

HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE BILL MEMBERS' SURVEY OVERVIEW 1st February, 2012

BACKGROUND

- This survey aimed to gauge the opinions of members of the UK Colleges on the Health and Social Care Bill.

METHODOLOGY

- The survey was comprised of 10 questions. It ran from the 22nd of January to the 30th of January (inclusive).
- An invitation to participate in the survey was sent to 11487 College members in the UK who had registered an email address with the College.
- All UK members were invited to participate in order to establish their views on any perceived consequences of the Health and Social Care Bill outside of England.
- The invitation can be broken down into:
 - 9,642 England (compared to 10,868 members in total)
 - 467 Wales (compared to 536 members in total)
 - 308 Northern Ireland (compared to 359 members in total)
 - 1,070 Scotland (compared to 1,248 members in total)
- 1217 College members completed the survey. This can be broken down into:
 - 1,114 responses from participants based in England
 - 103 from respondents in the Rest of the UK (67 from Scotland, 28 from Wales, and 8 from Northern Ireland)
- The results provide important insights into the views and opinions of a comparatively large number of the College membership (representing an 11% response rate).

FURTHER NOTES

- Quantitative and qualitative data were collected. This short report presents findings from the quantitative data only.
- Q3, Q7, and Q10 represent qualitative data or 'open' responses. A report based on these data will be released shortly.

**HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE BILL
MEMBERS' SURVEY
FINDINGS FOR ALL UK RESPONDENTS
N=1217**



Urgent Members' Survey: Health and Social Care Bill

Dear Colleague,

Once again, many thanks for sparing the time to complete this survey.

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Many thanks to you for your patience and forbearance.

Sue Bailey (President)

Information and consent

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1.

1217 (100.0%) *I understand and accept the aims and uses of the survey*

Section one: current reforms

In **this** section, you will be asked five questions about the current NHS reforms.

In the **next** section, you will then be asked what you feel the College's priorities should be in relation to challenging and influencing the Bill, and what can be done in practical terms to achieve this.

2. In your opinion, is the Health and Social Care Bill fundamentally flawed?

979 (80.4%) *Yes*

84 (6.9%) *No*

154 (12.7%) *Don't know*

3. Why do you say that?

1217 (100.0%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

4. Thinking about the current NHS reforms, to what extent do you agree/disagree that the reforms will:

	<i>Strongly Agree</i>	<i>Agree</i>	<i>Neither agree or disagree</i>	<i>Disagree</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree</i>	<i>Don't know</i>
Lead to better patient care?	12 (1.0%)	60 (4.9%)	104 (8.5%)	345 (28.3%)	644 (52.9%)	52 (4.3%)
Deliver more cost-effective care?	14 (1.2%)	93 (7.6%)	127 (10.4%)	366 (30.1%)	553 (45.4%)	64 (5.3%)
Improve the integration of health and social care?	21 (1.7%)	78 (6.4%)	180 (14.8%)	297 (24.4%)	564 (46.3%)	77 (6.3%)
Lead to a more fragmented system of health care?	624 (51.3%)	326 (26.8%)	73 (6.0%)	52 (4.3%)	105 (8.6%)	37 (3.0%)
Improve post-graduate medical education and training?	10 (0.8%)	26 (2.1%)	164 (13.5%)	313 (25.7%)	627 (51.5%)	77 (6.3%)
Reduce bureaucracy in the NHS?	21 (1.7%)	74 (6.1%)	103 (8.5%)	306 (25.1%)	668 (54.9%)	45 (3.7%)
Reduce transaction costs in the NHS?	24 (2.0%)	74 (6.1%)	134 (11.0%)	269 (22.1%)	593 (48.7%)	123 (10.1%)
Lead to increased involvement of the private sector?	741 (60.9%)	378 (31.1%)	52 (4.3%)	8 (0.7%)	13 (1.1%)	25 (2.1%)
Lead to increased involvement of the charitable sector?	138 (11.3%)	468 (38.5%)	321 (26.4%)	126 (10.4%)	64 (5.3%)	100 (8.2%)
Result in improved relationships between GPs and Psychiatrists?	27 (2.2%)	75 (6.2%)	284 (23.3%)	387 (31.8%)	356 (29.3%)	88 (7.2%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

Given public debate in recent months, we are interested in whether your views on the Health and Social Care Bill have changed.

