

Family/Guaridan Survey (FGS) State Report

Arizona (AZ) Report

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What is NCI?

The National Core Indicators (NCI) program is a voluntary effort by state developmental disability agencies to track their performance using a standardized set of consumer and family/guardian surveys with nationally validated measures. The effort is coordinated by the National Association of State Directors of Developmental Disabilities Services (NASDDDS) and the Human Services Research Institute (HSRI).

In 2018-19 a total of 46 states, the District of Columbia and 22 sub-state entities participated in NCI.

Where are the statistics in this report from?

This report includes findings from the National Core Indicators[™] 2018-19 Family/Guardian Survey (FGS). The data shown are weighted NCI averages. These data are comprised of 2,664 valid surveys collected across nine states: AZ, GA, KY, LA, MD, NC, OH, PA and VA.

What is the NCI Family/Guardian Survey?

The NCI Family/Guardian Survey is used to gather data on family outcomes. It is mailed to families who have an adult family member who <u>does</u> <u>not live with</u> the respondent and receives at least one service other than case management from the state DD agency. The survey collects demographic information on both the individual receiving services ("family member") as well as the person who fills out the survey (the 'respondent') and information on services and supports received. The survey is continually refined and tested to ensure it is valid and reliable.

Important note on responses: All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics.

What is included in this report?

This report includes this state's Family/Guardian Survey data compared to the NCI Average. State outcomes that are significantly higher or lower than the NCI Average are indicated with an arrow:

- Outcomes where the state is significantly above the NCI average are denoted with an up arrow **A**;
- Outcomes where the state is significantly below the NCI average are denoted with a down arrow ▼.

Significance is based on "Always" or "Yes" response.

The charts in this document, grouped by subdomain, display the state results alongside the average across states (NCI average). The charts are followed by accessible tables containing the same information.

To find out more about the development of the Family/Guardian Survey, data analysis and state samples, check out the National Family/Guardian Report: https://www.nationalcoreindicators.org/resources/reports/#reports-family-survey-final-reports.

Demographics

Demographics of Family Member Receiving Services

This section provides demographic profiles of the family member about whom the survey was completed.

Important note on responses: All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics.

Table 1. Family Member's Residence

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics.

| State v. NCI | Specialized facility for people with intellectual disabilities | Group home or agency- operated apartment | Independent home or apartment | Adult foster care/host family home | Nursing home | Homeless | Other | N |
|--------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|--|-----------------|----------|-------|-------|
| AZ | 9% | 71% | 2% | 12% | 0% | 0% | 5% | 244 |
| NCI | 14% | 65% | 11% | 7% | 1% | 0% | 2% | 2,657 |

Table 2. Family Member's Residential Designation

| State v. NCI | Urban or Suburban | Rural | N |
|--------------|----------------------|-------|-------|
| AZ | 90% | 10% | 241 |
| NCI | 76% | 24% | 2,618 |

Table 3. Family Member's Age

| State v. NCI | Average Age | Ν |
|--------------|----------------|-------|
| AZ | 44.1 | 240 |
| NCI | 47.5 | 2,664 |

Table 4. Family Member's Gender

| State v. NCI | Male | Female | Ν |
|--------------|------|--------|-------|
| AZ | 60% | 40% | 247 |
| NCI | 60% | 40% | 2,693 |

Table 5. Family Member's Race and Ethnicity

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics. Categories are not mutually exclusive, therefore N is not shown.

| State v. NCI | American Indian or Alaska Native | Asian | Black or African- American | Hawaiian or Pacific Islander | White | Hispanic or Latino | Other |
|--------------|---|-------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------|--------------------------|-------|
| AZ | 11% | 2% | 4% | 0% | 76% | 13% | 2% |
| NCI | 2% | 2% | 13% | 0% | 81% | 2% | 2% |

Table 6a. Family Member's Disabilities (not mutually exclusive)

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics. Categories are not mutually exclusive, therefore N is not shown.

| State v. NCI | Intellectual Disability | Mood Illness or Psychiatric Disorder | Autism Spectrum Disorder | Cerebral Palsy | Limited or No Vision | Severe or Profound Hearing Loss | Brain Injury |
|--------------|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|---|-----------------|
| AZ | 71% | 38% | 31% | 21% | 9% | 7% | 13% |
| NCI | 79% | 40% | 26% | 17% | 11% | 7% | 10% |

Table 6b. Family Member's Disabilities (continued)

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics. Categories are not mutually exclusive, therefore N is not shown.

| State v. NCI | Seizure Disorder or Neurological Problem | Chemical Dependency | Down Syndrome | Prader- Willi Syndrome | Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder | Other |
|--------------|---|------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|--|-------|
| AZ | 35% | 0% | 11% | 0% | 3% | 16% |
| NCI | 30% | 0% | 9% | 1% | 1% | 12% |

Table 7a. Family Member's Health Conditions

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics. Categories are not mutually exclusive, therefore N is not shown.

| State v. NCI | Cardiovascular Disease | Diabetes | Cancer | High Blood Pressure | High Cholesterol |
|--------------|---------------------------|----------|--------|---------------------------|---------------------|
| AZ | 9% | 23% | 5% | 28% | 34% |
| NCI | 9% | 21% | 6% | 33% | 30% |

Table 7b. Family Member's Health Conditions (continued)

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics. Categories are not mutually exclusive, therefore N is not shown.

| State v. NCI | Dysphagia | Pressure Ulcers | Alzheimer's Disease or Other Dementia | Oral Health or Dental Problems | Sleep Apnea | Other |
|--------------|-----------|--------------------|--|---|----------------|-------|
| AZ | 10% | 2% | 7% | 24% | 9% | 24% |
| NCI | 14% | 2% | 7% | 15% | 13% | 24% |

Table 8. Family Member's Preferred Means of Communication

| State v. NCI | Spoken | Gestures or Body Language | Sign Language or Finger Spelling | Communication Aid or Device | Other | N |
|--------------|--------|---------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|-------|-------|
| AZ | 71% | 17% | 3% | 2% | 7% | 244 |
| NCI | 71% | 22% | 3% | 1% | 3% | 2,658 |

Table 9. Family Member Has Legal Court Appointed Guardian or Conservator

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics. Categories are not mutually exclusive, therefore N is not shown.

| State v. NCI | None | Limited | Full | Has Guardianship but Level Is Unknown | N |
|--------------|------|---------|------|--|-------|
| AZ | 12% | 6% | 79% | 4% | 243 |
| NCI | 19% | 16% | 60% | 5% | 2,533 |

Table 10. Guardian or Conservator Relationship to Family Member

| State v. NCI | Family | Friend | State Employee or Guardianship Agency | Other | N |
|--------------|--------|--------|--|-------|-------|
| AZ | 88% | 4% | 6% | 2% | 209 |
| NCI | 74% | 2% | 20% | 5% | 1,928 |

