

YouGov Survey Results

Sample Size: 2718

Fieldwork: 7th to 10th January 2011

| Total | Age | | | | | Social Grade | | Region | | | | | | | |
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| | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55+ | ABC1 | C2DE | North | Midlands | East | London | South | Wales | Scotland | Northern Ireland |

Cervical screening is a test that checks the health of or changes in the cells of the cervix that may, if untreated, develop into cervical cancer. The test is usually carried out by a doctor or nurse.

Have you ever been for cervical screening?

| | Unweighted Base | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55+ | ABC1 | C2DE | North | Midlands | East | London | South | Wales | Scotland | Northern Ireland |
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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland | 2467 | 33 | 430 | 456 | 486 | 1062 | 1409 | 1058 | 602 | 333 | 209 | 285 | 568 | 130 | 284 | 56 |
| | 2441 | 32 | 432 | 515 | 445 | 1017 | 1439 | 1001 | 596 | 381 | 219 | 281 | 539 | 132 | 232 | 62 |
| Yes, I have | 91% | 50% | 80% | 96% | 96% | 94% | 93% | 90% | 90% | 94% | 93% | 89% | 94% | 90% | 90% | 82% |
| No, I haven't | 9% | 50% | 20% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 7% | 10% | 10% | 6% | 7% | 11% | 6% | 10% | 10% | 18% |

Have you ever missed or delayed a cervical screening appointment?

| | Unweighted Base | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55+ | ABC1 | C2DE | North | Midlands | East | London | South | Wales | Scotland | Northern Ireland |
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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland | 2467 | 33 | 430 | 456 | 486 | 1062 | 1409 | 1058 | 602 | 333 | 209 | 285 | 568 | 130 | 284 | 56 |
| | 2441 | 32 | 432 | 515 | 445 | 1017 | 1439 | 1001 | 596 | 381 | 219 | 281 | 539 | 132 | 232 | 62 |
| Yes, I have | 32% | 26% | 43% | 44% | 36% | 20% | 31% | 35% | 32% | 31% | 31% | 34% | 34% | 34% | 25% | 43% |
| No, never | 68% | 74% | 57% | 56% | 64% | 80% | 69% | 65% | 68% | 69% | 69% | 66% | 66% | 66% | 75% | 57% |

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To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about cervical screening?

I've found it difficult to book a cervical screening appointment with my GP surgery in the past

| | Unweighted Base | 2467 | 33 | 430 | 456 | 486 | 1062 | 1409 | 1058 | 602 | 333 | 209 | 285 | 568 | 130 | 284 | 56 |
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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland | | 2441 | 32 | 432 | 515 | 445 | 1017 | 1439 | 1001 | 596 | 381 | 219 | 281 | 539 | 132 | 232 | 62 |
| Strongly agree | 3% | 6% | 5% | 3% | 3% | 1% | 3% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 2% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 5% | |
| Agree | 8% | 3% | 11% | 12% | 10% | 4% | 8% | 8% | 8% | 7% | 7% | 11% | 8% | 6% | 7% | 9% | |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 13% | 12% | 11% | 13% | 14% | 13% | 12% | 14% | 15% | 14% | 12% | 10% | 15% | 11% | 9% | 11% | |
| Disagree | 33% | 21% | 33% | 37% | 32% | 31% | 34% | 31% | 31% | 32% | 38% | 30% | 33% | 38% | 31% | 31% | |
| Strongly disagree | 32% | 14% | 26% | 32% | 36% | 32% | 31% | 32% | 32% | 33% | 31% | 32% | 31% | 23% | 32% | 36% | |
| Not applicable - I have never tried to book a cervical screening appointment | 12% | 43% | 14% | 3% | 6% | 17% | 11% | 13% | 12% | 11% | 9% | 14% | 10% | 18% | 16% | 9% | |

