

Appendix D – Data Tabulations

Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you

Break % Respondents		Previous years		Membership type		Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	217	433	1299	759	181
Q1										
Dental nurse	46%	44%	45%	0%	75%	49%	49%	62%	56%	22%
Dentist	37%	37%	38%	93%	1%	43%	39%	22%	27%	56%
Dental hygienist	7%	9%	10%	0%	12%	4%	3%	4%	5%	12%
Dental technician	6%	5%	6%	-	10%	4%	7%	9%	8%	3%
Specialist	4%	4%	-	10%	0%	1%	1%	1%	2%	10%
Dental therapist	3%	4%	3%	-	5%	4%	2%	4%	2%	2%
Clinical dental technician	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	-	-	1%	2%	0%
Orthodontic therapist	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	-	1%	1%	1%

Break % Respondents		Q7 How long have you been on th...		Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender
		16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male
Base	3611	144	578	2853	361	144	108	144	1	975
Q1										
Dental nurse	46%	19%	5%	47%	54%	45%	40%	11%	33%	3%
Dentist	37%	58%	66%	35%	32%	40%	40%	70%	52%	71%
Dental hygienist	7%	17%	17%	8%	5%	3%	6%	2%	9%	1%
Dental technician	6%	-	0%	6%	4%	7%	4%	10%	0%	16%
Specialist	4%	8%	14%	4%	3%	4%	5%	10%	5%	10%
Dental therapist	3%	0%	2%	3%	2%	3%	8%	-	2%	1%
Clinical dental technician	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	-	0%	3%
Orthodontic therapist	1%	1%	-	1%	2%	-	-	-	1%	-

Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender		Q59 Age						
		Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +
Base	3611	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578	108	36
Q1										
Dental nurse	46%	61%	26%	68%	51%	49%	45%	37%	19%	10%
Dentist	37%	24%	49%	-	41%	35%	33%	37%	49%	53%
Dental hygienist	7%	9%	6%	-	4%	7%	9%	9%	6%	10%
Dental technician	6%	2%	8%	32%	2%	5%	7%	10%	13%	9%
Specialist	4%	2%	10%	-	0%	3%	5%	8%	12%	20%
Dental therapist	3%	3%	0%	-	4%	4%	1%	2%	2%	-
Clinical dental technician	1%	0%	0%	-	0%	1%	2%	1%	3%	4%
Orthodontic therapist	1%	1%	-	-	0%	1%	1%	1%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age	Q60 Ethnicity					
		Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q1								
Dental nurse	46%	31%	50%	15%	50%	39%	19%	31%
Dentist	37%	46%	32%	72%	29%	50%	73%	53%
Dental hygienist	7%	0%	8%	6%	12%	5%	-	4%
Dental technician	6%	10%	6%	4%	3%	4%	-	9%
Specialist	4%	13%	4%	5%	3%	2%	9%	6%
Dental therapist	3%	0%	3%	2%	9%	-	-	2%
Clinical dental technician	1%	0%	1%	1%	-	-	-	2%
Orthodontic therapist	1%	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-

Q2 Please indicate which specialist you are

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	146	1	4	12	18	19	11	80	109	12	6
Q2											
Orthodontics	31%	-	28%	26%	42%	45%	22%	28%	32%	37%	22%
Oral Surgery	21%	-	-	15%	29%	19%	25%	21%	18%	18%	21%
Other	11%	51%	72%	51%	-	3%	-	8%	11%	-	30%
Periodontics	9%	-	-	13%	4%	16%	6%	8%	9%	5%	-
Restorative dentistry	8%	-	-	7%	5%	6%	-	11%	8%	22%	8%
Prosthodontics	7%	-	-	-	-	10%	4%	9%	7%	4%	-
Special Care Dentistry	6%	-	-	-	3%	4%	23%	7%	7%	4%	9%
Paediatric dentistry	6%	-	-	-	9%	3%	11%	7%	7%	7%	-
Dental Public Health	6%	-	-	10%	5%	4%	7%	6%	6%	-	10%
Endodontics	4%	-	-	-	4%	3%	-	6%	5%	6%	-
Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology	2%	-	-	-	4%	-	10%	1%	2%	-	-
Oral Medicine	1%	-	-	-	-	3%	-	1%	1%	3%	-
Oral Microbiology	0%	49%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-
Dental and Maxillofacial Radiology	0%	-	-	-	-	-	4%	-	-	4%	-

Q2 Please indicate which specialist you are

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	146	5	14	0	96	50	0	-	4	35	43
Q2											
Orthodontics	31%	18%	22%	34%	28%	35%	96%	-	100%	41%	28%
Oral Surgery	21%	40%	41%	2%	25%	13%	1%	-	-	17%	24%
Other	11%	14%	12%	-	13%	8%	-	-	-	10%	16%
Periodontics	9%	12%	12%	64%	8%	9%	-	-	-	10%	6%
Restorative dentistry	8%	12%	-	25%	9%	6%	-	-	-	4%	10%
Prosthodontics	7%	-	9%	25%	8%	4%	-	-	-	4%	10%
Special Care Dentistry	6%	16%	-	-	5%	9%	-	-	-	4%	8%
Paediatric dentistry	6%	-	8%	-	2%	14%	-	-	-	8%	4%
Dental Public Health	6%	16%	8%	-	4%	9%	3%	-	-	4%	5%
Endodontics	4%	-	-	25%	6%	1%	-	-	-	2%	4%
Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology	2%	-	-	-	2%	2%	-	-	-	2%	1%
Oral Medicine	1%	-	-	-	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	3%
Oral Microbiology	0%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	2%	-
Dental and Maxillofacial Radiology	0%	-	-	-	0%	-	-	-	-	-	1%

Q2 Please indicate which specialist you are

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	146	44	13	7	0	115	14	3	1	4	9
Q2											
Orthodontics	31%	27%	17%	11%	34%	30%	25%	-	-	83%	43%
Oral Surgery	21%	15%	52%	18%	32%	19%	28%	81%	-	16%	17%
Other	11%	12%	-	11%	32%	12%	17%	-	-	-	0%
Periodontics	9%	12%	10%	-	-	9%	9%	-	-	0%	7%
Restorative dentistry	8%	11%	9%	7%	-	10%	4%	-	-	-	-
Prosthodontics	7%	7%	6%	6%	-	6%	9%	-	-	-	13%
Special Care Dentistry	6%	10%	-	-	-	6%	11%	-	-	-	13%
Paediatric dentistry	6%	8%	5%	6%	-	7%	-	-	100%	-	-
Dental Public Health	6%	9%	5%	6%	3%	7%	-	19%	-	-	0%
Endodontics	4%	2%	6%	25%	32%	4%	4%	-	-	-	6%
Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology	2%	1%	-	6%	-	1%	5%	-	-	-	7%
Oral Medicine	1%	-	-	5%	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-
Oral Microbiology	0%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-
Dental and Maxillofacial Radiology	0%	-	-	-	-	0%	-	-	-	-	-

