

NHS Staff Survey 2023 Key Highlights







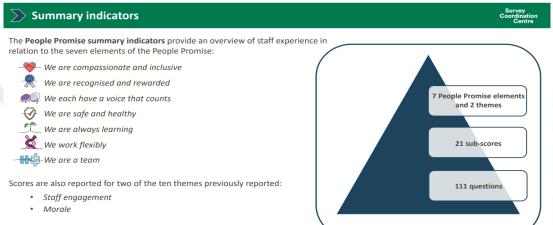
Introduction

- The annual NHS Staff Survey started in 2003. It is one of the largest workforce surveys in the world.
- More than 1.4 million NHS employees in England were invited to participate across 268 organisations, including all 213 trusts.
- The survey provides essential information about experiences of employees, helping employers to know how best to support their people.
- We are compared against ourselves, our peer group of 13 specialist trusts and nationally. There is also detailed regional and Integrated Care System data.



How it is organised

 Since 2021, questions have been aligned with the seven NHS People Promise elements, plus 'staff engagement' and 'morale'.



The score for each People Promise element and theme is based on between two and four sub-scores¹, with each sub-score calculated from the responses to between one and nine aligned questions. Sub-scores are also reported.



Brief summary

- We had a 56% response rate.
 - Last year it was 61%
 - The median for the specialist peer group this year was 54%
 - Thank you for taking the time to complete it.
- In approximately 30% of questions our scores were significantly better than 2022.
- In 70% of questions there was no significant change (ie they will have increased or decreased but this may be normal variation).
- However, despite positive progress, we remain below our scores in 2021.



Brief summary cont.

• Our 'recommender' scores as a place to work and a place to be treated also improved.

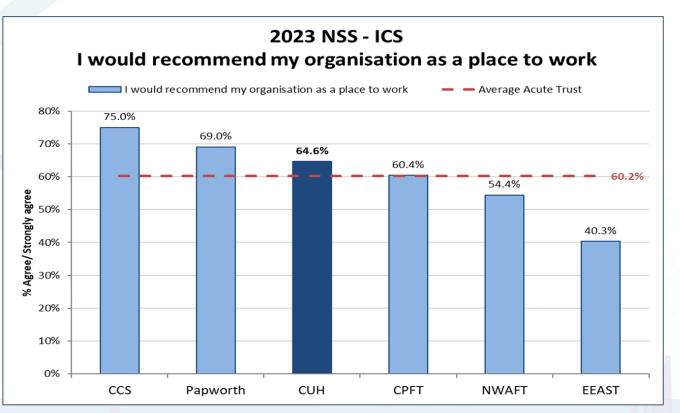
Recommender a work	as a place to	Recommender as a place to be treated					
2022	61.6%	2022	85.8%				
2023	69%	2023	88%				

Specialist trusts

K ⊅ K ≫ Trust	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	to 2023 (p.	Change 2019 to 2023 (p.
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Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital	76%	76%	74%	78%	83%	4.8%	6.5%
The Robert Jones and Agnes Hunt Orthopaedic Hosp	78%	79%	71%	66%	76%	9.7%	-2.7%
Queen Victoria Hospital	73%	71%	71%	72%	75%	3.4%	2.2%
The Royal Orthopaedic Hospital	77%	73%	74%	72%	73%	0.5%	-4.0%
The Walton Centre	81%	79%	69%	70%	72%	2.1%	-8.6%
Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital	75%	79%	72%	73%	72%	-0.6%	-2.7%
The Christie	71%	76%	71%	71%	71%	0.1%	-0.2%
The Royal Marsden	76%	77%	71%	68%	71%	2.4%	-5.3%
Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children	66%	73%	71%	66%	71%	4.7%	4.8%
The Clatterbridge Cancer Centre	63%	68%	61%	64%	71%	6.7%	7.2%
Royal Papworth Hospital	63%	73%	70%	62%	69%	7.3%	6.3%
Moorfields Eye Hospital	69%	70%	63%	62%	64%	1.6%	-5.4%
Liverpool Women's	66%	66%	56%	61%	62%	1.2%	-3.8%

