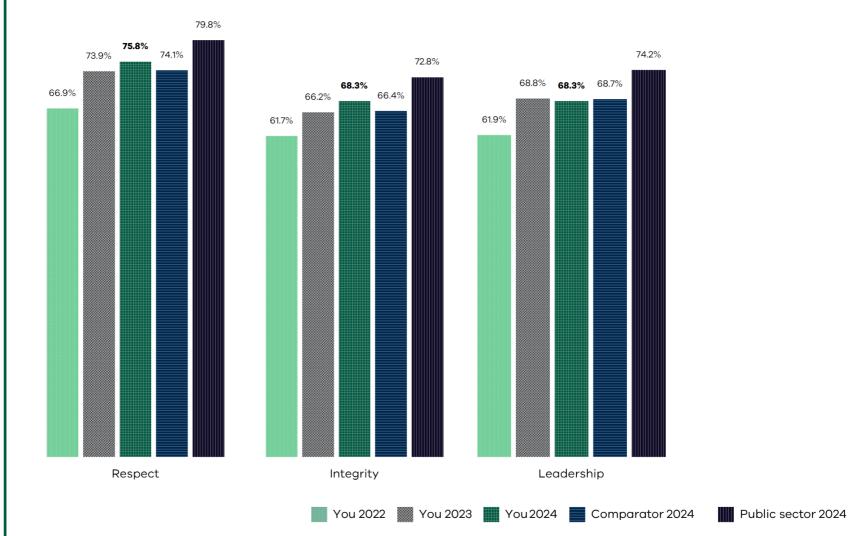
Example

In 2024:

• 75.8% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Respect.

Compared to:

• 74.1% of staff in your comparator group and 79.8% of staff across the public sector.







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Responsiveness

What is this

This is how responsive your staff feel they are to the community.

Why this is important

Staff need to feel they can adapt to the changing demands and circumstances of our clients and stakeholders.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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Example

86% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup provides high quality advice and services'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 86% My workgroup provides high quality 72% 82% 86% 70% 85% 79% advice and services

7% 7%







Integrity 1 of 2 What is this

Public sector values

Integrity is being honest and transparent, conducting ourselves properly and using our powers responsibly.

Why this is important

The Victorian community needs high trust in how everyone in the public sector works and what they do.

How to read this

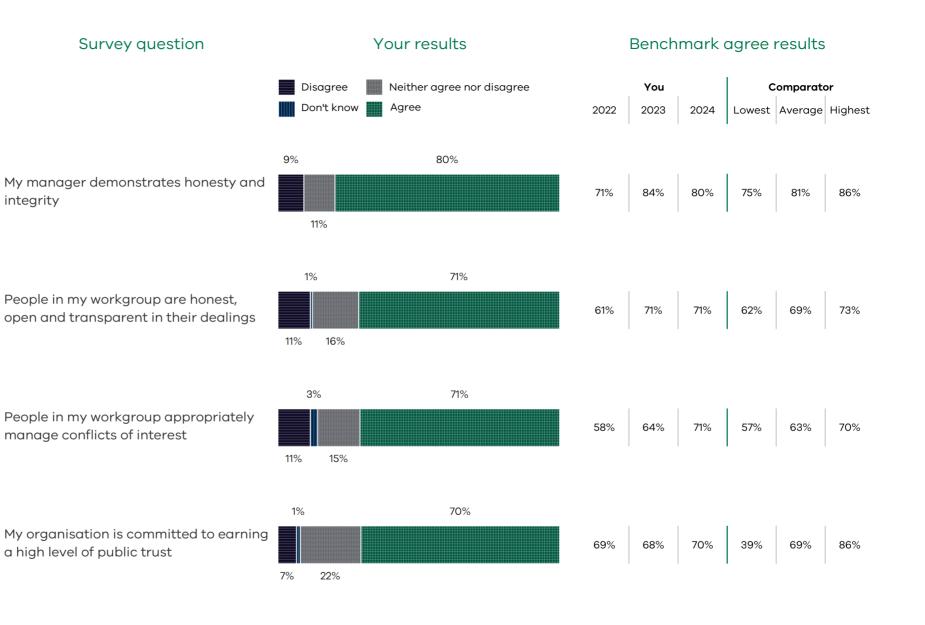
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Example

80% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager demonstrates honesty and integrity'.







