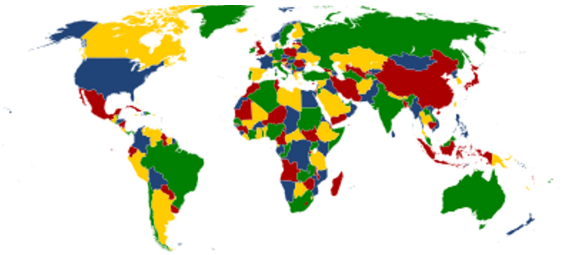




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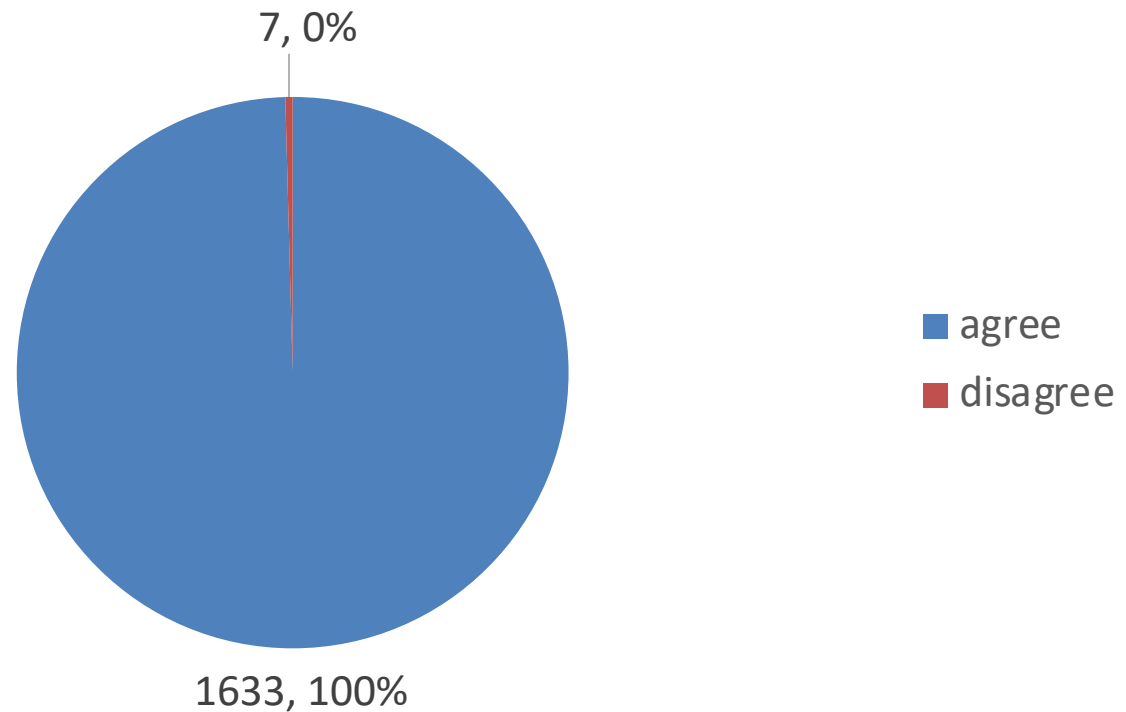
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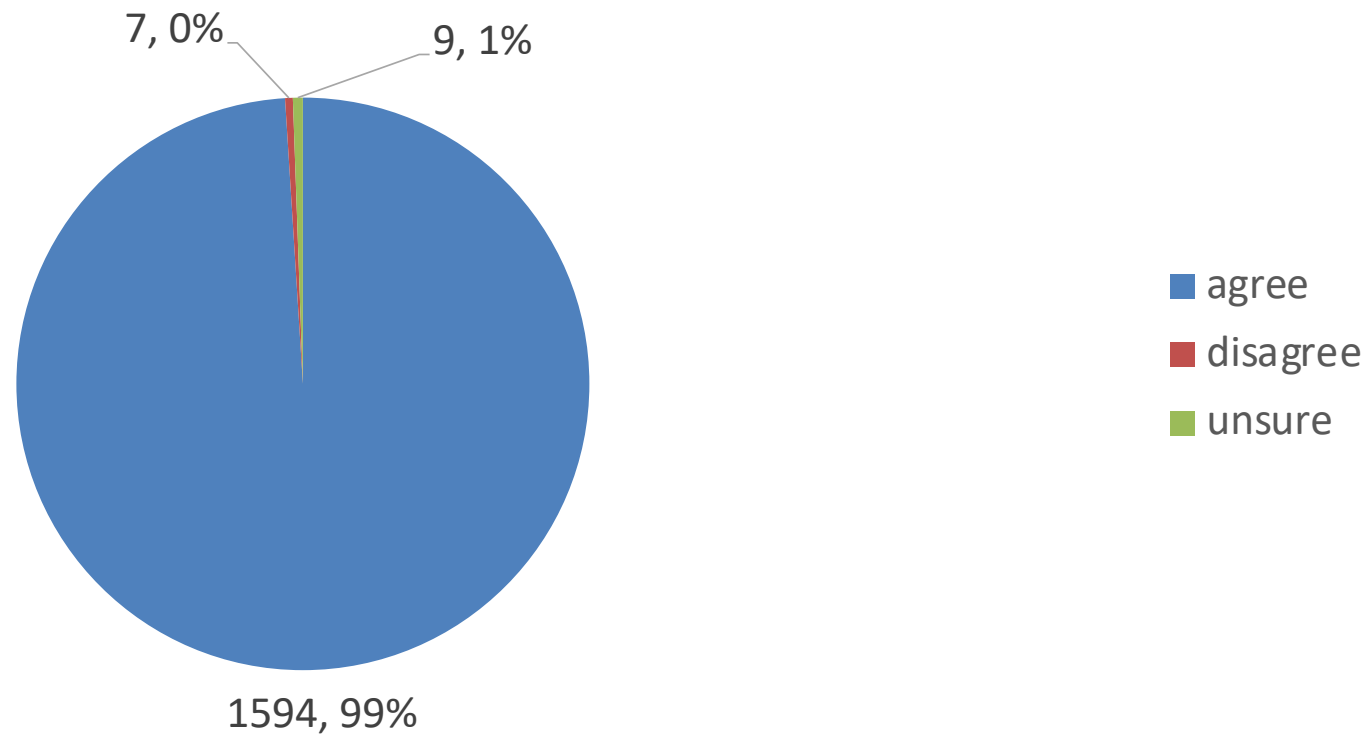
Q1. Do you agree that it should be legal for a doctor to assist a terminally ill adult of sound mind in ending their life, if that is the person's wish?

Note.
Pie chart sectors are described by 2 numbers. The first is the number of respondents, the second is the percentage of respondents, that gave a particular response to the question. On bar charts, the horizontal axis refers to the percentage of respondents.



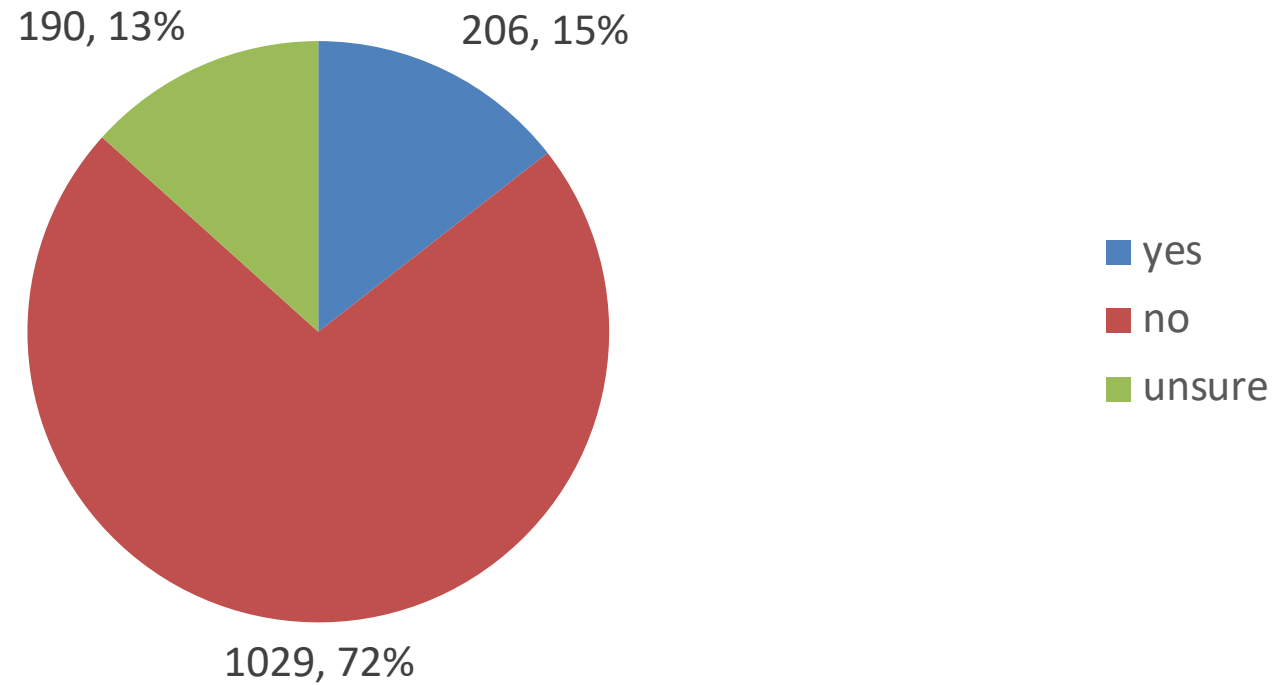


Q2. Do you agree that every adult of sound mind has the right to implement plans for the end of their life?