It is hard to book an appointment for cervical screening at a convenient time for me

| | Unweighted Base | 2467 | 33 | 430 | 456 | 486 | 1062 | 1409 | 1058 | 602 | 333 | 209 | 285 | 568 | 130 | 284 | 56 |
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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland | | 2441 | 32 | 432 | 515 | 445 | 1017 | 1439 | 1001 | 596 | 381 | 219 | 281 | 539 | 132 | 232 | 62 |
| Strongly agree | 5% | 3% | 11% | 6% | 6% | 2% | 6% | 4% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 7% | 5% | 11% | |
| Agree | 11% | 6% | 16% | 16% | 12% | 6% | 12% | 10% | 12% | 11% | 10% | 10% | 13% | 10% | 11% | 9% | |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 15% | 15% | 13% | 14% | 18% | 16% | 14% | 17% | 17% | 18% | 12% | 14% | 16% | 17% | 9% | 12% | |
| Disagree | 31% | 21% | 30% | 36% | 28% | 31% | 33% | 29% | 29% | 29% | 35% | 34% | 32% | 33% | 31% | 31% | |
| Strongly disagree | 26% | 9% | 19% | 25% | 29% | 29% | 26% | 27% | 27% | 28% | 29% | 25% | 25% | 17% | 29% | 29% | |
| Not applicable - I have never tried to book a cervical screening appointment | 11% | 46% | 11% | 3% | 6% | 16% | 10% | 12% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 13% | 8% | 16% | 15% | 9% | |

My GP surgery offers screening appointment in the evenings or on weekends which has made it easier to attend a screening

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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland | | 2441 | 32 | 432 | 515 | 445 | 1017 | 1439 | 1001 | 596 | 381 | 219 | 281 | 539 | 132 | 232 | 62 |
| Strongly agree | 6% | - | 5% | 5% | 8% | 6% | 6% | 6% | 8% | 6% | 5% | 6% | 5% | 4% | 6% | 4% | |
| Agree | 13% | 3% | 11% | 17% | 16% | 12% | 14% | 12% | 15% | 13% | 12% | 17% | 12% | 11% | 12% | 7% | |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 33% | 24% | 26% | 34% | 32% | 35% | 32% | 33% | 30% | 34% | 35% | 31% | 37% | 27% | 27% | 33% | |
| Disagree | 19% | 6% | 20% | 22% | 21% | 16% | 20% | 18% | 19% | 18% | 25% | 17% | 17% | 23% | 22% | 20% | |
| Strongly disagree | 12% | 6% | 12% | 15% | 14% | 10% | 13% | 12% | 10% | 14% | 10% | 10% | 14% | 14% | 13% | 17% | |
| Not applicable - I have never tried to book a cervical screening appointment | 8% | 11% | 5% | 2% | 4% | 14% | 8% | 8% | 7% | 8% | 6% | 8% | 9% | 11% | 10% | 2% | |
| Not applicable - never attended | 9% | 50% | 20% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 7% | 10% | 10% | 6% | 7% | 11% | 6% | 10% | 10% | 18% | |

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If my GP surgery opening hours had been more flexible it would have encouraged me /ensured that I attended a missed or delayed cervical screening appointment

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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland | | 2441 | 32 | 432 | 515 | 445 | 1017 | 1439 | 1001 | 596 | 381 | 219 | 281 | 539 | 132 | 232 | 62 |
| Strongly agree | 5% | - | 9% | 7% | 5% | 2% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 3% | 6% | 5% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 2% |
| Agree | 6% | - | 8% | 10% | 10% | 3% | 7% | 6% | 7% | 7% | 4% | 8% | 7% | 6% | 5% | 8% | 8% |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 7% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 7% | 5% | 6% | 10% | 8% | 6% | 8% | 8% | 7% | 9% | 6% | 11% | 11% |
| Disagree | 8% | 3% | 9% | 12% | 9% | 5% | 8% | 7% | 8% | 8% | 8% | 7% | 9% | 8% | 6% | 11% | 11% |
| Strongly disagree | 3% | 3% | 5% | 5% | 3% | 2% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 6% | 3% | 4% | 2% | 3% | 9% | 9% |
| Not applicable - I have never tried to book a cervical screening appointment | 2% | 9% | 3% | 1% | 2% | 3% | 2% | 3% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 5% | 2% | 2% | 2% |
| Not applicable - Never missed/ delayed | 68% | 74% | 57% | 56% | 64% | 80% | 69% | 65% | 68% | 69% | 69% | 66% | 66% | 66% | 75% | 57% | 57% |

To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about cervical screening?

