

# GFWC RI Women's Issues and Past Experiences with Gender Discrimination and Injustic

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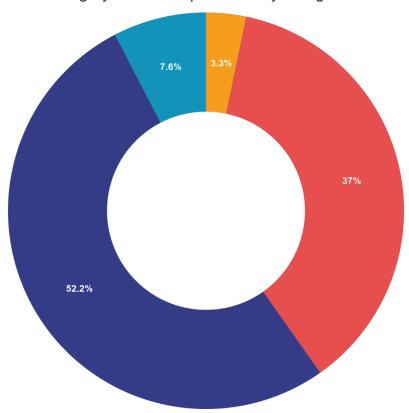
Thank you for taking the time to participate in this survey, which is being sent to our entire GFWC RI membership. The objective of this survey is to educate and inform current URI college students about women's issues, and specifically, the environment of gender and sexual discrimination that was experienced by past generations. By candidly (and anonymously) participating in this survey, we hope to expand awareness of :

\* The life experiences of women, in our various generations

- \* The importance of working for gender equality, for our sakes and for future generation's
  - \* The need to report sexual assault or harassment, to deter future such action.

Please respond to the following questions, based on your life experiences, as a woman, as well as the experiences of your family members and close friends (who identify as female). Please check all boxes that are relevant to you, and their experiences

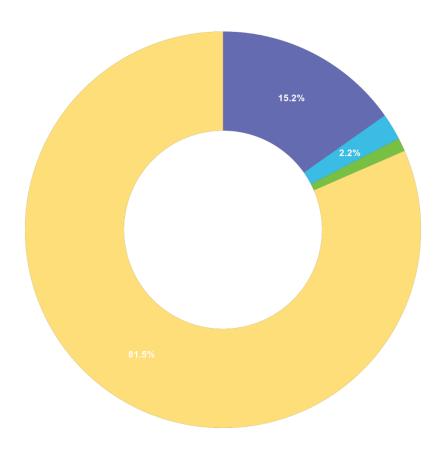
# Q1 Please select the category that corresponds with your age.\*



Answered: 92 Unanswered: 0

Choice	Total
15 to 19	0
20's	0
30's	0
40's	0
50's	3
60's	34
70's	48
80 and over	7

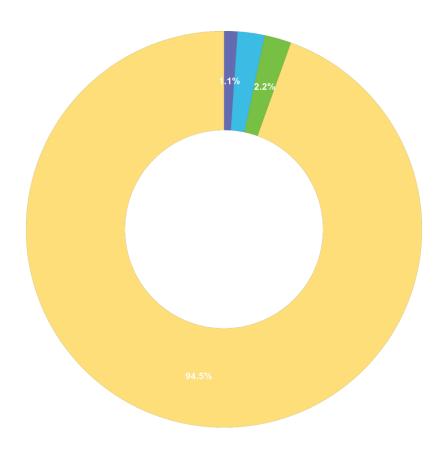
Q2 Have you ever been refused a loan or mortgage, based on your own (individual ) credit history?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	14
Family Member	2
Close Friend	1
Not applicable (No)	75

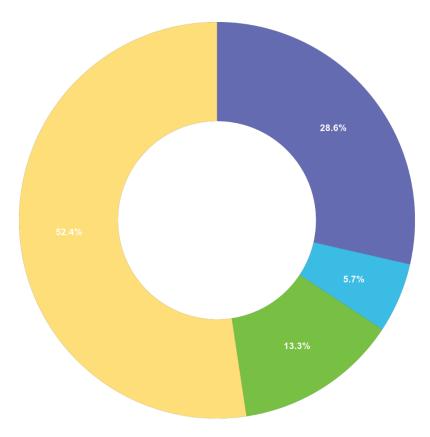
# Q3 Have you ever been refused child support or alimony?



Answered: 91 Unanswered: 1

Choice	Total
You	1
Family Member	2
Close Friend	2
Not applicable (No)	86

Q4 Have you ever known that you have been paid less than a man in a similar work role?

