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METHODOLOGY NOTE

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Q1. How important do you think it is, if at all, for the NHS to support research into treatments for patients?

Base: All

		Total	Role			Gender		Age Group				Region									
			GPs	Nurses	Hospital doctors	Male	Female	Less than 34	35-44	45-54	55+	London	North West	North East	South East	South West	South Central	East of England	Yorkshire	East Midlands	West Midlands
			(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)
Not at all important	Count	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Not very important	Count	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	%	.3%	.8%	-	-	.5%	-	-	.8%	-	-	-	1.9%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Fairly important	Count	49	24 (B)	10	15	30	19	14	18	10	7	4	11	2	3	7	8	3	5	3	
	%	12.5%	18.5%	7.6%	11.5%	14.4%	10.3%	15.6%	12.7%	8.1%	18.9%	7.5%	21.2%	8.3%	7.3%	17.5%	28.6%	7.3%	13.9%	10.0%	
Very important	Count	339	102	121 (A)	116	175	164	74	123	112	30	49	40	22	36	33	19	38	31	27	
	%	86.5%	78.5%	92.4%	88.5%	84.1%	89.1%	82.2%	86.6%	91.1%	81.1%	92.5%	76.9%	91.7%	87.8%	82.5%	67.9%	92.7%	86.1%	90.0%	
Don't know	Count	3	3	-	-	2	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	
	%	.8%	2.3%	-	-	1.0%	.5%	2.2%	.7%	-	-	-	-	4.9%	-	3.6%	-	-	-	-	
Total	Count	392	130	131	131	208	184	90	142	123	37	53	52	24	41	40	28	41	36	30	

Q2. How important, if at all, do you think it is for you to be involved in NHS research?

Base: All

		Total	Role			Gender		Age Group				Region									
			GPs	Nurses	Hospital doctors	Male	Female	Less than 34	35-44	45-54	55+	London	North West	North East	South East	South West	South Central	East of England	Yorkshire	East Midlands	West Midlands
			(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)
Not at all important	Count	6	6	-	-	4	2	2	3	1	-	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	1	-	
	%	1.5%	4.6%	-	-	1.9%	1.1%	2.2%	2.1%	.8%	-	-	1.9%	-	4.9%	-	7.1%	-	2.8%	-	
Not very important	Count	42	27 (B C)	7	8	27	15	8	16	15	3	4	6	3	7	4	5	3	4	6	
	%	10.7%	20.8%	5.3%	6.1%	13.0%	8.2%	8.9%	11.3%	12.2%	8.1%	7.5%	11.5%	12.5%	17.1%	10.0%	17.9%	7.3%	11.1%	12.8%	
Fairly important	Count	160	66 (C)	50	44	86	74	37	53	52	18	32	20	7	17	20	9	14	13	9	
	%	40.8%	50.8%	38.2%	33.6%	41.3%	40.2%	41.1%	37.3%	42.3%	48.6%	60.4%	38.5%	29.2%	41.5%	50.0%	32.1%	34.1%	36.1%	30.0%	
Very important	Count	181	29	74 (A)	78 (A)	91	90	42	70	53	16	17	25	14	14	16	11	24	17	21 (A)	
	%	46.2%	22.3%	56.5%	59.5%	43.8%	48.9%	46.7%	49.3%	43.1%	43.2%	32.1%	48.1%	58.3%	34.1%	40.0%	39.3%	58.5%	47.2%	70.0%	
Don't know	Count	3	2	-	1	-	3	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	
	%	.8%	1.5%	-	.8%	-	1.6%	1.1%	-	1.6%	-	-	-	-	2.4%	-	3.6%	-	2.8%	-	
Total	Count	392	130	131	131	208	184	90	142	123	37	53	52	24	41	40	28	41	36	30	

Q3. How often, if at all, do patients ask you about opportunities to be involved in research?