Q3 What type of dental care do you provide?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q3												
Mixture of NHS and private care	56%	57%	57%	58%	55%	41%	39%	57%	58%	55%	59%	80%
NHS only	25%	24%	24%	24%	25%	-	8%	28%	20%	14%	23%	16%
Private only	17%	17%	18%	14%	19%	57%	52%	13%	20%	27%	14%	4%
Don't know	2%	2%	1%	4%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	3%	4%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q3												
Mixture of NHS and private care	56%	39%	55%	61%	60%	57%	55%	47%	47%	58%	49%	61%
NHS only	25%	41%	23%	22%	24%	28%	22%	24%	24%	22%	45%	29%
Private only	17%	16%	14%	15%	14%	15%	21%	28%	26%	18%	4%	8%
Don't know	2%	3%	9%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q3												
Mixture of NHS and private care	56%	73%	24%	54%	58%	56%	75%	55%	64%	60%	50%	48%
NHS only	25%	25%	13%	13%	21%	26%	7%	7%	23%	23%	27%	28%
Private only	17%	1%	50%	24%	19%	16%	18%	37%	11%	15%	21%	21%
Don't know	2%	1%	14%	9%	2%	2%	0%	-	2%	2%	2%	3%

Q3 What type of dental care do you provide?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q3										
Mixture of NHS and private care	56%	46%	36%	50%	53%	73%	69%	48%	70%	64%
NHS only	25%	23%	20%	27%	26%	17%	13%	30%	20%	22%
Private only	17%	27%	38%	15%	18%	8%	14%	20%	10%	11%
Don't know	2%	4%	6%	8%	2%	2%	4%	2%	-	3%

Q4 Where do you work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100
Q4										
As part of a dental practice	69%	72%	74%	75%	64%	49%	89%	68%	6%	83%
In a hospital	12%	9%	13%	13%	11%	6%	2%	12%	19%	2%
Community / Community Dental Services	9%	9%	5%	6%	11%	-	6%	13%	1%	14%
Dental school / university / college / school	6%	6%	2%	8%	4%	3%	3%	4%	6%	5%
In a dental laboratory	5%	4%	5%	-	8%	54%	-	0%	76%	-
Other	4%	3%	2%	3%	4%	22%	1%	5%	3%	-
Salaried Prim ary Care Dental Services	4%	4%	1%	3%	4%	-	2%	5%	1%	3%
Not currently working / retired	3%	3%	1%	5%	2%	5%	4%	1%	3%	6%
Armed Forces	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	2%	-	-
Primary Care Trust	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	-

Q4 Where do you work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	3611	1324	24	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144
Q4										
As part of a dental practice	69%	77%	73%	44%	77%	74%	65%	65%	70%	70%
In a hospital	12%	11%	4%	40%	6%	12%	12%	12%	14%	10%
Community / Community Dental Services	9%	6%	-	11%	3%	3%	10%	11%	8%	12%
Dental school / university / college / school	6%	7%	-	25%	2%	2%	6%	6%	7%	9%
In a dental laboratory	5%	-	-	1%	2%	6%	6%	7%	3%	-
Other	4%	3%	24%	7%	2%	3%	5%	4%	4%	1%
Salaried Prim ary Care Dental Services	4%	3%	-	4%	3%	1%	3%	4%	5%	3%
Not currently working / retired	3%	5%	-	6%	11%	4%	3%	1%	3%	3%
Armed Forces	1%	2%	-	-	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	4%
Primary Care Trust	1%	1%	-	4%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%

Q4 Where do you work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	3611	578	2853	361	144	108	144	1	975	2635
Q4										
As part of a dental practice	69%	74%	71%	54%	69%	68%	51%	71%	66%	70%
In a hospital	12%	10%	11%	14%	14%	5%	13%	6%	14%	11%
Community / Community Dental Services	9%	11%	8%	18%	12%	12%	1%	5%	4%	11%
Dental school / university / college / school	6%	8%	5%	10%	11%	8%	4%	6%	8%	5%
In a dental laboratory	5%	0%	5%	3%	4%	5%	10%	0%	13%	2%
Other	4%	4%	4%	3%	2%	4%	15%	2%	4%	4%
Salaried Prim ary Care Dental Services	4%	4%	3%	14%	0%	3%	1%	3%	2%	4%
Not currently working / retired	3%	4%	3%	3%	2%	1%	15%	16%	3%	3%
Armed Forces	1%	1%	2%	0%	-	-	5%	3%	2%	1%
Primary Care Trust	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%

Q4 Where do you work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	1	36	975	1046	831	578	108	36	1
Q4										
As part of a dental practice	69%	78%	65%	76%	70%	65%	61%	61%	59%	57%
In a hospital	12%	12%	3%	13%	10%	12%	12%	6%	5%	13%
Community / Community Dental Services	9%	5%	3%	6%	8%	11%	12%	12%	7%	10%
Dental school / university / college / school	6%	6%	-	5%	5%	5%	8%	7%	9%	7%
In a dental laboratory	5%	8%	32%	2%	4%	5%	8%	8%	9%	10%
Other	4%	0%	-	3%	3%	5%	5%	5%	7%	13%
Salaried Prim ary Care Dental Services	4%	0%	3%	2%	4%	4%	4%	2%	1%	0%
Not currently working / retired	3%	7%	-	3%	4%	2%	3%	9%	9%	5%
Armed Forces	1%	-	-	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	-
Primary Care Trust	1%	-	-	1%	1%	1%	2%	4%	3%	-

Q4 Where do you work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q4							
As part of a dental practice	69%	67%	80%	69%	56%	76%	70%
In a hospital	12%	11%	11%	14%	13%	20%	11%
Community / Community Dental Services	9%	10%	4%	8%	4%	4%	6%
Dental school / university / college / school	6%	6%	5%	8%	2%	5%	4%
In a dental laboratory	5%	5%	3%	3%	4%	-	7%
Other	4%	4%	2%	10%	7%	4%	3%
Salaried Primary Care Dental Services	4%	4%	2%	1%	9%	-	4%
Not currently working / retired	3%	3%	5%	5%	7%	3%	4%
Armed Forces	1%	1%	1%	3%	4%	1%	2%
Primary Care Trust	1%	1%	2%	1%	-	-	0%

Q5 How many dentists are there in the dental practice where you work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	2474	2987	-	1061	1413	17	232	1126	14	83	1023	17
Q5a												
1	8%	8%	-	6%	10%	15%	4%	11%	21%	-	6%	10%
2	16%	19%	-	15%	17%	30%	23%	16%	36%	19%	15%	21%
3	22%	21%	-	20%	24%	3%	22%	24%	8%	35%	21%	7%
4	16%	18%	-	19%	15%	11%	17%	14%	20%	11%	19%	28%
5	14%	13%	-	16%	12%	19%	14%	12%	15%	11%	16%	13%
6	8%	8%	-	9%	7%	11%	7%	7%	-	6%	9%	6%
7	5%	5%	-	6%	5%	-	3%	5%	-	6%	6%	15%
8	4%	3%	-	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	-	7%	3%	-
9	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	-	2%	1%	-	-	1%	-
10 or more	5%	4%	-	4%	5%	6%	3%	6%	-	5%	4%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	2474	63	168	320	839	494	127	101	426	2032	195	99
Q5a												
1	8%	8%	4%	10%	8%	9%	4%	14%	10%	8%	10%	11%
2	16%	22%	19%	10%	15%	17%	19%	18%	20%	15%	20%	27%
3	22%	13%	22%	23%	24%	21%	19%	20%	21%	23%	18%	25%
4	16%	9%	24%	20%	14%	16%	20%	16%	14%	17%	20%	9%
5	14%	19%	8%	15%	12%	17%	16%	15%	14%	14%	10%	11%
6	8%	10%	9%	7%	9%	8%	7%	4%	7%	7%	8%	6%
7	5%	7%	4%	3%	5%	7%	7%	4%	6%	5%	4%	6%
8	4%	3%	2%	5%	5%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	4%	-
9	1%	1%	4%	1%	1%	1%	0%	3%	2%	1%	2%	1%
10 or more	5%	7%	4%	6%	5%	4%	5%	4%	3%	4%	5%	4%