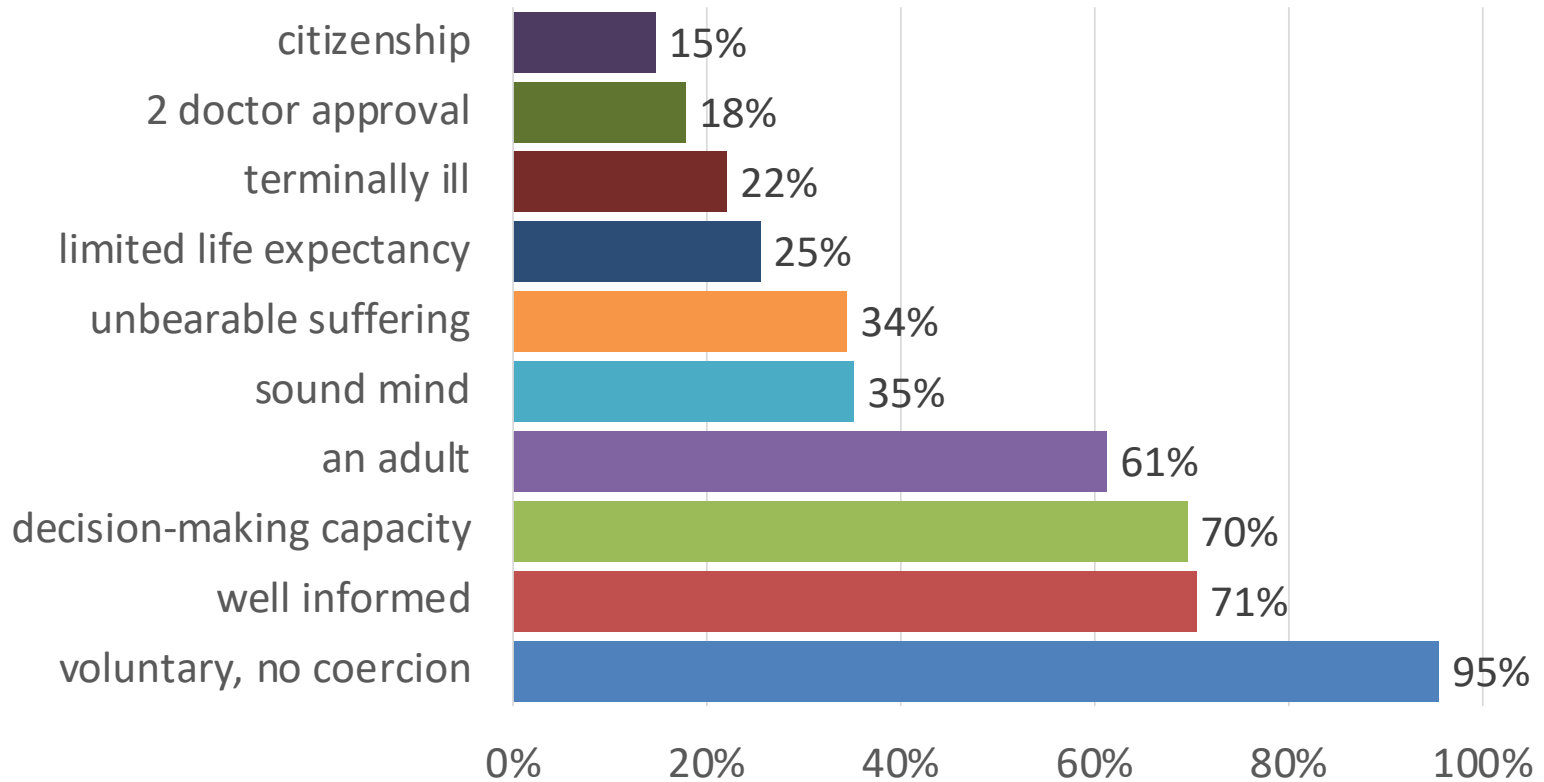


Q3. Do you have access to a legal form of voluntary assisted dying in your region?



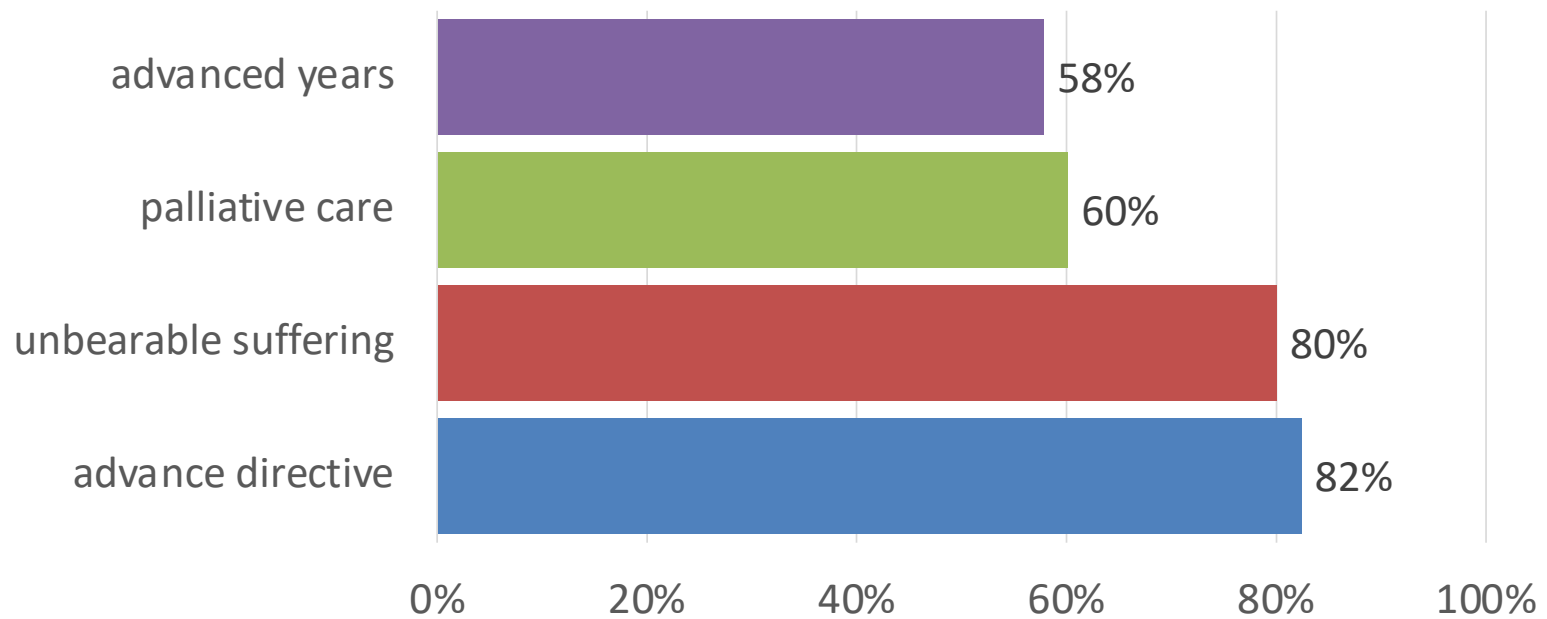


Q4. Which of the following would you consider NECESSARY for a person to be ELIGIBLE for voluntary assisted dying?