Base: All

		Total	Role			Gender		Age Group				Region									
			Count	Count	Count	Male	Female	Less than 34	35-44	45-54	55+	London	North West	North East	South East	South West	South Central	East of England	Yorkshire	East Midlands	West Midlands
			(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)
More than once a week	Count	20	3	3	14 (A B)	11	9	7	7	4	2	4	3	2	2	1	3	-	1	3	
	%	5.1%	2.3%	2.3%	10.7%	5.3%	4.9%	7.8%	4.9%	3.3%	5.4%	7.5%	5.8%	8.3%	4.9%	2.5%	3.6%	7.3%	-	3.3%	6.4%
Once a week	Count	9	1	2	6	5	4	1	6	2	-	2	-	-	1	-	1	3	1	-	1
	%	2.3%	.8%	1.5%	4.6%	2.4%	2.2%	1.1%	4.2%	1.6%	-	3.8%	-	-	2.4%	-	3.6%	7.3%	2.8%	-	2.1%
Between once a week and once a fortnight	Count	15	4	4	7	11	4	2	6	5	2	2	2	-	1	2	2	1	1	2	2
	%	3.8%	3.1%	3.1%	5.3%	5.3%	2.2%	2.2%	4.2%	4.1%	5.4%	3.8%	3.8%	-	2.4%	5.0%	7.1%	2.4%	2.8%	6.7%	4.3%
Between once a fortnight and once a month	Count	31	4	11	16 (A)	18	13	7	8	13	3	5	3	3	3	4	1	2	1	2	7
	%	7.9%	3.1%	8.4%	12.2%	8.7%	7.1%	7.8%	5.6%	10.6%	8.1%	9.4%	5.8%	12.5%	7.3%	10.0%	3.6%	4.9%	2.8%	6.7%	14.9%
Between once a month and once every 6 months	Count	48	16	18	14	26	22	9	27	10	2	4	8	2	2	5	3	8	4	8	4
	%	12.2%	12.3%	13.7%	10.7%	12.5%	12.0%	10.0%	19.0%	8.1%	5.4%	7.5%	15.4%	8.3%	4.9%	12.5%	10.7%	19.5%	11.1%	26.7%	8.5%
Between once every 6 months and once a year	Count	63	18	15	30 (B)	38	25	17	24	20	2	7	4	6	3	11	6	3	5	7	11
	%	16.1%	13.8%	11.5%	22.9%	18.3%	13.6%	18.9%	16.9%	16.3%	5.4%	13.2%	7.7%	25.0%	7.3%	27.5%	21.4%	7.3%	13.9%	23.3%	23.4%
Less frequently than once a year	Count	95	44 (C)	37 (C)	14	51	44	18	29	35	13	8	18	6	9	10	9	11	10	7	7
	%	24.2%	33.8%	28.2%	10.7%	24.5%	23.9%	20.0%	20.4%	28.5%	35.1%	15.1%	34.6%	25.0%	22.0%	25.0%	32.1%	26.8%	27.8%	23.3%	14.9%
None of my patients have asked me about being involved in research	Count	111	40	41	30	48	63 (A)	29	35	34	13	21	14	5	20 (I)	7	5	10	14	3	12
	%	28.3%	30.8%	31.3%	22.9%	23.1%	34.2%	32.2%	24.6%	27.6%	35.1%	39.6%	26.9%	20.8%	48.8%	17.5%	17.9%	24.4%	38.9%	10.0%	25.5%
Total	Count	392	130	131	131	208	184	90	142	123	37	53	52	24	41	40	28	41	36	30	47

Q4. Are you aware of the following medical research activities currently being conducted in your workplace? Have you participated in any of these in the last two years?