Table 11. Family Member's Highest level of Education

| State v. NCI | Did Not Complete High School (and Not Currently Enrolled) | Currently Enrolled in High School | High School Certification | High School Diploma or GED | Vocational School or Certificate Program | Some College | College Degree or Higher | N |
|--------------|---|--|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------------------------|-------|
| AZ | 31% | 2% | 29% | 25% | 3% | 3% | 7% | 229 |
| NCI | 42% | 0% | 29% | 19% | 3% | 2% | 4% | 2,460 |

Table 12. Family Member's Activities in the Past Two Weeks Included Individual Paid Job in the Community¹

Response options changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | No | Yes | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 92% | 8% | 239 |
| NCI | 89% | 11% | 2,530 |

Table 13. Family Member's Activities in the Past Two Weeks Included Paid Small Group Job in a Community-based Setting²

Response options changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | No | Yes | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 88% | 13% | 232 |
| NCI | 89% | 11% | 2,459 |

Table 14. Family Member's Activities in the Past Two Weeks Included *Paid Work in a Community Job That Primarily Hires People With Disabilities*³

Response options changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | No | Yes | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 94% | 6% | 228 |
| NCI | 95% | 5% | 2,494 |

¹ An individual job is defined as work at an individual job in a local business alongside peers who do not have disabilities. Job is part of the typical labor market (for example, competitive employment).

² A small group job is defined as work in an integrated setting, as part of a group of not more than 8 people with disabilities (for example, enclave, work crew).

³ Paid work in a community job that primarily hires people with disabilities is defined as work in a setting where the person interacts with the non-disabled population; this is NOT in a traditional sheltered workshop and NOT enclave.

Table 15. Family Member's Activities in the Past Two Weeks Included Unpaid Activity in the Community⁴

Response options changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | No | Yes | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 88% | 12% | 235 |
| NCI | 72% | 28% | 2,406 |

Table 16. Family Member's Activities in the Past Two Weeks Included Paid Activity in a Facility-based Setting⁵

Response options changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | No | Yes | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 78% | 22% | 237 |
| NCI | 77% | 23% | 2,491 |

Table 17. Family Member's Activities in the Past Two Weeks Included Unpaid Activity in a Facility-based Setting⁶

Response options changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | No | Yes | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 54% | 46% | 230 |
| NCI | 54% | 46% | 2,414 |

⁴ Unpaid work in the community includes: volunteering, skills training, and staff-supported community connections.

⁵ Paid work performed in a facility-based setting is defined as work at a location developed specifically to provide work activity exclusively for people with disabilities; may be paid sub-minimum wage. Examples include traditional sheltered workshops or work activity centers.

⁶ An unpaid activity in a facility-based setting includes day habilitation, senior programs, or drop-in centers.

Table 18. Family Member's Activities in the Past Two Weeks Included School

Response options changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | No | Yes | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 95% | 5% | 227 |
| NCI | 97% | 3% | 2,469 |

Table 19. Family Member's Activities in the Past Two Weeks Included Stays at Home

Response options changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | No | Yes | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 81% | 19% | 225 |
| NCI | 78% | 22% | 2,434 |

Table 20. Family Member's Activities in the Past Two Weeks Included Other Activities

Response options changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | No | Yes | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| AZ | 62% | 38% | 73 |
| NCI | 59% | 41% | 998 |

Table 21. Family Member's Support Needs for Self-Injurious, Disruptive, and/or Destructive Behaviors

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics.

| State v. NCI | None | Some | Extensive | N |
|--------------|------|------|-----------|-------|
| AZ | 32% | 41% | 27% | 241 |
| NCI | 30% | 42% | 29% | 2,654 |

Table 22. Family Member's Level of Help Needed With Personal Care Activities (e.g., bathing, dressing, eating)

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics.

| State v. NCI | None | Some | Extensive | N |
|--------------|------|------|-----------|-------|
| AZ | 13% | 42% | 45% | 242 |
| NCI | 17% | 39% | 44% | 2,666 |

Table 23. Family Member's Need for Help With Other Daily Activities (e.g., scheduling, managing money, or shopping)

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics.

| State v. NCI | None | Some | Extensive | N |
|--------------|------|------|-----------|-------|
| AZ | 2% | 16% | 82% | 241 |
| NCI | 2% | 17% | 81% | 2,659 |

Demographics of Family Member Receiving Services

This section provides demographic information about the respondent.

Table 24. Language Spoken at Home

New question in 2018-19

| State v. NCI | English | Spanish | Other | N |
|--------------|---------|---------|-------|-------|
| AZ | 96% | 2% | 2% | 245 |
| NCI | 98% | 0% | 1% | 2,664 |

Table 25. Respondent's Age

| State v. NCI | Under 35 | 35-54 | 55-74 | 75 and Older | N |
|--------------|----------|-------|-------|-----------------|-------|
| AZ | 2% | 17% | 61% | 19% | 244 |
| NCI | 4% | 16% | 62% | 19% | 2,665 |

Table 26. Respondent's Health

| State v. NCI | Excellent | Very Good | Fairly Good | Poor | N |
|--------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|------|-------|
| AZ | 22% | 47% | 28% | 3% | 242 |
| NCI | 16% | 45% | 34% | 4% | 2,657 |

Table 27. Respondent's Relationship to Family Member

| State v. NCI | Parent | Sibling | Spouse | Grandparent | Public Guardian | Private Guardian | Other | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|--------|-------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------|-------|
| AZ | 57% | 22% | 0% | 2% | 6% | 6% | 7% | 245 |
| NCI | 51% | 24% | 0% | 1% | 11% | 4% | 8% | 2,660 |

Table 28. Respondent's Frequency of Visits With Family Member Last Year

| State v. NCI | Did Not Visit | 1-3 Times | 4-6 Times | 7-12 Times | 12 or More Times | N |
|--------------|------------------|-----------|--------------|---------------|------------------------|-------|
| AZ | 2% | 9% | 8% | 11% | 70% | 247 |
| NCI | 3% | 8% | 21% | 11% | 57% | 2,657 |

Table 29. Respondent's Highest Level of Education

| State v. NCI | No High School Diploma or GED | High School Diploma or GED | Vocational School or Certificate Program | Some College | College Degree or Higher | N |
|--------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------------------------|-------|
| AZ | 1% | 14% | 7% | 38% | 40% | 242 |
| NCI | 3% | 19% | 5% | 20% | 52% | 2,664 |

Table 30. Total Taxable Household Income of Wage Earners in the Past Year

| State v. NCI | No Earned Income | Up to \$15,000 | \$15,001- \$25,000 | \$25,001- \$50,000 | \$50,001- \$75,000 | Over \$75,000 | Prefer Not to Say | N |
|--------------|------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------------|-------|
| AZ | 9% | 3% | 10% | 14% | 15% | 17% | 32% | 202 |
| NCI | 9% | 5% | 7% | 17% | 13% | 18% | 31% | 2,171 |

Services and Supports Received

This section provides information about the services and supports received by the family from the state ID/DD agency.

