

My Menopause Centre/BID survey 2 – data findings (excerpts) “Deaf Women and the menopause”

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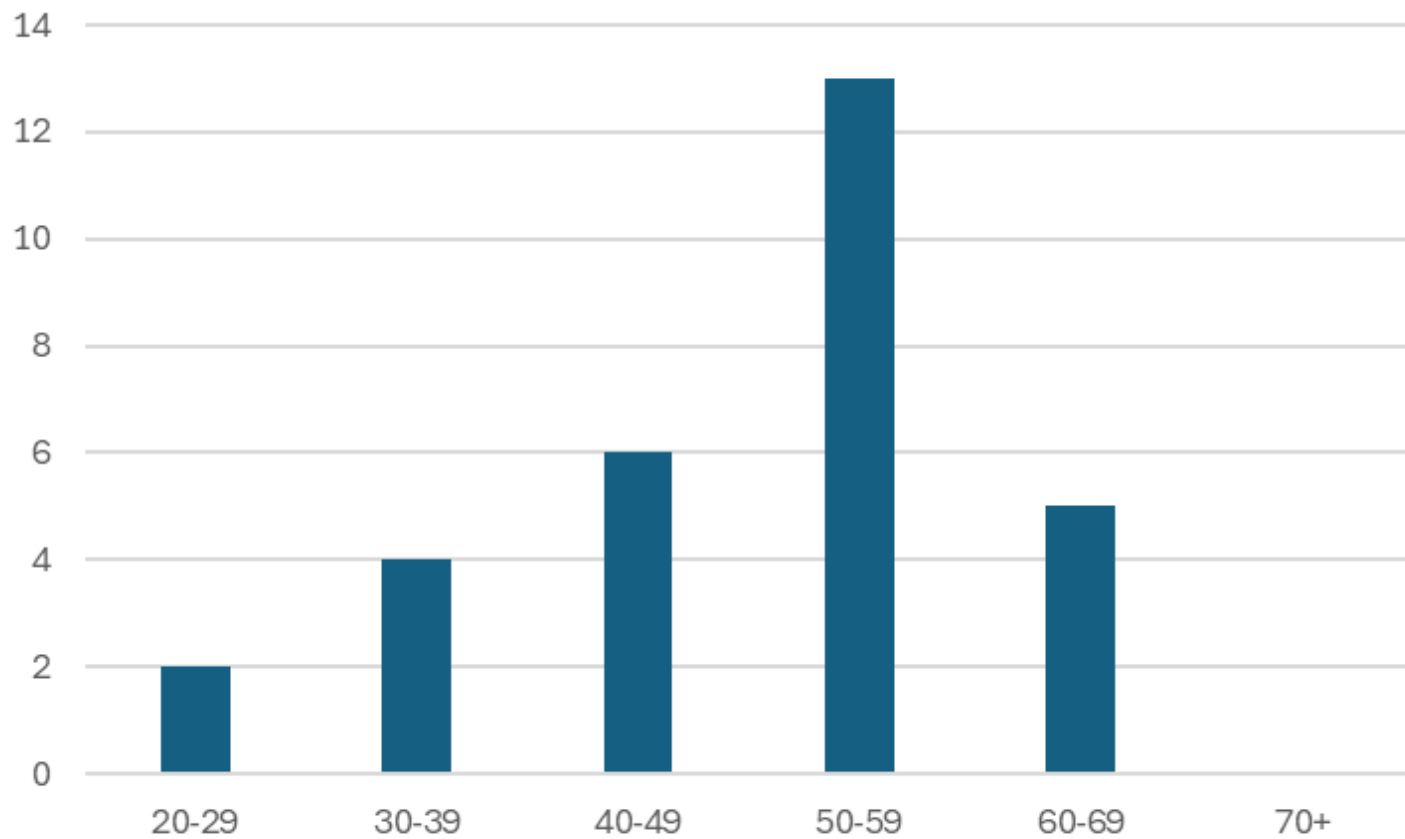
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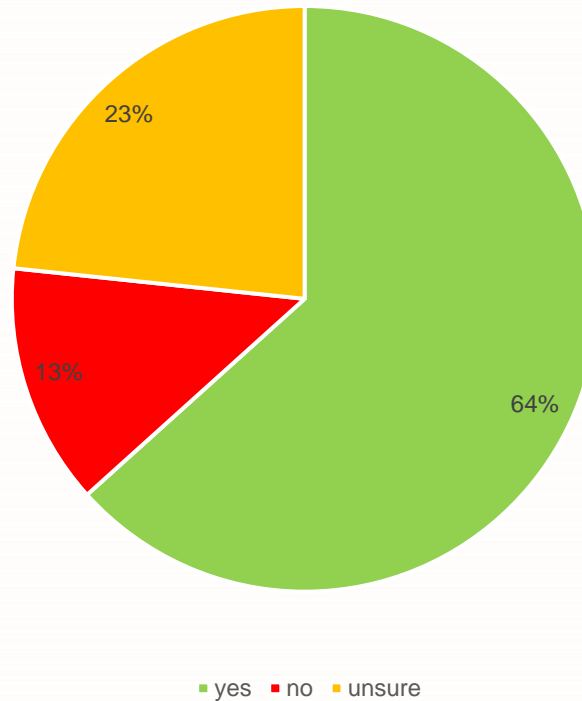
Age range of deaf participants





