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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 2021 and 2022.

This means you'll be able to compare about 92% 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 2023 (DOCX, 83 pages) to see how we asked questions and defined concepts in the 2023 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.

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



Responsiveness



Integrity



Impartiality



Accountability



Respect



Leadership



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'.

Alexandra District Health

Alpine Health

Beaufort and Skipton Health Service

Beechworth Health Service

Boort District Health

Casterton Memorial Hospital

Central Highlands Rural Health

Cohuna District Hospital

Corryong Health

East Wimmera Health Service

Great Ocean Road Health

Heathcote Health

Hesse Rural Health Service

Heywood Rural Health

Inglewood and Districts Health Service Kerang District Health

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Mallee Track Health and

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Mansfield District Hospital

Moyne Health Services

NCN Health

Omeo District Health

Orbost Regional Health

Robinvale District Health

Services

Rochester and Elmore District

Health Service

Rural Northwest Health

Seymour Health

South Gippsland Hospital

Tallangatta Health Service

Terang and Mortlake Health

Service

Timboon and District Healthcare

Service

Yarram and District Health

Service

Yea and District Memorial

Hospital





Your response rate

What this is

This is how many staff in your organisation did the survey in 2023.

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.

We've also expressed this as a percentage of all the staff who work in your organisation.

2022		2023	
67% (178)		27% (83)	
Comparator Public Sector	51% 42%	Comparator Public Sector	56% 34%



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Scorecard: employee engagement index

What this is

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.

2022		2023		
69		59		
Comparator	71	Comparator	73	
Public Sector	68	Public Sector	68	





Engagement question results 1 of 2

What this is

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

Your organisation's engagement index Your 2023 index is 59.

Why this is important

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

How to read this

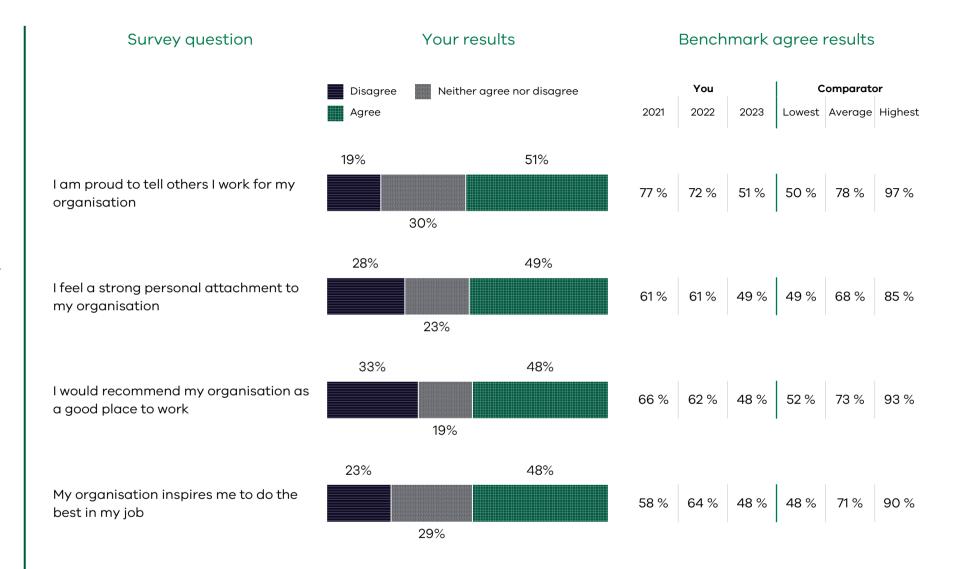
Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most agreed.

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

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

Example

51% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation'.







Engagement question results 2 of 2

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Your organisation's engagement index Your 2023 index is 59.

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How to read this

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Example

48% 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 You Comparator Neither agree nor disagree Disagree 2021 2022 2023 Lowest Average Highest Agree 48% 24% My organisation motivates me to help achieve its objectives

28%

Scorecard: satisfaction, stress, intention to stay, inclusion

What this is

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.

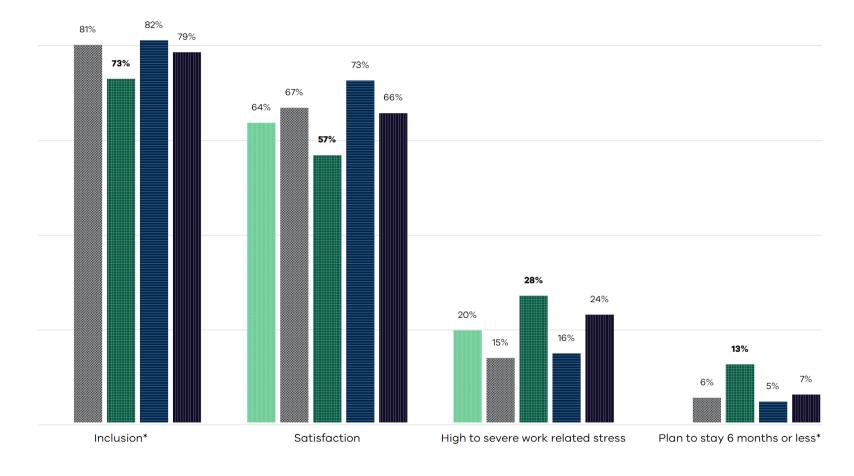
Example

In 2023:

 73% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Inclusion which is down from 81% in 2022.

Compared to:

• 82% of staff at your comparator and 79% of staff across the public sector.



*We can't compare some data here because one or more questions were not asked in a previous survey





Satisfaction question results

What this is

This is how satisfied staff are with their jobs, 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

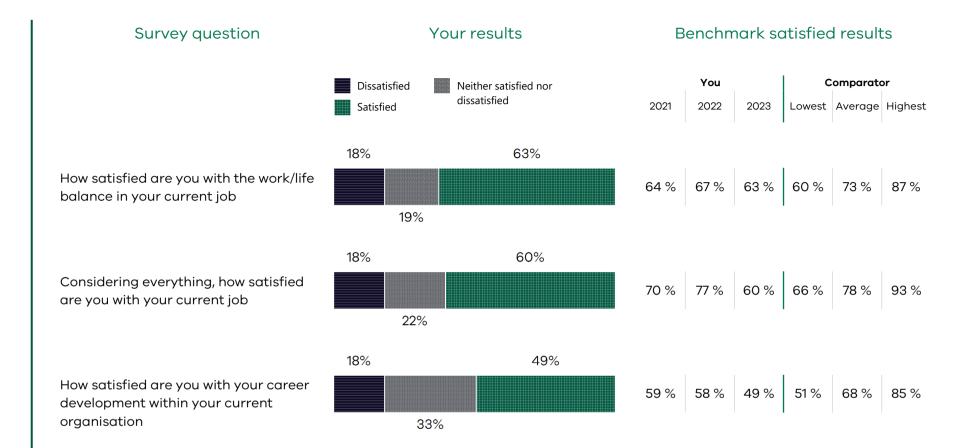
Under 'Your results', see results for each question in descending order by most satisfied.

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

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

Example

63% of your staff who did the survey were satisfied or very satisfied with 'How satisfied are you with the work/life balance in your current job'.







Work-related stress levels

What this is

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.

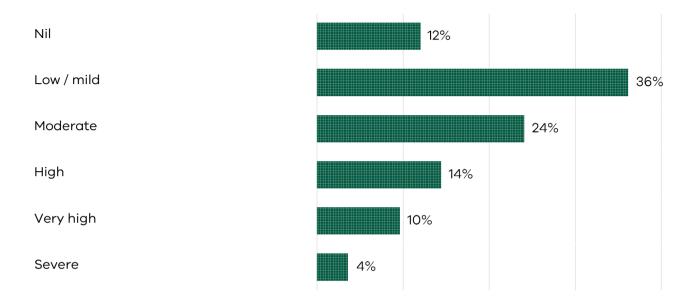
The graph at the top shows how staff in your organisation rated their current levels of work-related stress.

The numbers below show the percentage of staff in your organisation who said they experienced high to severe stress in 2023 compared to 2022 and your comparator.

Example

28% of your staff who did the survey said they had high to severe stress in 2023. This is compared to 16% of staff in your comparator group and 24% of staff across the public sector.

How would you rate your current level of work-related stress? (You 2023)



Reported levels of high to severe stress

2022	2023
15%	28%

Comparator	21%	Comparator		
Public Sector	25%	Public Sector	24%	



Work-related stress causes

What this is

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

88% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced mild to severe stress.

Of that 88%, 62% said the top reason was 'Workload'.

73	10
88%	12%

Experienced some work-related stress

Did not experience some work-related stress

Of those that experienced work related stress it was from	You 2022	You 2023	Comparator 2023	Public sector 2023
Workload	56%	62%	46%	49%
Time pressure	42%	37%	36%	41%
Organisation or workplace change	9%	22%	9%	11%
Management of work (e.g. supervision, training, information, support)	10%	18%	11%	13%
Social environment (e.g. relationships with colleagues, manager and/or senior leaders)	10%	15%	16%	11%
Dealing with clients, patients or stakeholders	10%	14%	14%	16%
Competing home and work responsibilities	12%	10%	16%	14%
Other	6%	8%	14%	12%
Unclear job expectations	15%	8%	9%	12%
Technology or equipment	0%	7%	8%	8%





Burnout levels

What this is

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

36% of your staff who did the survey said they felt burnout at work in 2023.

30		53	
36%		64%	
ı	Experienced some burnout	Did not experie	nced any burnout

Overall, based on your definition of burnout, how would you rate your level of burnout?	You 2022	You 2023	Comparator 2023	Public sector 2023
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%	45%	47%	48%
I am definitely burning out and have one or more symptoms of burnout, such as physical and emotional exhaustion	21%	25%	18%	22%
I enjoy my work. I have no symptoms of burnout	21%	19%	27%	21%
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	2%	8%	2%	3%
The symptoms of burnout that I am experiencing won't go away. I think about frustration at work a lot	5%	2%	5%	6%



Intention to stay

What this is

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

10% of your staff 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 2022	You 2023	Comparator 2023	Public sector 2023
6 months or less	6%	13%	5%	7%
Over 6 months and up to 1 year	13%	10%	8%	9%
Over 1 year and up to 3 years	21%	31%	23%	24%
Over 3 years and up to 5 years	15%	16%	16%	15%
Over 5 years	46%	30%	48%	45%



Inclusion question results

What this is

This is how included staff feel in their workplace.