Table 30. Services and Supports Received From ID/DD Agency

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics. Categories are not mutually exclusive, therefore N is not shown

| Services and Supports Received From State | AZ | NCI |
|--|-----|-----|
| Financial Support | 21% | 31% |
| In-home Support | 24% | 44% |
| Residential Supports | 92% | 92% |
| Day or Employment Supports | 75% | 73% |
| Transportation | 92% | 94% |
| Other | 64% | 61% |
| Self-direction or Fiscal Intermediary Services | 19% | 24% |

Table 31. Additional Services and Supports Received (Not From the I/DD Agency)

All data are reported by the respondent based on their understanding of their family member's demographics, diagnoses and personal characteristics. Categories are not mutually exclusive, therefore N is not shown

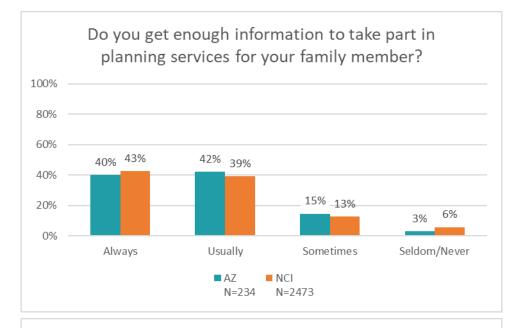
| Additional Services and Supports Received | AZ | NCI |
|--|-----|-----|
| Social Security Payments (SSI/SSB) | 95% | 96% |
| Services or Supports From Other Agencies or Organizations | 23% | 32% |

Family/Guardian Survey Results

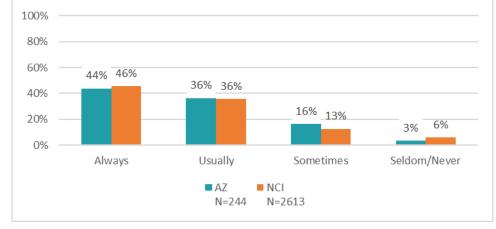
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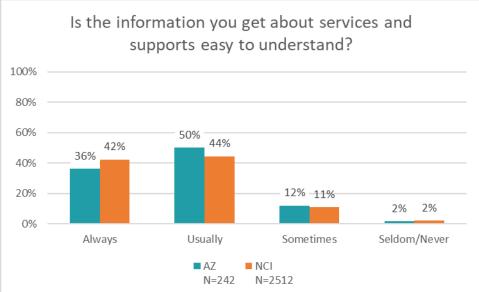
Families and family members with disabilities have the information and support necessary to plan for their services and supports.

The following pages contain charts depicting the results. The same data is repeated in the tables that follow.

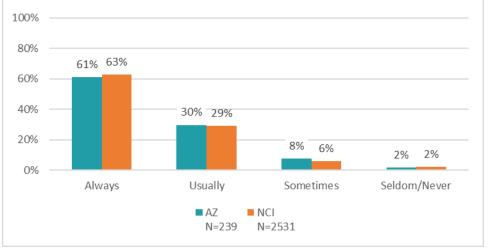


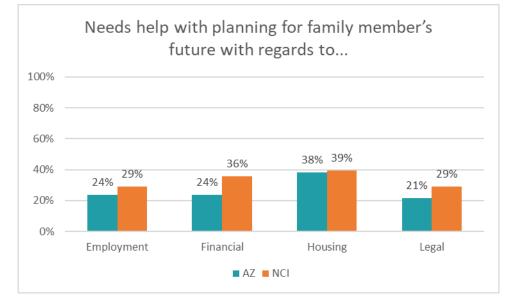
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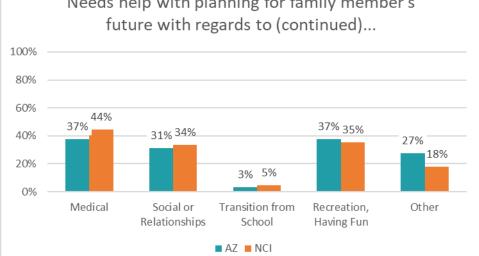




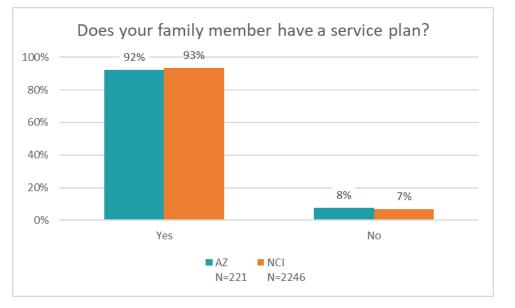
Does the case manager/service coordinator respect your family's choices and opinions?



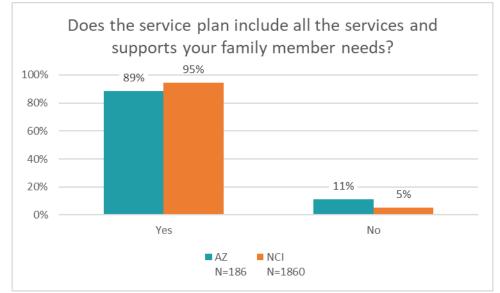




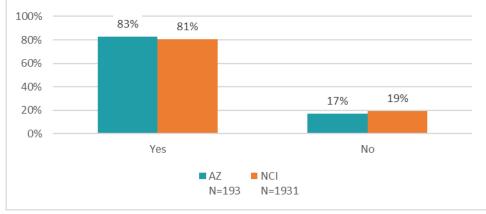
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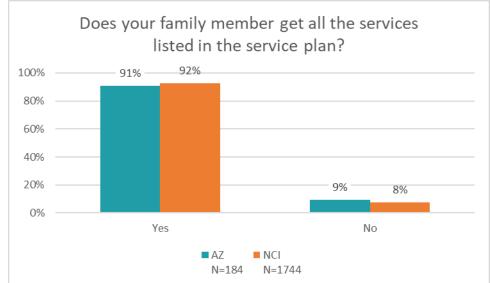