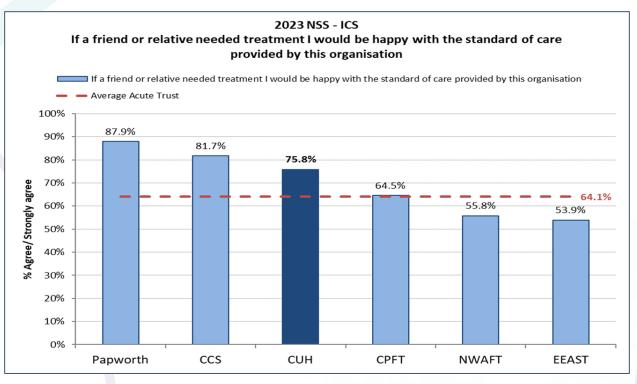
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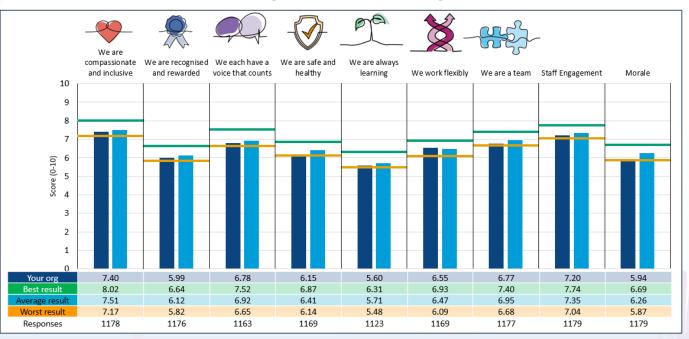