5. Three months ago, which of the following statements would have most accurately reflected your position on the Bill?

- 118 (9.7%) Overall, the Bill will have a positive impact on the health and social care system
- 954 (78.4%) Overall, the Bill will have a negative impact on the health and social care system
- 145 (11.9%) Don't know/don't recall

6. Today, which of the following statements would most accurately reflect your position on the Bill?

- 77 (6.3%) Overall, the Bill will have a positive impact on the health and social care system
- 1032 (84.8%) Overall, the Bill will have a negative impact on the health and social care system
- 108 (8.9%) Don't know

Section two: College priorities

This section asks about the College's priorities in relation to challenging and influencing the Bill.

The College's current priorities in relation to the Bill are:

- ♦ high-quality patient care
- ♦ ensuring that mental health is given the same status and importance as physical health
- ♦ high-quality postgraduate medical education
- ♦ effective integration of mental health into new public structures
- ♦ effective integration of health and social care
- ♦ reducing health inequalities

7. Do you believe these priorities are the right Why/why not?

Please tell us about any specific concerns or issues you think the College should consider.

1217 (100.0%)

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8. Which is, or was, your main psychiatric speciality?

477 (39.2%) *General adult*

167 (13.7%) *Old age*

50 (4.1%) *Psychotherapy*

24 (2.0%) *Academic*

36 (3.0%) *Liaison*

188 (15.4%) *Child and adolescent*

78 (6.4%) *Learning Disability*

72 (5.9%) *Forensic*

38 (3.1%) *Addiction*

28 (2.3%) *Rehabilitation and social*

59 (4.8%) *Not yet decided/still in training*

9. Which of the following divisions/offices do you belong to?

93 (7.6%)	<i>Eastern</i>	68 (5.6%)	<i>West Midlands</i>
190 (15.6%)	<i>South-East</i>	122 (10.0%)	<i>North West</i>
115 (9.4%)	<i>South-West</i>	67 (5.5%)	<i>Scotland</i>
314 (25.8%)	<i>London</i>	28 (2.3%)	<i>Wales</i>
139 (11.4%)	<i>Northern & Yorkshire</i>	8 (0.7%)	<i>Northern Ireland</i>
73 (6.0%)	<i>Trent</i>		

10. You have indicated that you are based outside of England.

We are very interested in the potential effect of the Bill on the other UK countries (Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales).

What do you think these effects might be?

103 (100.0%)

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**HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE BILL
MEMBERS' SURVEY
FINDINGS FOR RESPONDENTS BASED IN ENGLAND
N=1114**



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1114 (100.0%) *I understand and accept the aims and uses of the survey*

Section one: current reforms

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2. In your opinion, is the Health and Social Care Bill fundamentally flawed?

905 (81.2%) *Yes*

78 (7.0%) *No*

131 (11.8%) *Don't know*

3. Why do you say that?

1114 (100.0%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

4. Thinking about the current NHS reforms, to what extent do you agree/disagree that the reforms will:

	<i>Strongly Agree</i>	<i>Agree</i>	<i>Neither agree or disagree</i>	<i>Disagree</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree</i>	<i>Don't know</i>
Lead to better patient care?	12 (1.1%)	57 (5.1%)	97 (8.7%)	315 (28.3%)	590 (53.0%)	43 (3.9%)
Deliver more cost-effective care?	13 (1.2%)	89 (8.0%)	118 (10.6%)	333 (29.9%)	508 (45.6%)	53 (4.8%)
Improve the integration of health and social care?	19 (1.7%)	72 (6.5%)	164 (14.7%)	276 (24.8%)	520 (46.7%)	63 (5.7%)
Lead to a more fragmented system of health care?	584 (52.4%)	302 (27.1%)	64 (5.7%)	46 (4.1%)	90 (8.1%)	28 (2.5%)
Improve post-graduate medical education and training?	9 (0.8%)	24 (2.2%)	155 (13.9%)	292 (26.2%)	571 (51.3%)	63 (5.7%)
Reduce bureaucracy in the NHS?	20 (1.8%)	72 (6.5%)	94 (8.4%)	283 (25.4%)	608 (54.6%)	37 (3.3%)
Reduce transaction costs in the NHS?	21 (1.9%)	70 (6.3%)	126 (11.3%)	249 (22.4%)	542 (48.7%)	106 (9.5%)
Lead to increased involvement of the private sector?	683 (61.3%)	353 (31.7%)	45 (4.0%)	7 (0.6%)	10 (0.9%)	16 (1.4%)
Lead to increased involvement of the charitable sector?	132 (11.8%)	429 (38.5%)	293 (26.3%)	119 (10.7%)	55 (4.9%)	86 (7.7%)
Result in improved relationships between GPs and Psychiatrists?	26 (2.3%)	71 (6.4%)	265 (23.8%)	355 (31.9%)	321 (28.8%)	76 (6.8%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