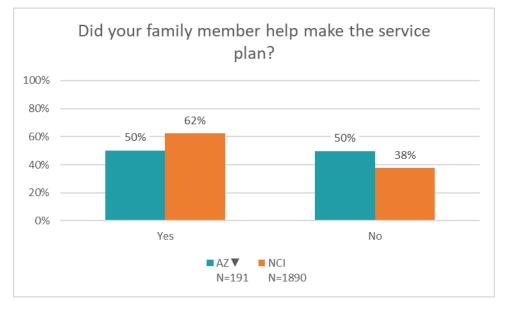
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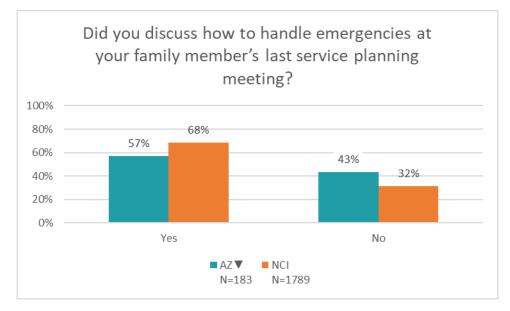


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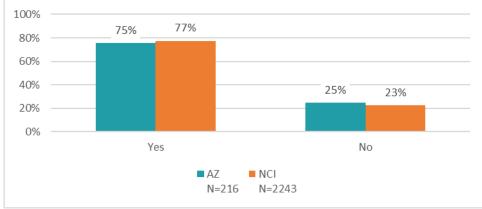


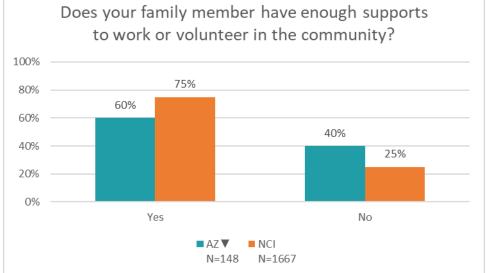






Do you feel prepared to handle the needs of your family member in an emergency such as a medical emergency or a natural disaster?





Information and Planning Tables

Families and family members with disabilities have the information and support necessary to plan for their services and supports.

Table Q1. Do you get enough information to take part in planning services for your family member?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 40% | 42% | 15% | 3% | 234 |
| NCI | 43% | 39% | 13% | 6% | 2,473 |

Table Q2. Is the information you get about services and supports easy to understand?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 36% | 50% | 12% | 2% | 242 |
| NCI | 42% | 44% | 11% | 2% | 2,512 |

Table Q3. Do staff or the residential agency keep you informed about how your family member is doing?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 44% | 36% | 16% | 3% | 244 |
| NCI | 46% | 36% | 13% | 6% | 2,613 |

Table Q4. Does the case manager/service coordinator respect your family's choices and opinions?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 61% | 30% | 8% | 2% | 239 |
| NCI | 63% | 29% | 6% | 2% | 2,531 |

Table Q5. Do you need help planning for your family member's future with respect to any of the following?

Categories are not mutually exclusive, therefore N is not shown

| Needs help planning for | AZ | NCI |
|-------------------------|-----|-----|
| Employment | 24% | 29% |
| Financial | 24% | 36% |
| Housing | 38% | 39% |
| Legal | 21% | 29% |
| Medical | 37% | 44% |
| Social or Relationships | 31% | 34% |
| Transition from School | 3% | 5% |
| Recreation, Having Fun | 37% | 35% |
| Other | 27% | 18% |

Table Q6. In the past year, did your family member move out of the family home for the first time?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 3% | 97% | 244 |
| NCI | 3% | 97% | 2,602 |

Table Q7. Does your family member have a service plan?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|----|-------|
| AZ | 92% | 8% | 221 |
| NCI | 93% | 7% | 2,246 |

Table Q8. Does the service plan include all the services and supports your family member needs?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 89% | 11% | 186 |
| NCI | 95% | 5% | 1,860 |

Table Q9. Does your family member get all of the services listed in the service plan?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|----|-------|
| AZ | 91% | 9% | 184 |
| NCI | 92% | 8% | 1,744 |

Table Q10. Did you or someone else in your family (besides your family member with a disability) help make the service plan?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 83% | 17% | 193 |
| NCI | 81% | 19% | 1,931 |

Table Q11. Did your family member help make the service plan?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ▼ | 50% | 50% | 191 |
| NCI | 62% | 38% | 1,890 |

Table Q12. Did you discuss how to handle emergencies (such as a medical emergency or a natural disaster) at your family member's last service planning meeting?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ▼ | 57% | 43% | 183 |
| NCI | 68% | 32% | 1,789 |

Table Q13. Does your family member have enough supports (for example, support workers, community resources) to work or volunteer in the community?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ▼ | 60% | 40% | 148 |
| NCI | 75% | 25% | 1,667 |

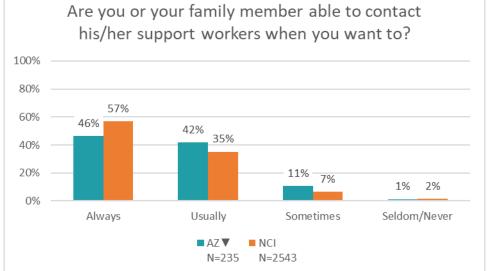
Table Q14. Do you feel prepared to handle the needs of your family member in an emergency such as a medical emergency or a natural disaster?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 75% | 25% | 216 |
| NCI | 77% | 23% | 2,243 |

Access and Delivery of Services and Supports Charts

Families and family members with disabilities get the services and supports they need.

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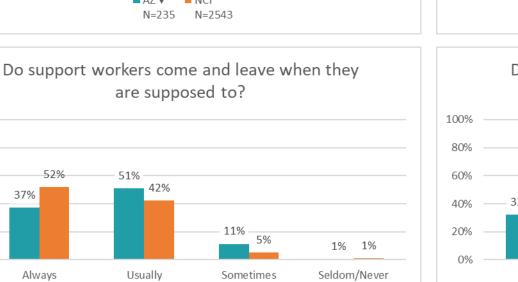
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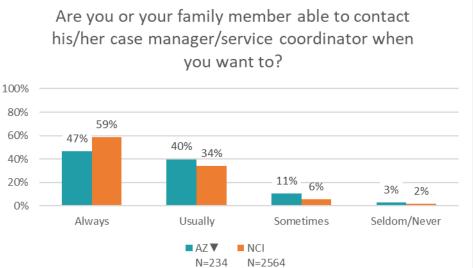
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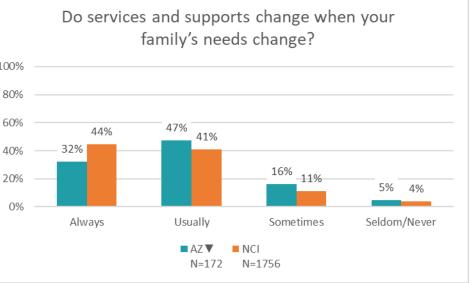
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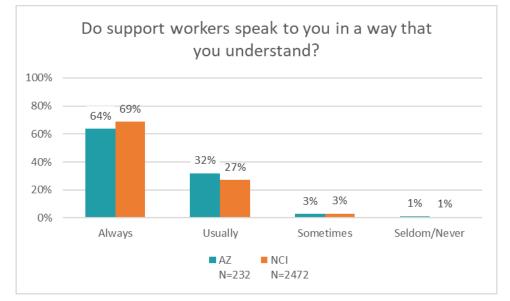
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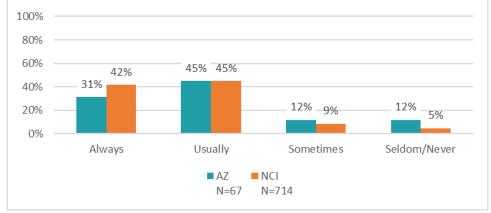