I can only attend screening during working hours and find it difficult to approach my employer about time off for a cervical screening appointment

| | Unweighted Base | 1469 | 14 | 339 | 350 | 373 | 393 | 900 | 569 | 353 | 199 | 121 | 181 | 359 | 69 | 154 | 33 |
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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland who work | | 1472 | 13 | 343 | 397 | 342 | 377 | 930 | 543 | 353 | 231 | 129 | 180 | 343 | 71 | 127 | 37 |
| Strongly agree | 5% | 8% | 7% | 4% | 5% | 3% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 7% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 6% | 6% |
| Agree | 10% | 21% | 12% | 11% | 9% | 7% | 10% | 10% | 9% | 12% | 7% | 8% | 10% | 8% | 12% | 21% | 21% |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 18% | 23% | 20% | 21% | 17% | 13% | 16% | 21% | 19% | 14% | 21% | 18% | 19% | 17% | 17% | 19% | 19% |
| Disagree | 32% | 40% | 33% | 33% | 32% | 28% | 34% | 28% | 34% | 32% | 36% | 26% | 31% | 41% | 26% | 34% | 34% |
| Strongly disagree | 17% | - | 16% | 15% | 17% | 19% | 18% | 15% | 16% | 18% | 16% | 20% | 14% | 7% | 21% | 18% | 18% |
| Not applicable | 19% | 8% | 13% | 15% | 20% | 29% | 18% | 22% | 19% | 17% | 16% | 23% | 22% | 23% | 18% | 3% | 3% |

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Generally I find it easy to leave work during working hours in order to attend a cervical screening appointment

| | Unweighted Base | 1469 | 14 | 339 | 350 | 373 | 393 | 900 | 569 | 353 | 199 | 121 | 181 | 359 | 69 | 154 | 33 |
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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland who work | | 1472 | 13 | 343 | 397 | 342 | 377 | 930 | 543 | 353 | 231 | 129 | 180 | 343 | 71 | 127 | 37 |
| Strongly agree | 11% | - | 10% | 9% | 13% | 12% | 12% | 9% | 12% | 11% | 8% | 8% | 12% | 11% | 11% | 12% | 12% |
| Agree | 26% | 13% | 26% | 26% | 27% | 25% | 29% | 21% | 28% | 25% | 26% | 21% | 24% | 31% | 27% | 26% | 26% |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 17% | 29% | 17% | 20% | 17% | 15% | 15% | 22% | 16% | 20% | 18% | 21% | 16% | 16% | 14% | 22% | 22% |
| Disagree | 18% | 22% | 20% | 18% | 21% | 14% | 18% | 19% | 16% | 21% | 25% | 19% | 15% | 13% | 19% | 21% | 21% |
| Strongly disagree | 12% | 21% | 14% | 14% | 8% | 10% | 12% | 10% | 11% | 10% | 9% | 13% | 13% | 9% | 13% | 14% | 14% |
| Not applicable | 16% | 14% | 13% | 12% | 15% | 24% | 14% | 20% | 16% | 13% | 14% | 18% | 20% | 19% | 16% | 6% | 6% |

I have had to take holiday to attend a cervical screening appointment in the past

| | Unweighted Base | 1469 | 14 | 339 | 350 | 373 | 393 | 900 | 569 | 353 | 199 | 121 | 181 | 359 | 69 | 154 | 33 |
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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland who work | | 1472 | 13 | 343 | 397 | 342 | 377 | 930 | 543 | 353 | 231 | 129 | 180 | 343 | 71 | 127 | 37 |
| Strongly agree | 4% | 8% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 3% | 5% | 3% | 2% | 7% | 4% | 5% | 3% | 7% | 4% | 6% | 6% |
| Agree | 11% | 6% | 12% | 12% | 13% | 7% | 12% | 9% | 11% | 13% | 9% | 8% | 12% | 7% | 13% | 21% | 21% |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 9% | 15% | 8% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 8% | 11% | 8% | 12% | 10% | 8% | 11% | 6% | 9% | 12% | 12% |
| Disagree | 31% | 14% | 26% | 37% | 31% | 29% | 31% | 31% | 34% | 26% | 38% | 27% | 30% | 40% | 29% | 23% | 23% |
| Strongly disagree | 25% | 19% | 24% | 24% | 25% | 26% | 26% | 22% | 24% | 27% | 24% | 26% | 25% | 19% | 26% | 20% | 20% |
| Not applicable | 12% | 6% | 7% | 8% | 13% | 21% | 11% | 15% | 12% | 9% | 11% | 16% | 15% | 11% | 13% | 3% | 3% |
| Never attended an appointment | 8% | 30% | 18% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 7% | 8% | 9% | 6% | 4% | 12% | 5% | 10% | 6% | 15% | 15% |