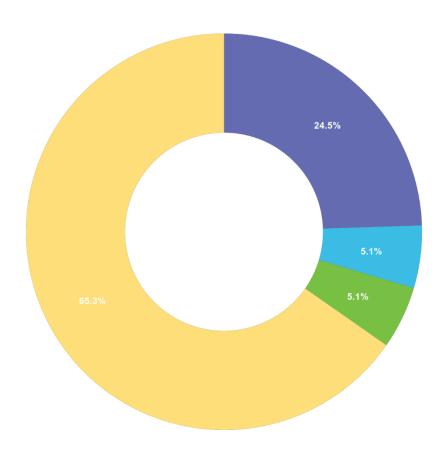


Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	30
Family Member	6
Close Friend	14
Not applicable (No)	55

Q5 Have you ever been denied a credit card, when applying on your own (not a joint

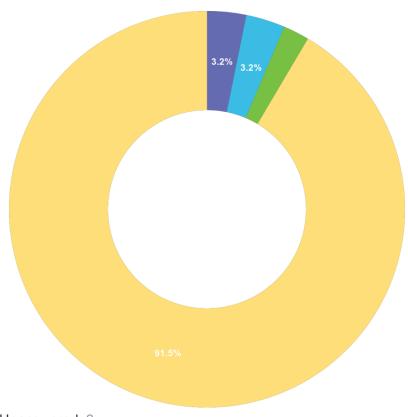




#### Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	24
Family Member	5
Close Friend	5
Not applicable (No)	64

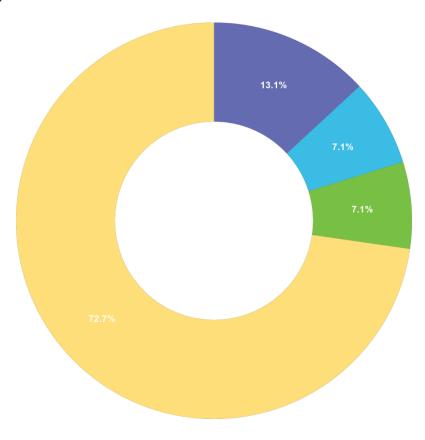
Q6 Have you ever been denied a checking account, when applying on your own?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	3
Family Member	3
Close Friend	2
Not applicable (No)	86

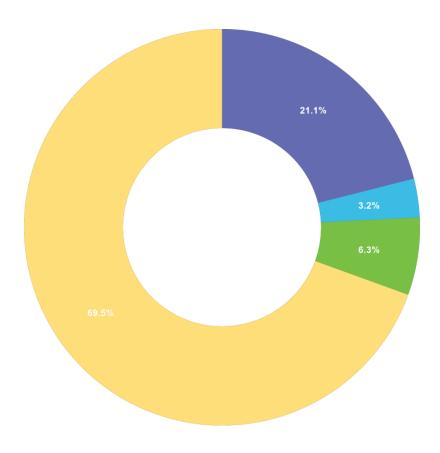
Q7 Have you ever had child care issues (lack of access or affordable, safe child care) when working?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	13
Family Member	7
Close Friend	7
Not applicable (No)	72

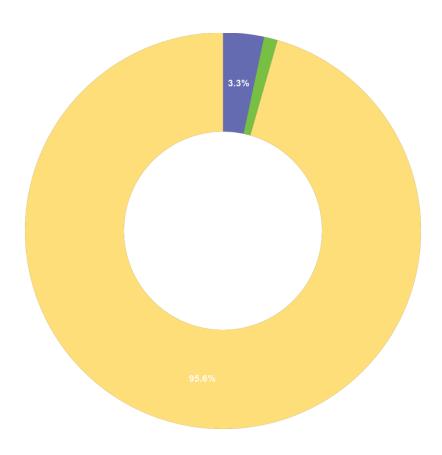
Q8 Have you ever been refused advancement or promotion based on your gender?



#### Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	20
Family Member	3
Close Friend	6
Not applicable (No)	66

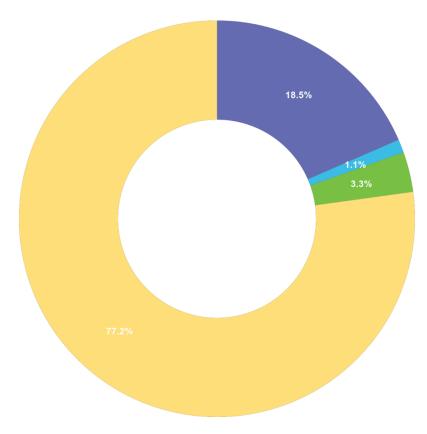
Q9 Have you ever been refused family medical leave, to take care of a spouse, significant other or family member?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