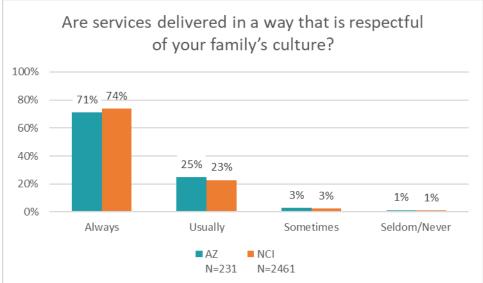


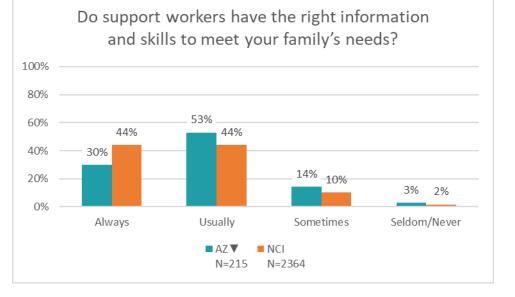


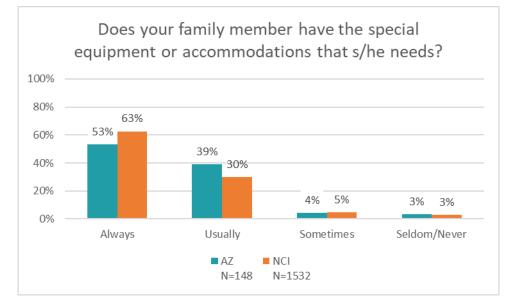


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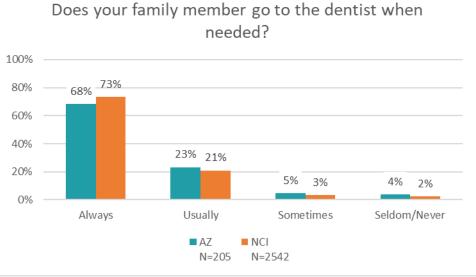




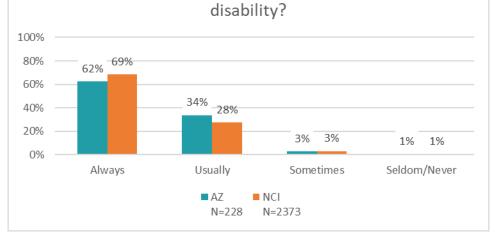


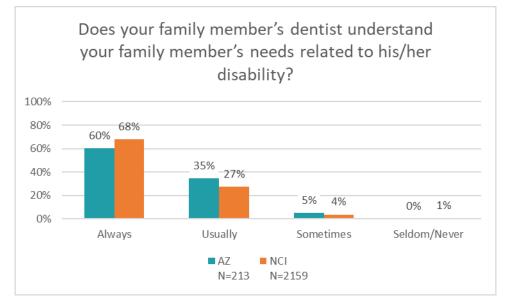


Can your family member see health professionals when needed? 100% 77% 80% 68% 60% 40% 28% 20% 20% 3% 2% 1% 1% 0% Always Usually Sometimes Seldom/Never A7 🗸 NCI N=246 N=2618

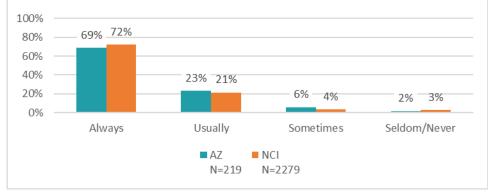


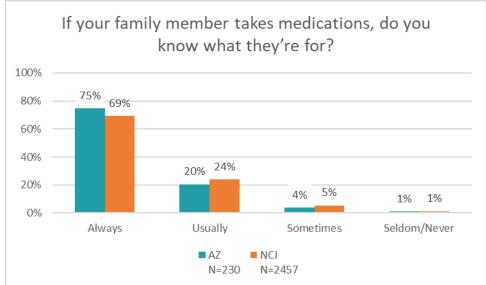
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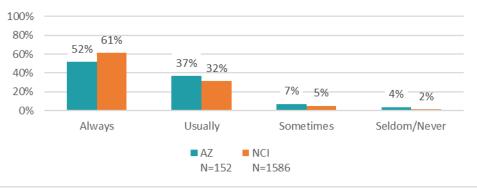


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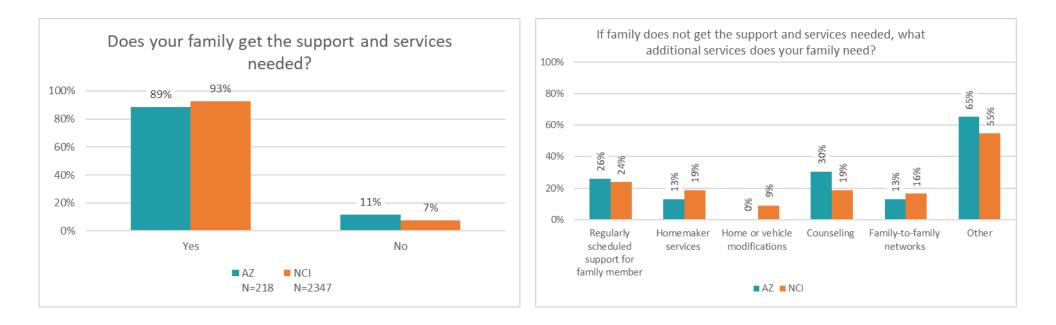




If your family member uses mental health services, does the mental health professional understand your family member's needs related to his/her disability?



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Access and Delivery of Services and Supports Tables

Families and family members with disabilities get the services and supports they need.