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I would be more encouraged to attend my cervical screening appointments if my company offered more flexible hours to attend screening so I didn't have to take holiday

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| Strongly agree | 6% | 21% | 8% | 6% | 7% | 3% | 6% | 6% | 8% | 8% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 5% | 7% | 18% |
| Agree | 16% | 16% | 19% | 17% | 16% | 12% | 16% | 16% | 14% | 21% | 9% | 15% | 15% | 13% | 20% | 24% |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 24% | 36% | 25% | 29% | 20% | 22% | 23% | 26% | 24% | 23% | 26% | 27% | 27% | 20% | 19% | 16% |
| Disagree | 21% | 13% | 19% | 21% | 21% | 22% | 21% | 20% | 22% | 17% | 30% | 17% | 21% | 22% | 18% | 19% |
| Strongly disagree | 9% | - | 8% | 9% | 9% | 10% | 10% | 6% | 9% | 8% | 10% | 7% | 8% | 3% | 12% | 17% |
| Not applicable | 25% | 14% | 22% | 18% | 27% | 32% | 24% | 25% | 23% | 24% | 21% | 29% | 26% | 36% | 24% | 6% |

I feel that my employer understands the importance of cervical screening

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| Strongly agree | 13% | - | 9% | 12% | 16% | 14% | 13% | 11% | 17% | 11% | 12% | 8% | 14% | 10% | 10% | 3% |
| Agree | 23% | 21% | 21% | 24% | 23% | 26% | 25% | 20% | 23% | 22% | 28% | 17% | 25% | 32% | 25% | 16% |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 34% | 49% | 38% | 38% | 32% | 27% | 33% | 36% | 32% | 34% | 37% | 40% | 31% | 20% | 37% | 46% |
| Disagree | 8% | 8% | 10% | 9% | 7% | 5% | 8% | 7% | 9% | 10% | 4% | 8% | 5% | 6% | 6% | 15% |
| Strongly disagree | 4% | 8% | 6% | 5% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 5% | 3% | 6% | 3% | 5% | 4% | 5% | 5% | 14% |
| Not applicable | 18% | 14% | 16% | 13% | 19% | 26% | 17% | 21% | 17% | 16% | 16% | 22% | 20% | 27% | 17% | 6% |

I am too embarrassed to talk to my employer about cervical screening so always book holiday to attend appointments

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| Strongly agree | 5% | 6% | 7% | 6% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 7% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 13% |
| Agree | 10% | 14% | 15% | 10% | 10% | 7% | 11% | 9% | 11% | 12% | 5% | 8% | 10% | 12% | 13% | 18% |
| Neither agree nor disagree | 17% | 28% | 18% | 18% | 18% | 13% | 15% | 19% | 15% | 19% | 21% | 18% | 17% | 15% | 14% | 16% |
| Disagree | 30% | 14% | 28% | 33% | 31% | 29% | 31% | 28% | 31% | 27% | 34% | 26% | 30% | 33% | 30% | 37% |
| Strongly disagree | 18% | 8% | 15% | 18% | 18% | 21% | 19% | 16% | 19% | 17% | 19% | 20% | 17% | 14% | 19% | 14% |
| Not applicable | 20% | 29% | 16% | 16% | 20% | 28% | 19% | 22% | 18% | 18% | 17% | 24% | 23% | 24% | 20% | 3% |

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Which, if any, of the following are reasons why you have not attended or have delayed a cervical screening appointment?