Given public debate in recent months, we are interested in whether your views on the Health and Social Care Bill have changed.

5. Three months ago, which of the following statements would have most accurately reflected your position on the Bill?

- 114 (10.2%) Overall, the Bill will have a positive impact on the health and social care system
- 877 (78.7%) Overall, the Bill will have a negative impact on the health and social care system
- 123 (11.0%) Don't know/don't recall

6. Today, which of the following statements would most accurately reflect your position on the Bill?

- 73 (6.6%) Overall, the Bill will have a positive impact on the health and social care system
- 950 (85.3%) Overall, the Bill will have a negative impact on the health and social care system
- 91 (8.2%) Don't know

Section two: College priorities

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The College's current priorities in relation to the Bill are:

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- ♦ high-quality postgraduate medical education
- ♦ effective integration of mental health into new public structures
- ♦ effective integration of health and social care
- ♦ reducing health inequalities

7. Do you believe these priorities are the right Why/why not?

Please tell us about any specific concerns or issues you think the College should consider.

1114 (100.0%)

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8. Which is, or was, your main psychiatric speciality?

437 (39.2%) *General adult*

152 (13.6%) *Old age*

44 (3.9%) *Psychotherapy*

19 (1.7%) *Academic*

33 (3.0%) *Liaison*

175 (15.7%) *Child and adolescent*

74 (6.6%) *Learning Disability*

64 (5.7%) *Forensic*

32 (2.9%) *Addiction*

28 (2.5%) *Rehabilitation and social*

56 (5.0%) *Not yet decided/still in training*

9. Which of the following divisions/offices do you belong to?

93 (8.3%)	<i>Eastern</i>	68 (6.1%)	<i>West Midlands</i>
190 (17.1%)	<i>South-East</i>	122 (11.0%)	<i>North West</i>
115 (10.3%)	<i>South-West</i>	0 (0.0%)	<i>Scotland</i>
314 (28.2%)	<i>London</i>	0 (0.0%)	<i>Wales</i>
139 (12.5%)	<i>Northern & Yorkshire</i>	0 (0.0%)	<i>Northern Ireland</i>
73 (6.6%)	<i>Trent</i>		

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We are very interested in the potential effect of the Bill on the other UK countries (Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales).

What do you think these effects might be?

0 (0.0%)

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**HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE BILL
MEMBERS' SURVEY
FINDINGS FOR RESPONDENTS
BASED IN THE REST OF THE UK
N=103**



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103 (100.0%) *I understand and accept the aims and uses of the survey*

Section one: current reforms

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2. In your opinion, is the Health and Social Care Bill fundamentally flawed?