Table Q15. Are you or your family member able to contact his/her support workers when you want to?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ▼ | 46% | 42% | 11% | 1% | 235 |
| NCI | 57% | 35% | 7% | 2% | 2,543 |

Table Q16. Are you or your family member able to contact his/her case manager/service coordinator when you want to?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ▼ | 47% | 40% | 11% | 3% | 234 |
| NCI | 59% | 34% | 6% | 2% | 2,564 |

Table Q17. Do support workers come and go when they are supposed to?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ▼ | 37% | 51% | 11% | 1% | 186 |
| NCI | 52% | 42% | 5% | 1% | 1,712 |

Table Q18. Do services and supports change when your family's needs change?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ▼ | 32% | 47% | 16% | 5% | 172 |
| NCI | 44% | 41% | 11% | 4% | 1,756 |

Table Q19. Do support workers speak to you in a way you understand?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 64% | 32% | 3% | 1% | 232 |
| NCI | 69% | 27% | 3% | 1% | 2,472 |

Table Q20. Are services delivered in a way that is respectful of your family's culture?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 71% | 25% | 3% | 1% | 231 |
| NCI | 74% | 23% | 3% | 1% | 2,461 |

Table Q21. If your family member does not communicate verbally (for example, uses gestures or sign language, or a communication aid), are there support workers who can communicate with him/her?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-----|
| AZ | 31% | 45% | 12% | 12% | 67 |
| NCI | 42% | 45% | 9% | 5% | 714 |

Table Q22. Do support workers have the right information and skills to meet your family's needs?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ▼ | 30% | 53% | 14% | 3% | 215 |
| NCI | 44% | 44% | 10% | 2% | 2,364 |

Table Q23. Does your family member have the special equipment or accommodations that s/he needs?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 53% | 39% | 4% | 3% | 148 |
| NCI | 63% | 30% | 5% | 3% | 1,532 |

Table Q24. Can your family member see health professionals when needed (for example, doctor, dentist, psychologist)?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ▼ | 68% | 28% | 3% | 1% | 246 |
| NCI | 77% | 20% | 2% | 1% | 2,618 |

Table Q25. Does your family member's primary care doctor understand your family member's needs related to his/her disability?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 62% | 34% | 3% | 1% | 228 |
| NCI | 69% | 28% | 3% | 1% | 2,373 |

Table Q26. Does your family member go to the dentist when needed?

Question changed from previous years

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 68% | 23% | 5% | 4% | 205 |
| NCI | 73% | 21% | 3% | 2% | 2,542 |

Table Q27. Does your family member's dentist understand your family member's needs related to his/her disability?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 60% | 35% | 5% | 0% | 213 |
| NCI | 68% | 27% | 4% | 1% | 2,159 |

Table Q28. If your family member takes medications, do you know what they're for?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 75% | 20% | 4% | 1% | 230 |
| NCI | 69% | 24% | 5% | 1% | 2,457 |

Table Q29. Do you, your family member, or someone else in your family know what is needed to safely take the medications (when it should be taken, how much to take, and the potential side effects)?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 69% | 23% | 6% | 2% | 219 |
| NCI | 72% | 21% | 4% | 3% | 2,279 |

Table Q30. If your family member uses mental health services, does the mental health professional understand your family member's needs related to his/her disability?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 52% | 37% | 7% | 4% | 152 |
| NCI | 61% | 32% | 5% | 2% | 1,586 |

Table Q31. Does your family get the supports and services it needs?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | Ν |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 89% | 11% | 218 |
| NCI | 93% | 7% | 2,347 |

Table Q32. If your family does not get the support and services needed, what additional services does your family need?

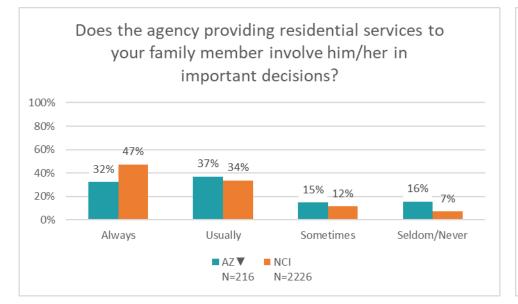
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| Additional services needed | AZ | NCI |
|---|-----|-----|
| Regularly scheduled support for family member | 26% | 24% |
| Homemaker services | 13% | 19% |
| Home or vehicle modifications | 0% | 9% |
| Counseling | 30% | 19% |
| Family-to-family networks | 13% | 16% |
| Other | 65% | 55% |

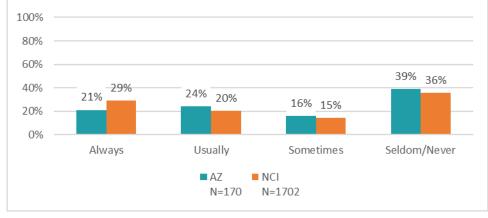
Choice, Decision Making and Control Charts

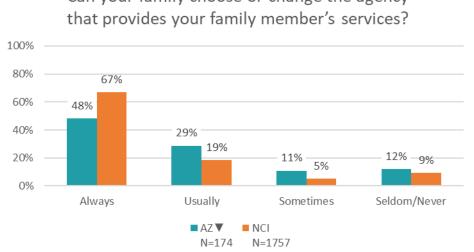
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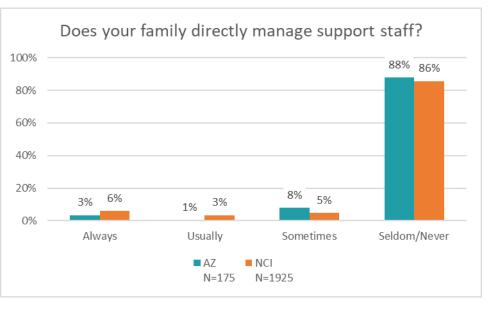


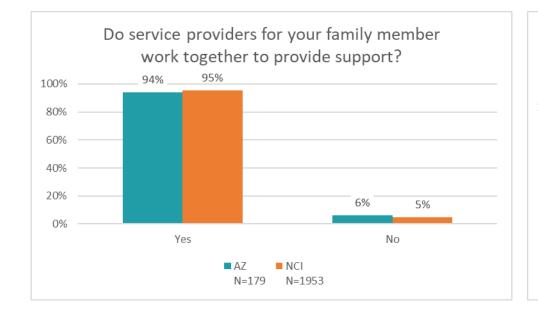
Can your family choose or change the individual staff that provide the services for your family member?

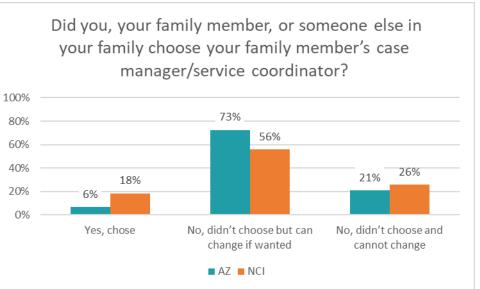




Can your family choose or change the agency







Choice, Decision Making and Control Tables

Families and family members with disabilities determine the services and supports they receive and the individuals or agencies who provide them.