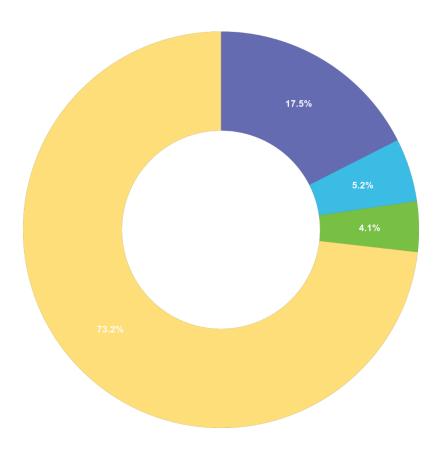
Choice	Total
You	3
Family Member	0
Close Friend	1
Not applicable (No)	86

Q10 Have you ever experienced discrimination at work based on your pregnancy status?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

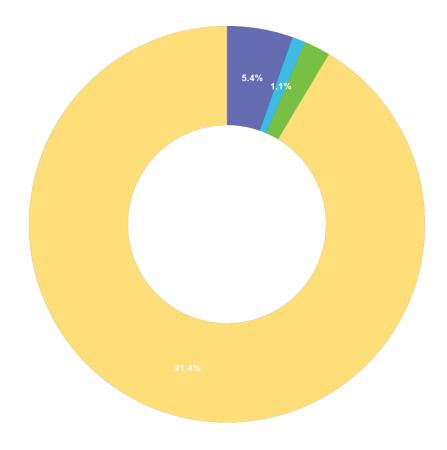
Choice	Total
You	17
Family Member	1
Close Friend	3
Not applicable (No)	71



Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	17
Family Member	5
Close Friend	4
Not applicable (No)	71

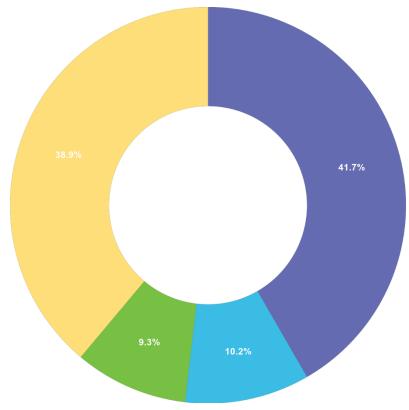
# Q12 Have you ever been denied maternity leave?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	5
Family Member	1
Close Friend	2
Not applicable (No)	85

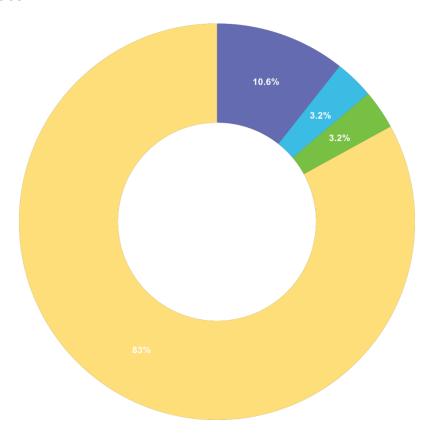
# Q13 Have you ever experienced sexual harassment in the workplace?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	45
Family Member	11
Close Friend	10
Not applicable (No)	
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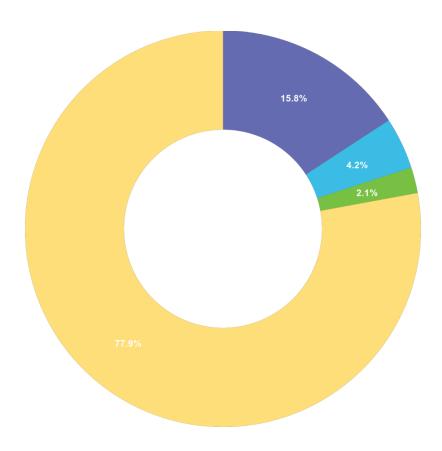
Q14 Have you ever experienced sexual molestation (unwanted sexual/intimate contact) in the workplace?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	10
Family Member	3
Close Friend	3
Not applicable (No)	78

