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Relationships



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Where do these data come from?

All information in this section comes directly from the person receiving services, or for some select questions, from a “proxy” respondent. A proxy respondent is someone who knows the person well (e.g., a family member), proxy respondents may not be a case manager/service coordinator. Items that allow for proxy respondents are noted in the table title. Read more about why we allow proxy respondents for select questions in the IPS in the Overview chapter of this report.

Items in this chapter are a part of the NCI-IDD Individuals Outcomes domain (or topic area) and comprise the “Relationships” subdomain (a specific area of concern within the domain). The Relationships sub-domain includes items that help determine whether “People are supported to build and maintain relationships that are important to them”.

Read more about NCI-IDD domains and sub-domains in the Overview chapter of this report.

What are “collapsed” data?

Many questions in the IPS allow respondents to answer a question with “middle” response like “maybe”, “sometimes” or “in-between”. The tables in this section present collapsed data. That means that two or more response options are grouped together if they are considered to reflect a positive outcome.

To see the breakout of responses for each option, please see Appendix C.

What is weighting and why do we do it?

The NCI-IDD averages are “weighted” to reflect the states’ relative population and sample sizes. We created the weights using the state’s number of valid surveys and its total survey-eligible population. This way, a state that provides services to a larger number of people but uses a sample similar in size to other states has a greater influence on the overall NCI-IDD average (that is, its contribution is *proportional to its service population*). You can read more about this in the Methodology section of the Overview chapter.

The number of respondents (N) for each question *is not* weighted.

Presentation of state and weighted NCI-IDD averages

Averages

For the most part, the state outcomes are shown in descending order of percentage and are categorized as statistically significantly above the NCI-IDD Average, within the range of the NCI-IDD Average, or significantly below the NCI-IDD Average. Statistical significance is taken to be at or below the .01 level. For those states that fall within the NCI-IDD Average range, their ‘always’ or ‘yes’ response was not statistically different from the NCI-IDD Average. Other tables show the states listed in alphabetical order and are not tested for significance.

Tables that show significance also break out average results for each state by the type of residence: ICF/IID or other institutional settings, group residence, own home,

parent/relative's home, foster or host home. Figure A on the following page shows, by state, the percentage of people surveyed in each residence type. Please note though that:

- Significance testing was not performed on the breakouts by residence
- The number of people in each residential setting is often too small to allow for valid state-to-state comparisons
- And in many cases, statistically valid conclusions cannot be drawn about differences in results between residence types

Still, we provide this information for states' internal purposes. It should not be used to compare one state with another.

To protect people's privacy, we do not show the data when 20 or fewer people from a state or residence type responded to a question

(though their responses are included in the NCI-IDD average).

Important Note on Changes to the 2021-22 Survey Tool

NCI regularly updates survey tools to ensure the current set of indicators meet the needs of state systems and reflect current needs in the field. Survey changes are guided by state managers, people with disabilities, and other experts in the field. The 2021-22 survey tool reflected changes based on this guidance and additional survey testing. Throughout this report, notes indicate new questions and questions that were modified. Please note, any changes to the survey tool may affect comparison to previous years' data, therefore any cross-year comparison should be made with caution.

