

Supplemental Report

Top 5 COVID-19 Affected States

(as of April 14, 2020)

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New Jersey

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Massachusetts

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Michigan

Data for Michigan (#4 COVID-19 state as of 4/16/2020)



Pennsylvania

Data for Pennsylvania (#5 COVID-19 state as of 4/16/2020)

Survey Participants



5580

Number of Certified Child Life Specialists that were sent the survey



1823

Number survey responses (complete & partial responses)



1411

Responses from CCLSs in the USA



76

Responses from CCLSs in Canada



23

Responses from CCLSs in other countries

Why survey individual CCLSs rather than programs?

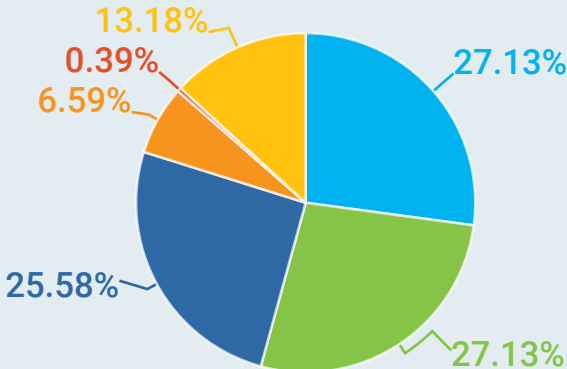
Staffing and programming changes are impacting child life specialists differently, even within the same program. In order to try to assess the full impact on the child life workforce, this survey was targeted at individual child life specialists with some additional questions reserved for child life program leaders.

How can I use this data?

ACLP is providing this data as a resource to members and a snapshot of what is happening in the child life field at this point in time. This data should *not* be interpreted as recommendations of what child life programs should be doing to navigate COVID-19.

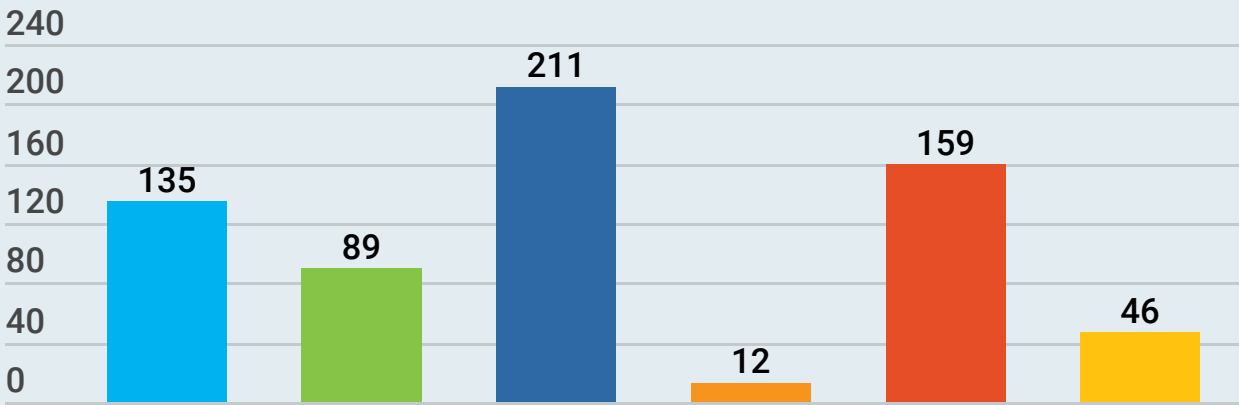
Top 5 COVID-19 States

Current Job Status (percentage of CCLS respondents)



- Normal hours, shifts, assigned unit, or job duties - minor disruptions if any
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- Partial hospital-based work, partial work-from-home
- Reduced hours
- Furloughed
- Other

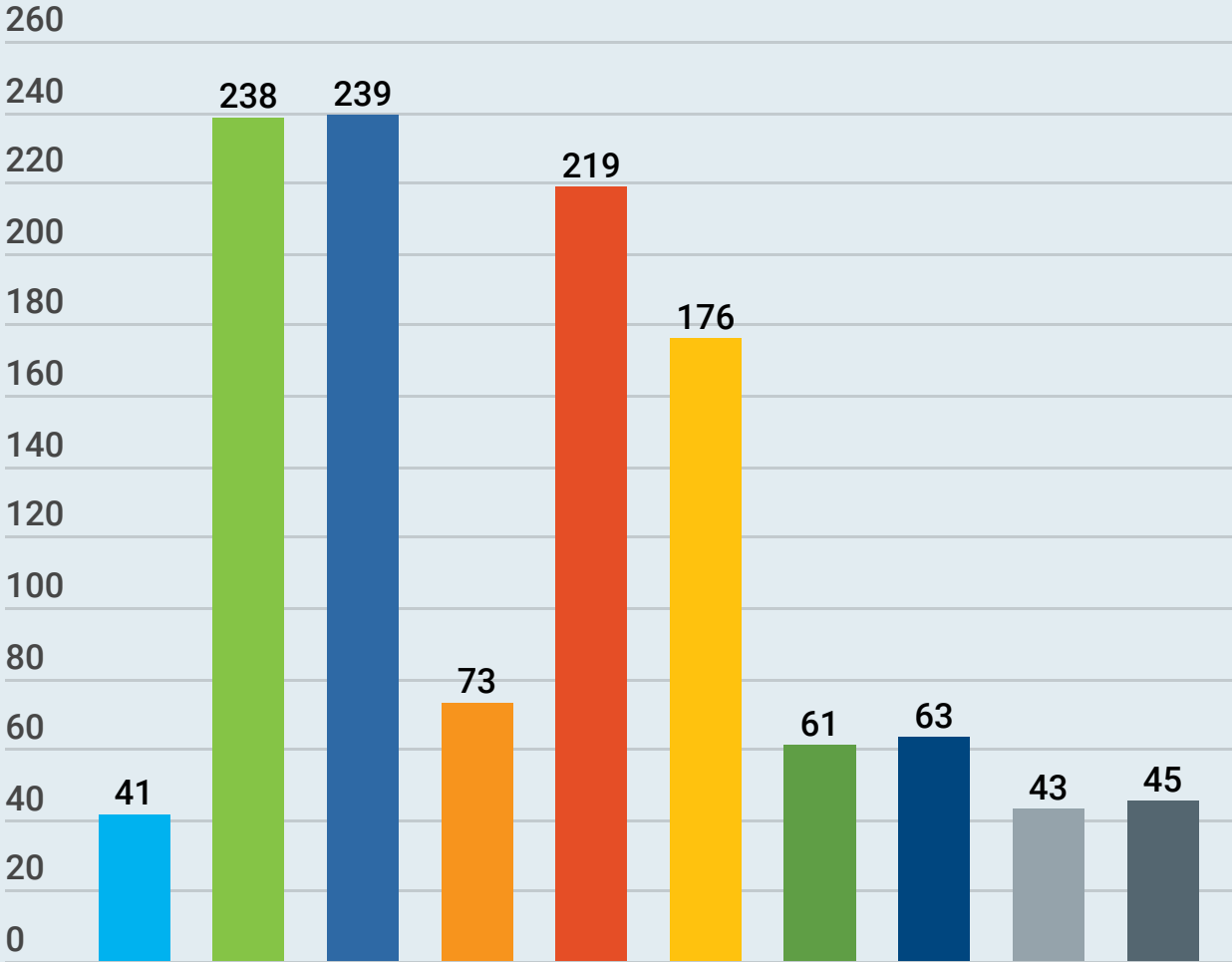
Job Disruptions (number of CCLS respondents)



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Top 5 COVID-19 States continued

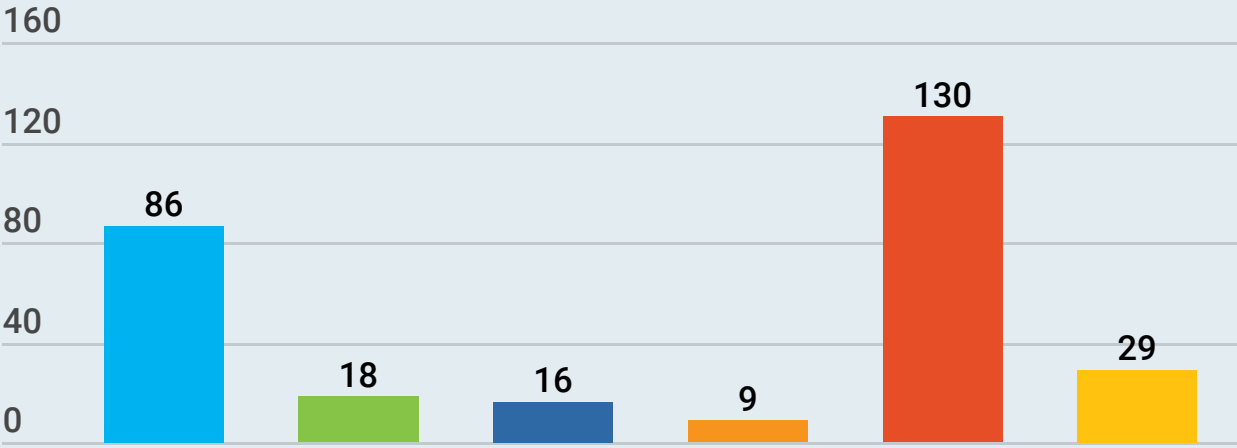
Changes implemented as a result of COVID-19 (number of CCLS respondents)



- Limits on sibling visitation
- Bans sibling visitation
- Limits on parent/caregiver visitation
- Limits on playroom usage
- Playroom closure
- Child life cannot enter COVID-19 rule out or COVID-19 positive rooms
- Child life cannot enter isolation rooms
- Limits on child life assistant/activity coordinator activities
- Suspension of child life assistant/activity coordinator activities
- Other

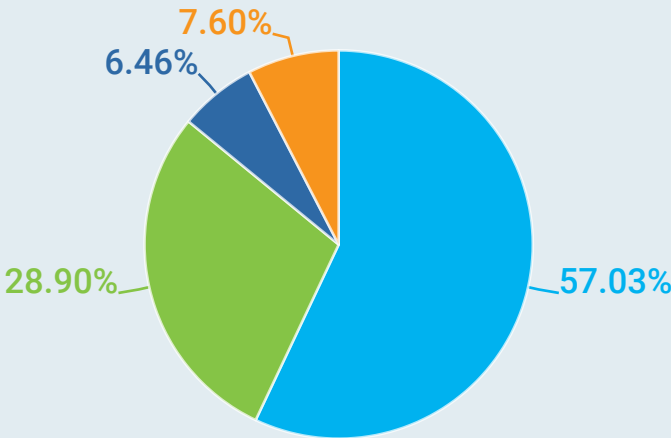
Top 5 COVID-19 States continued

Virtual Interventions (number of CCLS respondents)



- CCLS in hospital to patient in hospital
 ● CCLS in hospital to patient at home
- CCLS at home to patient in hospital
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 ● N/A
- Other

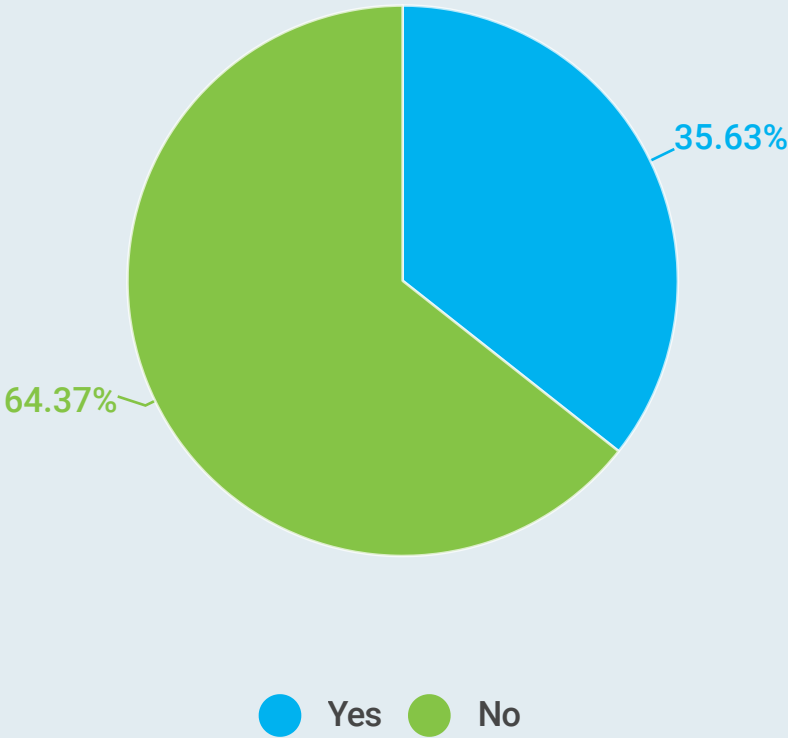
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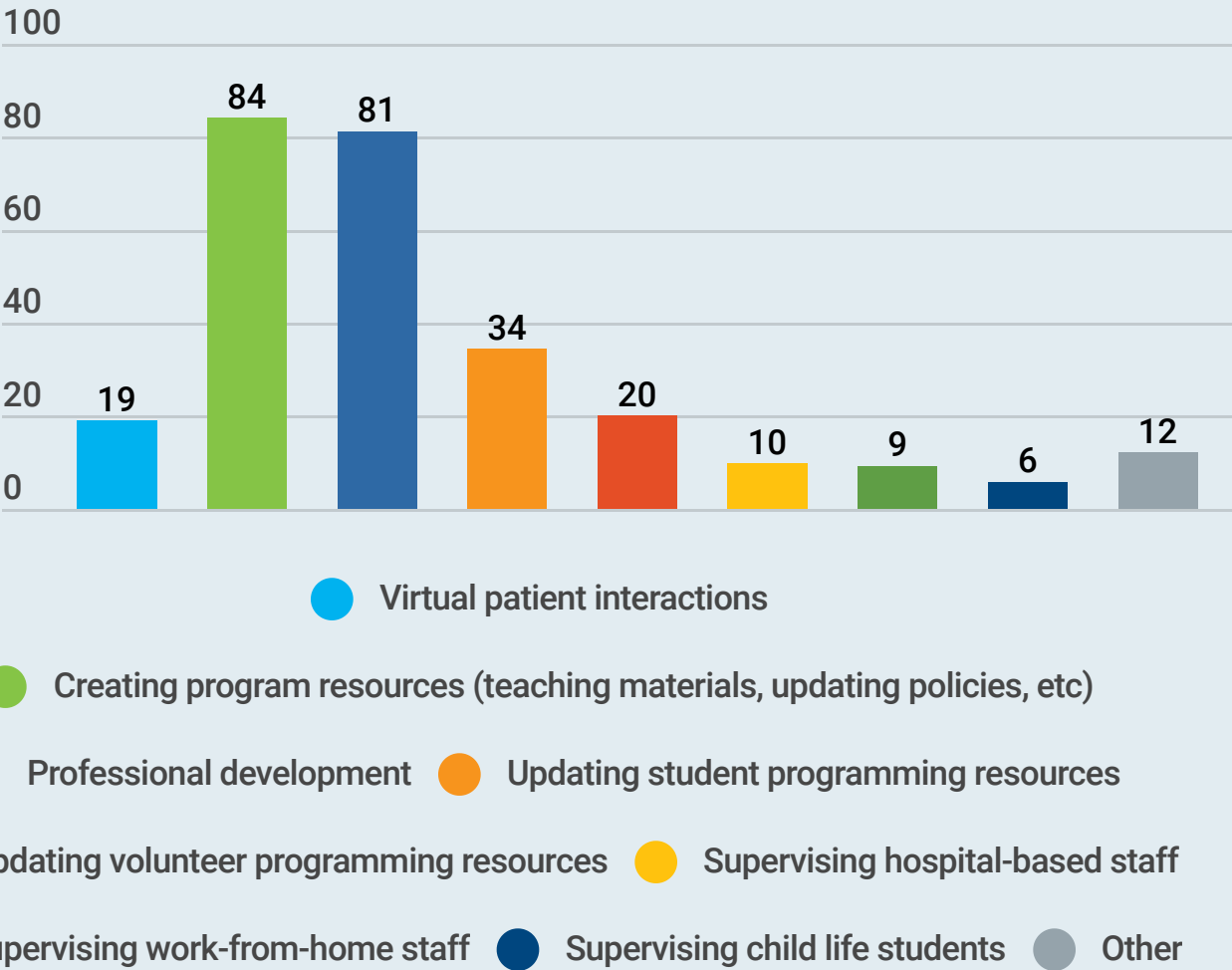
- Clinical child life specialist
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Top 5 COVID-19 States continued