Base: All

		Total	Role			Gender		Age Group				Region										
			Count	GP	Nurses	Hospital doctors	Male	Female	Less than 34	35-44	45-54	55+	London	North West	North East	South East	South West	South Central	East of England	Yorkshire	East Midlands	West Midlands
			(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	
Maintaining patient records which can be used in medical research (I am aware of)	Count	140	38	44	58 (A)	77	63	32	57	41	10	19	10	15 (B)	15	15	9	20	15	10	12	
	%	35.7%	29.2%	33.6%	44.3%	37.0%	34.2%	35.6%	40.1%	33.3%	27.0%	35.8%	19.2%	62.5%	37.5%	32.1%	48.8%	41.7%	33.3%	25.5%		
Recruiting patients into medical research studies or clinical trials (I am aware of)	Count	177	45	57	75 (A)	94	83	40	66	54	17	26	17	13	15	21	14	18	16	12	25	
	%	45.2%	34.6%	43.5%	57.3%	45.2%	45.1%	44.4%	46.5%	43.9%	45.9%	49.1%	32.7%	54.2%	36.6%	52.5%	50.0%	43.9%	44.4%	40.0%	53.2%	
Involved in conducting a medical research study or clinical trial (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	152	37	46	69 (A B)	84	68	38	54	47	13	24	13	11	8	20	8	16	13	12	27 (B D)	
	%	38.8%	28.5%	35.1%	52.7%	40.4%	37.0%	42.2%	38.0%	38.2%	35.1%	45.3%	25.0%	45.8%	19.5%	50.0%	28.6%	39.0%	36.1%	40.0%	57.4%	
Conducting observational research (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	136	31	46	59 (A)	74	62	34	48	42	12	18	14	12	10	17	5	16	13	11	20	
	%	34.7%	23.8%	35.1%	45.0%	35.6%	33.7%	37.8%	33.8%	34.1%	32.4%	34.0%	26.9%	50.0%	24.4%	42.5%	17.9%	39.0%	36.1%	36.7%	42.6%	
Conducting laboratory research (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	119	18	37 (A)	64 (A B)	61	58	30	42	34	13	16	9	11	6	15	6	10	14	9	23 (B D)	
	%	30.4%	13.8%	28.2%	48.9%	29.3%	31.5%	33.3%	29.6%	27.6%	35.1%	30.2%	17.3%	45.8%	14.6%	37.5%	21.4%	24.4%	38.9%	30.0%	48.9%	
Providing a peer review (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	134	30	41	63 (A B)	73	61	33	50	41	10	18	17	12 (D)	5	15	8	13	15	12	19	
	%	34.2%	23.1%	31.3%	48.1%	35.1%	33.2%	36.7%	35.2%	27.0%	34.0%	32.7%	50.0%	12.2%	37.5%	28.6%	31.7%	41.7%	40.0%	40.4%		
Publishing a medical research paper (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	132	24	45 (A)	63 (A)	67	65	26	51	42	13	13	14	11	8	21	7	12	14	13	19	
	%	33.7%	18.5%	34.4%	48.1%	32.2%	35.3%	28.9%	35.9%	34.1%	35.1%	24.5%	26.9%	45.8%	19.5%	52.5%	25.0%	29.3%	38.9%	43.3%	40.4%	
Developing new care guidelines (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	151	32	53 (A)	66 (A)	78	73	37	55	49	10	20	17	13	12	13	9	18	12	15	22	
	%	38.5%	24.6%	40.5%	50.4%	37.5%	39.7%	41.1%	38.7%	39.8%	27.0%	37.7%	32.7%	54.2%	29.3%	32.5%	43.9%	33.3%	50.0%	46.8%		
Implementing or trialling new innovations in my field (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	133	25	49 (A)	59 (A)	76	57	32	53	38	10	15	15	13 (D)	4	20 (D)	8	15	13	13 (D)	17	
