



Christian Concern Talking Therapy public omnibus research – 9th May 2023

Methodology: Whitestone Insight interviewed 2099 UK adults online from 5th to 7th May 2023. .

Data were weighted to be representative of all adults.

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Table 1

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that people should be free to decide for themselves whether to access any type of talking therapy they want to in relation to the following?

Summary**Base: All respondents**

| | Personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature | Personal relationship problems of a sexual nature | Personal issues over their own sexual identity | Personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female |
|-----------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 |
| NET: Agree | 1654 79% | 1620 77% | 1530 73% | 1486 71% |
| Strongly agree | (4) 32% | 678 33% | 627 30% | 609 29% |
| Agree | (3) 46% | 976 45% | 903 43% | 877 42% |
| Disagree | (2) 4% | 76 3% | 112 5% | 119 6% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 2% | 36 2% | 83 4% | 81 4% |
| NET: Disagree | 112 5% | 113 5% | 195 9% | 200 10% |
| Don't know | 262 12% | 294 14% | 302 14% | 337 16% |
| Prefer not to say | 72 3% | 72 3% | 73 3% | 76 4% |
| Mean | 3.30 | 3.30 | 3.20 | 3.19 |
| Standard deviation | 0.65 | 0.67 | 0.76 | 0.77 |
| Standard error | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 73.48 | 71.84 | 63.61 | 61.23 |



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Table 2

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that people should be free to decide for themselves whether to access any type of talking therapy they want to in relation to the following?

Personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------------|-------|-----|---|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North East | North West | North Humber-side | West Mid-lands | East Mid-lands | East Wales | East London | South East | South West | North-ern Ire-land | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | |
| NET: Agree | 1654 | 777 | 872 | 150 | 279 | 271 | 301 | 258 | 396 | 431 | 499 | 342 | 382 | 143 | 62 | 188 | 140 | 149 | 115 | 80 | 157 | 201 | 224 | 144 | 51 | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 678 | 301 | 373 | 70 | 137 | 120 | 117 | 97 | 137 | 187 | 192 | 146 | 152 | 59 | 21 | 88 | 52 | 55 | 42 | 34 | 66 | 81 | 101 | 61 | 18 | |
| | | 32% | 29% | 35% | 31% | 38% | 36% | 32% | 30% | 28% | 34% | 32% | 33% | 30% | 33% | 24% | 38% | 30% | 31% | 28% | 35% | 34% | 35% | 34% | 30% | | |
| Agree | (3) | 976 | 475 | 498 | 80 | 142 | 151 | 183 | 160 | 260 | 244 | 307 | 196 | 229 | 84 | 41 | 100 | 88 | 94 | 73 | 45 | 91 | 120 | 123 | 83 | 33 | |
| | | 46% | 46% | 47% | 35% | 39% | 45% | 50% | 50% | 53% | 44% | 51% | 45% | 46% | 47% | 48% | 43% | 51% | 52% | 48% | 46% | 47% | 43% | 43% | 46% | 57% | |
| Disagree | (2) | 76 | 38 | 38 | 18 | 22 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 13 | 24 | 13 | 18 | 20 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 16 | 12 | 8 | 1 | 1 |
| | | 4% | 4% | 4% | 8% | 6% | 3% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 4% | 2% | 4% | 4% | 2% | 1% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 1% | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 36 | 26 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 11 | 5 | - | 2 | 13 | 8 | 9 | 5 | - | - | 5 | 1 | 1 | 3 | * | 3 | 2 | 9 | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| | | 2% | 3% | 1% | 4% | 2% | 3% | 1% | - | * | 2% | 1% | 2% | 1% | - | - | 5% | 1% | 1% | * | 3% | 1% | 3% | 4% | 1% | 2% | |
| NET: Disagree | 112 | 64 | 48 | 27 | 30 | 20 | 13 | 7 | 15 | 38 | 21 | 27 | 26 | 3 | 5 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 9 | 25 | 23 | 9 | 2 | | |
| | | 5% | 6% | 4% | 12% | 8% | 6% | 4% | 2% | 3% | 7% | 3% | 6% | 5% | 2% | 6% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 5% | 9% | 8% | 5% | 4% | |
| Don't know | 262 | 154 | 107 | 29 | 32 | 37 | 42 | 49 | 73 | 66 | 62 | 55 | 78 | 23 | 14 | 33 | 20 | 19 | 27 | 8 | 22 | 35 | 31 | 25 | 5 | 9% | |
| | | 12% | 15% | 10% | 13% | 9% | 11% | 11% | 15% | 15% | 12% | 10% | 13% | 16% | 13% | 16% | 14% | 12% | 10% | 18% | 8% | 11% | 13% | 11% | 14% | 9% | |
| Prefer not to say | 72 | 30 | 40 | 21 | 21 | 6 | 10 | 7 | 6 | 18 | 24 | 15 | 15 | 9 | 5 | 4 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 6 | 16 | 8 | 3 | 3 | 1 | |
| | | 3% | 3% | 4% | 9% | 6% | 2% | 3% | 2% | 1% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 6% | 2% | 4% | 3% | 2% | 5% | 3% | 6% | 3% | 2% | 1% | |
| Mean | 3.30 | 3.25 | 3.34 | 3.19 | 3.32 | 3.31 | 3.32 | 3.34 | 3.29 | 3.29 | 3.31 | 3.30 | 3.30 | 3.38 | 3.16 | 3.41 | 3.30 | 3.28 | 3.29 | 3.31 | 3.33 | 3.21 | 3.27 | 3.34 | 3.26 | | |
| Standard deviation | 0.65 | 0.68 | 0.61 | 0.82 | 0.72 | 0.71 | 0.61 | 0.53 | 0.55 | 0.69 | 0.60 | 0.68 | 0.62 | 0.53 | 0.76 | 0.58 | 0.58 | 0.61 | 0.58 | 0.69 | 0.62 | 0.74 | 0.74 | 0.61 | 0.63 | | |
| Standard error | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.09 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.08 | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 73.48 | 69.55 | 77.25 | 54.01 | 68.94 | 74.99 | 78.76 | 78.31 | 77.71 | 71.15 | 78.85 | 71.73 | 71.07 | 78.38 | 65.78 | 77.24 | 76.52 | 78.16 | 71.70 | 75.13 | 75.81 | 63.58 | 70.34 | 75.05 | 82.75 | | |

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Table 3

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that people should be free to decide for themselves whether to access any type of talking therapy they want to in relation to the following?

Personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------|------------|--------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------------|------------|--|------------|--|------------|-----|-----|--|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | Buddhist | | No childr en aged 18 or | | NET: Any 5- years | | NET: Any 18- 11-18 | | Yes - childr en under aged 5 | | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 | | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 | | | | | |
| | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other | Christian | Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Other | None | Yes | 18 | 11-18 | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 214 | 133 | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 212 | 132 | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1654 79% | 1462 81% | 181 67% | 46 68% | 72 65% | 26 73% | 30 69% | 7 53% | 736 79% | 109 64% | 58 65% | 9 58% | 4 55% | 2 100% | 49% 49% | 70% 70% | 787 82% | 1193 79% | 453 80% | 352 81% | 244 81% | 157 80% | 173 84% | 172 84% | 172 81% | 103 77% | | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) 32% | 678 33% | 603 26% | 70 31% | 21 21% | 10 28% | 12 28% | 4 33% | 259 28% | 43 25% | 22 24% | 2 14% | 2 26% | - - | 4 21% | 14 35% | 365 38% | 475 31% | 200 35% | 151 35% | 112 37% | 71 36% | 74 36% | 87 41% | 87 30% | | | | | |
| Agree | (3) 46% | 976 48% | 859 41% | 111 38% | 25 44% | 49 46% | 16 41% | 2 20% | 477 51% | 66 39% | 36 40% | 7 44% | 2 30% | 2 100% | 5 28% | 14 36% | 422 44% | 718 47% | 254 45% | 201 46% | 132 44% | 86 44% | 99 48% | 85 40% | 85 47% | | | | | |
| Disagree | (2) 4% | 76 3% | 53 7% | 18 3% | 2 8% | 9 3% | 1 8% | 5 12% | 1 6% | 34 4% | 15 9% | 10 11% | 1 4% | - - | - - | 1 6% | 3 7% | 19 2% | 43 3% | 31 6% | 24 6% | 16 5% | 11 5% | 10 5% | 10 4% | | | | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 2% | 36 1% | 20 6% | 16 2% | 1 5% | 6 14% | 5 - | 4 31% | 18 2% | 9 5% | 4 4% | 2 10% | - - | - - | 1 8% | 2 4% | 9 1% | 22 1% | 14 3% | 11 2% | 7 2% | 7 3% | 4 2% | 5 2% | 5 3% | | | | | |
| NET: Disagree | 112 5% | 73 4% | 34 13% | 4 6% | 15 13% | 6 16% | 5 12% | 5 36% | 52 6% | 23 14% | 14 16% | 2 14% | - - | - - | 2 14% | 5 11% | 28 3% | 65 4% | 45 8% | 35 8% | 22 7% | 17 9% | 14 7% | 15 7% | 10 8% | | | | | |
| Don't know | 262 12% | 228 13% | 31 11% | 12 18% | 10 9% | 2 6% | 5 11% | 1 11% | 123 13% | 22 13% | 8 9% | 2 14% | 1 22% | - - | 5 27% | 6 14% | 111 12% | 217 14% | 43 8% | 33 8% | 28 9% | 13 7% | 9 4% | 22 10% | 15 11% | | | | | |
| Prefer not to say | 72 3% | 45 2% | 25 9% | 6 8% | 14 13% | 2 4% | 4 8% | - - | 22 2% | 17 10% | 9 11% | 2 14% | 2 23% | - - | 2 10% | 2 4% | 28 3% | 44 3% | 23 4% | 15 4% | 8 3% | 9 4% | 10 5% | 3 2% | 5 4% | | | | | |
| Mean | 3.30 | 3.33 | 3.09 | 3.31 | 3.04 | 2.97 | 3.19 | 2.62 | 3.24 | 3.08 | 3.05 | 2.85 | 3.46 | 3.00 | 2.98 | 3.23 | 3.40 | 3.31 | 3.28 | 3.27 | 3.31 | 3.27 | 3.30 | 3.35 | 3.22 | | | | | |
| Standard deviation | 0.65 | 0.61 | 0.84 | 0.70 | 0.80 | 0.99 | 0.68 | 1.35 | 0.64 | 0.84 | 0.82 | 0.93 | 0.58 | - | 1.02 | 0.83 | 0.59 | 0.62 | 0.71 | 0.70 | 0.70 | 0.74 | 0.67 | 0.71 | 0.72 | | | | | |
| Standard error | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.11 | 0.09 | 0.17 | 0.11 | 0.45 | 0.02 | 0.07 | 0.11 | 0.27 | 0.26 | - | 0.26 | 0.13 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.07 | | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 73.48 | 76.83 | 54.28 | 62.76 | 51.65 | 56.82 | 56.59 | 16.39 | 73.26 | 50.12 | 49.00 | 43.52 | 55.49 | 100.00 | 34.70 | 59.05 | 79.54 | 74.31 | 72.22 | 72.77 | 73.11 | 71.47 | 77.14 | 73.74 | 69.77 | | | | | |

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Table 4

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that people should be free to decide for themselves whether to access any type of talking therapy they want to in relation to the following?

Personal relationship problems of a sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------------|-------|-------|-----|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North East | North West | North Humber-side | West Mid-lands | East Mid-lands | East Wales | East London | South East | South West | North-ern Ire-land | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | |
| NET: Agree | 1620 | 754 | 860 | 149 | 271 | 269 | 297 | 251 | 383 | 423 | 481 | 340 | 376 | 138 | 57 | 188 | 139 | 150 | 114 | 80 | 156 | 192 | 221 | 211 | 136 | 51 | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 685 | 303 | 379 | 68 | 138 | 124 | 119 | 101 | 134 | 190 | 190 | 146 | 159 | 58 | 20 | 87 | 52 | 58 | 39 | 38 | 67 | 80 | 103 | 61 | 21 | |
| | | 33% | 30% | 35% | 30% | 38% | 37% | 33% | 31% | 27% | 34% | 31% | 33% | 32% | 33% | 23% | 37% | 30% | 32% | 26% | 39% | 35% | 29% | 36% | 34% | 35% | |
| Agree | (3) | 936 | 452 | 482 | 81 | 133 | 145 | 178 | 151 | 249 | 233 | 291 | 194 | 217 | 80 | 37 | 101 | 87 | 91 | 74 | 42 | 88 | 112 | 118 | 75 | 30 | 30 |
| | | 45% | 44% | 45% | 36% | 37% | 43% | 49% | 47% | 51% | 42% | 48% | 44% | 43% | 45% | 43% | 43% | 50% | 51% | 49% | 42% | 45% | 41% | 41% | 42% | 52% | 52% |
| Disagree | (2) | 68 | 43 | 24 | 18 | 20 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 13 | 23 | 14 | 13 | 17 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 15 | 11 | 8 | 4 | 1 |
| | | 3% | 4% | 2% | 8% | 6% | 2% | 1% | 1% | 3% | 4% | 2% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 1% | 5% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 1% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 45 | 29 | 16 | 10 | 13 | 7 | 9 | 4 | 1* | 2 | 16 | 10 | 11 | 7 | - | 5 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 12 | 9 | 1 | - | |
| | | 2% | 3% | 2% | 4% | 4% | 2% | 2% | 1% | * | 3% | 2% | 1% | 1% | 7 | - | 6% | 1% | 1% | 2% | 2% | 1% | 5% | 3% | 1% | - | |
| NET: Disagree | | 113 | 72 | 41 | 28 | 33 | 14 | 14 | 8 | 15 | 39 | 25 | 24 | 24 | 5 | 8 | 7 | 5 | 9 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 27 | 20 | 9 | 1 | |
| | | 5% | 7% | 4% | 12% | 9% | 4% | 4% | 2% | 3% | 7% | 4% | 6% | 5% | 3% | 9% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 7% | 5% | 4% | 10% | 7% | 5% | 1% | |
| Don't know | | 294 | 169 | 125 | 31 | 37 | 43 | 44 | 53 | 86 | 75 | 75 | 57 | 87 | 27 | 18 | 33 | 21 | 19 | 26 | 8 | 26 | 42 | 36 | 31 | 7 | |
| | | 14% | 17% | 12% | 14% | 10% | 13% | 12% | 17% | 18% | 14% | 12% | 13% | 17% | 15% | 21% | 14% | 12% | 10% | 17% | 8% | 13% | 15% | 12% | 17% | 12% | |
| Prefer not to say | | 72 | 29 | 41 | 19 | 20 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 6 | 15 | 25 | 18 | 13 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 4 | 1 | 5 | 7 | 15 | 5 | 9 | 5 | 3% | - |
| | | 3% | 3% | 4% | 8% | 6% | 2% | 3% | 3% | 1% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 2% | 5% | 2% | 1% | 5% | 3% | 5% | 5% | 3% | 3% | - | |
| Mean | | 3.30 | 3.24 | 3.36 | 3.17 | 3.30 | 3.37 | 3.31 | 3.34 | 3.29 | 3.29 | 3.30 | 3.30 | 3.32 | 3.38 | 3.11 | 3.39 | 3.32 | 3.29 | 3.20 | 3.37 | 3.35 | 3.18 | 3.31 | 3.35 | 3.38 | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.67 | 0.71 | 0.63 | 0.83 | 0.78 | 0.65 | 0.65 | 0.60 | 0.55 | 0.72 | 0.63 | 0.69 | 0.64 | 0.55 | 0.81 | 0.61 | 0.56 | 0.65 | 0.67 | 0.65 | 0.65 | 0.79 | 0.73 | 0.62 | 0.52 | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.05 | 0.10 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.07 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 71.84 | 66.63 | 76.82 | 53.07 | 65.84 | 76.30 | 77.27 | 75.98 | 75.13 | 69.57 | 75.28 | 71.81 | 70.20 | 74.77 | 57.19 | 77.48 | 76.88 | 78.16 | 68.33 | 75.93 | 76.29 | 59.48 | 70.34 | 70.34 | 85.11 | |

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Table 5

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that people should be free to decide for themselves whether to access any type of talking therapy they want to in relation to the following?

Personal relationship problems of a sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-----------|----------------|-------|----------|-------|-------------------------------|--------|-------------------------|-------|--------------------------|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--|----|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | Buddhist | | No childr en aged 18 or | | NET: Any 5- years | | NET: Any 18- 11-18 | | Yes - childr en under aged 5 years | | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 years | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 years | | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 years | |
| | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other | Christian | NET: Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Other | None | Yes | 18 | 11-18 | old | old | old | old | old | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | |
| NET: Agree | 1620 | 1426 | 179 | 40 | 78 | 26 | 29 | 7 | 702 | 111 | 60 | 10 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 26 | 782 | 1162 | 451 | 354 | 243 | 156 | 174 | 171 | 102 | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 685 | 607 | 72 | 18 | 29 | 8 | 13 | 4 | 257 | 49 | 26 | 2 | 2 | - | 4 | 15 | 368 | 475 | 207 | 157 | 118 | 70 | 70 | 90 | 46 |
| Agree | (3) | 936 | 819 | 107 | 21 | 49 | 18 | 17 | 2 | 445 | 63 | 34 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 11 | 414 | 687 | 244 | 197 | 125 | 86 | 105 | 81 | 56 |
| Disagree | (2) | 68 | 52 | 16 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 41 | 12 | 5 | 1 | - | - | 4 | 2 | 14 | 36 | 31 | 17 | 10 | 15 | 8 | 6 | 4 |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 45 | 26 | 18 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 20 | 11 | 6 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 3 | 11 | 25 | 20 | 17 | 12 | 6 | 6 | 9 | 7 |
| NET: Disagree | 113 | 78 | 34 | 11 | 10 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 61 | 23 | 11 | 1 | - | - | 6 | 4 | 25 | 60 | 51 | 34 | 23 | 21 | 14 | 12 | 13 | |
| Don't know | 294 | 258 | 33 | 12 | 8 | 3 | 9 | 1 | 144 | 20 | 9 | - | 1 | - | 3 | 6 | 124 | 253 | 40 | 32 | 28 | 9 | 10 | 22 | 13 | |
| Prefer not to say | 72 | 46 | 23 | 5 | 15 | 1 | 2 | - | 26 | 18 | 8 | 4 | 2 | - | - | 3 | 23 | 43 | 23 | 16 | 10 | 9 | 9 | 7 | 4 | |
| Mean | 3.30 | 3.33 | 3.09 | 3.08 | 3.14 | 2.97 | 3.27 | 2.61 | 3.23 | 3.11 | 3.13 | 3.00 | 3.46 | 3.00 | 2.76 | 3.26 | 3.41 | 3.32 | 3.27 | 3.28 | 3.31 | 3.24 | 3.27 | 3.39 | 3.21 | |
| Standard deviation | 0.67 | 0.63 | 0.87 | 0.89 | 0.82 | 0.86 | 0.73 | 1.35 | 0.66 | 0.88 | 0.88 | 0.75 | 0.58 | - | 0.96 | 0.92 | 0.60 | 0.63 | 0.75 | 0.74 | 0.76 | 0.75 | 0.68 | 0.72 | 0.85 | |
| Standard error | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.14 | 0.09 | 0.15 | 0.12 | 0.45 | 0.02 | 0.08 | 0.12 | 0.22 | 0.26 | - | 0.23 | 0.15 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.08 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 71.84 | 74.56 | 53.89 | 42.91 | 61.55 | 55.87 | 60.75 | 15.94 | 68.70 | 51.71 | 55.54 | 54.50 | 55.49 | 100.00 | 18.61 | 54.06 | 79.32 | 72.57 | 70.79 | 73.48 | 72.58 | 68.98 | 77.59 | 74.75 | 66.95 | |

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Table 6

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that people should be free to decide for themselves whether to access any type of talking therapy they want to in relation to the following?