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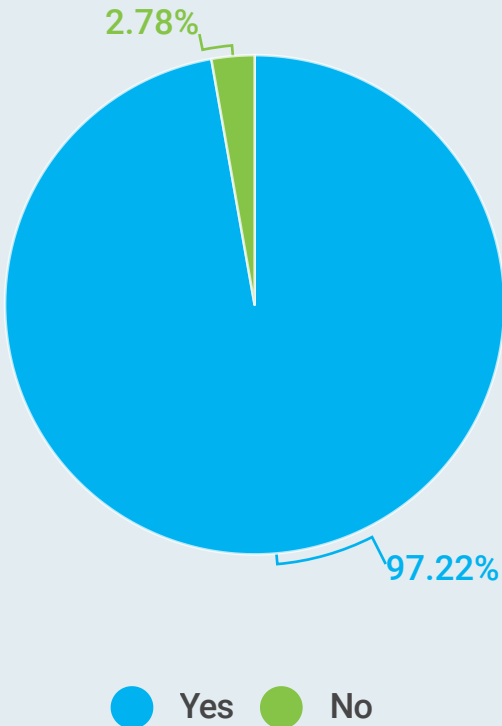


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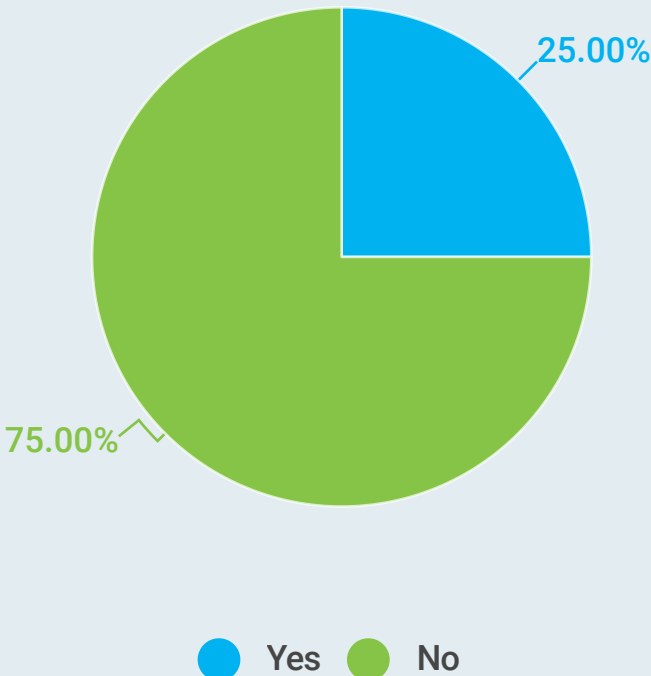


Top 5 COVID-19 States Program Leaders

Does your hospital consider child life essential? (percentage of program leader respondents)

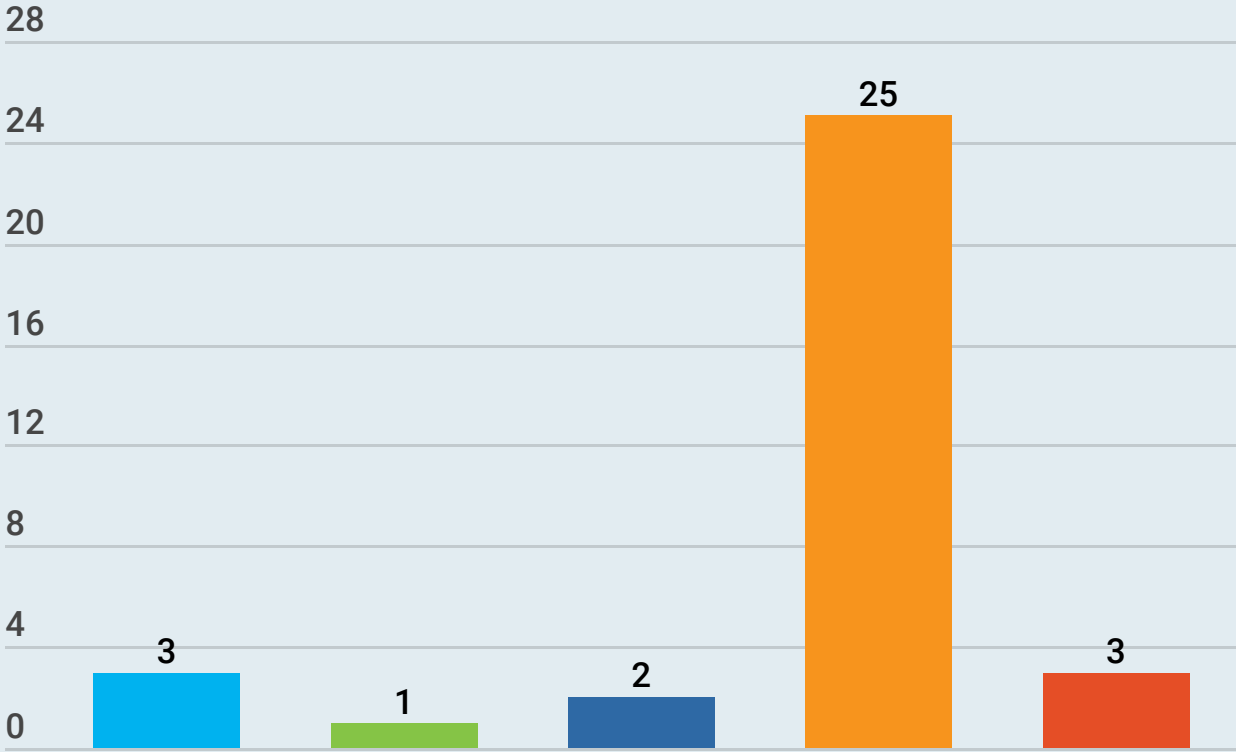


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Top 5 COVID-19 States Program

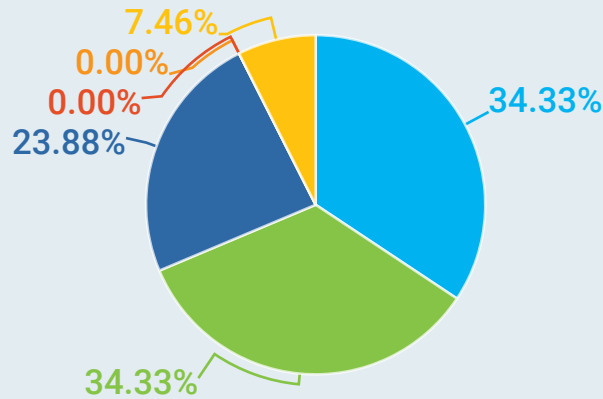
Criteria for child life team to resume normal operations
(number of program leader respondents)



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- PPE stock is replenished
- Unknown
- Other

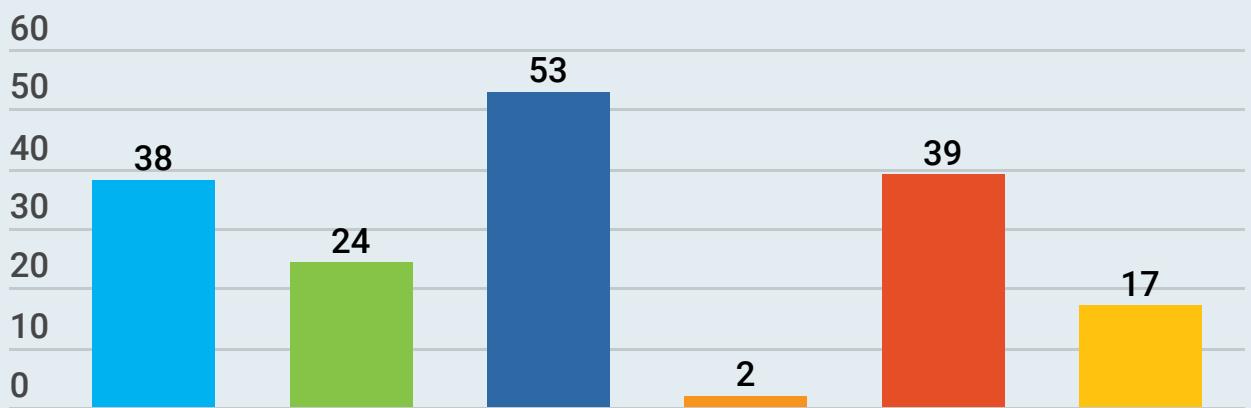
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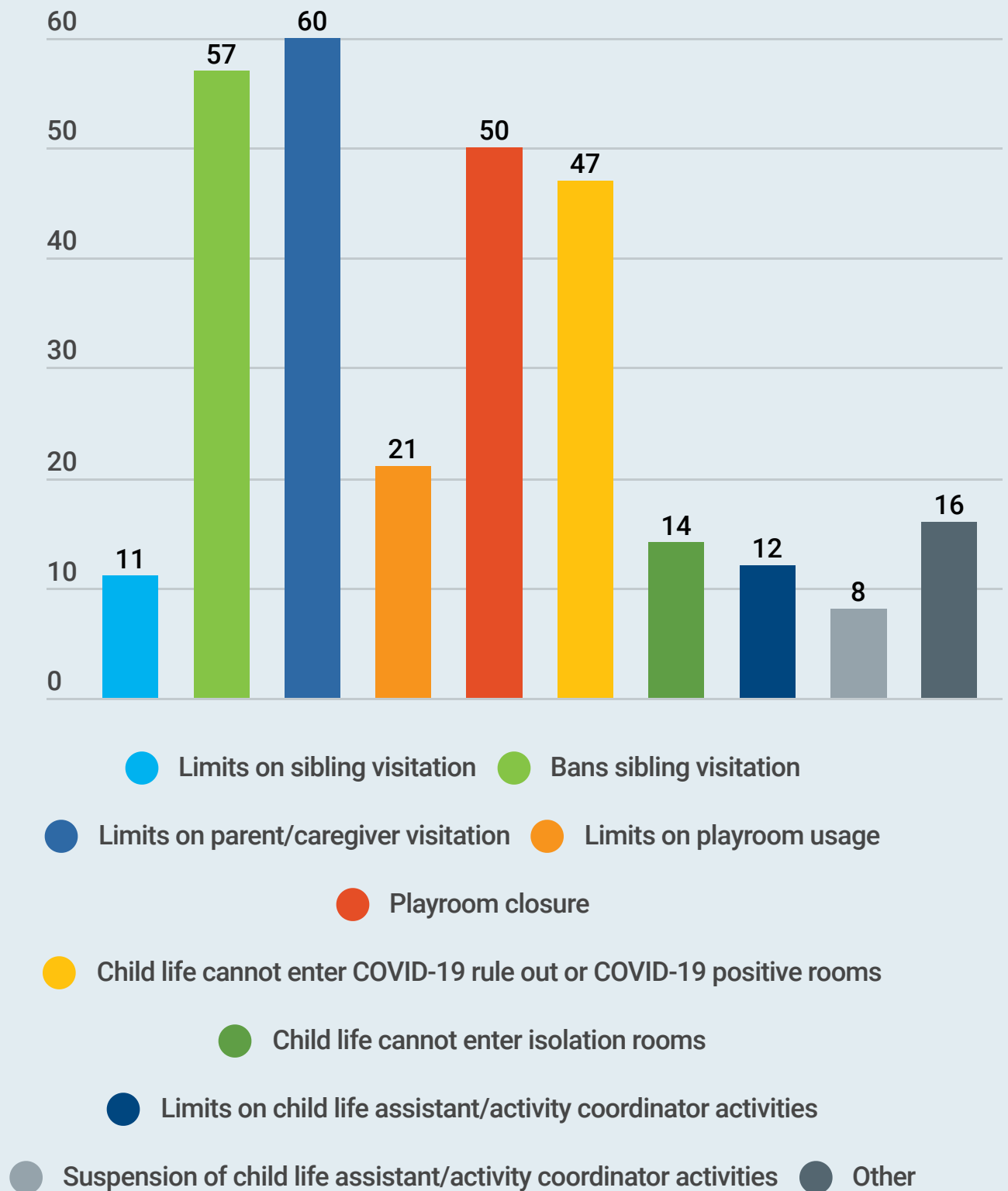
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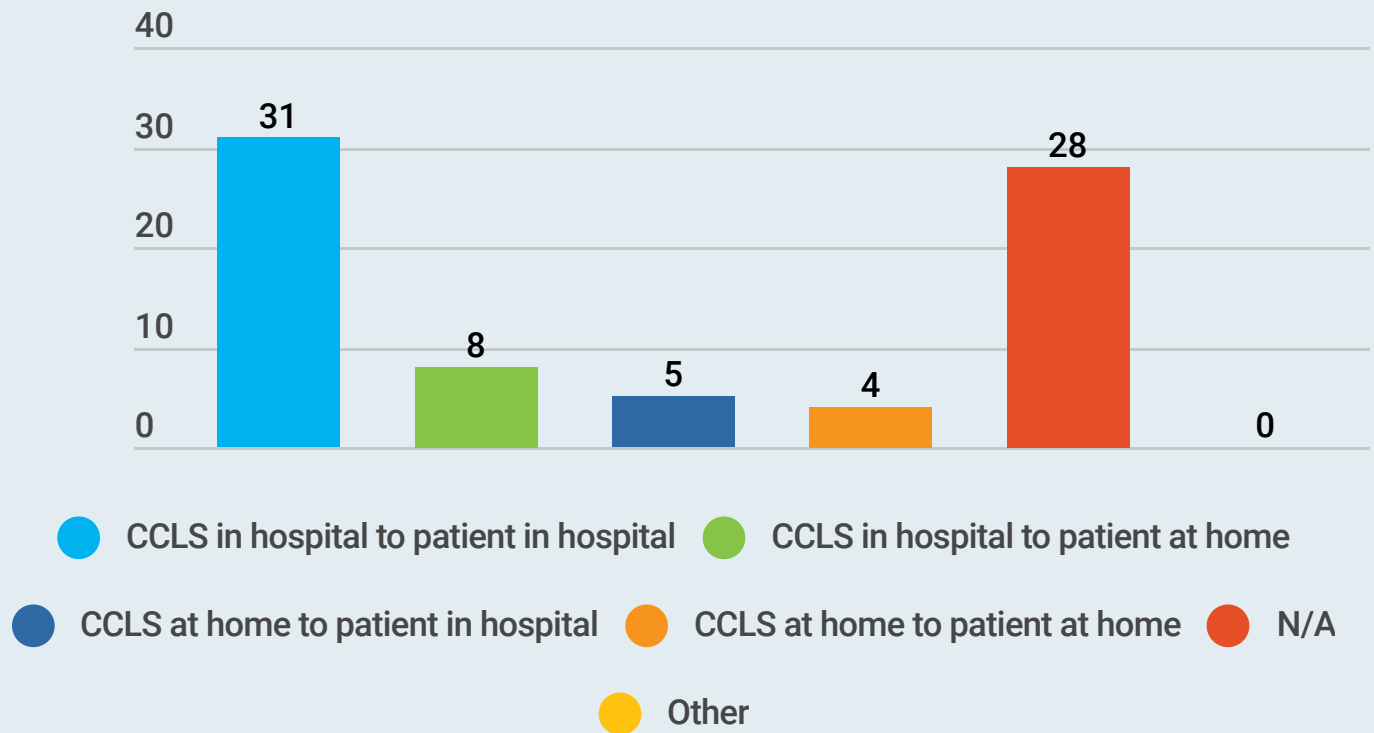
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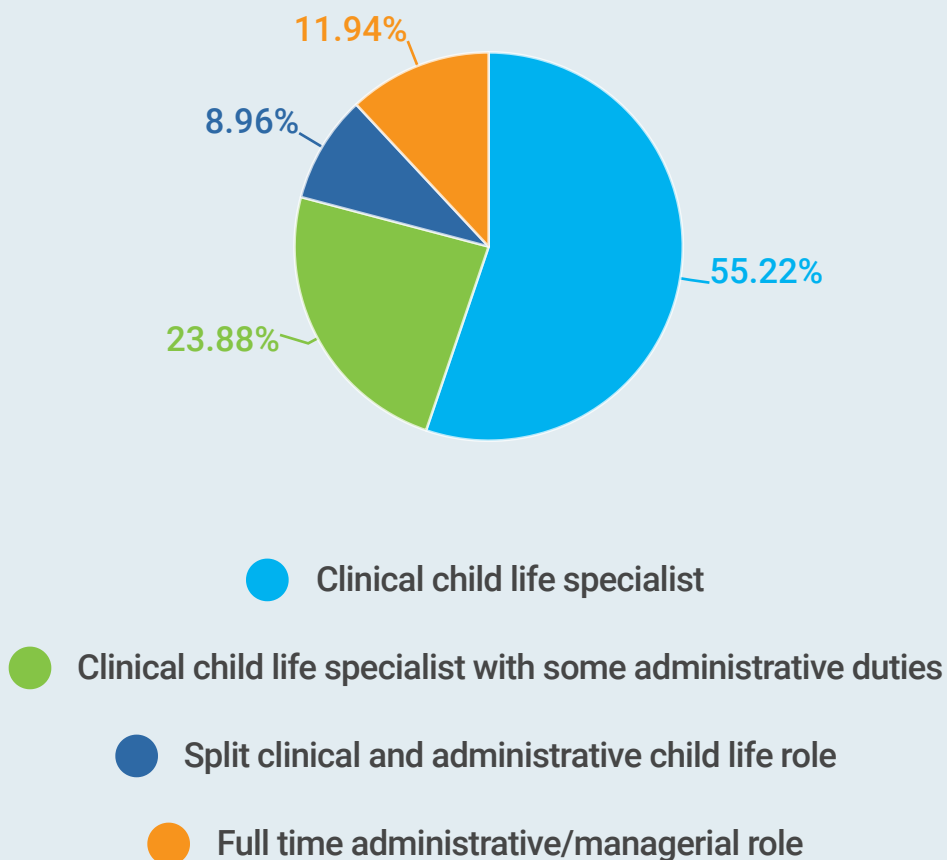