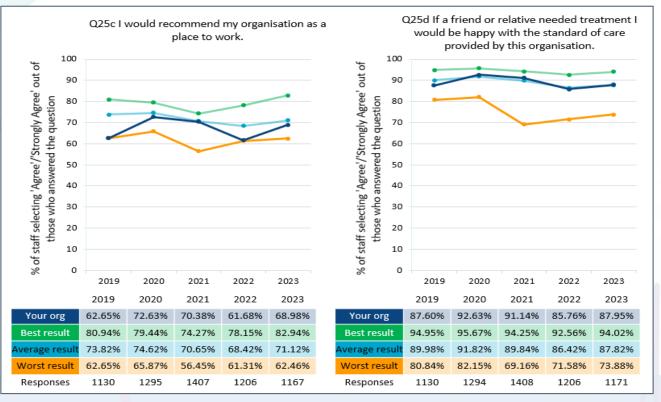
The nine themes

• Our scores benchmarked against our peer group of 13 specialist trusts



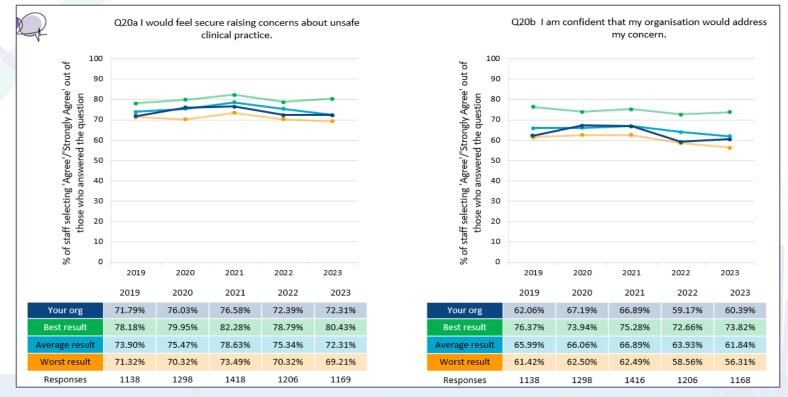


Recommender scores



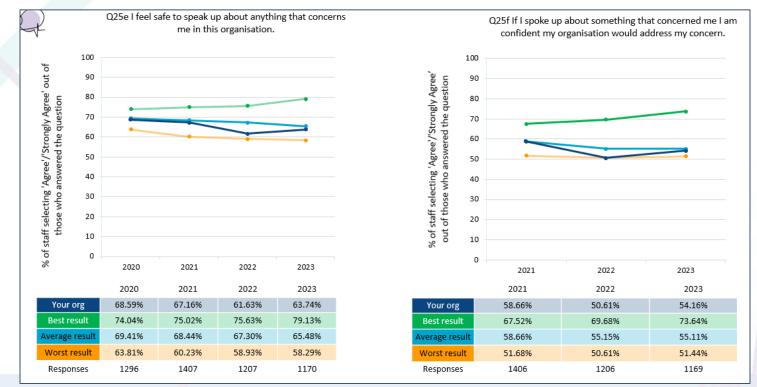


Raising concerns

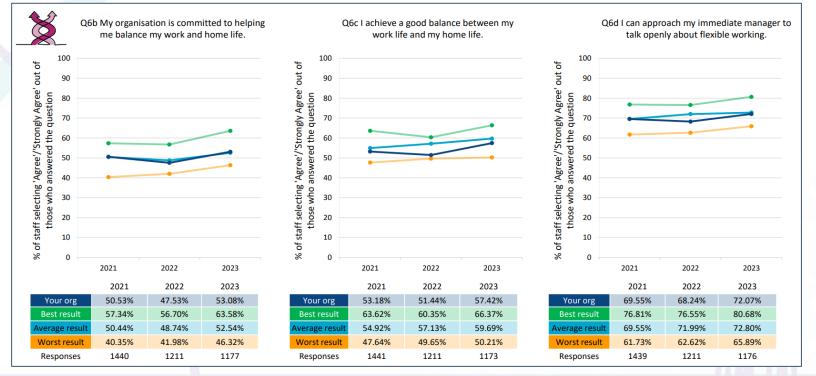




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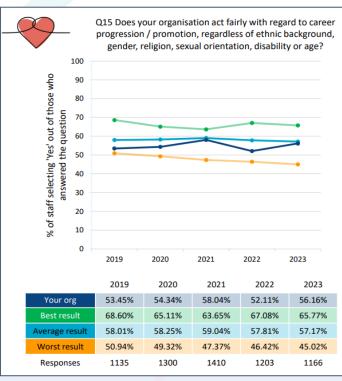


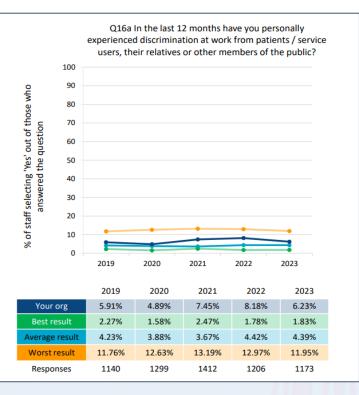
Flexible working





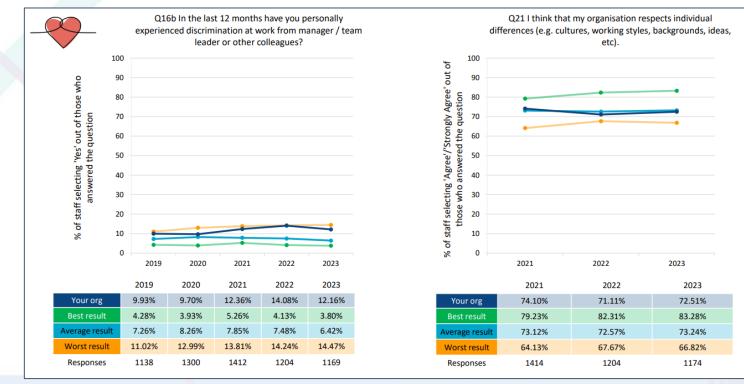
Discrimination





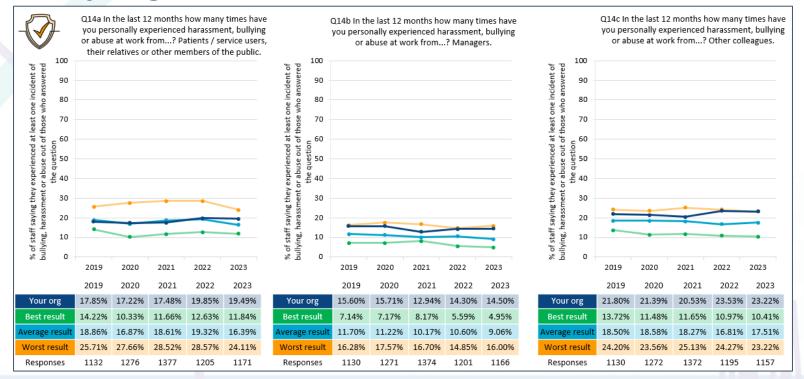


Discrimination cont.