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Integrity 2 of 2

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and integrity

Example

66% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I feel safe to challenge inappropriate behaviour at work'.







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Impartiality

What is this

Impartiality is how your staff feel an organisation makes informed decisions and provides stable advice on merit, without bias, favouritism or self interest.

Why this is important

We all have an obligation to be impartial and make objective and fair decisions that are open to scrutiny.

How to read this

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Example

78% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work'.

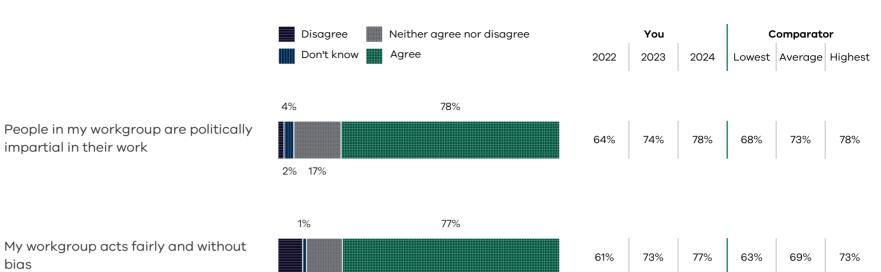
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impartial in their work

bias

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9% 13%







Accountability 1 of 2

What is this

Accountability is if your staff feel they work to clear objectives in a transparent manner and can accept responsibility for decisions.

Why this is important

As we all make decisions on behalf of Victorians, we must be accountable in the resources we use.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

91% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with " understand how my job helps my organisation achieve its goals'.

Survey question

organisation achieve its goals

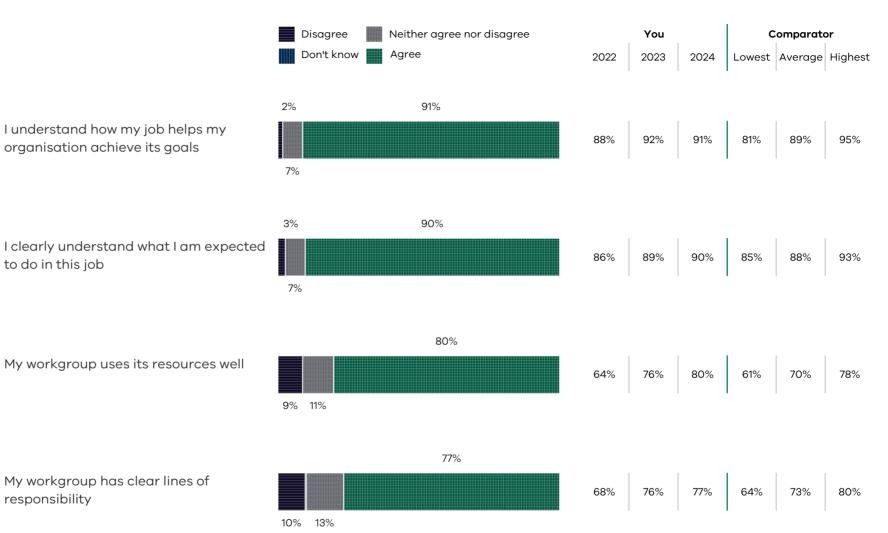
My workgroup has clear lines of

to do in this job

responsibility

Your results

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Example

57% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 2% 57% Senior leaders provide clear strategy 57% 49% 50% 36% 70% 54% and direction















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Respect 2 of 2

What is this

Respect is how your staff feel they're treated in the workplace and community.