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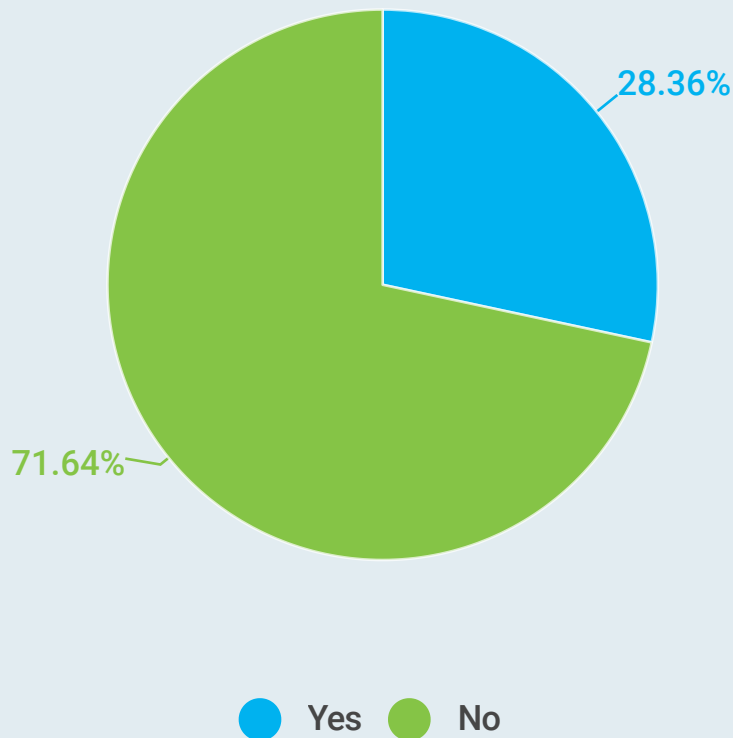


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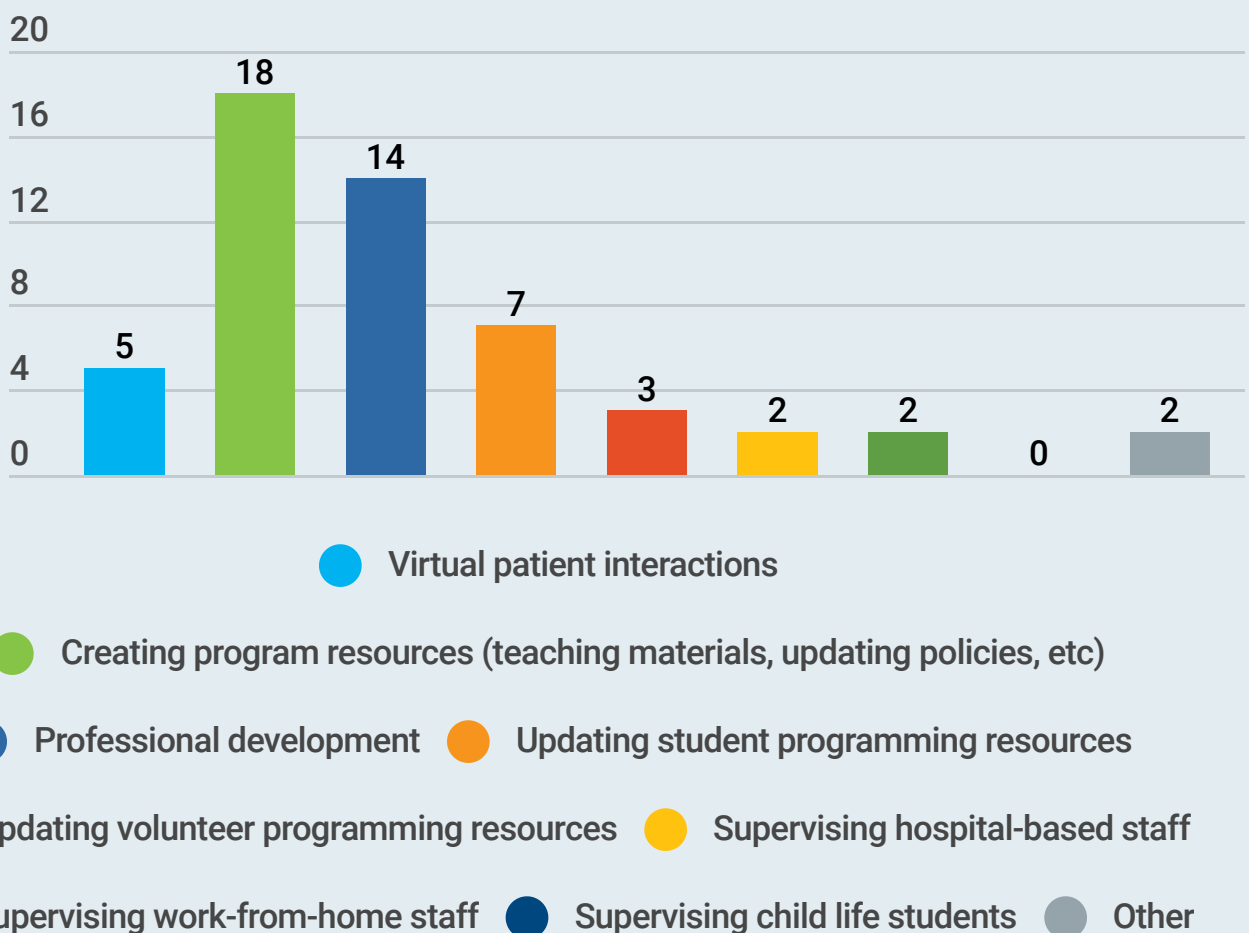


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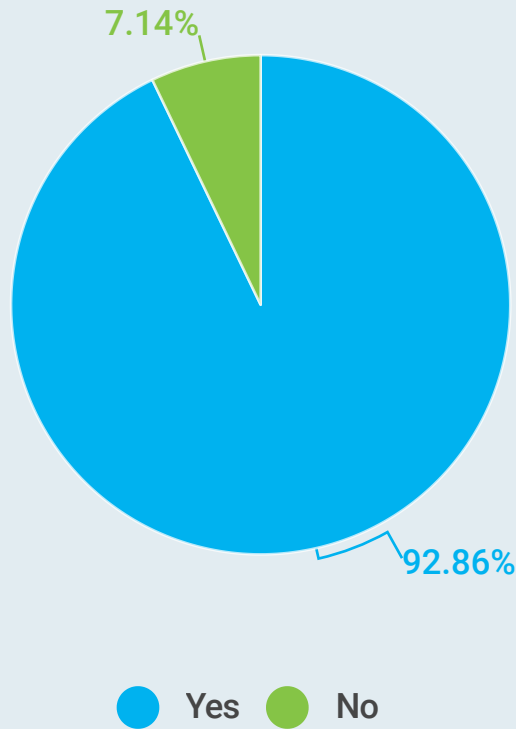


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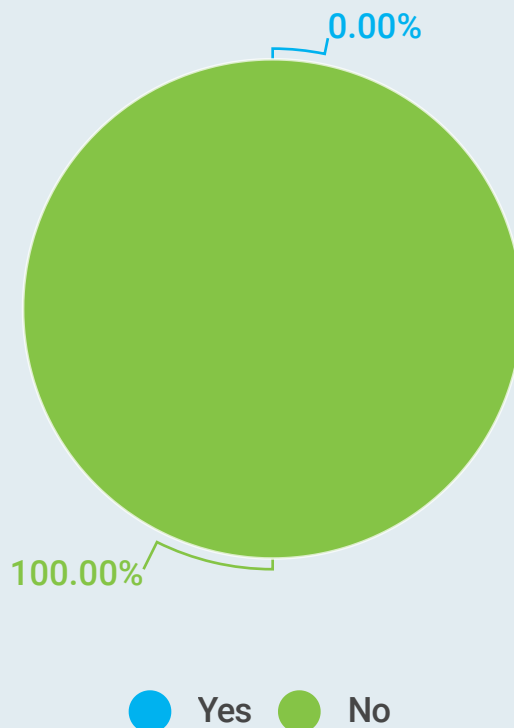


New York Program Leaders

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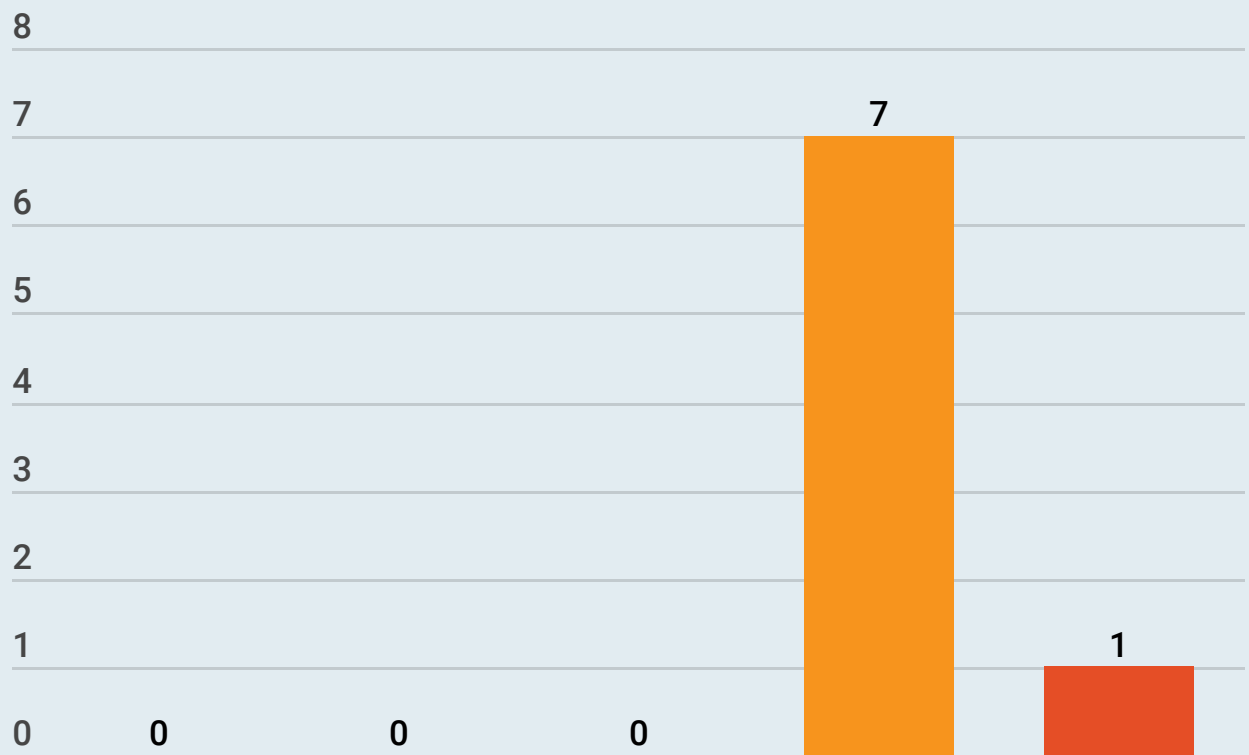


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New York Program Leaders

Criteria for child life team to resume normal operations (number of program leader respondents)