“60% of Deaf women are not informed enough about the menopause.”
Birmingham and Solihull Survey results.

Do you know what the menopause is?





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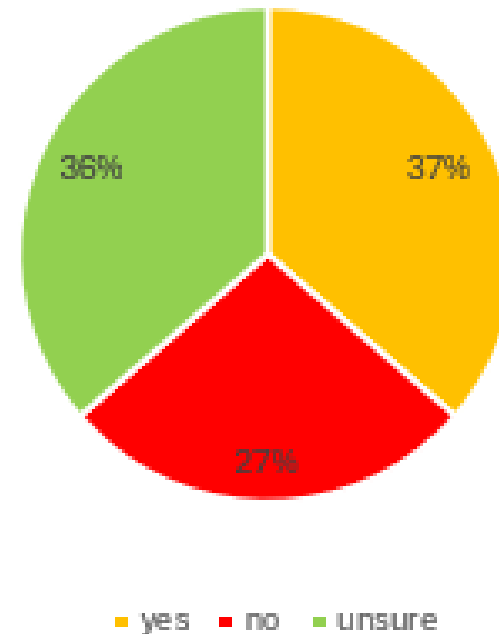
The vast majority of Deaf women (90%) have **no awareness of treatment options** and how these work.

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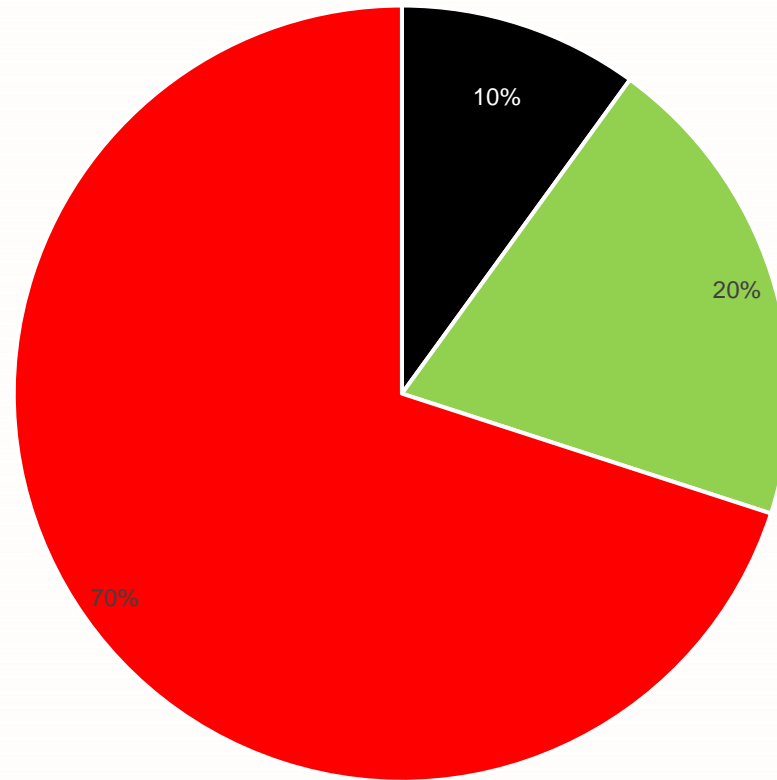
Only 30% of those being treated understand how the treatment works.