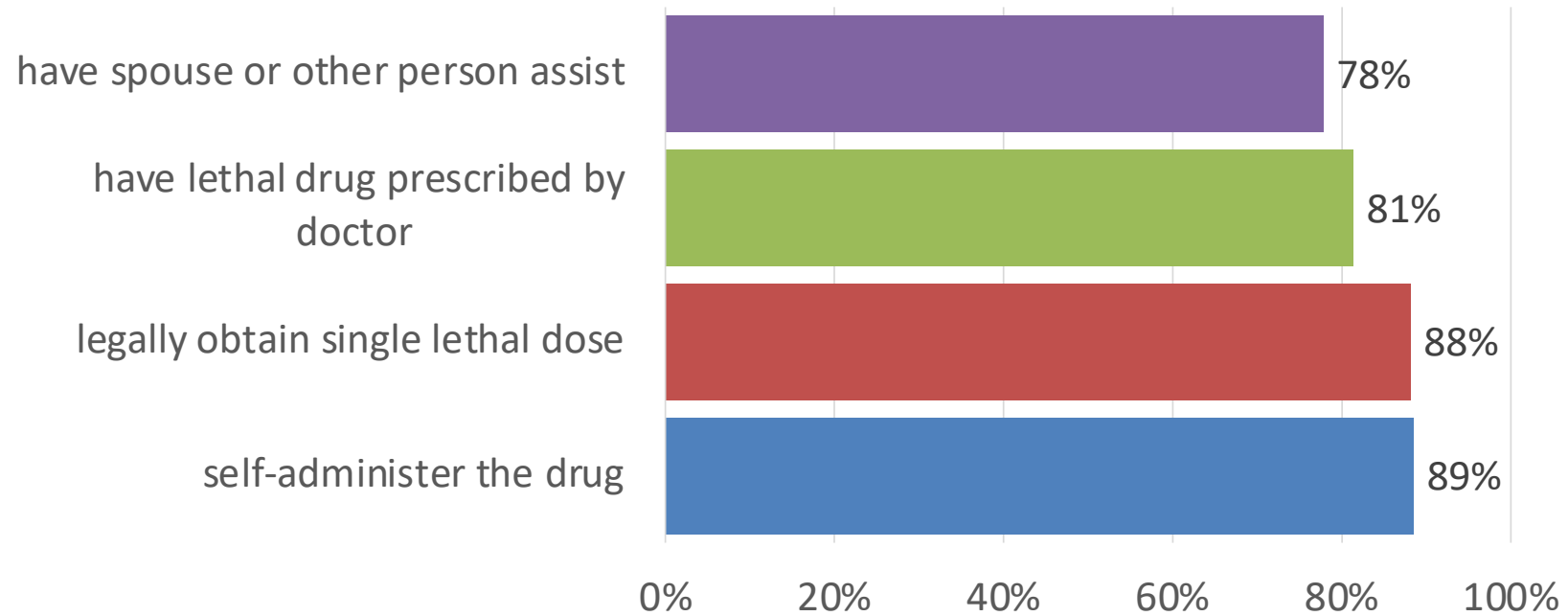


Q5. Assuming that a person has decision making capacity and requests voluntary assisted dying, which of the following should make someone immediately eligible?



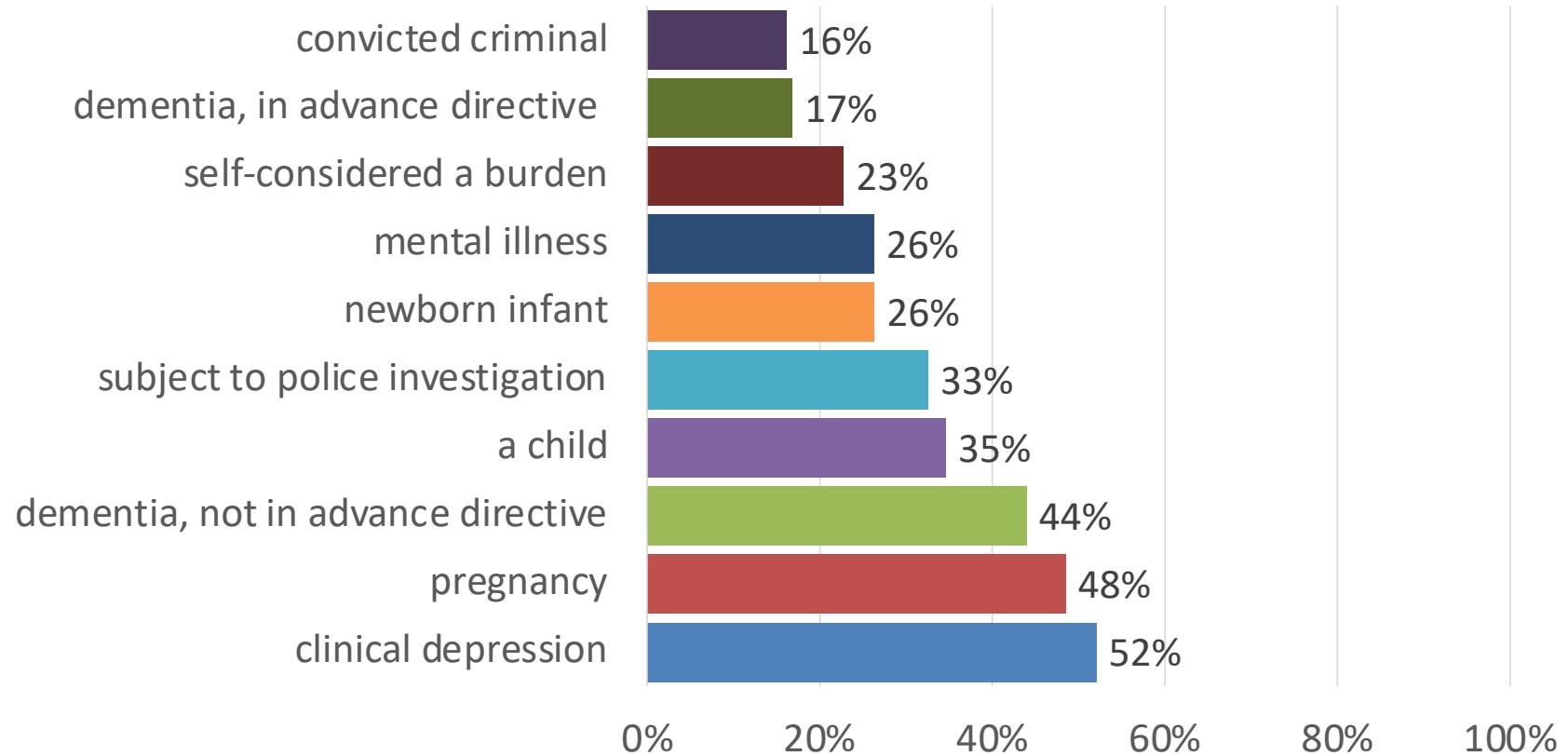


Q6. If a person is eligible, they can do the following...