Table Q33. Does the agency providing residential services to your family member involve him/her in important decisions?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ▼ | 32% | 37% | 15% | 16% | 216 |
| NCI | 47% | 34% | 12% | 7% | 2,226 |

Table Q34. Can your family choose or change the agency that provides your family member's services?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ▼ | 48% | 29% | 11% | 12% | 174 |
| NCI | 67% | 19% | 5% | 9% | 1,757 |

Table Q35. Can your family choose or change the individual staff that provide the services for your family member?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 21% | 24% | 16% | 39% | 170 |
| NCI | 29% | 20% | 15% | 36% | 1,702 |

Table Q36. Does your family directly manage support staff?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | Ν |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 3% | 1% | 8% | 88% | 175 |
| NCI | 6% | 3% | 5% | 86% | 1,925 |

Table Q37. Do service providers for your family member work together to provide support?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|----|-------|
| AZ | 94% | 6% | 179 |
| NCI | 95% | 5% | 1,953 |

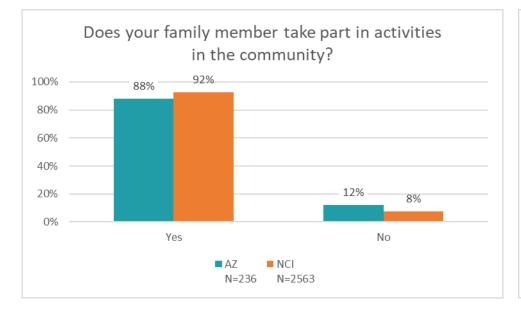
Table Q38. Did you, your family member, or someone else in your family choose your family member's case manager/service coordinator?

| Chose case manager | AZ▼ | AZ▼ N | NCI | NCI N |
|---|-----|-------|-----|-------|
| Yes, chose case manager/service coordinator | 6% | 219 | 18% | 2,187 |
| No, didn't choose case manager/service coordinator but can change case manager/service coordinator if wanted | 73% | 219 | 56% | 2,187 |
| No, didn't choose case manager/service coordinator and cannot change case manager/service coordinator if wanted | 21% | 219 | 26% | 2,187 |

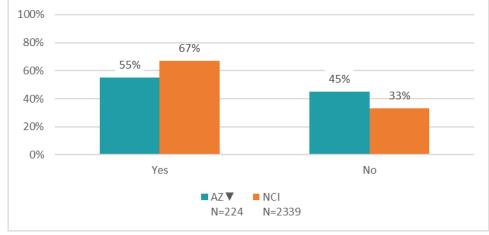
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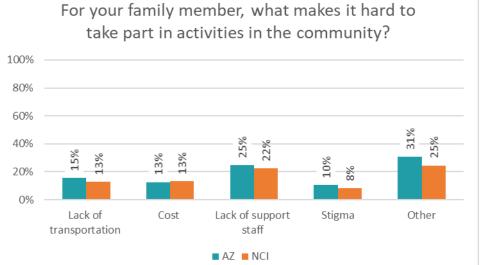
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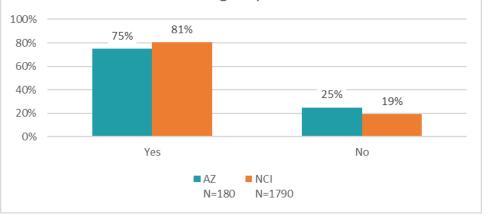


Does your family member have friends other than paid support workers or family?

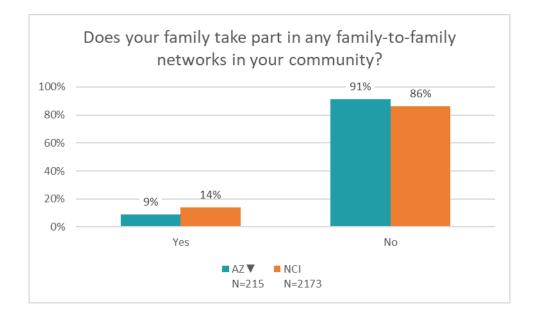




In your community, are there resources that your family can use that are not provided by the IDD agency?



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Involvement in the Community Tables

Family members with disabilities use integrated community services and participate in everyday community activities.

Table Q39. Does your family member take part in activities in the community?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 88% | 12% | 236 |
| NCI | 92% | 8% | 2,563 |

Table Q40. For your family member, what makes it hard to take part in activities in the community?

Question is rephrased from previous years

| Obstacles or barriers | AZ | NCI |
|------------------------|-----|-----|
| Lack of transportation | 15% | 13% |
| Cost | 13% | 13% |
| Lack of support staff | 25% | 22% |
| Stigma | 10% | 8% |
| Other | 31% | 25% |

Table Q41. Does your family member have friends other than paid support workers or family?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ▼ | 55% | 45% | 224 |
| NCI | 67% | 33% | 2,339 |

Table Q42. In your community, are there resources that your family can use that are not provided by the IDD agency (for example, recreational programs, community housing, library programs, religious groups, etc.)?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 75% | 25% | 180 |
| NCI | 81% | 19% | 1,790 |

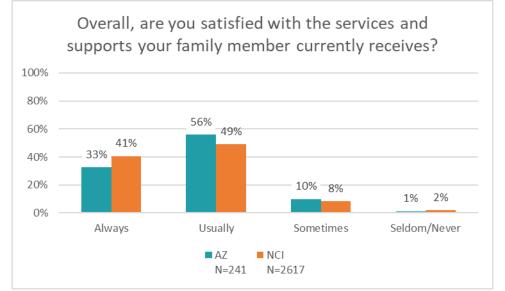
Table Q43. Does your family take part in any family-to-family networks in your community (for example, Parent to Parent, sibling networks, etc.)?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ▼ | 9% | 91% | 215 |
| NCI | 14% | 86% | 2,173 |

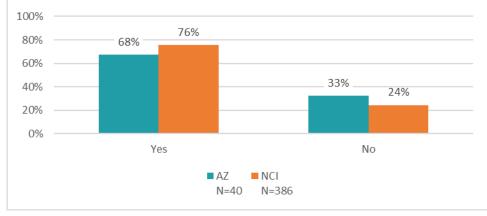
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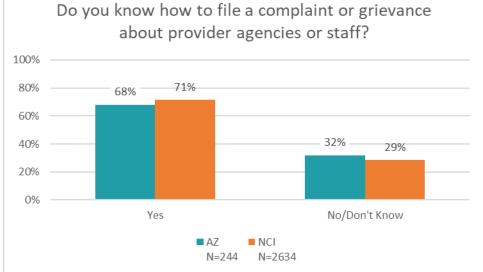
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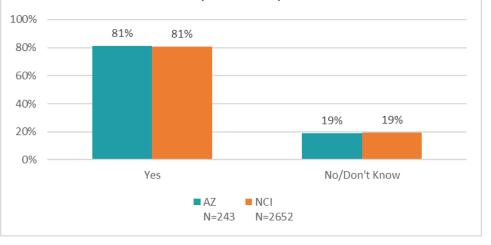


If a complaint or grievance was filed or resolved in the past year, are you satisfied with the way it was handled and resolved?





