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Victorian WorkCover Authority 2024 people matter survey results report





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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 2023 and 2022.

This means you'll be able to compare about 96% 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 2024 (DOCX, 83 pages) to see how we asked questions and defined concepts in the 2024 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.

Senior leadership	Organisation climate	Workgroup climate	Job and manager	Outcomes
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## The public sector values that underpin the framework and all public sector organisations



Responsiveness







Integrity





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'.

Accident Compensation Conciliation Service

Department of Energy, Environment and Climate Action

Department of Justice and Community Safety

Department of Transport and Planning

Department of Treasury and Finance

Energy Safe Victoria

Transport Accident Commission

Victorian Building Authority

Victorian Funds Management Corporation

Victorian Gambling and Casino Control Commission

Victorian Managed Insurance Authority



#### Your response rate

## What this is

This is how many staff in your organisation did the survey in 2024.

## 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.

2023		2024
79% (1451)		76% (1433)
Comparator Public Sector	59% 42%	Comparator Public Sector



58%

65%



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## Your employee engagement index

## What is this

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.

2023		2024
74		73
Comparator	66	Comparator
Public Sector	68	Public Sector

66





## Engagement question results 1 of 2

## What is this

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

## Your group's engagement index

Your 2024 index is 73.

## 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

80% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation'.







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#### Example

64% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I feel a strong personal attachment to my organisation'.

#### Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disagree You Comparator Agree 2022 2023 2024 Lowest Average Highest 12% 64% I feel a strong personal attachment to 66% 64% 66% 47% 54% 62% my organisation

25%







## Scorecard: satisfaction, stress, intention to stay, inclusion

#### What is this

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.

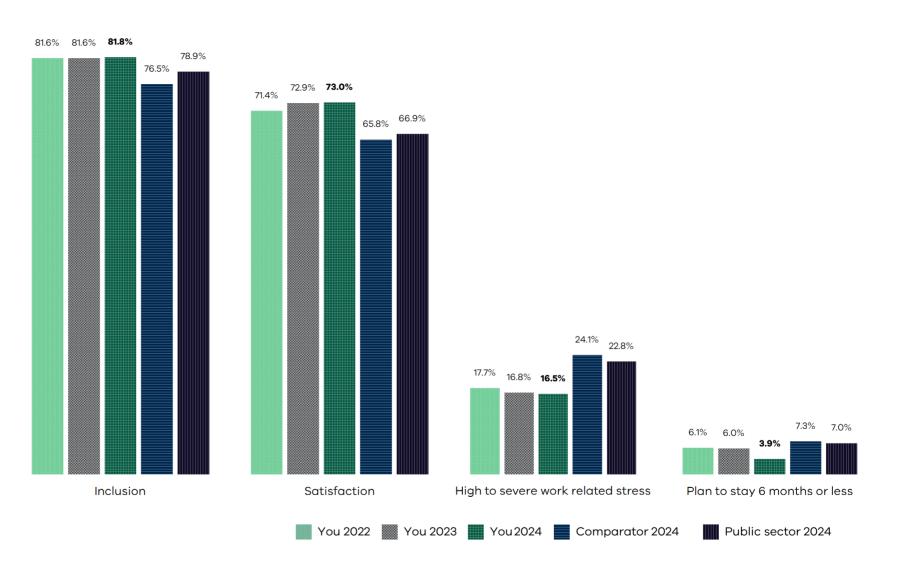
## Example

In 2024:

• 81.8% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Inclusion.

Compared to:

• 76.5% of staff in your comparator group and 78.9% of staff across the public sector.







## Satisfaction question results

## What is this

This is how satisfied staff are with their iobs, 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

83% 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'.

## Survey question

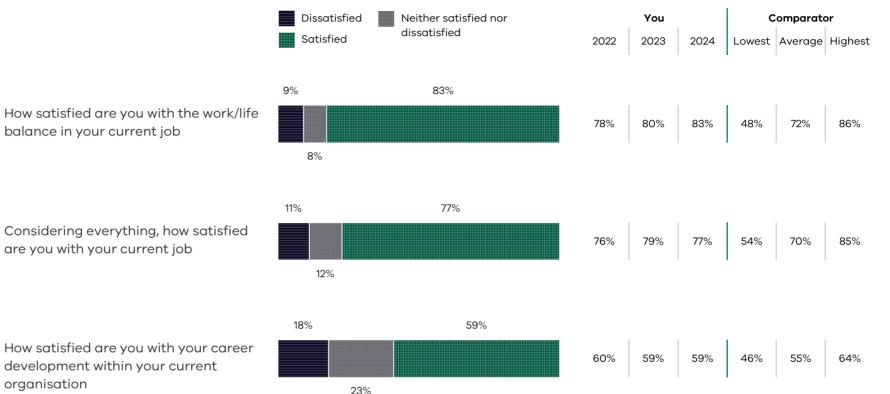
balance in your current job

are you with your current job

organisation

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## Work-related stress levels

## What is this

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.

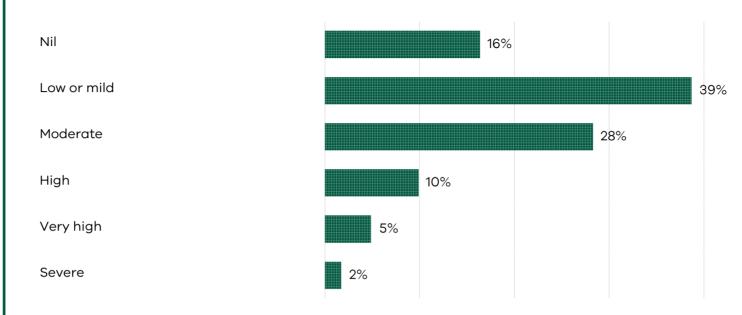
The graph at the top shows how staff in your group rated their current levels of work-related stress.

The numbers below show the percentage of staff in your group who said they experienced high to severe stress in 2024 compared to 2023, your comparator and the public sector.

## Example

17% of your staff who did the survey said they had high to severe stress in 2024. This is compared to 24% of staff in your comparator group and 23% of staff across the public sector.

## How would you rate your current level of work-related stress? (You 2024)



## Reported levels of high to severe stress

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2023		2024	
17%		17%	
Comparator Public Sector	26% 24%	Comparator Public Sector	24% 23%



#### Work-related stress causes

#### What is this

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

84% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced mild to severe stress. Of that 84%, 38% said the top reason was 'Workload' .

Experienced some work-related	Experienced some work-related stress		Did not experience some work-related s		
Of those that experienced work related stress it was from	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024	
Workload	36%	38%	45%	47%	
Time pressure	32%	34%	41%	42%	
Dealing with clients, patients or stakeholders	21%	20%	16%	17%	
Competing home and work responsibilities	18%	18%	13%	13%	
Content, variety, or difficulty of work	13%	16%	11%	12%	
Unclear job expectations	15%	14%	15%	14%	
Social environment (e.g. relationships with colleagues, manager or senior leaders)	12%	14%	11%	11%	
Organisation or workplace change	10%	13%	21%	15%	
Other	15%	12%	14%	13%	
Technology or equipment	13%	12%	8%	8%	

1198

84%





235

16%



## Why this is important

What is this

Stress can negatively affect peoples health and wellbeing as well as their performance and behaviour.

This is how manageable your staff feels

their stress at your organisation.

#### How to read this

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#### Example

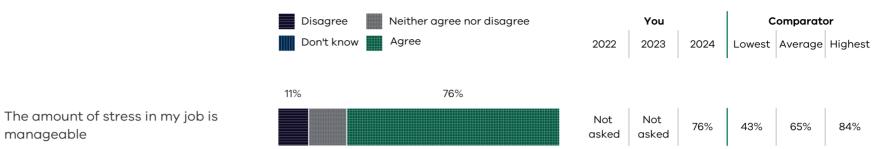
76% of your staff who did the survey said the amount of stress in their job was manageable.

## Survey question

manageable

## Your results

## Benchmark agree results



14%





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## People outcomes

## Intention to stay

## What is this

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

7% of your group 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 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
6 months or less	6%	4%	7%	7%
Over 6 months and up to 1 year	6%	7%	9%	10%
Over 1 year and up to 3 years	19%	19%	25%	25%
Over 3 years and up to 5 years	17%	16%	15%	16%
Over 5 years	52%	54%	43%	42%





## Inclusion question results

## What is this

This is how many staff experience that they belong, and can be themselves, at work.

## 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

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

86% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I feel culturally safe at work'.

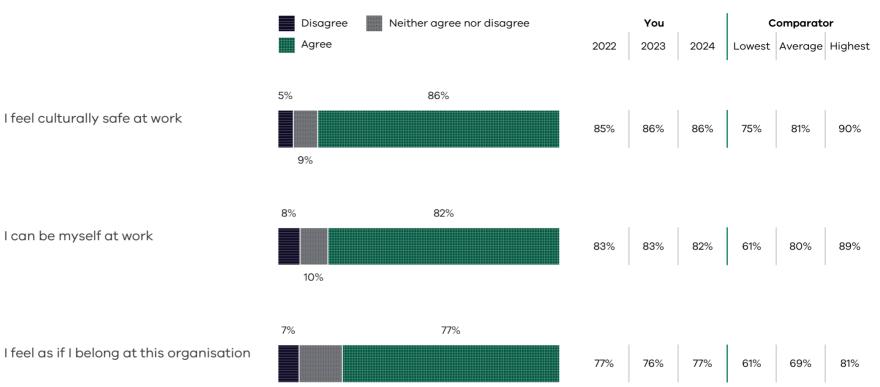
## Survey question

I feel culturally safe at work

I can be myself at work



## Benchmark agree results



15%



## Inclusion - Barriers to success

## What is this

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.

In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

#### Example

8% of your staff who did the survey said they have experienced barriers to success in the last 12 months due to 'My caring responsibilities'.

Staff who experienced one or more barriers to success at work	351			1082	
	24%			76%	
	Experienced barriers listed		Did no	t experience any o	f the barriers liste
During the last 12 months, employees success due to	experienced barriers to their	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
My caring responsibilities		8%	8%	7%	7%
My mental health		7%	7%	8%	8%
My flexible working		8%	7%	7%	6%
My sex		5%	6%	6%	5%
My age		6%	6%	8%	7%
My physical health		4%	4%	4%	4%
My cultural background		2%	2%	3%	3%
My disability		2%	2%	2%	2%
My physical features		1%	1%	1%	1%
My political belief		1%	1%	1%	1%





## Inclusion - Witnessed barriers to success

#### What is this

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

In 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.

In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

### Example

9% of your staff who did the survey said they have witnessed barriers to success of other employees in the last 12 months due to 'Flexible working'.

Staff who witnessed one or more barriers to success at work	327		11	06	
	23%		7	7%	
	Witnessed barriers listed		Did not	witness barriers li	sted
During the last 12 months, employees witnessed barriers to the success of other employees due to their		You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Flexible working		10%	9%	9%	8%
Caring responsibilities		9%	8%	7%	7%
Mental health		8%	7%	8%	7%
Sex		6%	7%	7%	5%
Age		5%	5%	7%	6%
Cultural background		3%	3%	5%	4%
Physical health		3%	3%	3%	3%
Disability		2%	3%	3%	2%
Race		2%	2%	2%	2%
Gender identity		1%	2%	2%	2%





## Scorecard: emotional effects of work

## What is this

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 group and the public sector.

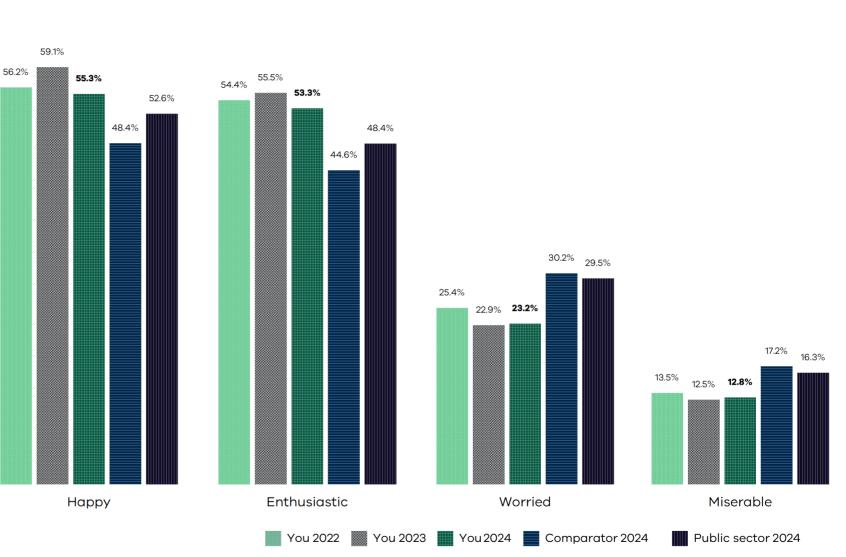
## Example

In 2024:

• 55.3% of your staff who did the survey said work made them feel happy.