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

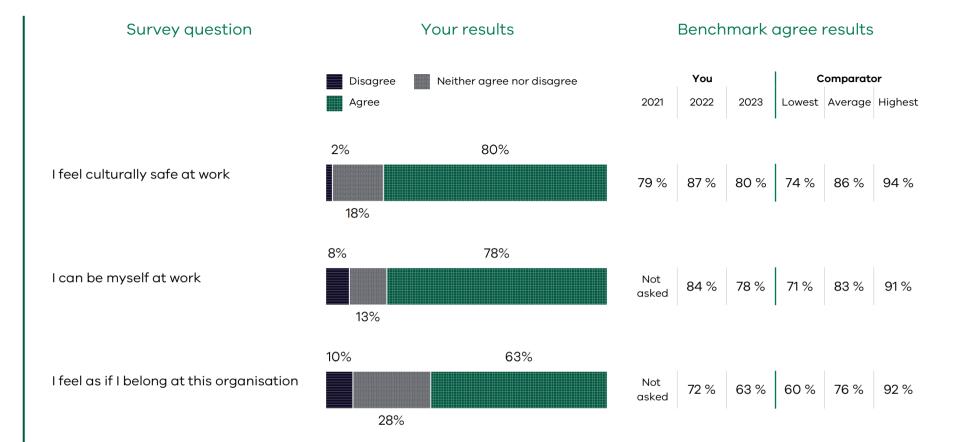
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Example

80% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I feel culturally safe at work'.







Inclusion - Barriers to success

What this is

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.

Why there are no further details

Results for response options with fewer than 10 responses have been suppressed to protect participant anonymity.

No response option has 10 or more responses.

Staff who experienced one or more barriers to success at work





Inclusion - Witnessed barriers to success

What this is

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

n 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.

Why there are no further details

Results for response options with fewer than 10 responses have been suppressed to protect participant anonymity.

No response option has 10 or more responses

Staff who witnessed one or more barriers to success at work





Scorecard: emotional effects of work

What this is

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 and the public sector.

Example

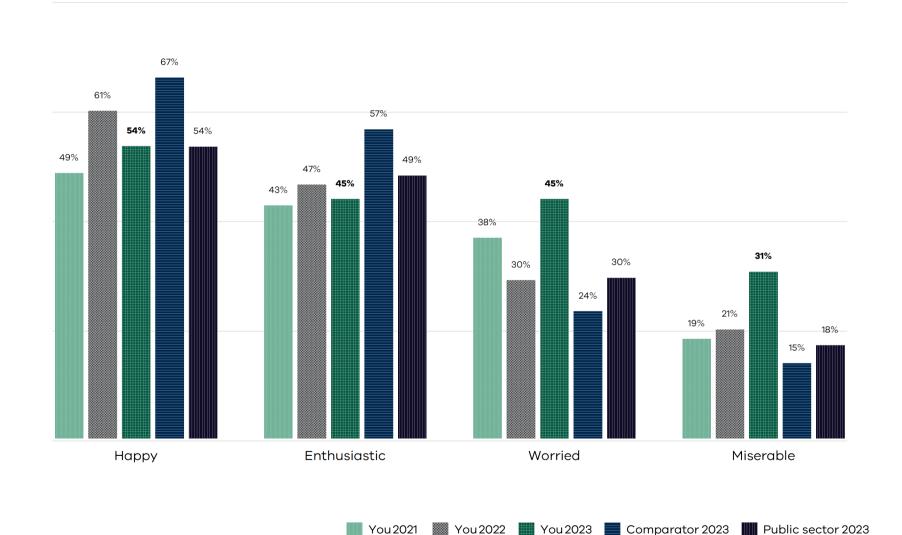
In 2023:

 54% of your staff who did the survey said work made them feel happy in 2023, which is down from 61% in 2022

Compared to:

• 67% of staff at your comparator and 54% of staff across the public sector.

Thinking about the last three months, how often has work made you feel ...



Scorecard: negative behaviours

What this is

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 and the public sector.

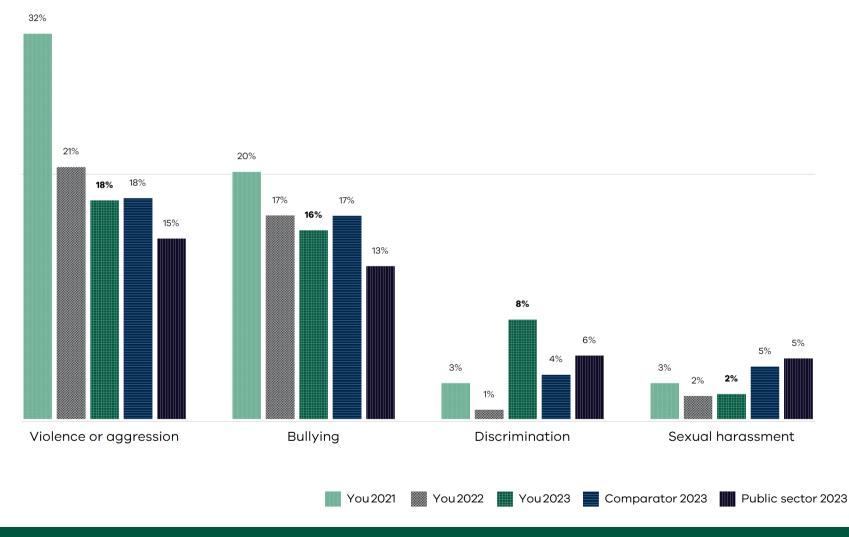
Example

In 2023:

 18% of your staff who did the survey stated they experienced 'Violence or aggression' in the last 12 months which is down from 21% in 2022.

Compared to:

• 18% of staff at your comparator and 15% of staff across the public sector.





Bullying

What this is

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.

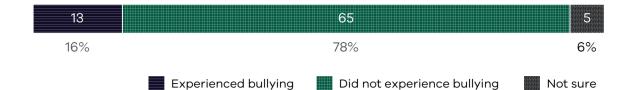
In descending order, the table shows the answers.

Example

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

Of that 16%, 92% said the top type was 'Incivility (e.g. talking down to others, making demeaning remarks, not listening to somebody)'.

Have you experienced bullying at work in the last 12 months?



If you experienced bullying, what type of bullying did you experience?	You 2022	You 2023	Comparator 2023	Public sector 2023
Incivility (e.g. talking down to others, making demeaning remarks, not listening to somebody)	50%	92%	66%	71%
Exclusion or isolation	33%	54%	37%	43%
Intimidation and/or threats	40%	46%	32%	29%
Withholding essential information for me to do my job	17%	31%	21%	28%
Other	7%	23%	13%	15%
Verbal abuse	13%	23%	21%	20%
Interference with my personal property and/or work equipment	3%	15%	6%	5%
Being assigned meaningless tasks unrelated to my job	7%	8%	10%	14%



Telling someone about the bullying

What this is

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.

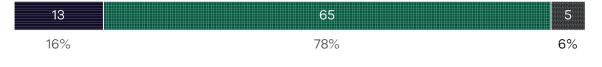
In descending order, the table shows the answers.

Example

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

- 46% said the top way they reported the bullying was 'Told a friend or family member'.
- 62% said they didn't submit a formal complaint.

Have you experienced bullying at work in the last 12 months?



	Experienced bullying	Did no	Did not experience bullying	
Did you tell anyone about the bullying?	You 2022	You 2023	Comparator 2023	Public sector 2023
Told a friend or family member	30%	46%	33%	35%
Submitted a formal complaint	7%	38%	16%	12%
Told a colleague	30%	38%	40%	41%
Told a manager	50%	31%	48%	49%
Told someone else	3%	23%	10%	12%
Told the person the behaviour was not OK	3%	23%	16%	17%
I did not tell anyone about the bullying	13%	15%	10%	12%
Told Human Resources	20%	15%	14%	12%
Told employee assistance program (EAP) or peer supp	ort 0%	8%	5%	9%





Perpetrators of bullying

What this is

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.

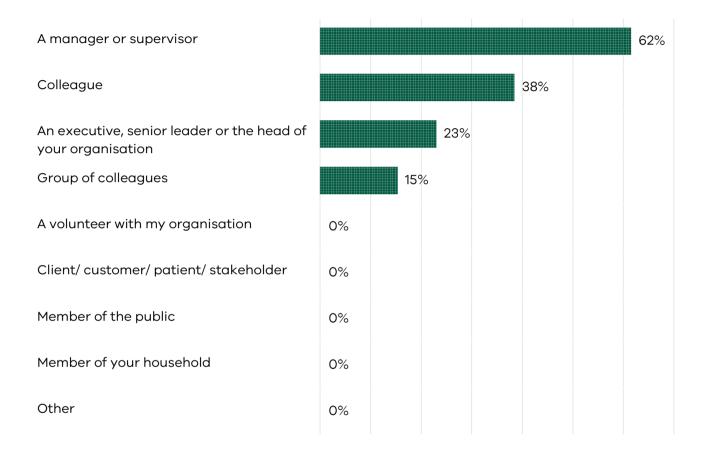
Each row is one perpetrator or group of perpetrators.

Example

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

Of that 16%, 62% said it was by 'A manager or supervisor'.

13 people (16% of staff) experienced bullying (You2023)





Relationship to perpetrator

What this is

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%, 69% said it was 'They were my immediate manager or supervisor'.

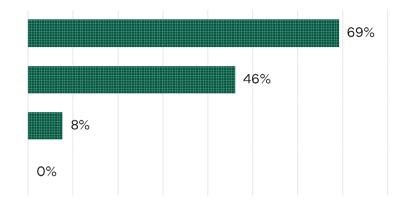
13 people (100% of staff who experienced bullying) experienced bullying from within your organisation (You2023)

They were my immediate manager or supervisor

They were in my workgroup

They were outside my workgroup

They were someone I supervise or manage



Sexual harassment

What this is

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.

Why there is no data here

We've not published the results for this section because less than 10 people said they experienced sexual harassment.

We do this to protect the respondents.

Discrimination

What this is

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.

Violence and aggression

What this is

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

Why this is important

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

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 what they experienced.

In descending order, the table shows the answers.

Example

18% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression.

Of that 18%, 80% said it was from 'Abusive language'.

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



If you experienced violence or aggression, what type did you experience?	You 2022	You 2023	Comparator 2023	Public sector 2023
Abusive language	73%	80%	76%	79%
Intimidating behaviour	46%	53%	53%	70%
Physical assault (e.g. spitting, hitting, punching, pushing, tripping, grabbing, throwing objects)	27%	53%	41%	27%
Threats of violence	22%	53%	25%	39%
Other	3%	7%	4%	4%





Telling someone about violence and aggression

What this is

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

18% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression, of which

- 53% said the top way they reported the violence or agression was 'Submitted a formal incident report'
- 47% said they didn't submit a formal incident report.