Personal issues over their own sexual identity

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|---------------|-------|-------|-----|-----|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North-East | North-West | North-Humber-side | West-Mid-lands | East-Mid-lands | East-Wales | East-London | South-East | South-West | North-Ireland | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1530 | 693 | 831 | 148 | 255 | 252 | 281 | 230 | 364 | 400 | 461 | 322 | 347 | 125 | 56 | 176 | 130 | 138 | 104 | 74 | 148 | 187 | 214 | 128 | 49 | 83% | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 627 | 277 | 346 | 66 | 131 | 109 | 108 | 91 | 122 | 170 | 181 | 140 | 137 | 57 | 21 | 78 | 48 | 49 | 37 | 30 | 61 | 78 | 94 | 52 | 21 | 36% | |
| | | 30% | 27% | 32% | 29% | 36% | 32% | 30% | 28% | 25% | 31% | 30% | 32% | 27% | 32% | 24% | 34% | 28% | 27% | 30% | 31% | 28% | 33% | 52% | 29% | 36% | | |
| Agree | (3) | 903 | 416 | 485 | 82 | 124 | 143 | 173 | 139 | 241 | 230 | 280 | 182 | 211 | 67 | 35 | 98 | 82 | 89 | 67 | 44 | 88 | 109 | 120 | 76 | 28 | 42% | 48% |
| | | 43% | 41% | 45% | 36% | 34% | 43% | 47% | 43% | 49% | 42% | 46% | 41% | 42% | 38% | 41% | 42% | 47% | 49% | 44% | 45% | 45% | 39% | 42% | 42% | 42% | 48% | |
| Disagree | (2) | 112 | 69 | 43 | 20 | 27 | 11 | 11 | 16 | 27 | 37 | 23 | 27 | 25 | 9 | 5 | 10 | 8 | 10 | 7 | 4 | 7 | 23 | 18 | 10 | 5 | 1 | 2% |
| | | 5% | 7% | 4% | 9% | 7% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 5% | 7% | 4% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 4% | 5% | 6% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 8% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 2% | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 83 | 61 | 22 | 13 | 15 | 18 | 15 | 13 | 8 | 28 | 26 | 10 | 19 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 16 | 14 | 9 | 1 | 1% | |
| | | 4% | 6% | 2% | 6% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 2% | 5% | 5% | 4% | 2% | 1% | 1% | 9% | 1% | 4% | 5% | 7% | 3% | 6% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 1% | | |
| NET: Disagree | | 195 | 129 | 65 | 34 | 41 | 30 | 26 | 29 | 34 | 65 | 50 | 37 | 44 | 10 | 13 | 13 | 11 | 17 | 15 | 10 | 13 | 40 | 32 | 19 | 2 | 3% | |
| | | 9% | 13% | 6% | 15% | 11% | 9% | 7% | 9% | 7% | 12% | 8% | 8% | 9% | 6% | 15% | 6% | 6% | 9% | 10% | 10% | 14% | 11% | 10% | 10% | 3% | | |
| Don't know | | 302 | 169 | 132 | 28 | 44 | 42 | 47 | 55 | 86 | 71 | 71 | 64 | 95 | 33 | 16 | 35 | 24 | 20 | 26 | 11 | 28 | 41 | 31 | 29 | 8 | 13% | |
| | | 14% | 17% | 12% | 12% | 13% | 13% | 17% | 18% | 13% | 12% | 15% | 19% | 15% | 18% | 18% | 15% | 14% | 11% | 17% | 11% | 14% | 15% | 11% | 16% | 13% | | |
| Prefer not to say | | 73 | 33 | 38 | 17 | 20 | 11 | 11 | 6 | 7 | 17 | 25 | 17 | 15 | 11 | 2 | 9 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 9 | 9 | 5 | 3% | - | |
| | | 3% | 3% | 4% | 8% | 6% | 3% | 3% | 2% | 1% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 6% | 2% | 4% | 5% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | - | | |
| Mean | | 3.20 | 3.11 | 3.29 | 3.10 | 3.25 | 3.22 | 3.22 | 3.19 | 3.20 | 3.17 | 3.21 | 3.26 | 3.19 | 3.34 | 3.01 | 3.33 | 3.24 | 3.17 | 3.11 | 3.16 | 3.26 | 3.09 | 3.20 | 3.17 | 3.36 | | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.76 | 0.84 | 0.67 | 0.87 | 0.82 | 0.80 | 0.74 | 0.76 | 0.64 | 0.81 | 0.75 | 0.71 | 0.75 | 0.64 | 0.91 | 0.65 | 0.66 | 0.73 | 0.80 | 0.83 | 0.71 | 0.85 | 0.81 | 0.80 | 0.62 | | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.11 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.08 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.08 | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 63.61 | 55.03 | 71.87 | 50.37 | 59.20 | 66.42 | 69.62 | 62.68 | 67.18 | 60.70 | 67.83 | 64.80 | 60.65 | 64.10 | 50.20 | 69.98 | 68.43 | 67.27 | 58.74 | 64.74 | 69.44 | 53.11 | 63.75 | 60.66 | 80.03 | | |

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Table 7

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that people should be free to decide for themselves whether to access any type of talking therapy they want to in relation to the following?

Personal issues over their own sexual identity

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|---------|-------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------|----------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|---|-------|--|--|--|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | Buddhist | | | | | | | | No childr en aged 18 or | | NET: Any 5- 18 | | NET: Any 5- 18 | | Yes - childr en under aged 11 to 18 | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 | | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 | |
| | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other ethn. group | Christ ian | NET: Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Other | None | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | Yes | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1530 | 1349 | 169 | 44 | 65 | 25 | 29 | 6 | 662 | 103 | 51 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 13 | 26 | 741 | 1106 | 418 | 332 | 230 | 137 | 162 | 160 | 100 | | | | | |
| | 73% | 75% | 63% | 65% | 59% | 71% | 67% | 46% | 71% | 60% | 57% | 47% | 55% | 100% | 74% | 64% | 78% | 73% | 74% | 76% | 76% | 70% | 79% | 76% | 75% | | | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 627 | 556 | 66 | 20 | 17 | 12 | 13 | 4 | 232 | 37 | 15 | 2 | 2 | - | 4 | 15 | 348 | 439 | 186 | 138 | 106 | 61 | 63 | 79 | 43 | | | | |
| | 30% | 31% | 24% | 30% | 15% | 34% | 30% | 33% | 25% | 22% | 17% | 14% | 26% | - | - | 21% | 37% | 36% | 29% | 33% | 32% | 35% | 31% | 30% | 37% | 33% | | | | |
| Agree | (3) | 903 | 793 | 103 | 24 | 48 | 13 | 16 | 2 | 430 | 66 | 36 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 11 | 394 | 667 | 232 | 193 | 125 | 75 | 100 | 81 | 56 | | | | |
| | 43% | 44% | 38% | 35% | 43% | 37% | 38% | 13% | 46% | 38% | 40% | 33% | 30% | 100% | 53% | 28% | 41% | 44% | 41% | 44% | 41% | 39% | 48% | 38% | 43% | | | | | |
| Disagree | (2) | 112 | 88 | 24 | 4 | 12 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 60 | 20 | 12 | 3 | - | - | 1 | 3 | 31 | 73 | 38 | 25 | 16 | 22 | 12 | 11 | 5 | | | | |
| | 5% | 5% | 5% | 9% | 6% | 11% | 3% | 11% | 20% | 6% | 12% | 14% | 21% | - | - | 6% | 9% | 3% | 5% | 7% | 6% | 5% | 11% | 6% | 5% | 3% | | | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 83 | 56 | 25 | 8 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 42 | 12 | 8 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 27 | 51 | 32 | 23 | 19 | 11 | 8 | 14 | 8 | | | | |
| | 4% | 3% | 9% | 12% | 8% | 8% | 6% | 24% | 5% | 7% | 9% | 5% | - | - | 8% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 4% | 7% | 6% | 6% | | | | |
| NET: Disagree | | 195 | 144 | 50 | 12 | 21 | 4 | 7 | 5 | 102 | 32 | 20 | 4 | - | - | 2 | 5 | 57 | 124 | 69 | 47 | 35 | 33 | 19 | 26 | 13 | | | | |
| | 9% | 8% | 18% | 18% | 19% | 11% | 16% | 43% | 11% | 18% | 22% | 26% | - | - | 14% | 13% | 6% | 8% | 12% | 11% | 12% | 17% | 9% | 12% | 10% | | | | | |
| Don't know | | 302 | 264 | 32 | 8 | 14 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 145 | 21 | 9 | 2 | 1 | - | 2 | 6 | 127 | 247 | 51 | 39 | 30 | 15 | 12 | 22 | 16 | | | | |
| | 14% | 15% | 12% | 12% | 12% | 10% | 11% | 11% | 15% | 12% | 11% | 14% | 22% | - | - | 12% | 14% | 13% | 16% | 9% | 9% | 10% | 7% | 6% | 10% | 12% | | | | |
| Prefer not to say | | 73 | 51 | 20 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 2 | - | 24 | 16 | 9 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 3 | 29 | 41 | 26 | 18 | 8 | 12 | 13 | 4 | 4 | | | | |
| | 3% | 3% | 7% | 4% | 10% | 9% | 5% | - | 3% | 9% | 10% | 14% | 23% | - | - | 9% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 4% | 3% | 6% | 2% | 3% | 4% | | | | | |
| Mean | | 3.20 | 3.24 | 2.96 | 3.00 | 2.85 | 3.17 | 3.09 | 2.61 | 3.11 | 2.95 | 2.82 | 2.77 | 3.46 | 3.00 | 2.98 | 3.25 | 3.33 | 3.21 | 3.17 | 3.18 | 3.19 | 3.11 | 3.19 | 3.21 | 3.20 | | | | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.76 | 0.73 | 0.94 | 1.02 | 0.86 | 0.93 | 0.87 | 1.29 | 0.77 | 0.88 | 0.89 | 0.87 | 0.58 | - | 0.85 | 0.88 | 0.71 | 0.73 | 0.83 | 0.80 | 0.84 | 0.86 | 0.74 | 0.87 | 0.82 | | | | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.07 | 0.15 | 0.10 | 0.16 | 0.14 | 0.43 | 0.03 | 0.08 | 0.12 | 0.25 | 0.26 | - | 0.20 | 0.14 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.08 | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 63.61 | 66.63 | 44.31 | 47.37 | 39.67 | 59.40 | 50.96 | 2.47 | 60.06 | 41.45 | 34.88 | 21.00 | 55.49 | 100.00 | 59.76 | 51.21 | 71.67 | 64.67 | 61.75 | 65.16 | 64.23 | 53.24 | 69.14 | 63.48 | 65.86 | | | | |

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Table 8

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that people should be free to decide for themselves whether to access any type of talking therapy they want to in relation to the following?

Personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|-------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yorkshire & Humber | | | West Midlands | | East Midlands | | East Wales | | London | | South East | | South West | | North-ern Ire-land |
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North East | North West | North Humberside | West Midlands | East Midlands | East Wales | East London | South London | South East | South West | South East | South West | North-ern Ire-land | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1486 71% | 670 65% | 809 76% | 146 64% | 257 71% | 245 73% | 274 75% | 226 69% | 337 71% | 394 71% | 446 74% | 312 71% | 334 67% | 125 70% | 51 60% | 172 74% | 120 69% | 134 74% | 103 68% | 69 70% | 140 72% | 188 68% | 210 74% | 125 69% | 48 81% | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) 609 29% | 262 26% | 343 32% | 65 29% | 132 37% | 107 32% | 101 28% | 87 27% | 117 24% | 168 30% | 167 28% | 133 30% | 141 28% | 50 28% | 23 27% | 81 35% | 47 27% | 33 22% | 30 30% | 62 32% | 77 28% | 89 31% | 53 29% | 16 27% | | | | |
| Agree | (3) 877 42% | 408 40% | 467 44% | 81 36% | 125 35% | 138 41% | 173 47% | 139 43% | 220 45% | 226 41% | 278 46% | 179 41% | 193 39% | 76 42% | 28 32% | 91 39% | 73 42% | 86 47% | 70 46% | 39 40% | 77 40% | 111 40% | 121 42% | 72 40% | 32 54% | | | |
| Disagree | (2) 119 6% | 79 8% | 40 4% | 22 10% | 31 8% | 10 3% | 11 3% | 15 5% | 30 6% | 38 7% | 28 5% | 22 5% | 32 6% | 8 4% | 10 11% | 9 4% | 15 9% | 13 7% | 8 5% | 10 10% | 9 7% | 18 5% | 12 4% | 7 4% | 2 3% | | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 81 4% | 56 5% | 25 2% | 11 5% | 16 5% | 15 5% | 14 4% | 15 5% | 22 3% | 22 4% | 22 4% | 16 4% | 21 4% | 2 1% | 4 5% | 6 3% | 3 2% | 5 3% | 7 5% | 4 4% | 8 4% | 13 5% | 16 6% | 11 6% | 2 3% | | | |
| NET: Disagree | 200 10% | 135 13% | 66 6% | 33 15% | 41 11% | 26 8% | 26 7% | 31 10% | 44 9% | 60 11% | 49 8% | 38 9% | 53 11% | 10 5% | 14 16% | 15 6% | 18 10% | 18 10% | 15 10% | 14 14% | 17 9% | 31 11% | 28 10% | 18 10% | 3 6% | | | |
| Don't know | 337 16% | 185 18% | 153 14% | 32 14% | 45 12% | 50 15% | 52 14% | 56 18% | 102 21% | 81 15% | 85 14% | 72 16% | 99 20% | 31 17% | 19 22% | 38 16% | 28 13% | 23 19% | 12 12% | 34 17% | 48 17% | 39 14% | 31 17% | 8 13% | | | | |
| Prefer not to say | 76 4% | 35 3% | 39 4% | 16 7% | 19 5% | 14 4% | 13 4% | 7 2% | 7 1% | 17 3% | 26 4% | 18 4% | 15 3% | 13 2% | 2 2% | 8 3% | 8 5% | 5 3% | 6 4% | 4 4% | 5 2% | 10 4% | 9 3% | 7 4% | - | | | |
| Mean | 3.19 | 3.09 | 3.29 | 3.12 | 3.27 | 3.24 | 3.20 | 3.16 | 3.16 | 3.19 | 3.19 | 3.23 | 3.17 | 3.28 | 3.08 | 3.32 | 3.19 | 3.16 | 3.09 | 3.15 | 3.24 | 3.15 | 3.19 | 3.17 | 3.21 | | | |
| Standard deviation | 0.77 | 0.83 | 0.69 | 0.85 | 0.78 | 0.78 | 0.73 | 0.78 | 0.71 | 0.79 | 0.73 | 0.76 | 0.80 | 0.64 | 0.88 | 0.72 | 0.70 | 0.72 | 0.76 | 0.81 | 0.78 | 0.81 | 0.81 | 0.84 | 0.67 | | | |
| Standard error | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.11 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.08 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.09 | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 61.23 | 52.28 | 69.72 | 49.80 | 59.75 | 65.39 | 67.94 | 61.10 | 59.84 | 60.34 | 65.42 | 62.38 | 56.12 | 64.91 | 43.54 | 67.18 | 58.72 | 64.29 | 58.29 | 56.09 | 62.83 | 56.68 | 63.90 | 59.31 | 75.52 | | | |

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Table 9

Q1. Do you agree or disagree that people should be free to decide for themselves whether to access any type of talking therapy they want to in relation to the following?

Personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-----------|-------|--------|----------|--------|-------------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|--------------------------|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|--|-------|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | Buddhist | | No childr en aged 18 or | | NET: Any 5- years | | NET: Any 18- 11-18 | | Yes - childr en under aged 5 years | | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 years | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 years | | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 years | |
| | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other | Christian | Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Other | None | Yes | 18 | 11-18 | old | old | old | old | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | |
| NET: Agree | 1486 | 1313 | 161 | 45 | 58 | 23 | 27 | 7 | 640 | 99 | 48 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 12 | 26 | 725 | 1057 | 421 | 320 | 221 | 151 | 157 | 155 | 96 | |
| | 71% | 73% | 59% | 67% | 52% | 65% | 61% | 60% | 69% | 55% | 47% | 55% | 100% | 69% | 64% | 76% | 70% | 75% | 74% | 73% | 77% | 76% | 73% | 73% | 73% | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 609 | 544 | 60 | 18 | 15 | 9 | 11 | 6 | 226 | 38 | 16 | 2 | 2 | - | 4 | 15 | 335 | 422 | 182 | 128 | 95 | 64 | 59 | 70 | 39 |
| | | 29% | 30% | 22% | 27% | 14% | 25% | 26% | 47% | 24% | 22% | 17% | 14% | 26% | - | 21% | 37% | 35% | 28% | 32% | 29% | 31% | 33% | 28% | 33% | 30% |
| Agree | (3) | 877 | 770 | 101 | 27 | 43 | 14 | 15 | 2 | 414 | 61 | 33 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 11 | 389 | 635 | 239 | 192 | 127 | 87 | 98 | 85 | 57 |
| | | 42% | 43% | 37% | 40% | 38% | 40% | 35% | 13% | 44% | 36% | 37% | 33% | 30% | 100% | 49% | 27% | 41% | 42% | 42% | 44% | 42% | 44% | 47% | 40% | 43% |
| Disagree | (2) | 119 | 95 | 21 | 3 | 12 | - | 6 | 66 | 14 | 9 | 2 | - | - | - | 1 | 3 | 33 | 90 | 28 | 25 | 16 | 9 | 14 | 11 | 5 |
| | | 6% | 5% | 8% | 5% | 11% | - | 14% | - | 7% | 8% | 10% | 10% | - | - | 6% | 7% | 4% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 7% | 5% | 4% | 4% | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 81 | 56 | 25 | 7 | 10 | 4 | 1 | 4 | 42 | 13 | 9 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 26 | 59 | 22 | 20 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 10 | 7 |
| | | 4% | 3% | 9% | 10% | 9% | 10% | 1% | 30% | 4% | 8% | 10% | 5% | - | - | 8% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 5% | 3% | 4% | 5% | |
| NET: Disagree | | 200 | 151 | 46 | 10 | 22 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 108 | 27 | 17 | 2 | - | - | 2 | 4 | 59 | 149 | 50 | 45 | 30 | 14 | 21 | 21 | 12 |
| | | 10% | 8% | 17% | 15% | 20% | 10% | 15% | 30% | 12% | 16% | 20% | 14% | - | - | 14% | 11% | 6% | 10% | 9% | 10% | 7% | 10% | 10% | 9% | |
| Don't know | | 337 | 289 | 44 | 9 | 21 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 158 | 30 | 15 | 4 | 1 | - | 3 | 7 | 141 | 270 | 64 | 52 | 43 | 16 | 15 | 31 | 21 |
| | | 16% | 16% | 16% | 13% | 19% | 13% | 18% | 11% | 17% | 17% | 15% | 25% | 22% | - | 17% | 17% | 15% | 18% | 11% | 12% | 14% | 8% | 7% | 15% | 16% |
| Prefer not to say | | 76 | 54 | 19 | 3 | 10 | 4 | 2 | - | 28 | 16 | 8 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 3 | 29 | 42 | 29 | 19 | 9 | 14 | 13 | 5 | 4 |
| | | 4% | 3% | 7% | 4% | 9% | 11% | 5% | - | 3% | 9% | 9% | 14% | 23% | - | - | 9% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 4% | 3% | 7% | 6% | 2% | 3% |
| Mean | | 3.19 | 3.23 | 2.95 | 3.02 | 2.80 | 3.06 | 3.13 | 2.86 | 3.10 | 2.99 | 2.84 | 2.91 | 3.46 | 3.00 | 2.98 | 3.29 | 3.32 | 3.18 | 3.23 | 3.17 | 3.20 | 3.28 | 3.17 | 3.22 | 3.19 |
| Standard deviation | | 0.77 | 0.73 | 0.93 | 0.95 | 0.90 | 0.96 | 0.77 | 1.42 | 0.78 | 0.91 | 0.94 | 0.88 | 0.58 | - | 0.87 | 0.87 | 0.71 | 0.77 | 0.76 | 0.78 | 0.79 | 0.70 | 0.74 | 0.81 | 0.79 |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.07 | 0.14 | 0.10 | 0.18 | 0.13 | 0.47 | 0.03 | 0.08 | 0.13 | 0.26 | 0.26 | - | 0.21 | 0.14 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.08 |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 61.23 | 64.28 | 42.46 | 52.03 | 32.50 | 54.69 | 46.50 | 29.86 | 56.97 | 42.39 | 34.92 | 32.26 | 55.49 | 100.00 | 55.26 | 52.63 | 69.75 | 59.83 | 65.59 | 63.15 | 63.06 | 70.28 | 65.60 | 62.84 | 63.62 |

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Table 10

Q2. Do you agree or disagree that suitably qualified psychotherapists and counsellors should be free to work, if they wish, with clients who want to address each of the following?

Summary**Base:** All respondents

| | Clients who want help with personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature | Clients who want help with personal relationship problems of a sexual nature | Clients who want help with personal issues over their own sexual identity | Clients who want help with personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female |
|-----------------------|--|--|---|---|
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 |
| NET: Agree | 1628 78% | 1610 77% | 1546 74% | 1533 73% |
| Strongly agree | (4) 649 31% | 639 30% | 624 30% | 616 29% |
| Agree | (3) 979 47% | 971 46% | 922 44% | 918 44% |
| Disagree | (2) 61 3% | 70 3% | 83 4% | 94 4% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 21 1% | 26 1% | 61 3% | 59 3% |
| NET: Disagree | 83 4% | 97 5% | 144 7% | 153 7% |
| Don't know | 319 15% | 327 16% | 333 16% | 339 16% |
| Prefer not to say | 69 3% | 66 3% | 76 4% | 74 4% |
| Mean | 3.32 | 3.30 | 3.25 | 3.24 |
| Standard deviation | 0.60 | 0.62 | 0.71 | 0.71 |
| Standard error | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.02 |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 73.62 | 72.09 | 66.83 | 65.75 |



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Table 11

Q2. Do you agree or disagree that suitably qualified psychotherapists and counsellors should be free to work, if they wish, with clients who want to address each of the following?

Clients who want help with personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|--------------------|-----------|------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|--------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------|------|---------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yorkshire & Humber | | | West Midlands | | East Midlands | | East Wales | | London | | South East | | South West | | North-Ireland |
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North East | North West | North Humberside | West Mid-lands | East Mid-lands | East Wales | East London | South London | South East | South West | North-Ireland | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1628 | 761 | 861 | 153 | 267 | 257 | 292 | 260 | 399 | 433 | 479 | 348 | 368 | 145 | 63 | 188 | 142 | 144 | 105 | 81 | 153 | 197 | 220 | 142 | 49 | 83% | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 649 | 296 | 350 | 67 | 135 | 106 | 115 | 95 | 131 | 180 | 189 | 140 | 141 | 59 | 21 | 83 | 51 | 52 | 41 | 40 | 61 | 70 | 102 | 52 | 18 | 31% | |
| Agree | (3) | 979 | 465 | 511 | 85 | 133 | 151 | 177 | 165 | 267 | 254 | 290 | 208 | 227 | 86 | 42 | 104 | 91 | 92 | 64 | 41 | 92 | 127 | 119 | 90 | 31 | 47% | |
| Disagree | (2) | 61 | 43 | 18 | 15 | 22 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 9 | 21 | 13 | 13 | 14 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 9 | 12 | 9 | 3 | 1 | 3% | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 21 | 14 | 8 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 1* | 1 | 4 | 6 | 10 | 5 | 2 | - | 1 | 2 | - | - | 1 | - | 3 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 1% | |
| NET: Disagree | | 83 | 57 | 26 | 18 | 28 | 11 | 9 | 4 | 13 | 27 | 23 | 17 | 16 | 7 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 9 | 16 | 19 | 5 | 2 | 4% | |
| Don't know | | 319 | 174 | 145 | 36 | 43 | 59 | 56 | 52 | 74 | 72 | 82 | 64 | 101 | 18 | 18 | 34 | 17 | 30 | 32 | 12 | 28 | 53 | 39 | 30 | 8 | 15% | |
| Prefer not to say | | 69 | 32 | 35 | 21 | 23 | 7 | 9 | 5 | 5 | 20 | 23 | 11 | 15 | 9 | 3 | 5 | 10 | 3 | 9 | 3 | 5 | 12 | 8 | 3 | 2% | 3% | |
| Mean | | 3.32 | 3.28 | 3.36 | 3.28 | 3.34 | 3.34 | 3.34 | 3.28 | 3.32 | 3.31 | 3.32 | 3.32 | 3.34 | 3.26 | 3.39 | 3.31 | 3.33 | 3.31 | 3.45 | 3.32 | 3.24 | 3.31 | 3.30 | 3.28 | 3% | | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.60 | 0.64 | 0.57 | 0.68 | 0.70 | 0.62 | 0.57 | 0.52 | 0.55 | 0.62 | 0.62 | 0.60 | 0.57 | 0.56 | 0.60 | 0.58 | 0.53 | 0.52 | 0.61 | 0.56 | 0.57 | 0.63 | 0.73 | 0.59 | 0.64 | 0.01 | |
| Standard error | | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.08 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 73.62 | 68.72 | 78.32 | 59.49 | 66.43 | 73.51 | 77.32 | 80.09 | 78.55 | 73.54 | 75.29 | 75.11 | 70.38 | 77.44 | 70.39 | 77.97 | 78.61 | 77.78 | 65.89 | 79.23 | 73.91 | 65.29 | 70.60 | 75.67 | 79.11 | | |

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Table 12

Q2. Do you agree or disagree that suitably qualified psychotherapists and counsellors should be free to work, if they wish, with clients who want to address each of the following?

Clients who want help with personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------------------|--------|----------------------|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|-----|--|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | No childr en aged 18 or | | NET: Any 5- 18 | | NET: Any 5- 18 | | Yes - childr en under aged 11 to 16 to | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 16 to | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 18 | | | | | | | | | |
| | Total | White | ty | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chines e | Other ethn | Christ ian | NET: Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Buddhi st | Other | None | Yes | 11-18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 18 | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1628 | 1436 | 181 | 44 | 74 | 28 | 28 | 7 | 713 | 112 | 58 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 29 | 778 | 1183 | 437 | 340 | 239 | 147 | 163 | 169 | 99 | 78% | 67% | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 649 | 578 | 66 | 20 | 19 | 12 | 10 | 5 | 244 | 42 | 20 | 1 | 2 | - | 2 | 17 | 351 | 462 | 182 | 132 | 100 | 63 | 64 | 79 | 32 | 31% | 32% | | |
| Agree | (3) | 979 | 858 | 115 | 24 | 55 | 16 | 18 | 2 | 469 | 70 | 38 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 7 | 12 | 426 | 721 | 255 | 209 | 139 | 84 | 99 | 90 | 67 | 47% | 43% | | |
| Disagree | (2) | 61 | 50 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 35 | 6 | 2 | - | - | - | 3 | 2 | 19 | 31 | 30 | 16 | 12 | 16 | 6 | 8 | 5 | 3% | 4% | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 21 | 15 | 6 | 1 | 3 | - | - | 2 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 5 | 14 | 7 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1% | 1% | | |
| NET: Disagree | 83 | 65 | 18 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 45 | 12 | 4 | 1 | - | - | - | 4 | 3 | 24 | 46 | 37 | 20 | 14 | 19 | 9 | 6 | 4% | 5% | | | |
| Don't know | 319 | 261 | 50 | 11 | 19 | 6 | 12 | 3 | 151 | 28 | 16 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 3 | 7 | 130 | 246 | 70 | 62 | 45 | 19 | 25 | 32 | 24 | 15% | 18% | | |
| Prefer not to say | 69 | 46 | 21 | 8 | 12 | - | 1 | - | 25 | 19 | 11 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | 2 | 23 | 43 | 21 | 13 | 5 | 10 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 2% | 2% | | |
| Mean | 3.32 | 3.33 | 3.21 | 3.28 | 3.12 | 3.37 | 3.24 | 3.07 | 3.25 | 3.19 | 3.22 | 2.97 | 3.41 | 3.00 | 2.76 | 3.35 | 3.40 | 3.33 | 3.29 | 3.30 | 3.33 | 3.24 | 3.31 | 3.39 | 3.23 | | | | | |
| Standard deviation | 0.60 | 0.59 | 0.69 | 0.72 | 0.66 | 0.59 | 0.60 | 1.20 | 0.60 | 0.75 | 0.69 | 0.63 | 0.56 | - | 0.91 | 0.83 | 0.57 | 0.58 | 0.65 | 0.61 | 0.61 | 0.71 | 0.62 | 0.60 | 0.60 | | | | | |
| Standard error | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.11 | 0.08 | 0.11 | 0.10 | 0.42 | 0.02 | 0.07 | 0.10 | 0.18 | 0.23 | - | 0.23 | 0.13 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.06 | | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 73.62 | 75.84 | 60.58 | 58.21 | 60.64 | 74.24 | 58.90 | 39.51 | 71.53 | 58.37 | 60.69 | 62.57 | 62.54 | 100.00 | 28.22 | 62.42 | 79.01 | 74.93 | 70.87 | 73.55 | 74.10 | 65.23 | 74.65 | 75.24 | 70.15 | | | | | |

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Table 13

Q2. Do you agree or disagree that suitably qualified psychotherapists and counsellors should be free to work, if they wish, with clients who want to address each of the following?

Clients who want help with personal relationship problems of a sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|--------------|------------|------------|--------------------|
| | Total | | Male | Female | 18-24 | | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North East | North West | North Humber-side | West Mid-lands | East Mid-lands | East Wales | East London | South London | South East | South West | North-ern Ire-land |
| | Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | |
| NET: Agree | 1610 | 744 | 861 | 153 | 261 | 257 | 289 | 259 | 391 | 429 | 475 | 340 | 366 | 137 | 62 | 187 | 141 | 141 | 105 | 82 | 155 | 193 | 218 | 138 | 50 | 85% | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 639 | 286 | 349 | 62 | 137 | 107 | 112 | 91 | 129 | 178 | 184 | 141 | 137 | 57 | 19 | 83 | 48 | 51 | 40 | 38 | 61 | 71 | 98 | 53 | 21 | 36% |
| Agree | (3) | 971 | 458 | 511 | 91 | 124 | 149 | 177 | 168 | 262 | 252 | 291 | 199 | 230 | 81 | 43 | 103 | 93 | 90 | 65 | 44 | 95 | 123 | 120 | 85 | 29 | 29% |
| Disagree | (2) | 70 | 48 | 22 | 19 | 25 | 10 | 5 | 3 | 9 | 35 | 9 | 12 | 14 | 9 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 2 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 6 | 1 | 2% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 26 | 20 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 1% | 7 | 9 | 7 | 4 | - | 1 | 5 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 10 | 3 | - | - | - |
| NET: Disagree | 97 | 68 | 28 | 22 | 30 | 14 | 11 | 5 | 14 | 42 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 9 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 6 | 10 | 3 | 8 | 14 | 18 | 9 | 1 | 2% | |
| Don't know | 327 | 182 | 144 | 35 | 46 | 56 | 57 | 52 | 80 | 66 | 91 | 68 | 102 | 22 | 15 | 34 | 19 | 30 | 33 | 10 | 26 | 57 | 42 | 30 | 7 | 13% | |
| Prefer not to say | 66 | 31 | 33 | 16 | 23 | 8 | 9 | 5 | 5 | 15 | 22 | 14 | 15 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 3 | 5 | 13 | 7 | 3 | 2% | - | - | |
| Mean | 3.30 | 3.24 | 3.35 | 3.21 | 3.35 | 3.33 | 3.31 | 3.32 | 3.27 | 3.27 | 3.32 | 3.32 | 3.30 | 3.33 | 3.17 | 3.37 | 3.31 | 3.30 | 3.24 | 3.38 | 3.32 | 3.26 | 3.29 | 3.28 | 3.38 | | |
| Standard deviation | 0.62 | 0.67 | 0.57 | 0.71 | 0.71 | 0.62 | 0.61 | 0.54 | 0.57 | 0.66 | 0.61 | 0.63 | 0.58 | 0.58 | 0.64 | 0.64 | 0.64 | 0.56 | 0.64 | 0.62 | 0.56 | 0.63 | 0.73 | 0.65 | 0.55 | | |
| Standard error | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.05 | 0.08 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.07 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 72.09 | 66.00 | 78.04 | 57.67 | 64.19 | 72.49 | 76.00 | 79.16 | 76.78 | 70.11 | 75.22 | 73.02 | 69.69 | 72.12 | 65.16 | 76.92 | 79.26 | 74.58 | 62.92 | 79.61 | 75.45 | 64.71 | 69.85 | 71.19 | 82.49 | | |

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Table 14

Q2. Do you agree or disagree that suitably qualified psychotherapists and counsellors should be free to work, if they wish, with clients who want to address each of the following?

Clients who want help with personal relationship problems of a sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------------------|-------|----------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|-------|---|-------|-------|-------|---|-------|-------|---|--|-------|--|-------|--|--|-----|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | No childr en aged 18 or | | NET: Any under 18 | | NET: Any 18- 11-18 | | Yes - childr en aged under 5 years | | 18 | 11-18 | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 years | | 18 | 11-18 | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 years | | 18 | 11-18 | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 years | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Total | White | ty | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chines e | Other ethni | Christ ian | NET: Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Buddhi st | Other | None | Yes | 18 | 11-18 | Yes - childr en aged under 5 years | 18 | 11-18 | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 years | 18 | 11-18 | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 years | 18 | 11-18 | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 years | 18 | 11-18 | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1610 | 1420 | 179 | 45 | 72 | 25 | 30 | 7 | 699 | 113 | 58 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 12 | 26 | 772 | 1171 | 431 | 339 | 238 | 140 | 163 | 165 | 102 | 77% | 79% | 66% | 78% | 78% | 79% | 77% | 78% | 77% | | | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 639 | 572 | 62 | 18 | 20 | 10 | 4 | 237 | 42 | 22 | 1 | 2 | - | 2 | 14 | 347 | 458 | 178 | 137 | 103 | 57 | 67 | 84 | 35 | 30% | 32% | 35% | 36% | 30% | 31% | 32% | 34% | 29% | 32% | 39% | 26% | | |
| Agree | (3) | 971 | 848 | 117 | 27 | 52 | 15 | 20 | 2 | 462 | 71 | 36 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 12 | 425 | 713 | 253 | 202 | 135 | 83 | 96 | 82 | 67 | 46% | 47% | 40% | 49% | 42% | 45% | 46% | 45% | 42% | 47% | 38% | 51% | |
| Disagree | (2) | 70 | 54 | 14 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 36 | 6 | 3 | - | - | - | 1 | 2 | 26 | 38 | 32 | 18 | 12 | 17 | 9 | 10 | 5 | 3% | 3% | 4% | 5% | 6% | 3% | 2% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 4% | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 26 | 19 | 7 | 2 | 3 | - | 1 | 2 | 13 | 7 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 3 | 6 | 18 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 2% | |
| NET: Disagree | 97 | 73 | 21 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 49 | 13 | 4 | 1 | - | - | 2 | 5 | 31 | 56 | 40 | 23 | 15 | 20 | 11 | 10 | 7 | 5% | 4% | 8% | 13% | 13% | 3% | 4% | 7% | 5% | 5% | 10% | 5% | 5% | |
| Don't know | 327 | 273 | 48 | 13 | 20 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 155 | 30 | 17 | 2 | 1 | - | 3 | 7 | 132 | 249 | 74 | 61 | 44 | 26 | 24 | 33 | 21 | 16% | 15% | 18% | 19% | 17% | 20% | 14% | 16% | 13% | 14% | 14% | 13% | 16% | |
| Prefer not to say | 66 | 42 | 22 | 5 | 13 | 2 | 2 | - | 29 | 15 | 10 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | 19 | 41 | 20 | 13 | 6 | 10 | 9 | 4 | 3 | 3% | 2% | 4% | 2% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 2% | 5% | 4% | 2% | 2% | | |
| Mean | 3.30 | 3.32 | 3.17 | 3.25 | 3.13 | 3.26 | 3.14 | 2.90 | 3.23 | 3.18 | 3.26 | 2.97 | 3.41 | 3.00 | 2.91 | 3.19 | 3.39 | 3.31 | 3.28 | 3.30 | 3.34 | 3.21 | 3.31 | 3.41 | 3.24 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Standard deviation | 0.62 | 0.61 | 0.71 | 0.73 | 0.65 | 0.63 | 0.68 | 1.19 | 0.62 | 0.76 | 0.68 | 0.63 | 0.56 | - | 0.81 | 0.94 | 0.59 | 0.61 | 0.66 | 0.63 | 0.62 | 0.71 | 0.62 | 0.61 | 0.63 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Standard error | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.11 | 0.08 | 0.12 | 0.11 | 0.42 | 0.02 | 0.07 | 0.10 | 0.18 | 0.23 | - | 0.20 | 0.15 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.06 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 72.09 | 74.53 | 58.39 | 61.45 | 58.78 | 63.23 | 57.93 | 26.05 | 69.62 | 58.50 | 60.02 | 62.57 | 62.54 | 100.00 | 56.26 | 52.06 | 77.64 | 73.42 | 69.24 | 72.67 | 73.47 | 61.18 | 73.49 | 73.00 | 71.56 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Table 15

Q2. Do you agree or disagree that suitably qualified psychotherapists and counsellors should be free to work, if they wish, with clients who want to address each of the following?