## Compared to:

• 48.4% of staff in your comparator group and 52.6% of staff across the public sector.







#### Scorecard: negative behaviours

#### What is this

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 group and the public sector.

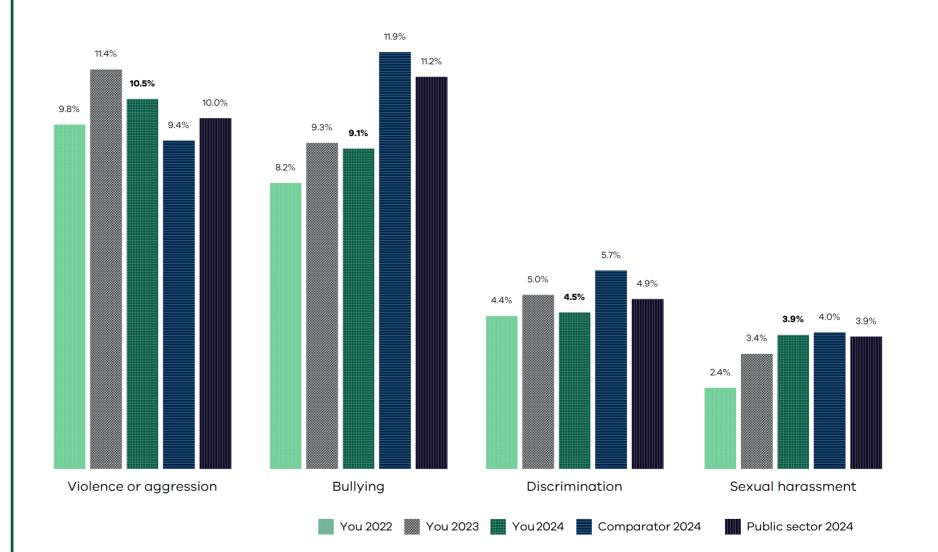
## Example

In 2024:

• 10.5% of your staff who did the survey stated they experienced Violence or aggression' in the last 12 months.

Compared to:

• 9.4% of staff in your comparator group and 10.0% of staff across the public sector.







## Bullying

## What is this

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

9% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced bullying.

Of that 9%, 63% 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?



Experienced bullying

Did not experience bullying

Not sure

If you experienced bullying, what type of bullying did you experience?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Incivility (e.g. talking down to others, making demeaning remarks, not listening to somebody)	73%	63%	70%	69%
Exclusion or isolation	47%	54%	48%	46%
Withholding essential information for me to do my job	46%	43%	34%	33%
Intimidation and/or threats	28%	27%	28%	28%
Other	21%	21%	15%	15%
Being assigned meaningless tasks unrelated to my job	19%	17%	16%	16%
Verbal abuse	14%	11%	18%	19%
Being given impossible assignment(s)	13%	6%	12%	11%
Interference with my personal property and/or work equipment	1%	2%	4%	4%





## Telling someone about the bullying

## What is this

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

9% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced bullying, of which

- 58% said the top way they reported the bullying was 'Told a manager'.
- 86% said they didn't submit a formal complaint.

Have you experienced bullying at 90 131 1212 work in the last 12 months? 9% 85% 6% Experienced bullying Did not experience bullying Not sure Public sector Comparator You You Did you tell anyone about the bullying? 2023 2024 2024 2024 Told a manager 60% 58% 53% 52% Told a colleague 41% 41% 41% 42% Told a friend or family member 33% 39% 34% 34% Told human resources 19% 19% 11% 14% 12% Told employee assistance program (EAP) or peer support 11% 18% 11% 17% Told the person the behaviour was not OK 16% 17% 16% Submitted a formal complaint 14% 14% 11% 12% Told someone else 19% 12% 12% 12% I did not tell anyone about the bullying 9% 12% 11% 11%







## Bullying - reasons for not submitting a formal complaint

## What is this

This is why staff who experienced bullying chose not to submit a formal complaint.

## Why this is important

By understanding this, 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. We then asked them if they submitted a formal complaint. If they didn't, they could tell us with one or more answers why not. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

## Example

86% of your staff who experienced bullying did not submit a formal complaint, of which:

• 57% said the top reason was 'I believed there would be negative consequences for my reputation'.

Did you submit a formal complaint?

# 18 113 14% 86%

Submitted formal complaint

Did not submit a formal complaint

What was your reason for not submitting a formal complaint?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
I believed there would be negative consequences for my reputation	59%	57%	57%	54%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my career	54%	51%	46%	45%
I didn't think it would make a difference	39%	46%	50%	51%
I didn't feel safe to report the incident	26%	29%	20%	21%
Other	18%	22%	16%	16%
I thought the complaint process would be embarrassing or difficult	16%	14%	15%	13%
I didn't think it was serious enough	20%	11%	19%	16%
I didn't need to because I no longer had contact with the person(s) who bullied me	9%	8%	7%	7%
I didn't know how to make a complaint	1%	6%	6%	5%
I believed there would be negative consequences for the person I was going to complain about	10%	5%	10%	10%





## Perpetrators of bullying

## What is this

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, 9% 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.

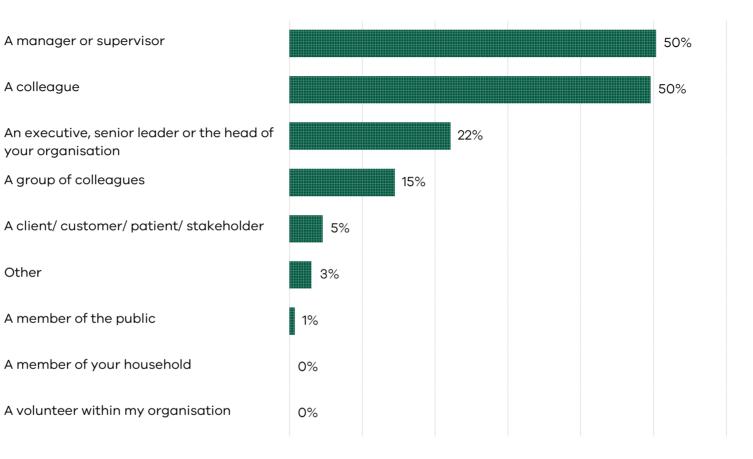
Each row is one perpetrator or group of perpetrators.

## Example

9% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced bullying.

Of that 9%, 50% said it was by 'A manager or supervisor'.

## 131 people (9% of staff) experienced bullying (You 2024)









## Relationship to perpetrator

## What is this

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, 9% 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

9% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced bullying.

Of that 9%, 98% said it was by someone within the organisation.

Of that 98%, 61% said it was 'They were in my workgroup'.

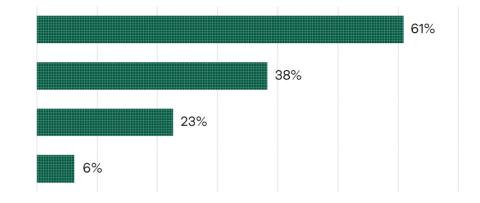
## 128 people (98% of staff who experienced bullying) experienced bullying from within your organisation (You 2024)

They were in my workgroup

They were my immediate manager or supervisor

They were outside my workgroup

They were someone I supervise or manage





## Sexual harassment

## What is this

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.

## How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced sexual harassment at work.

If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers what they experienced. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

## Example

4% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced sexual harassment. Of those, 50% said the top type was 'Sexually suggestive comments or jokes that made me feel offended (in either a group or one on one situation)'. Have you experienced sexual harassment at work in the last 12 months?

56	1377	
4%	96%	
Experienced sexual harassment	Did not experience sexual harassment	

**Public sector** You You Comparator **Behaviours** reported 2024 2023 2024 2024 Sexually suggestive comments or jokes that made me feel offended 50% 50% 48% 53% (in either a group or one on one situation) Intrusive questions about my private life or comments about my 41% 48% 46% 48% physical appearance 12% Inappropriate physical contact 20% 16% 16% Inappropriate staring or leering that made me feel intimidated 14% 20% 15% 14% Unwelcome touching, hugging, cornering or kissing 12% 11% 15% 17% Any other unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature 16% 9% 7% 8% Repeated or inappropriate invitations to go out on dates 2% 4% 5% 5% Repeated or inappropriate advances on email, social networking 4% 4% 4% \_ websites or internet chat rooms by a work colleague Sexual gestures, indecent exposure or inappropriate display of the 2% 2% 4% 4% body 1% 1% Sexually explicit posts or messages on social media 2% \_





## **Response to sexual harassment**

#### What is this

This is how staff responded when they experienced sexual harassment.

### Why this is important

How staff respond when they experience sexual harassment may help organisations work out what action they need to take.

## How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced sexual harassment at work.

If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers how they responded. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

#### Example

4% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced sexual harassment. Of those, 55% said the top response was 'Pretended it didn't bother me'. Have you experienced sexual harassment at work in the last 12 months?

56	1377
4%	96%

Experienced sexual harassment

Did not experience sexual harassment

When the harassment happened to you, did you respond in any of the following ways?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Pretended it didn't bother me	57%	55%	47%	45%
Tried to laugh it off or forget about it	37%	46%	41%	39%
Avoided the person(s) by staying away from them	43%	39%	37%	37%
Told a colleague	22%	32%	25%	25%
Told a friend or family member	14%	21%	21%	22%
Told a manager	24%	16%	21%	21%
Told human resources	10%	13%	4%	5%
Told the person the behaviour was not OK	20%	11%	24%	19%
Avoided locations where the behaviour might occur	18%	11%	15%	15%
Submitted a formal complaint	10%	9%	6%	6%



# Sexual harassment - reasons for not submitting a formal complaint

#### What is this

This is why staff who experienced sexual harassment chose not to submit a formal complaint.

#### Why this is important

By understanding this, organisations can work out what action to take.

#### How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced sexual harassment at work. We then asked them if they submitted a formal complaint. If they did not, they could tell us with one or more answers why not. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

#### Example

91% of your staff who experienced sexual harassment did not submit a formal complaint, of which:

• 53% said the top reason was 'I didn't think it was serious enough'.

Did you submit a formal complaint?

9%

5

91%

Submitted formal complaint

Did not submit a formal complaint

What was your reason for not submitting a formal complaint?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
I didn't think it was serious enough	36%	53%	43%	44%
I didn't think it would make a difference	57%	39%	40%	40%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my reputation	55%	39%	42%	39%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my career	34%	22%	29%	28%
Other	5%	18%	13%	12%
I believed there would be negative consequences for the person I was going to complain about	14%	16%	12%	14%
I thought the complaint process would be embarrassing or difficult	11%	10%	14%	13%
I didn't feel safe to report the incident	16%	10%	9%	10%
I didn't need to because I no longer had contact with the person(s) who harassed me	2%	6%	6%	7%
I didn't need to because I made the harassment stop	16%	4%	9%	9%



## Perpetrators of sexual harassment

## What is this

This is who staff have said are responsible for sexual harassment.

## Why this is important

Understanding where harassment happens means organisations can work out what action to take.

#### How to read this

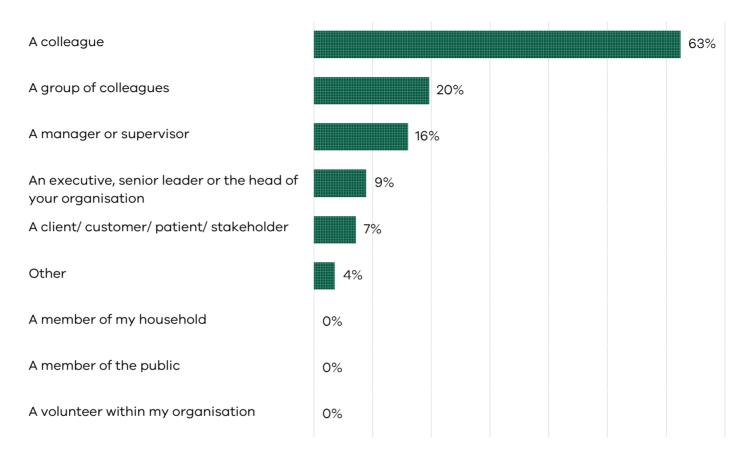
In this year's survey, 4% of your staff said they experienced sexual harassment. If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers who the perpetrator was. In descending order, the bar chart shows the perpetrators with the largest number of responses.