	%	33.9%	19.2%	37.4%	45.0%	36.5%	31.0%	35.6%	37.3%	30.9%	27.0%	28.3%	28.8%	54.2%	9.8%	50.0%	28.6%	36.6%	36.1%	43.3%	36.2%	
Taking part in education or training for research skills (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	141	34	41	66 (A B)	82	59	34	52	44	11	19	15	10	8	17	7	17	15	11	22	
	%	36.0%	26.2%	31.3%	50.4%	39.4%	32.1%	37.8%	36.6%	35.8%	29.7%	35.8%	28.8%	41.7%	19.5%	42.5%	25.0%	41.5%	41.7%	36.7%	46.8%	
Involved in conducting a clinical audit (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	172	53	47	72 (B)	96	76	37	70	55	10	23	16	17 (B)	17	18	12	17	16	10	26	
	%	43.9%	40.8%	35.9%	55.0%	46.2%	41.3%	41.1%	49.3%	44.7%	27.0%	43.4%	30.8%	70.8%	41.5%	45.0%	42.9%	41.5%	44.4%	33.3%	55.3%	
Writing or commenting on patient information for a medical research study	Count	116	24	40	52 (A)	56	60	28	48	32	8	16	9	11 (D)	3	20 (B D)	9	12	11	13 (D)	12	
	%	29.6%	18.5%	30.5%	39.7%	26.9%	32.6%	31.1%	33.8%	26.0%	21.6%	30.2%	17.3%	45.8%	7.3%	50.0%	32.1%	29.3%	30.6%	43.3%	25.5%	
Other (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	15	1	6	8	9	6	5	3	5	2	2	2	1	5	1	1	2	2	-	3	
	%	3.8%	.8%	4.6%	6.1%	4.3%	3.3%	5.6%	2.1%	4.1%	5.4%	3.8%	-	4.2%	-	12.5%	3.6%	2.4%	5.6%	-	6.4%	
None of the above (I am aware of these activities taking place)	Count	48	27 (C)	17 (C)	4	29	19	13	13	15	7	7	11	2	10	-	6	7	1	1	3	
	%	12.2%	20.8%	13.0%	3.1%	13.9%	10.3%	14.4%	12.2%	18.9%	13.2%	8.3%	24.4%	-	21.4%	17.1%	2.8%	13.3%	6.4%			
Maintaining patient records which can be used in medical research (I have participated in this activity)	Count	128	30	36	62 (A B)	80 (B)	48	23	53	42	10	16	13	7	9	12	11	16	12	11	21	
	%	32.7%	23.1%	27.5%	47.3%	38.5%	26.1%	25.6%	37.3%	34.1%	27.0%	30.2%	25.0%	29.2%	22.0%	30.0%	39.3%	39.0%	33.3%	36.7%	44.7%	
Recruiting patients into medical research studies or clinical trials (I have participated in this activity)	Count	145	37	30	78 (A B)	96 (B)	49	21	63 (A)	49	12	16	13	9	13	17	7	20	12	12	26	
	%	37.0%	28.5%	22.9%	59.5%	46.2%	26.6%	23.3%	44.4%	39.8%	32.4%	30.2%	25.0%	37.5%	31.7%	42.5%	25.0%	48.8%	33.3%	40.0%	55.3%	
Involved in conducting a medical research study or clinical trial (I have participated in this activity)	Count	132	23	38	71 (A B)	82 (B)	50	21	56	44	11	13	14	11	12	14	7	20	12	11	18	
	%	33.7%	17.7%	29.0%	54.2%	39.4%	27.2%	23.3%	39.4%	35.8%	29.7%	24.5%	26.9%	45.8%	29.3%	35.0%	25.0%	48.8%	33.3%	36.7%	38.3%	
Conducting observational research (I have participated in this activity)	Count	85	14	19	52 (A B)	57 (B)	28	13	43 (A)	25	4	8	11	7	7	10	8	7	4	9	14	
	%	21.7%	10.8%	14.5%	39.7%	27.4%	15.2%	14.4%	30.3%	20.3%	10.8%	15.1%	21.2%	29.2%	17.1%	25.0%	28.6%	17.1%	11.1%	30.0%	29.8%	