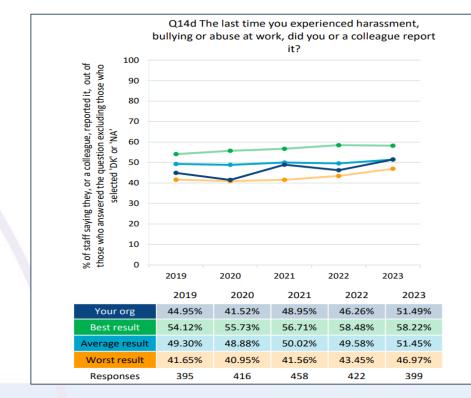


Bullying and harassment





Bullying and harassment cont



Appraisals & career development

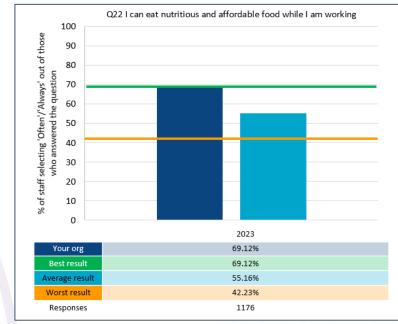
• Good quality, regular appraisals are vital for building good staff engagement, health and wellbeing, and career development. This is an area where we know from feedback that we need to do better.

	Us	Peer	National
In the last 12 months, have you had an appraisal, annual review, development review, or Knowledge and Skills Framework (KSF) development review?	84.8%	84.8%	83.5%
It helped me to improve how I do my job.	24.5%	25.6%	25.5%
It left me feeling that my work is valued by my organisation.	35.7%	36.1%	33.6%
There are opportunities for me to develop my career.	51.2%	55.5%	56%
I feel supported to develop my potential.	53.7%	59.4%	57.4%



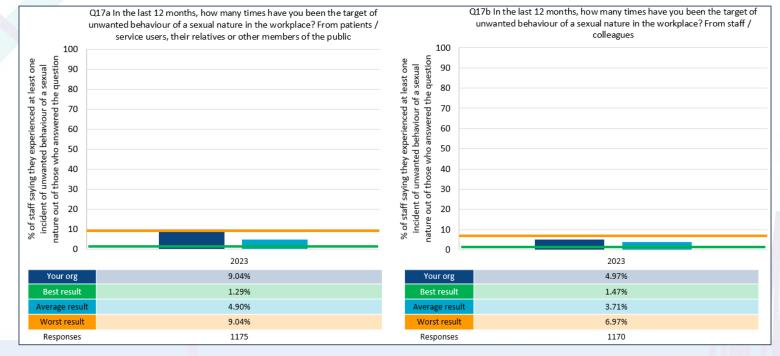
New question: food provision

• We scored the best result in the country. National average = 53.75%





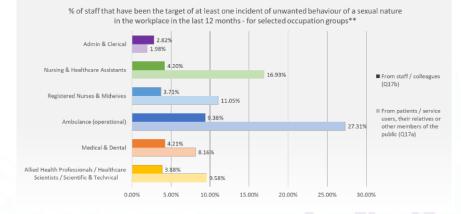
New question: unwanted behaviour of a sexual nature





New question: unwanted behaviour of a sexual nature

- Nationally, the following percentage of staff said they had been the target of at least one incident of unwanted sexual behaviour in the workplace:
- 8.67% from patients/relatives
- 3.84% from staff/colleagues
- This varies by staff group.