Do you know what HRT is?

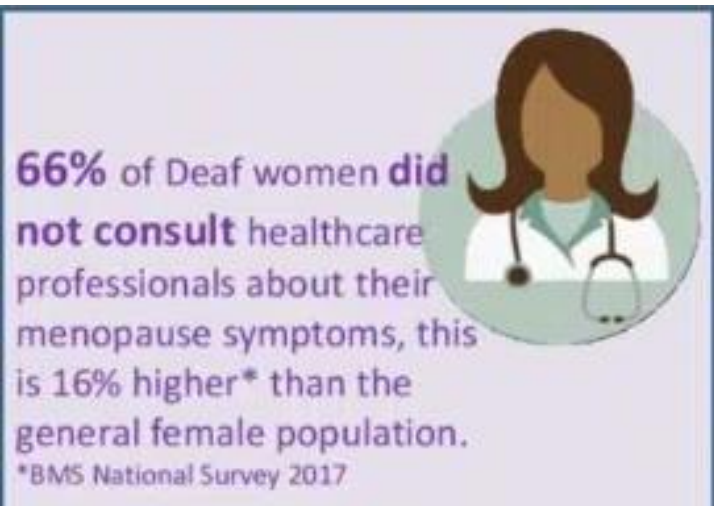




Have you talked to your doctor/GP about the menopause?



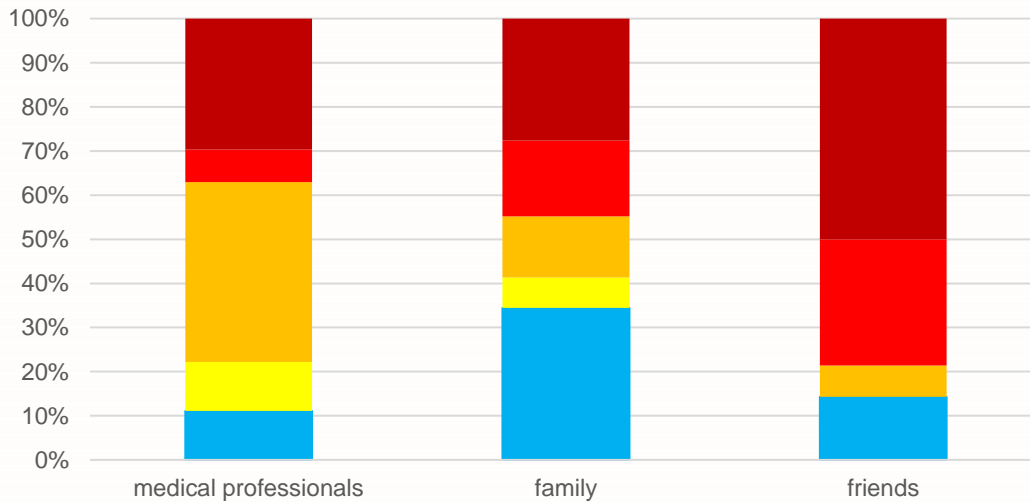
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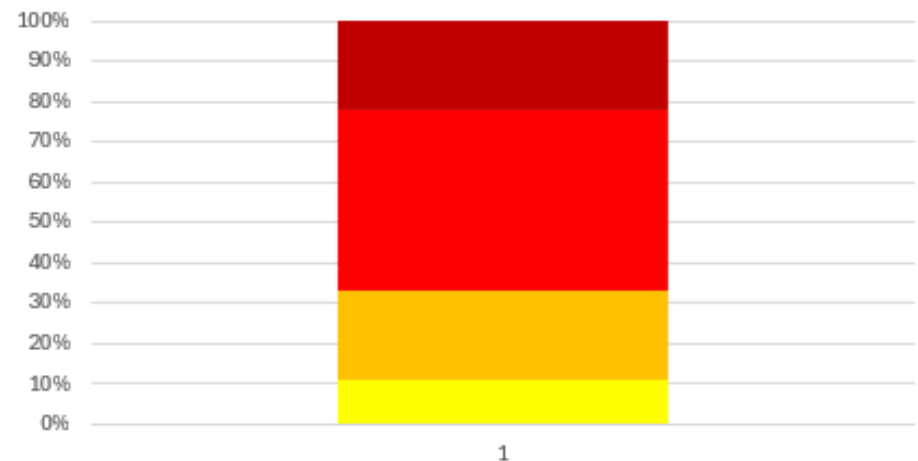
How comfortable are you discussing the menopause?