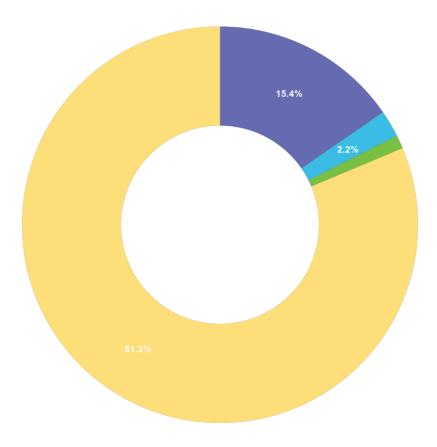
Q15 Have you ever faced gender discrimination in athletic facilities and /or lack of access to team sports?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	15
Family Member	4
Close Friend	2
Not applicable (No)	74

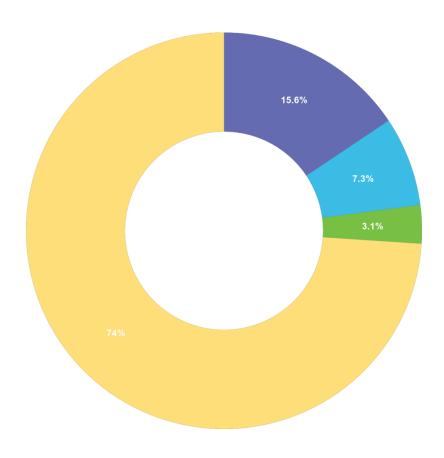
# Q16 Have you ever experienced sexual harassment in the classroom?



Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

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You	14
Family Member	2
Close Friend	1
Not applicable (No)	74

# Q17 Have you ever felt that your teachers/professors were not providing equal opportunities to all students?

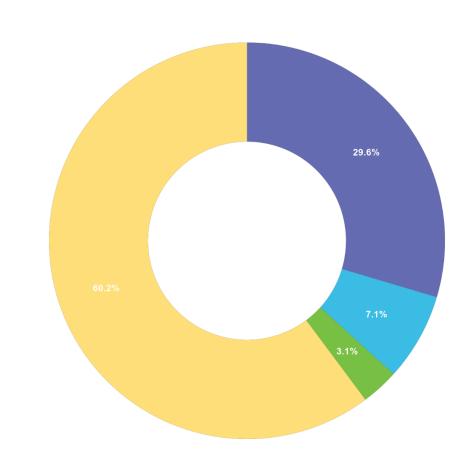


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Choice	Total
You	15
Family Member	7
Close Friend	3
Not applicable (No)	71

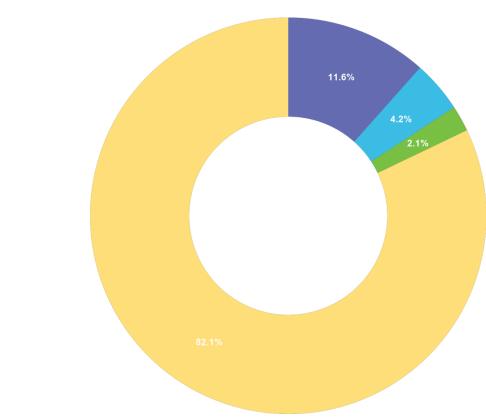
# Q18 Have you ever felt that you did not receive adequate reproductive health

education?



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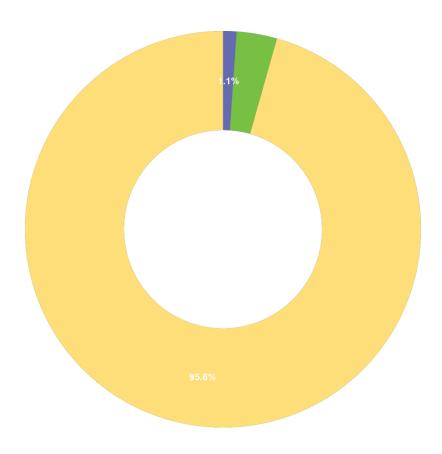
Choice	Total
You	29
Family Member	7
Close Friend	3
Not applicable (No)	59



Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	11
Family Member	4
Close Friend	2
Not applicable (No)	78

