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Base: All respondents

	Total	North West SHA		North East SHA		Yorkshire & Humber SHA		East Midlands SHA		West Midlands SHA		East of England SHA		London SHA		South East Coast SHA		South Central SHA		South West SHA		Scotland		Wales		Northern Ireland		
		A		B		C		D		E		F		G		H		I		J		K		L		M		
Much more likely	120	12%	11	K10%	2	5%	8	K10%	10	K15%	11	K13%	11	K12%	22	ABCKm20%	10	K15%	14	BK20%	12	K12%	2	2%	5	10%	2	7%
Somewhat more likely	471	46%	50	46%	17	39%	40	48%	34	52%	38	43%	50	JK56%	55	50%	31	46%	30	43%	37	38%	46	41%	27	54%	16	55%
Somewhat less likely	128	13%	16	C15%	10	CL23%	5	6%	8	12%	9	10%	10	11%	11	10%	14	CL21%	8	12%	12	12%	15	13%	4	8%	6	21%
Much less likely	25	2%	3	3%	0	0%	2	2%	1	2%	3	3%	1	1%	3	3%	0	0%	2	3%	1	1%	8	BFHJm7%	1	2%	0	0%
Don't know	271	27%	28	26%	15	G34%	28	DFGH34%	13	20%	27	G31%	17	19%	19	17%	13	19%	15	22%	36	DFGHIm37%	42	DFGHIm37%	13	26%	5	17%
Total	1015	100%	108	100%	44	100%	83	100%	66	100%	88	100%	89	100%	110	100%	68	100%	69	100%	98	100%	113	100%	50	100%	29	100%
AVG		2.9	K2.9		2.7		K3.0		K3.0		K2.9		bK3.0		bK3.1		K2.9		K3.0		K3.0		2.6		K3.0		2.8	

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Thinking about this relationship, how comfortable or uncomfortable do you feel when directing a patient to private treatment (irrespective of whether or not they have private medical insurance)?

Base: All respondents

	Total	North West SHA		North East SHA		Yorkshire & Humber SHA		East Midlands SHA		West Midlands SHA		East of England SHA		London SHA		South East Coast SHA		South Central SHA		South West SHA		Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland				
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M														
Very comfortable	104	10%	13	K12%	3	7%	9	11%	10	KLm15%	7	8%	12	KLm13%	12	K11%	9	K13%	10	KLm14%	12	K12%	4	4%	2	4%	1	3%
Fairly comfortable	443	44%	49	K45%	19	43%	38	K46%	29	K44%	45	K51%	45	K51%	56	K51%	26	38%	31	K45%	41	K42%	30	27%	18	36%	16	k55%
Fairly uncomfortable	282	28%	28	26%	11	25%	20	24%	18	27%	17	19%	23	26%	29	26%	25	EI37%	14	20%	34	EI35%	40	EI35%	15	30%	8	28%
Very uncomfortable	84	8%	10	9%	6	14%	11	FH13%	3	5%	11	H13%	4	4%	7	6%	2	3%	4	6%	6	6%	11	H10%	8	DFHm16%	1	3%
Don't know	102	10%	8	7%	5	11%	5	6%	6	9%	8	9%	5	6%	6	5%	6	9%	10	J14%	5	5%	28	ABCDEFGHIJm25%	7	14%	3	10%
Total	1015	100%	108	100%	44	100%	83	100%	66	100%	88	100%	89	100%	110	100%	68	100%	69	100%	98	100%	113	100%	50	100%	29	100%
AVG		2.6		KL2.7		2.5		K2.6		KL2.8		K2.6		KL2.8		KL2.7		KL2.7		KL2.8		KL2.6		2.3		2.3		k2.7

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Base: All respondents

	Total		S2 GP type							D3 - Gender				D4 - Year of qualification						D6 - Age														
			GP Principal		Salaried GP		GP Registrar		Locum GP		Male		Female		1960-1969		1970-1979		1980-1989		1990-1999		2000-2010		Under 30		30 - 39		40 - 49		50 - 59		60 or over	
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P																
Much more likely	120	12%	79	c12%	28	c12%	0	0%	13	c12%	75	13%	45	10%	2	25%	13	13%	26	11%	40	12%	39	12%	3	19%	51	11%	32	11%	22	10%	12	023%
Somewhat more likely	471	46%	297	c44%	117	c50%	0	0%	57	c53%	259	45%	212	49%	2	25%	42	41%	104	44%	163	48%	160	49%	7	44%	220	50%	129	46%	93	42%	22	42%
Somewhat less likely	128	13%	95	c14%	24	c10%	0	0%	9	c8%	82	14%	46	11%	1	13%	16	16%	37	K16%	46	K13%	28	9%	0	0%	45	I10%	40	I14%	36	IM16%	7	I13%
Much less likely	25	2%	18	c3%	6	c3%	0	0%	1	1%	14	2%	11	3%	1	13%	4	4%	10	J4%	4	1%	6	2%	1	6%	9	2%	5	2%	9	4%	1	2%
Don't know	271	27%	183	27%	59	25%	1	abd100%	28	26%	148	26%	123	28%	2	25%	28	27%	61	26%	88	26%	92	28%	5	31%	119	27%	76	27%	60	27%	11	21%
Total	1015	100%	672	100%	234	100%	1	100%	108	100%	578	100%	437	100%	8	100%	103	100%	238	100%	341	100%	325	100%	16	100%	444	100%	282	100%	220	100%	53	100%
AVG		2.9		2.9		3.0				3.0		2.9		2.9		2.8		2.9		2.8		2.9		I3.0		3.1		O3.0		2.9		2.8		O3.1