NOTE: The warmer colours at the top e.g. red indicate greater levels of comfort. Blue indicates not comfortable at all. Black indicates no reply.

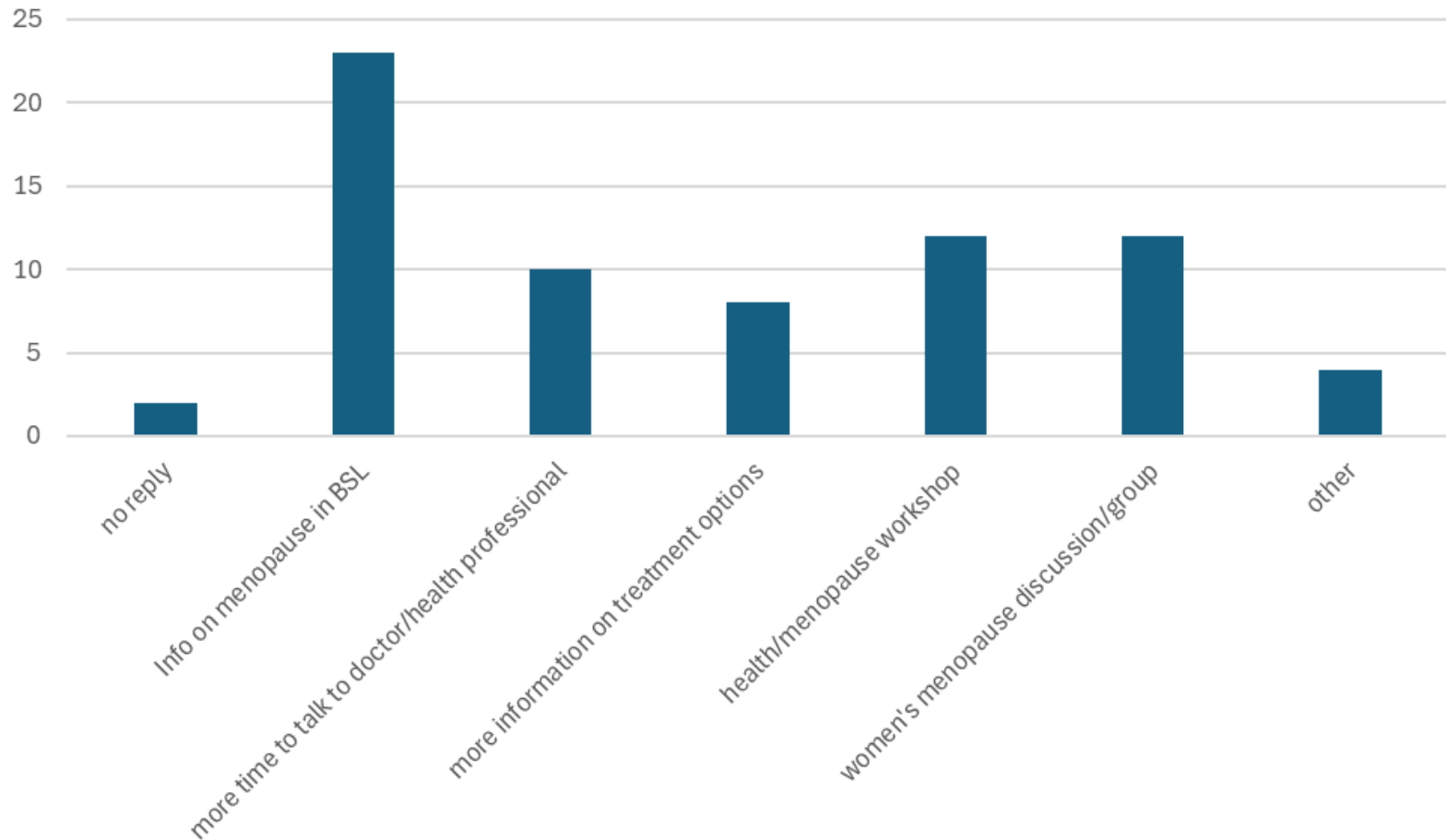
Confidence before the workshops, above.
Confidence after the workshops, right.