Figure A. Percentage of people surveyed in each residence type by state

State	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home	N
AR	0%	13%	39%	46%	1%	417
CO	0%	8%	13%	57%	22%	407
CT	1%	38%	17%	40%	4%	450
DE	0%	74%	3%	19%	5%	199
FL	0%	33%	19%	47%	0%	444
GA	0%	36%	9%	39%	15%	407
IL	0%	53%	7%	38%	2%	395
IN	32%	21%	11%	35%	1%	1078
KS	0%	49%	22%	28%	1%	385
KY	0%	25%	11%	37%	27%	406
MA	0%	60%	11%	19%	10%	400
MI	0%	43%	17%	37%	2%	657
MN	5%	48%	10%	33%	4%	401
MO	2%	22%	41%	32%	2%	402
NE	7%	28%	23%	27%	15%	413
NV	0%	50%	16%	27%	6%	404
NJ	0%	41%	11%	47%	1%	428
NY	0%	56%	8%	35%	1%	993
NC	12%	14%	7%	54%	13%	462
OH	11%	17%	30%	41%	1%	516
OK	0%	49%	18%	29%	4%	300
OR	0%	11%	4%	73%	12%	416
PA	6%	46%	10%	33%	5%	636
SC	1%	56%	12%	29%	2%	410
UT	6%	34%	10%	39%	12%	502
VA	0%	37%	7%	37%	18%	715
WI	2%	17%	30%	49%	2%	453
Weighted NCI-IDD Average	5%	36%	15%	38%	7%	13096

Table note: Institutional settings includes ICF/IID, Nursing Facilities, and other institutional settings

Do you have friends you like to talk to or do things with?

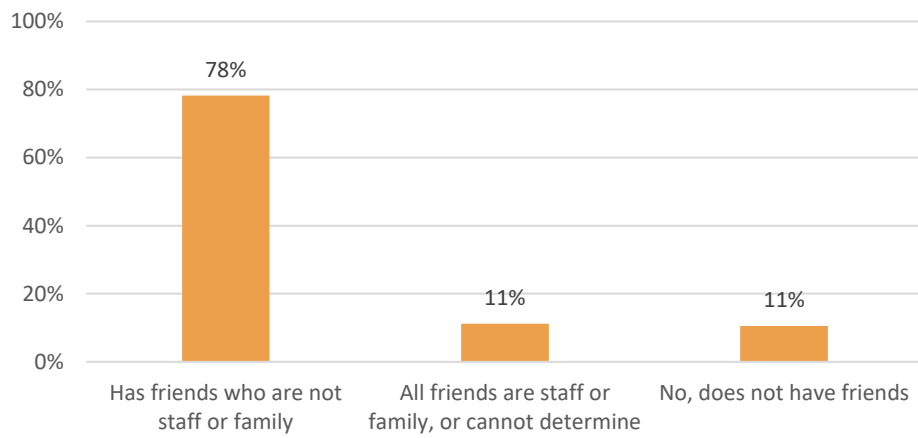


Table 1. Has friends who are not staff or family members

Significantly Above Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
AR	89%	277	n/a	88%	87%	92%	n/a
FL	86%	248	n/a	88%	84%	87%	n/a
VA	85%	395	n/a	84%	84%	86%	87%
IN	84%	721	87%	83%	85%	82%	n/a
OH	84%	342	76%	88%	82%	86%	n/a

Within Average Range

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
GA	84%	234	n/a	82%	100%	82%	80%
OK	84%	177	n/a	85%	76%	89%	n/a
NE	83%	334	n/a	86%	90%	83%	68%
CO	81%	247	n/a	n/a	81%	84%	80%
IL	81%	269	n/a	86%	80%	71%	n/a
NJ	80%	220	n/a	83%	82%	78%	n/a
MO	79%	248	n/a	72%	79%	85%	n/a
NY	78%	542	n/a	76%	86%	79%	n/a
KS	78%	273	n/a	79%	87%	64%	n/a
Weighted NCI-IDD Average	78%	8134	82%	77%	81%	79%	70%
DE	77%	249	n/a	70%	n/a	n/a	n/a
MN	77%	227	n/a	79%	81%	76%	n/a
MA	76%	263	n/a	74%	81%	83%	68%
WI	76%	316	n/a	68%	77%	82%	n/a
CT	74%	323	n/a	71%	76%	78%	n/a
PA	74%	396	n/a	69%	81%	75%	n/a
NC	74%	244	n/a	80%	80%	74%	53%
MI	73%	309	n/a	64%	74%	78%	n/a
OR	72%	281	n/a	65%	n/a	72%	69%
UT	71%	200	n/a	66%	71%	67%	80%

Significantly Below Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
NV	72%	343	n/a	70%	80%	72%	n/a
KY	68%	192	n/a	67%	79%	71%	60%
SC	55%	264	n/a	53%	71%	48%	n/a

Do you have a best friend, or someone you are really close to?

