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Total	814	105	45	90	69	82	94	113	63	68	85	
	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	
GP led commissioning will lead to patients seeing a noticeable improvement in their care	Agree	101	16	5	8	11	7	8	19	10	7	10
		12 %	15 %	11 %	9 %	16 %	9 %	9 %	17 %	16 %	10 %	12 %
	Disagree	448	58	21	55	29	50	58	52	34	42	49
	55 %	55 %	47 %	61 %	42 %	61 %	62 %	46 %	54 %	62 %	58 %	
Don't know	265	31	19	27	29	25	28	42	19	19	26	
	33 %	30 %	42 %	30 %	42 %	30 %	30 %	37 %	30 %	28 %	31 %	
The NHS needs the scale of change set out in the Health Bill to be sustainable	Agree	384	48	20	41	33	39	36	59	31	39	38
		47 %	46 %	44 %	46 %	48 %	48 %	38 %	52 %	49 %	57 %	45 %
	Disagree	295	41	19	36	20	29	39	36	20	17	38
	36 %	39 %	42 %	40 %	29 %	35 %	41 %	32 %	32 %	25 %	45 %	
Don't know	135	16	6	13	16	14	19	18	12	12	9	
	17 %	15 %	13 %	14 %	23 %	17 %	20 %	16 %	19 %	18 %	11 %	
The Health Bill proposals will lead to a bigger role for private companies in the NHS	Agree	710	92	42	80	60	72	82	97	53	58	74
		87 %	88 %	93 %	89 %	87 %	88 %	87 %	86 %	84 %	85 %	87 %
	Disagree	25	3	0	3	4	3	2	4	2	0	4
	3 %	3 %	0 %	3 %	6 %	4 %	2 %	4 %	3 %	0 %	5 %	
Don't know	79	10	3	7	5	7	10	12	8	10	7	
	10 %	10 %	7 %	8 %	7 %	9 %	11 %	11 %	13 %	15 %	8 %	

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Total	814	502	232	79	446	368	9	91	174	290	250	10	369	220	169	46	
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GP led commissioning will lead to patients seeing a noticeable improvement in their care	Agree	101	62	29	10	71	30	2	14	16	41	28	1	48	27	17	8
	Disagree	448	311	96	40	243	205	3	54	110	152	129	4	194	113	116	21
	Don't know	265	129	107	29	132	133	4	23	48	97	93	5	127	80	36	17
	33 %	26 %	46 %	37 %	30 %	36 %	44 %	25 %	28 %	33 %	37 %	50 %	34 %	36 %	21 %	37 %	
The NHS needs the scale of change set out in the Health Bill to be sustainable	Agree	384	231	118	34	201	183	3	36	79	139	127	7	191	97	71	18
	Disagree	295	195	78	22	176	119	3	40	72	99	81	1	123	79	73	19
	Don't know	135	76	36	23	69	66	3	15	23	52	42	2	55	44	25	9
	17 %	15 %	16 %	29 %	15 %	18 %	33 %	16 %	13 %	18 %	17 %	20 %	15 %	20 %	15 %	20 %	
The Health Bill proposals will lead to a bigger role for private companies in the NHS	Agree	710	449	193	67	386	324	6	77	155	247	225	9	325	190	150	36
	Disagree	25	17	5	3	18	7	1	6	6	9	3	0	8	7	6	4
	Don't know	79	36	34	9	42	37	2	8	13	34	22	1	36	23	13	6
	10 %	7 %	15 %	11 %	9 %	10 %	22 %	9 %	7 %	12 %	9 %	10 %	10 %	10 %	8 %	13 %	

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Total	814	48	348	174	243	19	139	244	412	148	666	45	93	150	150	376
	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %	100 %
GP led commissioning will lead to patients seeing a noticeable improvement in their care	Agree	101	6	48	24	23	5	23	34	39	28	73	7	17	21	36
		12 %	13 %	14 %	14 %	9 %	26 %	17 %	14 %	9 %	19 %	11 %	16 %	18 %	14 %	13 %
	Disagree	448	34	177	94	143	8	72	134	234	84	364	24	50	75	85
	55 %	71 %	51 %	54 %	59 %	42 %	52 %	55 %	57 %	57 %	55 %	53 %	54 %	50 %	57 %	
Don't know	265	8	123	56	77	6	44	76	139	36	229	14	26	54	45	
	33 %	17 %	35 %	32 %	32 %	32 %	32 %	31 %	34 %	24 %	34 %	31 %	28 %	36 %	30 %	
The NHS needs the scale of change set out in the Health Bill to be sustainable	Agree	384	21	156	90	116	7	55	115	207	77	307	16	39	64	191
		47 %	44 %	45 %	52 %	48 %	37 %	40 %	47 %	50 %	52 %	46 %	36 %	42 %	43 %	
	Disagree	295	22	129	57	87	8	54	92	141	51	244	22	31	63	129
	36 %	46 %	37 %	33 %	36 %	42 %	39 %	38 %	34 %	34 %	37 %	49 %	33 %	42 %	33 %	
Don't know	135	5	63	27	40	4	30	37	64	20	115	7	23	23	26	
	17 %	10 %	18 %	16 %	16 %	21 %	22 %	15 %	16 %	14 %	17 %	16 %	25 %	15 %	17 %	
The Health Bill proposals will lead to a bigger role for private companies in the NHS	Agree	710	43	305	150	211	14	120	210	366	131	579	32	78	125	339
		87 %	90 %	88 %	86 %	87 %	74 %	86 %	86 %	89 %	89 %	87 %	71 %	84 %	83 %	
	Disagree	25	1	10	6	8	1	7	7	10	5	20	2	4	7	
	3 %	2 %	3 %	3 %	3 %	5 %	5 %	3 %	2 %	3 %	3 %	4 %	4 %	5 %		
Don't know	79	4	33	18	24	4	12	27	36	12	67	11	11	18		
	10 %	8 %	9 %	10 %	10 %	21 %	9 %	11 %	9 %	8 %	10 %	24 %	12 %	12 %		