Clients who want help with personal issues over their own sexual identity

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------------|-------|-------|---|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North East | North West | North Humber-side | West Mid-lands | East Mid-lands | East Wales | East London | South East | South West | North-ern Ire-land | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | |
| NET: Agree | 1546 | 707 | 834 | 153 | 250 | 253 | 283 | 238 | 370 | 422 | 443 | 329 | 352 | 137 | 55 | 174 | 129 | 132 | 101 | 80 | 150 | 189 | 216 | 134 | 48 | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 624 | 277 | 344 | 65 | 135 | 108 | 106 | 86 | 124 | 174 | 182 | 131 | 136 | 57 | 16 | 79 | 49 | 49 | 37 | 38 | 59 | 72 | 99 | 51 | 18 | |
| | | 30% | 27% | 32% | 28% | 38% | 32% | 29% | 27% | 25% | 32% | 30% | 30% | 27% | 32% | 19% | 34% | 28% | 27% | 25% | 38% | 30% | 26% | 35% | 28% | 31% | |
| Agree | (3) | 922 | 430 | 490 | 88 | 114 | 145 | 177 | 152 | 246 | 248 | 261 | 198 | 216 | 80 | 39 | 95 | 80 | 83 | 64 | 42 | 91 | 117 | 117 | 83 | 30 | |
| | | 44% | 42% | 46% | 39% | 32% | 43% | 48% | 48% | 50% | 45% | 43% | 45% | 43% | 45% | 45% | 41% | 46% | 46% | 42% | 43% | 47% | 42% | 41% | 46% | 51% | |
| Disagree | (2) | 83 | 55 | 27 | 18 | 19 | 10 | 7 | 9 | 19 | 36 | 16 | 18 | 14 | 8 | 10 | 6 | 10 | 7 | 6 | 3 | 11 | 12 | 7 | 3 | 2% | 1 |
| | | 4% | 5% | 3% | 8% | 5% | 3% | 2% | 3% | 4% | 6% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 5% | 11% | 2% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 6% | 4% | 2% | 2% | 2% | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 61 | 48 | 12 | 6 | 15 | 10 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 14 | 19 | 13 | 14 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 16 | 10 | 5 | 1 | |
| | | 3% | 5% | 1% | 2% | 4% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 2% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 2% | 5% | 2% | 5% | 2% | 4% | 2% | 1% | 6% | 4% | 3% | 2% | |
| NET: Disagree | | 144 | 103 | 39 | 24 | 34 | 20 | 16 | 21 | 29 | 50 | 35 | 31 | 28 | 11 | 14 | 11 | 13 | 10 | 12 | 5 | 12 | 27 | 17 | 8 | 3 | |
| | | 7% | 10% | 4% | 11% | 9% | 6% | 4% | 6% | 6% | 9% | 6% | 7% | 6% | 6% | 6% | 16% | 5% | 8% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 10% | 6% | 4% | 4% | |
| Don't know | | 333 | 180 | 154 | 35 | 47 | 54 | 56 | 56 | 86 | 63 | 99 | 69 | 102 | 23 | 16 | 40 | 22 | 34 | 31 | 11 | 26 | 49 | 43 | 31 | 7 | |
| | | 16% | 18% | 14% | 15% | 13% | 16% | 15% | 17% | 11% | 16% | 16% | 16% | 20% | 13% | 18% | 17% | 13% | 19% | 21% | 11% | 13% | 18% | 15% | 17% | 13% | |
| Prefer not to say | | 76 | 35 | 40 | 16 | 30 | 8 | 10 | 6 | 6 | 18 | 29 | 10 | 19 | 7 | 1 | 8 | 9 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 12 | 9 | 8 | 1 | | |
| | | 4% | 3% | 4% | 7% | 8% | 2% | 3% | 2% | 1% | 3% | 5% | 2% | 4% | 4% | 2% | 3% | 5% | 2% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 4% | 1% | | |
| Mean | | 3.25 | 3.16 | 3.34 | 3.20 | 3.31 | 3.28 | 3.27 | 3.21 | 3.21 | 3.24 | 3.27 | 3.24 | 3.25 | 3.28 | 2.97 | 3.34 | 3.23 | 3.24 | 3.18 | 3.36 | 3.28 | 3.13 | 3.31 | 3.27 | 3.28 | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.71 | 0.79 | 0.61 | 0.75 | 0.81 | 0.71 | 0.66 | 0.71 | 0.65 | 0.71 | 0.71 | 0.71 | 0.70 | 0.67 | 0.79 | 0.68 | 0.67 | 0.66 | 0.75 | 0.68 | 0.63 | 0.81 | 0.73 | 0.67 | 0.64 | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.06 | 0.09 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.08 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 66.83 | 58.93 | 74.49 | 56.76 | 59.81 | 69.66 | 73.08 | 67.83 | 69.43 | 67.47 | 67.38 | 67.82 | 64.60 | 70.41 | 47.96 | 70.22 | 66.57 | 67.50 | 59.36 | 75.94 | 70.44 | 58.22 | 69.92 | 69.83 | 77.34 | |

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Table 16

Q2. Do you agree or disagree that suitably qualified psychotherapists and counsellors should be free to work, if they wish, with clients who want to address each of the following?

Clients who want help with personal issues over their own sexual identity

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|---------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------|----------|--------|-------------------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|-------------------------------|-------|--|-----------|---|-----------|--|-------|--|-------|----|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | Buddhist | | No childr en aged 18 or | | NET: Any 5- 18 years | | NET: Any 5- 11-18 years | | Yes - childr en under aged 5 years | | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 years | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 years | | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 years | | |
| | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other ethni c group | Christ ian | NET: Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Other | None | Yes | 18 | 11-18 | Yes old | 18 old | Yes old | 18 old | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | |
| NET: Agree | 1546 | 1363 | 174 | 47 | 65 | 28 | 28 | 6 | 670 | 105 | 48 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 14 | 26 | 751 | 1120 | 421 | 325 | 227 | 145 | 154 | 159 | 96 | | |
| | 74% | 75% | 64% | 70% | 58% | 65% | 65% | 46% | 72% | 61% | 54% | 67% | 63% | 100% | 77% | 65% | 79% | 74% | 75% | 75% | 74% | 74% | 75% | 75% | 73% | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 624 | 551 | 69 | 23 | 17 | 14 | 11 | 4 | 230 | 36 | 15 | 1 | 2 | - | 2 | 16 | 346 | 447 | 174 | 127 | 92 | 62 | 65 | 72 | 30 | |
| | 30% | 30% | 25% | 33% | 15% | 40% | 25% | 33% | 25% | 21% | 17% | 5% | 26% | - | - | 13% | 39% | 36% | 29% | 31% | 29% | 30% | 32% | 31% | 34% | 23% | |
| Agree | (3) | 922 | 812 | 106 | 25 | 48 | 14 | 17 | 2 | 439 | 69 | 33 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 11 | 10 | 405 | 672 | 247 | 199 | 135 | 84 | 89 | 87 | 66 | |
| | 44% | 45% | 39% | 36% | 43% | 39% | 40% | 13% | 47% | 41% | 37% | 63% | 37% | 100% | 64% | 26% | 42% | 44% | 44% | 46% | 45% | 43% | 41% | 41% | 50% | | |
| Disagree | (2) | 83 | 68 | 12 | 1 | 5 | - | 6 | 1 | 35 | 11 | 9 | - | - | - | - | 2 | 32 | 51 | 30 | 23 | 16 | 9 | 11 | 10 | 7 | |
| | 4% | 4% | 4% | 1% | 4% | - | - | 13% | 6% | 4% | 6% | 10% | - | - | - | - | 5% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 6% | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 61 | 49 | 12 | 5 | 4 | - | - | 3 | 35 | 7 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | 3 | 18 | 43 | 18 | 10 | 5 | 9 | 5 | 2 | |
| | 3% | 3% | 4% | 8% | 4% | - | - | - | 21% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 5% | - | - | - | 8% | 7% | 2% | 3% | 3% | 2% | 5% | 3% | 2% | | |
| NET: Disagree | | 144 | 117 | 24 | 6 | 9 | - | 6 | 3 | 70 | 18 | 11 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | 5 | 50 | 94 | 48 | 32 | 22 | 19 | 16 | 9 | |
| | 7% | 6% | 9% | 9% | 8% | - | - | 13% | 27% | 7% | 11% | 13% | 5% | - | - | - | 8% | 12% | 5% | 6% | 8% | 7% | 7% | 10% | 7% | | |
| Don't know | | 333 | 281 | 46 | 9 | 22 | 5 | 6 | 3 | 163 | 32 | 19 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 3 | 8 | 128 | 257 | 73 | 63 | 49 | 22 | 25 | 36 | 24 |
| | 16% | 16% | 17% | 13% | 20% | 15% | 15% | 13% | 27% | 17% | 19% | 21% | 14% | 15% | - | - | 15% | 19% | 13% | 17% | 13% | 14% | 16% | 11% | 17% | 18% | |
| Prefer not to say | | 76 | 47 | 27 | 5 | 15 | 2 | 4 | - | 31 | 16 | 11 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | 25 | 47 | 23 | 15 | 6 | 10 | 12 | 3 | 3 | |
| | 4% | 3% | 10% | 8% | 14% | 6% | 9% | - | 3% | 9% | 12% | 14% | 23% | - | - | - | 4% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 2% | 5% | 6% | 1% | 2% | |
| Mean | | 3.25 | 3.26 | 3.17 | 3.21 | 3.06 | 3.50 | 3.16 | 2.79 | 3.17 | 3.08 | 3.02 | 2.93 | 3.41 | 3.00 | 2.96 | 3.27 | 3.35 | 3.26 | 3.23 | 3.24 | 3.26 | 3.21 | 3.26 | 3.32 | 3.18 | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.71 | 0.70 | 0.79 | 0.90 | 0.72 | 0.51 | 0.69 | 1.36 | 0.72 | 0.78 | 0.76 | 0.60 | 0.56 | - | 0.76 | 0.94 | 0.66 | 0.70 | 0.73 | 0.69 | 0.68 | 0.79 | 0.71 | 0.67 | 0.64 | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.13 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.12 | 0.51 | 0.03 | 0.07 | 0.11 | 0.17 | 0.23 | - | 0.18 | 0.15 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.06 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 66.83 | 68.89 | 55.68 | 60.80 | 50.44 | 78.97 | 52.41 | 18.85 | 64.25 | 50.69 | 41.84 | 62.57 | 62.54 | 100.00 | 69.15 | 53.23 | 73.41 | 67.57 | 66.06 | 67.24 | 67.79 | 64.84 | 66.70 | 68.74 | 65.43 | |

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Table 17

Q2. Do you agree or disagree that suitably qualified psychotherapists and counsellors should be free to work, if they wish, with clients who want to address each of the following?

Clients who want help with personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|-------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | Yorkshire & Humber | | | West Midlands | | East Midlands | | East Wales | | London | | South East | | South West | | North-ern Ire-land |
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North East | North West | North Humberside | West Midlands | East Midlands | East Wales | East London | South London | South East | South West | South East | South West | North-ern Ire-land | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1533 73% | 700 68% | 828 78% | 153 68% | 254 70% | 251 75% | 279 76% | 234 73% | 363 74% | 415 75% | 452 75% | 324 74% | 342 68% | 137 77% | 57 66% | 177 76% | 125 72% | 133 74% | 99 66% | 74 75% | 150 77% | 187 67% | 212 74% | 135 75% | 47 79% | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) 616 29% | 274 27% | 339 32% | 65 29% | 133 37% | 105 31% | 105 29% | 84 26% | 123 25% | 171 31% | 179 29% | 134 31% | 131 26% | 57 32% | 16 18% | 84 36% | 45 26% | 51 28% | 39 26% | 36 36% | 56 28% | 71 26% | 97 34% | 48 26% | 18 30% | | | |
| Agree | (3) 918 44% | 426 42% | 489 46% | 88 39% | 121 34% | 146 44% | 174 47% | 150 47% | 239 49% | 244 44% | 273 45% | 190 43% | 211 42% | 81 45% | 41 48% | 93 40% | 81 46% | 82 46% | 60 40% | 38 39% | 94 48% | 116 42% | 116 41% | 87 48% | 29 49% | | | |
| Disagree | (2) 94 4% | 61 6% | 33 3% | 15 7% | 25 7% | 15 4% | 5 1% | 13 4% | 20 4% | 37 7% | 19 3% | 15 3% | 23 5% | 8 5% | 8 9% | 6 2% | 13 8% | 5 3% | 6 4% | 7 7% | 9 5% | 17 6% | 9 3% | 4 2% | 3 4% | | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 59 3% | 45 4% | 12 1% | 7 3% | 10 3% | 9 3% | 12 4% | 11 2% | 14 2% | 14 2% | 17 4% | 14 3% | 14 3% | 3 2% | 5 5% | 5 2% | 3 2% | 4 2% | 4 2% | 4 4% | 2 1% | 13 5% | 10 4% | 5 3% | 1 2% | | | |
| NET: Disagree | 153 7% | 107 10% | 45 4% | 23 10% | 35 10% | 25 8% | 14 4% | 25 8% | 31 6% | 51 9% | 33 5% | 32 7% | 37 7% | 11 6% | 13 15% | 11 5% | 16 9% | 9 5% | 9 6% | 11 11% | 11 6% | 31 11% | 20 7% | 9 5% | 4 7% | | | |
| Don't know | 339 16% | 182 18% | 157 15% | 35 15% | 49 13% | 49 15% | 61 17% | 55 17% | 90 18% | 68 12% | 98 16% | 67 15% | 107 21% | 21 12% | 13 16% | 37 13% | 23 19% | 35 22% | 33 11% | 11 14% | 28 11% | 50 14% | 47 18% | 32 17% | 7 13% | | | |
| Prefer not to say | 74 4% | 36 4% | 37 3% | 16 7% | 23 6% | 9 3% | 12 3% | 6 2% | 7 1% | 19 3% | 23 4% | 17 4% | 15 3% | 10 3% | 3 3% | 8 6% | 3 2% | 9 6% | 3 3% | 7 4% | 9 3% | 6 2% | 4 2% | 1 1% | | | | |
| Mean | 3.24 | 3.15 | 3.32 | 3.20 | 3.30 | 3.25 | 3.28 | 3.18 | 3.21 | 3.23 | 3.27 | 3.24 | 3.21 | 3.29 | 2.98 | 3.36 | 3.18 | 3.26 | 3.24 | 3.25 | 3.27 | 3.12 | 3.29 | 3.24 | 3.25 | | | |
| Standard deviation | 0.71 | 0.79 | 0.62 | 0.76 | 0.77 | 0.72 | 0.65 | 0.72 | 0.66 | 0.72 | 0.67 | 0.75 | 0.72 | 0.66 | 0.78 | 0.68 | 0.68 | 0.67 | 0.70 | 0.80 | 0.61 | 0.80 | 0.74 | 0.66 | 0.67 | | | |
| Standard error | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.06 | 0.09 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.08 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.09 | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 65.75 | 57.91 | 73.34 | 57.65 | 60.64 | 67.49 | 72.25 | 65.27 | 67.55 | 65.87 | 69.15 | 66.37 | 60.96 | 70.97 | 51.52 | 71.33 | 62.75 | 68.67 | 59.38 | 64.31 | 71.08 | 56.30 | 67.50 | 69.91 | 72.97 | | | |

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Table 18

Q2. Do you agree or disagree that suitably qualified psychotherapists and counsellors should be free to work, if they wish, with clients who want to address each of the following?