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



Did you tell anyone about the incident?	You 2022	You 2023	Comparator 2023	Public sector 2023
Submitted a formal incident report	38%	53%	41%	34%
Told the person the behaviour was not OK	30%	47%	33%	29%
Told a manager	32%	40%	56%	56%
Told a colleague	32%	33%	42%	44%
Told Human Resources	8%	7%	6%	5%
Told someone else	3%	7%	3%	6%



Perpetrators of violence and aggression

What this is

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.

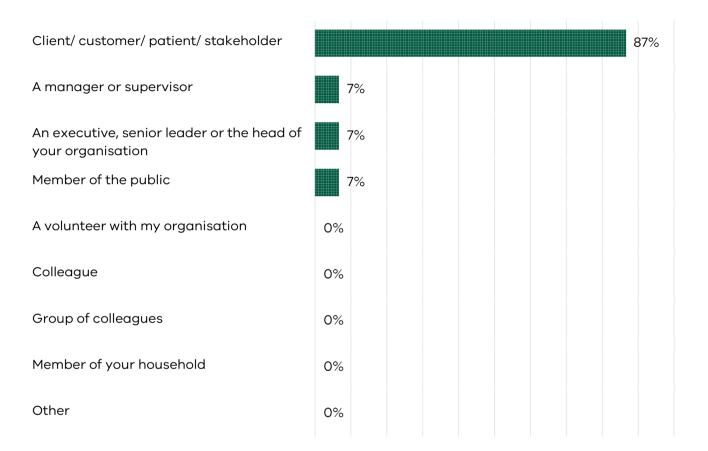
Each row is one perpetrator or a group of perpetrators.

Example

18% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression.

Of that 18%, 87% said it was 'Client/ customer/ patient/ stakeholder'.

15 people (18% of staff) experienced violence or aggression (You2023)





Witnessing negative behaviours

What this is

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

30% of your staff who did the survey said they witnessed some negative behaviour at work.

70% said they witnessed No, I have not witnessed any of the situations above'.

Have you witnessed any negative behaviour at work in the last 12 months?



During the last 12 months in your current organisation, have you witnessed any of the following negative behaviours at work?		Comparator 2023	Public sector 2023
No, I have not witnessed any of the situations above	70%	76%	79%
Bullying of a colleague	27%	17%	14%
Discrimination against a colleague	10%	9%	8%
Violence or aggression against a colleague	5%	4%	5%



Taking action when witnessing negative behaviours

What this is

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.

The table shows the answers in descending order.

Example

30% of your staff who did the survey witnessed negative behaviour, of which:

- 56% said the top action they took was 'Spoke to the person who experienced the behaviour'.
- 16% took no action.

Have you witnessed any negative behaviour at work in the last 12 months?



When you witnessed the above behaviour(s), did you do any of the following?	You 2023	Comparator 2023	Public sector 2023
Spoke to the person who experienced the behaviour	56%	69%	70%
Told a manager	40%	40%	39%
Spoke to the person who behaved in a negative way	24%	19%	19%
Told the person the behaviour was not OK	20%	21%	22%
Took no action	16%	7%	8%
Other	12%	5%	6%
Submitted a formal complaint	12%	8%	6%
Told a colleague	8%	16%	20%
Told Human Resources	8%	10%	7%

Witnessed some negative behaviour

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Highest scoring questions

What this is

These are the questions your organisation had the highest agreement or satisfaction with in 2023.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your organisation has the highest agreement or satisfaction with questions from the 2023 survey.

In this table, your score for this year is shown in the 'you 2023 column'.

You can also compare your 2023 scores against your 2022 scores and your 2023 comparator group.

Example

On the first row 'Other questions', the 'You 2023' column shows 96% of your staff agreed with 'I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work'.

This question was not asked in 2022.

Question group	Highest scoring questions	You 2023	Change from 2022	Comparator 2023
Other questions	I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work	96%	Not asked in 2022	88%
Meaningful work	I can make a worthwhile contribution at work	89%	-4%	95%
Human rights	I understand how the Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities applies to my work	88%	-3%	88%
Job enrichment	I understand how my job helps my organisation achieve its goals	88%	+1%	93%
Meaningful work	I achieve something important through my work	88%	-4%	94%
Gender equality supporting measures	In my workgroup work is allocated fairly, regardless of gender	86%	Not asked in 2022	83%
Job enrichment	I can use my skills and knowledge in my job	84%	0%	93%
Manager leadership	My manager treats employees with dignity and respect	84%	-6%	83%
Patient safety climate	I am encouraged by my colleagues to report any patient safety concerns I may have	83%	+6%	85%
Gender equality supporting measures	My organisation would support me if I needed to take family violence leave	83%	Not asked in 2022	86%



Key differences

Lowest scoring questions

What this is

These are the questions your organisation had the lowest agreement or satisfaction with in 2023.

How to read this

Use this data to see where your organisation has the lowest agreement or satisfaction with questions from the 2023 survey.

In this table, your score for this year is shown in the 'you 2023 column'.

You can also compare your 2023 scores against your 2022 scores and your 2023 comparator group.

Example

On the first row 'Taking action', the 'You 2023' column shows 22% of your staff agreed with 'My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year'.

In the 'Change from 2022' column, you have a 7% decrease, which is a negative trend.

Question subgroup	Lowest scoring questions	You 2023	Change from 2022	Comparator 2023
Taking action	My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year	22%	-7%	41%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction	30%	-24%	63%
Safety climate	In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	34%	-19%	56%
Safety climate	All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress	35%	-19%	56%
Safety climate	Senior leaders show support for stress prevention through involvement and commitment	36%	-16%	57%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders model my organisation's values	40%	-18%	68%
Taking action	I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this survey	41%	-8%	60%
Workload	I have enough time to do my job effectively	42%	-6%	62%
Organisational integrity	I believe the promotion processes in my organisation are fair	42%	-3%	51%
Safety climate	My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress	42%	-17%	60%



Most improved

What this is

This is where staff feel their organisation 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 2022' column.

When you use this data, focus on the increase instead of individual numbers.

This is because the increase from 2022 shows you where the most positive changes are happening in your organisation.

Example

On the first row 'Patient safety climate', the 'You 2023' column shows 53% of your staff agreed with 'This health service does a good job of training new and existing staff'. In the 'Increase from 2022' column, you have a 10% increase, which is a positive trend.

Question group	Most improved from last year	You 2023	Increase from 2022	Comparator 2023
Patient safety climate	This health service does a good job of training new and existing staff	53%	+10%	62%
Organisational integrity	I believe the recruitment processes in my organisation are fair	69%	+7%	66%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup work together effectively to get the job done	81%	+7%	80%
Patient safety climate	I am encouraged by my colleagues to report any patient safety concerns I may have	83%	+6%	85%
Learning and development	My organisation places a high priority on the learning and development of staff	57%	+4%	68%
Flexible working	I am confident that if I requested a flexible work arrangement, it would be given due consideration	66%	+3%	72%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest	61%	+2%	63%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work	69%	+2%	72%
Innovation	My workgroup encourages employee creativity	63%	+1%	67%
Organisational integrity	I have an equal chance at promotion in my organisation	52%	+1%	54%



Most declined

What this is

This is where staff feel their organisation 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 2022' column.

When you use this data, focus on the decrease instead of individual numbers.

This is because the decrease from 2022 shows you where the most negative changes are happening in your organisation.

Example

On the first row 'Senior leadership', the 'You 2023' column shows 30% of your staff agreed with 'Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction'.

In the 'Decrease from 2022' column, you have a 24% decrease, which is a negative trend.

Question subgroup	Largest decline from last year	You 2023	Decrease from 2022	Comparator 2023
Senior leadership	Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction	30%	-24%	63%
Engagement	I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation	51%	-21%	78%
Safety climate	All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress	35%	-19%	56%
Safety climate	In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	34%	-19%	56%
Organisational integrity	My organisation is committed to earning a high level of public trust	57%	-18%	81%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders model my organisation's values	40%	-18%	68%
Safety climate	My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress	42%	-17%	60%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity	42%	-17%	66%
Satisfaction	Considering everything, how satisfied are you with your current job	60%	-17%	78%
Engagement	My organisation inspires me to do the best in my job	48%	-16%	71%



Biggest positive difference from comparator

What this is

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 2023 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 'Other questions', the 'You 2023' column shows 96% of your staff agreed with 'I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work'.

The 'difference' column, shows that agreement for this question was 9 percentage points higher in your organisation than in your comparator.

Question group	Biggest positive difference from comparator	You 2023	Difference	Comparator 2023
Other questions	I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work	96%	+9%	88%
Organisational integrity	I believe the recruitment processes in my organisation are fair	69%	+3%	66%
Gender equality supporting measures	In my workgroup work is allocated fairly, regardless of gender	86%	+2%	83%
Flexible working	My manager supports working flexibly	82%	+2%	80%
Manager leadership	My manager treats employees with dignity and respect	84%	+1%	83%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup work together effectively to get the job done	81%	+1%	80%
Human rights	I understand how the Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities applies to my work	88%	+0%	88%



Biggest negative difference from comparator

What this is

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 2023 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 'Senior leadership', the 'You 2023' column shows 30% of your staff agreed with 'Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction'.

The 'difference' column, shows that agreement for this question was 33 percentage points lower in your organisation than in your comparator.

Question subgroup	Biggest negative difference from comparator	You 2023	Difference	Comparator 2023
Senior leadership	Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction	30%	-33%	63%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders model my organisation's values	40%	-28%	68%
Engagement	I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation	51%	-27%	78%
Engagement	I would recommend my organisation as a good place to work	48%	-25%	73%
Organisational integrity	My organisation is committed to earning a high level of public trust	57%	-24%	81%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity	42%	-23%	66%
Engagement	My organisation inspires me to do the best in my job	48%	-23%	71%
Safety climate	In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	34%	-23%	56%
Workload	The workload I have is appropriate for the job that I do	45%	-23%	67%
Safety climate	All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress	35%	-21%	56%



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Taking action

What this is

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 agreed.