Each row is one perpetrator or group of perpetrators.

#### Example

4% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced sexual harassment. Of that 4%, 63% said it was by 'A colleague'.

## 56 people (4% of staff) experienced sexual harassment (You 2024)







## Relationship to perpetrator

## What is this

This provides further detail on who staff have said are responsible for sexual harassment within your organisation.

## Why this is important

Understanding where sexual harassment happens means organisations can work out what action to take.

#### How to read this

In this year's survey, 4% of your staff said they experienced sexual harassment. If they experienced sexual harassment 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 sexual harassment to different workplace relationships.

## Example

4% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced sexual harassment. Of that 4%, 95% said it was by someone within the organisation.

Of that 95%, 57% said it was 'They were outside my workgroup'.

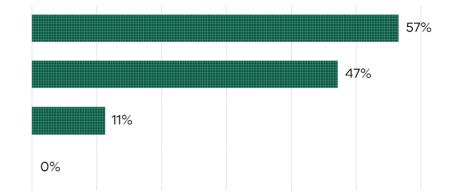
53 people (95% of staff who experienced harassment) experienced harassment from within your organisation (You 2024)

They were outside my workgroup

They were in my workgroup

They were my immediate manager or supervisor

They were someone I supervise or manage





## Frequency of sexual harassment

## What is this

This is how often staff experienced sexual harassment.

## Why this is important

Understanding the frequency staff experienced sexual harassment may help organisations work out what action to take.

## How to read this

In this year's survey, 4% of your staff said they experienced sexual harassment. If they did, they could tell us how often they experienced this behaviour. The graph shows how often staff were experiencing sexual harassment.

## Example

4% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced sexual harassment. Of that 4%, 0% said it was 'At least once a day'.

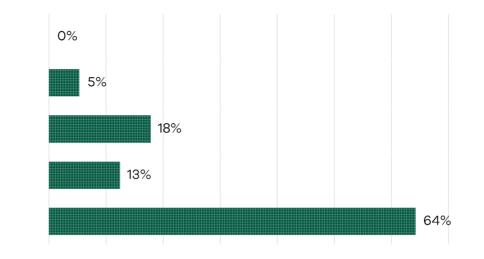
## How often have you experienced the behaviour(s)? (You 2024)

At least once a day Once every few days

Once a week

Once a month

Less than once a month







## Discrimination

#### What is this

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. Have you experienced

months?

discrimination at work in the last 12

#### Why this is important

Staff expect to have a safe and inclusive working environment to work in that is free of discrimination.

## How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced discrimination. If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers what what attributes the discrimination was based on.

In descending order, the table shows the top 10 types.

#### What results are shown

Results for response options with 10 or more responses.

#### Example

5% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced discrimination. Of that 5%, 29% said it was 'My age'.

Experienced discrimination	Did n	ot experienc	e discrimination	Not sure
Why were you discriminated against?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
My age	25%	29%	31%	30%
My sex	25%	29%	24%	21%
My employment activity	25%	28%	25%	27%
My disability	_	20%	12%	13%
My parent or carer status (including pregnancy and breastfeeding)	21%	15%	11%	13%
My race	-	15%	17%	17%

1227

86%

65

5%



34

141

10%

Have you experienced

## Type of discrimination

## What is this

This is what types of discrimination staff report experiencing in their organisation.

## Why this is important

Understanding what types of discrimination happen means an organisation can work out what action to take.

## How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced discrimination. If they did, they could tell us with one or

more answers what they experienced. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 types.

## Example

5% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced discrimination. Of that 5%, 46% said it was 'Opportunities for promotion'.

Have you experienced discrimination at work in the last 12	65	12	27		141
months?	5% 86%				10%
	Experienced discrimination	Did Did	not experien	ce discrimination	Not sure
If you experienced discrimination, what type of discrimination did you experience?			You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Opportunities for promotion			46%	40%	40%
Opportunities for training or professional development			29%	23%	24%
Other			26%	39%	38%
Denied flexible work arrangements or other adjustments			20%	15%	20%
Opportunities for transfer/secondment			17%	18%	16%
Pay or conditions offered by employer			12%	10%	12%
Employment security - threats of dismissal or termination			6%	12%	13%
Access to leave			3%	5%	8%





## Telling someone about the discrimination

## What is this

This is who staff told about the discrimination they experienced.

## Why this is important

Understanding who staff tell about their discrimination can inform how organisations can support staff.

#### How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced discrimination.

If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers who they told.

In descending order, the table shows the answers.

#### Example

5% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced discrimination, of which

- 35% said the top way they reported the discrimination was 'Told a colleague'.
- 94% said they didn't submit a formal complaint.

Have you experienced discrimination at work in the last 12 months?	<b>65</b> 5%	<b>1227</b> 86%			<b>141</b> 10%
	Experienced discrimination	Did	not experien	ce discrimination	Not sure
Did you tell anyone about the discrim	nination?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Told a colleague		44%	35%	40%	38%
Told a friend or family member	29%	34%	31%	31%	
Told a manager	34%	32%	31%	32%	
I did not tell anyone about the discrim	30%	26%	26%	25%	
Told someone else	14%	20%	14%	15%	
Told the person the behaviour was no	10%	15%	10%	9%	
Told human resources	15%	14%	10%	11%	
Told employee assistance program (E	18%	9%	10%	10%	
Submitted a formal complaint	8%	6%	6%	8%	





# Discrimination - reasons for not submitting a formal complaint What is this

This is why staff who experienced discrimination chose not to submit a formal complaint.

#### Why this is important

By understanding this, organisations can work out what action to take.

#### How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced discrimination at work. We then asked them if they submitted a formal complaint. If they did not, they could tell us with one or more answers why not. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

#### Example

94% of your staff who experienced discrimination did not submit a formal complaint, of which:

• 69% said the top reason was 'I believed there would be negative consequences for my reputation'. Did you submit a formal complaint?



Submitted formal complaint

Did not submit a formal complaint

61

94%

What was your reason for not submitting a formal complaint?		You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
I believed there would be negative consequences for my reputation		69%	57%	56%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my career		66%	55%	55%
I didn't think it would make a difference		62%	60%	59%
I didn't feel safe to report the incident	33%	26%	17%	21%
I thought the complaint process would be embarrassing or difficult	25%	18%	15%	14%
I believed there would be negative consequences for the person I was going to complain about	7%	13%	9%	9%
I didn't think it was serious enough	10%	10%	14%	14%
Other	6%	10%	11%	11%
I didn't know who to talk to	7%	5%	8%	7%
I didn't know how to make a complaint	3%	5%	6%	6%





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# Perpetrators of discrimination

# What is this

This is who staff have said are responsible for discrimination.

# Why this is important

Understanding where discrimination happens means organisations can work out what action to take.

# How to read this

In this year's survey, 5% of your staff said they experienced discrimination. 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.

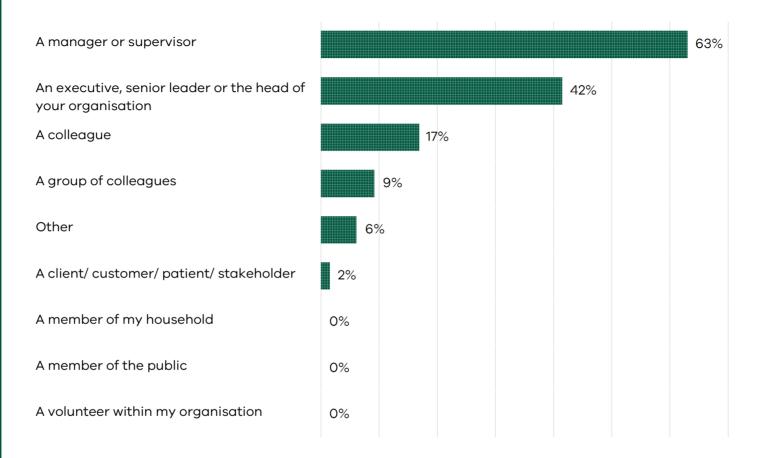
Each row is one perpetrator or group of perpetrators.

# Example

or supervisor'.

5% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced discrimination. Of that 5%, 63% said it was by 'A manager

# 65 people (5% of staff) experienced discrimination (You 2024)







# **Relationship to perpetrator**

# What is this

This provides further detail on who staff have said are responsible for discrimination within your organisation.

# Why this is important

Understanding where discrimination happens means organisations can work out what action to take.

# How to read this

In this year's survey, 5% of your staff said they experienced discrimination. If they experienced discrimination 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 discrimination to different workplace relationships.

# Example

5% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced discrimination. Of that 5%, 94% said it was by someone within the organisation.

Of that 94%, 57% said it was 'They were in my workgroup'.

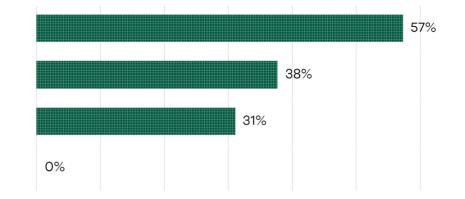
61 people (94% of staff who experienced discrimination) experienced discrimination from within your organisation (You 2024)

They were in my workgroup

They were my immediate manager or supervisor

They were outside my workgroup

They were someone I supervise or manage







# Violence and aggression

# What is this

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 on 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

11% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression. Of that 11%, 72% said it was 'Abusive language'. Have you experienced violence or aggression at work in the last 12 months?

aggression at work in the last 12 months?	11%	87%			2	
	Experienced violence or aggression		not experiend ression	ce violence or	Not sure	
If you experienced violence or a experience?	ggression, what type did you	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024	
Abusive language		68%	72%	71%	72%	
Intimidating behaviour		67%	70%	76%	73%	
Threats of violence		15%	23%	31%	30%	
Other		7%	7%	6%	6%	
Stalking, including cyber-stalkir	ng	5%	4%	1%	2%	
Physical assault (e.g. spitting, hi throwing objects)	tting, pushing, tripping, grabbing,	2%	1%	11%	9%	
Damage to my property or work	equipment	1%	1%	4%	4%	

1250

151



40

32

# Telling someone about violence and aggression

# What is this

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

11% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression, of which

- 66% said the top way they reported • the violence or agression was 'Told a manager'.
- 62% said they didn't submit a formal incident report

Have you experienced violence or aggressi months?

aggression at work in the last 12 months?	151 11%		1250 87%		
	Experienced violence or aggression		not experier pression	nce violence or	Not sure
Did you tell anyone about the inci	ident?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Told a manager		69%	66%	62%	64%
Told a colleague		50%	40%	41%	42%
Submitted a formal incident repo	rt	40%	38%	38%	29%
Told the person the behaviour wa	s not OK	31%	25%	23%	21%
Told a friend or family member		22%	17%	22%	20%
I did not tell anyone about the inc	ident(s)	7%	10%	7%	9%
Told human resources		8%	8%	7%	8%
Told someone else		8%	7%	6%	6%
Told employee assistance progra	m (EAP) or peer support	10%	4%	7%	6%

1050



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# Violence and aggression - reasons for not submitting a formal incident report What is this

This is why staff who experienced violence or aggression chose not to submit a formal incident report.

#### Why this is important

By understanding this, organisations can work out what action to take.

#### How to read this

In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced violence or aggression at work. We then asked them if they submitted a formal incident report. If they did not, they could tell us with one or more answers why not. In descending order, the table shows the top 10 answers.

#### Example

62% of your staff who experienced violence or aggression did not submit a formal incident report, of which:

• 35% said the top reason was 'I didn't think it was serious enough'.

Did you submit a formal incident report?