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		10 %	10 %	7 %	8 %	7 %	9 %	11 %	11 %	13 %	15 %	8 %
The NHS will be able to go on treating the great majority of patients within 18 weeks for routine operations, even though it has to find savings	Agree	183	21	11	24	16	17	19	27	13	15	20
		22 %	20 %	24 %	27 %	23 %	21 %	20 %	24 %	21 %	22 %	24 %
	Disagree	400	51	20	40	34	43	44	55	29	38	46
		49 %	49 %	44 %	44 %	49 %	52 %	47 %	49 %	46 %	56 %	54 %
	Don't know	231	33	14	26	19	22	31	31	21	15	19
		28 %	31 %	31 %	29 %	28 %	27 %	33 %	27 %	33 %	22 %	22 %
The NHS in my area will have to increase the rationing of treatment in order to stay in financial balance	Agree	672	87	34	75	59	68	79	96	50	54	70
		83 %	83 %	76 %	83 %	86 %	83 %	84 %	85 %	79 %	79 %	82 %
	Disagree	42	6	2	6	3	5	5	4	5	3	3
		5 %	6 %	4 %	7 %	4 %	6 %	5 %	4 %	8 %	4 %	4 %
	Don't know	100	12	9	9	7	9	10	13	8	11	12
		12 %	11 %	20 %	10 %	10 %	11 %	11 %	12 %	13 %	16 %	14 %
The NHS needs to close or downgrade some A&E departments in the next five years in order to make cost savings	Agree	341	37	19	36	32	30	41	56	23	34	33
		42 %	35 %	42 %	40 %	46 %	37 %	44 %	50 %	37 %	50 %	39 %
	Disagree	191	30	6	27	10	17	18	30	20	12	21
		23 %	29 %	13 %	30 %	14 %	21 %	19 %	27 %	32 %	18 %	25 %
	Don't know	282	38	20	27	27	35	35	27	20	22	31
		35 %	36 %	44 %	30 %	39 %	43 %	37 %	24 %	32 %	32 %	36 %
Patients should have to stop smoking or lose weight in order to get access to NHS treatment, if it would make a significant difference to how well the treatment worked	Agree	485	61	23	50	45	44	56	69	35	46	56
		60 %	58 %	51 %	56 %	65 %	54 %	60 %	61 %	56 %	68 %	66 %
	Disagree	195	24	15	25	14	18	23	28	19	11	18
		24 %	23 %	33 %	28 %	20 %	22 %	24 %	25 %	30 %	16 %	21 %
	Don't know	134	20	7	15	10	20	15	16	9	11	11
		16 %	19 %	16 %	17 %	14 %	24 %	16 %	14 %	14 %	16 %	13 %