Q5 How many dentists are there in the dental practice where you work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	2474	73	74	1	641	1832	1	24	742	733	539	349
Q5a												
1	8%	3%	13%	11%	8%	8%	1%	14%	6%	7%	11%	12%
2	16%	15%	25%	12%	19%	15%	30%	23%	15%	16%	16%	18%
3	22%	27%	6%	21%	20%	23%	25%	37%	23%	21%	23%	21%
4	16%	13%	6%	14%	17%	16%	25%	21%	17%	18%	15%	15%
5	14%	12%	21%	22%	15%	13%	13%	-	14%	14%	14%	14%
6	8%	20%	15%	11%	8%	8%	-	-	10%	6%	8%	6%
7	5%	4%	2%	-	4%	6%	-	5%	5%	7%	5%	4%
8	4%	1%	-	5%	3%	4%	0%	-	5%	3%	4%	4%
9	1%	-	-	-	2%	1%	6%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%
10 or more	5%	4%	13%	3%	3%	5%	0%	-	4%	6%	4%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	2474	66	21	1	2001	251	60	22	31	109
Q5a										
1	8%	15%	19%	20%	9%	2%	11%	9%	10%	6%
2	16%	21%	15%	19%	17%	14%	17%	7%	13%	16%
3	22%	29%	29%	13%	22%	19%	27%	29%	26%	21%
4	16%	9%	10%	36%	16%	21%	24%	9%	14%	14%
5	14%	6%	19%	11%	13%	21%	6%	6%	17%	17%
6	8%	7%	8%	0%	7%	10%	2%	2%	14%	15%
7	5%	5%	-	-	5%	7%	3%	15%	-	5%
8	4%	3%	-	0%	4%	1%	-	18%	-	2%
9	1%	1%	-	-	2%	-	-	-	-	0%
10 or more	5%	5%	-	1%	5%	4%	10%	4%	6%	4%

Q6 Approximately how many hours per week do you normally work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	-	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q6												
40 hours and over	24%	23%	-	30%	20%	56%	6%	16%	62%	8%	28%	20%
35 - 39	33%	32%	-	32%	34%	29%	14%	38%	26%	24%	33%	52%
30 - 34	13%	13%	-	13%	14%	4%	18%	15%	2%	16%	13%	9%
25 - 29	8%	8%	-	7%	8%	-	21%	7%	1%	28%	7%	9%
20 - 24	8%	9%	-	5%	11%	3%	16%	11%	3%	6%	5%	11%
15 - 19	7%	7%	-	4%	8%	-	13%	9%	2%	7%	4%	-
Fewer than 15	3%	5%	-	3%	4%	3%	9%	3%	1%	4%	4%	-
Not currently working / retired	3%	3%	-	5%	2%	5%	4%	1%	4%	7%	5%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q6												
40 hours and over	24%	51%	20%	35%	21%	23%	25%	27%	23%	25%	16%	19%
35 - 39	33%	17%	36%	39%	35%	38%	27%	23%	21%	31%	47%	40%
30 - 34	13%	6%	17%	10%	14%	11%	16%	14%	15%	13%	12%	18%
25 - 29	8%	5%	5%	4%	8%	7%	11%	9%	10%	8%	5%	5%
20 - 24	8%	8%	4%	3%	9%	9%	10%	13%	11%	9%	8%	10%
15 - 19	7%	5%	5%	4%	7%	7%	6%	8%	8%	7%	8%	2%
Fewer than 15	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%	4%	1%	5%	6%	4%	2%	2%
Not currently working / retired	3%	5%	12%	4%	3%	1%	4%	2%	5%	3%	2%	2%

Q6 Approximately how many hours per week do you normally work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q6												
40 hours and over	24%	20%	40%	22%	42%	17%	37%	46%	27%	23%	22%	25%
35 - 39	33%	43%	17%	32%	32%	34%	33%	42%	42%	31%	30%	30%
30 - 34	13%	13%	11%	12%	10%	15%	10%	12%	10%	15%	15%	13%
25 - 29	8%	8%	3%	7%	4%	9%	5%	-	6%	8%	9%	9%
20 - 24	8%	9%	3%	9%	3%	11%	1%	-	5%	10%	10%	9%
15 - 19	7%	3%	4%	3%	3%	8%	0%	-	5%	7%	7%	8%
Fewer than 15	3%	2%	6%	7%	3%	4%	6%	-	2%	3%	4%	4%
Not currently working / retired	3%	2%	17%	7%	3%	3%	7%	-	4%	4%	2%	3%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q6										
40 hours and over	24%	18%	10%	25%	24%	30%	16%	18%	28%	23%
35 - 39	33%	24%	5%	29%	33%	32%	33%	34%	39%	39%
30 - 34	13%	13%	10%	22%	14%	10%	19%	19%	19%	8%
25 - 29	8%	7%	9%	1%	7%	11%	7%	10%	2%	8%
20 - 24	8%	10%	17%	7%	9%	6%	10%	6%	-	6%
15 - 19	7%	8%	18%	6%	7%	3%	7%	8%	9%	6%
Fewer than 15	3%	11%	22%	4%	4%	3%	2%	-	-	5%
Not currently working / retired	3%	11%	9%	5%	3%	4%	6%	7%	3%	6%

Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100
Q7										
Less than 1 year	6%	6%	4%	7%	6%	-	3%	6%	4%	9%
1 to 2 years	12%	10%	11%	12%	12%	-	5%	13%	14%	10%
3 to 5 years	36%	43%	44%	21%	46%	52%	22%	49%	51%	47%
6 to 10 years	21%	13%	9%	15%	25%	39%	15%	26%	28%	19%
11 to 15 years	5%	7%	6%	8%	3%	2%	8%	2%	3%	4%
16 to 20 years	4%	5%	4%	6%	2%	2%	10%	2%	-	1%
21 years and over	16%	17%	21%	30%	7%	5%	38%	2%	1%	11%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q66 Which country do you live in?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	1324	24	146	2853	361	144	108	144	1
Q7										
Less than 1 year	6%	7%	0%	1%	5%	6%	12%	4%	14%	11%
1 to 2 years	12%	13%	-	3%	12%	11%	8%	8%	21%	15%
3 to 5 years	36%	22%	50%	9%	36%	40%	30%	32%	32%	26%
6 to 10 years	21%	15%	34%	12%	21%	20%	22%	20%	15%	17%
11 to 15 years	5%	8%	7%	13%	5%	6%	5%	7%	6%	5%
16 to 20 years	4%	6%	9%	8%	4%	3%	6%	6%	1%	2%
21 years and over	16%	29%	-	55%	16%	14%	16%	23%	11%	25%

Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender			Q59 Age					
		Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65
Base	3611	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578	108
Q7										
Less than 1 year	6%	5%	6%	0%	30%	15%	4%	2%	1%	-
1 to 2 years	12%	11%	12%	13%	70%	27%	10%	3%	2%	-
3 to 5 years	36%	24%	40%	29%	-	45%	40%	32%	28%	15%
6 to 10 years	21%	17%	22%	9%	-	14%	31%	23%	16%	17%
11 to 15 years	5%	7%	4%	21%	-	0%	11%	5%	4%	3%
16 to 20 years	4%	6%	3%	16%	-	-	4%	10%	3%	2%
21 years and over	16%	31%	11%	12%	-	0%	0%	26%	46%	63%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age		Q60 Ethnicity					
		65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q7									
Less than 1 year	6%	-	8%	6%	9%	9%	5%	11%	7%
1 to 2 years	12%	-	0%	12%	13%	9%	18%	7%	10%
3 to 5 years	36%	14%	23%	36%	35%	49%	22%	37%	30%
6 to 10 years	21%	8%	19%	21%	22%	17%	34%	19%	21%
11 to 15 years	5%	-	5%	4%	8%	7%	7%	13%	5%
16 to 20 years	4%	1%	1%	4%	5%	3%	4%	3%	8%
21 years and over	16%	76%	43%	17%	8%	6%	9%	11%	19%

Q8 Would you say you are optimistic or pessimistic about the future of your profession over the next two years?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	-	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q8												
Very optimistic	11%	10%	-	6%	14%	11%	19%	13%	14%	13%	6%	26%
Quite optimistic	26%	25%	-	19%	30%	33%	35%	30%	19%	44%	20%	38%
Neither optimistic nor pessimistic	30%	29%	-	29%	31%	15%	24%	33%	28%	14%	29%	18%
Quite pessimistic	23%	23%	-	31%	17%	36%	17%	16%	24%	22%	32%	18%
Very pessimistic	8%	10%	-	13%	5%	0%	4%	4%	11%	4%	13%	-
Don't know	2%	3%	-	2%	3%	4%	1%	3%	4%	3%	1%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q8												
Very optimistic	11%	8%	21%	15%	11%	10%	8%	5%	7%	11%	11%	12%
Quite optimistic	26%	20%	36%	26%	28%	27%	22%	22%	17%	25%	31%	27%
Neither optimistic nor pessimistic	30%	28%	24%	32%	31%	31%	32%	30%	27%	31%	26%	29%
Quite pessimistic	23%	25%	14%	21%	21%	21%	23%	28%	31%	23%	23%	22%
Very pessimistic	8%	18%	3%	3%	6%	9%	14%	13%	16%	9%	6%	8%
Don't know	2%	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%

Q8 Would you say you are optimistic or pessimistic about the future of your profession over the next two years?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q8												
Very optimistic	11%	7%	17%	15%	7%	12%	0%	42%	11%	12%	11%	8%
Quite optimistic	26%	18%	29%	16%	18%	29%	16%	26%	28%	27%	24%	21%
Neither optimistic nor pessimistic	30%	36%	20%	37%	26%	32%	8%	13%	30%	32%	30%	30%
Quite pessimistic	23%	18%	25%	14%	30%	20%	46%	5%	23%	20%	24%	25%
Very pessimistic	8%	12%	3%	18%	17%	5%	29%	-	5%	8%	8%	13%
Don't know	2%	8%	6%	0%	2%	3%	1%	13%	3%	2%	3%	2%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q8										
Very optimistic	11%	5%	1%	0%	11%	11%	20%	8%	5%	7%
Quite optimistic	26%	29%	26%	26%	27%	20%	29%	30%	20%	16%
Neither optimistic nor pessimistic	30%	25%	26%	30%	31%	27%	27%	25%	22%	31%
Quite pessimistic	23%	25%	30%	23%	22%	27%	12%	29%	33%	32%
Very pessimistic	8%	10%	15%	20%	7%	12%	12%	4%	13%	15%
Don't know	2%	6%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	4%	6%	0%

Q9 Areas of optimism										
Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	1320	1450	-	356	964	16	142	714	73	57
Q9										
Learning and development	73%	73%	-	76%	72%	61%	71%	73%	63%	69%
Changes in technology	45%	44%	-	54%	41%	63%	34%	39%	84%	19%
Changes in oral health needs	42%	42%	-	46%	40%	53%	50%	41%	24%	38%
Changes in patient expectations	29%	36%	-	29%	30%	55%	41%	28%	17%	21%
Employment opportunities	29%	29%	-	21%	32%	4%	20%	36%	22%	38%
Changes in regulation	21%	25%	-	13%	25%	47%	60%	19%	12%	45%
Increased accountability to patients	15%	18%	-	15%	15%	17%	20%	14%	11%	19%
New NHS dental contract	13%	12%	-	15%	13%	11%	13%	14%	4%	27%
Financial	13%	13%	-	18%	11%	58%	5%	9%	35%	9%
Staffing	7%	8%	-	5%	8%	5%	3%	9%	6%	3%
Europe and international matters	4%	4%	-	10%	2%	-	2%	2%	3%	1%
Local population changes	3%	4%	-	6%	2%	10%	1%	3%	1%	-
Don't know	2%	-	-	2%	3%	-	-	3%	3%	-
Other	1%	1%	-	3%	0%	-	2%	0%	-	4%

Q9 Areas of optimism

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	1320	336	15	40	124	176	513	275	54	38
Q9										
Learning and development	73%	77%	70%	64%	74%	77%	70%	76%	77%	71%
Changes in technology	45%	53%	42%	55%	34%	59%	42%	41%	50%	42%
Changes in oral health needs	42%	46%	17%	35%	28%	36%	42%	43%	48%	47%
Changes in patient expectations	29%	28%	22%	33%	16%	18%	29%	31%	43%	47%
Employment opportunities	29%	22%	31%	17%	44%	34%	33%	26%	29%	15%
Changes in regulation	21%	13%	25%	11%	11%	16%	22%	20%	26%	26%
Increased accountability to patients	15%	15%	8%	23%	5%	6%	15%	17%	23%	23%
New NHS dental contract	13%	15%	18%	12%	17%	14%	13%	14%	15%	8%
Financial	13%	19%	-	15%	19%	23%	12%	8%	10%	19%
Staffing	7%	5%	-	3%	7%	4%	9%	6%	7%	9%
Europe and international matters	4%	11%	-	3%	8%	7%	4%	2%	2%	3%
Local population changes	3%	6%	-	10%	4%	3%	3%	4%	5%	4%
Don't know	2%	3%	7%	2%	5%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%
Other	1%	3%	-	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%

Q9 Areas of optimism										
Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	1320	140	1018	151	56	28	66	0	244	1075
Q9										
Learning and development	73%	70%	73%	76%	74%	73%	69%	52%	69%	74%
Changes in technology	45%	53%	45%	40%	44%	31%	55%	53%	58%	42%
Changes in oral health needs	42%	53%	42%	40%	24%	36%	54%	9%	38%	42%
Changes in patient expectations	29%	43%	31%	26%	19%	32%	25%	25%	31%	29%
Employment opportunities	29%	9%	29%	35%	31%	14%	28%	23%	21%	31%
Changes in regulation	21%	33%	22%	19%	17%	19%	21%	21%	18%	22%
Increased accountability to patients	15%	26%	14%	18%	17%	23%	12%	16%	13%	15%
New NHS dental contract	13%	12%	15%	6%	11%	3%	10%	6%	15%	13%
Financial	13%	8%	13%	10%	21%	-	27%	31%	23%	11%
Staffing	7%	7%	7%	9%	3%	7%	8%	0%	6%	7%
Europe and international matters	4%	3%	4%	3%	5%	2%	17%	31%	10%	3%
Local population changes	3%	5%	3%	5%	6%	-	4%	6%	7%	3%
Don't know	2%	2%	2%	5%	2%	-	-	-	2%	3%
Other	1%	2%	1%	1%	-	-	-	13%	2%	1%