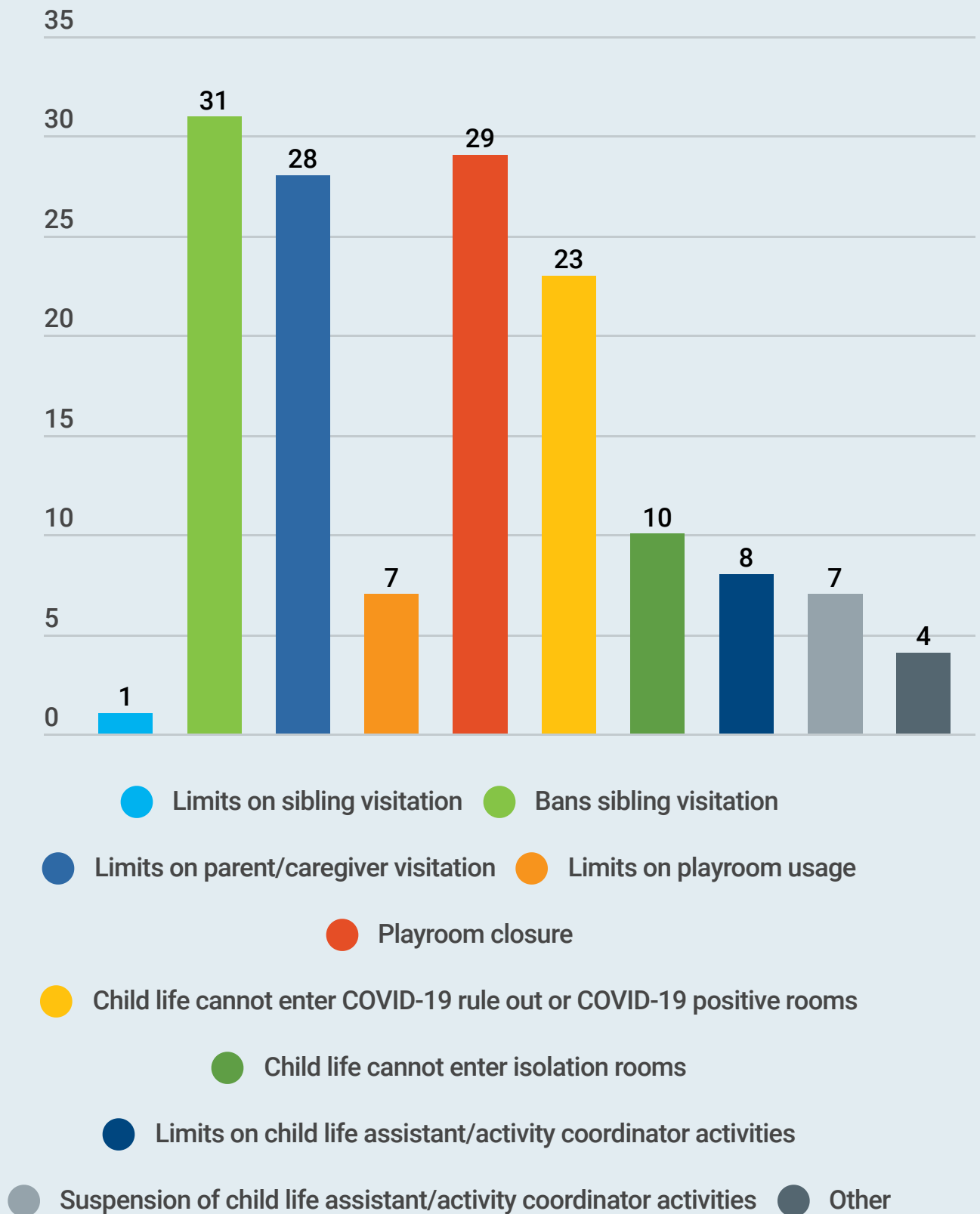
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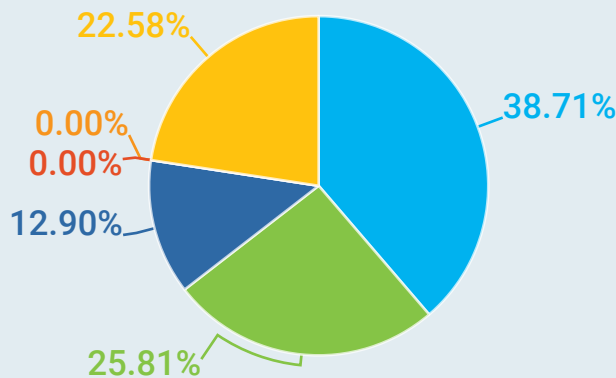
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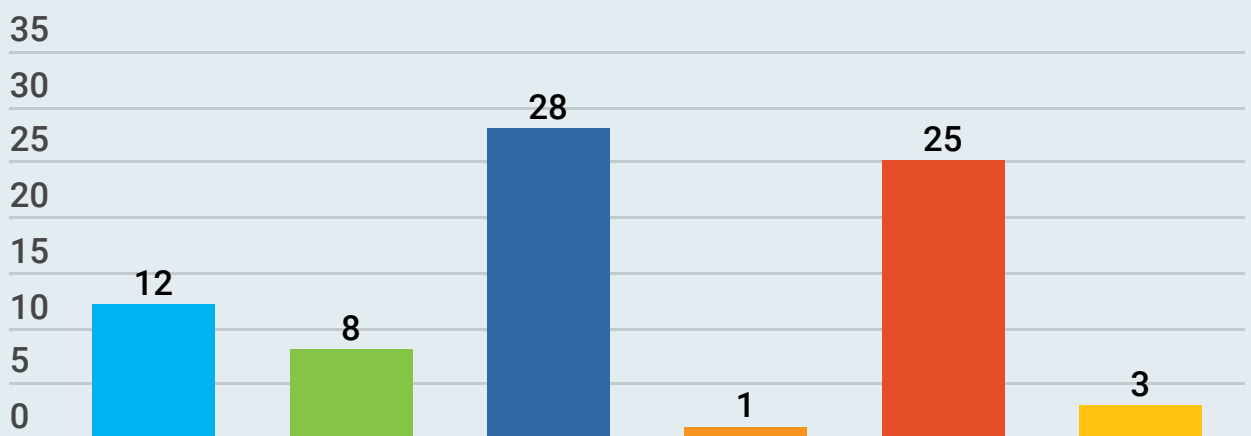
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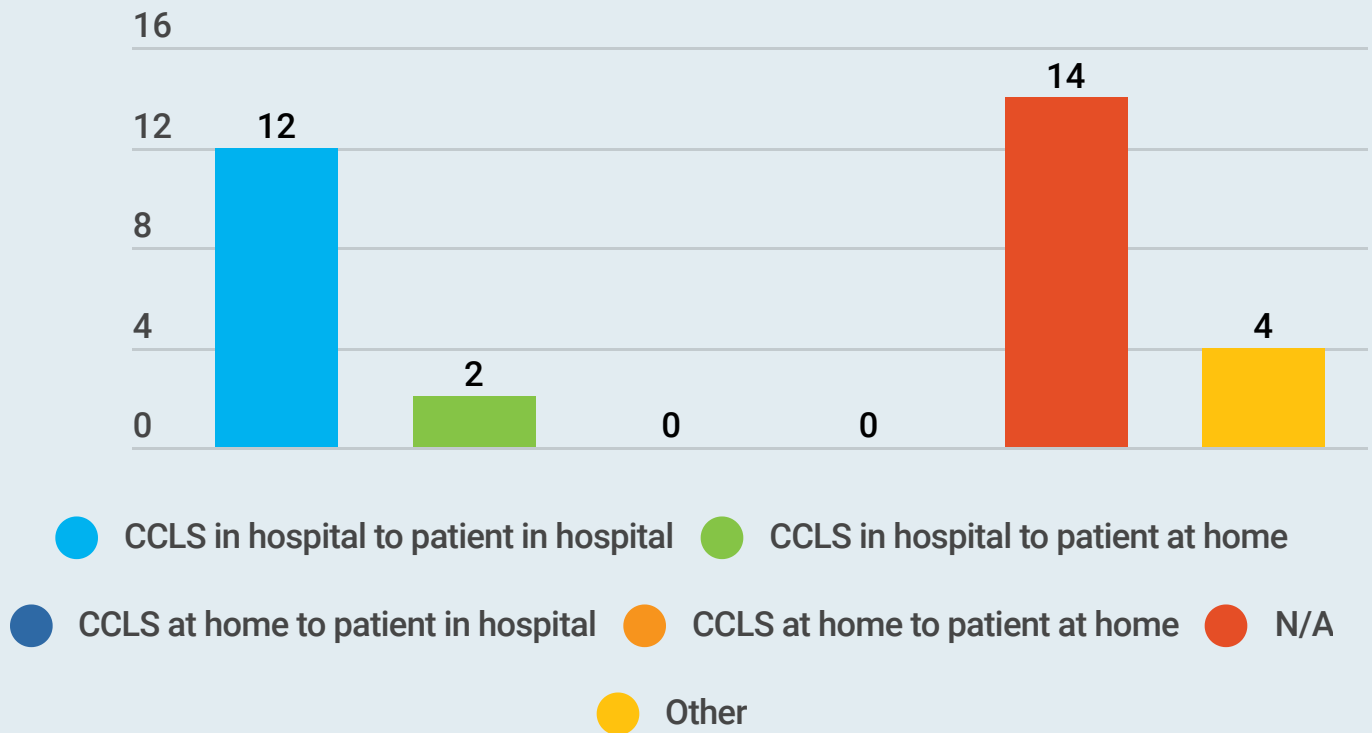
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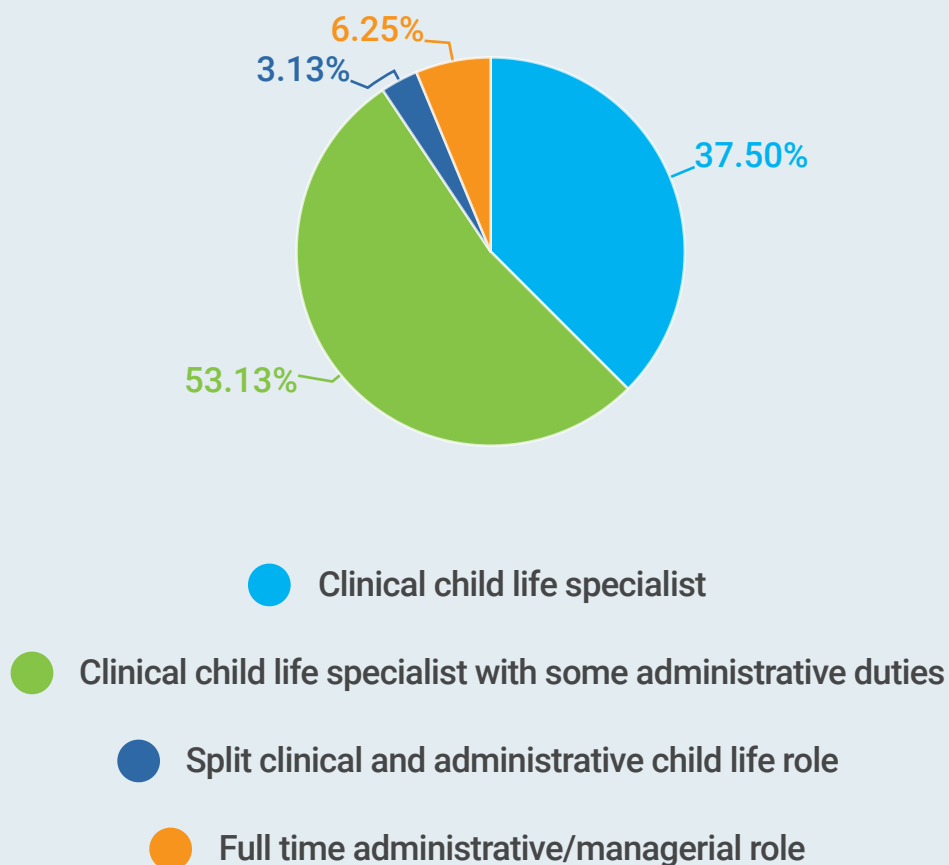
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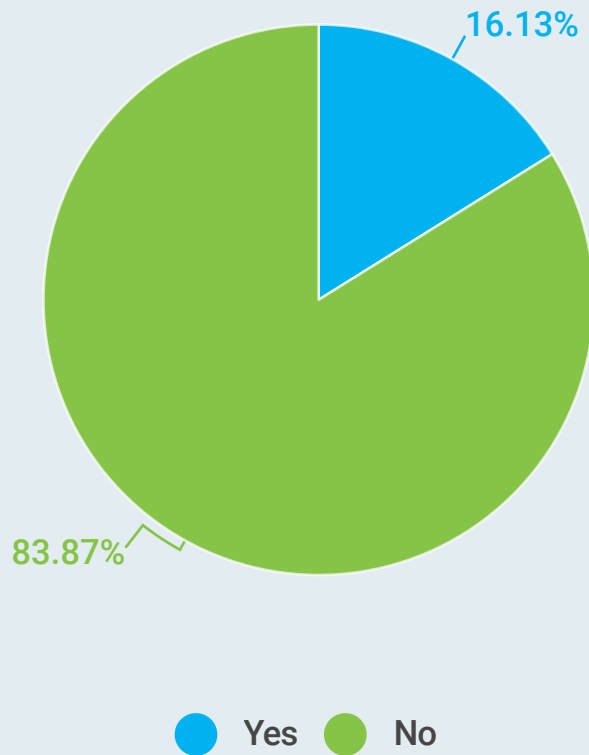


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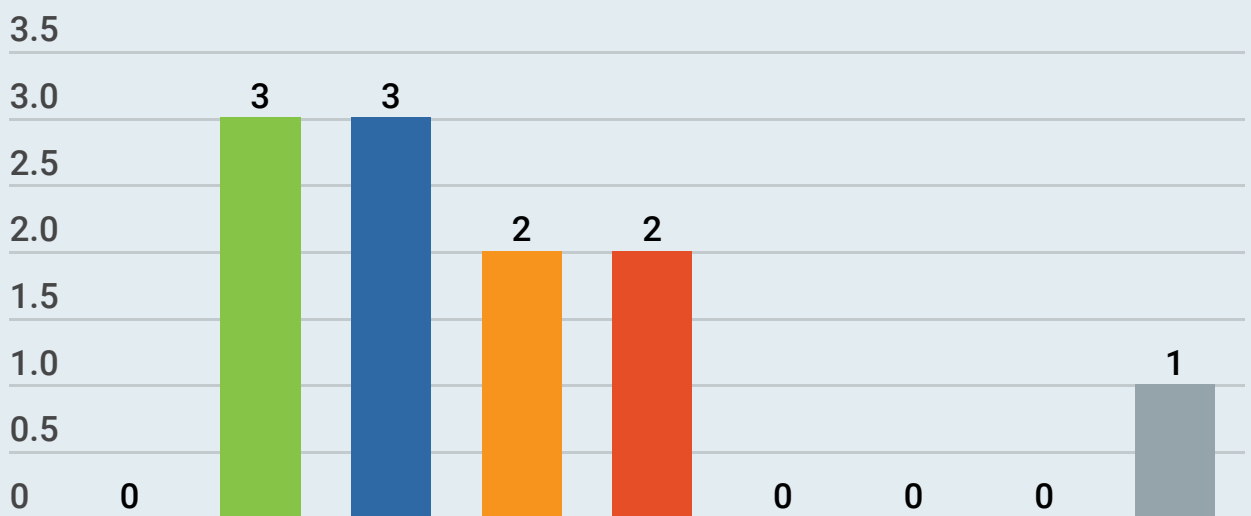


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CCLS able to work from home (percentage of CCLS respondents)



Work from Home Tasks (number of CCLS respondents)



Virtual patient interactions

Creating program resources (teaching materials, updating policies, etc)

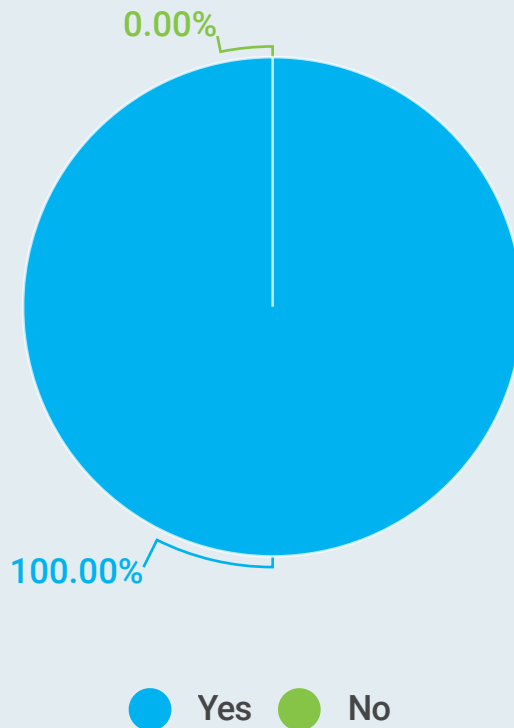
Professional development Updating student programming resources

Updating volunteer programming resources Supervising hospital-based staff

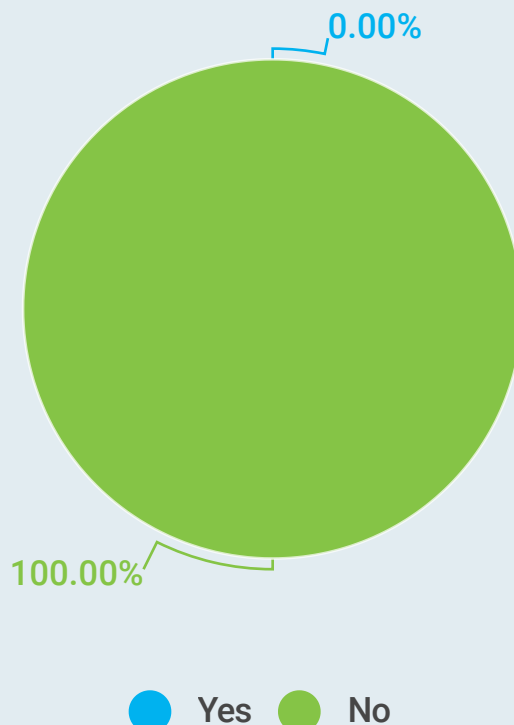
Supervising work-from-home staff Supervising child life students Other

New Jersey Program Leaders

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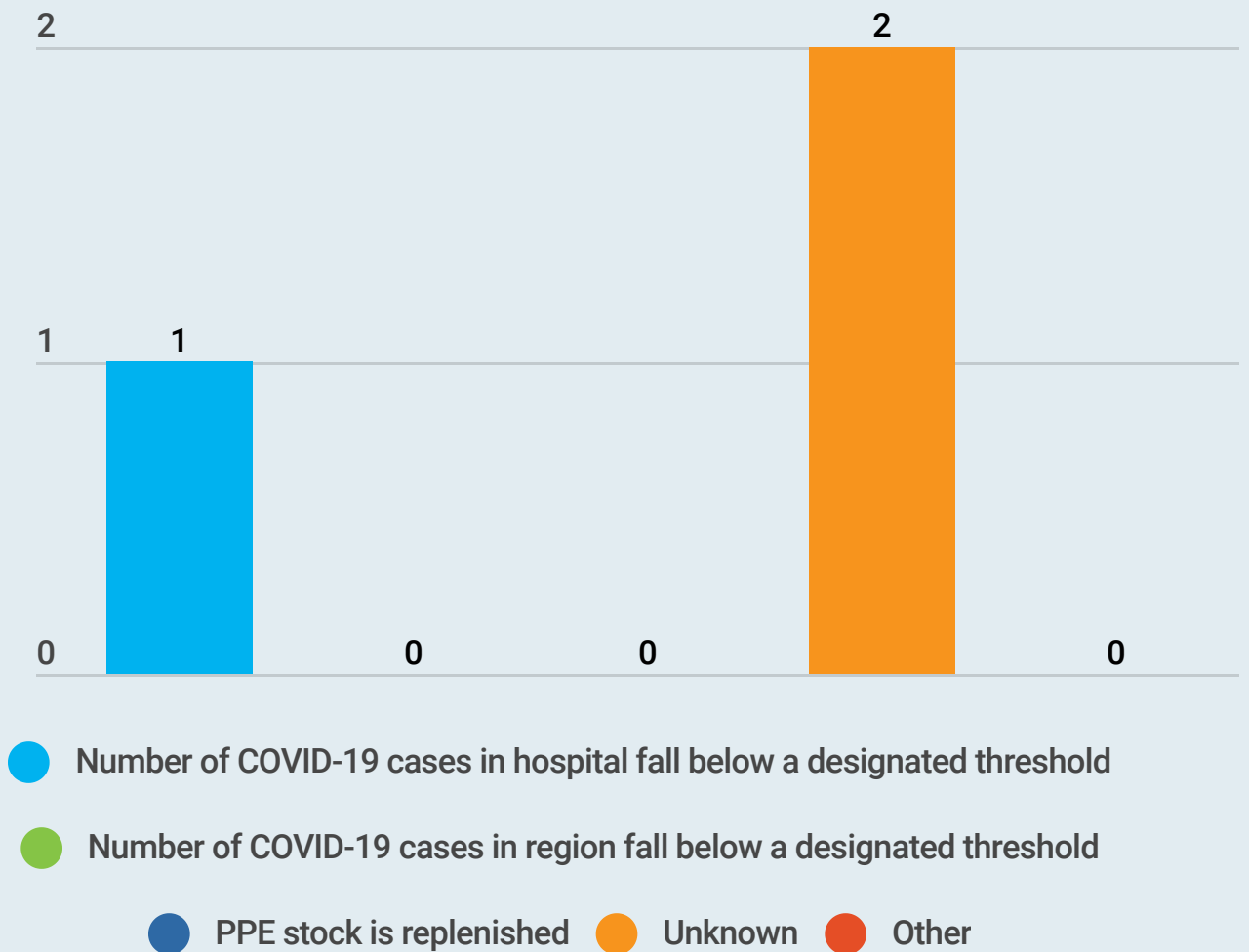