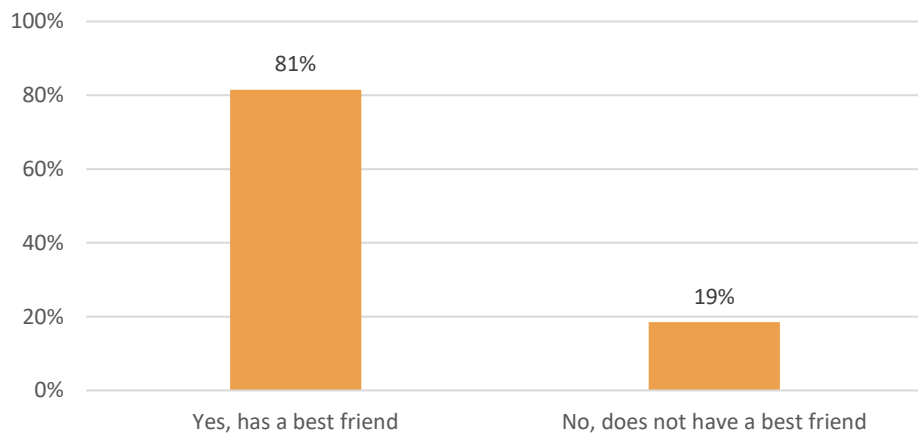


Table 2. Has best friend (may be staff or family)

Significantly Above Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
GA	94%	209	n/a	93%	87%	94%	100%
AR	90%	258	n/a	97%	88%	89%	n/a
OK	89%	154	n/a	90%	85%	88%	n/a
CO	88%	219	n/a	n/a	81%	91%	85%
OH	87%	311	n/a	84%	89%	89%	n/a

Within Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
UT	86%	161	n/a	86%	82%	87%	88%
SC	85%	239	n/a	83%	87%	86%	n/a
OR	84%	225	n/a	77%	n/a	86%	91%
MI	84%	268	n/a	83%	85%	85%	n/a
NC	83%	198	n/a	81%	76%	84%	83%
NJ	83%	181	n/a	88%	90%	75%	n/a
IL	82%	234	n/a	80%	70%	87%	n/a
NE	82%	300	n/a	91%	87%	70%	87%
PA	82%	323	n/a	82%	84%	82%	n/a
Weighted NCI-IDD Average	81%	7015	88%	81%	80%	83%	82%
IN	81%	646	87%	81%	71%	83%	n/a
CT	81%	269	n/a	82%	86%	76%	n/a
MN	80%	202	n/a	85%	76%	77%	n/a
WI	79%	267	n/a	74%	81%	81%	n/a
NY	79%	447	n/a	78%	70%	81%	n/a
FL	78%	224	n/a	78%	72%	82%	n/a
MO	78%	222	n/a	73%	82%	72%	n/a
NV	77%	275	n/a	79%	68%	79%	n/a
DE	77%	217	n/a	73%	n/a	n/a	n/a
VA	77%	334	n/a	75%	76%	76%	82%
MA	77%	216	n/a	79%	66%	79%	79%

Significantly Below Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
KS	73%	238	n/a	76%	74%	66%	n/a
KY	63%	178	n/a	50%	62%	72%	67%

Do you want more help to meet new people,
make new friends or keep in contact with your
friends?