Clients who want help with personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|----------|-------|------------|-------|----------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|---|-------|------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | Buddhist | | | | | | | | NET: Any 5- under 18 | | NET: Any 5- under 18 | | Yes - children aged under 11 to 15 | | Yes - children aged 11 to 15 | | Yes - children aged 16 to 18 | | | |
| | Total | White | ty | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chines e | Other | Christ ian | NET: | Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | st | Other | None | Yes | 18 | 11-18 | old | old | old | old | old | old | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1533 | 1350 | 172 | 47 | 66 | 26 | 28 | 6 | 666 | 104 | 51 | 11 | 4 | 2 | 10 | 26 | 741 | 1105 | 421 | 325 | 227 | 143 | 157 | 158 | 98 | | | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 616 | 544 | 66 | 21 | 20 | 10 | 10 | 4 | 225 | 40 | 16 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 16 | 338 | 435 | 178 | 131 | 96 | 63 | 66 | 78 | 32 | | | | |
| Agree | (3) | 918 | 806 | 106 | 25 | 46 | 16 | 18 | 2 | 441 | 64 | 34 | 9 | 3 | - | 8 | 11 | 403 | 670 | 243 | 194 | 131 | 80 | 90 | 80 | 66 | | | | |
| Disagree | (2) | 94 | 75 | 15 | 3 | 7 | - | 3 | 2 | 41 | 13 | 8 | - | - | - | 2 | 3 | 34 | 55 | 39 | 27 | 22 | 14 | 11 | 16 | 7 | | | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 59 | 44 | 15 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 35 | 6 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 17 | 47 | 12 | 9 | 4 | 6 | 6 | 2 | 2 | | | | |
| NET: Disagree | 153 | 119 | 30 | 7 | 11 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 76 | 20 | 11 | 1 | - | - | 4 | 5 | 51 | 102 | 51 | 36 | 26 | 20 | 17 | 18 | 9 | | | | | |
| Don't know | 339 | 286 | 47 | 8 | 23 | 5 | 7 | 3 | 162 | 32 | 18 | 2 | 1 | - | 4 | 7 | 137 | 265 | 70 | 61 | 44 | 22 | 23 | 33 | 22 | | | | | |
| Prefer not to say | 74 | 52 | 21 | 5 | 11 | 2 | 2 | - | 29 | 16 | 9 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 3 | 26 | 46 | 23 | 14 | 6 | 11 | 10 | 3 | 3 | | | | | |
| Mean | | 3.24 | 3.26 | 3.10 | 3.19 | 3.07 | 3.16 | 3.10 | 2.73 | 3.15 | 3.11 | 3.05 | 3.03 | 3.41 | 4.00 | 2.81 | 3.29 | 3.34 | 3.24 | 3.24 | 3.26 | 3.23 | 3.25 | 3.33 | 3.19 | | | | | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.71 | 0.69 | 0.83 | 0.86 | 0.75 | 0.85 | 0.80 | 1.31 | 0.72 | 0.79 | 0.75 | 0.68 | 0.56 | - | 0.87 | 0.88 | 0.66 | 0.71 | 0.71 | 0.69 | 0.68 | 0.76 | 0.72 | 0.69 | 0.64 | | | | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.13 | 0.09 | 0.15 | 0.13 | 0.46 | 0.03 | 0.07 | 0.11 | 0.20 | 0.23 | - | 0.22 | 0.14 | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.06 | | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 65.75 | 68.10 | 52.54 | 58.62 | 49.38 | 64.26 | 53.10 | 12.12 | 63.28 | 49.10 | 44.93 | 62.57 | 62.54 | 100.00 | 38.35 | 53.23 | 72.26 | 66.07 | 65.45 | 66.34 | 66.06 | 63.04 | 67.77 | 65.96 | 66.58 | | | | |

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Table 19

Q3. Do you agree or disagree that doctors, teachers and youth workers should be free to engage in conversations with young people, where those conversations are sought by young people, to address each of the following? - Summary
Base: All respondents

| | Personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature | Personal relationship problems of a sexual nature | Personal issues over their own sexual identity | Personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female |
|-----------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 |
| NET: Agree | 1487 71% | 1355 65% | 1298 62% | 1277 61% |
| Strongly agree | (4) 24% | 497 22% | 454 21% | 435 21% |
| Agree | (3) 47% | 990 43% | 902 41% | 863 40% |
| Disagree | (2) 6% | 134 8% | 174 10% | 204 10% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 3% | 63 4% | 88 6% | 123 7% |
| NET: Disagree | 197 9% | 262 13% | 327 16% | 345 16% |
| Don't know | 351 17% | 419 20% | 407 19% | 407 19% |
| Prefer not to say | 64 3% | 62 3% | 66 3% | 70 3% |
| Mean | 3.14 | 3.06 | 2.99 | 2.97 |
| Standard deviation | 0.71 | 0.78 | 0.83 | 0.86 |
| Standard error | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 61.45 | 52.07 | 46.25 | 44.38 |



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Table 20

Q3. Do you agree or disagree that doctors, teachers and youth workers should be free to engage in conversations with young people, where those conversations are sought by young people, to address each of the following? - Personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature
Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | | Male | Female | 18-24 | | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North-East | North-West | North-Humber-side | West-Mid-lands | East-Mid-lands | East-Wales | East-London | South-East | South-West | North-Ireland |
| | | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North-East | North-West | North-Humber-side | West-Mid-lands | East-Mid-lands | East-Wales | East-London | South-East | South-West | North-Ireland | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | |
| NET: Agree | 1487 71% | 697 68% | 785 74% | 146 64% | 248 69% | 238 71% | 278 76% | 225 70% | 352 72% | 390 71% | 454 75% | 302 69% | 341 68% | 133 74% | 56 65% | 185 79% | 128 74% | 131 72% | 100 66% | 75 76% | 136 70% | 174 63% | 199 70% | 128 71% | 41 70% | |
| Strongly agree | (4) 24% | 497 23% | 234 24% | 260 24% | 55 30% | 109 27% | 89 24% | 87 21% | 66 19% | 92 17% | 147 27% | 147 24% | 94 21% | 109 22% | 49 28% | 16 19% | 79 34% | 39 22% | 45 25% | 29 19% | 22 23% | 46 24% | 54 20% | 63 22% | 42 23% | 11 20% |
| Agree | (3) 47% | 990 45% | 463 45% | 525 49% | 91 40% | 139 39% | 149 45% | 191 52% | 160 50% | 260 53% | 243 44% | 307 51% | 208 47% | 232 46% | 84 47% | 40 46% | 105 45% | 89 51% | 86 48% | 71 47% | 53 54% | 90 46% | 120 43% | 136 48% | 87 48% | 30 51% |
| Disagree | (2) 6% | 134 8% | 79 5% | 54 9% | 19 5% | 20 7% | 24 5% | 18 4% | 14 8% | 39 8% | 44 4% | 26 8% | 35 8% | 29 6% | 6 3% | 10 11% | 14 6% | 5 3% | 12 7% | 9 6% | 5 5% | 11 6% | 25 9% | 21 7% | 8 4% | 6 10% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 3% | 63 3% | 33 3% | 30 3% | 6 3% | 9 3% | 11 3% | 8 2% | 14 4% | 15 3% | 14 3% | 19 3% | 10 2% | 20 4% | 2 1% | 3 4% | 4 2% | 3 1% | 4 3% | 1 1% | 8 4% | 9 3% | 14 5% | 8 4% | 3 5% | |
| NET: Disagree | 197 9% | 112 11% | 85 8% | 26 11% | 29 8% | 34 10% | 26 7% | 28 9% | 54 11% | 57 10% | 46 8% | 45 10% | 48 10% | 8 5% | 13 15% | 19 8% | 9 5% | 15 8% | 13 9% | 6 6% | 19 10% | 34 12% | 35 12% | 16 9% | 9 15% | |
| Don't know | 351 17% | 193 19% | 159 15% | 37 16% | 66 18% | 56 17% | 53 14% | 59 19% | 80 16% | 88 16% | 86 14% | 81 18% | 97 19% | 30 17% | 15 17% | 24 10% | 26 15% | 30 17% | 34 22% | 14 15% | 35 18% | 58 21% | 47 16% | 31 17% | 8 14% | |
| Prefer not to say | 64 3% | 24 2% | 39 4% | 19 8% | 19 5% | 5 2% | 9 2% | 8 2% | 5 1% | 17 3% | 21 3% | 11 3% | 15 3% | 7 4% | 2 3% | 6 2% | 11 6% | 5 3% | 4 3% | 3 3% | 5 3% | 10 4% | 5 2% | 6 3% | - | - |
| Mean | 3.14 | 3.11 | 3.17 | 3.14 | 3.26 | 3.16 | 3.17 | 3.09 | 3.05 | 3.17 | 3.16 | 3.11 | 3.11 | 3.27 | 3.01 | 3.28 | 3.19 | 3.18 | 3.11 | 3.18 | 3.12 | 3.05 | 3.06 | 3.13 | 2.99 | |
| Standard deviation | 0.71 | 0.73 | 0.69 | 0.75 | 0.73 | 0.74 | 0.65 | 0.73 | 0.69 | 0.72 | 0.69 | 0.69 | 0.74 | 0.62 | 0.75 | 0.68 | 0.64 | 0.66 | 0.69 | 0.60 | 0.75 | 0.75 | 0.77 | 0.74 | 0.77 | |
| Standard error | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.09 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.06 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 61.45 | 57.09 | 65.66 | 52.87 | 60.68 | 61.00 | 68.84 | 61.58 | 60.70 | 60.20 | 67.40 | 58.32 | 58.37 | 69.68 | 50.65 | 71.26 | 68.13 | 64.15 | 57.53 | 69.89 | 59.79 | 50.52 | 57.35 | 62.49 | 54.93 | |

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Table 21

Q3. Do you agree or disagree that doctors, teachers and youth workers should be free to engage in conversations with young people, where those conversations are sought by young people, to address each of the following? - Personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|---------|------------------------|---------------|-------|--------|---------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|--------------------------|-------|--|-------|--|-----|---|-----|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | Buddhi st. | | | | | | | | No childr en aged 18 or | | NET: Any 5- years | | NET: Any 18- 11-18 | | Yes - childr en under aged 18 | | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 | | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 | | | | | | |
| | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other ethnici ty | Christ ian | Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Other | None | Yes | 18 | 11-18 | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1487 | 1314 | 166 | 43 | 64 | 22 | 29 | 7 | 665 | 100 | 50 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 28 | 706 | 1078 | 401 | 301 | 209 | 139 | 145 | 145 | 87 | 71% | 69% | 71% | 68% | 65% | | | | | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 497 | 442 | 54 | 14 | 19 | 9 | 8 | 3 | 189 | 30 | 14 | 2 | 1 | - | 3 | 10 | 271 | 347 | 147 | 108 | 79 | 52 | 56 | 63 | 25 | 24% | 28% | 23% | 26% | 25% | 19% | | | | | |
| Agree | (3) | 990 | 872 | 112 | 29 | 45 | 13 | 21 | 4 | 476 | 70 | 36 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 7 | 18 | 435 | 731 | 254 | 193 | 130 | 87 | 90 | 82 | 62 | 45% | 46% | 48% | 45% | 44% | 43% | 45% | 43% | 39% | 47% | |
| Disagree | (2) | 134 | 105 | 26 | 5 | 11 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 61 | 15 | 10 | 2 | * | - | 2 | 1 | 55 | 87 | 47 | 37 | 28 | 20 | 14 | 20 | 11 | 6% | 6% | 10% | 8% | 9% | 10% | 7% | 9% | 9% | 9% | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 63 | 45 | 16 | 3 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 27 | 11 | 6 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 2 | 22 | 44 | 19 | 17 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 12 | 8 | 3% | 3% | 4% | 2% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 5% | 5% | 6% | |
| NET: Disagree | 197 | 150 | 42 | 8 | 19 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 88 | 26 | 16 | 3 | 1 | - | 3 | 2 | 77 | 132 | 65 | 54 | 42 | 25 | 20 | 31 | 19 | 9% | 8% | 12% | 9% | 12% | 12% | 14% | 13% | 10% | 15% | 14% | |
| Don't know | 351 | 296 | 46 | 12 | 19 | 6 | 6 | 3 | 160 | 33 | 16 | 2 | 2 | - | 4 | 8 | 146 | 266 | 82 | 69 | 46 | 25 | 33 | 33 | 23 | 17% | 16% | 18% | 19% | 15% | 16% | 13% | 16% | 16% | 18% | | |
| Prefer not to say | 64 | 47 | 16 | 4 | 9 | - | 4 | - | 21 | 12 | 6 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | 26 | 43 | 17 | 12 | 7 | 7 | 8 | 3 | 4 | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 2% | 3% | 4% | 1% | 3% | |
| Mean | | 3.14 | 3.17 | 2.98 | 3.06 | 2.91 | 2.98 | 3.06 | 2.88 | 3.10 | 2.95 | 2.88 | 2.85 | 2.61 | 3.00 | 2.90 | 3.19 | 3.22 | 3.14 | 3.14 | 3.11 | 3.09 | 3.14 | 3.18 | 3.12 | 2.99 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.71 | 0.69 | 0.83 | 0.79 | 0.86 | 0.85 | 0.73 | 1.14 | 0.68 | 0.84 | 0.86 | 0.84 | 1.35 | - | 0.92 | 0.75 | 0.69 | 0.70 | 0.75 | 0.77 | 0.81 | 0.73 | 0.73 | 0.85 | 0.80 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.12 | 0.10 | 0.15 | 0.12 | 0.40 | 0.02 | 0.08 | 0.12 | 0.24 | 0.60 | - | 0.24 | 0.12 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.08 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 61.45 | 64.37 | 45.81 | 51.56 | 40.99 | 39.74 | 57.43 | 34.79 | 61.85 | 43.06 | 37.99 | 31.95 | 11.26 | 100.00 | 40.37 | 62.94 | 65.92 | 62.33 | 59.50 | 56.74 | 55.01 | 58.67 | 60.72 | 53.73 | 51.17 | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Table 22

Q3. Do you agree or disagree that doctors, teachers and youth workers should be free to engage in conversations with young people, where those conversations are sought by young people, to address each of the following? - Personal relationship problems of a sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|------------|------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|------------|---------------|---------------|-----|
| | Total | | Male | Female | 18-24 | | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North-East | North-West | North-Humberside | West-Midlands | East-Midlands | East-Wales | East-London | South-East | South-West | North-Ireland | |
| | | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North-East | North-West | North-Humberside | West-Midlands | East-Midlands | East-Wales | East-London | South-East | South-West | North-Ireland | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | |
| NET: Agree | 1355 | 633 | 720 | 132 | 232 | 215 | 260 | 204 | 313 | 362 | 408 | 274 | 312 | 118 | 49 | 169 | 109 | 124 | 96 | 67 | 121 | 165 | 177 | 117 | 42 | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 454 | 214 | 237 | 52 | 101 | 75 | 88 | 54 | 84 | 135 | 125 | 94 | 100 | 37 | 15 | 70 | 36 | 43 | 24 | 19 | 42 | 60 | 58 | 38 | 10 | |
| | | 22% | 21% | 22% | 23% | 28% | 22% | 24% | 17% | 24% | 21% | 21% | 20% | 20% | 21% | 18% | 30% | 20% | 24% | 16% | 20% | 22% | 20% | 21% | 18% | | |
| Agree | (3) | 902 | 419 | 483 | 80 | 131 | 140 | 172 | 150 | 229 | 227 | 283 | 180 | 211 | 81 | 34 | 99 | 74 | 81 | 71 | 48 | 79 | 105 | 119 | 80 | 32 | |
| | | 43% | 41% | 45% | 35% | 36% | 42% | 47% | 47% | 47% | 41% | 47% | 41% | 42% | 45% | 39% | 42% | 42% | 45% | 47% | 47% | 48% | 41% | 38% | 42% | 44% | 54% |
| Disagree | (2) | 174 | 95 | 79 | 26 | 14 | 30 | 26 | 23 | 55 | 48 | 42 | 46 | 39 | 10 | 14 | 20 | 18 | 13 | 7 | 11 | 14 | 22 | 31 | 11 | 11 | 4 |
| | | 8% | 9% | 7% | 12% | 4% | 9% | 7% | 11% | 9% | 9% | 7% | 11% | 8% | 5% | 16% | 9% | 10% | 7% | 5% | 11% | 7% | 8% | 11% | 6% | 7% | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 88 | 56 | 32 | 12 | 10 | 14 | 13 | 17 | 22 | 20 | 25 | 15 | 27 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 10 | 16 | 17 | 10 | 2 | |
| | | 4% | 5% | 3% | 5% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 5% | 4% | 3% | 5% | 3% | 5% | 3% | 5% | 1% | 6% | 6% | 6% | 4% | |
| NET: Disagree | | 262 | 151 | 111 | 38 | 24 | 44 | 40 | 40 | 77 | 68 | 67 | 62 | 66 | 16 | 18 | 26 | 20 | 17 | 15 | 12 | 25 | 38 | 47 | 21 | 6 | |
| | | 13% | 15% | 10% | 17% | 7% | 13% | 11% | 12% | 16% | 12% | 11% | 14% | 13% | 9% | 20% | 11% | 12% | 10% | 10% | 12% | 13% | 14% | 17% | 12% | 10% | |
| Don't know | | 419 | 215 | 201 | 41 | 87 | 71 | 57 | 68 | 95 | 106 | 109 | 93 | 111 | 36 | 19 | 31 | 34 | 35 | 36 | 16 | 44 | 64 | 56 | 38 | 10 | |
| | | 20% | 21% | 19% | 18% | 24% | 21% | 16% | 21% | 19% | 19% | 18% | 21% | 22% | 20% | 22% | 13% | 20% | 19% | 24% | 19% | 23% | 16% | 23% | 19% | 21% | 17% |
| Prefer not to say | | 62 | 26 | 35 | 16 | 18 | 5 | 9 | 9 | 5 | 17 | 22 | 11 | 13 | 9 | 1 | 6 | 10 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 10 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 1 | |
| | | 3% | 3% | 3% | 7% | 5% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 1% | 3% | 4% | 2% | 2% | 5% | 1% | 2% | 6% | 2% | 3% | 4% | 2% | 4% | 2% | 2% | 1% | |
| Mean | | 3.06 | 3.01 | 3.11 | 3.01 | 3.26 | 3.07 | 3.12 | 2.99 | 2.96 | 3.11 | 3.07 | 3.05 | 3.02 | 3.11 | 2.90 | 3.19 | 3.10 | 3.15 | 3.01 | 3.07 | 3.05 | 3.03 | 2.97 | 3.04 | 3.05 | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.78 | 0.82 | 0.72 | 0.86 | 0.73 | 0.79 | 0.74 | 0.78 | 0.76 | 0.78 | 0.75 | 0.77 | 0.81 | 0.73 | 0.82 | 0.75 | 0.69 | 0.71 | 0.76 | 0.67 | 0.82 | 0.85 | 0.83 | 0.81 | 0.69 | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.07 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.10 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.09 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 52.07 | 47.04 | 57.07 | 41.22 | 57.65 | 51.24 | 60.19 | 51.18 | 48.09 | 53.17 | 56.26 | 48.33 | 49.07 | 57.09 | 36.17 | 61.29 | 51.11 | 59.21 | 53.39 | 55.45 | 49.55 | 45.83 | 45.52 | 53.22 | 61.46 | |