Conducting laboratory research (I have participated in this activity)	Count	35	2	5	28 (A B)	27 (B)	8	10	18	5	2	5	5	1	1	3	4	4	-	5	7	
	%	8.9%	1.5%	3.8%	21.4%	13.0%	4.3%	11.1%	12.7%	4.1%	5.4%	9.4%	9.6%	4.2%	2.4%	7.5%	14.3%	9.8%	-	16.7%	14.9%	
Providing a peer review (I have participated in this activity)	Count	100	18	33	49 (A)	56	44	18	41	30	11	15	14	7	10	7	10	11	7	7	12	
	%	25.5%	13.8%	25.2%	37.4%	26.9%	23.9%	20.0%	28.9%	24.4%	29.7%	28.3%	26.9%	29.2%	25.0%	25.0%	24.4%	30.6%	23.3%	25.5%		
Publishing a medical research paper (I have participated in this activity)	Count	91	7	16	68 (A B)	62 (B)	29	20	42 (C)	19	10	12	13	6	8	5	8	7	7	9	16	
	%	23.2%	5.4%	12.2%	51.9%	29.8%	15.8%	22.2%	29.6%	15.4%	27.0%	22.6%	25.0%	19.5%	12.5%	28.6%	17.1%	19.4%	30.0%	34.0%		
Developing new care guidelines (I have participated in this activity)	Count	134	20	42 (A)	72 (A B)	74	60	20	62 (A)	44	8	17	18	6	9	15	10	12	8	16	23	
	%	34.2%	15.4%	32.1%	55.0%	35.6%	32.6%	22.2%	43.7%	35.8%	21.6%	32.1%	34.6%	25.0%	22.0%	37.5%	35.7%	29.3%	22.2%	53.3%	48.9%	
Implementing or trialling new innovations in my field (I have participated in this activity)	Count	91	11	32 (A)	48 (A)	54	37	15	42	28	6	11	10	4	10	11	5	9	8	9	14	
	%	23.2%	8.5%	24.4%	36.6%	26.0%	20.1%	16.7%	29.6%	22.8%	16.2%	20.8%	19.2%	16.7%	24.4%	27.5%	17.9%	22.0%	30.0%	29.8%		
Taking part in education or training for research skills (I have participated in this activity)	Count	138	24	42 (A)	72 (A B)	79	59	26	63	41	8	17	20	8	10	6	17	13	14	14	23	
	%	35.2%	18.5%	32.1%	55.0%	38.0%	32.1%	28.9%	44.4%	33.3%	21.6%	32.1%	38.5%	33.3%	24.4%	25.0%	21.4%	41.5%	36.1%	46.7%	48.9%	
Involved in conducting a clinical audit (I have participated in this activity)	Count	246	76	66	104 (A B)	138	108	51	94	81	20	32	27	13	21	31	19	25	23	21	34	
	%	62.8%	58.5%	50.4%	79.4%	66.3%	58.7%	56.7%	66.2%	65.9%	54.1%	60.4%	51.9%	54.2%	51.2%	77.5%	67.9%	61.0%	63.9%	70.0%	72.3%	
Writing or commenting on patient information for a medical research study	Count	78	14	24	40 (A)	50 (B)	28	17	29	26	6	9	10	4	5	8	6	8	7	8	13	
	%	19.9%	10.8%	18.3%	30.5%	24.0%	15.2%	18.9%	20.4%	21.1%	16.2%	17.0%	19.2%	16.7%	12.2%	20.0%	21.4%	19.5%	19.4%	26.7%	27.7%	
Other (I have participated in this activity)	Count	13	-	5	8	7	6	4	3	5	1	-	3	1	2	1	1	-	1	3	1	
	%	3.3%	-	3.8%	6.1%	3.4%	3.3%	4.4%	2.1%	4.1%	2.7%	-	5.8%	4.2%	4.9%	2.5%	3.6%	-	2.8%	10.0%	2.1%	
None of the above (I have participated in this activity)	Count	34	20 (C)	13 (C)	1	17	17	10	10	10	4	6	7	1	5	2	5	2	1	-	-	
	%	8.7%	15.4%	9.9%	.8%	8.2%	9.2%	11.1%	7.0%	8.1%	10.8%	11.3%	13.5%	4.2%	12.2%	5.0%	17.9%	12.2%	5.6%	3.3%	-	
Total	Count	392	130	131	131	208	184	90	142	123	37	53	52	24	41	40	28	41	36	30	47	