74 (71.8%) *Yes*

6 (5.8%) *No*

23 (22.3%) *Don't know*

3. Why do you say that?

103 (100.0%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

4. Thinking about the current NHS reforms, to what extent do you agree/disagree that the reforms will:

	<i>Strongly Agree</i>	<i>Agree</i>	<i>Neither agree or disagree</i>	<i>Disagree</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree</i>	<i>Don't know</i>
Lead to better patient care?	0 (0.0%)	3 (2.9%)	7 (6.8%)	30 (29.1%)	54 (52.4%)	9 (8.7%)
Deliver more cost-effective care?	1 (1.0%)	4 (3.9%)	9 (8.7%)	33 (32.0%)	45 (43.7%)	11 (10.7%)
Improve the integration of health and social care?	2 (1.9%)	6 (5.8%)	16 (15.5%)	21 (20.4%)	44 (42.7%)	14 (13.6%)
Lead to a more fragmented system of health care?	40 (38.8%)	24 (23.3%)	9 (8.7%)	6 (5.8%)	15 (14.6%)	9 (8.7%)
Improve post-graduate medical education and training?	1 (1.0%)	2 (1.9%)	9 (8.7%)	21 (20.4%)	56 (54.4%)	14 (13.6%)
Reduce bureaucracy in the NHS?	1 (1.0%)	2 (1.9%)	9 (8.7%)	23 (22.3%)	60 (58.3%)	8 (7.8%)
Reduce transaction costs in the NHS?	3 (2.9%)	4 (3.9%)	8 (7.8%)	20 (19.4%)	51 (49.5%)	17 (16.5%)
Lead to increased involvement of the private sector?	58 (56.3%)	25 (24.3%)	7 (6.8%)	1 (1.0%)	3 (2.9%)	9 (8.7%)
Lead to increased involvement of the charitable sector?	6 (5.8%)	39 (37.9%)	28 (27.2%)	7 (6.8%)	9 (8.7%)	14 (13.6%)
Result in improved relationships between GPs and Psychiatrists?	1 (1.0%)	4 (3.9%)	19 (18.4%)	32 (31.1%)	35 (34.0%)	12 (11.7%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

Given public debate in recent months, we are interested in whether your views on the Health and Social Care Bill have changed.

5. Three months ago, which of the following statements would have most accurately reflected your position on the Bill?

- 4 (3.9%) Overall, the Bill will have a positive impact on the health and social care system
- 77 (74.8%) Overall, the Bill will have a negative impact on the health and social care system
- 22 (21.4%) Don't know/don't recall

6. Today, which of the following statements would most accurately reflect your position on the Bill?

- 4 (3.9%) Overall, the Bill will have a positive impact on the health and social care system
- 82 (79.6%) Overall, the Bill will have a negative impact on the health and social care system
- 17 (16.5%) Don't know

Section two: College priorities

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- ♦ high-quality postgraduate medical education
- ♦ effective integration of mental health into new public structures
- ♦ effective integration of health and social care
- ♦ reducing health inequalities

7. Do you believe these priorities are the right Why/why not?

Please tell us about any specific concerns or issues you think the College should consider.

103 (100.0%)

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8. Which is, or was, your main psychiatric speciality?

40 (38.8%) *General adult*

15 (14.6%) *Old age*

6 (5.8%) *Psychotherapy*

5 (4.9%) *Academic*

3 (2.9%) *Liaison*

13 (12.6%) *Child and adolescent*

4 (3.9%) *Learning Disability*

8 (7.8%) *Forensic*

6 (5.8%) *Addiction*

0 (0.0%) *Rehabilitation and social*

3 (2.9%) *Not yet decided/still in training*

9. Which of the following divisions/offices do you belong to?

0 (0.0%)	<i>Eastern</i>	0 (0.0%)	<i>West Midlands</i>
0 (0.0%)	<i>South-East</i>	0 (0.0%)	<i>North West</i>
0 (0.0%)	<i>South-West</i>	67 (65.0%)	<i>Scotland</i>
0 (0.0%)	<i>London</i>	28 (27.2%)	<i>Wales</i>
0 (0.0%)	<i>Northern & Yorkshire</i>	8 (7.8%)	<i>Northern Ireland</i>
0 (0.0%)	<i>Trent</i>		

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We are very interested in the potential effect of the Bill on the other UK countries (Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales).

What do you think these effects might be?

103 (100.0%)

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**HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE BILL
MEMBERS' SURVEY
FINDINGS FOR ALL RESPONDENTS
BASED IN SCOTLAND
N=67**



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1.

67 (100.0%) *I understand and accept the aims and uses of the survey*

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2. In your opinion, is the Health and Social Care Bill fundamentally flawed?