Q9 Areas of optimism										
Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	1320	0	25	385	404	287	172	36	10	0
Q9										
Learning and development	73%	100%	97%	75%	73%	74%	69%	57%	53%	74%
Changes in technology	45%	97%	80%	46%	41%	41%	49%	61%	72%	53%
Changes in oral health needs	42%	3%	50%	38%	39%	45%	46%	52%	38%	77%
Changes in patient expectations	29%	0%	7%	16%	28%	40%	42%	51%	45%	51%
Employment opportunities	29%	66%	22%	41%	27%	25%	22%	6%	11%	0%
Changes in regulation	21%	-	9%	17%	21%	25%	28%	14%	24%	-
Increased accountability to patients	15%	-	4%	8%	12%	21%	25%	28%	15%	19%
New NHS dental contract	13%	-	3%	15%	15%	10%	12%	19%	8%	-
Financial	13%	3%	56%	15%	12%	12%	8%	12%	24%	2%
Staffing	7%	0%	-	6%	6%	9%	10%	4%	-	0%
Europe and international matters	4%	-	-	6%	3%	3%	5%	-	-	-
Local population changes	3%	-	-	3%	3%	3%	5%	9%	11%	25%
Don't know	2%	-	-	3%	2%	3%	-	4%	4%	-
Other	1%	-	-	1%	1%	2%	1%	-	-	-

Q9 Areas of optimism

Break % Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	1320	1119	97	43	15	11	36
Q9							
Learning and development	73%	73%	72%	78%	82%	95%	57%
Changes in technology	45%	46%	46%	38%	32%	59%	27%
Changes in oral health needs	42%	40%	56%	49%	34%	51%	37%
Changes in patient expectations	29%	28%	41%	37%	22%	42%	22%
Employment opportunities	29%	29%	28%	38%	25%	6%	26%
Changes in regulation	21%	21%	32%	28%	11%	13%	14%
Increased accountability to patients	15%	14%	15%	27%	15%	5%	25%
New NHS dental contract	13%	13%	25%	13%	-	22%	10%
Financial	13%	13%	19%	2%	20%	39%	21%
Staffing	7%	7%	8%	11%	-	13%	6%
Europe and international matters	4%	4%	7%	10%	-	19%	-
Local population changes	3%	3%	2%	10%	-	0%	2%
Don't know	2%	3%	3%	-	7%	-	-
Other	1%	1%	1%	3%	7%	-	2%

Q9 Areas of pessimism

Break % Respondents		Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	1113	1380	-	624	489	13	55	333	76	26
Q9										
Changes in regulation	62%	69%	-	72%	50%	70%	40%	49%	53%	36%
Financial	61%	66%	-	65%	56%	34%	32%	59%	59%	30%
New NHS dental contract	54%	59%	-	71%	31%	14%	31%	29%	39%	13%
Employment opportunities	46%	42%	-	45%	47%	33%	74%	45%	40%	79%
Changes in patient expectations	36%	34%	-	46%	23%	16%	9%	27%	11%	7%
Staffing	28%	28%	-	25%	33%	27%	20%	36%	30%	21%
Increased accountability to patients	28%	27%	-	31%	25%	12%	22%	27%	16%	21%
Europe and international matters	16%	17%	-	19%	13%	16%	7%	9%	35%	3%
Learning and development	15%	16%	-	6%	26%	7%	6%	29%	32%	7%
Changes in oral health needs	10%	10%	-	13%	8%	16%	5%	7%	13%	5%
Other	8%	8%	-	7%	8%	7%	11%	8%	11%	11%
Local population changes	5%	4%	-	4%	6%	-	1%	7%	6%	-
Changes in technology	5%	4%	-	3%	7%	16%	3%	3%	29%	-
Don't know	1%	0%	-	0%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-

Q9 Areas of pessimism

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	1113	590	4	62	37	104	347	229	65	60
Q9										
Changes in regulation	62%	73%	100%	63%	61%	61%	51%	66%	63%	73%
Financial	61%	66%	61%	60%	73%	70%	59%	62%	69%	58%
New NHS dental contract	54%	73%	83%	54%	42%	53%	47%	51%	69%	61%
Employment opportunities	46%	45%	83%	43%	78%	63%	50%	47%	51%	39%
Changes in patient expectations	36%	47%	-	43%	29%	43%	30%	31%	36%	40%
Staffing	28%	25%	21%	31%	21%	14%	29%	28%	28%	28%
Increased accountability to patients	28%	32%	61%	23%	15%	28%	29%	27%	33%	25%
Europe and international matters	16%	18%	-	29%	23%	23%	14%	16%	21%	18%
Learning and development	15%	5%	-	18%	22%	10%	18%	22%	9%	9%
Changes in oral health needs	10%	13%	-	8%	9%	9%	13%	11%	8%	7%
Other	8%	7%	-	13%	6%	3%	6%	9%	8%	6%
Local population changes	5%	4%	-	6%	10%	3%	7%	5%	3%	1%
Changes in technology	5%	3%	-	4%	6%	2%	6%	6%	2%	3%
Don't know	1%	0%	-	1%	-	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%

Q9 Areas of pessimism

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	1113	271	888	107	44	32	41	0	462	650
Q9										
Changes in regulation	62%	73%	62%	60%	72%	58%	72%	58%	74%	54%
Financial	61%	57%	61%	65%	46%	82%	61%	69%	66%	58%
New NHS dental contract	54%	61%	57%	33%	55%	53%	41%	45%	63%	48%
Employment opportunities	46%	28%	46%	45%	46%	39%	51%	46%	36%	53%
Changes in patient expectations	36%	45%	37%	36%	28%	41%	18%	53%	44%	31%
Staffing	28%	34%	27%	36%	20%	56%	32%	21%	25%	31%
Increased accountability to patients	28%	29%	29%	28%	23%	37%	8%	33%	33%	25%
Europe and international matters	16%	15%	17%	12%	14%	5%	21%	22%	23%	12%
Learning and development	15%	9%	14%	25%	9%	8%	19%	29%	11%	18%
Changes in oral health needs	10%	10%	11%	10%	9%	7%	6%	20%	12%	9%
Other	8%	11%	8%	8%	8%	7%	-	14%	7%	8%
Local population changes	5%	4%	5%	6%	2%	-	11%	-	4%	6%
Changes in technology	5%	3%	4%	6%	6%	-	8%	-	7%	3%
Don't know	1%	0%	0%	2%	-	-	-	4%	0%	1%

Q9 Areas of pessimism										
Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	1113	1	2	277	289	271	219	38	16	0
Q9										
Changes in regulation	62%	69%	-	64%	59%	61%	65%	63%	75%	51%
Financial	61%	69%	-	65%	64%	59%	60%	35%	55%	97%
New NHS dental contract	54%	46%	-	60%	54%	47%	53%	61%	48%	88%
Employment opportunities	46%	68%	-	66%	52%	37%	29%	19%	20%	38%
Changes in patient expectations	36%	27%	-	37%	32%	38%	37%	39%	51%	46%
Staffing	28%	38%	-	23%	28%	26%	38%	36%	33%	34%
Increased accountability to patients	28%	36%	-	26%	28%	29%	32%	14%	35%	28%
Europe and international matters	16%	31%	-	20%	13%	16%	17%	16%	12%	18%
Learning and development	15%	23%	-	12%	13%	14%	20%	18%	10%	1%
Changes in oral health needs	10%	0%	-	13%	11%	10%	9%	10%	9%	1%
Other	8%	30%	-	8%	5%	8%	9%	21%	12%	1%
Local population changes	5%	13%	-	5%	4%	5%	8%	-	-	-
Changes in technology	5%	1%	-	3%	4%	4%	6%	19%	4%	1%
Don't know	1%	-	100%	1%	-	0%	0%	-	-	-