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Table 23

Q3. Do you agree or disagree that doctors, teachers and youth workers should be free to engage in conversations with young people, where those conversations are sought by young people, to address each of the following? - Personal relationship problems of a sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-----------|---------------|--------|----------|--------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|---|-------|---------------------------------------|-------|--|--|--|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | Buddhist | | | | | | | | NET: Any 5-18 | | NET: Any 18-25 | | Yes - childr en aged under 11 to 15 years | | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 15 years | | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 years | | | |
| | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other | Christian | NET: Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Other | None | Yes | 18 | 11-18 | 18 | 11-18 | Yes | old | old | old | old | old | old | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1355 | 1194 | 159 | 40 | 66 | 21 | 27 | 6 | 594 | 96 | 52 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 23 | 655 | 983 | 365 | 290 | 201 | 115 | 140 | 139 | 81 | | | | | |
| | 65% | 66% | 59% | 59% | 59% | 57% | 63% | 48% | 64% | 56% | 58% | 52% | 32% | 100% | 47% | 58% | 69% | 65% | 65% | 67% | 66% | 59% | 68% | 66% | 61% | | | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 454 | 403 | 50 | 12 | 16 | 10 | 7 | 4 | 171 | 28 | 12 | 2 | 1 | - | 3 | 10 | 248 | 313 | 138 | 109 | 84 | 37 | 48 | 67 | 29 | | | | |
| | | 22% | 22% | 18% | 18% | 14% | 29% | 16% | 35% | 18% | 16% | 14% | 10% | - | - | 19% | 24% | 26% | 21% | 24% | 25% | 28% | 19% | 23% | 31% | 22% | | | | |
| Agree | (3) | 902 | 791 | 109 | 28 | 49 | 10 | 20 | 2 | 423 | 68 | 40 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 14 | 407 | 670 | 227 | 181 | 117 | 78 | 91 | 73 | 52 | | | | |
| | | 43% | 44% | 40% | 41% | 45% | 28% | 47% | 13% | 45% | 39% | 44% | 38% | 22% | 100% | 28% | 34% | 43% | 44% | 40% | 42% | 38% | 40% | 44% | 34% | 39% | | | | |
| Disagree | (2) | 174 | 148 | 24 | 5 | 11 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 86 | 17 | 9 | 2 | - | - | 2 | 3 | 69 | 114 | 61 | 43 | 33 | 28 | 16 | 23 | 16 | | | | |
| | | 8% | 8% | 9% | 7% | 10% | 11% | 7% | 6% | 9% | 10% | 10% | 15% | - | - | 12% | 7% | 7% | 7% | 11% | 10% | 11% | 15% | 8% | 11% | 12% | | | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 88 | 67 | 19 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 43 | 12 | 6 | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | 3 | 30 | 64 | 24 | 19 | 15 | 8 | 8 | 11 | 8 | | | | |
| | | 4% | 4% | 7% | 9% | 6% | 7% | 3% | 21% | 5% | 7% | 7% | 5% | 11% | - | 8% | 7% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 5% | 6% | | | | |
| NET: Disagree | | 262 | 215 | 43 | 11 | 18 | 7 | 4 | 3 | 129 | 29 | 15 | 3 | 1 | - | 4 | 6 | 99 | 177 | 85 | 63 | 48 | 36 | 24 | 34 | 24 | | | | |
| | | 13% | 12% | 16% | 16% | 16% | 18% | 10% | 27% | 14% | 17% | 17% | 20% | 11% | - | 20% | 15% | 10% | 12% | 15% | 14% | 16% | 19% | 12% | 16% | 18% | | | | |
| Don't know | | 419 | 352 | 54 | 14 | 18 | 9 | 10 | 3 | 188 | 35 | 17 | 2 | 2 | - | 6 | 8 | 177 | 317 | 99 | 73 | 49 | 38 | 35 | 36 | 24 | | | | |
| | | 20% | 19% | 20% | 20% | 16% | 25% | 23% | 25% | 20% | 21% | 19% | 14% | 34% | - | 33% | 21% | 19% | 21% | 18% | 17% | 16% | 19% | 17% | 17% | 18% | | | | |
| Prefer not to say | | 62 | 47 | 14 | 3 | 9 | - | 2 | - | 22 | 12 | 5 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | 23 | 41 | 15 | 11 | 6 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 4 | | | | |
| | | 3% | 3% | 5% | 5% | 8% | - | 4% | - | 2% | 12 | 7% | 6% | 14% | 23% | - | - | 6% | 2% | 3% | 3% | 2% | 3% | 1% | 3% | 3% | | | | |
| Mean | | 3.06 | 3.09 | 2.94 | 2.89 | 2.90 | 3.05 | 3.06 | 2.82 | 3.00 | 2.90 | 2.86 | 2.85 | 2.73 | 3.00 | 2.86 | 3.03 | 3.16 | 3.06 | 3.06 | 3.08 | 3.09 | 2.95 | 3.10 | 3.12 | 2.97 | | | | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.78 | 0.76 | 0.86 | 0.91 | 0.80 | 0.97 | 0.69 | 1.36 | 0.77 | 0.86 | 0.82 | 0.84 | 1.33 | - | 1.01 | 0.93 | 0.75 | 0.76 | 0.81 | 0.80 | 0.84 | 0.80 | 0.76 | 0.87 | 0.86 | | | | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.14 | 0.09 | 0.18 | 0.11 | 0.48 | 0.03 | 0.08 | 0.11 | 0.24 | 0.59 | - | 0.27 | 0.16 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.08 | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 52.07 | 54.17 | 42.92 | 42.36 | 42.86 | 39.06 | 53.50 | 20.86 | 49.77 | 39.14 | 41.18 | 31.84 | 21.36 | 100.00 | 26.97 | 43.37 | 58.23 | 53.07 | 49.53 | 52.15 | 50.30 | 40.43 | 55.85 | 49.62 | 43.27 | | | | |

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Table 24

Q3. Do you agree or disagree that doctors, teachers and youth workers should be free to engage in conversations with young people, where those conversations are sought by young people, to address each of the following? - Personal issues over their own sexual identity
Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----------|------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------------|-------|-------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North East | North West | North Humber-side | West Mid-langs | East Mid-langs | East Wales | East London | South East | South West | North-ern Ire-land | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | |
| NET: Agree | 1298 | 588 | 707 | 132 | 223 | 212 | 252 | 197 | 282 | 348 | 383 | 265 | 302 | 115 | 42 | 168 | 102 | 115 | 89 | 67 | 118 | 158 | 170 | 115 | 39 | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 435 | 204 | 228 | 51 | 93 | 74 | 81 | 56 | 80 | 119 | 129 | 89 | 97 | 36 | 15 | 70 | 36 | 39 | 22 | 18 | 41 | 52 | 56 | 39 | 10 |
| | | 21% | 20% | 21% | 23% | 26% | 22% | 17% | 16% | 22% | 21% | 20% | 19% | 20% | 15% | 18% | 21% | 15% | 18% | 21% | 19% | 20% | 21% | 16% | | |
| Agree | (3) | 863 | 384 | 479 | 80 | 130 | 138 | 171 | 141 | 202 | 229 | 254 | 176 | 204 | 79 | 27 | 98 | 66 | 76 | 66 | 50 | 77 | 107 | 113 | 76 | 30 |
| | | 41% | 37% | 45% | 35% | 36% | 41% | 47% | 44% | 41% | 41% | 42% | 40% | 41% | 44% | 32% | 42% | 38% | 42% | 44% | 50% | 39% | 38% | 40% | 42% | 50% |
| Disagree | (2) | 204 | 119 | 83 | 26 | 30 | 29 | 23 | 24 | 72 | 61 | 44 | 52 | 47 | 13 | 15 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 8 | 9 | 19 | 28 | 37 | 15 | 6 |
| | | 10% | 12% | 8% | 11% | 8% | 9% | 6% | 8% | 15% | 11% | 7% | 12% | 9% | 7% | 18% | 8% | 11% | 9% | 5% | 9% | 10% | 10% | 13% | 8% | 10% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 123 | 79 | 43 | 9 | 22 | 19 | 16 | 25 | 32 | 26 | 40 | 22 | 36 | 5 | 7 | 9 | 6 | 11 | 15 | 3 | 11 | 21 | 15 | 15 | 4 |
| | | 6% | 8% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 6% | 4% | 8% | 6% | 5% | 7% | 5% | 7% | 3% | 4% | 10% | 6% | 3% | 6% | 8% | 5% | 8% | 5% | 7% | |
| NET: Disagree | | 327 | 198 | 126 | 35 | 52 | 48 | 39 | 49 | 103 | 87 | 83 | 75 | 82 | 18 | 23 | 28 | 25 | 27 | 23 | 12 | 31 | 49 | 52 | 30 | 10 |
| | | 16% | 19% | 12% | 15% | 15% | 14% | 11% | 15% | 21% | 16% | 14% | 17% | 16% | 10% | 26% | 12% | 14% | 15% | 15% | 12% | 16% | 18% | 16% | 18% | |
| Don't know | | 407 | 213 | 193 | 42 | 68 | 67 | 66 | 65 | 100 | 101 | 118 | 84 | 103 | 38 | 19 | 30 | 37 | 35 | 36 | 17 | 41 | 58 | 58 | 30 | 8 |
| | | 19% | 21% | 18% | 19% | 20% | 18% | 20% | 20% | 18% | 18% | 20% | 19% | 21% | 21% | 13% | 22% | 19% | 24% | 17% | 21% | 21% | 17% | 17% | 14% | |
| Prefer not to say | | 66 | 26 | 40 | 18 | 18 | 7 | 9 | 9 | 5 | 16 | 21 | 15 | 14 | 8 | 3 | 7 | 10 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 12 | 5 | 6 | 1 |
| | | 3% | 2% | 4% | 8% | 5% | 2% | 2% | 3% | 1% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 3% | 6% | 2% | 3% | 2% | 4% | 4% | 5 | 2% | 3% | 1% |
| Mean | | 2.99 | 2.91 | 3.07 | 3.04 | 3.07 | 3.03 | 3.09 | 2.92 | 2.86 | 3.01 | 3.01 | 2.98 | 2.95 | 3.11 | 2.77 | 3.17 | 3.04 | 3.00 | 2.86 | 3.04 | 2.99 | 2.91 | 2.95 | 2.96 | 2.90 |
| Standard deviation | | 0.83 | 0.90 | 0.76 | 0.83 | 0.88 | 0.83 | 0.76 | 0.85 | 0.84 | 0.81 | 0.84 | 0.82 | 0.86 | 0.71 | 0.94 | 0.79 | 0.80 | 0.84 | 0.89 | 0.70 | 0.85 | 0.89 | 0.84 | 0.89 | 0.82 |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.11 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.08 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.05 | 0.08 | 0.11 |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 46.25 | 38.03 | 54.49 | 42.50 | 47.30 | 49.15 | 58.19 | 46.00 | 36.48 | 47.15 | 49.56 | 43.27 | 43.86 | 54.49 | 22.77 | 60.04 | 44.21 | 48.52 | 43.54 | 56.44 | 44.69 | 39.49 | 41.11 | 47.16 | 48.98 |

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Table 25

Q3. Do you agree or disagree that doctors, teachers and youth workers should be free to engage in conversations with young people, where those conversations are sought by young people, to address each of the following? - Personal issues over their own sexual identity

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-----------|--------|-------|---------------|-------|----------|-------|--------|-------|--------------|-------|----------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|--|-------|---|-------|--|-----|--|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | NET: Other | | Buddhist | | | | NET: None | | NET: Any 5- 18 years | | NET: Any 11- 18 years | | Yes - childr en aged under 5 years | | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 years | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 years | | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 years | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other | Christian | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Other | None | Yes | 18 | 11-18 | 18 | 11-18 | Yes | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | old | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1298 | 1135 | 156 | 45 | 57 | 22 | 28 | 4 | 550 | 92 | 42 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 12 | 26 | 641 | 943 | 348 | 276 | 193 | 107 | 134 | 132 | 82 | 62% | 63% | 58% | 66% | 65% | 64% | 62% | 62% | | | | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 435 | 384 | 50 | 12 | 18 | 10 | 8 | 2 | 157 | 28 | 10 | 3 | 1 | - | 3 | 10 | 245 | 306 | 127 | 102 | 76 | 32 | 52 | 60 | 25 | 21% | 21% | 19% | 17% | 16% | 26% | 20% | 22% | 23% | 25% | 19% | | |
| Agree | (3) | 863 | 751 | 106 | 33 | 39 | 12 | 20 | 2 | 393 | 64 | 32 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 16 | 396 | 637 | 221 | 174 | 117 | 74 | 81 | 73 | 57 | 41% | 42% | 39% | 49% | 42% | 39% | 40% | 39% | 38% | 39% | 34% | 43% | |
| Disagree | (2) | 204 | 174 | 27 | 1 | 15 | 3 | 6 | 2 | 100 | 21 | 17 | 2 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 80 | 137 | 67 | 52 | 34 | 30 | 24 | 26 | 12 | 10% | 10% | 10% | 14% | 13% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 12% | 9% | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 123 | 99 | 22 | 8 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 65 | 13 | 13 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 42 | 87 | 36 | 25 | 19 | 16 | 11 | 15 | 9 | 6% | 5% | 8% | 12% | 11% | 9% | 12% | 11% | 15% | 12% | 9% | | |
| NET: Disagree | | 327 | 273 | 49 | 9 | 25 | 4 | 7 | 3 | 165 | 34 | 24 | 2 | 1 | - | 2 | 4 | 122 | 224 | 104 | 76 | 53 | 45 | 35 | 41 | 22 | 16% | 15% | 18% | 13% | 17% | 13% | 15% | 18% | 17% | 23% | 17% | 19% | 16% |
| Don't know | | 407 | 352 | 49 | 11 | 21 | 6 | 6 | 5 | 197 | 34 | 18 | 2 | 3 | - | 4 | 7 | 164 | 309 | 94 | 71 | 50 | 35 | 30 | 36 | 24 | 19% | 19% | 18% | 16% | 17% | 20% | 17% | 16% | 18% | 18% | 17% | 18% | |
| Prefer not to say | | 66 | 49 | 17 | 3 | 8 | 4 | 2 | - | 22 | 12 | 5 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | 27 | 42 | 19 | 13 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 3 | 5 | 3% | 3% | 6% | 3% | 3% | 3% | 4% | 4% | 3% | 1% | 4% | | |
| Mean | | 2.99 | 3.01 | 2.90 | 2.91 | 2.79 | 3.17 | 2.99 | 2.61 | 2.90 | 2.85 | 2.67 | 3.00 | 2.69 | 3.00 | 2.99 | 3.12 | 3.11 | 3.00 | 2.97 | 3.00 | 3.02 | 2.81 | 3.04 | 3.02 | 2.95 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.83 | 0.82 | 0.90 | 0.91 | 0.92 | 0.85 | 0.74 | 1.25 | 0.84 | 0.88 | 0.88 | 0.85 | 1.46 | - | 0.87 | 0.84 | 0.80 | 0.82 | 0.87 | 0.85 | 0.87 | 0.89 | 0.85 | 0.92 | 0.85 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.14 | 0.11 | 0.16 | 0.12 | 0.51 | 0.03 | 0.08 | 0.12 | 0.25 | 0.73 | - | 0.23 | 0.14 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.08 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.08 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 46.25 | 47.69 | 39.57 | 53.59 | 28.33 | 49.98 | 47.99 | 4.48 | 41.27 | 34.00 | 19.78 | 42.93 | 16.31 | 100.00 | 54.07 | 53.24 | 54.41 | 47.37 | 43.20 | 45.84 | 46.09 | 31.32 | 47.72 | 43.08 | 45.64 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Table 26

Q3. Do you agree or disagree that doctors, teachers and youth workers should be free to engage in conversations with young people, where those conversations are sought by young people, to address each of the following? - Personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female
Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------------|-----------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot-land | North East | North West | North Humber-side | West Mid-lands | East Mid-lands | East Wales | East London | South East | South West | North-ern Ire-land | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 |
| NET: Agree | 1277 61% | 569 56% | 704 66% | 128 56% | 227 63% | 207 62% | 248 68% | 189 59% | 277 57% | 344 62% | 380 63% | 265 60% | 288 57% | 112 63% | 43 50% | 162 70% | 104 60% | 115 64% | 85 56% | 65 65% | 115 59% | 159 57% | 168 59% | 112 62% | 39 66% |
| Strongly agree | (4) 21% | 433 20% | 202 21% | 228 21% | 48 26% | 94 23% | 77 21% | 57 18% | 80 16% | 115 21% | 122 20% | 93 21% | 102 20% | 36 20% | 17 20% | 71 30% | 35 20% | 39 21% | 21 14% | 43 19% | 49 18% | 57 20% | 36 20% | 11 18% | |
| Agree | (3) 40% | 844 36% | 367 45% | 475 35% | 80 37% | 133 39% | 129 47% | 171 41% | 132 40% | 198 41% | 229 43% | 258 39% | 171 37% | 186 43% | 77 30% | 25 39% | 91 40% | 70 42% | 64 42% | 45 46% | 72 37% | 110 40% | 110 39% | 76 42% | 28 47% |
| Disagree | (2) 10% | 204 11% | 114 8% | 88 11% | 26 7% | 25 9% | 31 6% | 23 8% | 26 15% | 72 11% | 60 8% | 50 11% | 49 9% | 45 8% | 14 17% | 15 10% | 23 12% | 20 9% | 17 7% | 10 10% | 10 17% | 27 10% | 30 10% | 14 8% | 7 12% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 7% | 141 9% | 95 4% | 45 6% | 13 5% | 19 7% | 24 5% | 20 10% | 32 7% | 34 6% | 32 7% | 41 6% | 26 8% | 42 3% | 5 3% | 8 9% | 12 5% | 7 4% | 10 6% | 16 11% | 7 7% | 20 7% | 22 8% | 16 9% | 4 6% |
| NET: Disagree | 345 16% | 209 20% | 134 13% | 38 17% | 44 12% | 55 16% | 43 12% | 58 18% | 106 22% | 92 17% | 91 15% | 75 17% | 88 17% | 19 10% | 23 26% | 35 15% | 27 16% | 27 15% | 27 18% | 16 17% | 34 17% | 46 17% | 52 18% | 29 16% | 11 18% |
| Don't know | 407 19% | 216 21% | 191 18% | 42 19% | 68 20% | 65 18% | 66 20% | 64 18% | 102 21% | 100 18% | 111 18% | 86 20% | 110 22% | 40 22% | 20 23% | 28 12% | 32 19% | 35 19% | 35 23% | 15 15% | 42 22% | 59 21% | 58 20% | 34 19% | 9 15% |
| Prefer not to say | 70 3% | 31 3% | 39 4% | 19 8% | 22 6% | 7 2% | 8 2% | 9 3% | 5 1% | 16 3% | 24 4% | 14 3% | 16 3% | 8 4% | 1 1% | 8 4% | 10 6% | 4 2% | 5 3% | 3 3% | 4 2% | 13 5% | 8 3% | 5 3% | 1 1% |
| Mean | 2.97 | 2.87 | 3.06 | 2.98 | 3.12 | 2.99 | 3.05 | 2.86 | 2.84 | 2.98 | 2.98 | 2.98 | 2.93 | 3.10 | 2.79 | 3.12 | 3.00 | 3.01 | 2.80 | 2.95 | 2.95 | 2.92 | 2.93 | 2.93 | 2.93 |
| Standard deviation | 0.86 | 0.94 | 0.77 | 0.87 | 0.84 | 0.89 | 0.79 | 0.91 | 0.85 | 0.83 | 0.85 | 0.85 | 0.92 | 0.72 | 0.97 | 0.84 | 0.80 | 0.83 | 0.91 | 0.83 | 0.92 | 0.86 | 0.89 | 0.89 | 0.82 |
| Standard error | 0.02 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.07 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.06 | 0.12 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.08 | 0.11 |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | 44.38 | 35.22 | 53.43 | 39.55 | 50.78 | 45.40 | 56.07 | 40.79 | 34.87 | 45.57 | 47.75 | 43.22 | 40.02 | 52.67 | 23.23 | 54.51 | 44.41 | 48.46 | 38.32 | 48.78 | 41.57 | 40.55 | 40.63 | 45.59 | 47.64 |