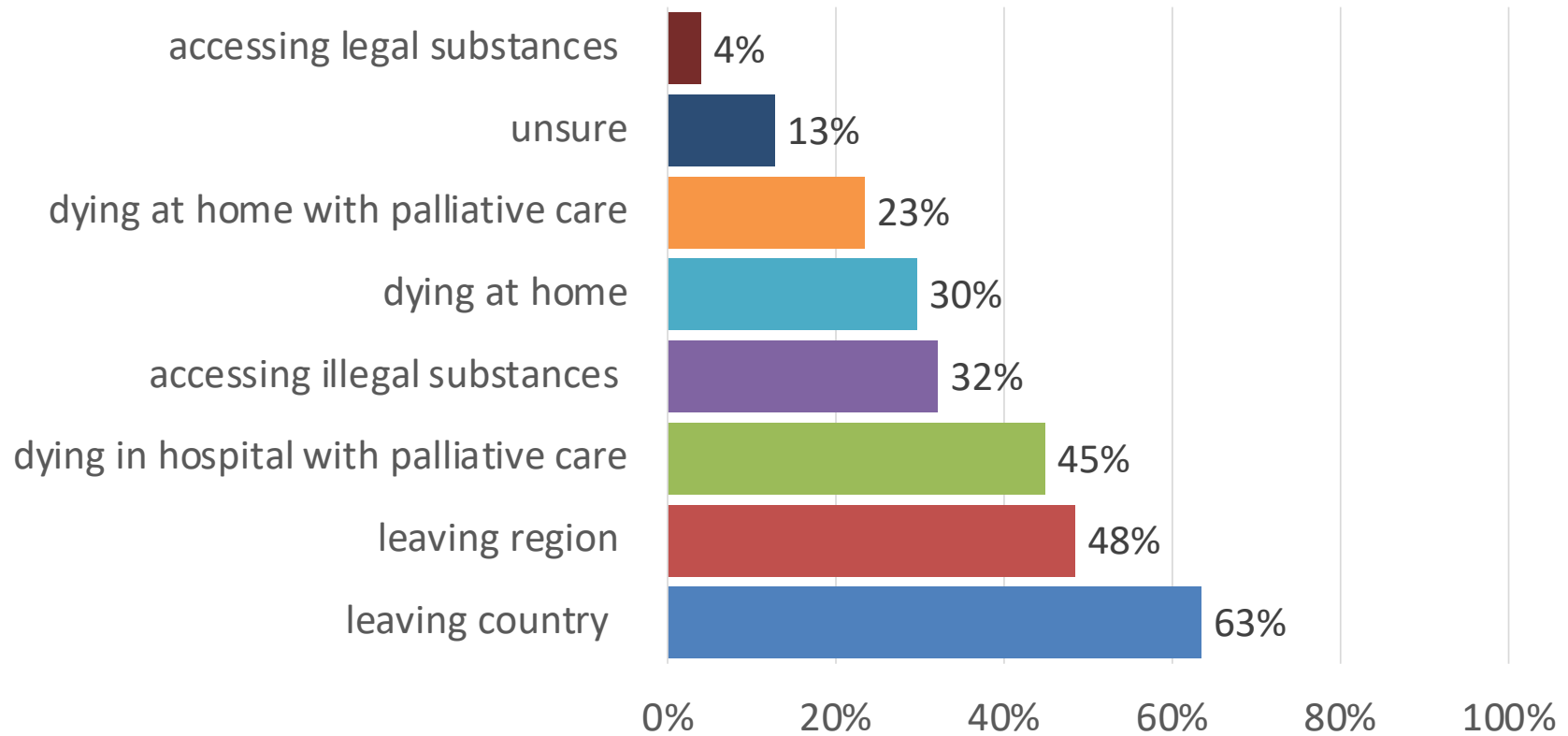


Q7. Which of the following conditions should make a person automatically INELIGIBLE for voluntary assisted dying?



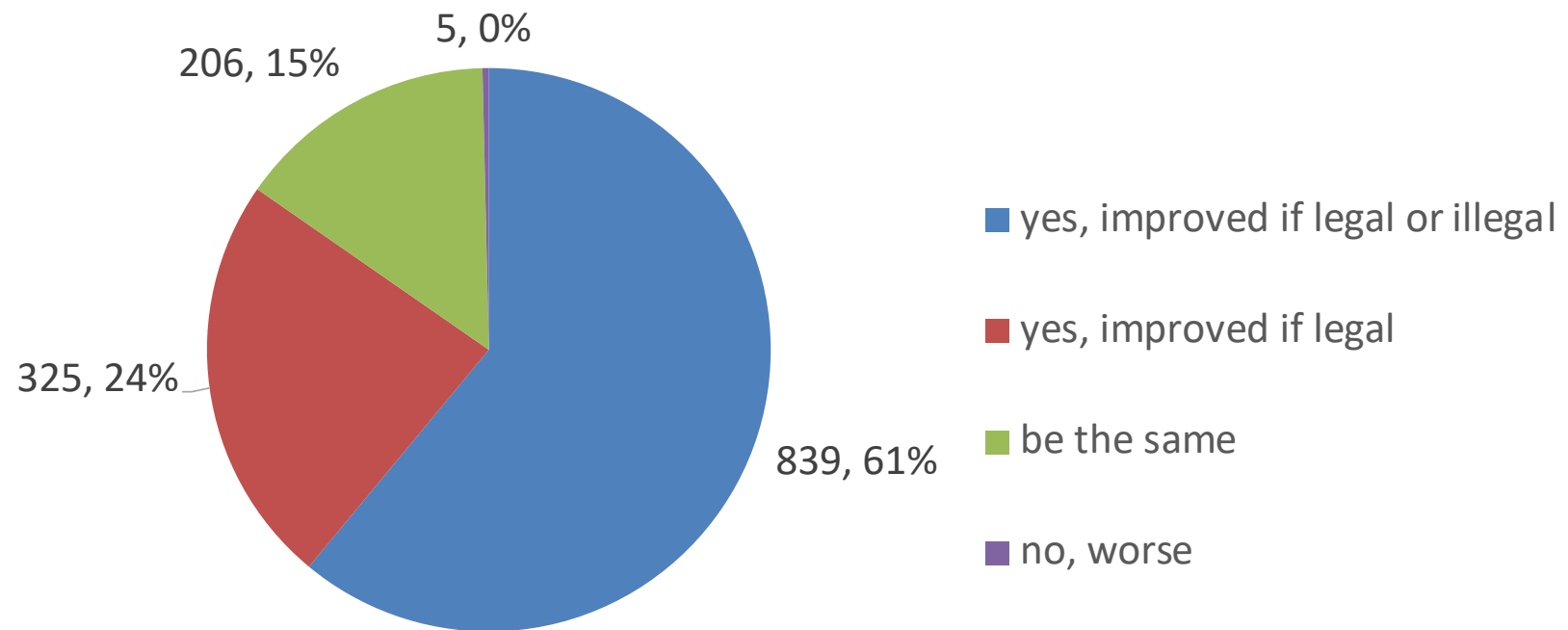


Q8. Which of the following would you NOT WANT as an option for yourself?



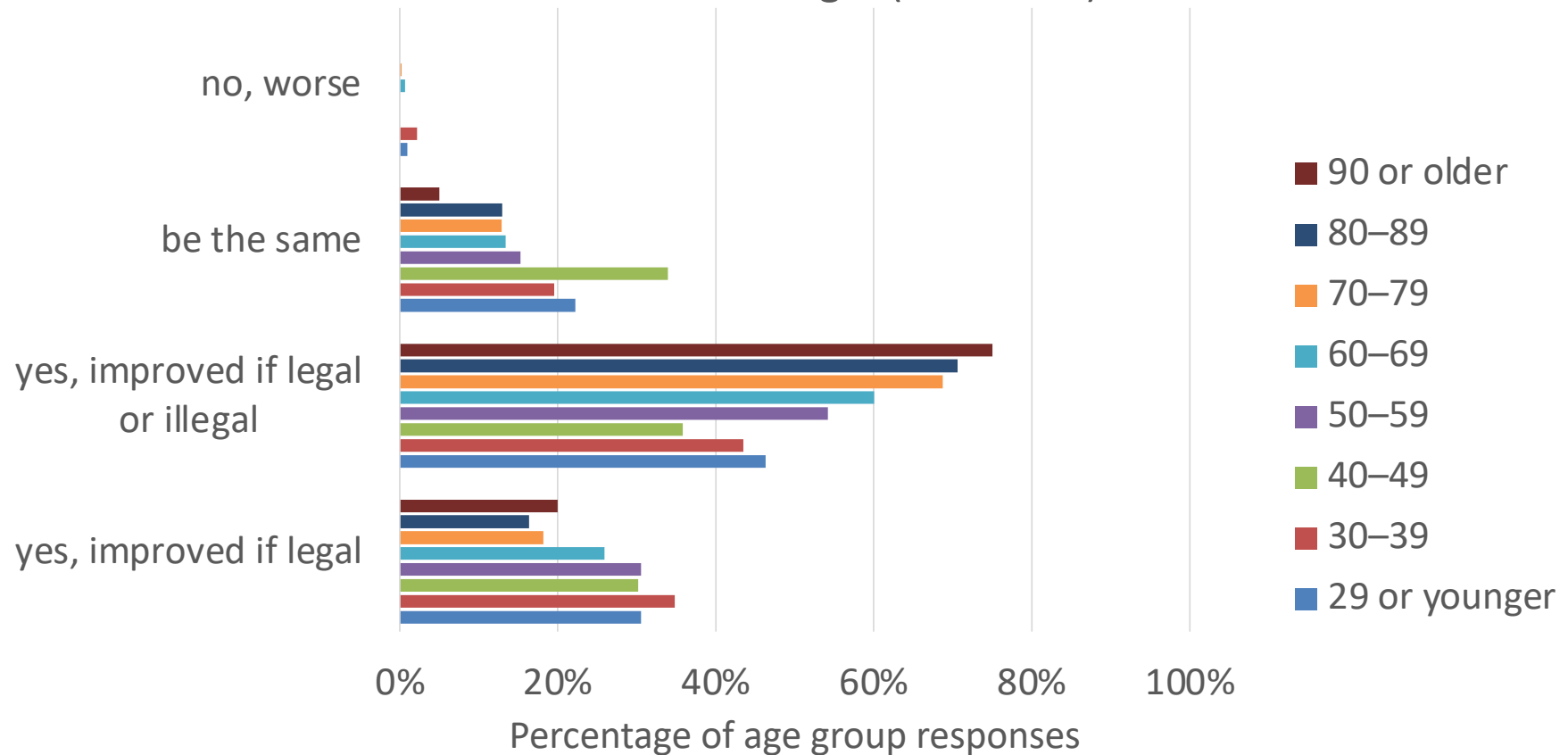


Q9. Would your quality of life be improved if you had ready access to an end-of-life substance?