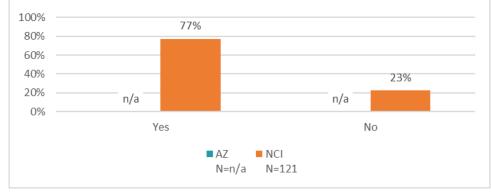
Do you know how to report abuse or neglect related to your family member?

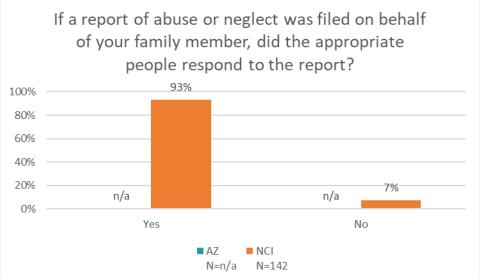


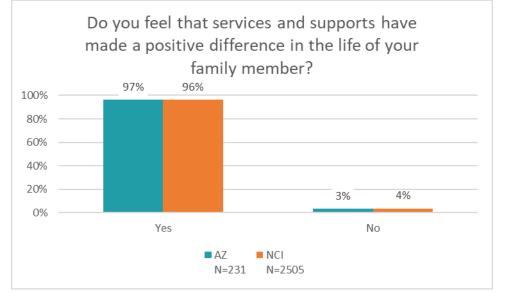
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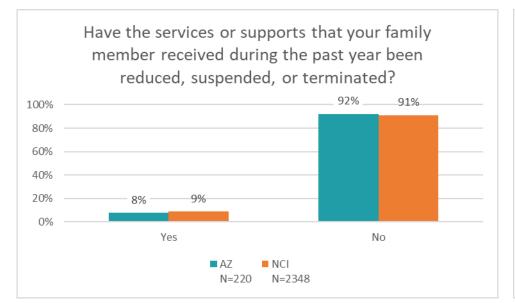
If someone other than you or another family member reported abuse or neglect in the past year on behalf of your family member, were you notified of the report in a timely manner?



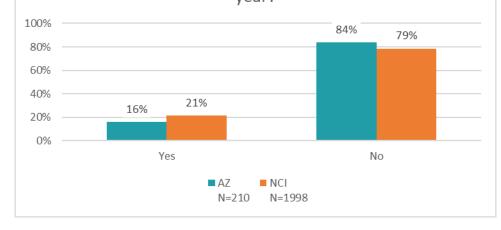


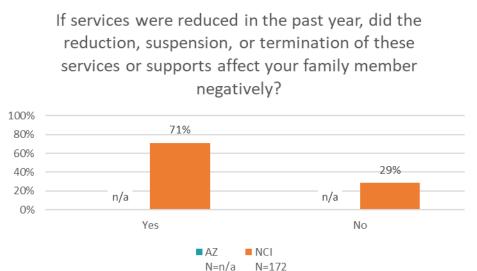


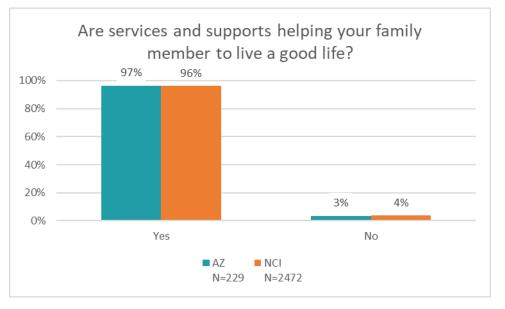
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Have the services or supports that your family member received been increased in the past year?







Satisfaction With Services and Supports Tables

Families and family members with disabilities receive adequate and satisfactory supports.

Table Q44. Overall, are you satisfied with the services and supports your family member currently receives?

| State v. NCI | Always | Usually | Sometimes | Seldom/Never | N |
|--------------|--------|---------|-----------|--------------|-------|
| AZ | 33% | 56% | 10% | 1% | 241 |
| NCI | 41% | 49% | 8% | 2% | 2,617 |

Table Q45. Do you know how to file a complaint or grievance about provider agencies or staff?⁷

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 68% | 32% | 244 |
| NCI | 71% | 29% | 2,634 |

Table Q46. If a complaint or grievance was filed or resolved in the past year, are you satisfied with the way it was handled and resolved?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| AZ | 68% | 33% | 40 |
| NCI | 76% | 24% | 386 |

Table Q47. Do you know how to report abuse or neglect related to your family member?⁸

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 81% | 19% | 243 |
| NCI | 81% | 19% | 2,652 |

⁷ Don't Know' responses were included in 'No' responses for this question.

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Table Q48. Within the past year, was a report of abuse or neglect filed on behalf of your family member?

| State v. NCI | Yes | Νο | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 7% | 93% | 228 |
| NCI | 8% | 92% | 2,503 |

Table Q49. If a report of abuse or neglect was filed on behalf of your family member in the past year, did the appropriate people respond to the report?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| AZ | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| NCI | 93% | 7% | 142 |

Table Q50. If someone outside of your family reported abuse or neglect on behalf of your family member in the past year, were you notified of the report in a timely manner?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| AZ | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| NCI | 77% | 23% | 121 |

Table Q51. Do you feel that services and supports have made a positive difference in the life of your family member?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | Ν |
|--------------|-----|----|-------|
| AZ | 97% | 3% | 231 |
| NCI | 96% | 4% | 2,505 |

Table Q52. Have the services or supports that your family member received during the past year been reduced, suspended, or terminated?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 8% | 92% | 220 |
| NCI | 9% | 91% | 2,348 |

Table Q53. If services or supports received by the family were reduced, suspended or terminated during the past year, did the change in services affect your family member negatively?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| AZ | n/a | n/a | n/a |
| NCI | 71% | 29% | 172 |

Table Q54. Have the services or supports that your family member received been increased in the past year?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|-----|-------|
| AZ | 16% | 84% | 210 |
| NCI | 21% | 79% | 1,998 |

Table Q55. Are services and supports helping your family member to live a good life?

| State v. NCI | Yes | No | N |
|--------------|-----|----|-------|
| AZ | 97% | 3% | 229 |
| NCI | 96% | 4% | 2,472 |