49 (73.1%) *Yes*

2 (3.0%) *No*

16 (23.9%) *Don't know*

3. Why do you say that?

67 (100.0%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

4. Thinking about the current NHS reforms, to what extent do you agree/disagree that the reforms will:

	<i>Strongly Agree</i>	<i>Agree</i>	<i>Neither agree or disagree</i>	<i>Disagree</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree</i>	<i>Don't know</i>
Lead to better patient care?	0 (0.0%)	1 (1.5%)	4 (6.0%)	21 (31.3%)	33 (49.3%)	8 (11.9%)
Deliver more cost-effective care?	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)	5 (7.5%)	22 (32.8%)	31 (46.3%)	9 (13.4%)
Improve the integration of health and social care?	0 (0.0%)	2 (3.0%)	12 (17.9%)	12 (17.9%)	29 (43.3%)	12 (17.9%)
Lead to a more fragmented system of health care?	25 (37.3%)	19 (28.4%)	5 (7.5%)	3 (4.5%)	7 (10.4%)	8 (11.9%)
Improve post-graduate medical education and training?	1 (1.5%)	0 (0.0%)	6 (9.0%)	17 (25.4%)	31 (46.3%)	12 (17.9%)
Reduce bureaucracy in the NHS?	0 (0.0%)	0 (0.0%)	5 (7.5%)	16 (23.9%)	39 (58.2%)	7 (10.4%)
Reduce transaction costs in the NHS?	1 (1.5%)	2 (3.0%)	3 (4.5%)	13 (19.4%)	32 (47.8%)	16 (23.9%)
Lead to increased involvement of the private sector?	36 (53.7%)	17 (25.4%)	4 (6.0%)	0 (0.0%)	2 (3.0%)	8 (11.9%)
Lead to increased involvement of the charitable sector?	3 (4.5%)	26 (38.8%)	15 (22.4%)	6 (9.0%)	4 (6.0%)	13 (19.4%)
Result in improved relationships between GPs and Psychiatrists?	0 (0.0%)	1 (1.5%)	10 (14.9%)	22 (32.8%)	23 (34.3%)	11 (16.4%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

Given public debate in recent months, we are interested in whether your views on the Health and Social Care Bill have changed.

5. Three months ago, which of the following statements would have most accurately reflected your position on the Bill?

- 1 (1.5%) Overall, the Bill will have a positive impact on the health and social care system
- 49 (73.1%) Overall, the Bill will have a negative impact on the health and social care system
- 17 (25.4%) Don't know/don't recall

6. Today, which of the following statements would most accurately reflect your position on the Bill?

- 1 (1.5%) Overall, the Bill will have a positive impact on the health and social care system
- 54 (80.6%) Overall, the Bill will have a negative impact on the health and social care system
- 12 (17.9%) Don't know

Section two: College priorities

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The College's current priorities in relation to the Bill are:

- ♦ high-quality patient care
- ♦ ensuring that mental health is given the same status and importance as physical health
- ♦ high-quality postgraduate medical education
- ♦ effective integration of mental health into new public structures
- ♦ effective integration of health and social care
- ♦ reducing health inequalities

7. Do you believe these priorities are the right Why/why not?

Please tell us about any specific concerns or issues you think the College should consider.

67 (100.0%)

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8. Which is, or was, your main psychiatric speciality?

29 (43.3%) *General adult*

7 (10.4%) *Old age*

3 (4.5%) *Psychotherapy*

1 (1.5%) *Academic*

2 (3.0%) *Liaison*

9 (13.4%) *Child and adolescent*

2 (3.0%) *Learning Disability*

8 (11.9%) *Forensic*

5 (7.5%) *Addiction*

0 (0.0%) *Rehabilitation and social*

1 (1.5%) *Not yet decided/still in training*

9. Which of the following divisions/offices do you belong to?

0 (0.0%) <i>Eastern</i>	0 (0.0%) <i>West Midlands</i>
0 (0.0%) <i>South-East</i>	0 (0.0%) <i>North West</i>
0 (0.0%) <i>South-West</i>	67 (100.0%) <i>Scotland</i>
0 (0.0%) <i>London</i>	0 (0.0%) <i>Wales</i>
0 (0.0%) <i>Northern & Yorkshire</i>	0 (0.0%) <i>Northern Ireland</i>
0 (0.0%) <i>Trent</i>	

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What do you think these effects might be?

67 (100.0%)

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**HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE BILL
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BASED IN WALES
N=28**



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2. In your opinion, is the Health and Social Care Bill fundamentally flawed?