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The NHS will be able to go on treating the great majority of patients within 18 weeks for routine operations, even though it has to find savings	Agree	183	119	49	14	112	71	1	24	28	72	58	4	90	50	24	15
		22 %	24 %	21 %	18 %	25 %	19 %	11 %	26 %	16 %	25 %	23 %	40 %	24 %	23 %	14 %	33 %
	Disagree	400	269	96	35	230	170	2	42	100	136	120	1	169	118	96	16
	49 %	54 %	41 %	44 %	52 %	46 %	22 %	46 %	57 %	47 %	48 %	10 %	46 %	54 %	57 %	35 %	
Don't know	231	114	87	30	104	127	6	25	46	82	72	5	110	52	49	15	
	28 %	23 %	38 %	38 %	23 %	35 %	67 %	27 %	26 %	28 %	29 %	50 %	30 %	24 %	29 %	33 %	
The NHS in my area will have to increase the rationing of treatment in order to stay in financial balance	Agree	672	429	181	61	376	296	5	72	148	238	209	7	306	184	143	32
		83 %	85 %	78 %	77 %	84 %	80 %	56 %	79 %	85 %	82 %	84 %	70 %	83 %	84 %	85 %	70 %
	Disagree	42	25	14	3	23	19	0	7	13	15	7	0	13	13	12	4
	5 %	5 %	6 %	4 %	5 %	5 %	0 %	8 %	7 %	5 %	3 %	0 %	4 %	6 %	7 %	9 %	
Don't know	100	48	37	15	47	53	4	12	13	37	34	3	50	23	14	10	
	12 %	10 %	16 %	19 %	11 %	14 %	44 %	13 %	7 %	13 %	14 %	30 %	14 %	10 %	8 %	22 %	
The NHS needs to close or downgrade some A&E departments in the next five years in order to make cost savings	Agree	341	236	76	28	214	127	2	40	76	133	90	4	140	105	69	23
		42 %	47 %	33 %	35 %	48 %	35 %	22 %	44 %	44 %	46 %	36 %	40 %	38 %	48 %	41 %	50 %
	Disagree	191	106	61	24	104	87	5	15	31	66	74	4	100	44	31	12
	23 %	21 %	26 %	30 %	23 %	24 %	56 %	16 %	18 %	23 %	30 %	40 %	27 %	20 %	18 %	26 %	
Don't know	282	160	95	27	128	154	2	36	67	91	86	2	129	71	69	11	
	35 %	32 %	41 %	34 %	29 %	42 %	22 %	40 %	39 %	31 %	34 %	20 %	35 %	32 %	41 %	24 %	
Patients should have to stop smoking or lose weight in order to get access to NHS treatment, if it would make a significant difference to how well the treatment worked	Agree	485	288	144	52	272	213	4	50	98	183	150	7	228	134	90	26
		60 %	57 %	62 %	66 %	61 %	58 %	44 %	55 %	56 %	63 %	60 %	70 %	62 %	61 %	53 %	57 %
	Disagree	195	132	45	18	105	90	4	27	51	64	49	1	79	45	57	13
	24 %	26 %	19 %	23 %	24 %	24 %	44 %	30 %	29 %	22 %	20 %	10 %	21 %	20 %	34 %	28 %	
Don't know	134	82	43	9	69	65	1	14	25	43	51	2	62	41	22	7	
	16 %	16 %	19 %	11 %	15 %	18 %	11 %	15 %	14 %	15 %	20 %	20 %	17 %	19 %	13 %	15 %	

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The NHS will be able to go on treating the great majority of patients within 18 weeks for routine operations, even though it has to find savings	Agree	183	7	80	47	49	4	29	55	95	42	141	6	24	29	31	93
		22 %	15 %	23 %	27 %	20 %	21 %	21 %	23 %	23 %	28 %	21 %	13 %	26 %	19 %	21 %	25 %
	Disagree	400	31	170	74	125	9	70	122	199	71	329	21	46	74	73	186
	49 %	65 %	49 %	43 %	51 %	47 %	50 %	50 %	48 %	48 %	49 %	47 %	49 %	49 %	49 %	49 %	49 %
Don't know	231	10	98	53	69	6	40	67	118	35	196	18	23	47	46	97	
	28 %	21 %	28 %	30 %	28 %	32 %	29 %	27 %	29 %	24 %	29 %	40 %	25 %	31 %	31 %	26 %	
The NHS in my area will have to increase the rationing of treatment in order to stay in financial balance	Agree	672	41	285	138	207	15	99	205	353	124	548	31	67	117	128	329
		83 %	85 %	82 %	79 %	85 %	79 %	71 %	84 %	86 %	84 %	82 %	69 %	72 %	78 %	85 %	88 %
	Disagree	42	3	16	11	12	0	14	13	15	8	34	1	12	12	4	13
	5 %	6 %	5 %	6 %	5 %	0 %	10 %	5 %	4 %	5 %	5 %	2 %	13 %	8 %	3 %	3 %	
Don't know	100	4	47	25	24	4	26	26	44	16	84	13	14	21	18	34	
	12 %	8 %	14 %	14 %	10 %	21 %	19 %	11 %	11 %	11 %	13 %	29 %	15 %	14 %	12 %	9 %	
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		42 %	44 %	43 %	41 %	41 %	37 %	42 %	42 %	42 %	42 %	42 %	31 %	35 %	43 %	42 %	44 %
	Disagree	191	14	84	37	56	5	33	59	94	32	159	13	30	36	31	81
	23 %	29 %	24 %	21 %	23 %	26 %	24 %	24 %	23 %	22 %	24 %	29 %	32 %	24 %	21 %	22 %	
Don't know	282	13	115	66	87	7	47	83	145	54	228	18	30	50	56	128	
	35 %	27 %	33 %	38 %	36 %	37 %	34 %	34 %	35 %	36 %	34 %	40 %	32 %	33 %	37 %	34 %	
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		60 %	65 %	58 %	64 %	58 %	58 %	57 %	62 %	59 %	60 %	59 %	51 %	60 %	55 %	62 %	61 %
	Disagree	195	9	89	39	58	5	34	60	96	37	158	13	26	38	33	85
	24 %	19 %	26 %	22 %	24 %	26 %	24 %	25 %	23 %	25 %	24 %	29 %	28 %	25 %	22 %	23 %	
Don't know	134	8	57	24	45	3	26	33	72	22	112	9	11	30	24	60	
	16 %	17 %	16 %	14 %	19 %	16 %	19 %	14 %	17 %	15 %	17 %	20 %	12 %	20 %	16 %	16 %	