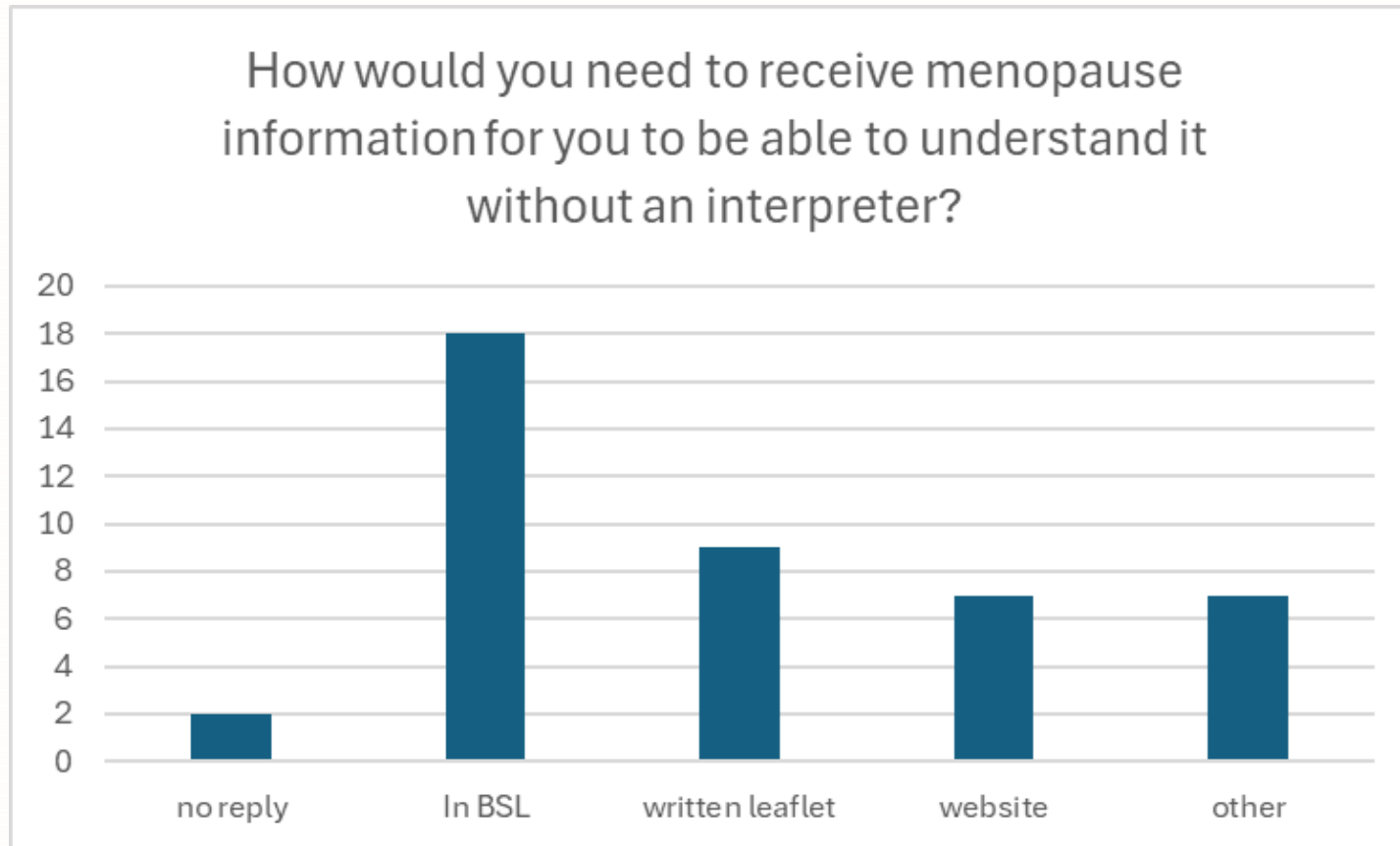
Confidence post workshop (not by category)





What do you need to help you with the menopause?





Note: The written option to receive information could potentially depend on education level and the preferred language of deaf women (e.g. number of hard of hearing individuals within the participant numbers).



Any questions?

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