Q9 Areas of pessimism

Break % Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	1113	865	122	21	13	19	73
Q9							
Changes in regulation	62%	60%	65%	66%	68%	81%	80%
Financial	61%	60%	69%	35%	63%	64%	71%
New NHS dental contract	54%	49%	78%	63%	31%	71%	72%
Employment opportunities	46%	44%	60%	35%	23%	50%	52%
Changes in patient expectations	36%	34%	46%	33%	19%	45%	46%
Staffing	28%	31%	19%	13%	11%	32%	23%
Increased accountability to patients	28%	27%	37%	19%	41%	49%	29%
Europe and international matters	16%	15%	22%	18%	16%	29%	22%
Learning and development	15%	15%	9%	25%	16%	18%	14%
Changes in oral health needs	10%	10%	11%	16%	22%	18%	16%
Other	8%	8%	5%	16%	20%	10%	4%
Local population changes	5%	5%	4%	9%	12%	5%	6%
Changes in technology	5%	5%	3%	14%	-	11%	3%
Don't know	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	0%

Q10 Ranking of optimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	1320	1450	-	356	964	16	142	714	73	57
Q10 Learning and development	1.8	1.7	-	1.7	1.9	2.5	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	2.3	2.3	-	2.3	2.3	2.6	2.2	2.2	3.4	2.3
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	2.4	2.5	-	2.4	2.4	2.9	2.3	2.4	1.9	2.6
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.7	2.5	-	2.9	2.7	2.5	2.2	3.0	3.4	2.3
Q10 Changes in technology	2.8	3.0	-	2.6	2.9	3.5	3.5	2.9	2.2	4.7
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.8	2.7	-	2.6	2.9	1.0	2.6	3.0	3.5	2.2
Q10 Financial	2.9	3.5	-	3.2	2.8	3.4	3.8	2.9	1.8	2.9
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.0	3.1	-	2.9	3.0	2.8	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.9
Q10 Employment opportunities	3.1	2.9	-	3.1	3.0	5.0	3.1	3.1	2.6	2.6
Q10 Staffing	3.9	3.9	-	4.7	3.7	4.0	3.7	3.8	1.7	5.0
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.4	4.1	-	4.3	4.5	-	5.2	4.4	4.5	4.0
Q10 Local population changes	4.6	4.8	-	4.3	4.8	5.8	4.6	4.8	4.0	-

Q10 Ranking of optimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	1320	336	15	40	124	176	513	275	54	38
Q10 Learning and development	1.8	1.7	1.4	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.9	1.8	1.8	2.6
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	2.3	2.2	1.7	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.6
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.7	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.5
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.7	2.9	1.2	3.1	3.7	2.3	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.2
Q10 Changes in technology	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.1	2.8	2.8	2.7	3.0	2.8	3.4
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.8	2.6	1.4	2.2	2.7	3.0	2.9	2.7	3.2	1.5
Q10 Financial	2.9	3.3	-	1.7	3.3	2.6	2.9	3.0	2.8	3.9
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.0	3.0	4.0	2.3	4.1	3.0	3.0	2.8	3.7	3.3
Q10 Employment opportunities	3.1	3.1	1.9	2.3	2.2	2.8	3.4	2.8	3.9	2.9
Q10 Staffing	3.9	4.8	-	3.0	5.2	4.9	3.8	3.2	2.9	4.5
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.4	4.3	-	5.6	3.8	5.3	3.8	4.5	3.4	5.0
Q10 Local population changes	4.6	4.4	-	3.6	3.5	4.9	5.6	4.1	5.4	2.6

Q10 Ranking of optimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	1320	140	1018	151	56	28	66	0	244	1075
Q10 Learning and development	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.7	2.0	1.6	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.6	2.6	1.0	2.2	2.3
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.2	1.4	2.4	3.9	2.6	2.4
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.7	2.4	2.7	2.9	2.5	2.4	3.4	1.7	2.6	2.7
Q10 Changes in technology	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.2	1.5	2.6	1.8	2.5	2.9
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.8	2.7	2.7	3.6	2.8	3.0	4.4	2.0	2.6	2.9
Q10 Financial	2.9	2.8	2.9	4.0	2.8	-	2.5	4.5	3.1	2.8
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.0	2.8	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.8	4.1	2.5	3.1	3.0
Q10 Employment opportunities	3.1	3.7	3.1	3.1	2.4	3.5	2.6	4.0	3.2	3.0
Q10 Staffing	3.9	4.1	3.8	3.9	2.0	6.0	5.2	4.0	3.9	3.9
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.4	5.6	4.4	7.5	5.0	3.0	3.1	2.5	4.2	4.5
Q10 Local population changes	4.6	3.5	4.4	4.7	3.0	-	8.0	1.0	4.6	4.5

Q10 Ranking of optimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	1320	0	25	385	404	287	172	36	10	0
Q10 Learning and development	1.8	1.0	2.0	1.7	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.9	1.7	2.2
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	2.3	1.0	3.4	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.2	1.5
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	2.4	2.0	1.5	2.8	2.2	2.2	2.7	2.4	2.2	2.2
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.7	-	5.0	2.7	2.5	2.9	2.6	3.1	2.6	-
Q10 Changes in technology	2.8	2.0	2.9	2.8	2.7	3.1	2.9	2.6	1.8	3.2
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.8	-	2.0	2.6	2.7	3.0	3.7	2.6	1.5	-
Q10 Financial	2.9	2.0	2.3	2.7	2.8	3.1	4.3	2.5	4.6	2.0
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.0	-	2.0	3.5	2.9	2.9	3.1	2.5	2.9	2.0
Q10 Employment opportunities	3.1	4.0	1.9	2.9	2.9	3.3	3.8	3.0	4.6	2.2
Q10 Staffing	3.9	4.0	-	4.1	4.0	3.3	4.5	4.5	-	4.0
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.4	-	-	4.4	4.7	4.1	4.2	-	-	-
Q10 Local population changes	4.6	-	-	3.6	4.5	4.3	6.4	3.3	5.0	2.0

Q10 Ranking of optimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	1320	1119	97	43	15	11	36
Q10 Learning and development	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.3	1.6	2.3	2.2
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.2	1.7	2.0	2.3
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.1	3.0	2.9	3.0
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.7	2.7	2.8	3.7	1.0	1.0	2.4
Q10 Changes in technology	2.8	2.7	3.4	3.9	1.9	2.0	3.0
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.8	2.9	2.2	3.3	-	3.2	2.7
Q10 Financial	2.9	2.9	3.9	2.8	3.0	3.5	1.3
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.0	3.0	2.8	3.7	4.5	1.1	2.6
Q10 Employment opportunities	3.1	3.0	3.9	3.0	4.0	6.0	2.8
Q10 Staffing	3.9	3.8	4.2	6.0	-	4.0	1.5
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.4	4.5	4.5	3.4	-	2.3	-
Q10 Local population changes	4.6	4.6	6.8	4.3	-	1.0	2.0