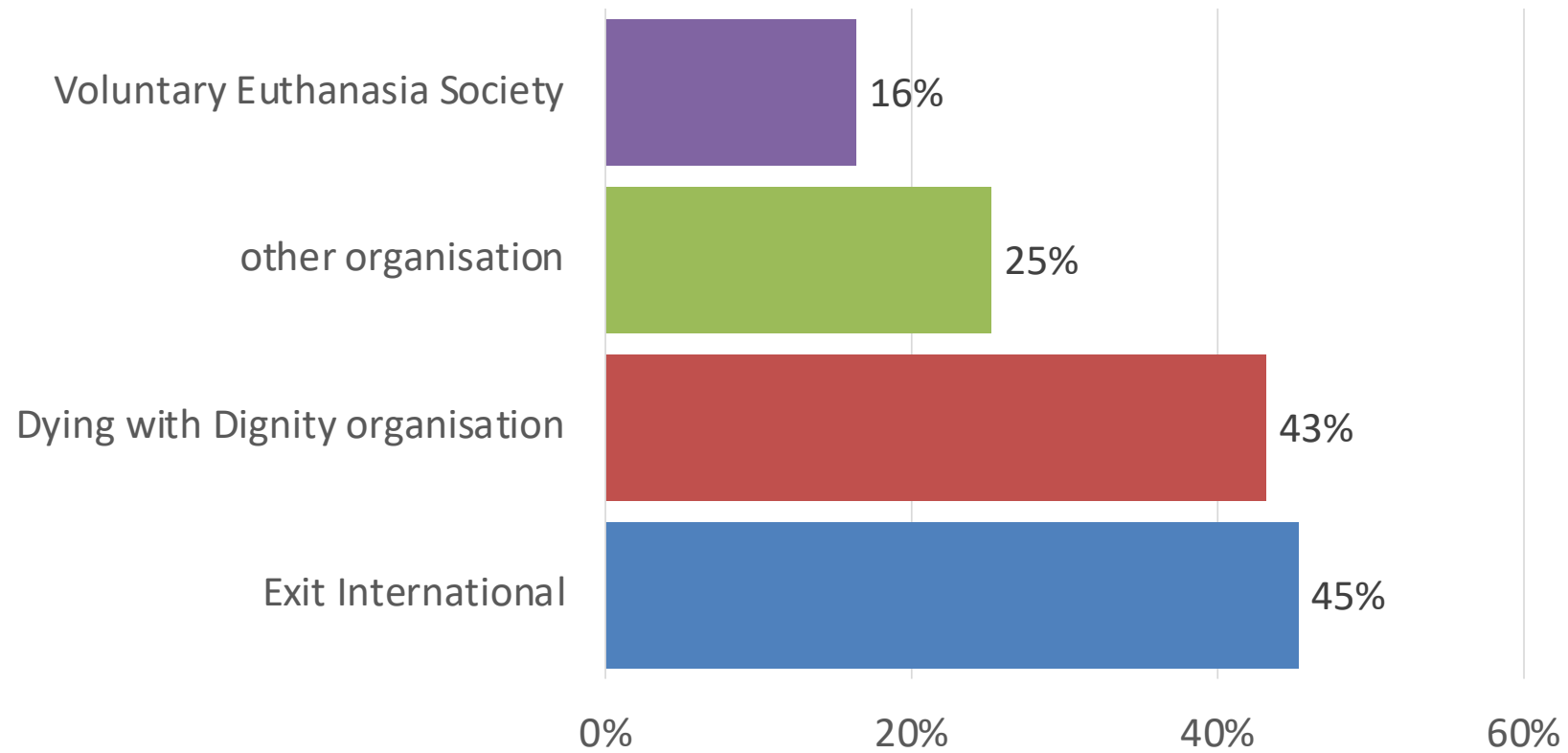
Responses to the question 'Would your quality of life be improved if you had ready access to an end-of-life substance?' as a function of age. (Q9 v Q14)



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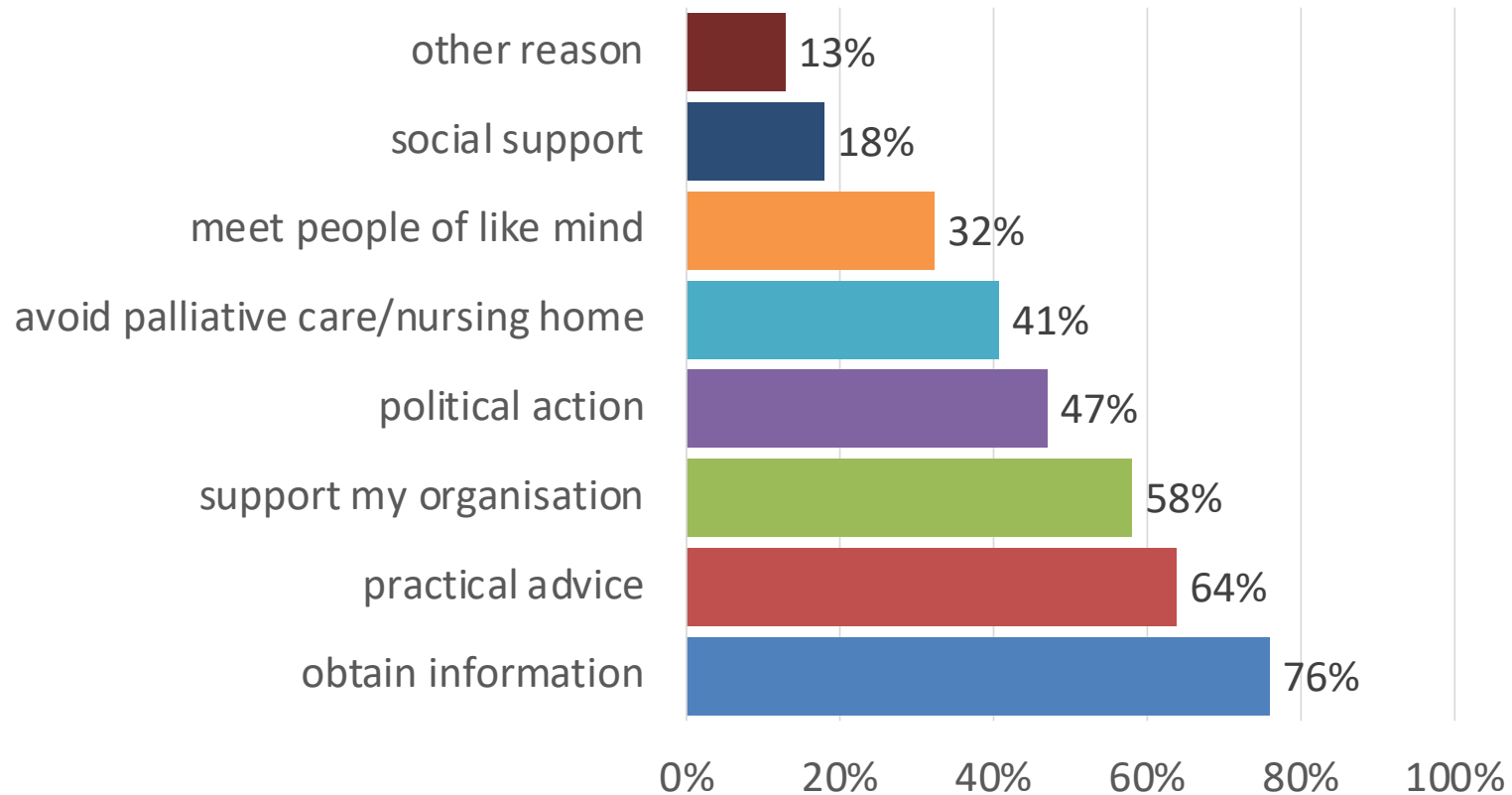


Q10. Of which organisations are you a member?