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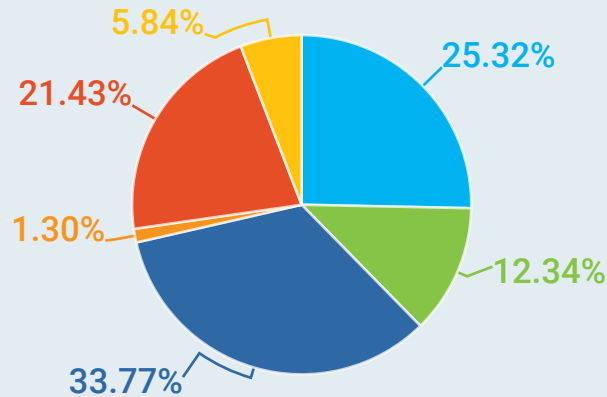
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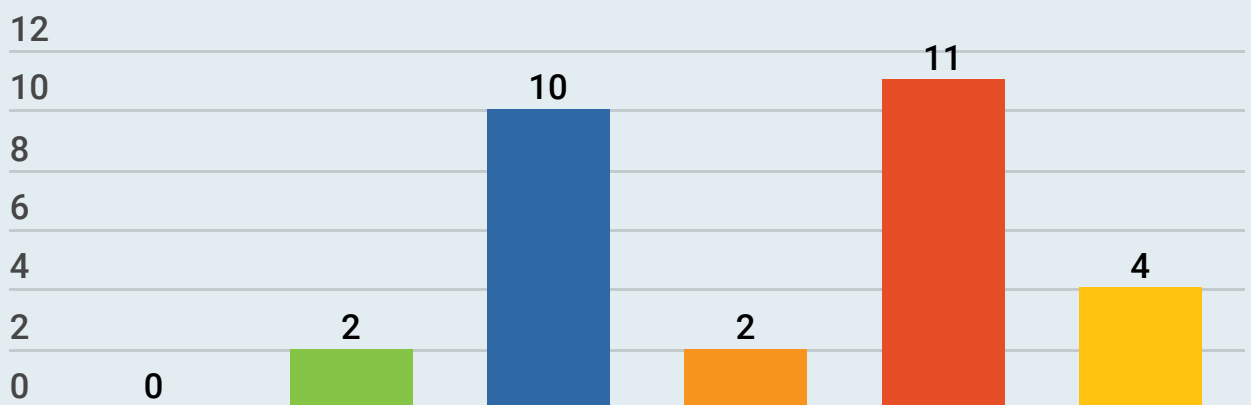
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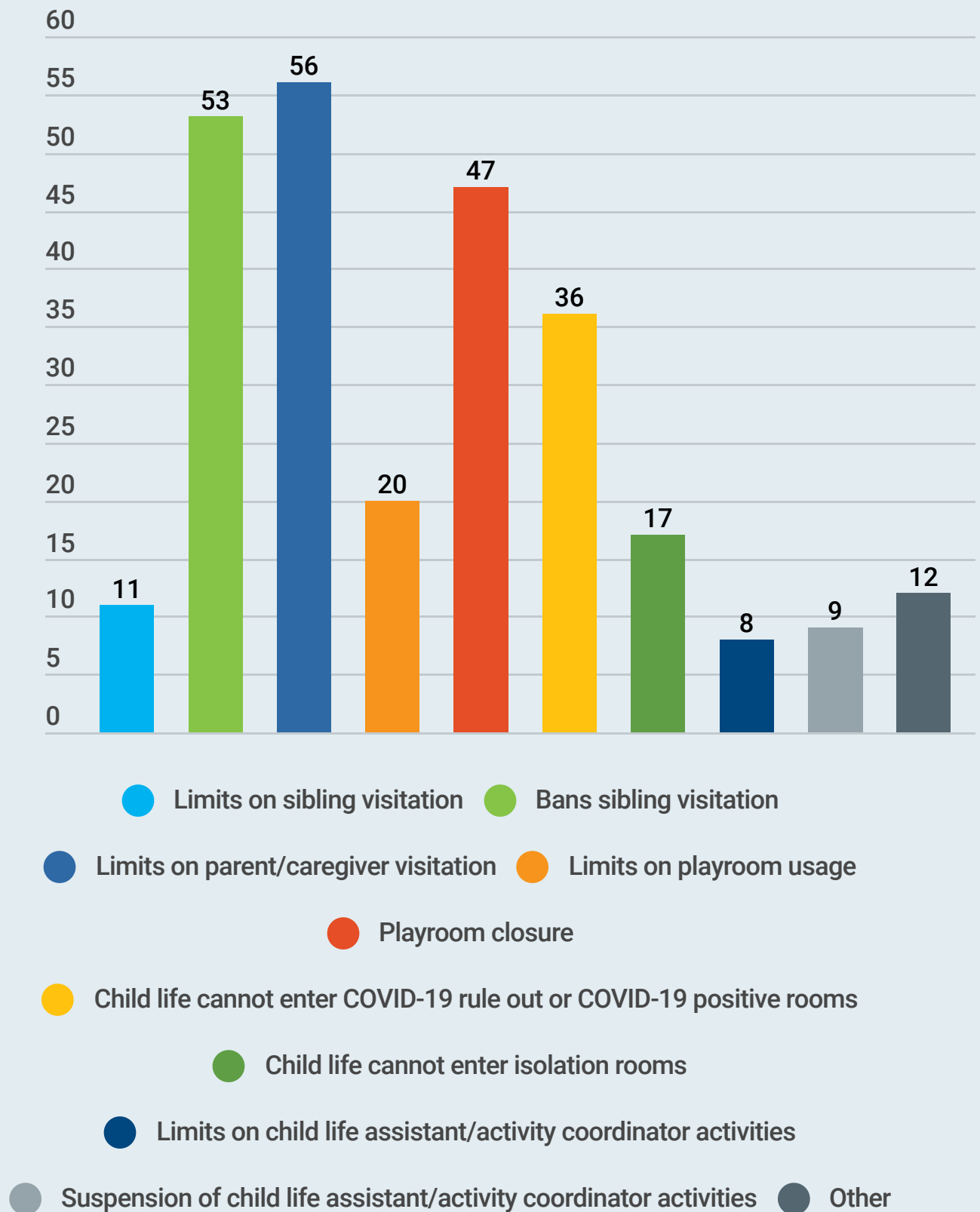
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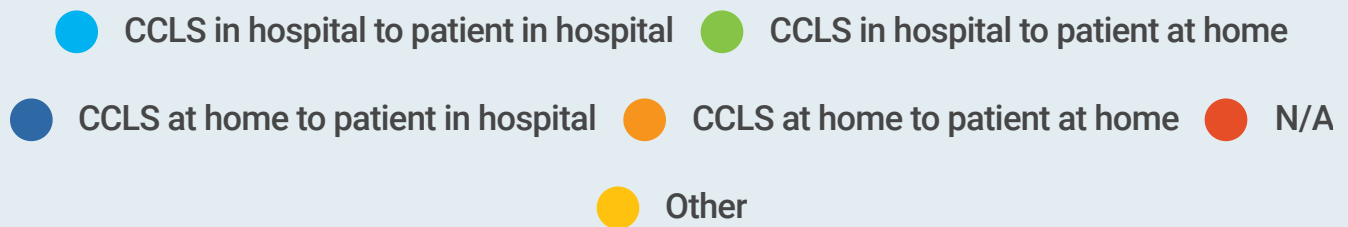
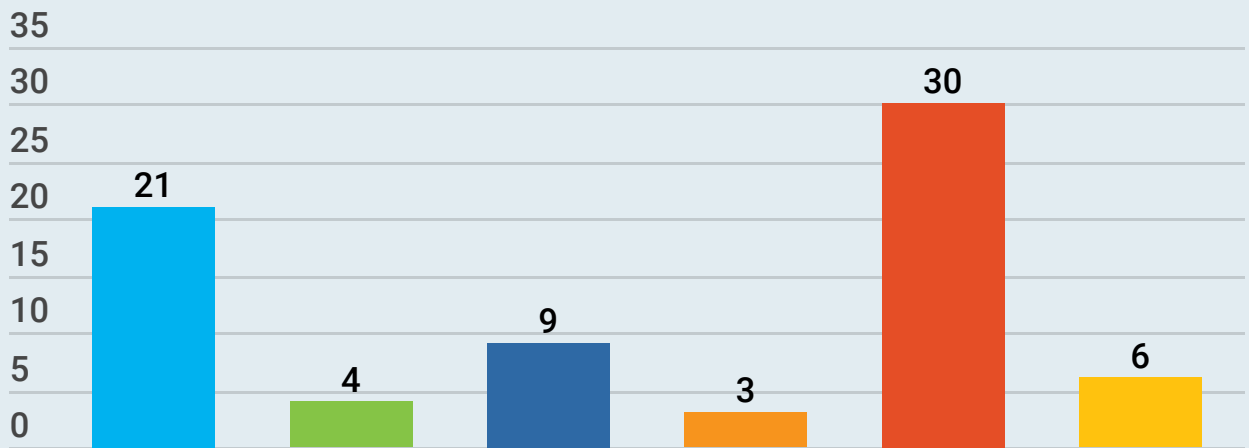
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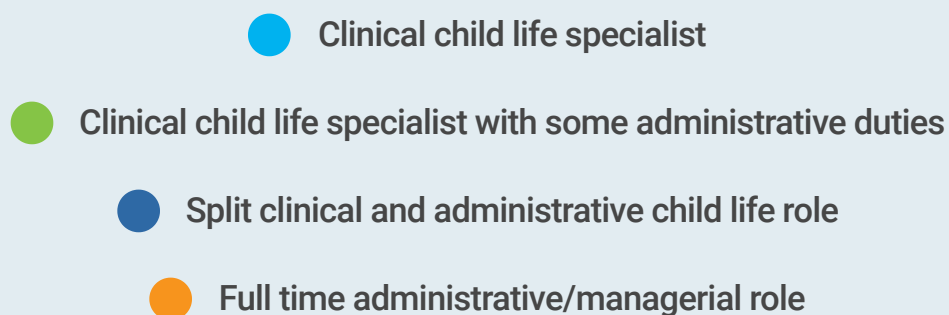
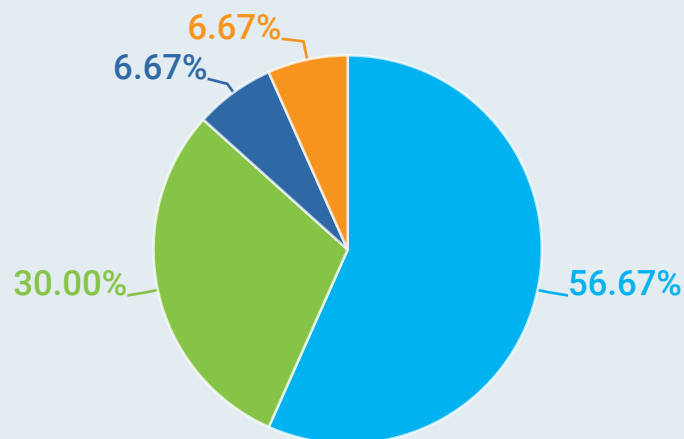


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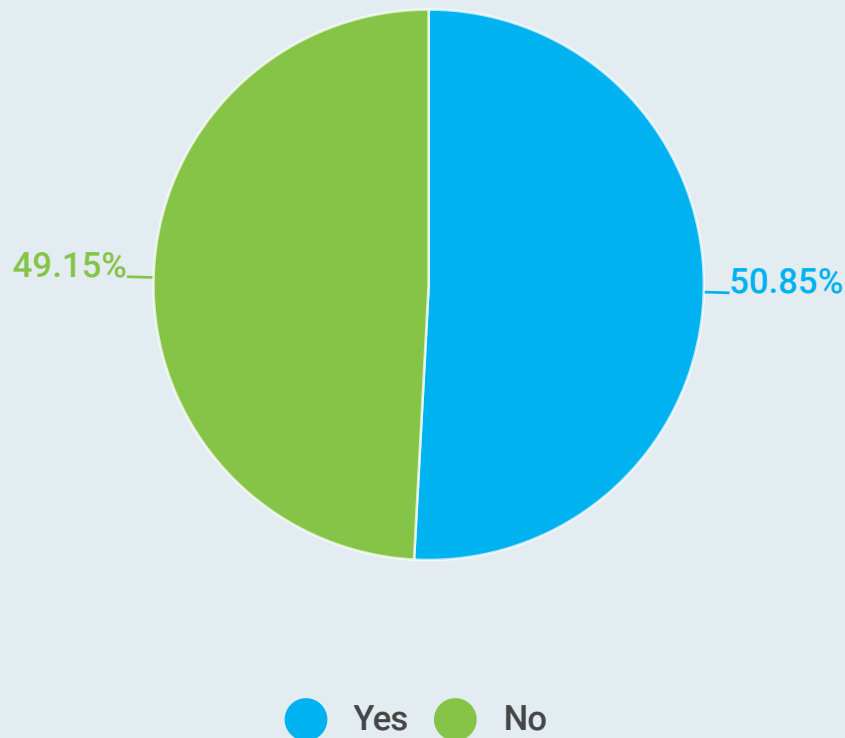


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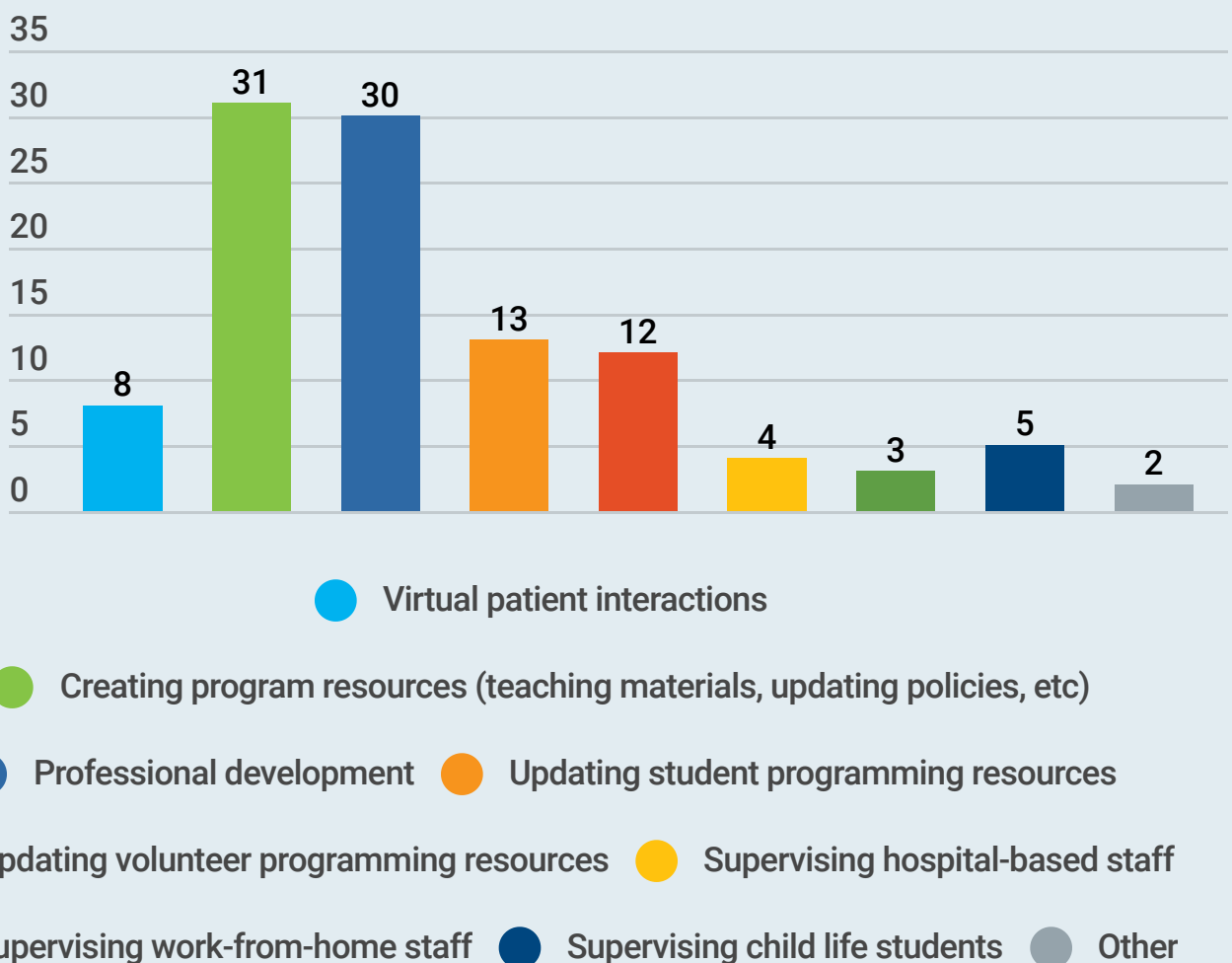