Submitted formal incident report

Did not submit a formal incident report

What was your reason for not submitting a formal incident report?		You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
I didn't think it was serious enough	34%	35%	27%	29%
I didn't think it would make a difference		29%	41%	40%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my career		26%	23%	19%
I believed there would be negative consequences for my reputation	18%	24%	29%	23%
I didn't need to because I made the violence or aggression stop	21%	19%	13%	12%
Other	16%	15%	21%	20%
I didn't need to because I no longer had contact with the person(s) who was aggressive or violent to me	17%	14%	9%	12%
I didn't feel safe to report the incident	7%	13%	12%	9%
I thought the complaint process would be embarrassing or difficult	6%	7%	7%	6%
I believed there would be negative consequences for the person I was going to complain about	4%	4%	6%	5%





# Perpetrators of violence and aggression

# What is this

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

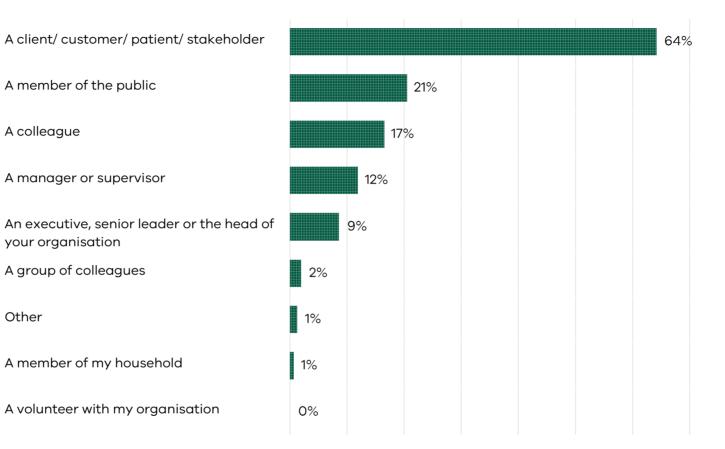
In the survey, we asked staff to tell us if they'd experienced violence or aggression. If they did, they could tell us with one or more answers who the perpetrator was. In descending order, the bar chart shows the perpetrators with the largest number of responses.

Each row is one perpetrator or group of perpetrators.

#### Example

11% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression. Of that 11%, 64% said it was by 'A client/ customer/ patient/ stakeholder'.









# Relationship to perpetrator

# What is this

This provides further detail on who staff have said are responsible for violence or aggression within your organisation.

## Why this is important

Understanding where violence or aggression happens means organisations can work out what action to take.

# How to read this

In this year's survey, 11% of your staff said they experienced violence or aggression. If they experienced violence or aggression 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 violence or aggression to different workplace relationships.

## Example

11% of your staff who did the survey said they experienced violence or aggression. Of that 11%, 30% said it was by someone within the organisation.

Of that 30%, 53% said it was 'They were in my workgroup'.

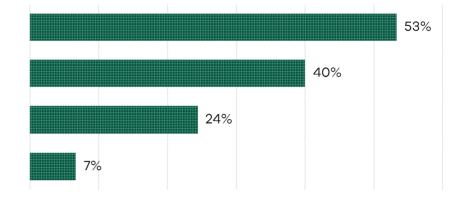
45 people (30% of staff who experienced violence or aggression) experienced violence or aggression from within your organisation (You 2024)

They were in my workgroup

They were outside my workgroup

They were my immediate manager or supervisor

They were someone I supervise or manage













# **Negative behaviour**

# Witnessing negative behaviours

# What is this

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

19% of your staff who did the survey said they witnessed some negative behaviour at work.

81% said 'No, I have not witnessed any of the situations above'.

Violence or aggression against a colleague

Sexual harassment of a colleague

Have you witnessed any negative behaviour at work in the last 12	273		116	5 <b>0</b>	
months?	19%		81	%	
Witnessed some negative be		aviour	Did no	t witness some neg	ative behaviour
During the last 12 months in your current organisation, have you witnessed any of the following negative behaviours at work?		You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
No, I have not witnessed any of the sit	uations above	83%	81%	80%	81%
Bullying of a colleague		11%	13%	14%	14%
Discrimination against a colleague		6%	8%	8%	8%

3%

1%

3%

1%

3%

1%



3%

# **Negative behaviour**

# Taking action when witnessing negative behaviours

## What is this

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. In descending order, the table shows the answers.

## Example

19% of your staff who did the survey witnessed negative behaviour, of which:

- 72% said the top action they took was 'Spoke to the person who experienced the behaviour'.
- 8% took no action.

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

273	1160
19%	81%

Witnessed some negative behaviour

Did not witness some negative behaviour

When you witnessed these behaviour(s), did you do any of the following?	You 2023	You 2024	Comparator 2024	Public sector 2024
Spoke to the person who experienced the behaviour	77%	72%	72%	71%
Told a manager		38%	41%	40%
Told a colleague	20%	21%	21%	20%
Told the person the behaviour was not OK	19%	16%	20%	19%
Spoke to the person who behaved in a negative way	10%	12%	19%	16%
Told human resources	11%	10%	6%	8%
Took no action	4%	8%	7%	8%
Other	9%	6%	7%	6%





#### Survey question Your results Benchmark satisfied results Don't know Were you satisfied with the way your No You Comparator formal complaint was handled Yes Lowest Average Highest 2022 2023 2024 9% 72% Violence or aggression 74% 65% 72% 40% 52% 69% 19% 72% 17% Bullying 16% 17% 11% 19% 16% 19%

11%

# People outcomes

# Negative behaviour - satisfaction with making a formal complaint What is this

This is how satisfied a staff member was with how your organisation managed their complaint.

# Why this is important

When staff submit a formal complaint for negative behaviours, they should feel your organisation will manage it effectively and professionally.

# How to read this

Under 'Your results', see results for each type of negative behaviour in descending order by most satisfied.

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

# Example

72% of staff were satisfied with the way your organisation handled their formal 'Violence or aggression' complaint.





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**Demographics** 

Age, gender,

variations in sex

characteristics and

sexual orientation

- Employment
- Adjustments Caring



# Highest scoring questions

# What is this

These are the questions your group had the highest agreement or satisfaction with in 2024.

### How to read this

Use this data to see where your group has the highest agreement or satisfaction with questions from the 2024 survey.

In this table, your score for this year is shown in the 'You 2024' column.

You can also compare your 2024 scores against your 2023 scores and your 2024 comparator group.

#### Example

On the first row 'Topical', the 'You2024' column shows 94% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work'. In the 'Change from 2023' column, you have a +1% change, which is a positive trend.

Question group	Highest scoring questions	You 2024	Change from 2023	Comparator 2024
Topical	I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work	94%	+1%	91%
Safety climate	My organisation provides a physically safe work environment	93%	-2%	87%
Meaningful work	I can make a worthwhile contribution at work	93%	+0%	90%
Job enrichment	I can use my skills and knowledge in my job	92%	-0%	90%
Job enrichment	I understand how my job helps my organisation achieve its goals	92%	-1%	90%
Flexible working	My manager supports working flexibly	91%	+1%	88%
Meaningful work	I achieve something important through my work	90%	-1%	87%
Manager leadership	My manager treats employees with dignity and respect	90%	-1%	88%
Human rights	I understand how the Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities applies to my work	89%	+1%	81%
Quality service delivery	My workgroup provides high quality advice and services	88%	-0%	83%





### Lowest scoring questions

# What is this

These are the questions your group had the lowest agreement or satisfaction with in 2024.

### How to read this

Use this data to see where your group has the lowest agreement or satisfaction with questions from the 2024 survey.

In this table, your score for this year is shown in the 'You 2024' column.

You can also compare your 2024 scores against your 2023 scores and your 2024 comparator group.

## Example

On the first row 'Taking action', the 'You 2024' column shows 45% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year. In the 'Change from 2023' column, you have a +3% change, which is a positive trend.

Question group	Lowest scoring questions	You 2024	Change from 2023	Comparator 2024
Taking action	My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year	45%	+3%	32%
Organisational integrity	I believe the promotion processes in my organisation are fair	45%	-0%	43%
Organisational integrity	I have an equal chance at promotion in my organisation	46%	-6%	45%
Learning and development	I am satisfied with the opportunities to progress in my organisation	52%	-3%	48%
Taking action	I believe my organisation will make improvements based on the results of this year's survey	53%	-1%	44%
Safety climate	Senior leaders show support for stress prevention through involvement and commitment	57%	+1%	51%
Organisational integrity	I believe the recruitment processes in my organisation are fair	57%	-3%	57%
Satisfaction	How satisfied are you with your career development within your current organisation	59%	-0%	55%
Safety climate	All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress	59%	+0%	45%
Collaboration	Workgroups across my organisation willingly share information with each other	59%	+1%	59%





# Most improved

# What is this

This is where staff feel their group 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 2023' column.

When you use this data, focus on the increase instead of individual numbers. This is because the increase from 2023 shows you where the most positive changes are happening in your organisation.

# Example

On the first row 'Learning and development', the 'You 2024' column shows 63% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'My organisation places a high priority on the learning and development of staff'.

In the 'Increase from 2023' column, you have a 4% increase, which is a positive trend.

Question group	Most improved from last year	You 2024	Increase from 2023	Comparator 2024
Learning and development	My organisation places a high priority on the learning and development of staff	63%	+4%	54%
Flexible working	I am confident that if I requested a flexible work arrangement, it would be given due consideration	83%	+3%	79%
Taking action	My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year	45%	+3%	32%
Satisfaction	How satisfied are you with the work/life balance in your current job	83%	+2%	72%
Safety climate	Senior leaders consider the psychological health of employees to be as important as productivity	64%	+2%	57%
Human rights	I understand how the Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities applies to my work	89%	+1%	81%
Learning and development	I am satisfied with the way my learning and development needs have been addressed in the last 12 months	63%	+1%	57%
Flexible working	My manager supports working flexibly	91%	+1%	88%
Inclusion	I feel as if I belong at this organisation	77%	+1%	69%
Topical	I understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work	94%	+1%	91%





# Most declined

# What is this

This is where staff feel their group 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 2023' column.

When you use this data, focus on the decrease instead of individual numbers. This is because the decrease from 2023 shows you where the most negative changes are happening in your organisation.

## Example

On the first row 'Organisational integrity', the 'You 2024' column shows 46% of your staff who did the survey agreed with "I have an equal chance at promotion in my organisation'.

In the 'Decrease from 2023' column, you have a 6% decrease, which is a negative trend.

Question group	Largest decline from last year	You 2024	Decrease from 2023	Comparator 2024
Organisational integrity	I have an equal chance at promotion in my organisation	46%	-6%	45%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup work together effectively to get the job done	81%	-5%	83%
Topical	I am confident that if I requested to go on secondment to support urgent government work, it would be given due consideration	71%	-4%	67%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity	64%	-4%	65%
Organisational integrity	My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination	69%	-4%	66%
Organisational integrity	I believe the recruitment processes in my organisation are fair	57%	-3%	57%
Organisational integrity	My organisation encourages respectful workplace behaviours	84%	-3%	82%
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup treat each other with respect	85%	-3%	84%
Organisational integrity	My organisation is committed to earning a high level of public trust	83%	-3%	73%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction	60%	-3%	57%





# Biggest positive difference from comparator

# What is this

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 2024 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 'Safety climate', the 'You 2024' column shows 65% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress'.

The 'Difference' column, shows that agreement for this question was 15% higher than in your comparator.

Question group	Biggest positive difference from comparator	You 2024	Difference	Comparator 2024
Safety climate	My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress	65%	+15%	49%
Safety climate	All levels of my organisation are involved in the prevention of stress	59%	+14%	45%
Engagement	I would recommend my organisation as a good place to work	79%	+14%	65%
Engagement	My organisation motivates me to help achieve its objectives	75%	+14%	61%
Engagement	My organisation inspires me to do the best in my job	72%	+14%	59%
Workload	I have enough time to do my job effectively	72%	+13%	59%
Engagement	I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation	80%	+13%	67%
Safety climate	In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me	67%	+13%	55%
Taking action	My organisation has made improvements based on the survey results from last year	45%	+13%	32%
Satisfaction	How satisfied are you with the work/life balance in your current job	83%	+10%	72%





# Biggest negative difference from comparator

#### What is this

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 2024 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 'Workgroup support', the 'You 2024' column shows 81% of your staff who did the survey agreed with 'People in my workgroup work together effectively to get the job done'.

The 'Difference' column, shows that agreement for this question was 2% lower than in your comparator.