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	Total		S2 GP type				D3 - Gender				D4 - Year of qualification						D6 - Age																	
			GP Principal	Salaried GP	GP Registrar	Locum GP	Male	Female	1960-1969	1970-1979	1980-1989	1990-1999	2000-2010	Under 30	30 - 39	40 - 49	50 - 59	60 or over																
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P																		
Very comfortable	104	10%	77	Bc 11%	14	c 6%	0	0%	13	c 12%	77	F 13%	27	6%	3	38%	14	14%	30	13%	32	9%	25	8%	1	6%	38	9%	28	10%	27	12%	10	19%
Fairly comfortable	443	44%	284	c 42%	112	c 48%	0	0%	47	c 44%	251	43%	192	44%	1	13%	46	g 45%	90	g 38%	155	g 45%	151	g I46%	6	38%	211	48%	117	41%	90	41%	19	36%
Fairly uncomfortable	282	28%	176	26%	71	30%	1	abd 100%	34	31%	142	25%	140	E 32%	2	25%	23	22%	70	29%	96	28%	91	28%	4	25%	118	27%	89	32%	58	26%	13	25%
Very uncomfortable	84	8%	68	Bc D10%	11	c 5%	0	0%	5	c 5%	50	9%	34	8%	2	25%	12	12%	25	11%	22	6%	23	7%	0	0%	33	I 7%	17	I 6%	26	I N12%	8	I 15%
Don't know	102	10%	67	c 10%	26	c 11%	0	0%	9	c 8%	58	10%	44	10%	0	0%	8	g 8%	23	g 10%	36	g 11%	35	g 11%	5	p 31%	44	10%	31	11%	19	9%	3	6%
Total	1015	100%	672	100%	234	100%	1	100%	108	100%	578	100%	437	100%	8	100%	103	100%	238	100%	341	100%	325	100%	16	100%	444	100%	282	100%	220	100%	53	100%
AVG		2.6		2.6		2.6		2.0		2.7		F 2.7		2.5		2.6		2.7		2.6		2.6		2.6		2.7		2.6		2.6		2.6		2.6

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	Total	D2 - Practice Location					D1 - Overall practice size					D5 - Dispensing Practice				D7 - Number of patients on practice list																		
		Rural area		Urban area		Semi-rural area	Suburban area	Other (please specify)	Single handed	2-3	4-5	6>	Yes	No	1-2000	2001-4000	4001-6000	6001-8000	8000 plus															
		A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P																	
Much more likely	120	12%	11	e12%	44	e11%	27	e12%	38	e13%	0	0%	0	0%	27	f15%	47	f115%	46	f9%	23	14%	97	11%	6	10%	17	14%	27	14%	23	12%	47	11%
Somewhat more likely	471	46%	39	42%	176	44%	115	50%	140	48%	1	33%	8	57%	82	45%	134	42%	247	H49%	67	42%	404	47%	35	M56%	50	40%	86	44%	82	43%	218	50%
Somewhat less likely	128	13%	13	e14%	58	e15%	27	e12%	30	e10%	0	0%	2	14%	26	14%	41	13%	59	12%	24	15%	104	12%	4	6%	22	L18%	25	13%	29	L15%	48	11%
Much less likely	25	2%	3	3%	11	3%	4	2%	6	2%	1	33%	0	0%	9	f5%	5	f2%	11	f2%	4	2%	21	2%	3	5%	4	3%	6	3%	3	2%	9	2%
Don't know	271	27%	26	28%	107	27%	57	25%	80	27%	1	33%	4	29%	40	22%	90	28%	137	27%	43	27%	228	27%	15	24%	31	25%	52	27%	55	29%	118	27%
Total	1015	100%	92	100%	396	100%	230	100%	294	100%	3	100%	14	100%	184	100%	317	100%	500	100%	161	100%	854	100%	63	100%	124	100%	196	100%	192	100%	440	100%
AVG		2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	e3.0	e3.0	2.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9

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Fairly uncomfortable	282	28%	29	32%	120	30%	60	26%	72	24%	1	33%	6	43%	49	27%	93	29%	134	27%	44	27%	238	28%	18	29%	43	P35%	50	26%	63	P33%	108	25%
Very uncomfortable	84	8%	6	7%	36	9%	17	7%	24	8%	1	33%	0	0%	21	f11%	28	f9%	35	f7%	12	7%	72	8%	6	10%	11	9%	21	O11%	10	5%	36	8%
Don't know	102	10%	6	e7%	42	e11%	24	e10%	30	e10%	0	0%	2	14%	12	7%	31	10%	57	G11%	14	9%	88	10%	5	8%	8	6%	20	10%	24	13%	45	10%
Total	1015	100%	92	100%	396	100%	230	100%	294	100%	3	100%	14	100%	184	100%	317	100%	500	100%	161	100%	854	100%	63	100%	124	100%	196	100%	192	100%	440	100%
AVG		2.6		2.6		2.5		2.7		B2.7		2.0		2.6		2.6		2.6		2.7		2.6		2.6		2.5		2.6		2.6		2.6		2.7

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