			Key:								
		Royal Papworth Hospital NHS Foundation Trust		100% response							
		NSS23 RAG report - RAG Table Report		3% better than the Tr							
		Breakdown: Staff group Suppression Threshold: 10		3% worse than the Tr within 3% of the Trust							
Set RAG % point difference:		Suppression Threshold: 10		within 5% of the Trust	average response.						
		Staff group	Comparator (Organisation Overall)	Add Prof Scientific and Technic	Additional Clinical Services	Administrative and Clerical	Allied Health Professionals	Estates and Ancillary	Healthcare Scientists	Medical and Dental	Nursing and Midwifery Registered
	Section	Description	n = 1180	n = 67	n = 117	n = 377	n = 60	n = 47	n = 46	n = 88	n = 378
		Satisfied with opportunities for flexible working patterns	62.9%	74.2%	56.9%	75.1%	56.7%	56.5%	71.1%	34.1%	58.1%
	Flexible Working	Organisation is committed to helping balance work and home life	52.8%	53.7%	57.3%	63.0%	51.7%	53.2%	54.3%	27.3%	47.1%
	Flexible working	Achieve a good balance between work and home life	56.8%	59.7%	59.5%	64.1%	62.1%	67.4%	63.0%	34.1%	50.5%
		Can approach immediate manager to talk openly about flexible working	72.3%	74.6%	72.6%	77.1%	76.3%	67.4%	71.7%	43.2%	73.7%
		Organisation takes positive action on health and well-being	64.6%	65.7%	73.5%	69.4%	71.7%	48.9%	63.0%	45.5%	62.3%
		Not experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from patients/service users, their relatives or members of the public	79.8%	86.6%	76.9%	90.1%	78.0%	82.2%	73.9%	78.4%	70.2%
		Not experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from managers	85.4%	77.6%	97.3%	88.2%	79.7%	89.1%	87.0%	79.5%	82.0%
/		Not experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from other colleagues	76.7%	69.7%	86.1%	86.2%	74.1%	58.7%	76.1%	73.6%	68.9%
		Last experience of harassment/bullying/abuse reported	51.6%	39.1%	62.1%	44.4%	56.0%	60.0%	27.8%	37.9%	58.8%
		Organisation acts fairly: career progression	55.6%	61.2%	64.0%	60.2%	63.3%	34.0%	56.5%	51.2%	49.7%
	HWB, Bullying and	Not experienced discrimination from patients/service users, their relatives or other members of the public	93.5%	94.0%	95.7%	99.5%	91.7%	80.9%	89.1%	94.3%	89.0%
	Discrimination	Not experienced discrimination from manager/team leader or other colleagues	87.6%	86.6%	94.0%	93.0%	86.7%	82.2%	77.8%	83.7%	83.2%
		Not experienced unwanted behaviour of a sexual nature from patients/service users, their relatives or members of the public Not experienced unwanted behaviour of a sexual nature from other	91.1%	94.0%	85.3%	98.9%	76.7%	91.5%	78.3%	96.6%	87.2%
		colleagues	95.4%	97.0%	94.9%	97.6%	86.7%	88.1%	95.7%	97.7%	94.7%
		Would feel secure raising concerns about unsafe clinical practice Would feel confident that organisation would address concerns	72.2%	80.6%	75.2%	64.0%	78.3%	53.3%	66.7%	73.6%	79.5%
		about unsafe clinical practice	60.3%	58.2%	73.5%	59.4%	61.0%	48.9%	51.1%	56.3%	60.6%
		Feel organisation respects individual differences	72.1%	83.6%	75.2%	78.7%	68.3%	65.2%	78.3%	61.6%	65.4%
		I can eat nutritious and affordable food at work	68.1%	76.1%	63.2%	78.7%	73.3%	50.0%	65.2%	66.7%	59.7%
		Received appraisal in the past 12 months	85.2%	87.7%	77.7%	84.7%	93.2%	41.9%	89.1%	84.7%	91.2%
		Appraisal helped me improve how I do my job	24.8%	14.0%	27.6%	22.7%	18.2%	38.9%	17.1%	25.0%	29.1%
	Appraisal/Career Dev	Appraisal helped me agree clear objectives for my work	36.1%	31.6%	26.4%	36.1%	40.0%	44.4%	29.3%	30.6%	40.3%
		Appraisal left me feeling organisation values my work There are opportunities for me to develop my career in this	35.3%	36.8%	33.3%	43.5%	32.7%	55.6%	26.8%	23.6%	30.6%
		organisation	51.0%	53.0%	76.3%	44.3%	46.7%	30.4%	47.8%	66.7%	49.7%
		Feel supported to develop my potential	53.6%	59.7%	67.5%	53.3%	56.7%	30.4%	43.5%	54.0%	52.1%
		Would recommend organisation as place to work If friend/relative needed treatment would be happy with standard of	68.7% 87.7%	71.6%	80.3%	73.2% 91.7%	67.8%	63.0% 71.7%	62.2% 82.6%	56.3% 82.8%	64.6% 85.3%
	Recommender/Raising Concerns	care provided by organisation Feel safe to speak up about anything that concerns me in this	63.4%	67.2%	67.2%	66.0%	70.0%	50.0%	60.9%	82.8% 58.6%	61.1%
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Royal Papworth Hospital NHS Foundation Trust NSS23 RAG report - RAG Table Report Breakdown: Locality 1 Suppression Threshold: 10



Set RAG % point difference:

Locality 1		Comparator (Organisation Overall)	Cardiology Division	Clinical Administration	Corporate Services	Digital Directorate	Finance Directorate	Nursing-Clinical	Nursing-Corporate	R&D	Surgery Transplant & Anaesthetics	Thoracic Med & Ambulatory Care	Workforce
Section	Description	n = 1180	n = 131	n = 108	n = 17	n = 40	n = 92	n = 153	n = 31	n = 69	n = 335	n = 155	n = 49
	Satisfied with opportunities for flexible working patterns	62.9%	52.7%	60.2%	88.2%	74.4%	82.4%	61.4%	71.0%	87.0%	50.2%	63.6%	91.8%
Flexible Working	Organisation is committed to helping balance work and home life	52.8%	40.8%	54.6%	70.6%	55.0%	71.7%	54.9%	61.3%	71.0%	40.4%	56.8%	72.9%
Flexible working	Achieve a good balance between work and home life	56.8%	48.5%	58.3%	76.5%	67.5%	76.9%	60.5%	58.1%	73.9%	44.4%	57.8%	66.7%
	Can approach immediate manager to talk openly about flexible working	72.3%	66.9%	71.3%	76.5%	87.5%	80.2%	75.2%	74.2%	85.5%	61.7%	77.4%	87.5%
	Organisation takes positive action on health and well-being	64.6%	62.6%	53.3%	88.2%	70.0%	73.9%	68.0%	74.2%	89.9%	50.6%	74.2%	77.6%
	Not experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from patients/service users, their relatives or members of the public	79.8%	78.6%	76.4%	100.0%	95.0%	87.8%	75.7%	87.1%	100.0%	73.2%	74.8%	95.8%
	Not experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from managers	85.4%	86.9%	87.7%	94.1%	77.5%	91.1%	87.4%	77.4%	80.9%	79.0%	92.9%	93.9%
	Not experienced harassment, bullying or abuse from other colleagues	76.7%	71.5%	80.8%	93.8%	82.5%	82.4%	75.8%	83.3%	86.8%	66.9%	83.2%	89.6%
	Last experience of harassment/bullying/abuse reported	51.6%	45.8%	47.4%	*		60.9%	55.4%	40.0%	40.0%	52.1%	59.1%	•
	Organisation acts fairly: career progression	55.6%	55.4%	64.5%	56.3%	55.0%	53.3%	64.5%	64.5%	60.3%	44.9%	60.9%	57.1%
HWB/Bullying/Discrimination	Not experienced discrimination from patients/service users, their relatives or other members of the public	93.5%	91.6%	99.1%	100.0%	97.5%	91.3%	95.4%	100.0%	97.1%	90.0%	92.3%	98.0%
	Not experienced discrimination from manager/team leader or other colleagues	87.6%	87.5%	91.6%	94.1%	100.0%	89.9%	91.5%	87.1%	88.2%	80.2%	90.3%	91.8%
	Not experienced unwanted behaviour of a sexual nature from patients/service users, their relatives or members of the public	91.1%	84.7%	99.1%	100.0%	100.0%	93.4%	86.9%	80.6%	97.1%	91.6%	86.5%	100.0%
	Would feel secure raising concerns about unsafe clinical practice	72.2%	77.7%	62.3%	88.2%	60.0%	60.0%	79.7%	71.0%	73.1%	70.2%	81.3%	66.7%
E	Would feel confident that organisation would address concerns about unsafe clinical practice	60.3%	56.9%	58.5%	70.6%	50.0%	58.9%	65.8%	64.5%	68.7%	54.5%	67.1%	66.7%
	I can eat nutritious and affordable food at work	68.1%	64.9%	78.5%	88.2%	75.0%	70.3%	77.0%	80.6%	79.7%	53.3%	71.6%	75.5%
	Received appraisal in the past 12 months	85.2%	88.9%	88.8%	94.1%	79.5%	66.7%	86.9%	86.7%	88.4%	85.2%	88.1%	83.3%
	Appraisal helped me improve how I do my job	24.8%	25.9%	22.3%	31.3%	32.3%	20.7%	20.3%	30.8%	11.7%	27.8%	29.3%	20.0%
Appraisal/Career Development	Appraisal helped me agree clear objectives for my work	36.1%	41.1%	37.2%	43.8%	38.7%	43.1%	33.8%	53.8%	38.3%	32.2%	34.6%	27.5%
Appraisa/Career Development	Appraisal left me feeling organisation values my work	35.3%	30.4%	46.8%	50.0%	41.9%	44.8%	34.6%	53.8%	43.3%	24.4%	36.8%	42.5%
	There are opportunities for me to develop my career in this organisation	51.0%	58.5%	43.0%	47.1%	42.5%	46.2%	51.6%	63.3%	57.4%	51.2%	56.2%	30.6%
	Feel supported to develop my potential	53.6%	55.4%	49.5%	64.7%	47.5%	56.0%	56.9%	73.3%	70.6%	46.2%	57.5%	46.9%
	Would recommend organisation as place to work	68.7%	69.8%	64.2%	82.4%	65.0%	78.0%	72.4%	67.7%	85.3%	56.0%	77.0%	83.7%
Decommondar/Delains Common	If friend/relative needed treatment would be happy with standard of care provided by organisation	87.7%	88.5%	94.3%	82.4%	85.0%	87.9%	87.6%	96.7%	95.6%	80.8%	90.3%	97.9%
Recommender/Raising Concerns	Feel safe to speak up about anything that concerns me in this organisation	63.4%	60.3%	59.4%	70.6%	70.0%	61.5%	69.9%	71.0%	66.2%	55.6%	73.4%	68.8%
	Feel organisation would address any concerns I raised	54.2%	46.9%	53.8%	70.6%	50.0%	53.8%	56.9%	54.8%	64.7%	48.0%	64.9%	58.3%