Why this is important

All staff need to treat their colleagues and Victorians with respect.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

61% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 2% 61% My organisation takes steps to eliminate 51% 55% 61% 43% 69% 58% bullying, harassment and discrimination

16% 21%





Leadership

What is this

Leadership is how your staff feel an organisation implements and promotes the public sector values.

values

values

Why this is important

Good leadership plays a role in the development of workplace culture. It also gives Victorians confidence that staff in the public sector behave to a high standard.

How to read this

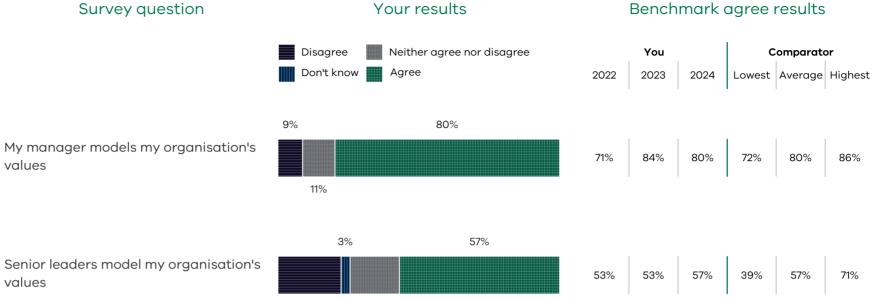
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Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

80% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager models my organisation's values'.



22% 18%





Public sector values Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Human rights Disaaree Neither agree nor disagree You Comparator What is this Agree Don't know 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest Human rights is how your staff feel their organisation upholds basic human rights. Why this is important 2% 81% Using the Victorian Charter of Human I understand how the Charter of Human 73% 81% 69% 87% 78% 78% Rights, organisations must consider human Rights and Responsibilities applies to rights in how they work and act. my work 16% How to read this Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most 2% 79% agreed. My organisation encourages employees 76% 74% 79% 65% 80% 88% 'Agree' combines responses for agree and to act in ways that are consistent with strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines human rights 4% 15% responses for disagree and strongly

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

disagree.

81% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I understand how the Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities applies to my work'.



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Topical questions

Topical questions

What is this

This is a group of survey questions that don't fit into our existing factor groups.

Why this is important

Answers to these questions provide useful information to help you understand your employees.

How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator group's overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

85% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with " understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work'.

Survey question

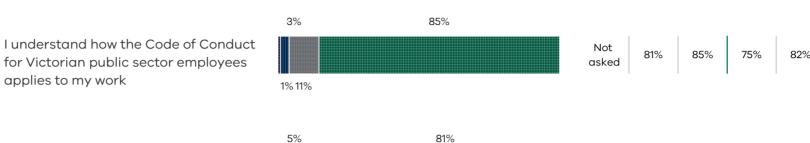
I am proud to work in the public sector

applies to my work

Your results

Benchmark agree results







14%





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Age, gender, variations in sex characteristics and sexual orientation

What is this

This is how staff describe their age, gender, variations in sex characteristics and sexual orientation.

Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

How to read this

Each table shows the breakdown of responses from your survey. The (n) column shows the number of respondents in each category.

How we protect anonymity and privacy

- de-identify all survey response data provided to your organisation
- don't release employee experience results when fewer than 10 people in a demographic group have responded to the survey

No

Prefer not to say

 don't release employee experience results for demographic groups where organisations have fewer than 30 responses in total

Age	(n)	%
15-34 years	70	31%
35-54 years	89	39%
55+ years	52	23%
Prefer not to say	16	7%
Gender	(n)	%
Woman	187	82%
Man	23	10%
Prefer not to say	17	7%
Non-binary and I use a different term	0	0%
Are you trans, non-binary or gender		9/
diverse?	(n)	%
Yes	0	0%

210

17

93%

7%

To your knowledge, do you have innate variation(s) of sex characteristics (often

called intersex)?	(n)	%
Yes	0	0%
No	209	92%
Don't know	4	2%
Prefer not to say	14	6%

How do you describe your sexual orientation?	(n)	%
Straight (heterosexual)	176	78%
Prefer not to say	35	15%
Asexual	4	2%
Bisexual	4	2%
Pansexual	3	1%
Don't know	2	1%
Gay or lesbian	2	1%
l use a different term	1	0%





Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander employees

What is this

This is staff who identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander.

Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

How to read this

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Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	(n)	%
Yes	9	4%
Non Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	196	86%
Prefer not to say	22	10%





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Disability

What is this

This is staff who identify as a person with disability and how they share that information.

Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

How to read this

Each table shows the breakdown of responses from your survey. This is staff who identify as a person with disability and how they share that information.

The (n) column shows the number of respondents in each category.

How we protect anonymity and privacy

- de-identify all survey response data provided to your organisation
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- don't release employee experience results for demographic groups where organisations have fewer than 30 responses in total.

Are you a person with disability?	(n)	%
Yes	7	3%
No	204	90%
Prefer not to say	16	7%



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What is this

These are the personal characteristics of staff.

Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

How to read this

Each table shows the breakdown of responses from your survey. The (n) column shows the number of respondents in each category.

How we protect anonymity and privacy

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- don't release employee experience results when fewer than 10 people in a demographic group have responded to the survey
- don't release employee experience results for demographic groups where organisations have fewer than 30 responses in total

Country of birth	(n)	%
Born in Australia	187	82%
Not born in Australia	21	9%
Prefer not to say	19	8%

If you use another language with your family or community, what language(s) do

you use?	(n)	%
Other	6	35%
Filipino	3	18%
Malayalam	2	12%
Mandarin	2	12%
Tagalog	2	12%
Vietnamese	2	12%
Australian Indigenous Language	1	6%
Cantonese	1	6%
Italian	1	6%
Telugu	1	6%
Urdu	1	6%
Arabic	0	0%

Language other than English used with (n) % family or community 17 Yes 7% No 189 83% Prefer not to say 21 9%

If you use another language with your family or community, what language(s) do

you use?	(n)	%
Auslan	0	0%
Greek	0	0%
Gujarati	0	0%
Hindi	0	0%
Macedonian	0	0%
Persian	0	0%
Punjabi	0	0%
Sinhalese	0	0%
Spanish	0	0%
Tamil	0	0%
Turkish	0	0%





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Cultural identity	(n)	%
Australian	173	76%
Prefer not to say	24	11%
Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	10	4%
East and/or South-East Asian	10	4%
English, Irish, Scottish and/or Welsh	9	4%
European (including Western, Eastern and South-Eastern European, and Scandinavian)	4	2%
South Asian	4	2%
African	2	1%
Other	2	1%
New Zealander	1	0%
Central and/or South American	0	0%
Central Asian	0	0%
Maori	0	0%
Middle Eastern	0	0%
North American	0	0%
Pacific Islander	0	0%

Religion	(n)	%
No religion	117	52%
Christianity	60	26%
Prefer not to say	30	13%
Other	13	6%
Buddhism	3	1%
Sikhism	2	1%
Hinduism	1	0%
Islam	1	0%
Judaism	0	0%





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Working arrangement	(n)	%
Full-Time	101	44%
Part-Time	126	56%

Gross base salary (ongoing/fixed term only)	(n)	%
Below \$80k	105	48%
\$80k to \$120k	68	31%
\$120k to \$160k	10	5%
\$160k to \$200k	3	1%
\$200k or more	5	2%
Prefer not to say	29	13%
Organisational tenure	(n)	%
Organisational tenure <1 year	(n) 32	% 14%
<1 year	32	14%
<1 year 1 to less than 2 years	32 38	14% 17%
<1 year 1 to less than 2 years 2 to less than 5 years	32 38 50	14% 17% 22%

Management responsibility	(n)	%
Non-manager	191	84%
Other manager	27	12%
Manager of other manager(s)	9	4%

Employment type	(n)	%
Ongoing and executive	183	81%
Fixed term	25	11%
Other	19	8%