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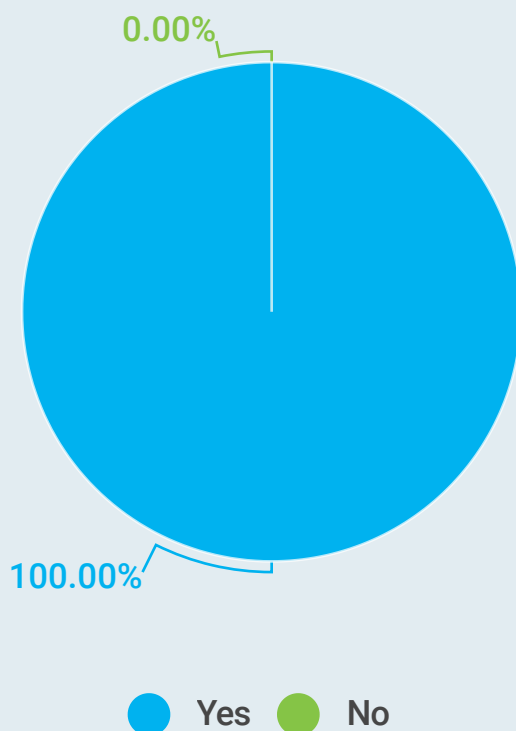


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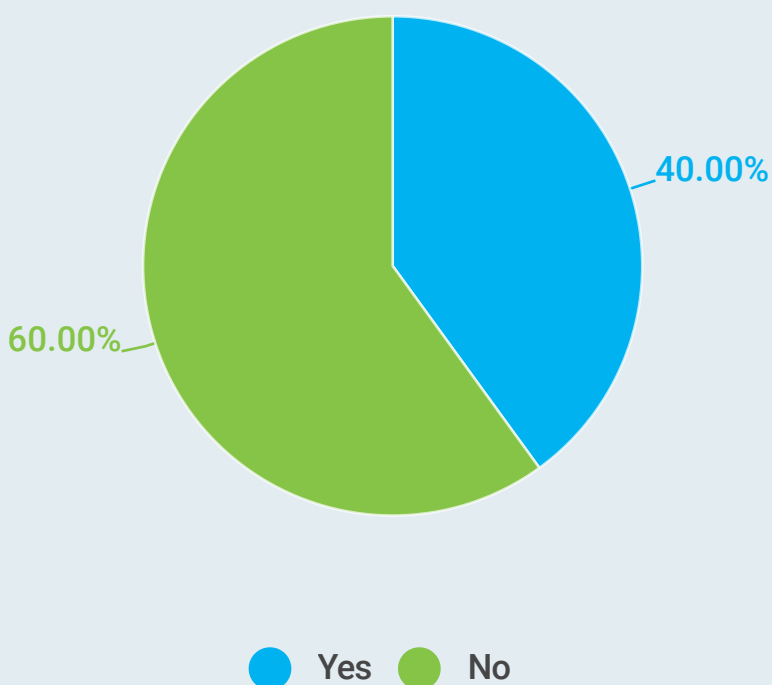


Massachusetts Program Leaders

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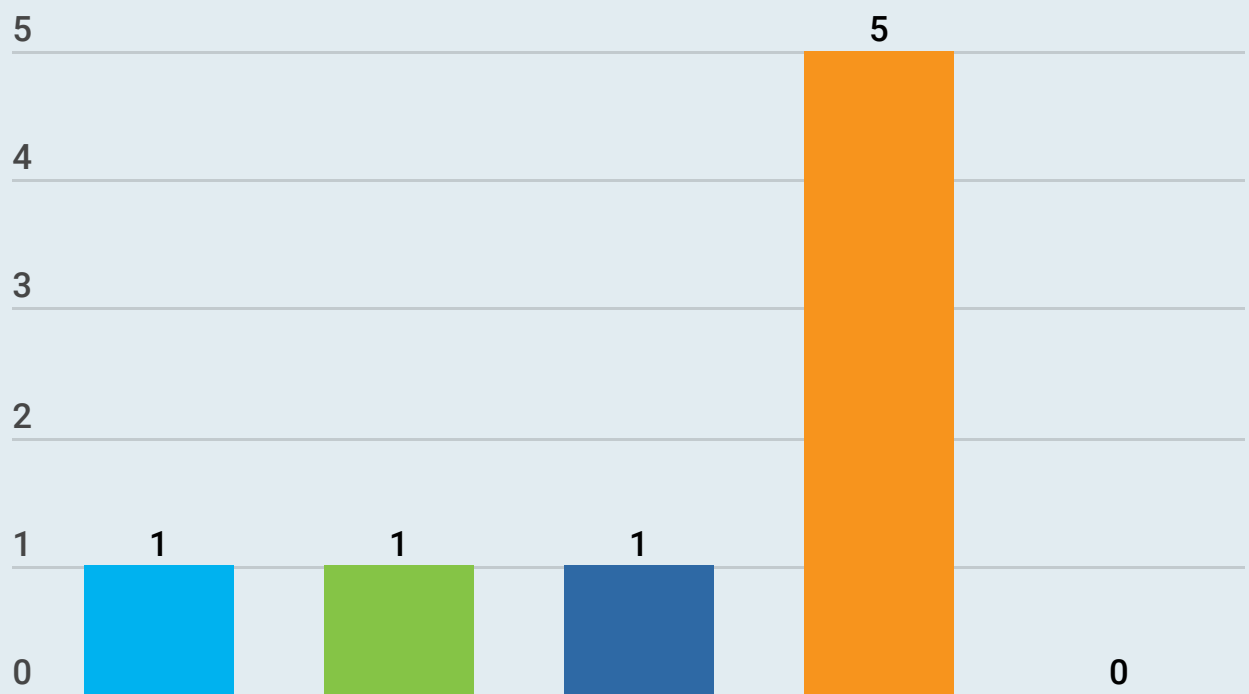


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Massachusetts Program Leaders

Criteria for child life team to resume normal operations
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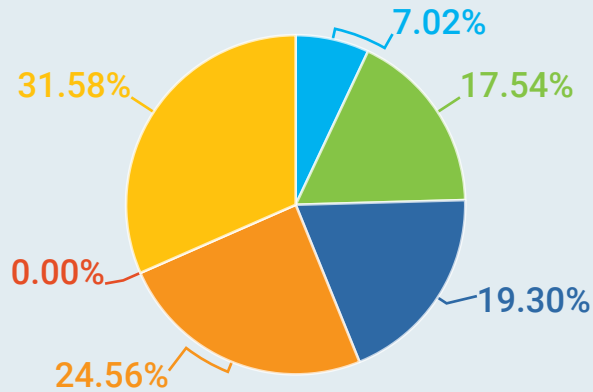
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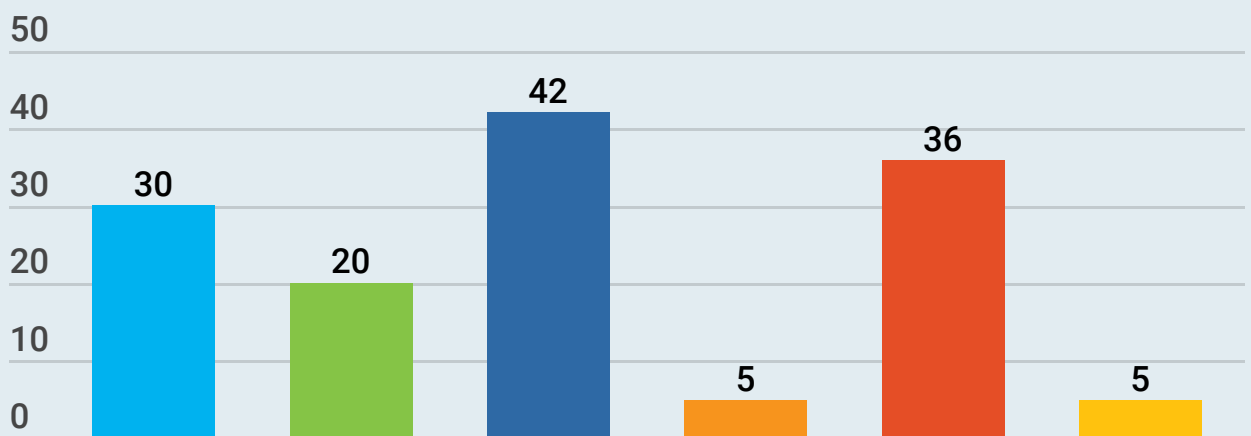
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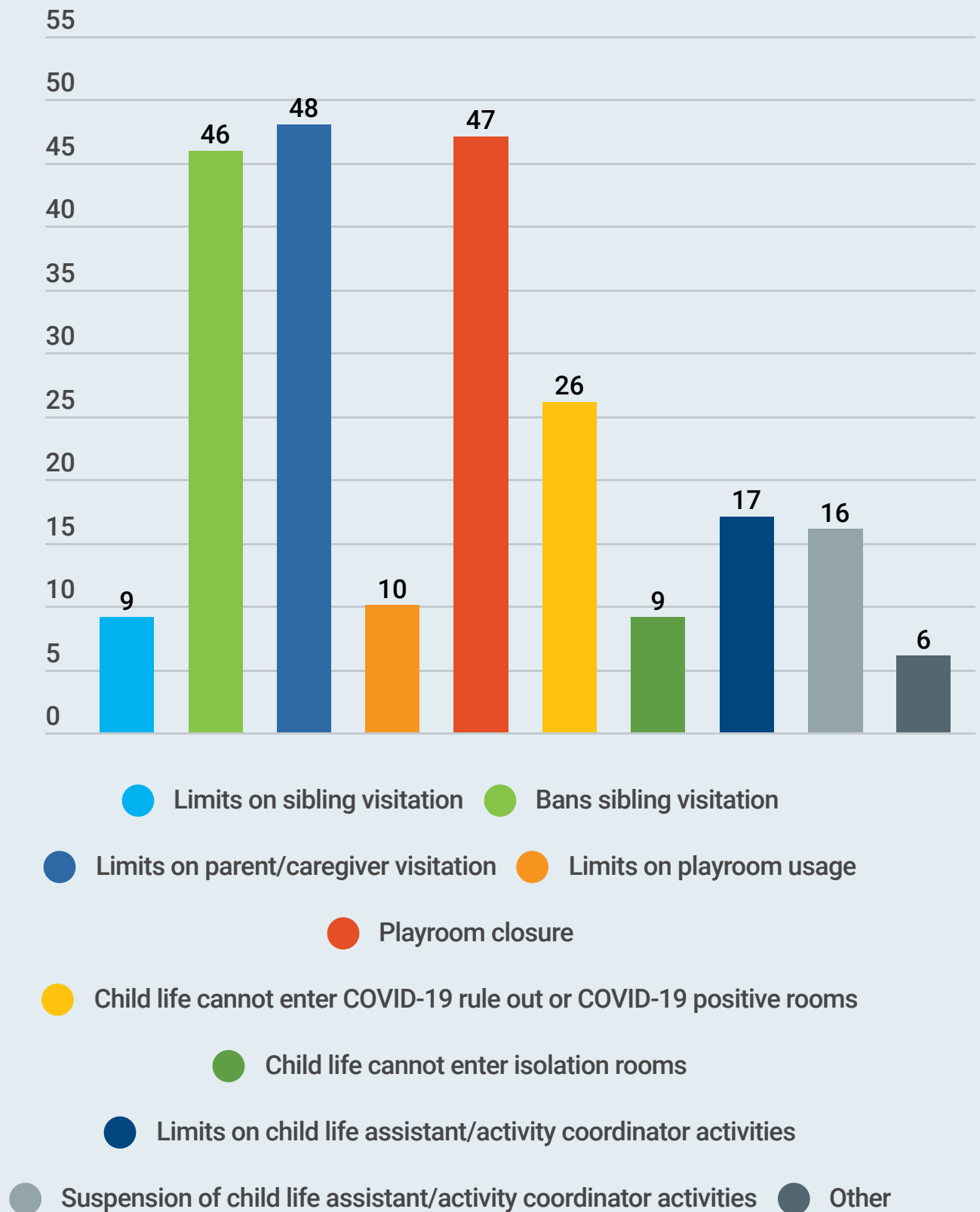
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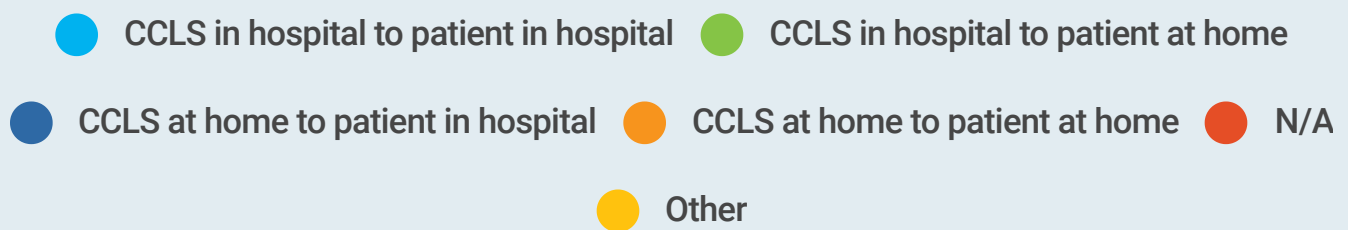
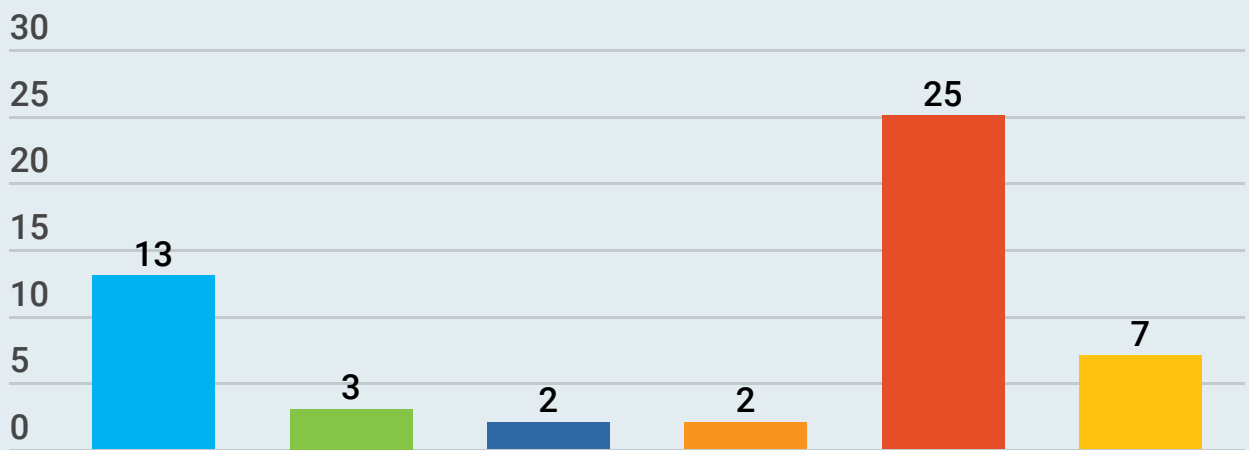
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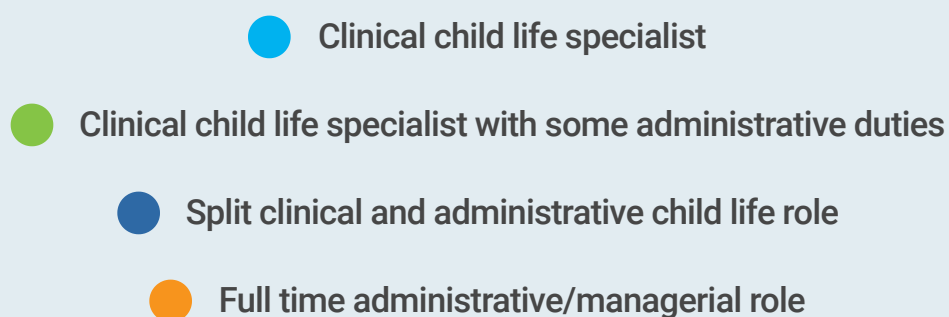
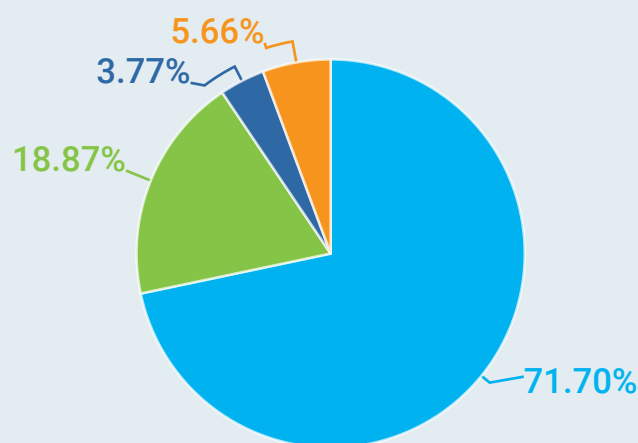