Question group	Biggest negative difference from comparator	You 2024	Difference	Comparator 2024
Workgroup support	People in my workgroup work together effectively to get the job done	81%	-2%	83%
Senior leadership	Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity	64%	-1%	65%
Collaboration	Workgroups across my organisation willingly share information with each other	59%	-0%	59%





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Workgroup climate

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**Custom questions** 

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**Public Sector** 

Commission

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**Topical questions** 

- - - Disability
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# Taking action

### What is this

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 aareed.

'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

53% 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 year's survey'.

# Survey question

this year's survey

My organisation has made

results from last year

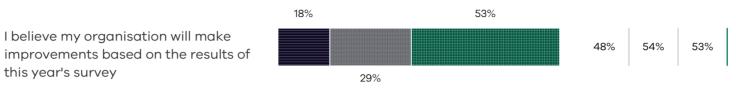


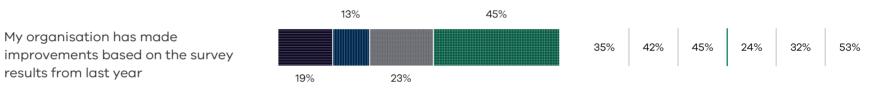
# Benchmark agree results

36%

65%









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- inclusion Satisfaction Work-related stress

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Inclusion

Scorecard:

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Victorian

**Public Sector** 

Commission





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#### Benchmark agree results Survey question Your results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2022 2023 2024 Lowest Average Highest 2% 66% Senior leaders model my organisation's 65% 69% 66% 35% 89% 64% values 15% 17% 3% 64% 66% 68% 64% 41% 65% 89% 13% 20% 1% 60% 63% 63% 60% 34% 57% 80% 20% 19%

# Senior leadership

# Senior leadership

# What is this

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

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

66% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Senior leaders model my organisation's values'.

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Senior leaders demonstrate honesty and integrity

Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction

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Scorecard: emotional

negative behaviour

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 Discrimination Violence and agaression

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Scorecard:

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- questions

 Age, gender, variations in sex characteristics and sexual orientation Aboriginal and/or

**Demographics** 

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 Senior leadership questions

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### Scorecard

# What is this

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.

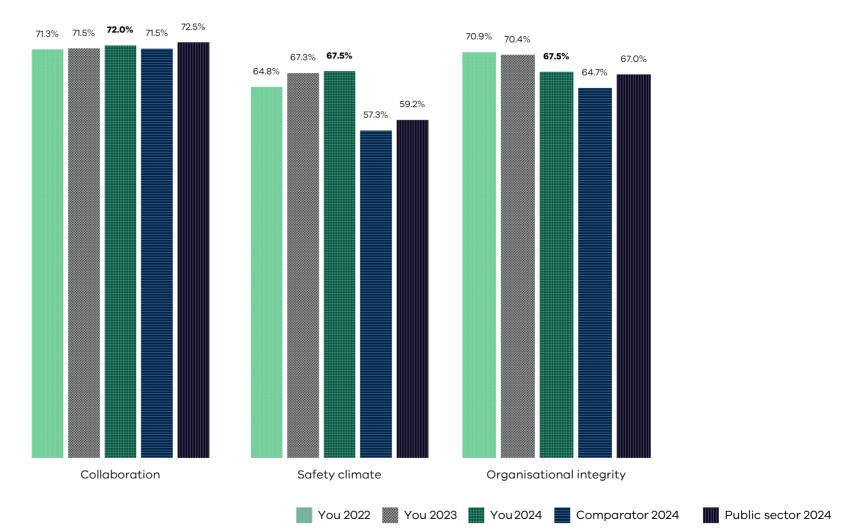
# Example

In 2024:

• 72.0% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Collaboration.

Compared to:

• 71.5% of staff in your comparator group and 72.5% of staff across the public sector.







# Organisational integrity 1 of 2

# What is this

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

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

87% 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'.

# Survey question

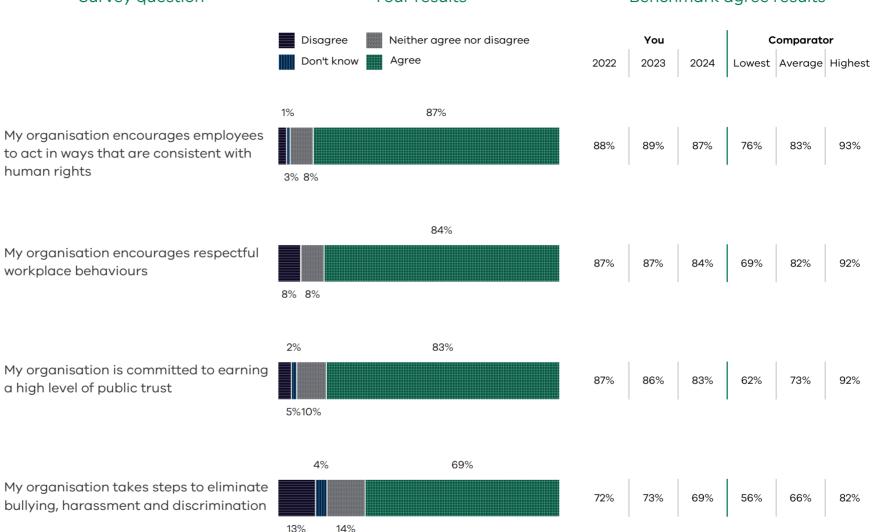
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workplace behaviours

a high level of public trust

# Your results

# Benchmark agree results







# How to read this

Why this is important

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**Organisational climate** 

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We need the community to have high trust

'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

68% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation does not tolerate improper conduct'.

# Survey question

My organisation does not tolerate

I believe the recruitment processes in

improper conduct

my organisation are fair

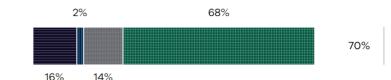
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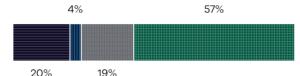
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# Your results

# Benchmark agree results







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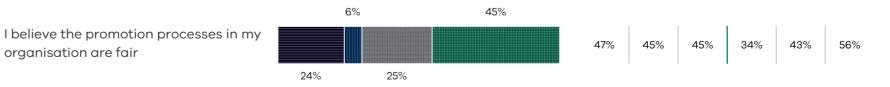
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46%





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# Collaboration

# What is this

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

85% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with "I am able to work effectively with others outside my immediate workgroup'.

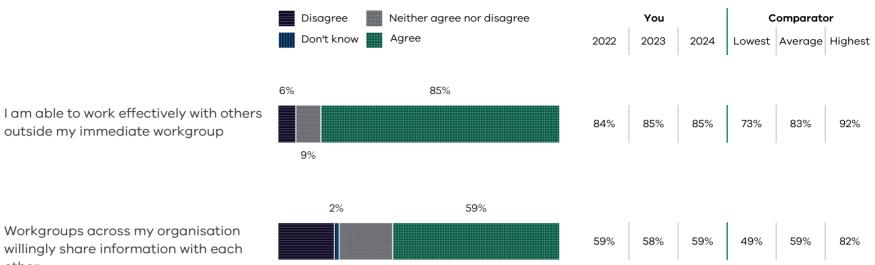
# Survey question

outside my immediate workgroup

other

# Your results

# Benchmark agree results



20% 19%





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# What is this

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

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

93% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation provides a physically safe work environment'.

# Survey question

# Your results

# Benchmark agree results





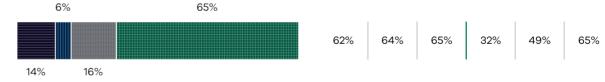


In my workplace, there is good communication about psychological safety issues that affect me

My organisation has effective procedures in place to support employees who may experience stress

Senior leaders consider the psychological health of employees to be as important as productivity











# Safety climate 2 of 2

# What is this

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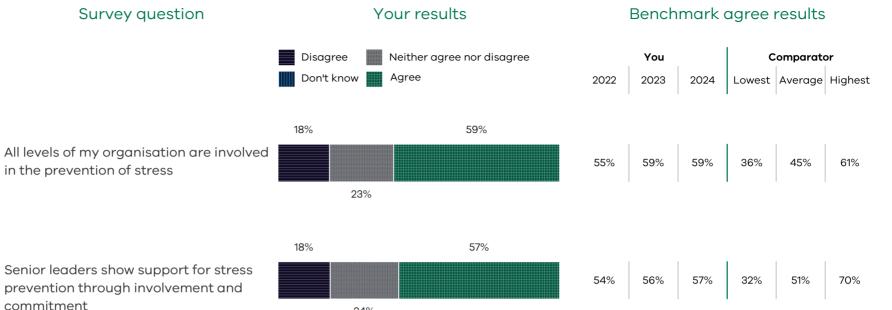
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'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

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

# Example

59% 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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Bullying

• Scorecard: emotional

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• Discrimination

Violence and

aggression

Satisfaction with
 complaint processes

effects of work

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# Workgroup climate

## Scorecard

# What is this

This scorecard provides overall results for each factor in the workgroup 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 workgroup climate. Each result is the overall percentage of positive responses for your organisation, comparator and public sector.

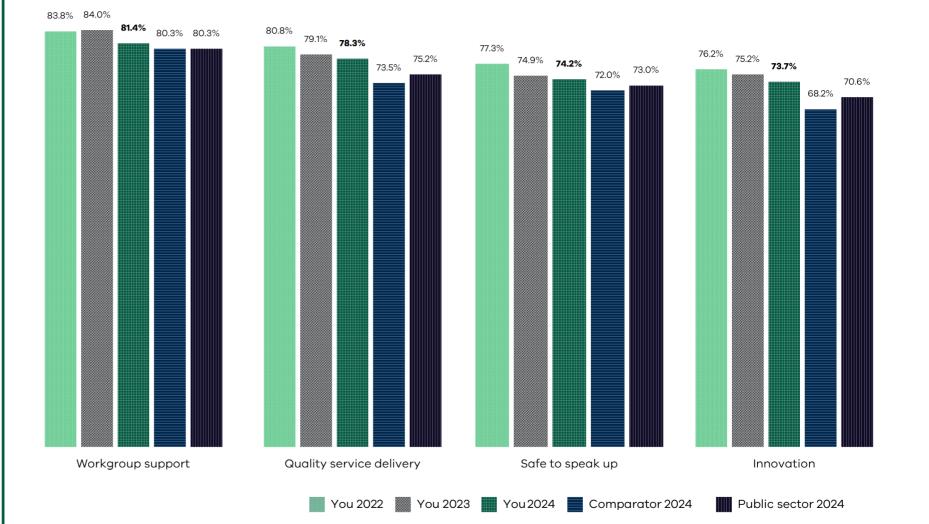
# Example

In 2024:

• 81.4% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Workgroup support.

Compared to:

• 80.3% of staff in your comparator group and 80.3% of staff across the public sector.







bias

My workgroup has clear lines of responsibility

Survey question

My workgroup uses its resources well

# Workgroup climate

# **Quality service delivery**

# What is this

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

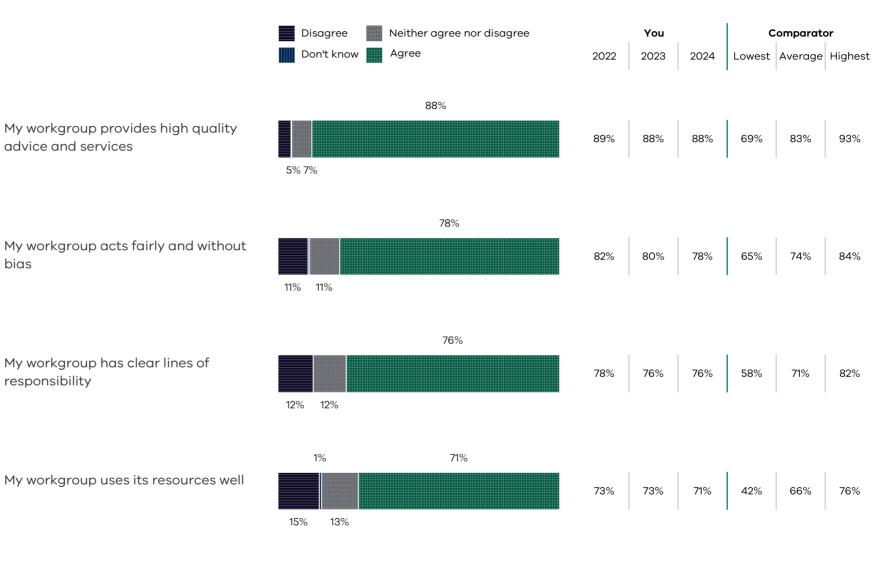
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# Example

88% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup provides high quality advice and services'.