Q5. Which of the following barriers to being involved in medical research, if any, have you experienced in the last two years?

Base: All

		Total	Role			Gender		Age Group				Region									
			GP	Nurses	Hospital doctors	Male	Female	Less than 34	35-44	45-54	55+	London	North West	North East	South East	South West	South Central	East of England	Yorkshire	East Midlands	West Midlands
			(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)
Not having enough information about medical research opportunities in my area	Count	82	27	33	22	35	47 (A)	25	29	20	8	14	14	2	12	7	6	5	8	4	10
	%	20.9%	20.8%	25.2%	16.8%	16.8%	25.5%	27.8%	20.4%	16.3%	21.6%	26.4%	26.9%	8.3%	29.3%	17.5%	21.4%	12.2%	22.2%	13.3%	21.3%
Not having access to the practical support needed to be involved in medical	Count	106	24	36	46 (A)	51	55	32	34	32	8	15	9	4	12	14	5	14	13	10	10
	%	27.0%	18.5%	27.5%	35.1%	24.5%	29.9%	35.6%	23.9%	26.0%	21.6%	28.3%	17.3%	16.7%	29.3%	35.0%	17.9%	34.1%	36.1%	33.3%	21.3%
Not having sufficient time to take part in medical research	Count	244	95 (B)	61	88 (B)	140 (B)	104	54	81	86	23	31	34	17	22	19	19	24	21	22	35
	%	62.2%	73.1%	46.6%	67.2%	67.3%	56.5%	60.0%	57.0%	69.9%	62.2%	58.5%	65.4%	70.8%	53.7%	47.5%	67.9%	58.5%	58.3%	73.3%	74.5%
Finding it difficult to navigate the regulatory processes relating to medical	Count	93	19	22	52 (A B)	53	40	21	30	31	11	14	10	8	10	5	7	9	5	11	14
	%	23.7%	14.6%	16.8%	39.7%	25.5%	21.7%	23.3%	21.1%	25.2%	29.7%	26.4%	19.2%	33.3%	24.4%	12.5%	25.0%	22.0%	13.9%	36.7%	29.8%
Finding it difficult to access funding for medical research	Count	119	27	26	66 (A B)	67	52	33	47	31	8	19	14	6	13	11	6	10	13	9	18
	%	30.4%	20.8%	19.8%	50.4%	32.2%	28.3%	36.7%	33.1%	25.2%	21.6%	35.8%	26.9%	25.0%	31.7%	27.5%	21.4%	24.4%	36.1%	30.0%	38.3%
Not seeing any benefit for my career from taking part in medical research	Count	39	20	9	10	25	14	11	9	14	5	5	5	5	7	1	4	3	3	3	3
	%	9.9%	15.4%	6.9%	7.6%	12.0%	7.6%	12.2%	6.3%	11.4%	13.5%	9.4%	9.6%	20.8%	17.1%	2.5%	14.3%	7.3%	8.3%	10.0%	6.4%
Not thinking research is relevant or of value for my patients	Count	11	2	5	4	5	6	1	4	5	1	1	1	-	-	2	2	1	2	1	1
	%	2.8%	1.5%	3.8%	3.1%	2.4%	3.3%	1.1%	2.8%	4.1%	2.7%	1.9%	1.9%	-	-	5.0%	7.1%	2.4%	5.6%	3.3%	2.1%
Taking part in research is not encouraged in my local health area	Count	34	13	12	9	20	14	10	13	8	3	6	2	2	6	3	2	4	3	3	3
	%	8.7%	10.0%	9.2%	6.9%	9.6%	7.6%	11.1%	9.2%	6.5%	8.1%	11.3%	3.8%	8.3%	14.6%	7.5%	7.1%	9.8%	8.3%	10.0%	6.4%
Not having the necessary skills or experience to take part in medical	Count	71	28	26	17	32	39	19	21	25	6	14	6	4	12	5	7	10	6	3	4
	%	18.1%	21.5%	19.8%	13.0%	15.4%	21.2%	21.1%	14.8%	20.3%	16.2%	26.4%	11.5%	16.7%	29.3%	12.5%	25.0%	24.4%	16.7%	10.0%	8.5%
Lacking seniors or mentors involved in medical research	Count	70	25	25	20	35	35	25	22	17	6	14	12	5	9	2	1	6	7	6	8
	%	17.9%	19.2%	19.1%	15.3%	16.8%	19.0%	27.8%	15.5%	13.8%	16.2%	26.4%	23.1%	20.8%	22.0%	5.0%	3.6%	14.6%	19.4%	20.0%	17.0%
Other (please specify)	Count	10	2	4	4	6	4	1	5	4	-	1	1	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	1
	%	2.6%	1.5%	3.1%	3.1%	2.9%	2.2%	1.1%	3.5%	3.3%	-	1.9%	1.9%	4.2%	2.4%	2.5%	-	4.9%	5.6%	-	2.1%
There are no current barriers – I can take part in medical research in the way I want	Count	36	6	22 (A C)	8	16	20	5	17	11	3	3	2	2	4	8	2	4	5	4	2
	%	9.2%	4.6%	16.8%	6.1%	7.7%	10.9%	5.6%	12.0%	8.9%	8.1%	5.7%	3.8%	8.3%	9.8%	20.0%	7.1%	9.8%	13.9%	13.3%	4.3%
Total	Count	392	130	131	131	208	184	90	142	123	37	53	52	24	41	40	28	41	36	30	47

Q5_1. Which of the following barriers to being involved in medical research, if any, have you experienced in the last two years? [Other Specified]

Base: [Other Specified]