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Table 27

Q3. Do you agree or disagree that doctors, teachers and youth workers should be free to engage in conversations with young people, where those conversations are sought by young people, to address each of the following? - Personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------|-------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------------|------------------|---------------|--|---------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------|----------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | | Buddhist | | | | | | | | NET: Any 5-18 | | NET: Any 11-18 | | Yes - childr en aged under 18 or | | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 | | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 | | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 | |
| | Total | White | ty | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chines e | Other ethn | Christ ian | NET: Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | st | Other | None | NET: Yes | NET: 18 | NET: 11-18 | Yes - childr en aged under 18 or | Yes - childr en aged 5 to 10 | Yes - childr en aged 11 to 15 | Yes - childr en aged 16 to 18 | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 1277 | 1114 | 156 | 41 | 59 | 23 | 27 | 6 | 543 | 92 | 44 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 26 | 628 | 912 | 357 | 276 | 194 | 118 | 134 | 131 | 86 | | | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 433 | 388 | 44 | 12 | 11 | 10 | 8 | 4 | 160 | 21 | 4 | 2 | 1 | - | 3 | 10 | 248 | 303 | 125 | 99 | 75 | 37 | 49 | 58 | 25 | | | | |
| Agree | (3) | 844 | 726 | 111 | 30 | 48 | 13 | 19 | 2 | 383 | 71 | 40 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 16 | 380 | 609 | 231 | 177 | 119 | 82 | 85 | 73 | 61 | | | | |
| Disagree | (2) | 204 | 173 | 29 | 4 | 17 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 105 | 19 | 14 | 2 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 77 | 145 | 58 | 43 | 31 | 27 | 18 | 25 | 10 | | | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 141 | 120 | 19 | 7 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 72 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 1 | - | 3 | 2 | 52 | 100 | 41 | 30 | 22 | 15 | 17 | 9 | 7 | | | | |
| NET: Disagree | 345 | 293 | 48 | 11 | 25 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 178 | 34 | 22 | 3 | 1 | - | 4 | 4 | 128 | 245 | 100 | 73 | 53 | 42 | 32 | 42 | 19 | | | | | |
| Don't know | 407 | 354 | 48 | 12 | 19 | 6 | 9 | 3 | 191 | 31 | 15 | 2 | 2 | - | 4 | 7 | 173 | 318 | 85 | 72 | 50 | 26 | 31 | 37 | 22 | | | | | |
| Prefer not to say | 70 | 47 | 18 | 3 | 9 | 4 | 2 | - | 22 | 15 | 7 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 4 | 25 | 43 | 23 | 15 | 7 | 9 | 10 | 3 | 5 | | | | | |
| Mean | | 2.97 | 2.98 | 2.89 | 2.87 | 2.75 | 3.23 | 3.00 | 2.92 | 2.87 | 2.78 | 2.61 | 2.85 | 2.73 | 3.00 | 2.73 | 3.15 | 3.09 | 2.96 | 2.97 | 2.99 | 3.00 | 2.87 | 3.01 | 2.99 | 2.97 | | | | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.86 | 0.86 | 0.85 | 0.91 | 0.80 | 0.75 | 0.77 | 1.25 | 0.87 | 0.86 | 0.78 | 0.84 | 1.33 | - | 1.12 | 0.83 | 0.83 | 0.86 | 0.87 | 0.87 | 0.89 | 0.87 | 0.87 | 0.94 | 0.83 | | | | |
| Standard error | | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.06 | 0.14 | 0.09 | 0.14 | 0.13 | 0.44 | 0.03 | 0.08 | 0.11 | 0.24 | 0.59 | - | 0.29 | 0.14 | 0.03 | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.08 | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | 44.38 | 45.39 | 39.90 | 44.63 | 30.81 | 55.31 | 48.36 | 21.32 | 39.10 | 33.79 | 24.33 | 31.95 | 21.36 | 100.00 | 33.90 | 54.72 | 52.31 | 43.92 | 45.55 | 46.45 | 46.39 | 38.89 | 49.07 | 41.99 | 50.02 | | | | |

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Table 28

Q4. Would you support or oppose bringing criminal prosecutions against professional counsellors for engaging in talking therapy to address each of the following, where such therapy is freely sought? - Summary

Base: All respondents

| | Personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature | Personal relationship problems of a sexual nature | Personal issues over their own sexual identity | Personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female |
|-----------------------|---|---|--|--|
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 | 2099 |
| NET: Agree | 451 22% | 455 22% | 463 22% | 460 22% |
| Strongly agree | (4) 7% | 141 7% | 155 8% | 165 8% |
| Agree | (3) 15% | 310 14% | 305 15% | 294 14% |
| Disagree | (2) 20% | 425 21% | 435 19% | 405 19% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 21% | 445 20% | 430 21% | 430 20% |
| NET: Disagree | 870 41% | 865 41% | 832 40% | 836 40% |
| Don't know | 667 32% | 671 32% | 688 33% | 691 33% |
| Prefer not to say | 110 5% | 108 5% | 116 6% | 113 5% |
| Mean | 2.11 | 2.14 | 2.14 | 2.15 |
| Standard deviation | 0.99 | 1.00 | 1.02 | 1.02 |
| Standard error | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.03 |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | -19.96 | -19.51 | -17.58 | -17.90 |

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Table 29

Q4. Would you support or oppose bringing criminal prosecutions against professional counsellors for engaging in talking therapy to address each of the following, where such therapy is freely sought? - Personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | | North- ern Ire- land | | |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|------------|-------------------------------|---------------|-----------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot- land | North East | North West | York- shire & Humb- erside | West Mid- lands | East Mid- lands | Wales | East- ern | London | South East | South West | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 |
| NET: Agree | 451 22% | 246 24% | 205 19% | 89 39% | 128 35% | 73 22% | 60 16% | 42 13% | 60 12% | 130 23% | 142 23% | 84 19% | 96 19% | 27 15% | 20 23% | 55 23% | 44 25% | 41 23% | 20 13% | 18 18% | 37 19% | 81 29% | 55 19% | 38 21% | 14 23% |
| Strongly agree | (4) 7% | 141 8% | 84 5% | 57 13% | 29 13% | 48 7% | 23 4% | 15 4% | 14 2% | 43 8% | 45 7% | 27 6% | 26 5% | 11 6% | 4 5% | 23 10% | 10 5% | 13 6% | 6 4% | 6 6% | 10 5% | 26 9% | 20 7% | 9 5% | 3 5% |
| Agree | (3) 15% | 310 16% | 162 14% | 148 26% | 59 22% | 79 15% | 50 12% | 45 9% | 28 10% | 49 16% | 96 16% | 57 13% | 70 14% | 16 9% | 16 18% | 31 14% | 33 19% | 28 16% | 15 12% | 12 14% | 27 20% | 56 12% | 35 16% | 30 18% | 11 18% |
| Disagree | (2) 20% | 425 21% | 215 20% | 210 11% | 26 13% | 47 17% | 58 21% | 76 24% | 77 29% | 141 19% | 105 21% | 126 23% | 103 18% | 92 21% | 38 27% | 23 15% | 35 19% | 34 19% | 40 26% | 22 22% | 36 19% | 58 21% | 52 18% | 37 21% | 16 28% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 21% | 445 21% | 220 21% | 222 21% | 35 15% | 78 22% | 87 26% | 85 23% | 77 24% | 83 17% | 129 23% | 132 22% | 84 19% | 100 20% | 43 24% | 16 19% | 62 27% | 31 18% | 33 22% | 22 21% | 41 18% | 49 25% | 72 18% | 35 25% | 9 15% |
| NET: Disagree | 870 41% | 435 42% | 432 40% | 61 27% | 125 35% | 145 43% | 161 44% | 154 48% | 224 46% | 234 42% | 258 43% | 186 42% | 192 38% | 81 45% | 40 46% | 97 42% | 65 37% | 67 37% | 73 48% | 43 44% | 77 40% | 107 38% | 123 43% | 72 40% | 25 43% |
| Don't know | 667 32% | 301 29% | 363 34% | 55 24% | 84 23% | 107 32% | 126 34% | 110 34% | 186 38% | 163 29% | 171 28% | 148 34% | 185 37% | 61 34% | 21 24% | 69 30% | 52 30% | 60 33% | 51 34% | 33 33% | 69 33% | 75 35% | 96 34% | 62 35% | 19 32% |
| Prefer not to say | 110 5% | 42 4% | 66 6% | 23 10% | 23 6% | 10 3% | 20 5% | 15 5% | 20 4% | 26 5% | 35 6% | 22 5% | 27 5% | 9 5% | 6 7% | 12 5% | 14 8% | 12 6% | 7 5% | 5 5% | 12 6% | 15 5% | 11 4% | 8 4% | 1 2% |
| Mean | 2.11 | 2.16 | 2.06 | 2.56 | 2.39 | 2.04 | 1.95 | 1.89 | 1.96 | 2.12 | 2.14 | 2.10 | 2.08 | 1.96 | 2.13 | 2.10 | 2.21 | 2.20 | 1.92 | 2.04 | 2.06 | 2.31 | 2.02 | 2.12 | 2.20 |
| Standard deviation | 0.99 | 1.01 | 0.97 | 1.06 | 1.11 | 1.03 | 0.93 | 0.90 | 0.79 | 1.03 | 1.00 | 0.96 | 0.97 | 0.98 | 0.90 | 1.11 | 0.97 | 1.01 | 0.87 | 0.98 | 0.97 | 1.01 | 1.03 | 0.95 | 0.88 |
| Standard error | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.09 | 0.07 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.10 | 0.12 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.12 | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.07 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.13 |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | -19.96 | -18.49 | -21.26 | 12.17 | 0.65 | -21.36 | -27.60 | -35.00 | -33.50 | -18.84 | -19.21 | -23.34 | -19.12 | -30.03 | -22.78 | -18.23 | -12.15 | -14.28 | -34.98 | -25.66 | -20.45 | -9.07 | -23.91 | -18.47 | -19.43 |

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Table 30

Q4. Would you support or oppose bringing criminal prosecutions against professional counsellors for engaging in talking therapy to address each of the following, where such therapy is freely sought? - Personal relationship problems of a non-sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------|--------------------|-------|--------|---------|--------------------|------------|------------|---------------|-------|----------|------|--------|--------|----------|----------------|-------------------------|--|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|---|-----|-----|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Other ethnic group | | | | | | | NET: Other | | Buddhist | | | | | | | No childr en aged 18 or under | | | NET: Yes | | | NET: Any 5- 18 years old | | | Yes - childr en aged under 5 years old | | | |
| | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other ethnic group | Christians | NET: Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Other | None | NET: Yes | NET: Any 11-18 | NET: Any 5-18 years old | NET: Any 11-18 | NET: Any 5-18 years old | NET: Any 11-18 | NET: Any 5-18 years old | NET: Any 11-18 | NET: Any 5-18 years old | NET: Any 11-18 | NET: Any 5-18 years old | NET: Any 11-18 | NET: Any 5-18 years old | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 451 | 346 | 100 | 13 | 53 | 10 | 20 | 3 | 207 | 57 | 40 | 6 | - | 2 | 5 | 5 | 178 | 284 | 164 | 117 | 71 | 67 | 64 | 50 | 31 | | | | | | |
| | 22% | 19% | 37% | 20% | 47% | 28% | 47% | 27% | 22% | 33% | 45% | 35% | - | 100% | 28% | 13% | 19% | 19% | 29% | 27% | 23% | 35% | 31% | 23% | 23% | 23% | 23% | 23% | 23% | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 141 | 114 | 27 | 1 | 16 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 57 | 19 | 13 | 1 | - | - | 2 | 2 | 64 | 79 | 61 | 42 | 27 | 23 | 24 | 22 | 10 | 7% | | | | |
| | | 7% | 6% | 10% | 2% | 14% | 11% | 12% | 6% | 6% | 11% | 15% | 7% | - | - | 9% | 6% | 5% | 11% | 10% | 9% | 12% | 11% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 10% | 10% | |
| Agree | (3) | 310 | 232 | 73 | 12 | 37 | 6 | 15 | 3 | 150 | 39 | 26 | 4 | - | - | 2 | 3 | 3 | 114 | 205 | 103 | 76 | 45 | 45 | 40 | 28 | 21 | | | | |
| | | 15% | 13% | 27% | 18% | 33% | 17% | 35% | 21% | 16% | 23% | 30% | 28% | - | 100% | 19% | 8% | 12% | 14% | 18% | 17% | 15% | 23% | 20% | 13% | 16% | | | | | |
| Disagree | (2) | 425 | 378 | 44 | 21 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 2 | 216 | 18 | 11 | 3 | - | - | 1 | 3 | 187 | 313 | 112 | 91 | 64 | 36 | 41 | 46 | 25 | | | | | |
| | | 20% | 21% | 16% | 31% | 7% | 17% | 16% | 19% | 23% | 10% | 12% | 21% | - | - | 5% | 7% | 20% | 21% | 20% | 21% | 21% | 21% | 20% | 22% | 19% | | | | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 445 | 402 | 40 | 14 | 11 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 147 | 28 | 10 | 1 | 2 | - | 1 | 13 | 263 | 343 | 102 | 76 | 56 | 35 | 34 | 39 | 23 | | | | | |
| | | 21% | 22% | 15% | 21% | 10% | 18% | 8% | 44% | 16% | 16% | 11% | 5% | 36% | - | 8% | 33% | 28% | 23% | 18% | 17% | 18% | 17% | 18% | 17% | 17% | | | | | |
| NET: Disagree | | 870 | 780 | 85 | 35 | 19 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 363 | 46 | 21 | 4 | 2 | - | 2 | 16 | 450 | 656 | 214 | 168 | 120 | 71 | 75 | 85 | 47 | | | | | |
| | | 41% | 43% | 31% | 52% | 17% | 34% | 24% | 62% | 39% | 27% | 23% | 26% | 36% | - | 13% | 40% | 47% | 43% | 38% | 38% | 39% | 36% | 36% | 40% | 36% | | | | | |
| Don't know | | 667 | 594 | 66 | 17 | 27 | 11 | 10 | 1 | 321 | 51 | 20 | 4 | 3 | - | 9 | 15 | 283 | 503 | 156 | 130 | 99 | 44 | 57 | 72 | 44 | | | | | |
| | | 32% | 33% | 24% | 24% | 24% | 31% | 22% | 11% | 34% | 30% | 22% | 25% | 41% | - | 51% | 38% | 30% | 33% | 28% | 30% | 33% | 23% | 28% | 34% | 33% | | | | | |
| Prefer not to say | | 110 | 88 | 20 | 3 | 12 | 2 | 3 | - | 43 | 18 | 9 | 2 | 2 | - | 1 | 4 | 43 | 75 | 30 | 21 | 14 | 13 | 10 | 6 | 10 | | | | | |
| | | 5% | 5% | 7% | 4% | 11% | 6% | 7% | - | 5% | 10% | 10% | 14% | 23% | - | 8% | 9% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 4% | 6% | 3% | 7% | | | | | | | |
| Mean | | 2.11 | 2.05 | 2.47 | 2.02 | 2.79 | 2.34 | 2.71 | 1.88 | 2.21 | 2.46 | 2.71 | 2.61 | 1.00 | 3.00 | 2.70 | 1.74 | 1.97 | 2.02 | 2.32 | 2.29 | 2.22 | 2.40 | 2.38 | 2.24 | 2.23 | | | | | |
| Standard deviation | | 0.99 | 0.98 | 0.99 | 0.82 | 0.96 | 1.09 | 0.89 | 1.03 | 0.94 | 1.08 | 1.00 | 0.83 | 0.00 | - | 1.10 | 1.09 | 1.00 | 0.96 | 1.04 | 1.02 | 1.02 | 1.04 | 1.04 | 1.05 | 1.01 | | | | | |
| Standard error | | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.08 | 0.13 | 0.12 | 0.22 | 0.15 | 0.34 | 0.04 | 0.11 | 0.15 | 0.26 | 0.00 | - | 0.33 | 0.21 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.11 | | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | -19.96 | -24.04 | 5.45 | -31.83 | 29.94 | -6.29 | 22.45 | -35.53 | -16.66 | 6.67 | 21.25 | 9.11 | -35.81 | 100.00 | 14.49 | -26.73 | -28.55 | -24.54 | -8.90 | -11.51 | -15.95 | -1.77 | -5.37 | -16.63 | -12.47 | | | | | |

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Table 31

Q4. Would you support or oppose bringing criminal prosecutions against professional counsellors for engaging in talking therapy to address each of the following, where such therapy is freely sought? - Personal relationship problems of a sexual nature

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | North- ern Ire- land | | | | |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot- land | North East | North West | York- shire & Humb- erside | West Mid- lands | East Mid- lands | Wales | East- ern | London | South East | South West | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | |
| NET: Agree | 455 22% | 244 24% | 211 20% | 89 39% | 120 33% | 77 23% | 60 16% | 44 14% | 65 13% | 139 25% | 132 22% | 86 20% | 98 20% | 28 16% | 20 24% | 56 24% | 43 25% | 40 22% | 17 11% | 16 16% | 42 21% | 83 30% | 56 20% | 37 20% | 17 29% | |
| Strongly agree | (4) 7% | 155 9% | 91 6% | 63 13% | 30 13% | 48 7% | 25 5% | 19 3% | 16 9% | 49 9% | 45 7% | 24 5% | 37 7% | 12 7% | 4 5% | 20 9% | 10 6% | 15 8% | 5 3% | 6 7% | 11 6% | 34 12% | 22 8% | 11 6% | 4 6% | |
| Agree | (3) 14% | 301 14% | 153 15% | 148 14% | 59 26% | 72 20% | 52 16% | 41 11% | 28 9% | 48 10% | 90 16% | 87 14% | 62 14% | 61 12% | 16 9% | 16 19% | 36 16% | 33 19% | 25 14% | 12 8% | 9 10% | 31 16% | 49 18% | 34 12% | 25 14% | 13 22% |
| Disagree | (2) 21% | 435 22% | 227 19% | 207 15% | 34 15% | 53 16% | 55 21% | 76 25% | 79 28% | 139 19% | 103 22% | 136 23% | 101 19% | 95 23% | 41 24% | 24 15% | 36 19% | 32 27% | 35 24% | 41 17% | 24 22% | 33 22% | 61 19% | 53 23% | 41 14% | 14 24% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 20% | 430 21% | 211 20% | 216 15% | 33 20% | 74 25% | 83 24% | 86 24% | 75 16% | 79 22% | 124 21% | 128 19% | 83 19% | 94 23% | 41 19% | 14 16% | 62 27% | 33 19% | 33 22% | 20 20% | 40 21% | 46 17% | 67 23% | 33 18% | 8 13% | |
| NET: Disagree | 865 41% | 438 43% | 424 40% | 67 30% | 126 35% | 138 41% | 162 44% | 154 48% | 218 44% | 227 41% | 264 44% | 184 42% | 189 38% | 82 46% | 37 43% | 98 42% | 65 38% | 67 37% | 74 49% | 43 44% | 74 38% | 107 39% | 120 42% | 74 41% | 22 37% | |
| Don't know | 671 32% | 301 29% | 368 35% | 49 22% | 92 26% | 108 32% | 124 34% | 110 34% | 187 38% | 160 29% | 176 29% | 148 34% | 187 37% | 59 33% | 24 28% | 66 30% | 52 34% | 52 34% | 34 34% | 34 34% | 70 36% | 74 27% | 98 27% | 62 34% | 19 34% | 19 32% |
| Prefer not to say | 108 5% | 42 4% | 64 6% | 22 10% | 22 6% | 12 3% | 20 5% | 12 4% | 21 4% | 26 5% | 35 6% | 21 5% | 26 5% | 9 5% | 4 5% | 12 8% | 14 8% | 11 6% | 8 6% | 6 6% | 10 5% | 13 4% | 11 4% | 8 2% | | |
| Mean | 2.14 | 2.18 | 2.09 | 2.55 | 2.39 | 2.09 | 1.97 | 1.92 | 2.01 | 2.17 | 2.12 | 2.10 | 2.14 | 2.00 | 2.19 | 2.09 | 2.19 | 2.21 | 1.87 | 2.05 | 2.11 | 2.37 | 2.07 | 2.13 | 2.33 | |
| Standard deviation | 1.00 | 1.02 | 0.98 | 1.03 | 1.11 | 1.04 | 0.96 | 0.92 | 0.83 | 1.04 | 0.99 | 0.94 | 1.02 | 0.98 | 0.88 | 1.07 | 0.98 | 1.03 | 0.83 | 0.97 | 1.00 | 1.04 | 1.04 | 0.96 | 0.91 | |
| Standard error | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.07 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.12 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 0.14 | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | -19.51 | -18.94 | -19.95 | 9.55 | -1.66 | -18.07 | -27.73 | -34.45 | -31.18 | -16.03 | -21.77 | -22.21 | -18.24 | -29.88 | -19.69 | -18.08 | -12.65 | -14.99 | -38.27 | -27.92 | -16.39 | -8.85 | -22.40 | -20.63 | -8.48 | |