Your results



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Benchmark agree results

# Workgroup climate

# Innovation

# What is this

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 quality services.

#### How to read this

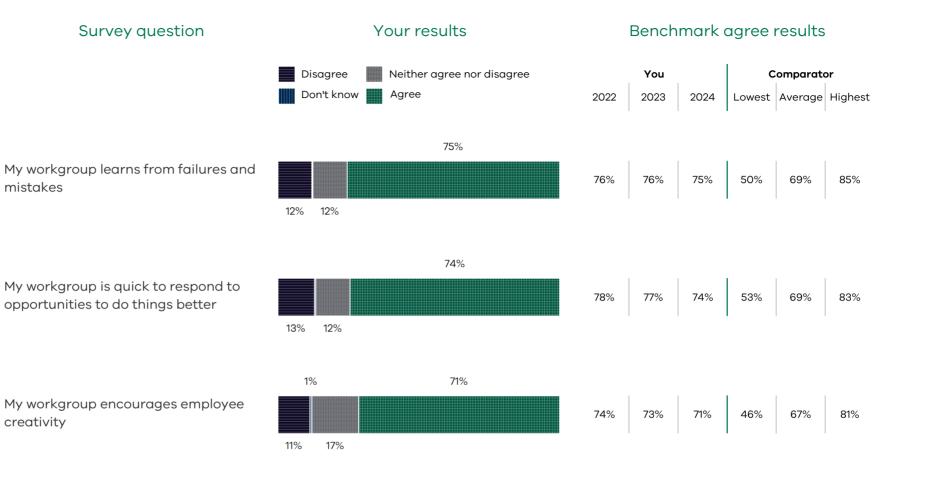
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#### Example

75% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup learns from failures and mistakes'.





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# Workgroup climate

#### Workgroup support 1 of 2

#### What is this

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.

#### How to read this

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

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#### Example

85% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup treat each other with respect'.

#### Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Disaaree Neither agree nor disagree You Comparator Don't know Agree 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 85% People in my workgroup treat each 88% 89% 85% 76% 84% other with respect 8% 6% 2% 83% People in my workgroup are politically 82% 85% 83% 73% 80% impartial in their work 4%10% 81% People in my workgroup work together 86% 86% 81% 75% 83% effectively to get the job done 10% 9% 1% 79% People in my workgroup are honest, 83% 81% 79% 69% 78% open and transparent in their dealings 9% 11%



93%

92%

92%



# Workgroup climate

# Workgroup support 2 of 2

# What is this

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.

# How to read this

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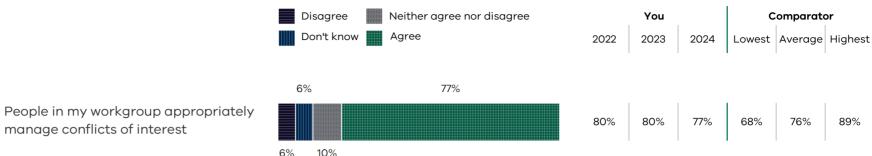
77% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup appropriately manage conflicts of interest'.

# Survey question

manage conflicts of interest

# Your results

# Benchmark agree results









# Workgroup climate

# Safe to speak up

#### What is this

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.

#### How to read this

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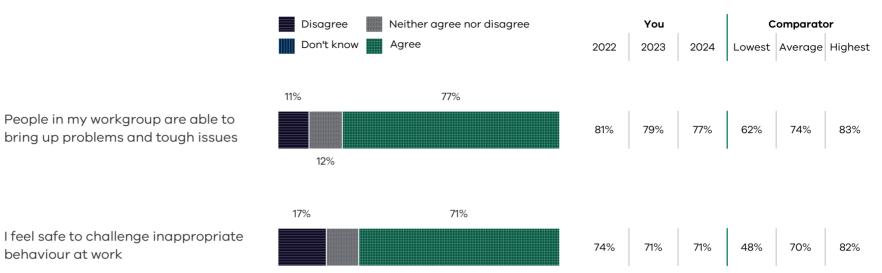
77% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup are able to bring up problems and tough issues'.

# Survey question

behaviour at work

# Your results

# Benchmark agree results









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negative behaviour

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      - and impartial advice

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#### ${\bf Scorecard\,1\,of\,2}$

#### What is this

This scorecard provides overall results for each job and manager factor in 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.

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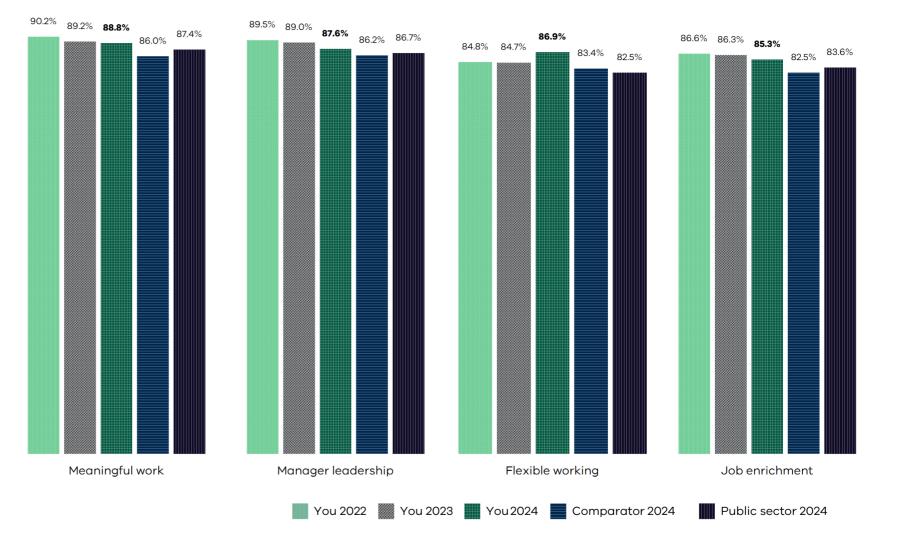
#### Example

In 2024:

• 88.8% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Meaningful work.

Compared to:

• 86.0% of staff in your comparator group and 87.4% of staff across the public sector.







#### Scorecard 2 of 2

#### What is this

This scorecard provides overall results for each job and manager factor in 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.

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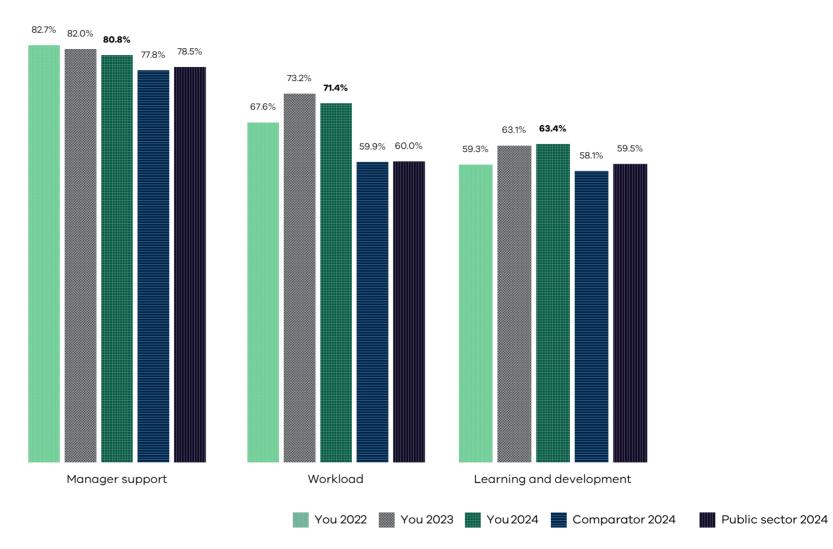
#### Example

In 2024:

• 80.8% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Manager support.

#### Compared to:

• 77.8% of staff in your comparator group and 78.5% of staff across the public sector.







#### Manager leadership

#### What is this

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

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.

integrity

values

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

#### Example

90% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager treats employees with dignity and respect'.

#### Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 5% 90% My manager treats employees with 92% 90% 72% 95% 91% 88% dignity and respect 5% 6% 87% My manager demonstrates honesty and 90% 89% 87% 68% 86% 94% 7% 7% 86% My manager models my organisation's 87% 87% 86% 68% 85% 93% 7%



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#### What is this

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.

#### How to read this

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

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#### Example

86% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager listens to what I have to say'.





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#### Manager support 2 of 2

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#### Example

69% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with "I receive meaningful recognition when I do good work'.

#### Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2022 2023 2024 Lowest Average Highest 15% 69% I receive meaningful recognition when I 69% 70% 71% 49% 65% 82% do good work

15%







#### Workload

#### What is this

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

72% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I have enough time to do my job effectively'.

#### Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disagree You Comparator Agree 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 16% 72% I have enough time to do my job 36% 72% 67% 73% 72% 59% effectively 12% 17% 71% The workload I have is appropriate for 68% 73% 71% 35% 61% 76% the job that I do

12%



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#### Learning and development

#### What is this

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

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.

staff

#### Example

76% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I am developing and learning in my role'.

#### Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 10% 76% I am developing and learning in my role 61% 76% 76% 76% 74% 89% 14% 17% 63% I am satisfied with the way my learning 55% 62% 63% 46% 57% 74% and development needs have been addressed in the last 12 months 20% 17% 63% My organisation places a high priority 55% 59% 63% 40% 80% 54% on the learning and development of 20% 23% 52% I am satisfied with the opportunities to 52% 37% 52% 55% 48% 57% progress in my organisation

25%



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#### Job enrichment 1 of 2

#### What is this

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

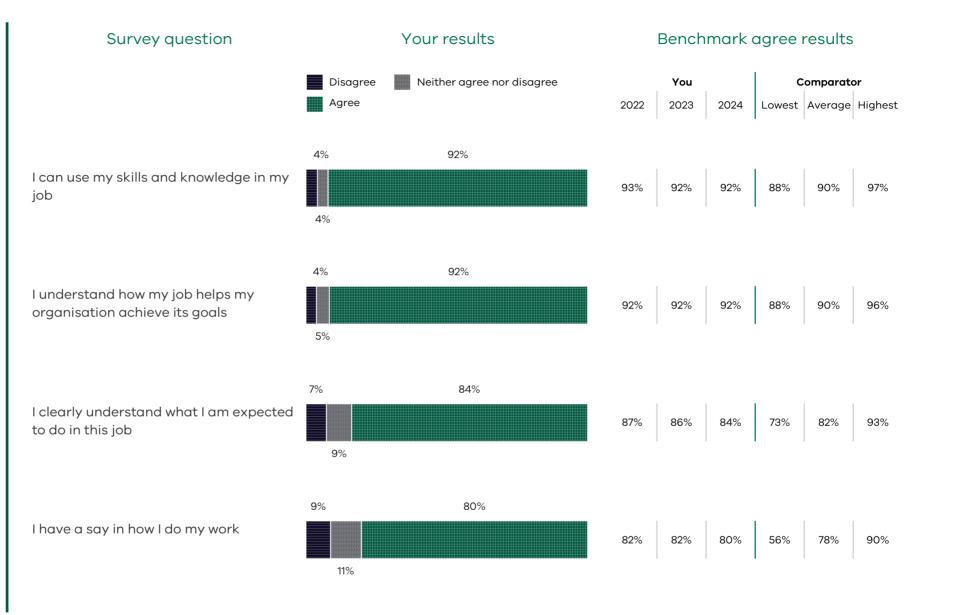
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#### Example

92% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I can use my skills and knowledge in my job'.







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#### Job enrichment 2 of 2

#### What is this

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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#### Example

79% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with "I have the authority to do my job effectively'.