| | Unweighted Base | 785 | 8 | 183 | 201 | 178 | 215 | 424 | 361 | 190 | 103 | 65 | 97 | 192 | 44 | 70 | 24 |
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| All women aged 20+ in Scotland and Wales and 25+ in England and Northern Ireland who have missed or delayed a cervical screening appointment | | 788 | 8 | 186 | 226 | 162 | 207 | 441 | 347 | 190 | 120 | 68 | 97 | 184 | 45 | 57 | 26 |
| I forgot about my appointment | 14% | 13% | 16% | 14% | 15% | 10% | 13% | 14% | 10% | 19% | 20% | 14% | 13% | 7% | 14% | 12% | |
| I find the procedure embarrassing | 36% | 40% | 43% | 41% | 35% | 27% | 34% | 39% | 46% | 35% | 27% | 25% | 35% | 40% | 29% | 55% | |
| I find the procedure painful | 27% | 13% | 26% | 30% | 28% | 26% | 27% | 28% | 22% | 32% | 23% | 28% | 28% | 23% | 32% | 37% | |
| I couldn't get childcare | 3% | - | 3% | 5% | 3% | 0% | 3% | 3% | 5% | - | 1% | 5% | 1% | 3% | 4% | - | |
| I was worried what the results might mean | 10% | 13% | 9% | 9% | 9% | 11% | 9% | 11% | 13% | 10% | 13% | 8% | 7% | 11% | 10% | - | |
| I don't feel this is relevant to me | 6% | - | 5% | 3% | 6% | 11% | 6% | 7% | 6% | 6% | 6% | 5% | 8% | 6% | 5% | 4% | |
| I didn't understand what screening was for | 1% | - | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 0% | 1% | - | 1% | 3% | 2% | - | 2% | - | - | |
| I can't get time off work/ need to take holiday | 11% | - | 12% | 11% | 15% | 8% | 13% | 9% | 9% | 14% | 8% | 12% | 12% | 11% | 14% | 17% | |
| I missed an appointment and then didn't re-schedule | 22% | 35% | 22% | 22% | 24% | 21% | 21% | 23% | 21% | 23% | 15% | 22% | 23% | 24% | 26% | 24% | |
| Other reason | 22% | 26% | 22% | 19% | 26% | 21% | 22% | 21% | 19% | 15% | 30% | 23% | 25% | 23% | 19% | 21% | |

Rebased Question

Which, if any, of the following are reasons why you have not attended or have delayed a cervical screening appointment?

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| I forgot about my appointment | 4% | 3% | 7% | 6% | 5% | 2% | 4% | 5% | 3% | 6% | 6% | 5% | 4% | 2% | 4% | 5% | |
| I find the procedure embarrassing | 12% | 10% | 18% | 18% | 13% | 5% | 10% | 14% | 15% | 11% | 8% | 9% | 12% | 14% | 7% | 24% | |
| I find the procedure painful | 9% | 3% | 11% | 13% | 10% | 5% | 8% | 10% | 7% | 10% | 7% | 10% | 10% | 8% | 8% | 16% | |
| I couldn't get childcare | 1% | - | 1% | 2% | 1% | 0% | 1% | 1% | 2% | - | 0% | 2% | 1% | 1% | 1% | - | |
| I was worried what the results might mean | 3% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 2% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 2% | 4% | 2% | - | |
| I don't feel this is relevant to me | 2% | - | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 2% | 1% | 2% | |
| I didn't understand what screening was for | 0% | - | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | - | 0% | 1% | 1% | - | 1% | - | - | |
| I can't get time off work/ need to take holiday | 4% | - | 5% | 5% | 6% | 2% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 7% | |
| I missed an appointment and then didn't re-schedule | 7% | 9% | 9% | 10% | 9% | 4% | 7% | 8% | 7% | 7% | 5% | 8% | 8% | 8% | 6% | 10% | |
| Other reason | 7% | 7% | 9% | 8% | 9% | 4% | 7% | 7% | 6% | 5% | 9% | 8% | 9% | 8% | 5% | 9% | |
| Not applicable - I've never missed/delayed a cervical screening appointment | 68% | 74% | 57% | 56% | 64% | 80% | 69% | 65% | 68% | 69% | 69% | 66% | 66% | 66% | 75% | 57% | |