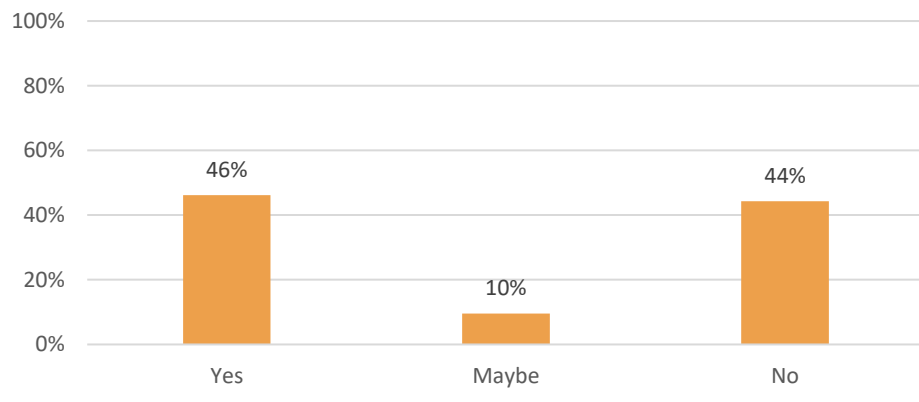


Table 3. Wants help to make or keep in contact with friends

"Yes" and "Maybe" responses combined.

Significantly Above Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
SC	80%	260	n/a	83%	76%	78%	n/a
IN	74%	705	69%	77%	67%	79%	n/a
NC	70%	235	n/a	79%	53%	66%	73%
MI	66%	299	n/a	74%	53%	69%	n/a
OK	66%	172	n/a	70%	63%	59%	n/a
MA	65%	252	n/a	69%	55%	63%	68%
NY	65%	526	n/a	70%	45%	64%	n/a
VA	62%	360	n/a	66%	58%	66%	53%

Within Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
CO	63%	239	n/a	n/a	61%	63%	67%
NV	60%	340	n/a	67%	51%	56%	n/a
IL	58%	258	n/a	63%	52%	52%	n/a
MN	58%	220	n/a	66%	41%	58%	n/a
CT	56%	309	n/a	62%	51%	52%	n/a
Weighted NCI-IDD Average	56%	7787	66%	63%	44%	56%	53%
NJ	55%	197	n/a	55%	42%	61%	n/a
FL	55%	239	n/a	64%	42%	61%	n/a
OR	54%	250	n/a	n/a	n/a	51%	64%
UT	53%	192	n/a	55%	50%	46%	53%
DE	50%	242	n/a	46%	n/a	n/a	n/a
OH	50%	321	71%	51%	49%	46%	n/a

Significantly Below Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
MO	46%	238	n/a	57%	41%	48%	n/a
NE	45%	319	n/a	52%	37%	41%	53%
AR	44%	275	n/a	48%	46%	41%	n/a
WI	40%	308	n/a	54%	28%	49%	n/a
PA	40%	365	n/a	48%	22%	36%	n/a
GA	39%	224	n/a	46%	35%	40%	28%
KS	31%	254	n/a	34%	27%	30%	n/a
KY	30%	188	n/a	25%	35%	40%	18%

Can you meet up with your friends in-person when you want to?

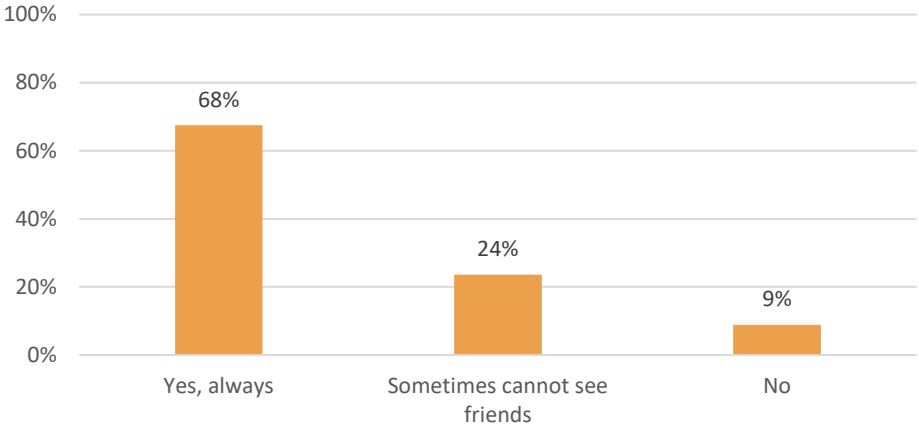


Table 4. Has friends (may be staff or family) and can see their friends in person when they want