Frontline worker	(n)	%
Yes	130	57%
No	97	43%





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Primary workplace location over the last 3 months	(n)	%
Rural	209	92%
Other	9	4%
Large regional city	8	4%
Melbourne: Suburbs	1	0%
Melbourne CBD	0	0%

What have been your main places of work over the last 3-months?	(n)	%
Your employer's office	85	37%
A frontline or service delivery location	106	47%
Home or private location	6	3%
A shared office space (where two or more organisations share the same workspace)	29	13%
Isolated or remote location/s where access to communications and help from others is difficult	4	2%
Other	23	10%

Flexible work	(n)	%
I do not use any flexible work arrangements	86	38%
Part-time	78	34%
Shift swap	41	18%
Flexible start and finish times	36	16%
Using leave (including annual leave, long- service leave, personal leave, and/or leave without pay) to work flexible hours	30	13%
Study leave	26	11%
Working from an alternative location (e.g. home, hub/shared work space)	15	7%
Other	9	4%
Working more hours over fewer days	5	2%
Job sharing	4	2%
Purchased leave	3	1%





Adjustments

What is this

These are adjustments staff requested to perform in their role.

Why this is important

This shows organisations how flexible they are in adjusting for staff.

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Have you requested any of the following adjustments at work?	(n)	%
No, I have not requested adjustments	172	76%
Flexible working arrangements	45	20%
Physical modifications or improvements to the workplace	10	4%
Career development support strategies	7	3%
Job redesign or role sharing	4	2%
Accessible communications technologies	2	1%
Other	2	1%

Why did you make this request?	(n)	%
Work-life balance	24	44%
Caring responsibilities	21	38%
Family responsibilities	17	31%
Health	13	24%
Study commitments	8	15%
Other	4	7%
Disability	1	2%

What was your experience with making this

request?	(n)	%
The adjustments I needed were made and the process was satisfactory	43	78%
The adjustments I needed were not made	7	13%
The adjustments I needed were made but the process was unsatisfactory	5	9%

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Caring

What is this

These are staff-reported caring responsibilities.

Why this is important

This shows organisations what caring responsibilities their staff have.

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Caring responsibilities	(n)	%
None of the above	95	42%
Primary school aged child(ren)	42	19%
Secondary school aged child(ren)	33	15%
Prefer not to say	24	11%
Child(ren) - younger than preschool age	22	10%
Frail or aged person(s)	19	8%
Preschool aged child(ren)	18	8%
Person(s) with a medical condition	12	5%
Other	8	4%
Person(s) with a mental illness	4	2%
Person(s) with disability	4	2%





Employment categories

What is this

This shows how many people in each employee category responded to the survey.

Why this is important

This helps you assess how representative of your organisation your survey was.

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Which	of the	following	categories	best
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describes your current position?	(n)	%
Nursing employees	75	33%
Management, Administration and Corporate support	56	25%
Allied health - therapy discipline	32	14%
Other health and social care	21	9%
Support services	14	6%
Allied health - assistant	9	4%
Medical employees	6	3%
Community development	4	2%
Counselling	4	2%
Allied health - science discipline	3	1%
Lived experience specific worker	2	1%
Pastoral / spiritual care	0	0%





Primary role

What is this

This shows the primary role of your staff.

Why this is important

Understanding how many people you have in each role helps you understand if you have the right balance of staff.

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primary operational area in which you		
work?	(n)	%
Hospital-based services	120	53%
Community-based services	64	28%
Corporate services	19	8%
Residential aged care services	12	5%
Mental health care services	11	5%
Prison-based services	0	0%

Which of the following best describes the

Is your primary work role in one of the following areas?	(n)	%
Administration	54	24%
Aged care	22	10%
Critical care	1	0%
Drug and alcohol	2	1%
Emergency	13	6%
Maternity care	6	3%
Medical	8	4%
Mental health	12	5%
Mixed medical/surgical	8	4%
Neonatal care	0	0%
Palliative care	4	2%
Paediatrics	0	0%
Peri-operative	6	3%
Rehabilitation	16	7%
Surgical	2	1%
Other	72	32%







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