Bank staff survey results

	Trust 23	Bank 22	Bank 23
(Overall response rate)	(56%)	(27%)	(31.6%)
Recommender as a place to work	68.98%	69.9%	72.1%
Feel secure to raise concerns about unsafe clinical practice	72.31%	74.7%	67.2%
Feel safe to speak up about anything that concerns me	63.74%	65.1%	54.1%
Feel confident that their organisation would address their concerns	60.39%	57.8%	49.2%
Organisation takes positive action on health and well-being	64.72%	62.5%	56.7%
Unwanted behaviour of a sexual nature from staff	4.97%		3.3%
Experienced unwanted behaviour of a sexual nature from patients	9.04%		3.3%
Access to nutritious and affordable food	69.12%		72.1%



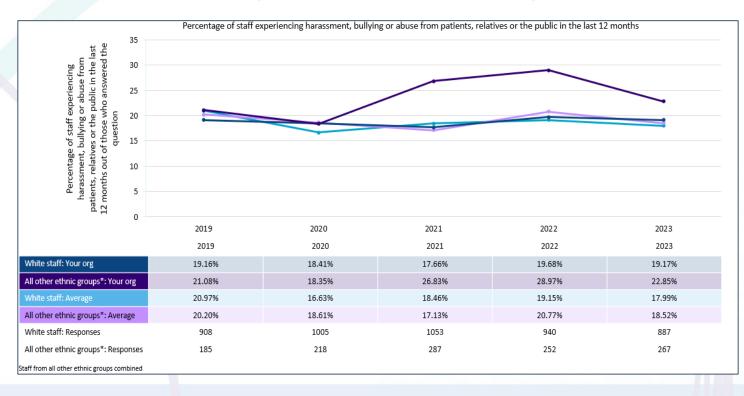
WRES and WDES results

Workforce Race Equality Standard (WRES) Workforce Disability Equality Standard (WDES)

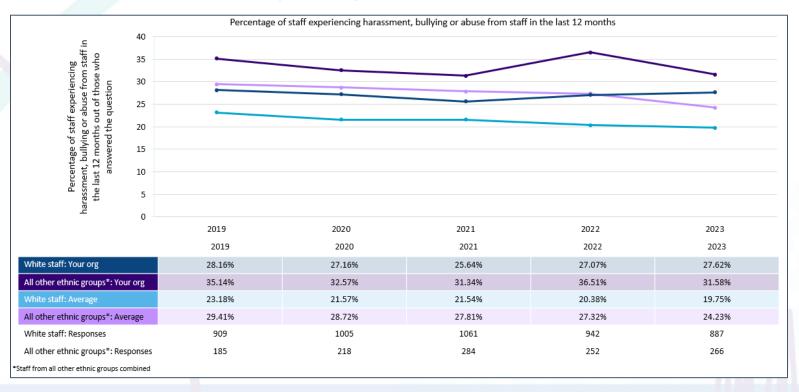




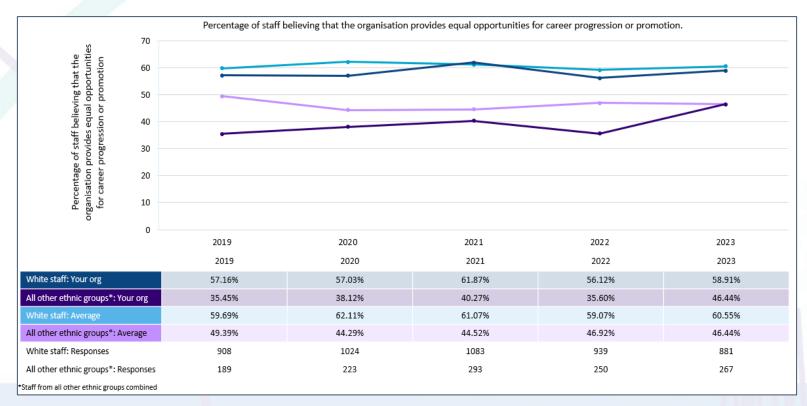
WRES – abuse (patients, visitors)