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

results from last year

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

Example

41% 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 survey'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results You Comparator Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Don't know Agree 2021 2022 2023 Lowest Average Highest 28% 41% I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this survey 31% 25% 22% My organisation has made improvements based on the survey

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Senior leadership

What this is

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

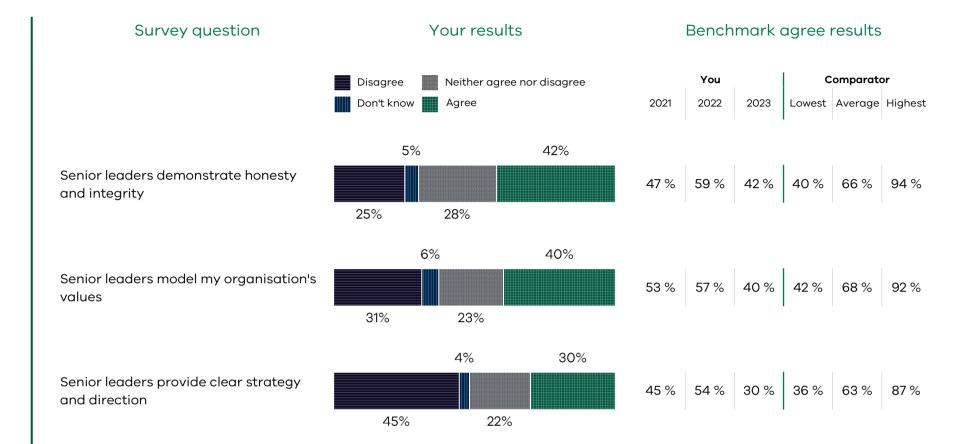
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Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

42% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity'.







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Scorecard

What this is

This scorecard provides overall results for each factor in the organisation climate part of 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 organisational climate.

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

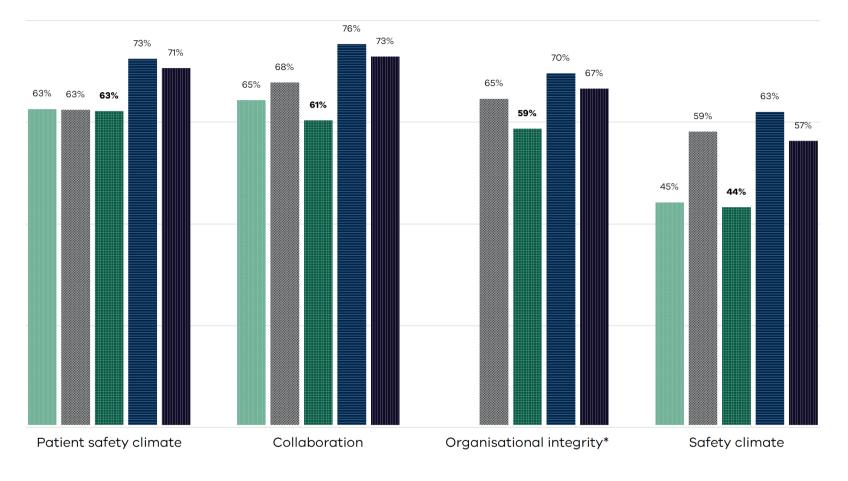
Example

In 2023:

 63% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Patient safety climate which is down from 63% in 2022.

Compared to:

• 73% of staff at your comparator and 71% of staff across the public sector.



*We can't compare some data here because one or more questions were not asked in a previous survey



Organisational integrity 1 of 2

What this is

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

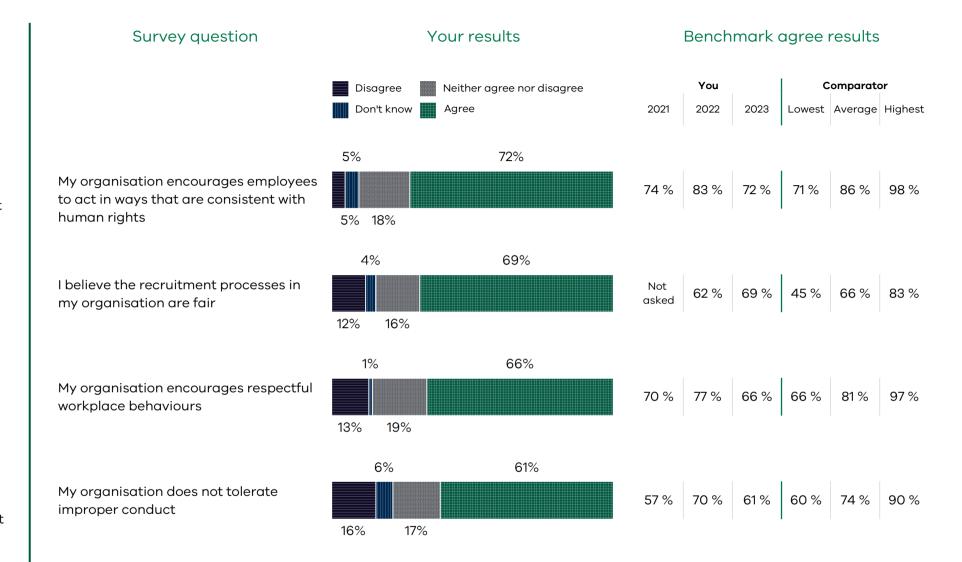
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Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

72% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation encourages employees to act in ways that are consistent with human rights'.







Organisational integrity 2 of 2

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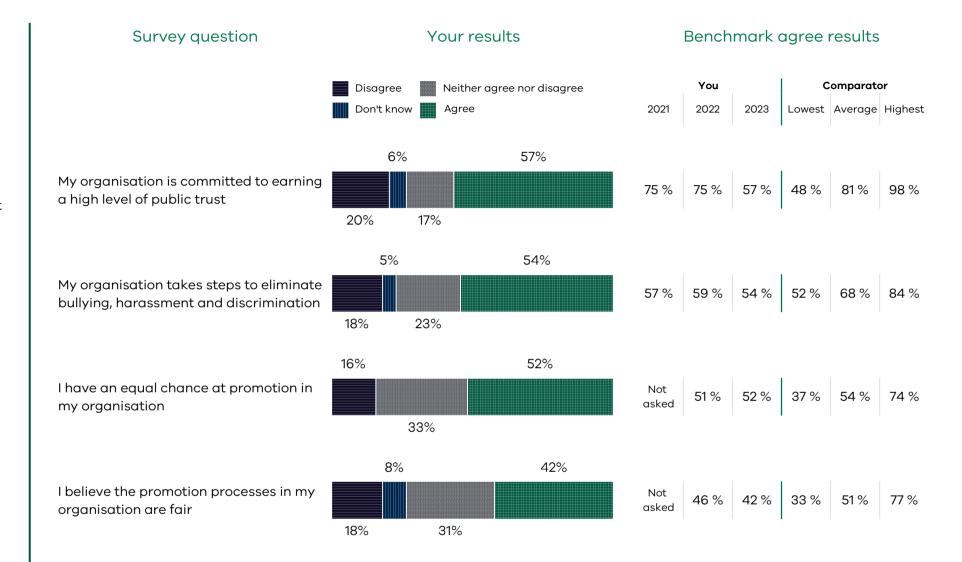
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Under 'Benchmark results', compare your comparator groups overall, lowest and highest scores with your own.

Example

57% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation is committed to earning a high level of public trust'.







Collaboration

What this is

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.

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

Example

78% 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 Your results Benchmark agree results You Comparator Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Don't know 2021 2022 2023 Lowest Average Highest 4% 78% I am able to work effectively with others outside my immediate workgroup 18% 6% 43% Workgroups across my organisation willingly share information with each other 27% 24%

Safety climate 1 of 2

What this is

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

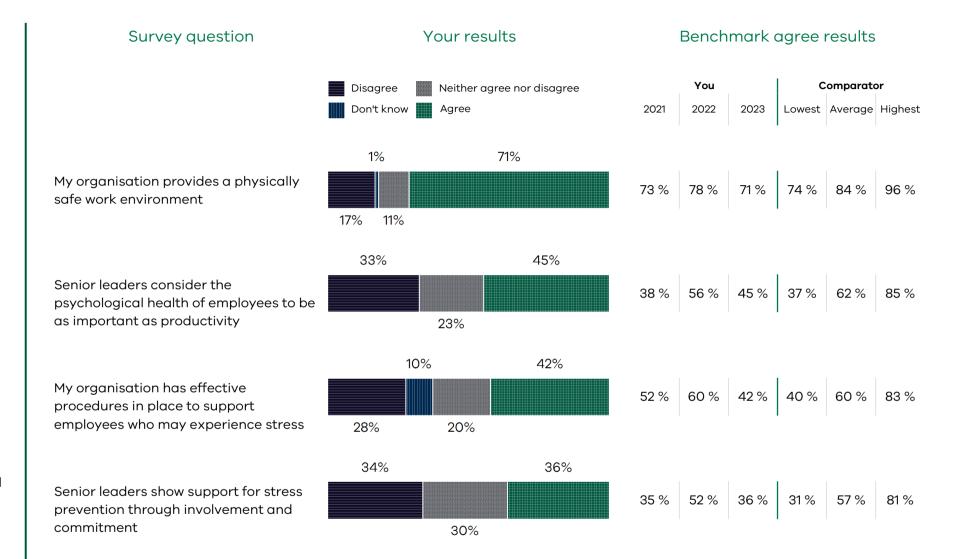
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'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

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

Example

71% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation provides a physically safe work environment'.







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What this is

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

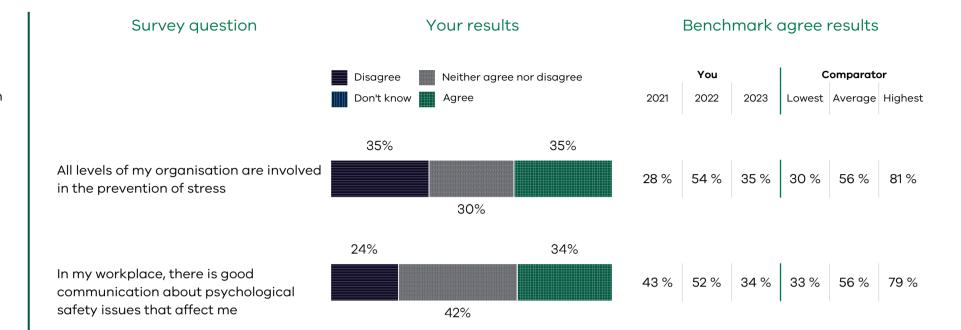
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Example

35% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress'.





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What this is

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Why this is important

A good patient safety climate means safe, high-quality care and experiences.