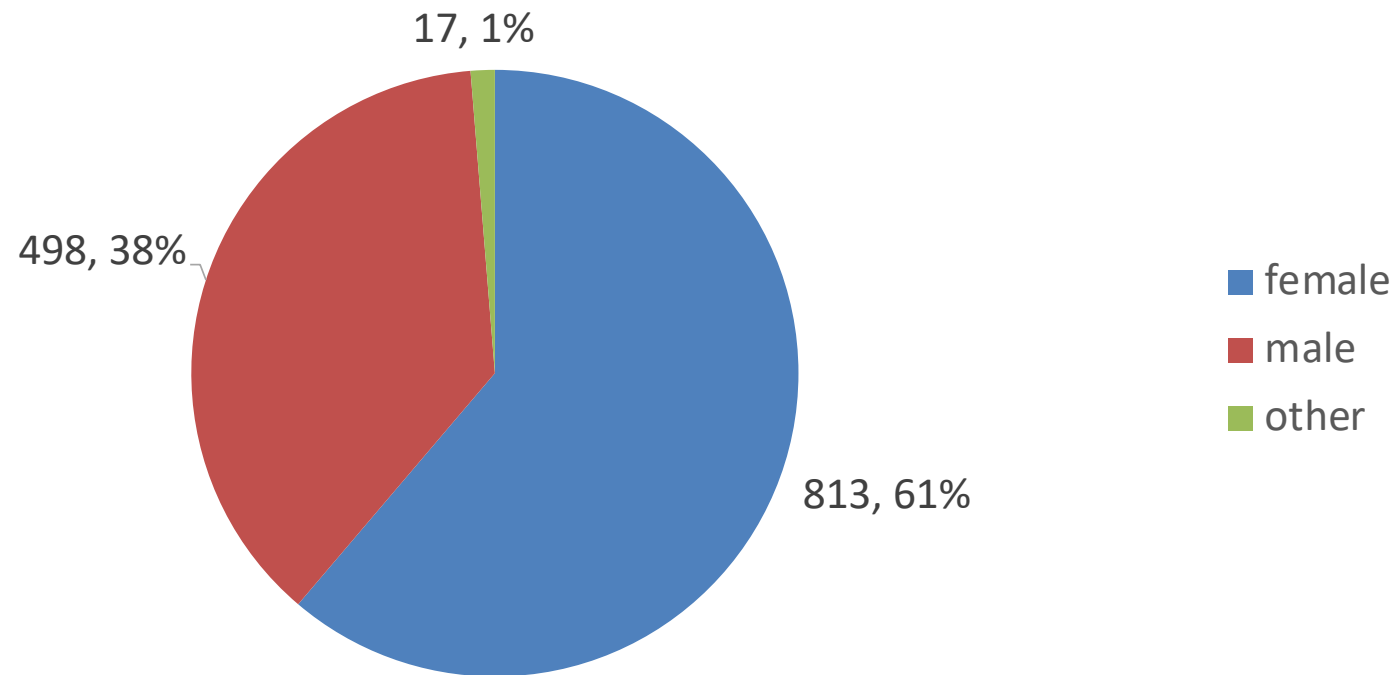


Q11. Why did you join your organisation(s)?



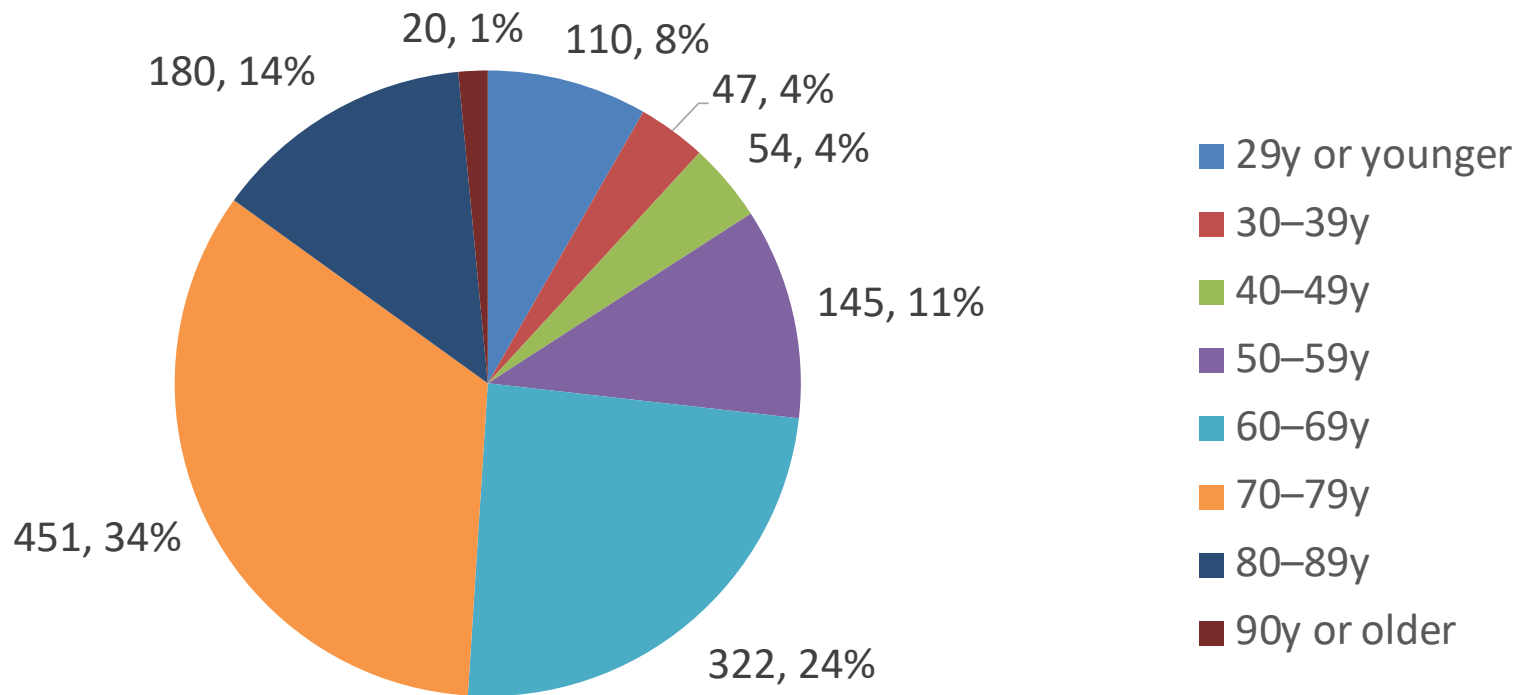


Q13. What is your gender?



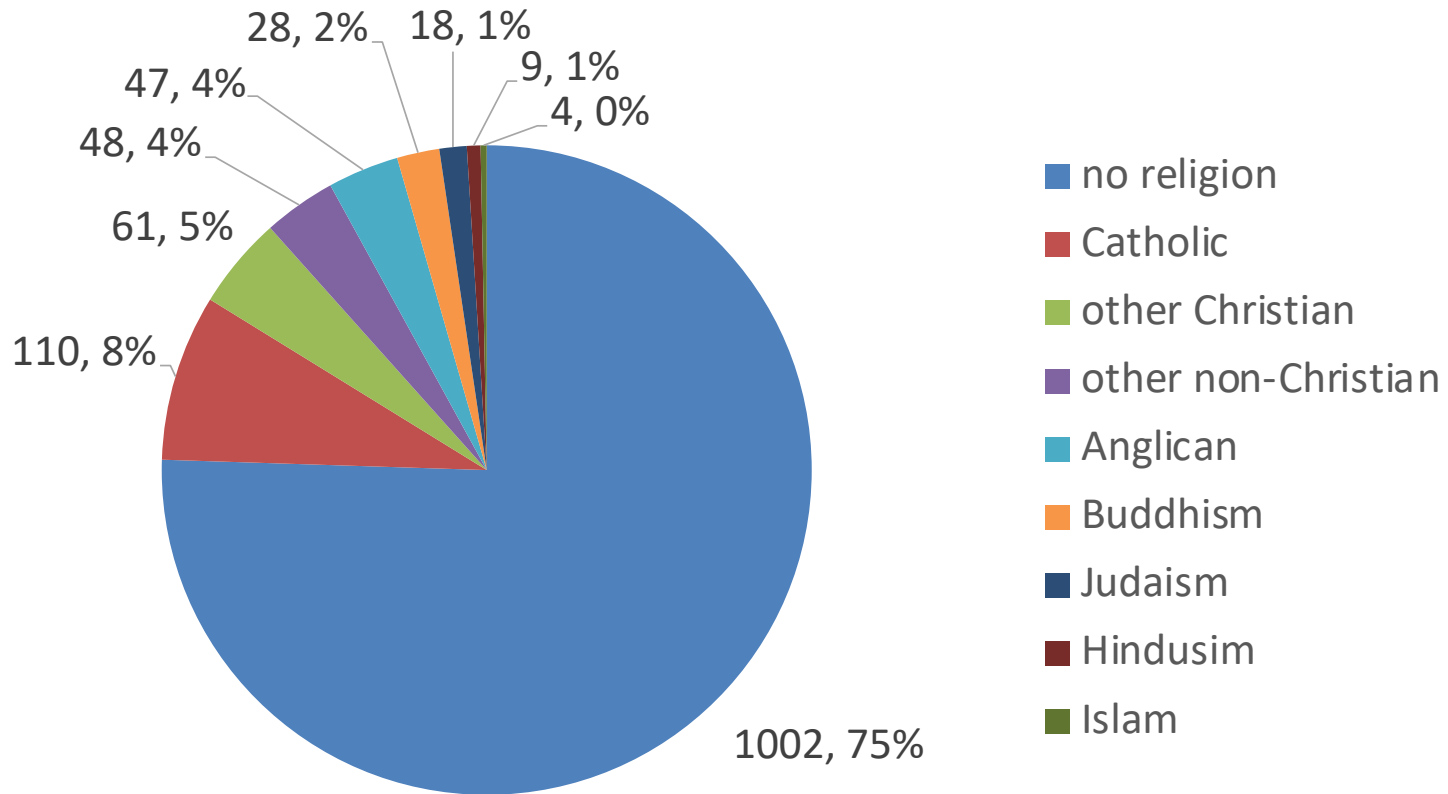


Q14. What is your age group?