21 (75.0%) *Yes*

3 (10.7%) *No*

4 (14.3%) *Don't know*

3. Why do you say that?

28 (100.0%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

4. Thinking about the current NHS reforms, to what extent do you agree/disagree that the reforms will:

	<i>Strongly Agree</i>	<i>Agree</i>	<i>Neither agree or disagree</i>	<i>Disagree</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree</i>	<i>Don't know</i>
Lead to better patient care?	0 (0.0%)	1 (3.6%)	3 (10.7%)	6 (21.4%)	18 (64.3%)	0 (0.0%)
Deliver more cost-effective care?	0 (0.0%)	4 (14.3%)	4 (14.3%)	8 (28.6%)	11 (39.3%)	1 (3.6%)
Improve the integration of health and social care?	2 (7.1%)	3 (10.7%)	2 (7.1%)	8 (28.6%)	13 (46.4%)	0 (0.0%)
Lead to a more fragmented system of health care?	13 (46.4%)	3 (10.7%)	3 (10.7%)	2 (7.1%)	7 (25.0%)	0 (0.0%)
Improve post-graduate medical education and training?	0 (0.0%)	2 (7.1%)	2 (7.1%)	3 (10.7%)	20 (71.4%)	1 (3.6%)
Reduce bureaucracy in the NHS?	0 (0.0%)	2 (7.1%)	4 (14.3%)	6 (21.4%)	16 (57.1%)	0 (0.0%)
Reduce transaction costs in the NHS?	1 (3.6%)	2 (7.1%)	5 (17.9%)	6 (21.4%)	14 (50.0%)	0 (0.0%)
Lead to increased involvement of the private sector?	17 (60.7%)	6 (21.4%)	3 (10.7%)	1 (3.6%)	1 (3.6%)	0 (0.0%)
Lead to increased involvement of the charitable sector?	3 (10.7%)	9 (32.1%)	11 (39.3%)	1 (3.6%)	4 (14.3%)	0 (0.0%)
Result in improved relationships between GPs and Psychiatrists?	1 (3.6%)	3 (10.7%)	6 (21.4%)	8 (28.6%)	10 (35.7%)	0 (0.0%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

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- 2 (7.1%) Overall, the Bill will have a positive impact on the health and social care system
- 24 (85.7%) Overall, the Bill will have a negative impact on the health and social care system
- 2 (7.1%) Don't know/don't recall

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- ♦ high-quality patient care
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7. Do you believe these priorities are the right Why/why not?

Please tell us about any specific concerns or issues you think the College should consider.

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11 (39.3%) *General adult*
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2 (7.1%) *Child and adolescent*

2 (7.1%) *Learning Disability*
0 (0.0%) *Forensic*
1 (3.6%) *Addiction*
0 (0.0%) *Rehabilitation and social*
1 (3.6%) *Not yet decided/still in training*

9. Which of the following divisions/offices do you belong to?

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**HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE BILL
MEMBERS' SURVEY
FINDINGS FOR ALL RESPONDENTS
BASED IN NORTHERN IRELAND
N=8**



Urgent Members' Survey: Health and Social Care Bill

Dear Colleague,

Once again, many thanks for sparing the time to complete this survey.

The survey will close on Monday the 30th of January at midnight. A copy of the results will be made available to all members.

Many thanks to you for your patience and forbearance.

Sue Bailey (President)

Information and consent

The information from this survey will be treated anonymously.

Any personally identifiable information will not be included in any published material, or shared with others.

1.

8 (100.0%) *I understand and accept the aims and uses of the survey*

Section one: current reforms

In **this** section, you will be asked five questions about the current NHS reforms.

In the **next** section, you will then be asked what you feel the College's priorities should be in relation to challenging and influencing the Bill, and what can be done in practical terms to achieve this.

2. In your opinion, is the Health and Social Care Bill fundamentally flawed?

4 (50.0%) *Yes*

1 (12.5%) *No*

3 (37.5%) *Don't know*

3. Why do you say that?

8 (100.0%)

Section one: current reforms (cont.)

4. Thinking about the current NHS reforms, to what extent do you agree/disagree that the reforms will:

	<i>Strongly Agree</i>	<i>Agree</i>	<i>Neither agree or disagree</i>	<i>Disagree</i>	<i>Strongly Disagree</i>	<i>Don't know</i>
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