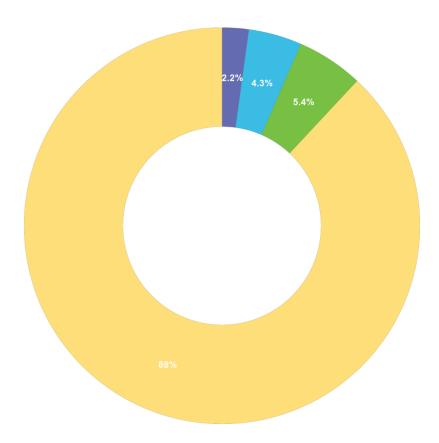
Q20 Have you ever been unable to access adequate legal representation against physical and emotional harassment or abuse?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	1
Family Member	0
Close Friend	3
Not applicable (No)	87

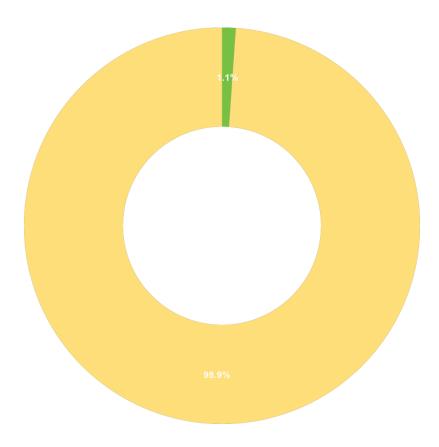
# Q21 Have you ever been unable to gain fair divorce settlements?



#### Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	2
Family Member	4
Close Friend	5
Not applicable. (No)	81

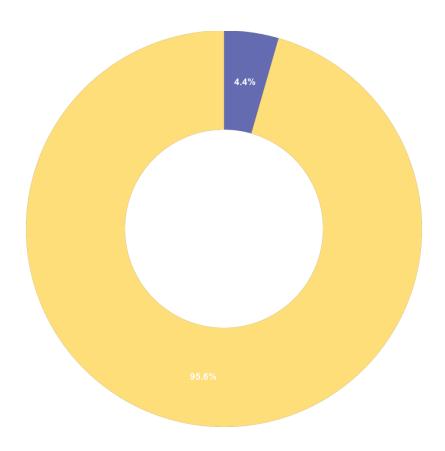
Q22 Have you ever been unable to get effective enforcement of restraining orders?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	0
Family Member	0
Close Friend	1
Not applicable (No)	89

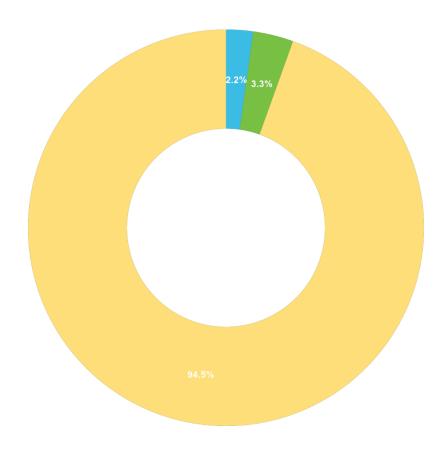
# Q23 Have you ever felt you were unable to gain access to effective legal representation due to your gender identity?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	4
Family Member	0
Close Friend	0
Not applicable (No)	86

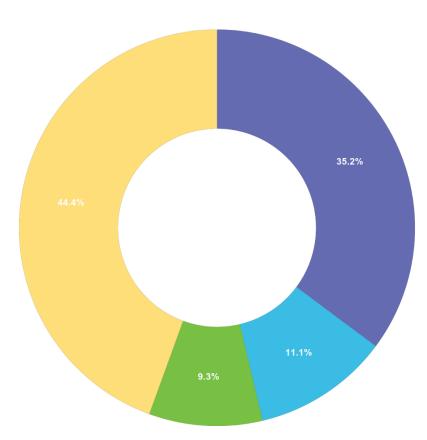
Q24 Have you ever felt you were unable to access adequate advocacy for LGBTQ+ rights?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	0
Family Member	2
Close Friend	3
Not applicable (No)	86