Question changed in 2021-22

Significantly Above Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
AR	85%	254	n/a	92%	79%	89%	n/a
GA	82%	210	n/a	84%	90%	80%	74%
IN	82%	647	84%	81%	86%	78%	n/a
NV	81%	275	n/a	83%	88%	75%	n/a
NE	81%	299	n/a	88%	79%	72%	92%
SC	79%	237	n/a	77%	84%	80%	n/a
PA	77%	319	n/a	76%	80%	73%	n/a
DE	76%	218	n/a	72%	n/a	n/a	n/a

Within Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
OK	74%	156	n/a	77%	79%	67%	n/a
IL	73%	238	n/a	73%	83%	66%	n/a
MO	71%	221	n/a	50%	75%	77%	n/a
MN	71%	204	n/a	74%	86%	60%	n/a
OH	70%	298	n/a	71%	74%	69%	n/a
KS	69%	231	n/a	66%	76%	69%	n/a
MA	69%	216	n/a	64%	78%	69%	73%
Weighted NCI-IDD Average	68%	7007	78%	68%	73%	63%	64%
CT	66%	266	n/a	67%	69%	63%	n/a
FL	66%	219	n/a	59%	82%	57%	n/a
WI	65%	266	n/a	67%	72%	62%	n/a
UT	64%	174	n/a	61%	81%	64%	58%
NC	63%	200	n/a	60%	81%	57%	61%
VA	62%	333	n/a	66%	51%	58%	68%
CO	61%	222	n/a	n/a	69%	63%	49%

Significantly Below Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
NY	59%	449	n/a	65%	52%	51%	n/a
MI	58%	271	n/a	58%	57%	59%	n/a
OR	58%	225	n/a	55%	n/a	58%	57%
NJ	55%	172	n/a	64%	63%	45%	n/a
KY	40%	187	n/a	28%	36%	49%	40%

Do you use other ways of talking, chatting or communicating with your friends when you do not see them in-person?

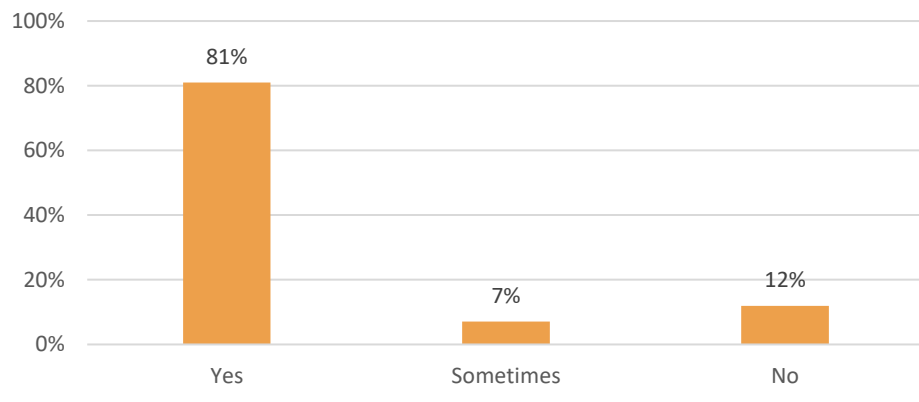


Table 5. Has other ways of talking, chatting, or communicating with friends when cannot see them in person

Significantly Above Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
NE	87%	288	n/a	76%	89%	91%	88%