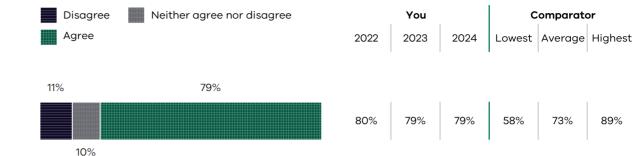
#### Survey question

I have the authority to do my job

effectively

#### Your results

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#### Meaningful work

#### What is this

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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my work

#### How to read this

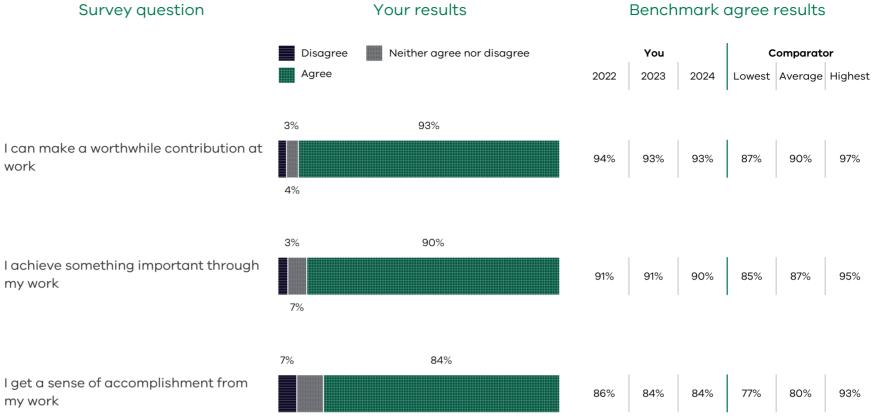
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#### Example

93% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with "I can make a worthwhile contribution at work'.



9%







#### **Flexible working**

#### What is this

This is how well your 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.

'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

91% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager supports working flexibly'.

#### Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 3% 91% My manager supports working flexibly 91% 90% 91% 73% 97% 88% 6% 8% 83% I am confident that if I requested a

9%

flexible work arrangement, it would be

given due consideration



78%

80%

83%

54%

79%

92%





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# 85

 Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander

#### Scorecard 1 of 2

#### What is this

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.

#### How to read this

Each label represents a group of questions in the survey about public sector values. Each result is the overall percentage of positive responses for your organisation, comparator and public sector.

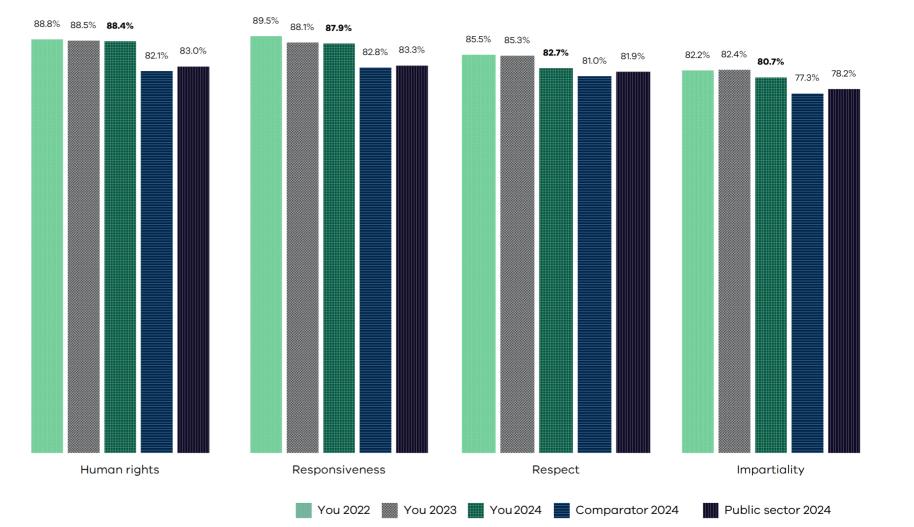
#### Example

In 2024:

• 88.4% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Human rights.

Compared to:

• 82.1% of staff in your comparator group and 83.0% of staff across the public sector.





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#### Scorecard 2 of 2

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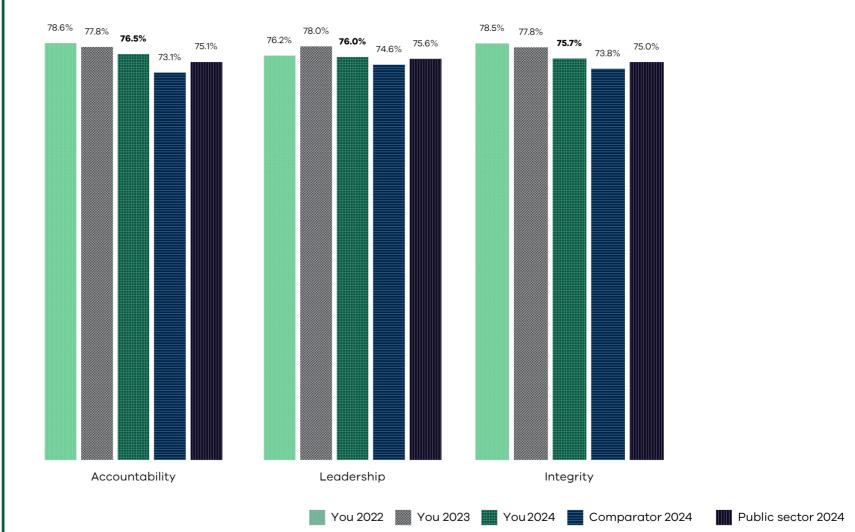
#### Example

In 2024:

• 76.5% of your staff who did the survey responded positively to questions about Accountability.

Compared to:

• 73.1% of staff in your comparator group and 75.1% of staff across the public sector.







#### Responsiveness

#### What is this

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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#### Example

88% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My workgroup provides high quality advice and services'.

#### Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2023 2022 2024 Lowest Average Highest 88% My workgroup provides high quality 88% 89% 88% 69% 83% advice and services

5% 7%

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93%



#### Integrity 1 of 2

#### What is this

Integrity is being honest and transparent, conducting ourselves properly and using our powers responsibly.

## Why this is important

The Victorian community needs high trust in how everyone in the public sector works and what they do.

## 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.

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#### Example

87% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager demonstrates honesty and integrity'.







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#### Integrity 2 of 2

#### What is this

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#### Why this is important

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and integrity

#### Example

71% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I feel safe to challenge inappropriate behaviour at work'.









#### Impartiality

#### What is this

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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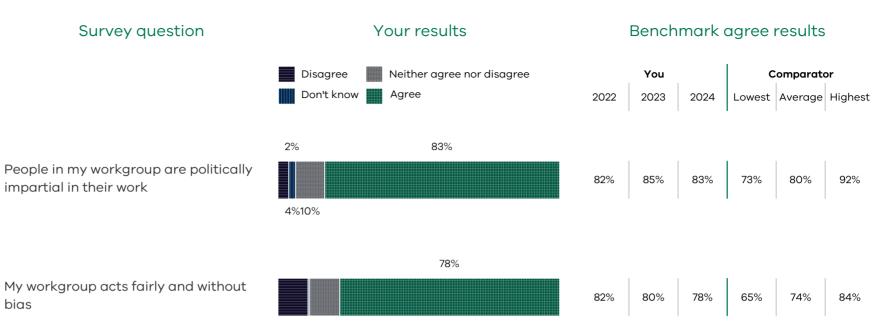
bias

'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

83% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'People in my workgroup are politically impartial in their work'.



11% 11%





#### Accountability 1 of 2

#### What is this

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.

#### 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.

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#### Example

92% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'I understand how my job helps my organisation achieve its goals'.

#### Don't know Agree 2023 2022 4% 92% I understand how my job helps my 92% 92% organisation achieve its goals 5% 7% 84% I clearly understand what I am expected 87% 86% to do in this job 9% 76% My workgroup has clear lines of 78% 76% responsibility 12% 12% 1% 71% My workgroup uses its resources well 73% 73% 13% 15%

Disaaree

Your results

Neither agree nor disagree

Survey question



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Benchmark agree results

2024

92%

84%

76%

71%

88%

73%

58%

42%

Comparator

Lowest Average Highest

90%

82%

71%

66%

96%

93%

82%

76%

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#### Accountability 2 of 2

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#### Example

60% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'Senior leaders provide clear strategy and direction'.

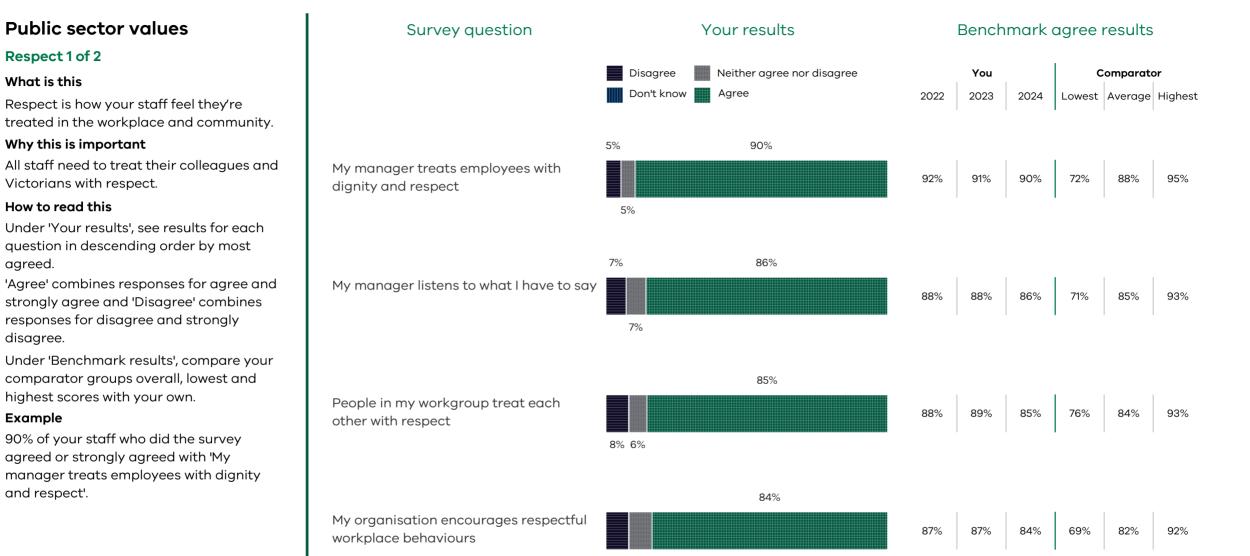
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20% 19%















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How to read this

agreed.

disagree.

Example

and respect'.

What is this

#### Respect 2 of 2

#### What is this

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

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

69% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My organisation takes steps to eliminate bullying, harassment and discrimination'.

#### Survey question Your results Benchmark agree results Neither agree nor disagree Disaaree You Comparator Agree Don't know 2022 2023 2024 Lowest Average Highest 4% 69% My organisation takes steps to eliminate 72% 73% 69% 56% 82% 66% bullying, harassment and discrimination

13%

14%

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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

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.

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#### Example

86% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with 'My manager models my organisation's values'.

# Leadership

#### What is this

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

#### Why this is important

Public sector values

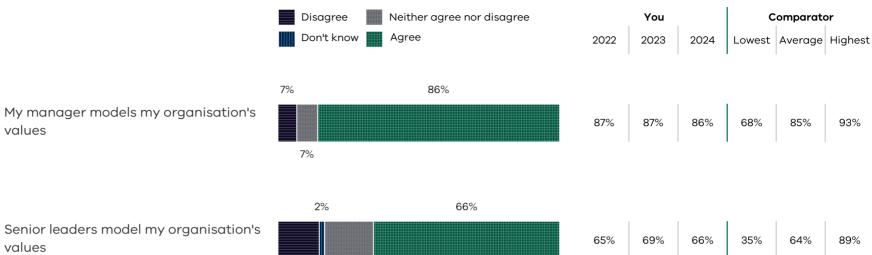
Survey question

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values



#### Benchmark agree results



17% 15%





#### Human rights

#### What is this

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

89% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with " understand how the Charter of Human Rights and Responsibilities applies to my work'.

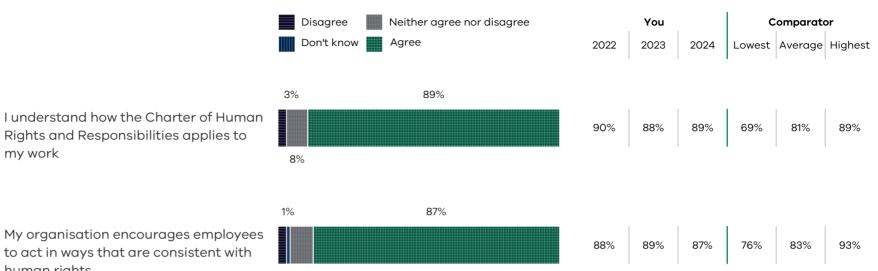
#### Survey question

my work

human rights

#### Your results

# Benchmark agree results



3% 8%





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# **Topical questions**

#### **Topical questions**

#### What is this

This is a group of survey questions that don't fit into our existing factor groups.