Q11 Ranking of pessimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	1113	1380	-	624	489	13	55	333	76	26
Q10 Financial	2.4	2.3	-	2.5	2.2	1.0	2.7	2.2	2.1	2.5
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.4	2.4	-	2.2	2.9	1.0	2.7	2.8	3.0	2.0
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.5	2.3	-	2.6	2.4	1.9	2.3	2.5	2.6	1.7
Q10 Employment opportunities	2.8	2.8	-	3.0	2.5	2.2	1.6	2.7	2.8	1.4
Q10 Learning and development	3.1	3.3	-	4.2	2.7	1.0	2.3	2.5	3.6	3.0
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	3.2	3.6	-	3.2	3.2	2.5	3.4	3.1	3.2	2.9
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.3	3.2	-	3.4	3.2	3.0	2.1	3.4	2.9	2.0
Q10 Staffing	3.5	3.4	-	4.0	2.9	3.3	3.0	3.0	2.5	1.8
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.0	3.6	-	4.3	3.4	3.9	2.2	3.7	3.1	2.0
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	4.1	4.1	-	4.4	3.6	2.9	4.2	3.1	4.4	4.0
Q10 Changes in technology	4.4	4.7	-	6.6	3.4	5.0	2.0	3.7	3.4	-
Q10 Local population changes	5.0	5.4	-	6.0	4.0	-	7.0	3.9	4.4	-

Q11 Ranking of pessimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	1113	590	4	62	37	104	347	229	65	60
Q10 Financial	2.4	2.5	1.0	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.5	2.4
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.4	2.2	3.7	2.6	2.7	2.0	2.7	2.2	2.3	2.2
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.5	2.5	2.2	2.6	3.3	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.4	2.1
Q10 Employment opportunities	2.8	2.9	2.5	3.3	2.0	2.3	2.5	3.2	2.7	2.8
Q10 Learning and development	3.1	4.4	-	3.0	3.6	2.6	2.8	3.1	3.2	3.6
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	3.2	3.2	-	3.6	4.0	2.9	3.2	3.0	3.6	3.2
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.3	3.4	5.0	3.2	2.9	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.5	3.6
Q10 Staffing	3.5	4.1	2.0	3.1	3.8	3.8	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.1
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.0	4.4	-	3.4	3.6	3.7	4.0	4.4	3.9	4.0
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	4.1	4.4	-	2.8	5.0	4.8	3.7	4.1	4.9	3.7
Q10 Changes in technology	4.4	6.8	-	4.8	8.5	2.0	3.9	4.2	7.0	3.5
Q10 Local population changes	5.0	6.1	-	5.0	4.6	5.0	4.6	4.3	8.0	7.9

Q11 Ranking of pessimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	1113	271	888	107	44	32	41	0	462	650
Q10 Financial	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.1	2.4	2.1	2.0	2.6	2.3	2.4
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.4	2.4	2.3	3.3	2.1	3.2	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.5	2.2	2.6	2.3	2.4	1.9	2.5	2.9	2.4	2.6
Q10 Employment opportunities	2.8	3.3	2.8	2.8	2.3	3.2	2.7	1.9	3.2	2.5
Q10 Learning and development	3.1	3.7	3.1	2.9	2.3	1.0	3.8	4.5	4.0	2.7
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	3.2	3.3	3.2	2.8	3.9	4.0	2.2	4.7	3.2	3.2
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.3	3.1	3.3	3.8	2.7	3.3	3.0	4.3	3.3	3.3
Q10 Staffing	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.6	3.2	3.4	3.9	3.2
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.0	3.9	4.0	4.2	3.3	4.1	3.0	2.6	4.0	3.9
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	4.1	4.3	4.1	3.8	3.4	4.3	5.0	6.3	4.2	4.0
Q10 Changes in technology	4.4	5.5	4.4	5.4	3.0	-	4.0	-	4.3	4.6
Q10 Local population changes	5.0	5.9	4.9	6.3	9.0	-	3.2	-	6.1	4.3

Q11 Ranking of pessimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	1113	1	2	277	289	271	219	38	16	0
Q10 Financial	2.4	2.2	-	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.5	3.1	2.5	2.4
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.4	3.1	-	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.7	3.1
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.5	2.7	-	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.1
Q10 Employment opportunities	2.8	3.5	-	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.4	2.5	3.6	2.1
Q10 Learning and development	3.1	4.7	-	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.2	3.3	2.1	5.0
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	3.2	5.3	-	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.0	1.9
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.3	3.2	-	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.3	2.5	3.3	3.5
Q10 Staffing	3.5	3.8	-	4.3	3.1	3.6	3.1	3.0	3.3	4.5
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.0	5.3	-	4.5	4.0	3.5	4.2	2.2	2.1	3.9
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	4.1	5.7	-	4.3	4.0	4.0	4.2	3.8	5.4	5.5
Q10 Changes in technology	4.4	1.0	-	6.6	4.5	4.0	4.0	3.7	2.0	1.0
Q10 Local population changes	5.0	7.0	-	5.1	5.7	3.8	5.2	-	-	-

Q11 Ranking of pessimistic areas

Means Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	1113	865	122	21	13	19	73
Q10 Financial	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.8	3.1	3.0	2.3
Q10 New NHS dental contract	2.4	2.5	2.3	1.8	2.7	2.5	2.1
Q10 Changes in regulation	2.5	2.4	2.9	2.3	2.5	3.8	3.0
Q10 Employment opportunities	2.8	2.6	2.8	3.7	2.5	2.7	3.7
Q10 Learning and development	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.6	3.3	5.5	3.8
Q10 Changes in patient expectations	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.1	2.8	3.2	3.5
Q10 Increased accountability to patients	3.3	3.2	3.9	2.8	2.3	2.7	3.8
Q10 Staffing	3.5	3.3	4.9	3.9	1.6	4.2	3.4
Q10 Europe and international matters	4.0	3.7	4.8	4.6	4.3	5.8	4.3
Q10 Changes in oral health needs	4.1	4.1	5.2	4.2	2.1	4.2	3.7
Q10 Changes in technology	4.4	4.2	5.6	3.7	-	8.5	4.0
Q10 Local population changes	5.0	4.7	5.9	4.0	5.0	9.0	5.4

Q11 What are the greatest professional challenges in your current daily practice?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	3611	4160	-	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100
Q11										
Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	53%	58%	-	54%	52%	47%	53%	53%	39%	40%
Finding time and opportunities to develop	50%	49%	-	43%	55%	39%	45%	56%	60%	57%
Meeting the demands of regulation	43%	51%	-	49%	39%	44%	40%	38%	37%	30%
Administration, including record keeping	40%	40%	-	50%	34%	46%	35%	33%	38%	29%
Meeting patients' expectations	40%	39%	-	48%	35%	51%	40%	35%	26%	37%
Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	35%	37%	-	29%	39%	35%	35%	39%	42%	36%
Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	25%	27%	-	36%	18%	16%	10%	19%	15%	19%
Keeping within budget	22%	21%	-	28%	17%	16%	7%	18%	23%	6%
Increased accountability to patients	19%	18%	-	23%	15%	26%	25%	15%	6%	17%
Communication barriers with patients	15%	12%	-	13%	16%	9%	10%	18%	7%	10%
Recruitment and retention of staff	13%	13%	-	12%	13%	13%	7%	14%	15%	13%
Other	4%	3%	-	5%	4%	7%	8%	2%	8%	8%
Local population changes	4%	3%	-	4%	4%	-	2%	5%	2%	2%
Don't know	3%	3%	-	2%	4%	6%	2%	4%	4%	2%