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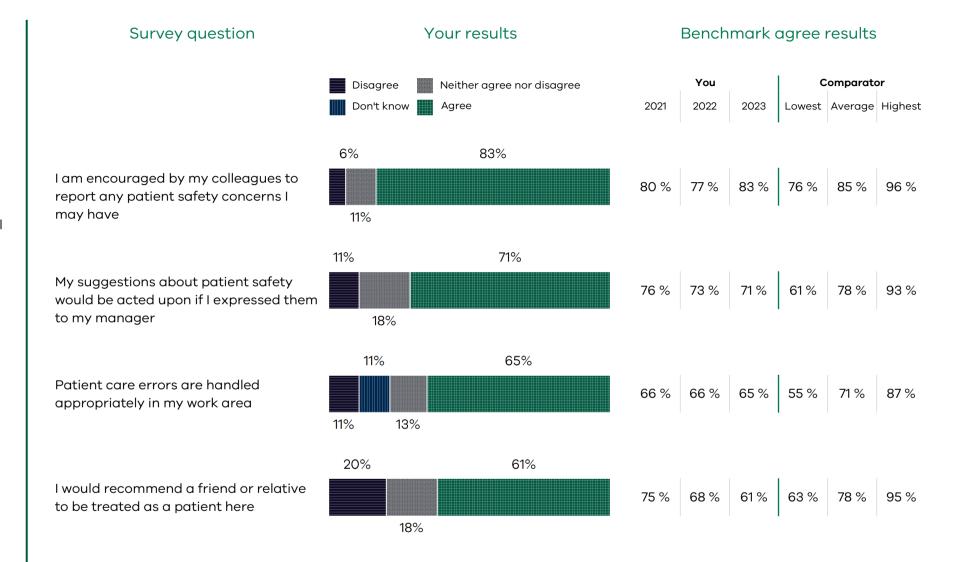
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Example

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This scorecard provides overall results for each factor in the workgroup climate part of the survey's theoretical framework.

Why this is important

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How to read this

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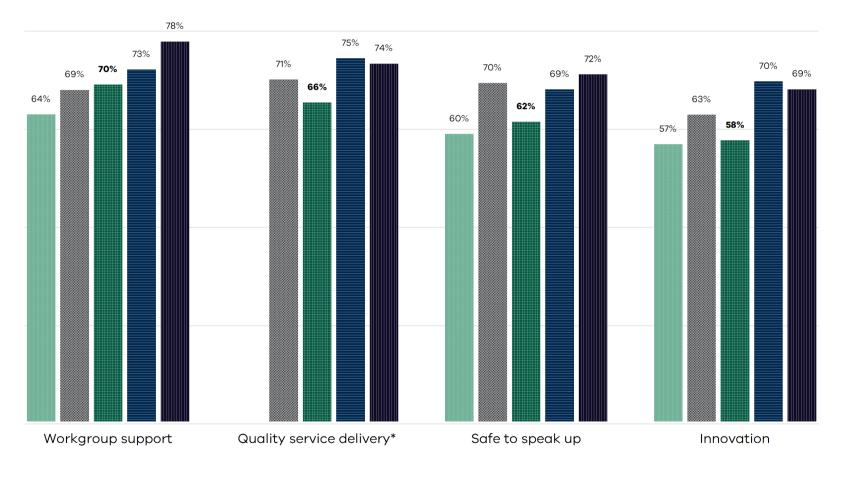
Example

In 2023:

 70% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Workgroup support which is up from 69% in 2022.

Compared to:

• 73% of staff at your comparator and 78% of staff across the public sector.



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Quality service delivery

What this is

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

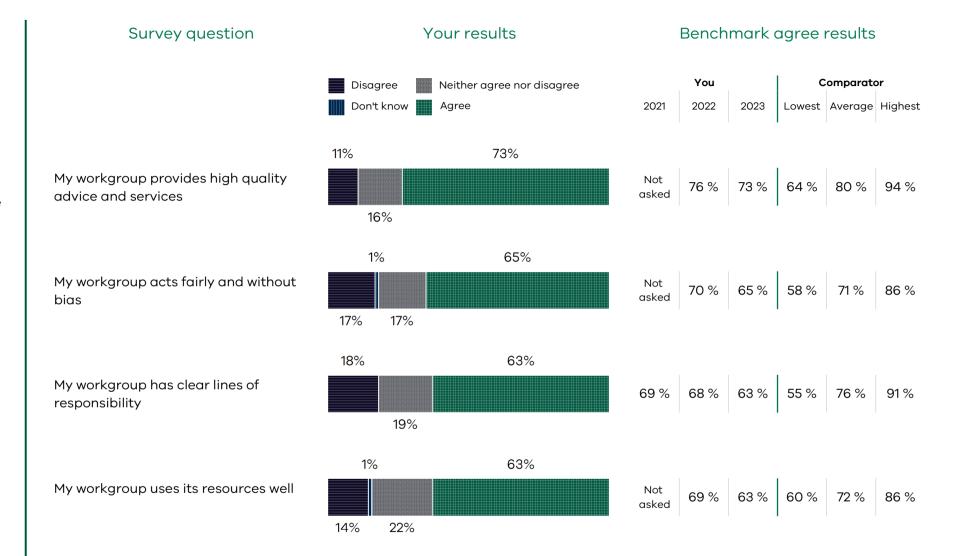
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Example

73% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup provides high quality advice and services'.







Innovation

What this is

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 engagement.

How to read this

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Example

63% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup encourages employee creativity'.



Workgroup support 1 of 2

What this is

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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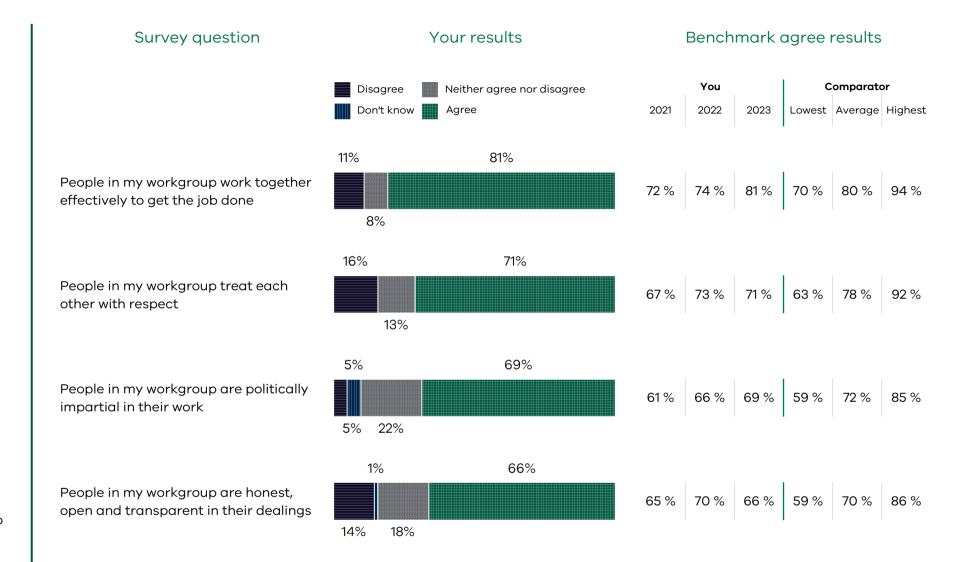
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Example

81% 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

61% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results You Comparator Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Don't know Agree 2021 2022 2023 Lowest Average Highest 4% 61% People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest

12%

23%

Safe to speak up

What this is

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.

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63% 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'.

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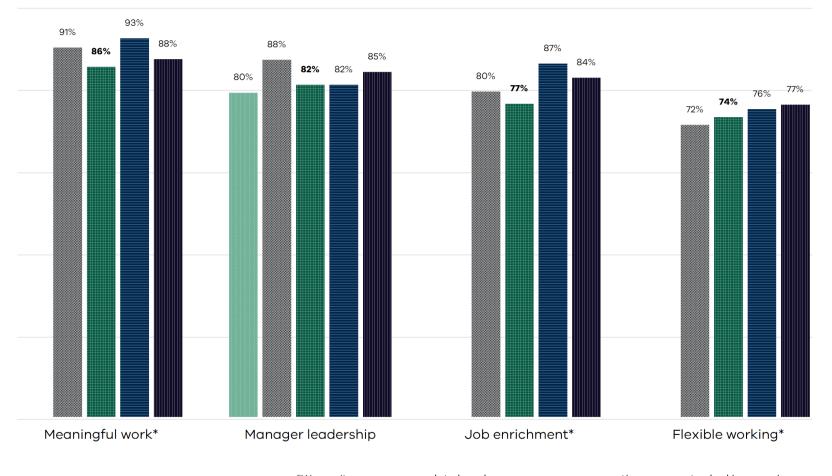
Example

In 2023:

 86% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Meaningful work.

Compared to:

• 93% of staff at your comparator and 88% of staff across the public sector.



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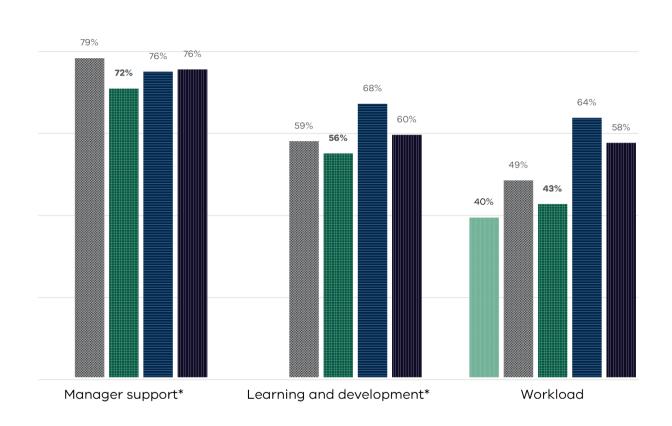
Example

In 2023:

 72% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Manager support.

Compared to:

• 76% of staff at your comparator and 76% of staff across the public sector.



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You 2021 You 2022 You 2023 Comparator 2023 Public sector 2023

Manager leadership

What this is

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

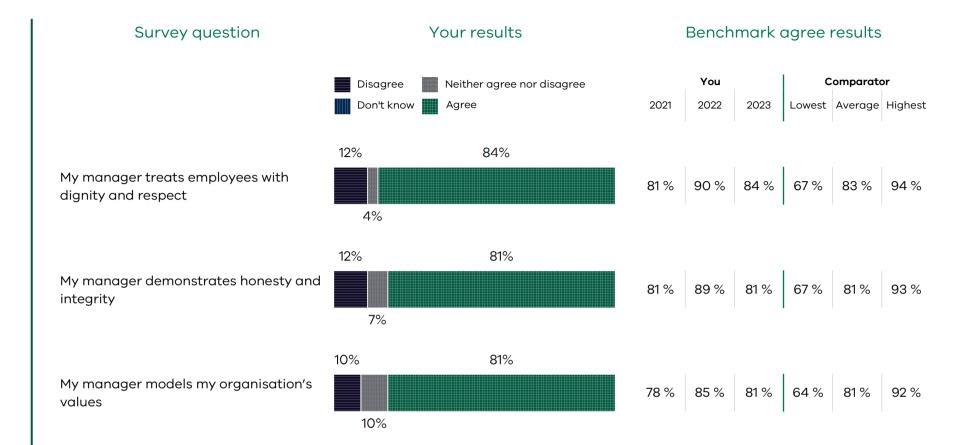
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Example

84% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager treats employees with dignity and respect'.