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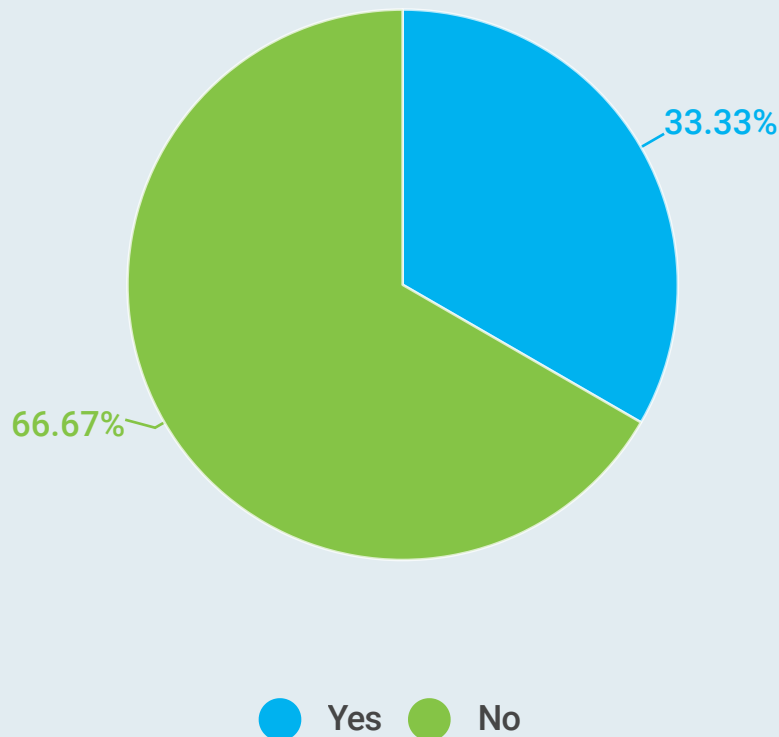


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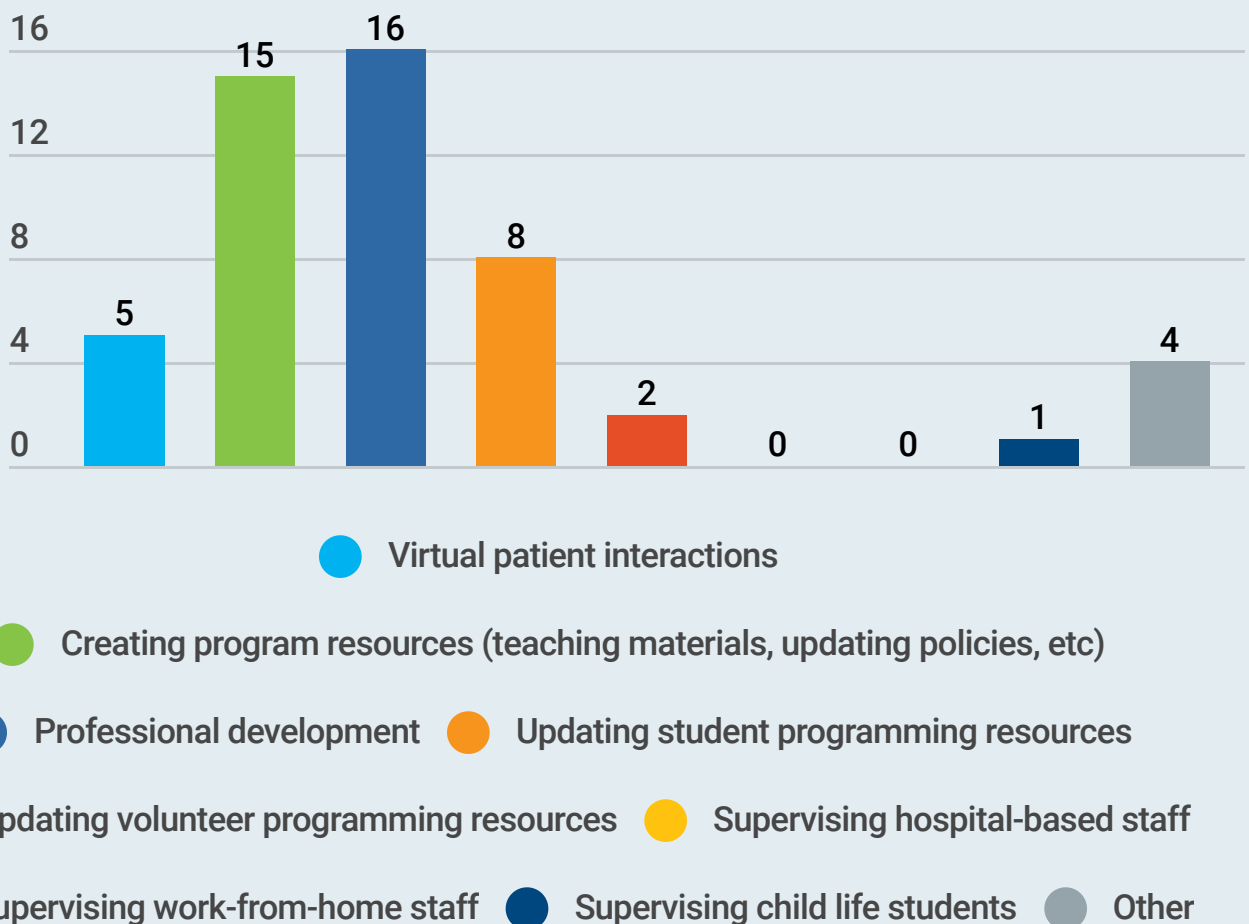


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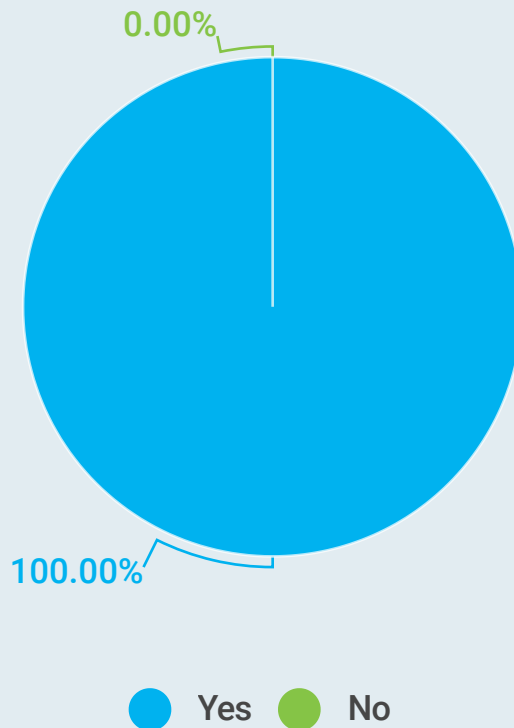


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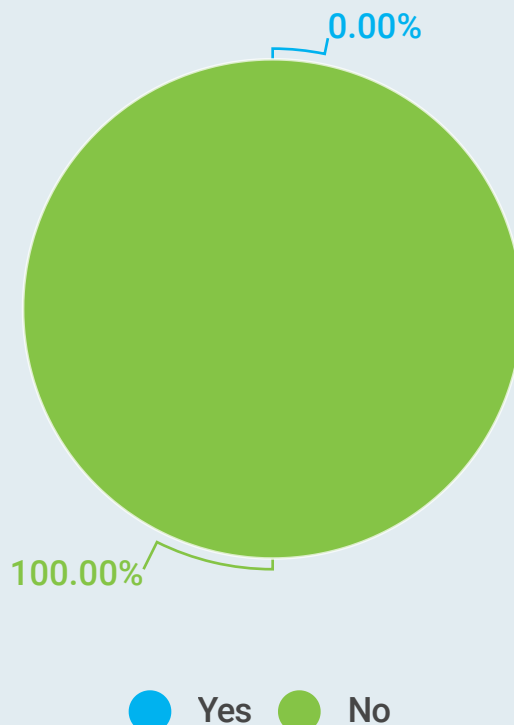


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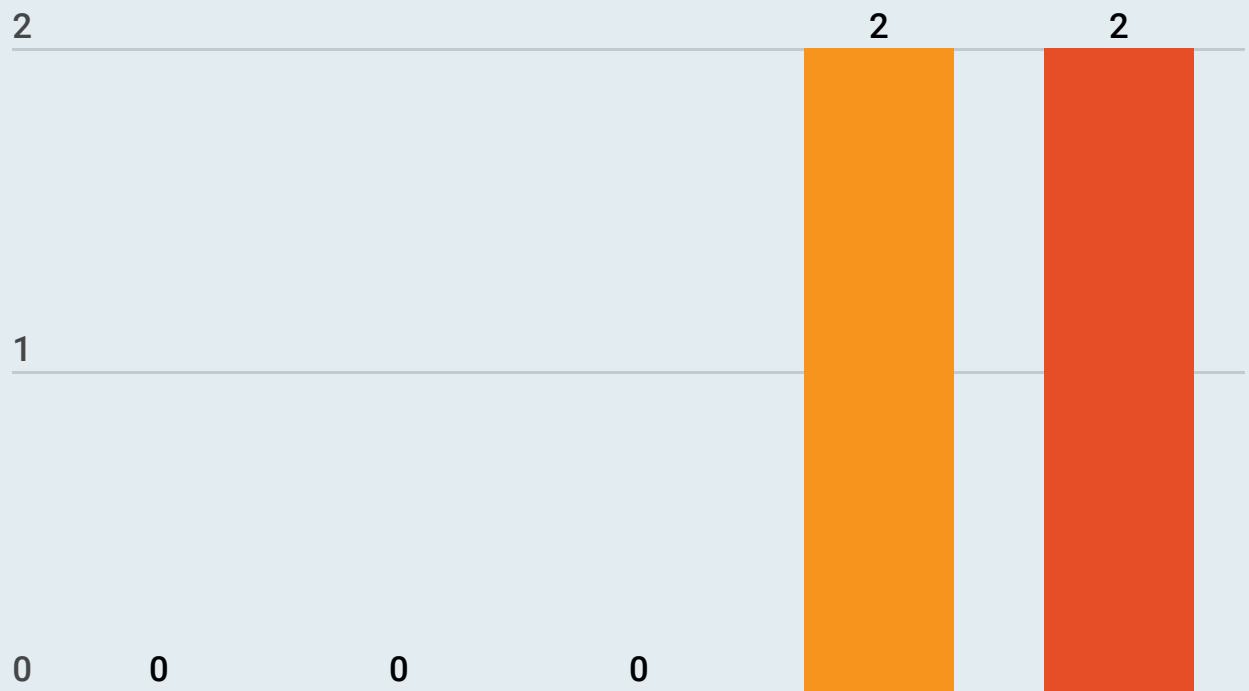