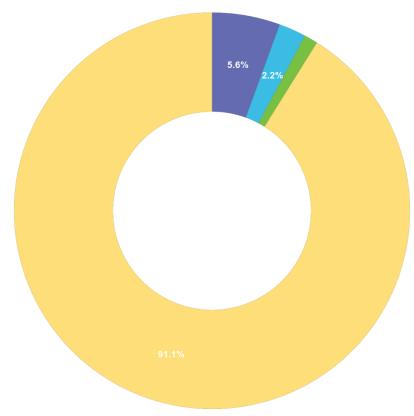
15 Have you ever experienced age, gender or sexual discrimination?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	38
Family Member	12
Close Friend	10
Not applicable (No)	48

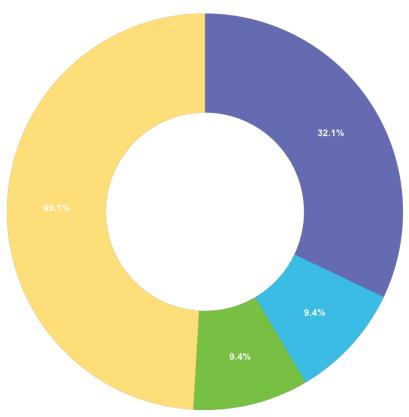
Q26 Have you ever been unable to gain access to effective advocacy due to your gender?



Answered: 88 Unanswered: 4

Choice	Total
You	5
Family Member	2
Close Friend	1
Not applicable (No)	82

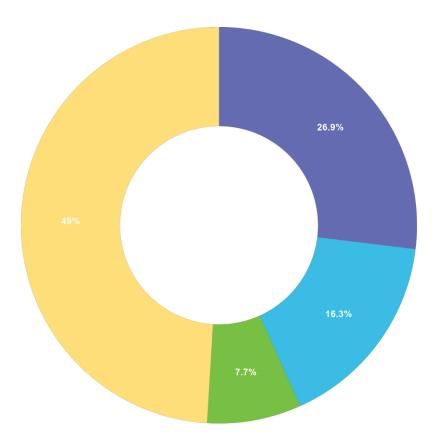
Q27 Have you ever felt that your access to opportunities were limited, based on your gender?



Answered: 88 Unanswered: 4

Choice	Total
You	34
Family Member	10
Close Friend	10
Not applicable (No)	52

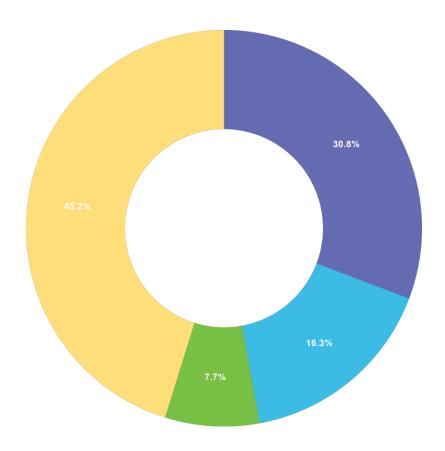
# Q28 Have you experienced bullying, either in a school, work or home environment (including online bullying)?



Answered: 88 Unanswered: 4

Choice	Total
You	28
Family Member	17
Close Friend	8
Not applicable (No)	51

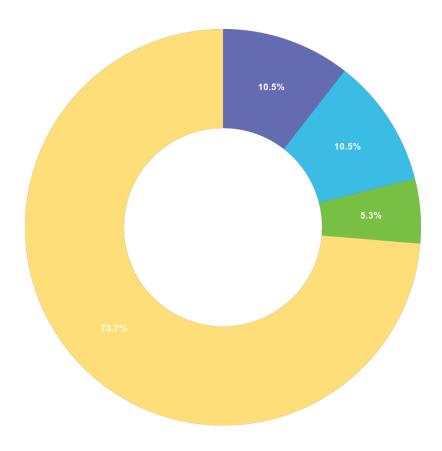
# Q29 Have you experienced physical or emotional abuse?



#### Answered: 88 Unanswered: 4

Choice	Total
You	32
Family Member	17
Close Friend	8
Not applicable (No)	47

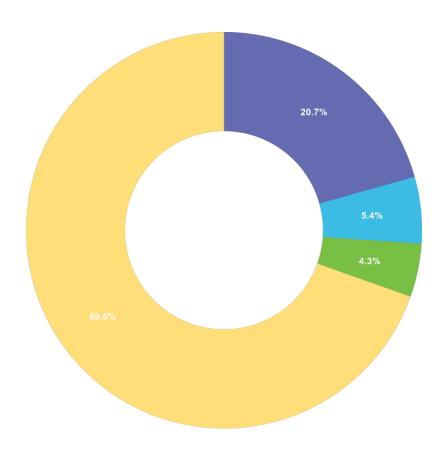
# Q30 Have you experienced violence in an intimate relationship?



#### Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	10
Family Member	10
Close Friend	5
Not applicable (No)	70

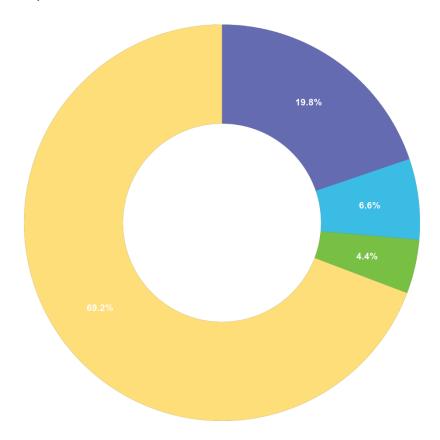
# Q31 Have you experienced rape and/or sexual assault?



#### Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	19
Family Member	5
Close Friend	4
Not applicable (No)	64

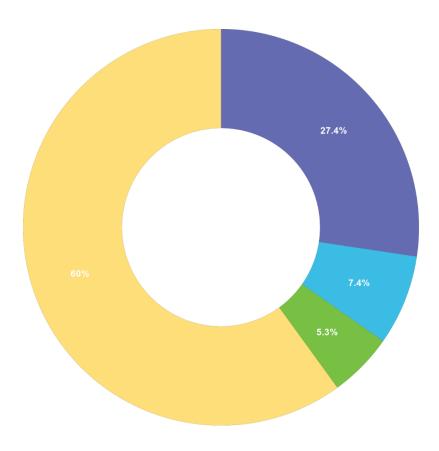
# Q32 Have you experienced sexual abuse, either as a child or as an adult?



#### Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	18
Family Member	6
Close Friend	4
Not applicable (No)	63

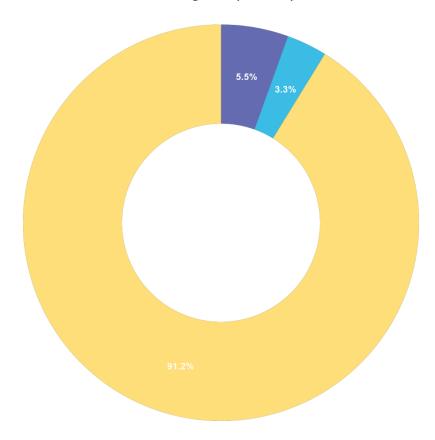
# Q33 Have you experienced sexual molestation (unwanted sexual/intimate contact)?



Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	26
Family Member	7
Close Friend	5
Not applicable (No)	57

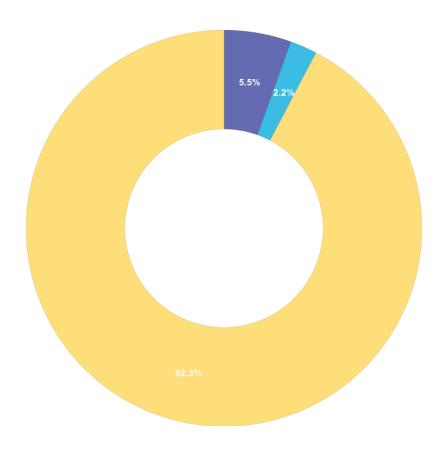
# Q34 Have you faced hurdles in receiving adequate reproductive health care?



#### Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	5
Family Member	3
Close Friend	0
Not applicable (No)	83

Q35 Have you encountered obstacles in receiving adequate choices and/or filling prescriptions for birth control?