Manager support 1 of 2

What this is

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.

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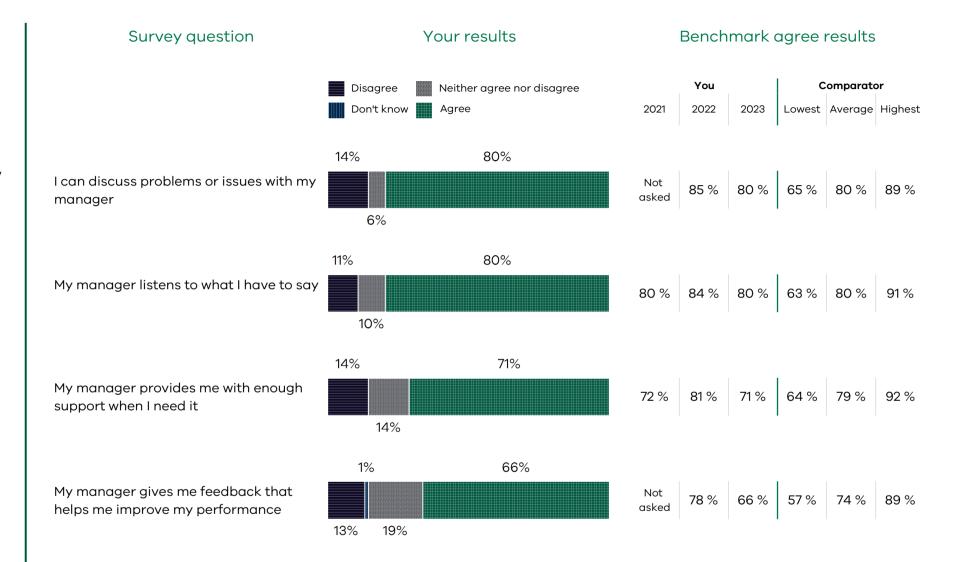
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Example

80% 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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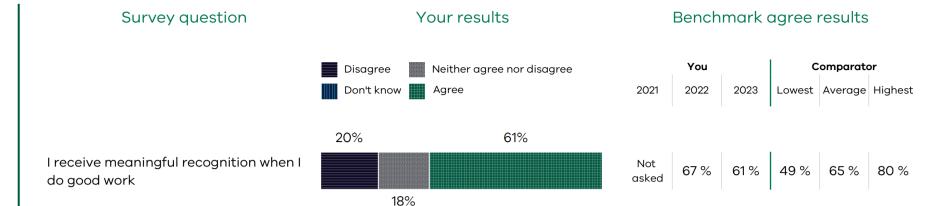
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Example

61% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I receive meaningful recognition when I do good work'.





Workload

What this is

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

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Example

45% 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 You Comparator Neither agree nor disagree Disagree 2021 2022 2023 Lowest Average Highest Agree 45% 42% The workload I have is appropriate for the job that I do 13% 42% 42% I have enough time to do my job effectively 16%



Learning and development

What this is

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

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Example

71% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I am developing and learning in my role'.







Job enrichment 1 of 2

What this is

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

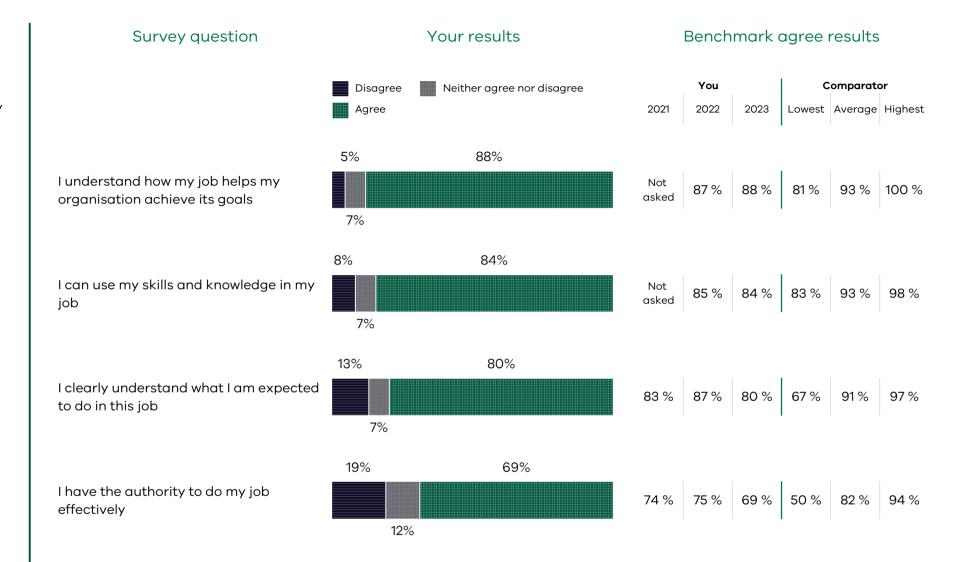
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66% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I have a say in how I do my work'.

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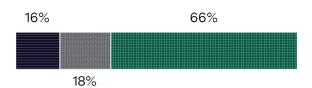
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Your results



Benchmark agree results

I have a say in how I do my work





Meaningful work

What this is

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.

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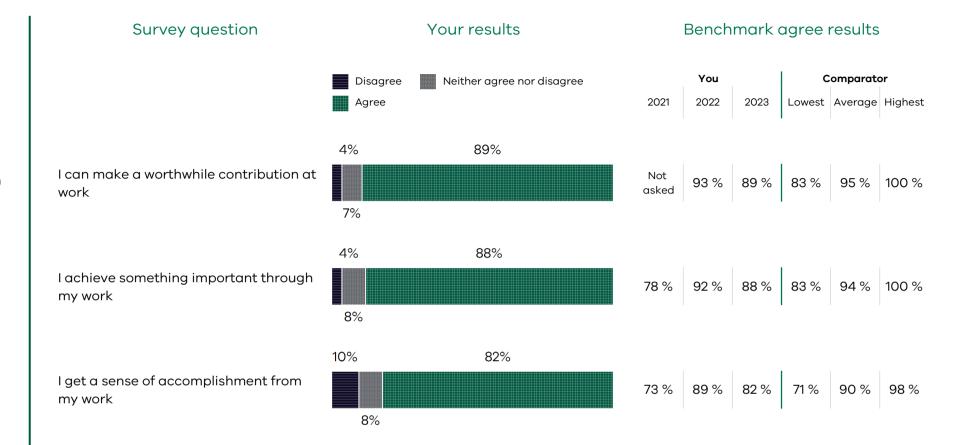
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Example

89% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I can make a worthwhile contribution at work'.





Flexible working

What this is

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

Why this is important

Supporting flexible working can improve employee wellbeing.

How to read this

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

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Example

82% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager supports working flexibly'.

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What this is

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.

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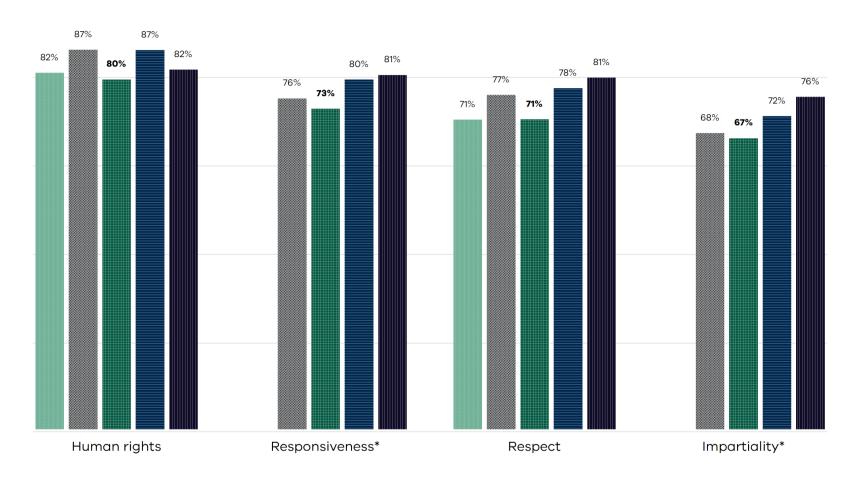
Example

In 2023:

 80% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Human rights, which is down 7% in 2022.

Compared to:

• 87% of staff at your comparator and 82% of staff across the public sector.



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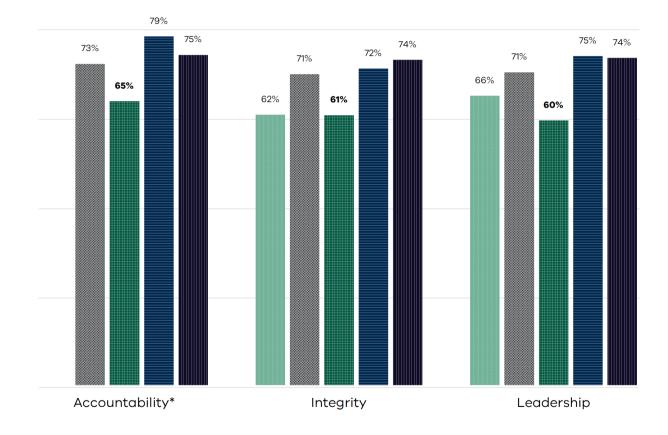
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In 2023:

 65% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Accountability, which is down 8% in 2022.

Compared to:

• 79% of staff at your comparator and 75% of staff across the public sector.