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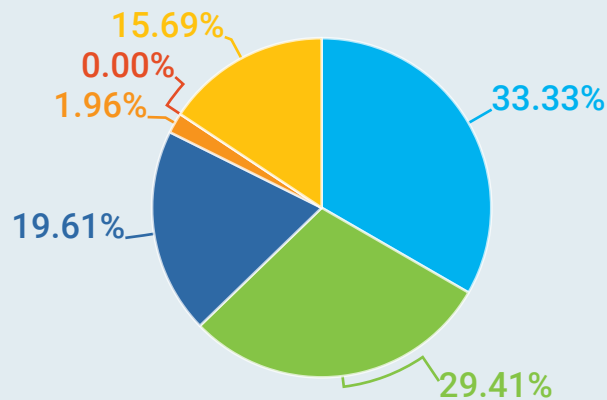
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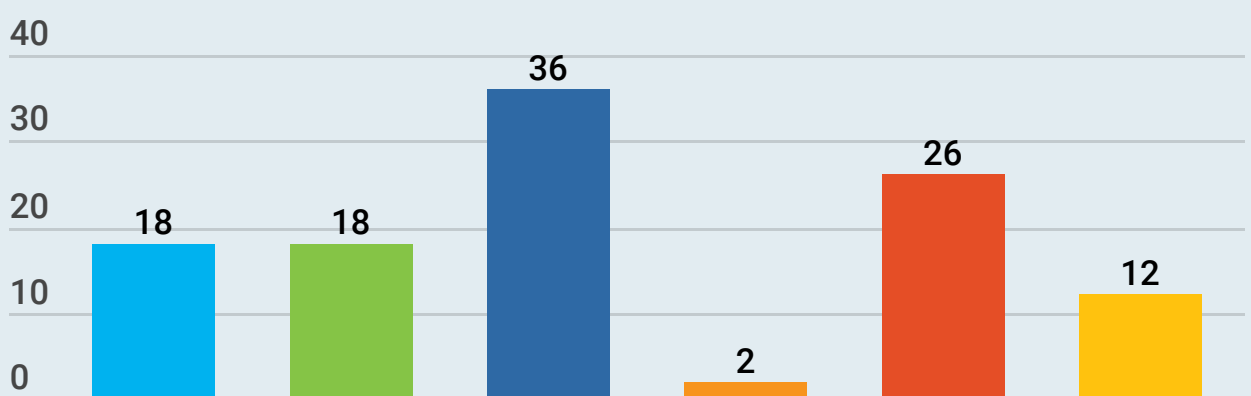
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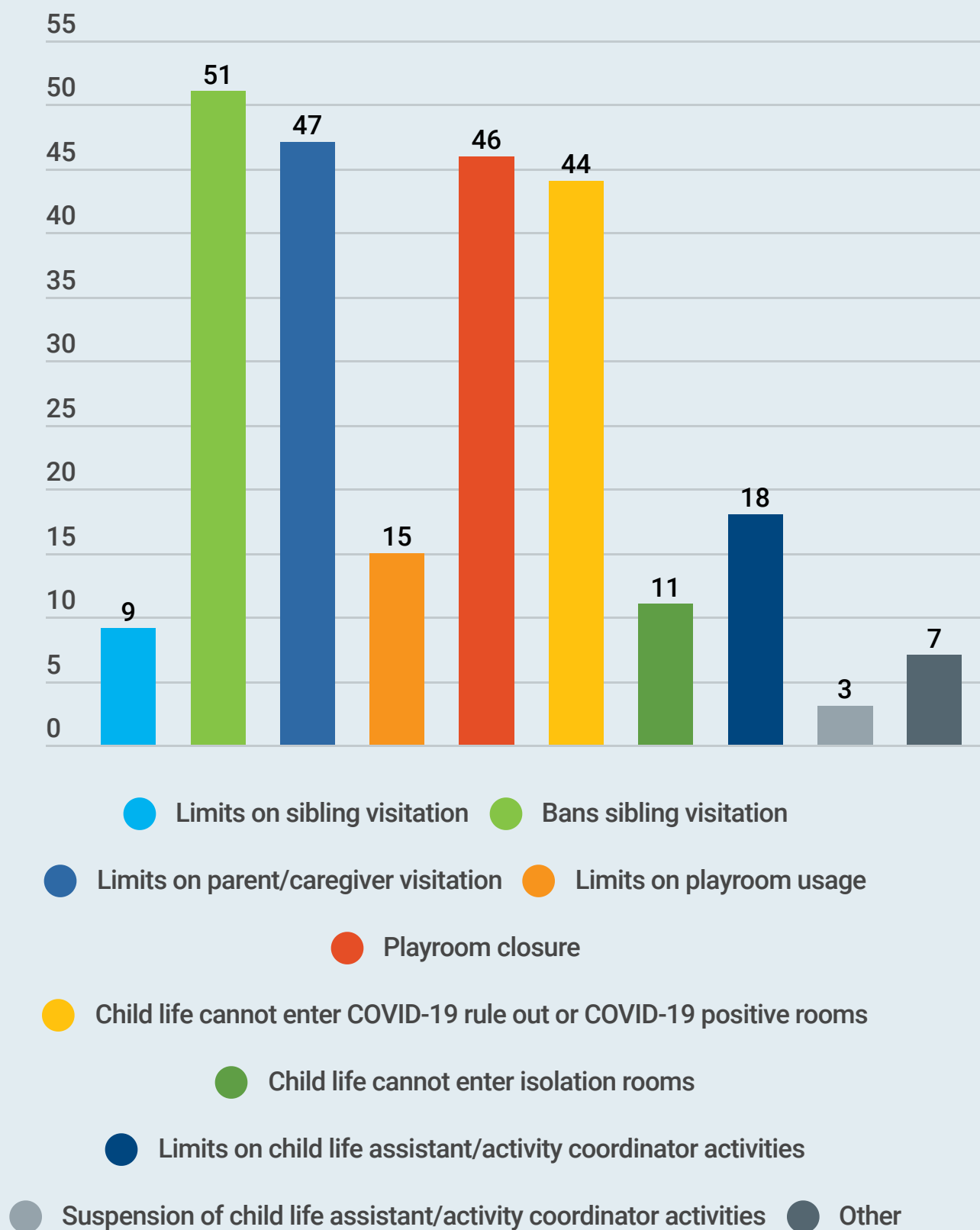
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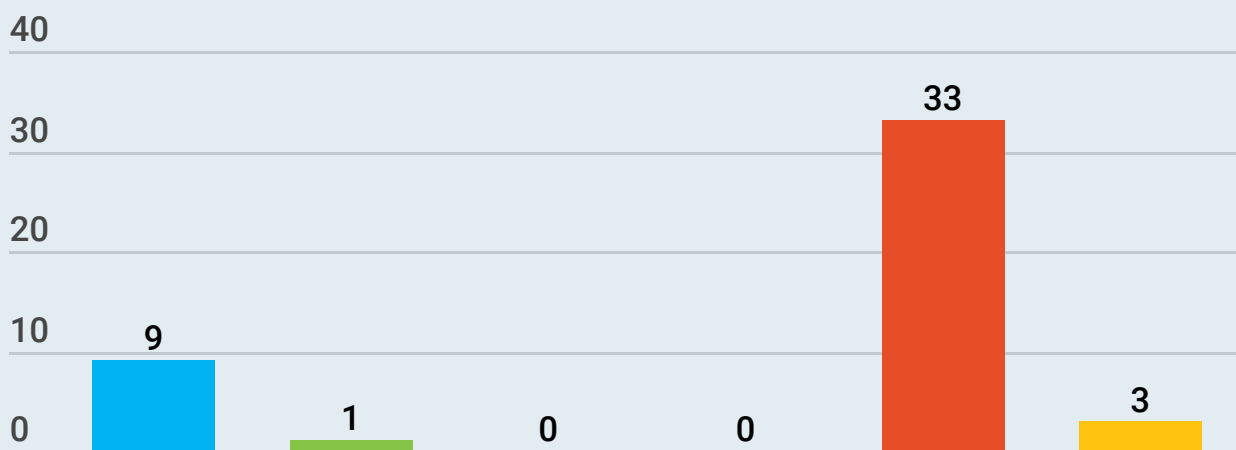
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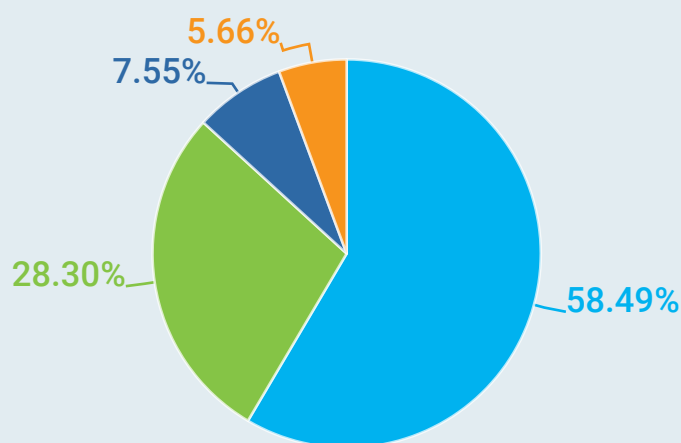
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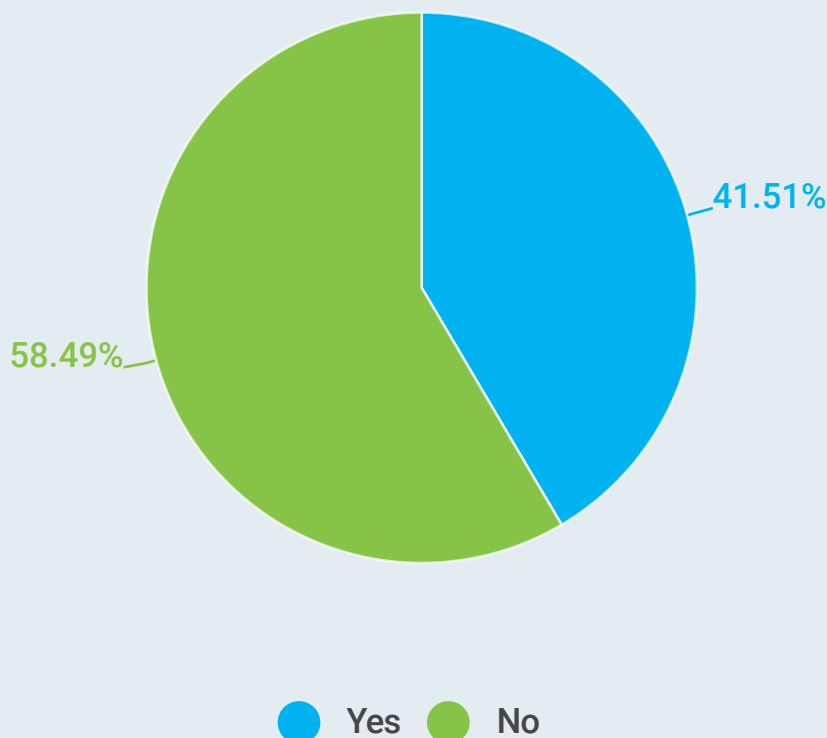
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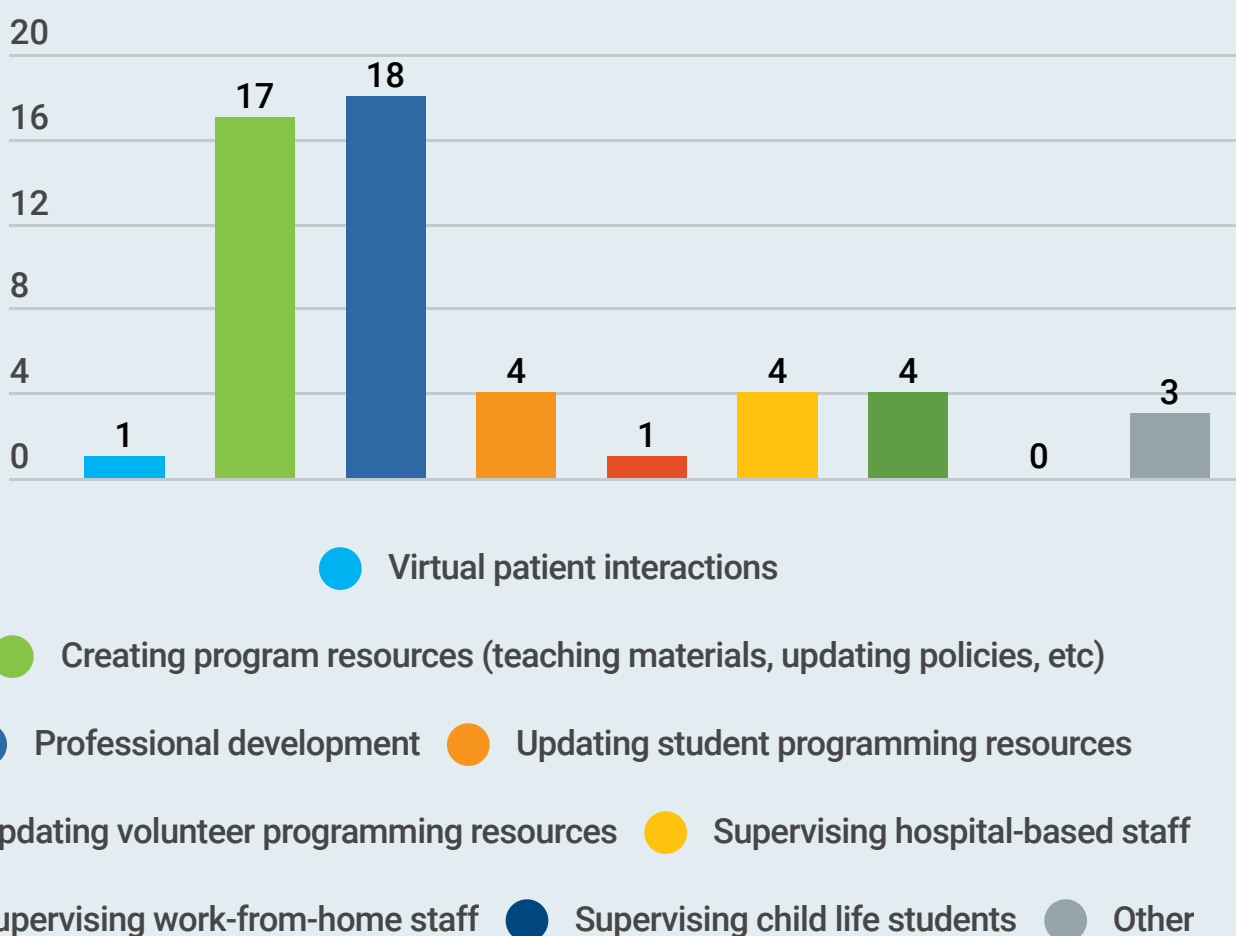
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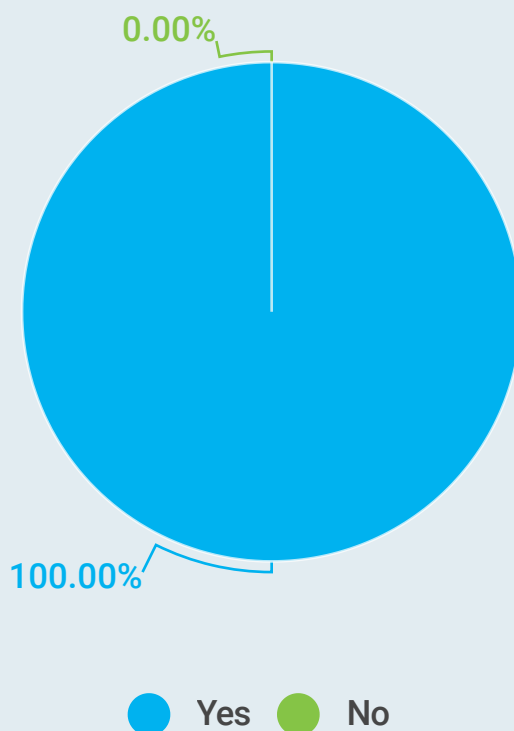


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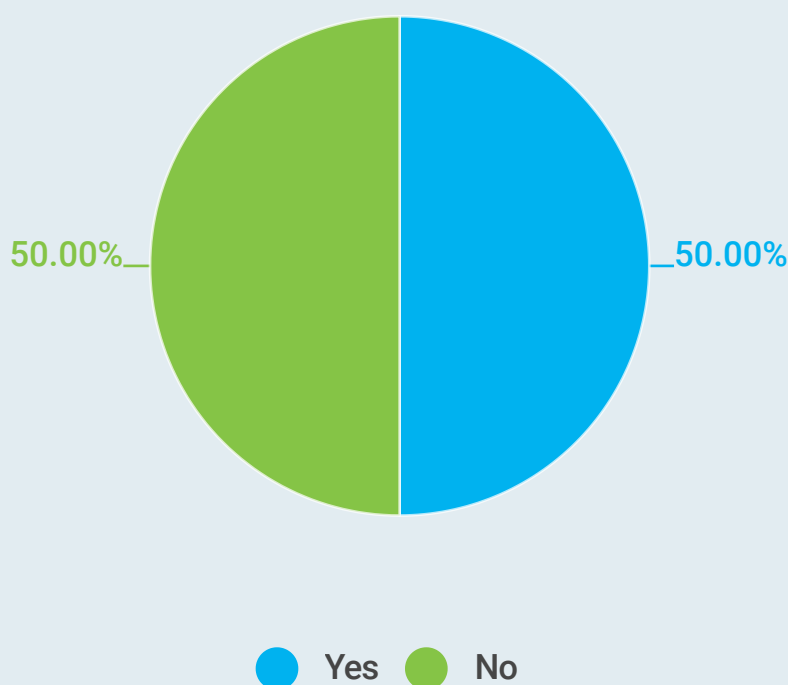


Pennsylvania Program Leaders

Does your hospital consider child life essential? (percentage of program leader respondents)

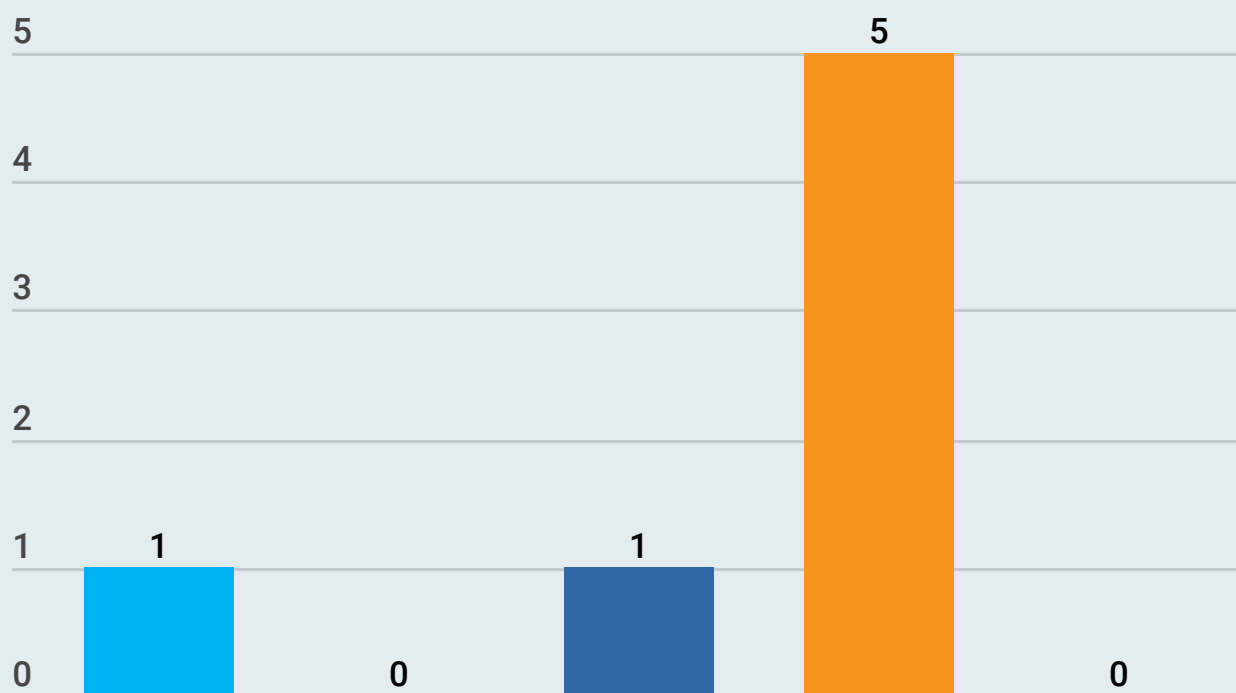


If team members are working from home or furloughed, is there an expected return date? (percentage of program leader respondents)



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Criteria for child life team to resume normal operations
(number of program leader respondents)



● Number of COVID-19 cases in hospital fall below a designated threshold

● Number of COVID-19 cases in region fall below a designated threshold

● PPE stock is replenished ● Unknown ● Other

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ACLP will reissue this survey periodically to track trends in the child life field. Accuracy of this report is dependent on your participation - please retake it even if you have not experienced changes from the previous survey.

Questions? Email mroloff@childlife.org.

Note: In order to protect member privacy, ACLP will not release responses related to a specific hospital.