#### Why this is important

Answers to these questions provide useful information to help you understand your employees.

#### How to read this

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

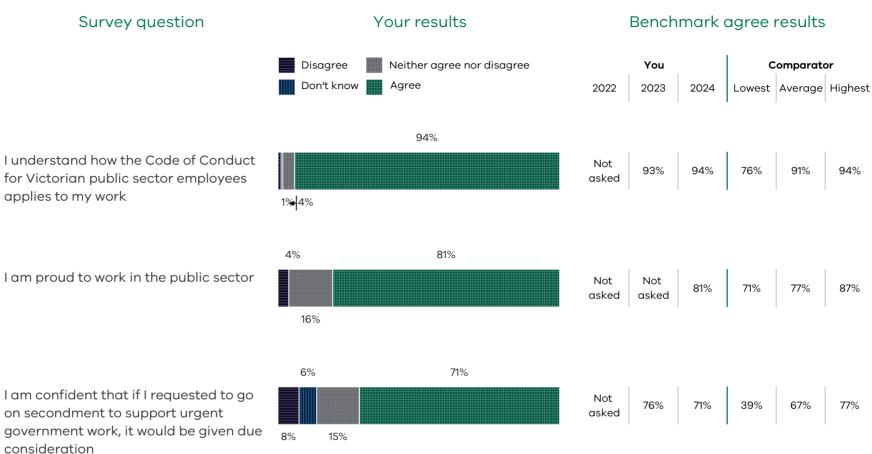
'Agree' combines responses for agree and strongly agree and 'Disagree' combines responses for disagree and strongly disagree.

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#### Example

94% of your staff who did the survey agreed or strongly agreed with " understand how the Code of Conduct for Victorian public sector employees applies to my work'.

consideration







91%

77%

67%

94%

87%

77%

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# **Custom questions**

#### What is this

Your organisation asked7 custom questions as part of the 2024 survey.

#### Why this is important

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

#### How to read this

Under 'Your results' in descending order, you can see the percentage of staff who responded favourably to each question.

In this report, '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

81% of staff who did the survey responded favourably to 'The behaviour of employees at my organisation is generally consistent with my organisation's values'.

#### Survey question

with my organisation's values

my role contributes to the

organisation's strategy

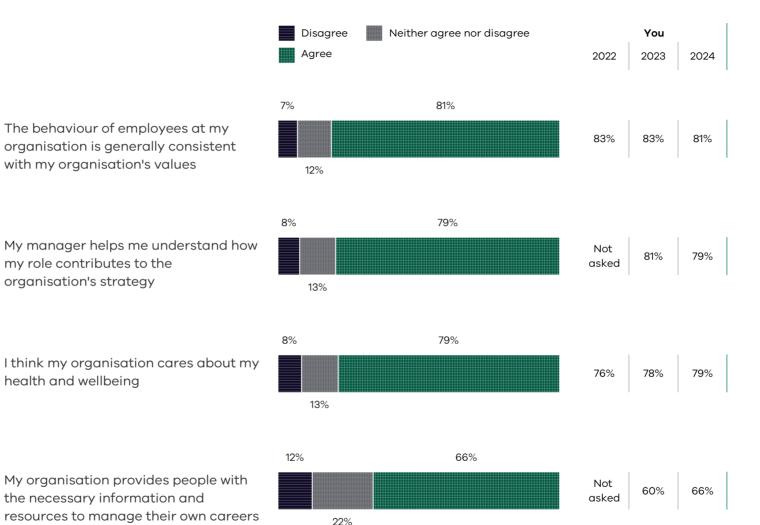
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#### Example

65% of staff who did the survey responded favourably to "I think it is safe to speak up and challenge the way things are done'.

#### Survey question

I think it is safe to speak up and

challenge the way things are done

in my organisation without fear of

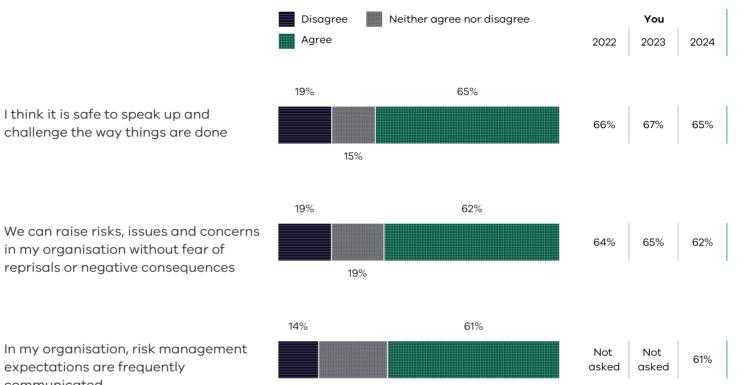
expectations are frequently

communicated

reprisals or negative consequences

#### Your results

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24%





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# Age, gender, variations in sex characteristics and sexual orientation

#### What is this

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	239	17%
35-54 years	835	58%
55+ years	177	12%
Prefer not to say	182	13%
Gender	(n)	%
Woman	745	52%
Man	485	34%
Prefer not to say	190	13%
Non-binary and I use a different term	13	1%
Are you trans, non-binary or gender diverse?	(n)	%
Vos	9	1%

Are you trans, non-binary or gender diverse?	(n)	%
Yes	8	1%
No	1251	87%
Prefer not to say	174	12%

# To your knowledge, do you have innate variation(s) of sex characteristics (often

# called intersex)?(n)%Yes20%No123486%Don't know342%Prefer not to say16311%

How do you describe your sexual orientation?	(n)	%
Straight (heterosexual)	1059	74%
Prefer not to say	263	18%
Bisexual	33	2%
Gay or lesbian	30	2%
Asexual	19	1%
l use a different term	12	1%
Don't know	9	1%
Pansexual	8	1%







Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander employees

#### What is this

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	11	1%
Non Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	1291	90%
Prefer not to say	131	9%

Identified as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander on your organisations HR system?	(n)	%
Yes	2	18%
No	5	45%
Don't know	3	27%
Prefer not to say	1	9%





#### Disability

#### What is this

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

#### Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

#### How to read this

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Are you a person with disability?	(n)	%
Yes	129	9%
No	1160	81%
Prefer not to say	144	10%

#### Have you shared your disability information within your organisation (e.g. to your manager or Human

Resources staff)?	(n)	%
Yes	76	59%
No	49	38%
Prefer not to say	4	3%

#### Which statement most accurately reflects your decision not to share your disability information within

your organisation?	(n)	%
I feel that sharing my disability information will reflect negatively on me	25	51%
My disability does not impact on my ability to perform my role	13	27%
I do not require any adjustments to be made to perform my role	8	16%
Other	3	6%





#### Cultural diversity 1 of 2

#### What is this

These are the personal characteristics of staff.

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Country of birth	(n)	%
Born in Australia	1073	75%
Not born in Australia	189	13%
Prefer not to say	171	12%

#### If you speak another language with your family or community, what language(s) do

you speak?	(n)	%
Other	72	40%
Hindi	27	15%
Italian	17	9%
Greek	14	8%
Cantonese	12	7%
Mandarin	11	6%
Tamil	9	5%
Arabic	7	4%
Punjabi	6	3%
Telugu	6	3%
Spanish	5	3%
Urdu	5	3%

# Language other than English spoken with

family or community	(n)	%
Yes	180	13%
No	1092	76%
Prefer not to say	161	11%

#### If you speak another language with your family or community, what language(s) do

you speak?	(n)	%
Sinhalese	5	3%
Macedonian	5	3%
Gujarati	4	2%
Filipino	4	2%
Persian	3	2%
Auslan	2	1%
Malayalam	2	1%
Turkish	2	1%
Australian Indigenous Language	1	1%
Vietnamese	1	1%
Tagalog	0	0%





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Demographics

#### What is this

This is the cultural identity and religion of staff.

## Why this is important

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Cultural identity	(n)	%
Australian	978	68%
Prefer not to say	205	14%
English, Irish, Scottish and/or Welsh	151	11%
European (including Western, Eastern and South-Eastern European, and Scandinavian)	150	10%
South Asian	37	3%
East and/or South-East Asian	34	2%
Other	24	2%
New Zealander	20	1%
Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander	14	1%
African	8	1%
North American	8	1%
Middle Eastern	7	0%
Maori	7	0%
Central Asian	4	0%
Central and/or South American	3	0%
Pacific Islander	1	0%

Religion	(n)	%
No religion	697	49%
Christianity	400	28%
Prefer not to say	235	16%
Other	39	3%
Hinduism	27	2%
Islam	17	1%
Buddhism	10	1%
Judaism	5	0%
Sikhism	3	0%





## **Employment characteristics 1 of 2**

#### What is this

These are the employment characteristics of staff.

## Why this is important

This helps organisations understand the diversity of their staff and inform workforce strategies.

#### How to read this

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Working arrangement	(n)	%
Full-Time	1281	89%
Part-Time	152	11%

Gross base salary (ongoing/fixed term only)	(n)	%
Below \$80k	63	4%
\$80k to \$120k	489	34%
\$120k to \$160k	565	40%
\$160k to \$200k	79	6%
\$200k or more	45	3%
Prefer not to say	186	13%
Organisational tenure	(n)	%
<1 year	407	400/
< year	167	12%
1 to less than 2 years	245	12%
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1 to less than 2 years	245	17%
1 to less than 2 years 2 to less than 5 years	245 479	17% 33%

Management responsibility	(n)	%
Non-manager	1144	80%
Other manager	181	13%
Manager of other manager(s)	108	8%

Employment type	(n)	%
Ongoing and executive	1232	86%
Fixed term	172	12%
Other	29	2%

Frontline worker	(n)	%
No	1041	73%
Yes	392	27%





**Employment characteristics 2 of 2** 

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months	(n)	%
Large regional city	1022	71%
Melbourne CBD	201	14%
Melbourne: Suburbs	172	12%
Rural	26	2%
Other	12	1%

What have been your main places of work over the last 3-months?	(n)	%
Your employer's office	1314	92%
A frontline or service delivery location	184	13%
Home or private location	834	58%
A shared office space (where two or more organisations share the same workspace)	28	2%
Isolated or remote location/s where access to communications and help from others is difficult	30	2%
Other	26	2%

Flexible work	(n)	%
Working from an alternative location (e.g. home, hub/shared work space)	532	37%
Flexible start and finish times	493	34%
I do not use any flexible work arrangements	414	29%
Purchased leave	262	18%
Working more hours over fewer days	181	13%
Part-time	136	9%
Using leave (including annual leave, long- service leave, personal leave, leave without pay and/or personal leave) to work flexible hours	89	6%
Other	43	3%
Shift swap	29	2%
Study leave	19	1%
Job sharing	6	0%





#### Adjustments

#### What is this

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

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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Have you requested any of the following adjustments at work?	(n)	%
No, I have not requested adjustments	1067	74%
Flexible working arrangements	316	22%
Physical modifications or improvements to the workplace	44	3%
Career development support strategies	26	2%
Other	11	1%
Accessible communications technologies	10	1%
Job redesign or role sharing	7	0%

Why did you make this request?	(n)	%
Caring responsibilities	165	45%
Work-life balance	142	39%
Family responsibilities	135	37%
Health	107	29%
Disability	36	10%
Other	24	7%
Study commitments	15	4%

#### What was your experience with making this

request?	(n)	%
The adjustments I needed were made and the process was satisfactory	281	77%
The adjustments I needed were made but the process was unsatisfactory	47	13%
The adjustments I needed were not made	38	10%



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## Caring

#### What is this

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 responsibilities	(n)	%
None of the above	390	27%
Primary school aged child(ren)	357	25%
Secondary school aged child(ren)	285	20%
Prefer not to say	202	14%
Frail or aged person(s)	177	12%
Child(ren) - younger than preschool age	171	12%
Preschool aged child(ren)	133	9%
Person(s) with a medical condition	103	7%
Person(s) with disability	76	5%
Person(s) with a mental illness	74	5%
Other	29	2%







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