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You 2021 You 2022 You 2023 Comparator 2023 Public sector 2023

Responsiveness

What this is

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

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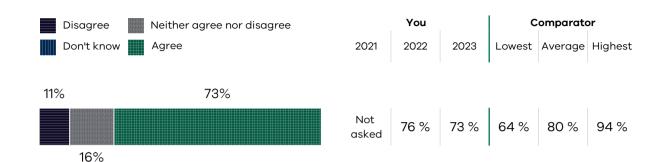
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Survey question

Your results

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My workgroup provides high quality advice and services

Integrity 1 of 2

What this is

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Why this is important

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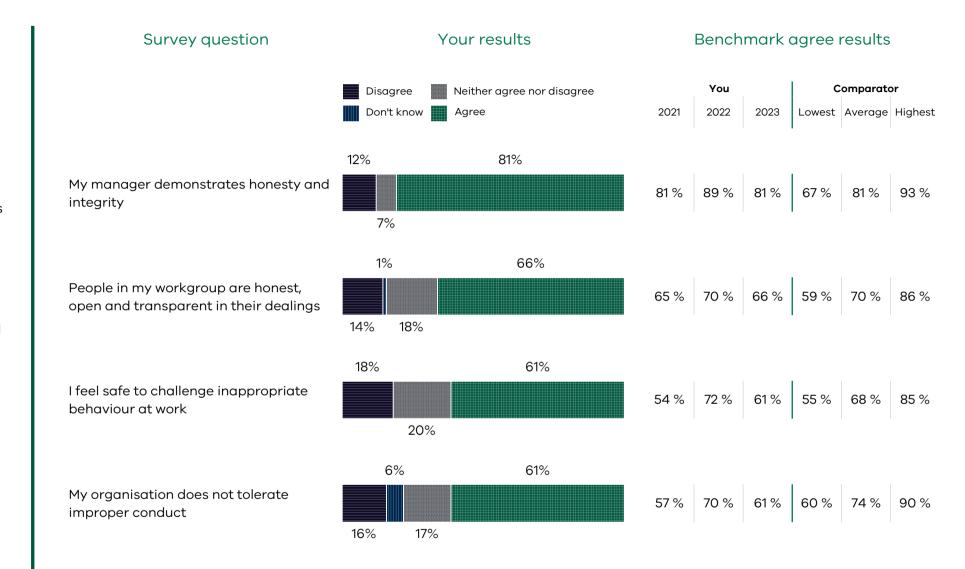
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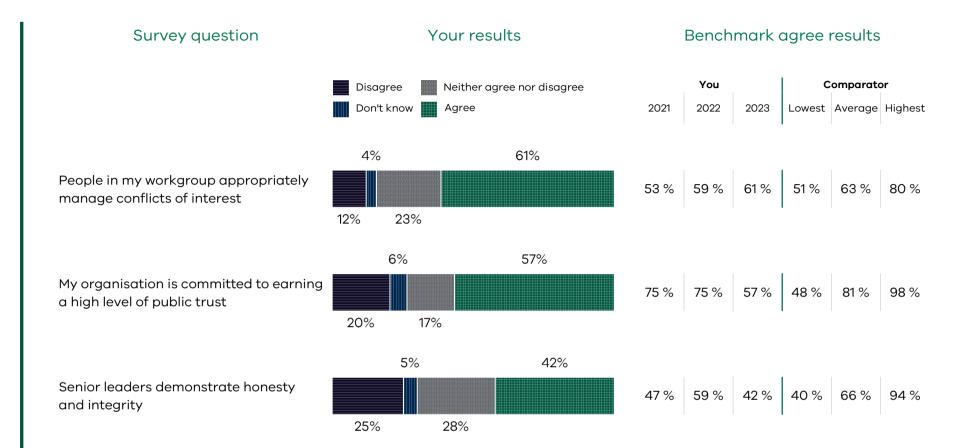
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Impartiality

What this is

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

69% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work'.

Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results You Comparator Neither agree nor disagree 2021 2022 2023 Lowest Average Highest 5% 69% People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work 5% 22% 1% 65% My workgroup acts fairly and without bias 17% 17%

Accountability 1 of 2

What this is

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.

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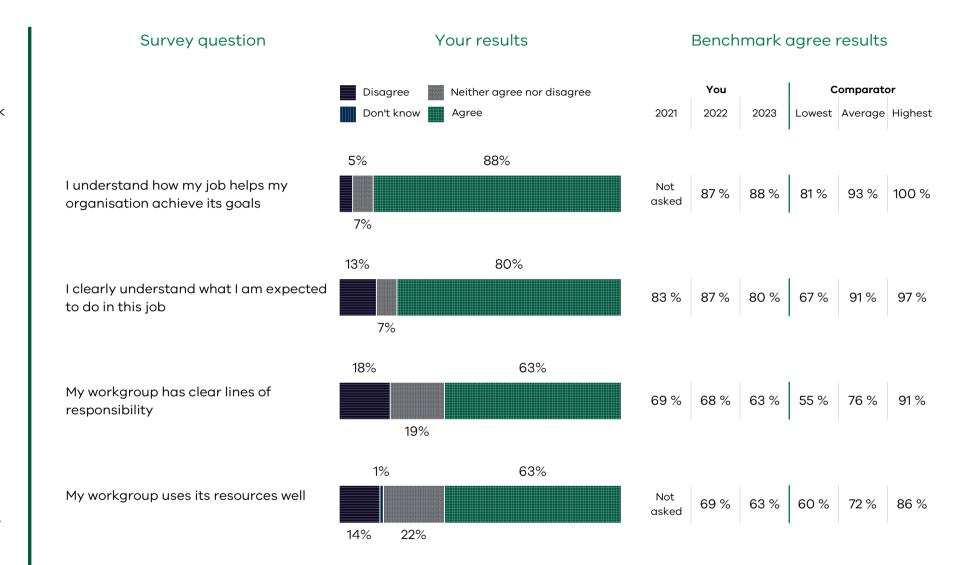
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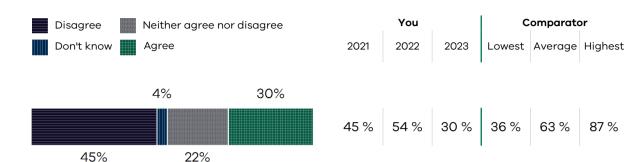
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30% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction'.

Survey question

Your results

Benchmark agree results



Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction



Respect 1 of 2

What this is

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

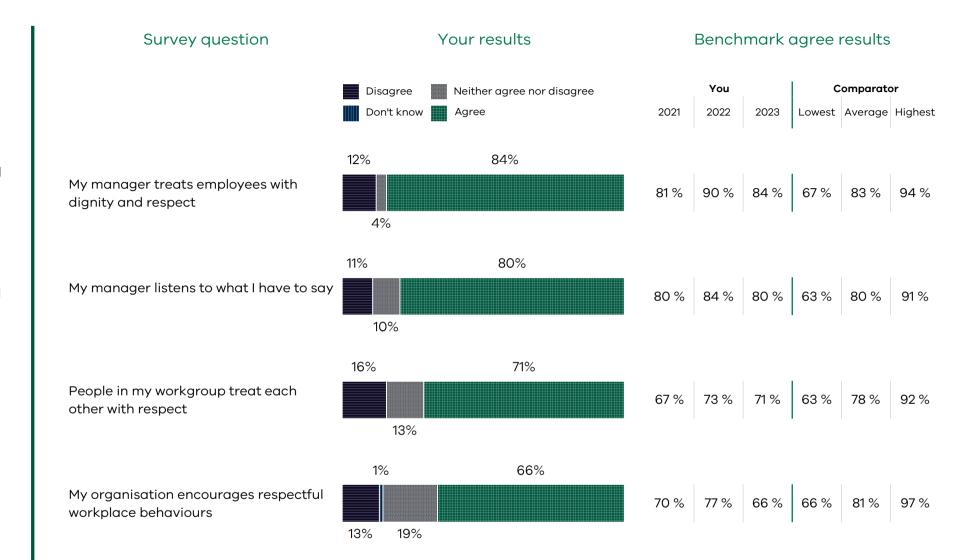
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Example

84% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager treats employees with dignity and respect'.







Respect 2 of 2

What this is

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.

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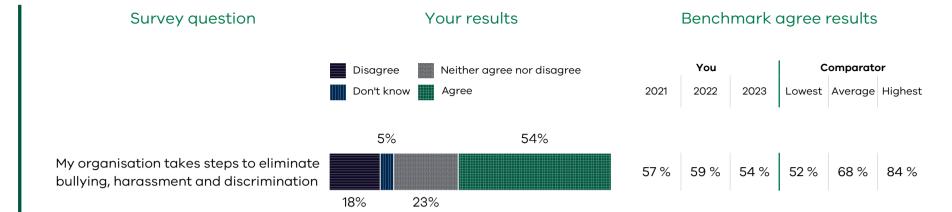
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Example

54% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination'.



Leadership

What this is

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

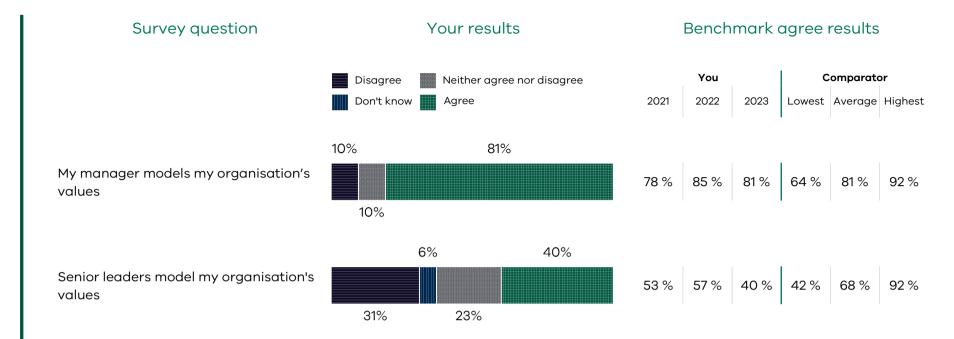
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Example

81% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager models my organisation's values'.



Human rights

What this is

Human rights is how your staff feel their organisation upholds basic human rights.

Why this is important

Using the Victorian Charter of Human Rights, organisations must consider human rights in how they work and act.

How to read this

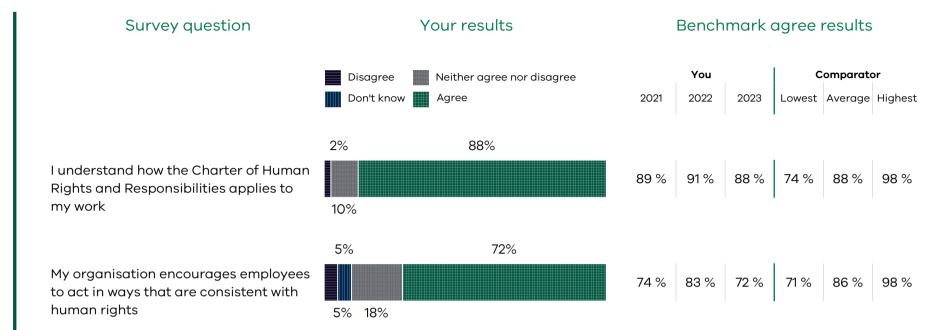
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Example

88% of 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

What this is

These are additional questions to support Workplace Gender Audits, in addition to existing survey questions on gender equality.