		Total	Role			Gender		Age Group				Region									
			GP	Nurses	Hospital doctors	Male	Female	Less than 34	35-44	45-54	55+	London	North West	North East	South East	South West	South Central	East of England	Yorkshire	East Midlands	West Midlands
			(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)
Support	Count	2	1	-	1	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
	%	20.0%	50.0%	-	25.0%	33.3%	-	-	40.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0%	-	-	-
Time constraints	Count	3	1	1	1	2	1	-	1	2	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
	%	30.0%	50.0%	25.0%	25.0%	33.3%	25.0%	-	20.0%	50.0%	-	100.0%	-	100.0%	-	100.0%	-	-	-	-	-
Tedious and stressful	Count	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
	%	10.0%	-	-	25.0%	16.7%	-	-	20.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.0%
Not interested	Count	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
	%	10.0%	-	-	25.0%	16.7%	-	-	20.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50.0%	-	-
Not applicable	Count	3	-	3	-	-	3	1	-	2	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
	%	30.0%	-	75.0%	-	-	75.0%	100.0%	-	50.0%	-	-	100.0%	-	100.0%	-	-	-	50.0%	-	-
No reward	Count	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	%	10.0%	-	-	25.0%	16.7%	-	-	20.0%	-	-	100.0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	Count	10	2	4	4	6	4	1	5	4	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	2	2	-	1

Q6. What, if any, would be your motives for participation in medical research?

Base: All

	Total	Role			Gender		Age Group				Region										
		GP	Nurses	Hospital doctors	Male	Female	Less than 34	35-44	45-54	55+	London	North West	North East	South East	South West	South Central	East of England	Yorkshire	East Midlands	West Midlands	
		(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	
Informing best medical practice	Count %	260 66.3%	72 55.4%	102 (A) 77.9%	86 65.6%	123 59.1%	137 (A) 74.5%	60 66.7%	93 65.5%	85 69.1%	22 59.5%	37 69.8%	33 63.5%	14 58.3%	27 65.9%	29 72.5%	14 50.0%	26 63.4%	26 72.2%	23 76.7%	31 66.0%
Providing patients with more treatment options	Count %	227 57.9%	45 34.6%	97 (A) 74.0%	85 (A) 64.9%	101 48.6%	126 (A) 68.5%	45 50.0%	79 55.6%	79 64.2%	24 64.9%	31 58.5%	33 63.5%	13 54.2%	21 51.2%	25 62.5%	10 35.7%	24 58.5%	19 52.8%	22 73.3%	29 61.7%
Strengthening my CV and career	Count %	153 39.0%	39 30.0%	42 32.1%	72 (A B) 64.9%	86 41.3%	67 36.4%	45 (C) 50.0%	67 (C) 47.2%	29 23.6%	12 32.4%	30 56.6%	25 48.1%	10 41.7%	12 29.3%	14 35.0%	8 28.6%	11 26.8%	11 30.6%	13 43.3%	19 40.4%
I see research as an integral part of my role	Count %	146 37.2%	22 16.9%	54 (A) 41.2%	70 (A) 53.4%	76 36.5%	70 38.0%	30 33.3%	59 41.5%	43 35.0%	14 37.8%	18 34.0%	19 36.5%	7 29.2%	10 24.4%	15 37.5%	10 35.7%	16 39.0%	14 38.9%	17 56.7%	20 42.6%
I am interested in medical research	Count %	176 44.9%	44 33.8%	52 39.7%	80 (A B) 61.1%	97 46.6%	79 42.9%	38 42.2%	74 52.1%	50 40.7%	14 37.8%	22 41.5%	19 36.5%	12 50.0%	16 39.0%	22 55.0%	7 25.0%	21 51.2%	16 44.4%	18 60.0%	23 48.9%
Other (please specify)	Count %	13 3.3%	9 (B) 6.9%	1 .8%	3 2.3%	10 4.8%	3 1.6%	6 3.3%	4 4.2%	- 3.3%	- -	- -	1 1.9%	- -	3 7.3%	3 7.5%	1 3.6%	1 2.4%	3 8.3%	- -	1 2.1%
I do not see any benefit of conducting medical research	Count %	15 3.8%	13 (B) 10.0%	2 1.5%	- -	8 3.8%	7 3.8%	2 2.2%	6 4.2%	5 4.1%	2 5.4%	- -	3 5.8%	- -	3 7.3%	- -	3 10.7%	2 4.9%	1 2.8%	2 6.7%	1 2.1%
Total	Count	392	130	131	131	208	184	90	142	123	37	53	52	24	41	40	28	41	36	30	47