Within Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
NJ	86%	175	n/a	85%	90%	87%	n/a
OR	86%	231	n/a	77%	n/a	87%	88%
OH	86%	295	n/a	84%	85%	91%	n/a
MN	86%	205	n/a	89%	80%	83%	n/a
WI	86%	270	n/a	77%	95%	83%	n/a
GA	85%	210	n/a	86%	90%	83%	85%
AR	83%	263	n/a	79%	85%	82%	n/a
MO	83%	220	n/a	76%	84%	87%	n/a
FL	83%	218	n/a	72%	92%	87%	n/a
IN	83%	647	78%	75%	96%	87%	n/a
PA	83%	320	n/a	78%	92%	81%	n/a
SC	83%	238	n/a	83%	97%	75%	n/a
UT	82%	170	n/a	74%	85%	93%	88%
MI	82%	277	n/a	70%	85%	88%	n/a
Weighted NCI-IDD Average	81%	7042	72%	76%	88%	83%	75%
CO	80%	220	n/a	n/a	89%	82%	75%
NY	80%	451	n/a	77%	84%	82%	n/a
DE	80%	220	n/a	75%	n/a	n/a	n/a
VA	80%	344	n/a	78%	85%	80%	79%
NV	78%	274	n/a	72%	86%	85%	n/a
IL	76%	234	n/a	74%	91%	73%	n/a
MA	75%	220	n/a	69%	92%	78%	68%
CT	74%	275	n/a	68%	84%	74%	n/a
NC	73%	200	n/a	83%	96%	68%	65%

Significantly Below Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
KS	72%	236	n/a	66%	82%	71%	n/a
OK	68%	154	n/a	59%	85%	76%	n/a
KY	38%	187	n/a	21%	55%	41%	44%

Can you see and/or talk to family who do not live with you when you want to?

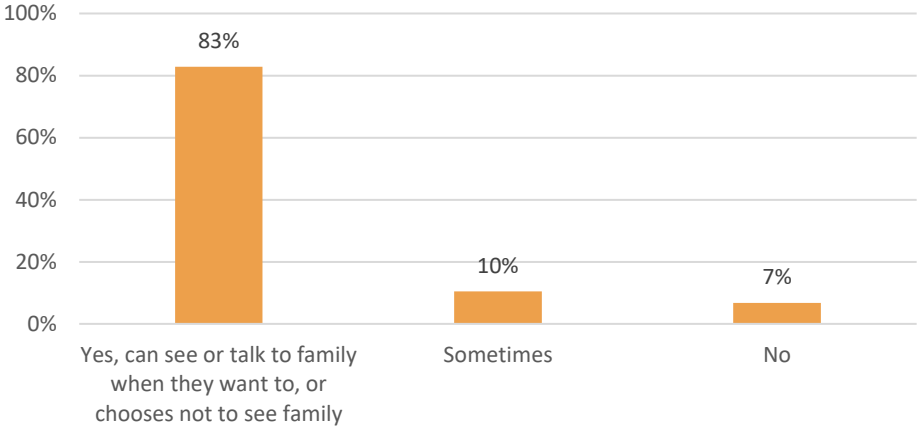


Table 6. Can see or communicate with their family when they want (among those who do not live in the family home)

Significantly Above

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
MN	92%	144	n/a	93%	94%		n/a
SC	92%	179	n/a	91%	100%		n/a
AR	90%	181	n/a	100%	86%		n/a
IN	88%	443	92%	81%	94%		n/a