Detailed results for all gender equality questions are provided to your Human Resources area in separate Excel reports..

Why this is important

Under the Gender Equality Act 2020, organisations have obligations to promote gender equality in the workplace.

How to read this

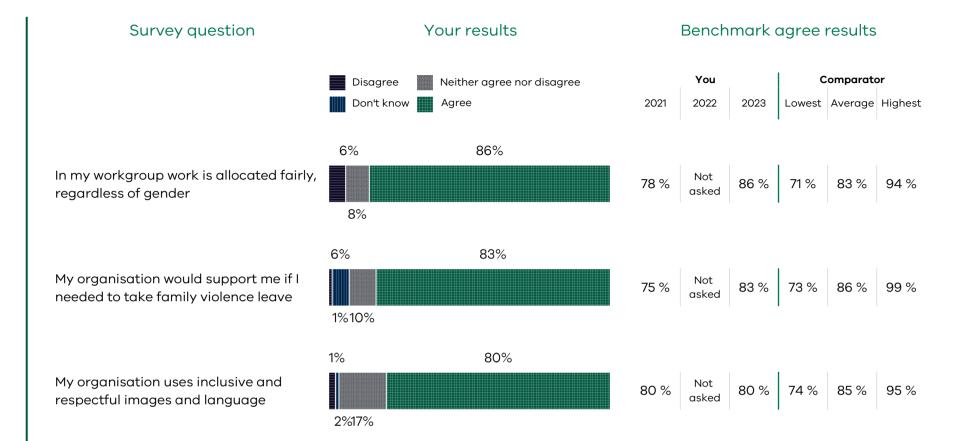
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Example

86% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'In my workgroup work is allocated fairly, regardless of gender'.







Topical questions

What this is

Results for additional questions that gather data on whole of Government sector issues.

Why this is important

The People matter survey is an efficient way to gather data on public sector issues, avoiding additional surveys.

How to read this

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Example

96% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work'.

Survey question

Your results

Neither agree nor disagree

Benchmark agree results

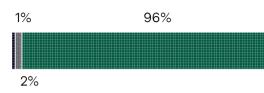
Comparator

74 %



Disagree

Don't know

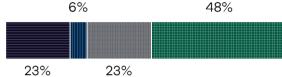


Agree



My workgroup gives frank and fearless advice to our managers and leaders (including the Minister, where applicable)

applies to my work



Not asked	Not asked	48 %	42 %	56 %

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What this is

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Why this is important

By asking custom questions, organisations make the survey more meaningful to their needs.

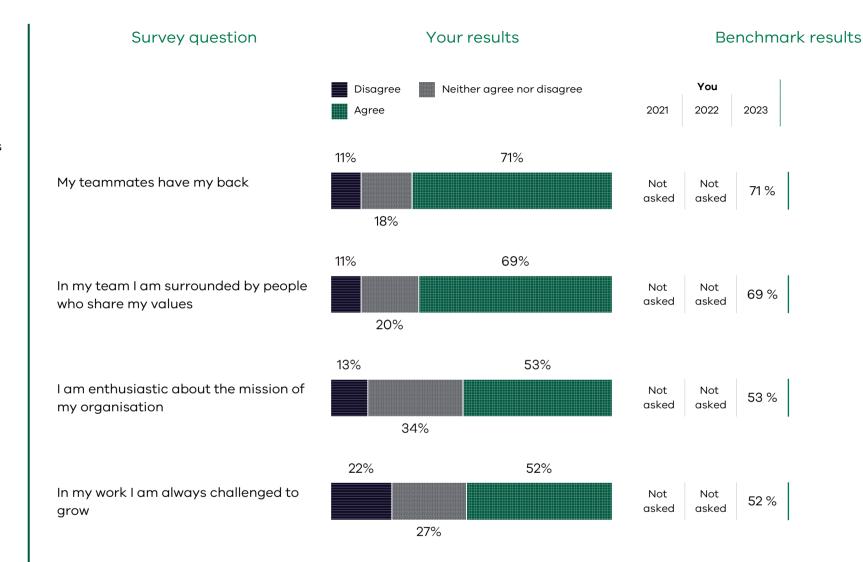
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Under 'Your results' in descending order, you can see the percentage of staff who agreed or disagreed with each question.

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Example

71% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My teammates have my back'.





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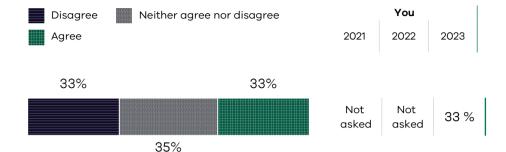
33% of staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I have great confidence in my organisation's future'.

Survey question

I have great confidence in my organisation's future

Your results

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Age, gender, variations in sex characteristics and sexual orientation

What this is

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.

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Age	(n)	%
15-34 years	13	16%
35-54 years	42	51%
55+ years	21	25%
Prefer not to say	7	8%

How would you describe your gender?	(n)	%
Woman	68	82%
Man	11	13%
Prefer not to say	4	5%
Are you trans, non-binary or gender diverse?	(n)	%

11	13%
4	5%
(n)	%
81	98%
2	2%
	(n) 81

To your knowledge, do you have innate variation(s) of sex characteristics (often adlad intercey/2*

called intersex)?*	(n)	%
No	79	95%
Don't know	3	4%
Prefer not to say	1	1%

How do you describe your sexual orientation?	(n)	%
Straight (heterosexual)	70	84%
Prefer not to say	10	12%
Gay or lesbian	1	1%
Bisexual	1	1%

Asexual

Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander employees

What this is

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

Why this is important

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Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	(n)	%
Yes	1	1%
Non Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	81	98%
Prefer not to say	1	1%



Disability

What this is

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

Why this is important

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Do you identify as a person with a disability?	(n)	%
Yes	7	8%
No	73	88%
Prefer not to say	3	4%



Cultural diversity 1 of 2

What this is

These are the personal characteristics of staff.

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Country of birth	(n)	%
Born in Australia	72	87%
Not born in Australia	7	8%
Prefer not to say	4	5%

Language other than English spoken with family or community	(n)	%
Yes	5	6%
No	76	92%
Prefer not to say	2	2%



Cultural diversity 2 of 2

What this is

This is the cultural identity and religion of staff.

Why this is important

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Cultural identity	(n)	%
Australian	66	80%
Prefer not to say	6	7%
English, Irish, Scottish and/or Welsh	6	7%
East and/or South-East Asian	3	4%
South Asian	2	2%
European (including Western, Eastern and South-Eastern Europe, and Scandinavia)	2	2%
Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	1	1%

Religion	(n)	%
No religion	40	48%
Christianity	32	39%
Prefer not to say	6	7%
Buddhism	2	2%
Other	2	2%
Hinduism	1	1%



Employment characteristics 1 of 2

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Working arrangement	(n)	%
Full-Time	23	28%
Part-Time	60	72%
Gross base salary (ongoing/fixed term only)	(n)	%
Prefer not to say	7	9%
Below \$80k	37	46%
\$80k to \$120k	28	35%
\$120k to \$160k	4	5%
\$160k to \$200k	3	4%
\$200k or more	1	1%
Organisational tenure	(n)	%
<1 year	19	23%
1 to less than 2 years	19	23%
2 to less than 5 years	14	17%
5 to less than 10 years	14	17%
10 to less than 20 years	10	12%
More than 20 years	7	8%

Management responsibility	(n)	%
Non-manager	57	69%
Other manager	19	23%
Manager of other manager(s)	7	8%
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Employment type	(n)	%
Employment type Ongoing and executive	(n)	% 82%
	1	1



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Primary workplace location over the last 3 months	(n)	%
Rural	79	95%
Large regional city	4	5%
What have been your main places of work over the last 3-months?	(n)	%
Your employer's office	36	43%
A frontline or service delivery location	39	47%
Home or private location	2	2%
A shared office space (where two or more organisations share the same workspace e.g. Gov hubs, suburban hubs etc.)	6	7%
Other	5	6%

Flexible work	(n)	%
Part-time	39	47%
Shift swap	25	30%
No, I do not use any flexible work arrangements	25	30%
Flexible start and finish times	17	20%
Study leave	12	14%
Using leave to work flexible hours	12	14%
Working from an alternative location (e.g. home, hub/shared work space)	10	12%
Other	5	6%
Working more hours over fewer days	5	6%
Job sharing	2	2%



Adjustments

What this is

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.

How to read this

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Have you requested any of the following adjustments at work?*	(n)	%
No, I have not requested adjustments	65	78%
Flexible working arrangements	13	16%
Physical modifications or improvements to the workplace	6	7%
Career development support strategies	3	4%
Job redesign or role sharing	1	1%
Accessible communications technologies	1	1%

Why did you make this request?	(n)	%
Caring responsibilities	7	39%
Work-life balance	7	39%
Family responsibilities	5	28%
Health	5	28%
Study commitments	2	11%
Other	2	11%
Disability	1	6%

What was your experience with making the request? The adjustments I needed were made and the process was satisfactory The adjustments I needed were made but the process was unsatisfactory The adjustments I needed were not made 2 11%



Caring

What this is

These are staff-reported caring responsibilities.

Why this is important

This shows organisations what caring responsibilities their staff have.

How to read this

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Caring responsibility	(n)	%
None of the above	28	34%
Primary school aged child(ren)	22	27%
Secondary school aged child(ren)	15	18%
Child(ren) - younger than preschool age	14	17%
Preschool aged child(ren)	11	13%
Frail or aged person(s)	9	11%
Person(s) with a medical condition	7	8%
Person(s) with a mental illness	6	7%
Prefer not to say	5	6%
Person(s) with disability	4	5%
Other	2	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.

How to read this

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Which of the following categories best describes your current position?	(n)	%
Nursing Employees	34	41%
Management, Administration and Corporate support	24	29%
Support services	7	8%
Allied health - therapy discipline	7	8%
Allied health - assistant	6	7%
Other health and social care	4	5%
Community development	1	1%



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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Which of the following best describes the primary operational area in which

you work?	(n)	%
Hospital-based services	34	41%
Corporate services	12	14%
Community-based services	12	14%
Residential aged care services	25	30%

Is your primary work role in one of the

Administration

following areas?	(n)	%
Aged care	26	31%
Emergency	1	1%
Maternity care	1	1%
Medical	6	7%
Mental health	1	1%
Mixed medical/surgical	2	2%
Palliative care	2	2%
Peri-operative	2	2%
Rehabilitation	1	1%
Other	17	20%



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29%





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