Q6_1. What, if any, would be your motives for participation in medical research? [Other Specified]

Base: [Other Specified]

	Total	Role			Gender		Age Group				Region										
		GP	Nurses	Hospital doctors	Male	Female	Less than 34	35-44	45-54	55+	London	North West	North East	South East	South West	South Central	East of England	Yorkshire	East Midlands	West Midlands	
		(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	
Financial reward	Count %	7 53.8%	7 77.8%	- -	- -	6 60.0%	1 33.3%	2 66.7%	2 33.3%	3 75.0%	- -	- -	1 100.0%	- -	3 100.0%	1 33.3%	1 100.0%	1 100.0%	- -	- -	- -
Not interested in research	Count %	2 15.4%	1 11.1%	- -	1 33.3%	2 20.0%	- -	- -	1 16.7%	1 25.0%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	2 66.7%	- -	- -	- -
Change from routine work	Count %	1 7.7%	1 11.1%	- -	- -	1 10.0%	- -	- -	1 16.7%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 33.3%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Already involved	Count %	1 7.7%	- -	- -	1 33.3%	1 10.0%	- -	- -	1 16.7%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 100.0%
Helps evidence based practice	Count %	2 15.4%	- -	1 100.0%	1 33.3%	- -	2 66.7%	1 33.3%	1 16.7%	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	1 33.3%	- -	- -	1 33.3%	- -	- -	- -
Total	Count	13	9	1	3	10	3	3	6	4	-	-	1	-	3	3	1	1	3	-	1

Q7. How confident, if at all, do you feel about discussing opportunities to be involved in medical research with patients?

Base: All

	Total	Role			Gender		Age Group				Region										
		GP	Nurses	Hospital doctors	Male	Female	Less than 34	35-44	45-54	55+	London	North West	North East	South East	South West	South Central	East of England	Yorkshire	East Midlands	West Midlands	
		(A)	(B)	(C)	(A)	(B)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(A)	(B)	(C)	(D)	(E)	(F)	(G)	(H)	(I)	(J)	
Not at all confident	Count %	27 6.9%	12 9.2%	15 11.5%	- -	6 2.9%	21 (A) 11.4%	9 10.0%	7 4.9%	8 6.5%	3 8.1%	5 9.4%	4 7.7%	1 4.2%	5 12.2%	3 7.5%	3 10.7%	- -	3 8.3%	1 3.3%	2 4.3%
Not very confident	Count %	74 18.9%	32 (C) 24.6%	26 19.8%	16 12.2%	34 16.3%	40 21.7%	21 23.3%	28 19.7%	21 17.1%	4 10.8%	10 18.9%	15 28.8%	6 25.0%	10 24.4%	7 17.5%	7 25.0%	5 12.2%	6 16.7%	3 10.0%	5 10.6%
Fairly confident	Count %	187 47.7%	71 (C) 54.6%	64 48.9%	52 39.7%	98 47.1%	89 48.4%	41 45.6%	59 41.5%	63 51.2%	24 64.9%	24 45.3%	23 44.2%	11 45.8%	16 39.0%	21 52.5%	9 32.1%	23 56.1%	21 58.3%	17 56.7%	22 46.8%
Very confident	Count %	95 24.2%	11 8.5%	23 17.6%	61 (A B) 46.6%	65 (B) 31.3%	30 16.3%	17 18.9%	44 31.0%	28 22.8%	6 16.2%	13 24.5%	9 17.3%	5 20.8%	7 17.1%	9 22.5%	9 32.1%	13 31.7%	5 13.9%	9 30.0%	16 34.0%
Don't know	Count %	9 2.3%	4 3.1%	3 2.3%	2 1.5%	5 2.4%	4 2.2%	2 2.2%	4 2.8%	3 2.4%	- -	1 1.9%	1 1.9%	1 4.2%	3 7.3%	- -	- -	- -	1 2.8%	- -	2 4.3%
Total	Count	392	130	131	131	208	184	90	142	123	37	53	52	24	41	40	28	41	36	30	47