

YouGov - GP access

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Fieldwork: 14th - 15th February 2023

	Vote in 2019 GE			2016 EU Ref		Gender		Age				Social Grade		Country			Region					
	Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Remain	Leave	Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	England	Wales	Scotland	North	Midlands	London	South	
Weighted Sample	2062	674	499	175	727	768	998	1064	216	852	509	485	1175	887	1780	103	179	497	342	250	691	
Unweighted Sample	2062	705	499	183	825	791	921	1141	176	833	523	530	1245	817	1774	112	176	501	358	204	711	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Over the last six months, on how many occasions have you suffered from health problems that you thought were significant enough to warrant a GP's attention...?

Never	36	41	34	38	38	37	42	31	23	39	39	36	37	35	36	36	43	36	34	36	37
Once	25	26	27	26	27	25	23	26	24	23	24	28	26	23	25	23	21	22	27	27	25
Twice	15	15	17	16	16	16	12	18	8	15	18	16	16	14	15	20	12	18	13	16	14
Three times	6	5	6	8	6	6	4	7	9	5	5	7	6	6	6	7	6	6	6	6	5
Four times	3	3	3	4	2	4	3	3	6	2	4	4	3	3	3	1	6	2	5	2	3
Five times	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	1	1
More than five times	4	3	5	4	3	5	4	5	4	4	5	4	3	5	4	3	4	5	5	3	4
Prefer not to say	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	2	3	2	4	3	3	2	2	3	5	3
Don't know	5	2	2	1	2	3	5	4	16	5	2	1	3	7	4	5	5	5	5	2	5
Refused	2	1	3	1	2	1	2	2	6	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	2	1	2	2

You said you have suffered health problems in the last six months that you thought were significant enough to warrant a GP's attention. Did you attend an appointment with a GP about these problems, either online, over the phone or in person?

[Asked only to those who have suffered with health problems in the last six months that they felt were significant enough to warrant a trip to the GP; n=1135]

I saw a GP every time	44	42	48	47	50	41	44	44	44	44	44	44	45	42	43	59	44	47	34	50	42
I did not see a GP every time	51	55	47	46	45	56	51	51	44	49	53	54	49	53	51	41	51	48	62	39	53
Don't know/can't recall	2	2	1	6	2	2	3	2	5	4	1	1	3	2	3	0	2	2	2	4	3
Refused	3	2	4	1	2	2	2	3	7	3	2	1	3	2	3	0	2	3	3	7	2

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You said you did not always tell a GP about the health problems you have suffered in the last six months. Which of these comes closest to describing why you did not always do so? Select all that apply.

[Asked only to those who did not always tell a GP about health problems they suffered with; n=585]

I could not get a timely enough appointment	21	14	30	35	26	17	23	20	27	26	20	13	25	15	21	17	18	20	16	28	24
I could not get through to my GP's surgery and gave up trying	31	33	36	40	31	35	31	31	31	30	31	33	32	29	33	20	19	34	34	18	34
I did not want to bother a GP with my problems	15	10	16	13	17	11	15	15	29	18	9	12	17	12	15	10	16	14	11	21	16
I had no way of getting to my GP's surgery	2	2	1	3	2	3	2	2	4	2	0	3	2	2	1	10	6	0	4	0	1
I did not want to put pressure on the NHS	15	12	16	17	20	13	14	17	15	20	12	12	16	14	16	9	16	16	14	13	17
I tried to get an appointment but was told my problem did not require a GP's attention	10	10	10	13	12	11	10	10	5	9	12	11	11	9	9	13	21	10	6	6	11
I could not get an appointment to fit around my working hours	11	9	11	19	13	11	11	11	12	17	11	3	14	8	12	4	6	12	15	11	10
I hoped the problem would go away on its own	29	24	32	44	36	22	29	30	51	38	21	19	32	26	28	47	37	25	23	45	29
I didn't try because I did not expect to be able to get an appointment	20	15	22	26	21	18	21	19	23	23	16	18	21	18	21	8	13	21	23	23	19
I am not registered with a GP	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	4	2	1	0	2	0	1	0	4	1	1	2	1
Other	14	18	11	9	14	13	13	15	10	10	18	19	13	16	15	8	14	15	20	15	12
Don't know	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	11	2	2	3	2	4	3	0	2	2	5	0	4

You said you did not always tell a GP about the health problems you have suffered in the last six months. Thinking of the most severe of the problems you did not seek a GP's advice over, how recently did you first experience this particular problem?

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Within the last week	6	5	4	4	5	6	7	4	4	7	4	6	4	7	6	3	7	7	5	7	5
Within the last 2 weeks	5	4	6	6	7	4	6	4	4	6	3	5	5	4	5	0	0	7	7	5	3
Within the last month	9	7	9	17	9	8	8	10	17	9	9	7	7	12	10	5	7	11	9	8	9
Within the last 2 months	13	14	15	16	12	14	15	11	11	20	9	13	13	13	13	17	9	13	19	9	10
Within the last 3 months	13	13	19	8	15	17	12	14	4	14	12	15	15	11	13	3	19	14	13	13	12
Within the last 4 months	7	8	6	6	5	7	6	7	9	7	4	9	8	5	7	4	5	9	3	13	7
Within the last 5 months	3	4	3	0	3	2	3	2	0	5	1	2	3	2	3	0	3	1	4	3	3
Within the last 6 months	29	32	24	28	31	28	27	31	17	27	31	34	31	27	28	49	31	29	23	25	32
Don't know/can't recall	15	13	13	14	13	13	14	16	32	14	14	12	13	18	14	18	19	9	16	18	16
Refused	1	2	0	2	1	1	1	1	3	0	1	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	0	2

You said you did not always tell a GP about the health problems you have suffered in the last six months. Thinking of the most severe of the problems you did not seek a GP's advice over, which comes closest to describing the problem a month after you realised it could warrant medical attention?

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The problem has gone away entirely	11	8	11	14	13	10	12	10	15	13	10	7	12	10	11	14	13	11	6	16	12
The severity of the problem has lessened	35	38	38	42	40	35	36	34	16	38	34	37	36	34	36	21	26	38	32	41	37
The severity of the problem has stayed about the same	31	32	32	28	26	36	30	32	33	27	33	34	32	30	31	32	31	26	39	24	32
The severity of the problem has worsened	16	17	14	6	15	15	13	17	14	14	17	17	14	18	15	22	21	17	17	14	12
Don't know	6	4	4	8	5	4	6	5	18	5	5	3	5	7	5	6	9	5	7	3	6
Refused	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	3	3	0	1	2	1	2	5	0	3	0	2	2