Within Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
IL	88%	164	n/a	89%	96%		n/a
MO	88%	169	n/a	78%	92%		n/a
GA	87%	125	n/a	85%	89%		89%
NJ	87%	109	n/a	84%	94%		n/a
VA	87%	239	n/a	86%	93%		86%
MA	86%	195	n/a	87%	93%		75%
NE	85%	213	n/a	86%	90%		76%
UT	85%	149	n/a	86%	89%		86%
WI	85%	159	n/a	86%	86%		n/a
PA	85%	198	n/a	87%	76%		n/a
Weighted NCI-IDD Average	83%	4708	85%	83%	85%		75%
OR	83%	69	n/a	80%	n/a		81%
OK	82%	119	n/a	83%	84%		n/a
OH	82%	189	n/a	96%	75%		n/a
DE	82%	66	n/a	86%	n/a		n/a
NV	82%	242	n/a	80%	84%		n/a
CO	80%	106	n/a	n/a	78%		79%
FL	79%	141	n/a	71%	87%		n/a
CT	78%	176	n/a	80%	79%		n/a
NC	78%	120	n/a	82%	85%		71%
NY	78%	312	n/a	76%	87%		n/a
KS	77%	202	n/a	76%	78%		n/a

Significantly Below Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
MI	74%	175	n/a	71%	77%		n/a
KY	46%	124	n/a	42%	67%		40%

Do you ever feel lonely?

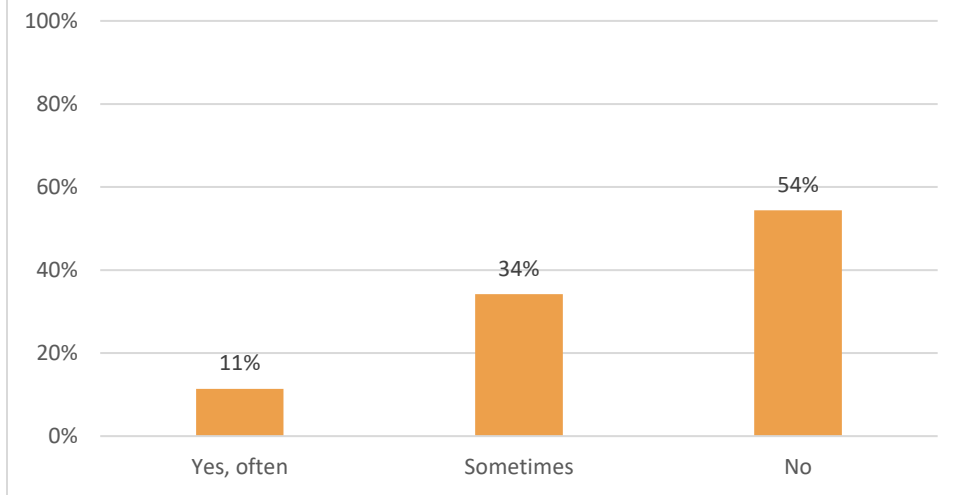


Table 7. Often feels lonely

Significantly Above Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
OR	22%	271	n/a	23%	n/a	23%	20%
AR	21%	277	n/a	21%	22%	18%	n/a
NV	17%	343	n/a	20%	15%	16%	n/a
IN	16%	694	17%	14%	17%	15%	n/a

Within Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
OK	16%	176	n/a	14%	26%	16%	n/a
NC	14%	242	n/a	14%	10%	14%	17%
MA	14%	256	n/a	17%	14%	8%	12%
NJ	13%	196	n/a	10%	15%	16%	n/a
WI	13%	311	n/a	15%	12%	10%	n/a
UT	12%	196	n/a	18%	3%	4%	14%
OH	12%	329	n/a	6%	19%	7%	n/a
CO	12%	241	n/a	n/a	19%	11%	9%
MO	12%	242	n/a	14%	12%	8%	n/a
DE	11%	244	n/a	17%	n/a	n/a	n/a
Weighted NCI-IDD Average	11%	7865	18%	12%	13%	9%	10%
KS	11%	263	n/a	15%	5%	9%	n/a
MN	11%	224	n/a	12%	9%	6%	n/a
CT	10%	310	n/a	7%	14%	10%	n/a
SC	10%	262	n/a	11%	5%	11%	n/a
IL	10%	253	n/a	16%	4%	2%	n/a
GA	9%	231	n/a	10%	3%	10%	10%
NY	9%	518	n/a	10%	10%	6%	n/a
FL	9%	240	n/a	9%	12%	6%	n/a
NE	9%	317	n/a	14%	9%	3%	12%
VA	8%	364	n/a	9%	14%	4%	10%
MI	8%	300	n/a	11%	10%	4%	n/a

Significantly Below Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
PA	8%	382	n/a	10%	10%	3%	n/a
KY	2%	183	n/a	4%	4%	2%	0%

Can you go on a date if you want to?