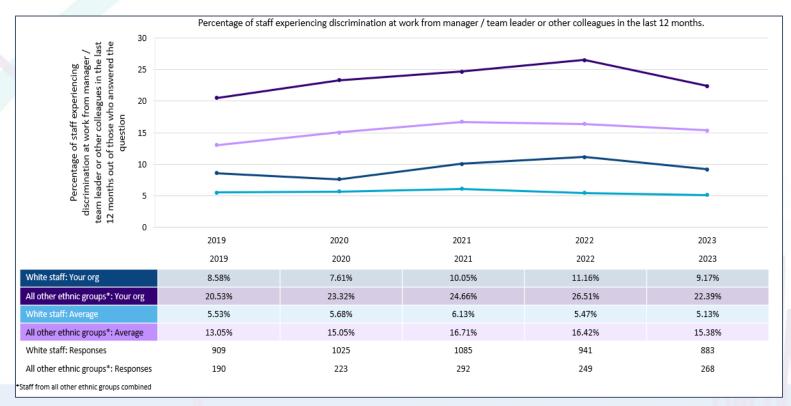
WRES – abuse (staff)



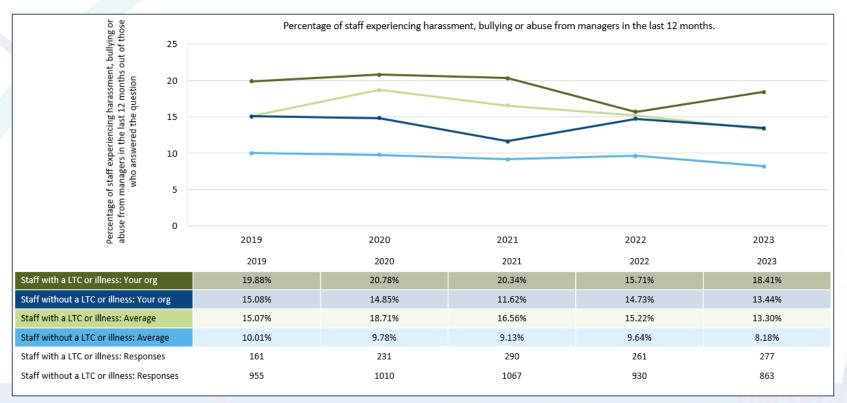
WRES – equal opportunities



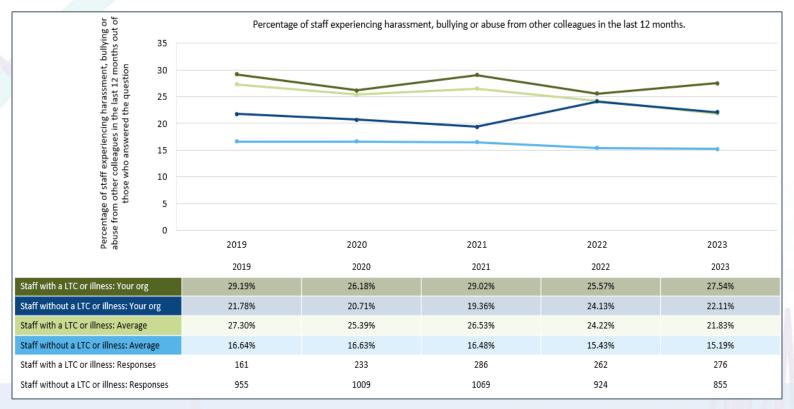
WRES – discrimination



WDES – abuse (managers)



WDES – abuse (colleagues)





Themes in free text (apx 310 comments)

- Appreciation for subsidised travel
- Appreciation for subsidised food
- 28 positive comments relating to their manager, their team, the standard of care
- Poor behaviours/incivility/bullying
- Insufficient staffing levels putting pressure on staff
- Lack of career progression opportunities/development
- Poor leadership/management practice
- Inequality/discrimination for white staff and for staff from a BAME background
- Car parking provision inadequate
- Poor pay (a national theme)



What we do with these results

- Share openly with all staff and managers.
- Use these to inform our priorities and objectives. Current examples:
 - Discounted food, travel and parking.
 - > Pay protection on promotion.
 - Significant investment in health and wellbeing.
 - Starting salary for overseas staff.
 - Improving access to car parking.
- Work with staff networks to improve staff experience.
- Provide leadership teams with results, support them to develop local plans for improvements.