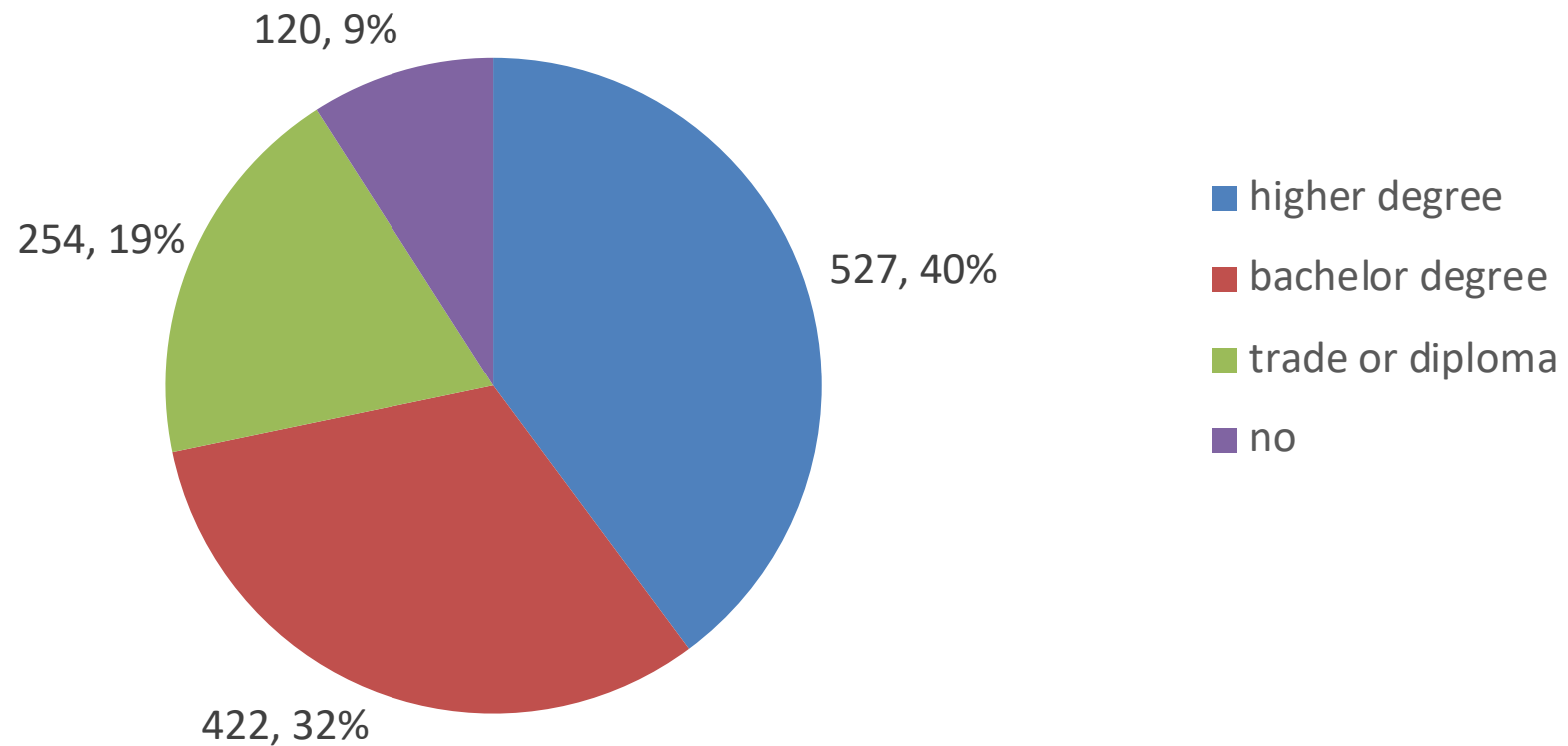


Q15. What is your religion?



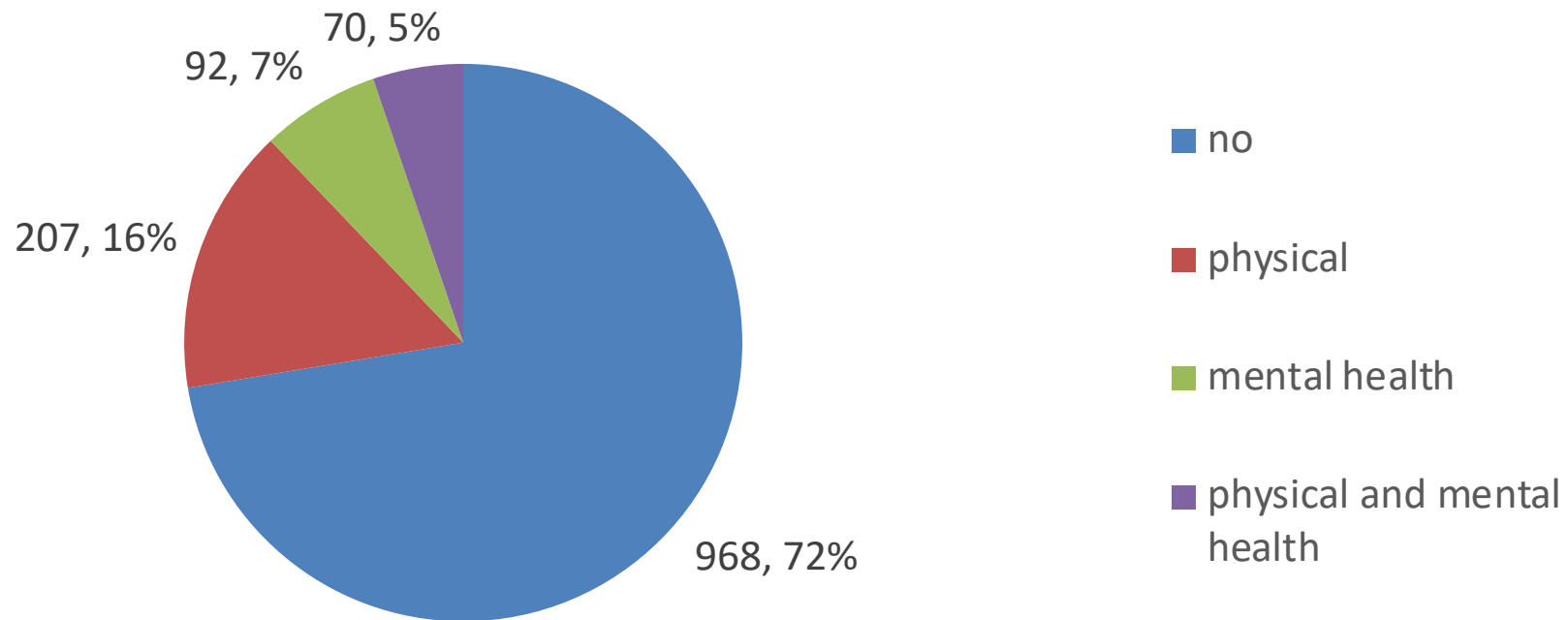


Q16. Did you undertake education beyond high school?



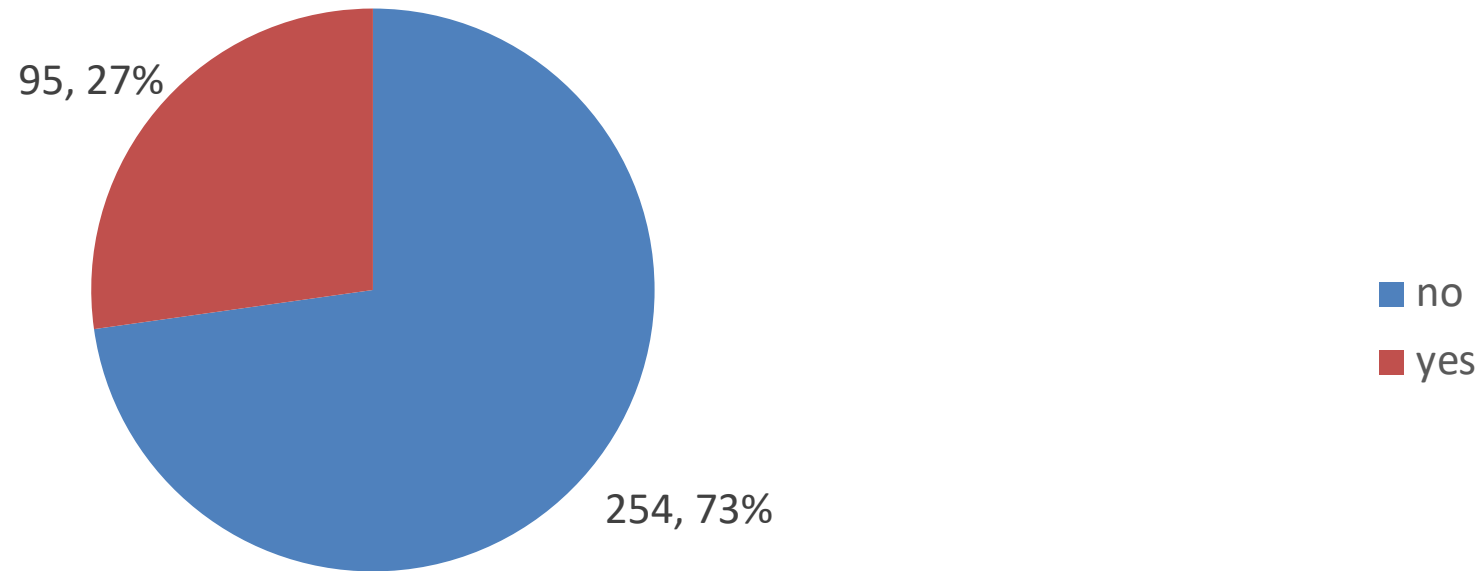


Q17. Do you have a disability?