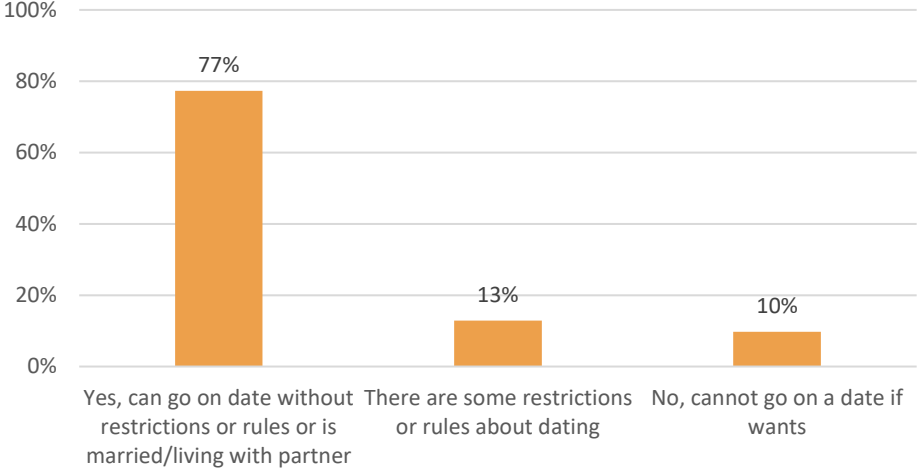


Table 8. Can go on a date or is married or living with partner

Significantly Above Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
NV	89%	300	n/a	87%	96%	90%	n/a
GA	89%	210	n/a	84%	100%	86%	95%
OR	88%	205	n/a	n/a	n/a	88%	81%
AR	85%	242	n/a	77%	88%	85%	n/a
MO	85%	204	n/a	70%	90%	87%	n/a
KS	85%	223	n/a	81%	91%	88%	n/a
PA	85%	275	n/a	82%	94%	84%	n/a
IL	84%	209	n/a	85%	81%	85%	n/a

Within Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
UT	84%	159	n/a	83%	96%	92%	72%
MN	84%	171	n/a	82%	100%	77%	n/a
NE	81%	263	n/a	76%	85%	79%	88%
NJ	81%	159	n/a	79%	96%	75%	n/a
MA	80%	220	n/a	78%	95%	76%	80%
OH	78%	262	n/a	82%	86%	69%	n/a
FL	78%	207	n/a	77%	90%	71%	n/a
NY	77%	333	n/a	72%	95%	79%	n/a
Weighted NCI-IDD Average	77%	6270	72%	75%	88%	73%	78%
CO	76%	173	n/a	n/a	94%	77%	74%
OK	76%	163	n/a	78%	81%	71%	n/a
WI	75%	220	n/a	68%	91%	67%	n/a
VA	74%	247	n/a	68%	91%	67%	79%
DE	72%	212	n/a	69%	n/a	n/a	n/a
SC	70%	185	n/a	75%	71%	64%	n/a
KY	65%	71	n/a	n/a	n/a	54%	n/a

Significantly Below Average

State	Average within state	N	Institutional settings	Community-based Group Residential settings	Own Home or Apartment	Parent's or Relative's Home	Foster Care/Host Home
IN	73%	652	76%	66%	82%	70%	n/a
CT	63%	249	n/a	66%	79%	51%	n/a
NC	60%	214	n/a	43%	86%	58%	71%
MI	57%	242	n/a	59%	68%	49%	n/a



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