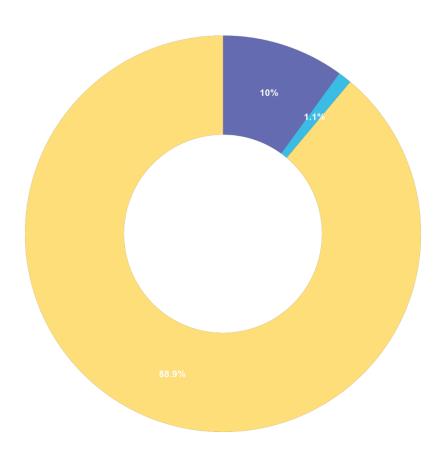
Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	5
Family Member	2
Close Friend	0
Not applicable (No)	84

Q36 Have you encountered problems with insurance paying for reproductive health

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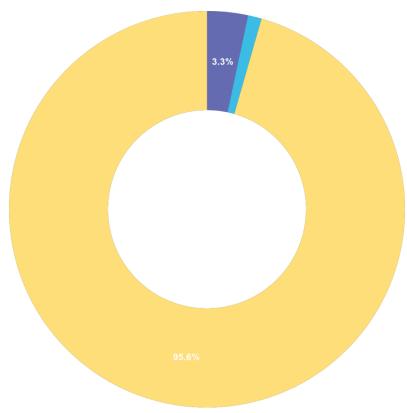
or mental health services, including fertility services, birth control and abortion services?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	9
Family Member	1
Close Friend	0
Not applicable (No)	80

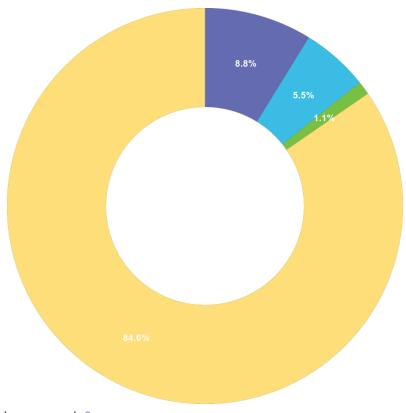
# Q37 Have you faced obstacles in receiving adequate maternity care?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

Choice	Total
You	3
Family Member	1
Close Friend	0
Not applicable (No)	86

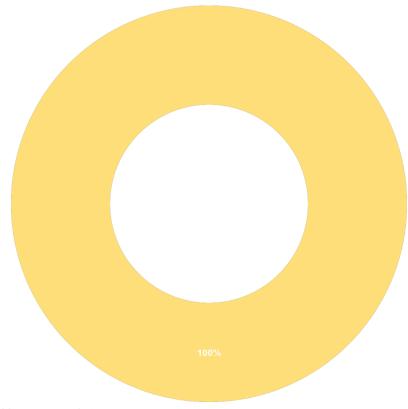
# Q38 Have you faced obstacles in receiving adequate mental health services?



Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	8
Family Member	5
Close Friend	1
Not applicable (No)	77

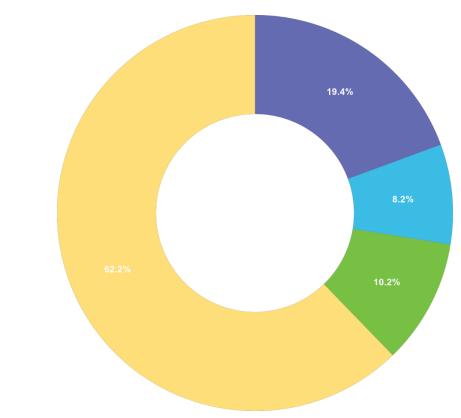
# Q39 Have you ever been denied help for eating disorders?



Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	0
Family Member	0
Close Friend	0
Not applicable (No)	89

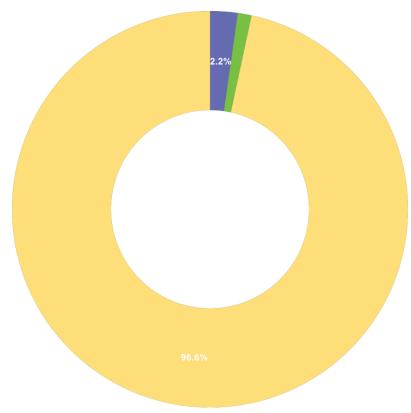
# Q40 Have you ever terminated a pregnancy?



Answered: 90 Unanswered: 2

19
8
10
61

Q41 Have you ever had limited access to pre and post pregnancy services, including termination?



Answered: 89 Unanswered: 3

Choice	Total
You	2
Family Member	0
Close Friend	1
Not applicable (No)	86