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Table 32

Q4. Would you support or oppose bringing criminal prosecutions against professional counsellors for engaging in talking therapy to address each of the following, where such therapy is freely sought? - Personal relationship problems of a sexual nature

Base: All respondents

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 33

Q4. Would you support or oppose bringing criminal prosecutions against professional counsellors for engaging in talking therapy to address each of the following, where such therapy is freely sought? - Personal issues over their own sexual identity

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | North- ern Ire- land | | | | |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|--------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-----------|-----------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot- land | North East | North West | York- shire & Humb- erside | West Mid- lands | East Mid- lands | Wales | East- ern | London | South East | South West | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | |
| NET: Agree | 463 22% | 248 24% | 215 20% | 93 41% | 112 31% | 76 23% | 62 17% | 52 16% | 67 14% | 145 26% | 130 22% | 86 19% | 101 20% | 30 17% | 18 21% | 54 23% | 35 20% | 39 21% | 20 13% | 20 21% | 41 21% | 89 32% | 57 20% | 40 22% | 19 32% | |
| Strongly agree | (4) 8% | 158 9% | 96 6% | 63 13% | 30 12% | 44 8% | 28 5% | 21 6% | 16 3% | 43 8% | 43 7% | 32 8% | 40 7% | 10 6% | 5 10% | 24 6% | 9 5% | 14 8% | 8 5% | 9 9% | 11 6% | 35 13% | 19 7% | 9 5% | 6 10% | |
| Agree | (3) 15% | 305 15% | 152 15% | 152 14% | 62 27% | 69 19% | 48 14% | 42 12% | 32 10% | 51 19% | 102 14% | 87 12% | 54 12% | 61 11% | 20 15% | 13 13% | 30 15% | 26 14% | 13 8% | 12 12% | 30 15% | 54 19% | 38 13% | 32 22% | 13 22% | |
| Disagree | (2) 19% | 393 19% | 197 19% | 194 18% | 21 9% | 49 14% | 51 15% | 71 20% | 73 23% | 127 26% | 94 17% | 121 20% | 96 22% | 82 16% | 36 20% | 22 25% | 37 16% | 36 20% | 33 18% | 38 25% | 20 20% | 29 15% | 47 17% | 49 17% | 33 18% | 13 22% |
| Strongly disagree | (1) 21% | 439 21% | 218 21% | 218 20% | 39 17% | 78 22% | 84 25% | 86 23% | 71 22% | 80 16% | 128 23% | 135 22% | 81 18% | 95 19% | 42 24% | 16 18% | 61 26% | 32 18% | 31 17% | 34 22% | 19 19% | 42 21% | 52 19% | 70 24% | 34 19% | 7 12% |
| NET: Disagree | 832 40% | 416 41% | 412 39% | 61 27% | 127 35% | 135 40% | 157 43% | 145 45% | 208 42% | 222 40% | 256 42% | 177 40% | 78 35% | 38 44% | 98 42% | 68 39% | 64 36% | 71 47% | 39 39% | 71 37% | 99 36% | 119 42% | 67 37% | 20 34% | | |
| Don't know | 688 33% | 313 31% | 372 35% | 51 22% | 95 26% | 113 34% | 124 34% | 110 34% | 195 40% | 161 29% | 184 30% | 150 34% | 192 38% | 60 33% | 24 28% | 69 30% | 58 33% | 65 36% | 50 33% | 35 35% | 71 36% | 74 36% | 99 35% | 65 36% | 19 32% | |
| Prefer not to say | 116 6% | 48 5% | 67 6% | 23 10% | 26 7% | 10 3% | 22 6% | 14 4% | 21 4% | 24 6% | 35 6% | 27 6% | 30 6% | 11 6% | 6 7% | 12 5% | 14 8% | 13 7% | 9 6% | 5 5% | 12 6% | 15 5% | 11 4% | 8 4% | 1 2% | |
| Mean | 2.14 | 2.19 | 2.09 | 2.55 | 2.33 | 2.10 | 1.98 | 2.01 | 2.01 | 2.17 | 2.10 | 2.14 | 2.17 | 1.99 | 2.14 | 2.11 | 2.12 | 2.21 | 1.94 | 2.17 | 2.09 | 2.39 | 2.04 | 2.13 | 2.45 | |
| Standard deviation | 1.02 | 1.05 | 0.99 | 1.08 | 1.11 | 1.07 | 0.97 | 0.97 | 0.84 | 1.04 | 1.01 | 0.99 | 1.06 | 0.98 | 0.94 | 1.10 | 0.95 | 1.02 | 0.92 | 1.04 | 1.02 | 1.08 | 0.96 | 0.96 | | |
| Standard error | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.10 | 0.13 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.12 | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 0.14 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | -17.58 | -16.37 | -18.52 | 14.06 | -3.99 | -17.58 | -26.03 | -28.80 | -28.58 | -13.81 | -20.69 | -20.77 | -15.16 | -26.73 | -22.50 | -18.87 | -18.62 | -14.16 | -33.92 | -18.75 | -15.52 | -3.43 | -21.61 | -15.07 | -2.51 | |

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Table 34

Q4. Would you support or oppose bringing criminal prosecutions against professional counsellors for engaging in talking therapy to address each of the following, where such therapy is freely sought? - Personal issues over their own sexual identity

Base: All respondents

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 35

Q4. Would you support or oppose bringing criminal prosecutions against professional counsellors for engaging in talking therapy to address each of the following, where such therapy is freely sought? - Personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female

Base: All respondents

| | Gender | | Age | | | | | | Social Grade | | | | Region | | | | | | | | | North- ern Ire- land | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------|--------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|--------|-------|-----|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55-64 | 65+ | AB | C1 | C2 | DE | Scot- land | North East | North West | York- shire & Humb- erside | West Mid- lands | East Mid- lands | Wales | East- ern | London | South East | South West | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 990 | 1100 | 227 | 314 | 316 | 384 | 334 | 524 | 489 | 564 | 495 | 551 | 172 | 87 | 226 | 189 | 194 | 158 | 114 | 183 | 232 | 304 | 173 | 67 | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1025 | 1067 | 227 | 361 | 334 | 366 | 321 | 491 | 552 | 606 | 440 | 501 | 178 | 86 | 233 | 174 | 181 | 151 | 99 | 195 | 277 | 285 | 181 | 59 | | |
| NET: Agree | 460 | 255 | 205 | 87 | 118 | 76 | 64 | 51 | 64 | 136 | 136 | 87 | 101 | 30 | 20 | 53 | 38 | 38 | 20 | 20 | 41 | 86 | 57 | 40 | 17 | | |
| | | | | 22% | 25% | 19% | 38% | 33% | 23% | 17% | 16% | 13% | 25% | 22% | 20% | 17% | 23% | 23% | 21% | 13% | 20% | 31% | 20% | 22% | 29% | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 165 | 101 | 64 | 33 | 48 | 32 | 17 | 21 | 14 | 40 | 53 | 35 | 38 | 12 | 6 | 26 | 11 | 14 | 8 | 7 | 15 | 34 | 18 | 9 | 6 | |
| | | | | 8% | 10% | 6% | 14% | 13% | 10% | 5% | 7% | 3% | 7% | 9% | 8% | 8% | 7% | 11% | 6% | 5% | 7% | 12% | 6% | 5% | 10% | | |
| Agree | (3) | 294 | 153 | 141 | 55 | 70 | 44 | 47 | 29 | 50 | 97 | 83 | 52 | 63 | 19 | 14 | 27 | 27 | 23 | 13 | 13 | 26 | 53 | 38 | 31 | 11 | |
| | | | | 14% | 15% | 13% | 24% | 19% | 13% | 13% | 10% | 18% | 14% | 12% | 13% | 10% | 16% | 12% | 15% | 13% | 13% | 19% | 13% | 17% | 19% | | |
| Disagree | (2) | 405 | 205 | 201 | 29 | 52 | 50 | 72 | 73 | 129 | 102 | 124 | 94 | 85 | 39 | 22 | 37 | 35 | 33 | 40 | 20 | 34 | 52 | 49 | 30 | 14 | |
| | | | | 19% | 20% | 19% | 13% | 14% | 15% | 20% | 23% | 26% | 18% | 20% | 21% | 17% | 22% | 26% | 16% | 20% | 18% | 20% | 19% | 17% | 17% | 24% | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 430 | 205 | 222 | 35 | 79 | 82 | 83 | 69 | 82 | 125 | 130 | 86 | 89 | 41 | 16 | 65 | 29 | 32 | 31 | 19 | 40 | 47 | 68 | 34 | 8 | |
| | | | | 20% | 20% | 21% | 15% | 22% | 25% | 23% | 21% | 17% | 23% | 21% | 19% | 18% | 23% | 18% | 28% | 17% | 20% | 20% | 17% | 24% | 19% | 13% | |
| NET: Disagree | | 836 | 410 | 422 | 64 | 131 | 132 | 156 | 142 | 211 | 227 | 254 | 180 | 175 | 79 | 38 | 102 | 64 | 65 | 71 | 39 | 74 | 98 | 118 | 65 | 22 | |
| | | | | 40% | 40% | 40% | 28% | 36% | 40% | 43% | 44% | 43% | 41% | 42% | 41% | 35% | 45% | 44% | 44% | 37% | 36% | 40% | 38% | 36% | 41% | 36% | 38% |
| Don't know | | 691 | 316 | 373 | 55 | 88 | 115 | 126 | 114 | 194 | 165 | 180 | 150 | 196 | 58 | 24 | 67 | 57 | 67 | 53 | 34 | 69 | 74 | 100 | 68 | 19 | |
| | | | | 33% | 31% | 35% | 24% | 24% | 34% | 34% | 36% | 39% | 30% | 30% | 34% | 39% | 33% | 28% | 29% | 33% | 37% | 35% | 35% | 27% | 35% | 38% | 32% |
| Prefer not to say | | 113 | 45 | 66 | 21 | 24 | 11 | 21 | 14 | 22 | 23 | 36 | 24 | 30 | 11 | 4 | 11 | 15 | 11 | 8 | 5 | 11 | 18 | 11 | 8 | 1 | |
| | | | | 5% | 4% | 6% | 9% | 7% | 3% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 6% | 5% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 5% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 4% | 4% | 1% | |
| Mean | | 2.15 | 2.23 | 2.08 | 2.56 | 2.35 | 2.12 | 1.99 | 2.02 | 1.99 | 2.14 | 2.15 | 2.13 | 2.18 | 2.01 | 2.18 | 2.09 | 2.19 | 2.19 | 1.97 | 2.13 | 2.14 | 2.40 | 2.04 | 2.14 | 2.39 | |
| Standard deviation | | 1.02 | 1.05 | 0.99 | 1.07 | 1.12 | 1.10 | 0.95 | 0.98 | 0.83 | 1.01 | 1.03 | 1.01 | 1.04 | 0.99 | 0.96 | 1.12 | 0.98 | 1.03 | 0.90 | 1.00 | 1.04 | 1.06 | 1.02 | 0.98 | 0.99 | |
| Standard error | | 0.03 | 0.04 | 0.04 | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.10 | 0.13 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.12 | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.10 | 0.15 | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | | -17.90 | -15.16 | -20.41 | 10.28 | -3.42 | -16.88 | -25.18 | -28.35 | -30.03 | -16.42 | -19.45 | -21.20 | -14.74 | -27.58 | -20.88 | -21.14 | -14.98 | -15.02 | -33.44 | -19.60 | -17.05 | -4.33 | -21.38 | -13.66 | -8.79 | |

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Absolutes/col percents

Table 36

Q4. Would you support or oppose bringing criminal prosecutions against professional counsellors for engaging in talking therapy to address each of the following, where such therapy is freely sought? - Personal issues over their dissatisfaction with being male or female

Base: All respondents

| | Ethnicity | | | | | | | | Religion | | | | | | | | Children in household | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------------------|-----------|---------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|----------|-----------------------|--------|------------------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|
| | NET: Ethnic minority | | Total | White | Mixed | Asian | Black | Chinese | Other ethnic group | Christian | NET: Other | Muslim | Hindu | Jewish | Sikh | Buddhist | Other | None | No children aged 18 or under | NET: Yes | NET: Any 5-18 | NET: Any 11-18 | NET: 5 to 10 years old | NET: 11 to 15 years old | NET: 15 to 18 years old | Yes - children aged under 5 years old | Yes - children aged 5 to 10 years old | Yes - children aged 11 to 15 years old | Yes - children aged 16 to 18 years old |
| | Total | White | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | |
| Unweighted base | 2099 | 1830 | 253 | 57 | 101 | 38 | 47 | 10 | 939 | 165 | 74 | 15 | 8 | 1 | 21 | 46 | 963 | 1541 | 543 | 434 | 305 | 177 | 205 | 214 | 133 | | | | |
| Weighted base | 2099 | 1808 | 270 | 68 | 111 | 36 | 43 | 12 | 933 | 171 | 89 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 18 | 40 | 954 | 1518 | 565 | 436 | 304 | 195 | 207 | 212 | 132 | | | | |
| NET: Agree | 460 | 356 | 100 | 23 | 44 | 11 | 19 | 3 | 221 | 54 | 35 | 5 | - | 2 | 8 | 5 | 179 | 299 | 157 | 115 | 72 | 65 | 63 | 51 | 32 | | | | |
| Strongly agree | (4) | 165 | 133 | 32 | 10 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 73 | 16 | 9 | 1 | - | - | 3 | 2 | 73 | 96 | 65 | 42 | 26 | 29 | 25 | 23 | 9 | | | |
| Agree | (3) | 294 | 223 | 68 | 13 | 33 | 6 | 15 | 2 | 147 | 38 | 26 | 4 | - | 2 | 5 | 2 | 106 | 203 | 92 | 73 | 46 | 36 | 38 | 28 | 23 | | | |
| Disagree | (2) | 405 | 357 | 47 | 19 | 13 | 6 | 6 | 3 | 198 | 22 | 13 | 4 | - | - | 2 | 3 | 182 | 295 | 110 | 87 | 64 | 34 | 37 | 47 | 23 | | | |
| Strongly disagree | (1) | 430 | 392 | 36 | 10 | 11 | 6 | 3 | 5 | 138 | 26 | 8 | 1 | 2 | - | 1 | 13 | 259 | 325 | 106 | 76 | 54 | 38 | 35 | 36 | 23 | | | |
| NET: Disagree | 836 | 748 | 83 | 29 | 24 | 12 | 9 | 9 | 336 | 48 | 21 | 5 | 2 | - | 3 | 16 | 441 | 620 | 216 | 163 | 117 | 73 | 72 | 84 | 46 | | | | |
| Don't know | 691 | 615 | 69 | 13 | 30 | 11 | 14 | 1 | 334 | 50 | 22 | 4 | 3 | - | 5 | 16 | 294 | 525 | 158 | 134 | 100 | 45 | 60 | 71 | 45 | | | | |
| Prefer not to say | 113 | 88 | 18 | 3 | 13 | 2 | 1 | - | 43 | 20 | 11 | 2 | 2 | - | 1 | 4 | 40 | 74 | 34 | 24 | 14 | 13 | 7 | 9 | | | | | |
| Mean | 2.15 | 2.09 | 2.52 | 2.44 | 2.65 | 2.42 | 2.73 | 1.80 | 2.28 | 2.44 | 2.65 | 2.52 | 1.00 | 3.00 | 2.91 | 1.67 | 1.99 | 2.08 | 2.31 | 2.29 | 2.24 | 2.40 | 2.39 | 2.28 | 2.23 | | | | |
| Standard deviation | 1.02 | 1.02 | 1.00 | 1.03 | 0.94 | 1.13 | 0.88 | 0.98 | 0.98 | 1.03 | 0.92 | 0.84 | 0.00 | - | 1.02 | 1.06 | 1.03 | 0.99 | 1.07 | 1.03 | 1.01 | 1.11 | 1.07 | 1.05 | 1.01 | | | | |
| Standard error | 0.03 | 0.03 | 0.08 | 0.16 | 0.12 | 0.23 | 0.16 | 0.33 | 0.04 | 0.10 | 0.14 | 0.27 | 0.00 | - | 0.28 | 0.20 | 0.04 | 0.03 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.10 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.11 | | | | |
| NET: Agree - Disagree | -17.90 | -21.70 | 6.13 | -9.58 | 17.90 | -2.68 | 23.72 | -49.00 | -12.32 | 3.77 | 15.50 | -1.87 | -35.81 | 100.00 | 29.84 | -28.79 | -27.51 | -21.17 | -10.32 | -11.02 | -14.81 | -3.92 | -4.46 | -15.44 | -10.59 | | | | |