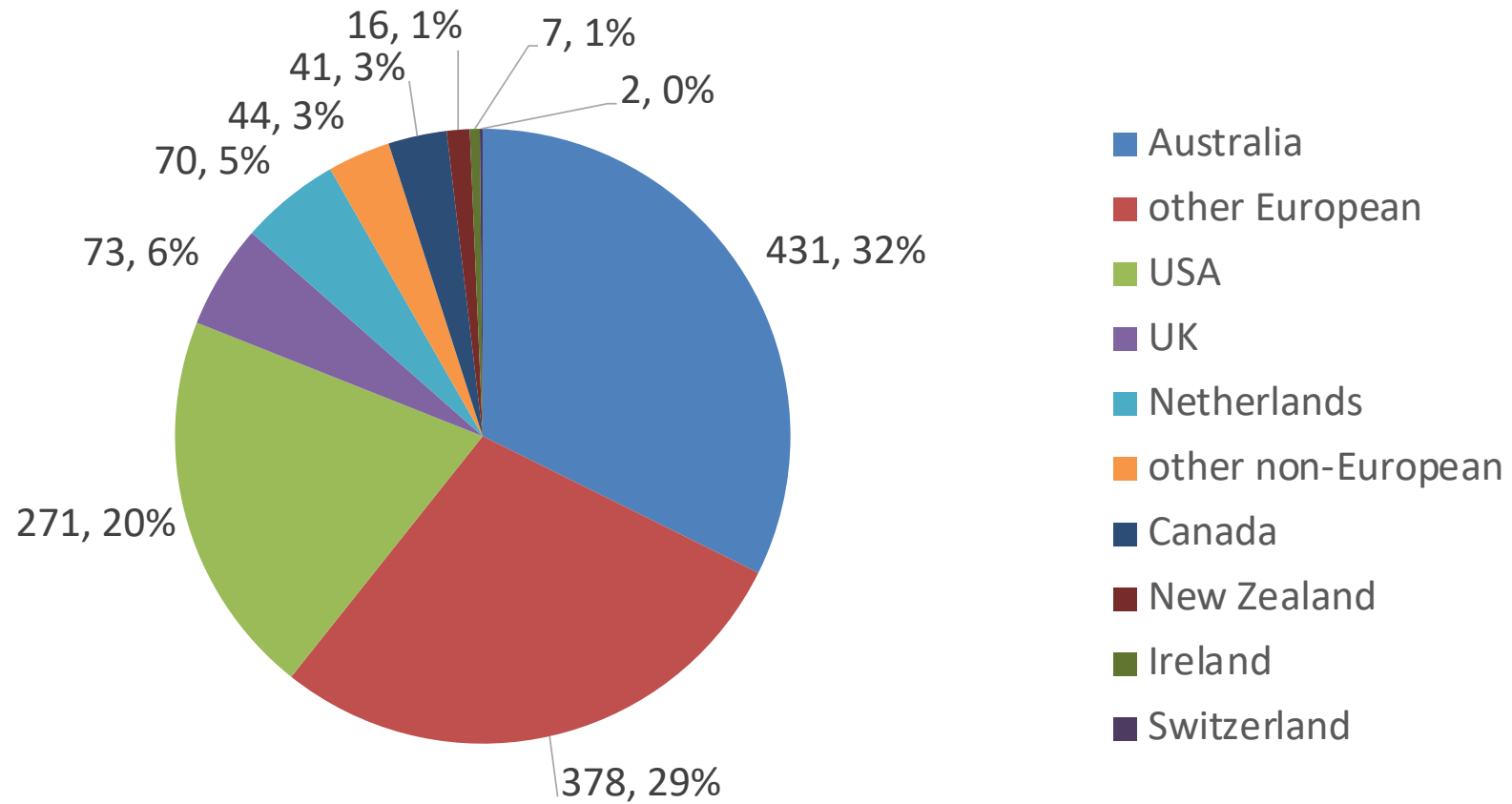


Q18. As a person with a disability, do you have particular needs about voluntary assisted dying?



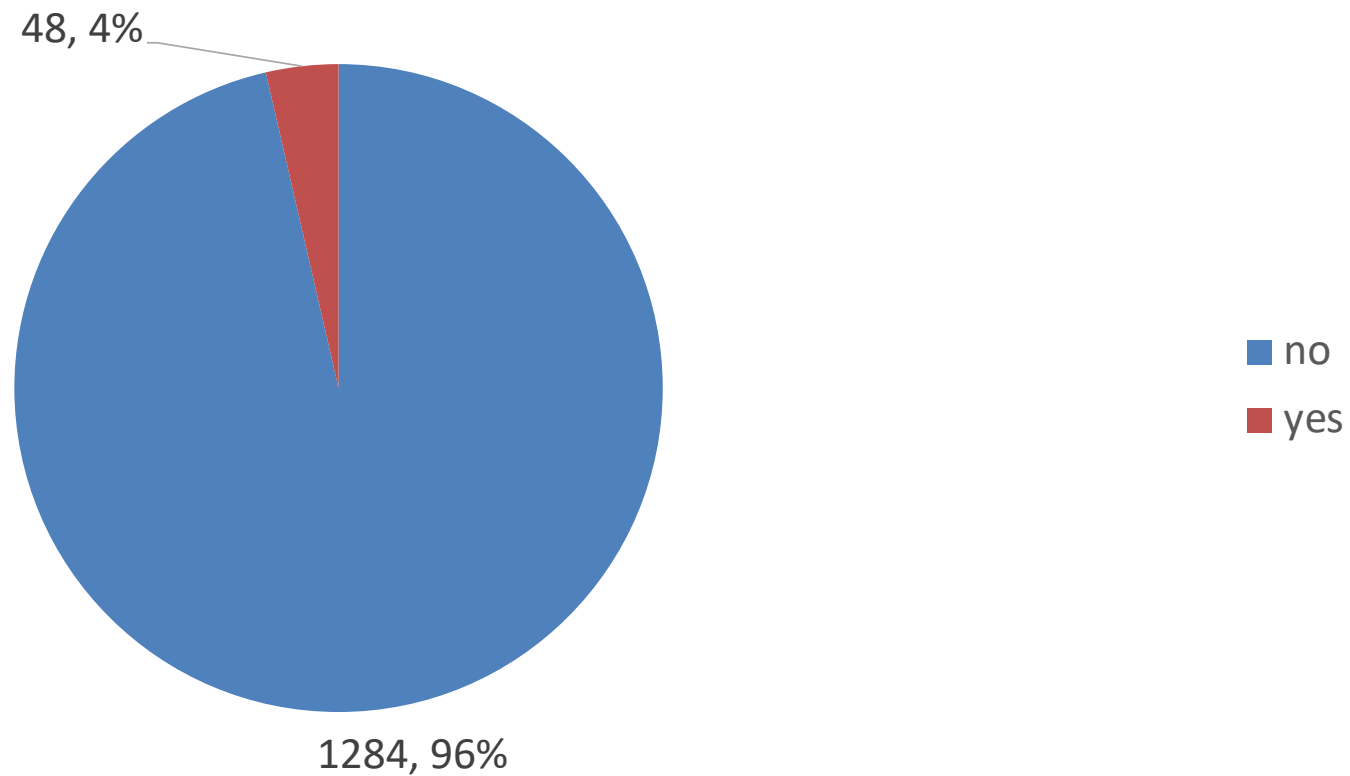


Q19. In which country do you live?





Q23. Are you a member of a First Nations people, i.e. an indigenous or Aboriginal person in your country?





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