Q11 What are the greatest professional challenges in your current daily practice?										
Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	3611	1324	24	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144
Q11										
Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	53%	55%	49%	51%	38%	45%	51%	55%	56%	59%
Finding time and opportunities to develop	50%	43%	56%	39%	45%	56%	54%	54%	49%	43%
Meeting the demands of regulation	43%	50%	50%	49%	29%	32%	38%	42%	53%	54%
Administration, including record keeping	40%	50%	40%	51%	30%	32%	36%	39%	51%	50%
Meeting patients' expectations	40%	48%	47%	35%	45%	39%	40%	36%	40%	36%
Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	35%	30%	27%	26%	34%	38%	36%	36%	34%	31%
Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	25%	37%	28%	27%	17%	22%	22%	28%	35%	26%
Keeping within budget	22%	28%	15%	28%	14%	18%	18%	25%	26%	28%
Increased accountability to patients	19%	24%	38%	21%	14%	10%	18%	18%	24%	24%
Communication barriers with patients	15%	13%	28%	9%	20%	17%	16%	15%	13%	11%
Recruitment and retention of staff	13%	12%	5%	18%	9%	7%	13%	14%	16%	17%
Other	4%	5%	4%	9%	2%	5%	3%	4%	5%	3%
Local population changes	4%	3%	-	8%	4%	3%	4%	6%	4%	4%
Don't know	3%	2%	3%	0%	6%	4%	3%	2%	1%	4%

Q11 What are the greatest professional challenges in your current daily practice?										
Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	3611	578	2853	361	144	108	144	1	975	2635
Q11										
Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	53%	63%	54%	50%	46%	51%	39%	36%	53%	53%
Finding time and opportunities to develop	50%	38%	49%	56%	50%	50%	54%	28%	43%	53%
Meeting the demands of regulation	43%	61%	43%	38%	43%	47%	36%	35%	54%	38%
Administration, including record keeping	40%	55%	40%	38%	44%	48%	27%	43%	50%	36%
Meeting patients' expectations	40%	43%	39%	36%	49%	41%	44%	37%	41%	39%
Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	35%	33%	34%	34%	38%	33%	47%	33%	27%	38%
Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	25%	29%	25%	29%	27%	30%	11%	14%	29%	23%
Keeping within budget	22%	27%	21%	21%	23%	32%	24%	18%	26%	20%
Increased accountability to patients	19%	26%	19%	17%	17%	19%	10%	12%	20%	18%
Communication barriers with patients	15%	7%	13%	20%	19%	16%	16%	6%	10%	16%
Recruitment and retention of staff	13%	13%	13%	11%	9%	17%	16%	8%	15%	12%
Other	4%	8%	4%	5%	4%	2%	7%	6%	5%	4%
Local population changes	4%	3%	4%	4%	7%	4%	3%	3%	4%	4%
Don't know	3%	1%	3%	3%	1%	6%	-	15%	2%	3%

Q11 What are the greatest professional challenges in your current daily practice?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	1	36	975	1046	831	578	108	36	1
Q11										
Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	53%	43%	33%	48%	48%	56%	63%	65%	58%	61%
Finding time and opportunities to develop	50%	51%	77%	52%	54%	50%	45%	29%	22%	45%
Meeting the demands of regulation	43%	38%	42%	33%	39%	48%	55%	54%	62%	57%
Administration, including record keeping	40%	44%	21%	36%	36%	43%	50%	44%	42%	38%
Meeting patients' expectations	40%	34%	53%	44%	38%	38%	37%	45%	39%	44%
Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	35%	34%	40%	35%	31%	38%	39%	34%	38%	23%
Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	25%	24%	10%	25%	26%	24%	26%	22%	25%	34%
Keeping within budget	22%	30%	3%	18%	23%	22%	26%	21%	19%	37%
Increased accountability to patients	19%	27%	6%	16%	17%	20%	22%	21%	20%	36%
Communication barriers with patients	15%	22%	17%	22%	12%	12%	11%	8%	2%	19%
Recruitment and retention of staff	13%	1%	5%	11%	13%	12%	17%	11%	12%	15%
Other	4%	1%	-	4%	4%	5%	5%	8%	5%	14%
Local population changes	4%	9%	3%	4%	4%	5%	4%	1%	2%	17%
Don't know	3%	1%	-	4%	4%	2%	1%	2%	2%	4%

Q11 What are the greatest professional challenges in your current daily practice?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q11							
Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	53%	53%	53%	43%	58%	51%	60%
Finding time and opportunities to develop	50%	51%	50%	48%	65%	46%	43%
Meeting the demands of regulation	43%	42%	50%	37%	32%	47%	47%
Administration, including record keeping	40%	39%	47%	26%	28%	40%	45%
Meeting patients' expectations	40%	39%	49%	36%	29%	58%	38%
Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	35%	36%	32%	26%	34%	48%	28%
Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	25%	23%	41%	17%	28%	45%	37%
Keeping within budget	22%	21%	24%	22%	18%	27%	28%
Increased accountability to patients	19%	17%	28%	14%	15%	31%	23%
Communication barriers with patients	15%	14%	13%	15%	13%	21%	18%
Recruitment and retention of staff	13%	13%	15%	9%	20%	4%	11%
Other	4%	4%	2%	11%	14%	-	5%
Local population changes	4%	4%	4%	7%	8%	1%	2%
Don't know	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	-	2%

Q12 Ranking of challenges										
Means Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	3611	4160	-	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	2.6	2.5	-	2.9	2.5	2.9	2.5	2.4	2.7	2.3
Q12 Meeting the demands of regulation	2.7	2.5	-	2.6	2.8	2.4	2.4	2.9	3.1	2.0
Q12 Finding time and opportunities to develop	2.7	2.8	-	3.1	2.5	3.5	2.6	2.5	2.2	2.3
Q12 Meeting patients' expectations	2.8	2.8	-	2.7	2.9	2.3	2.6	3.0	2.2	2.3
Q12 Administration, including record keeping	2.9	3.1	-	2.7	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.1	3.1	2.6
Q12 Keeping within budget	3.3	3.2	-	3.3	3.3	3.8	4.0	3.4	2.5	2.8
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	3.3	3.3	-	3.7	3.1	4.3	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.0
Q12 Recruitment and retention of staff	3.4	3.5	-	4.0	3.1	3.6	2.0	3.2	2.8	1.2
Q12 Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	3.5	3.4	-	3.3	3.8	3.8	2.9	3.9	3.0	2.6
Q12 Communication barriers with patients	4.0	4.0	-	4.2	3.8	2.8	4.0	3.9	2.9	3.8
Q12 Increased accountability to patients	4.0	4.1	-	3.8	4.2	3.5	3.3	4.5	4.6	2.9
Q12 Local population changes	5.1	4.5	-	5.0	5.1	-	2.6	5.3	3.9	3.0

Q12 Ranking of challenges										
Means Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	3611	1324	24	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	2.6	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	3.2	2.6
Q12 Meeting the demands of regulation	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.4	2.8	3.1	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.4
Q12 Finding time and opportunities to develop	2.7	3.2	2.3	2.8	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.7	3.0	3.3
Q12 Meeting patients' expectations	2.8	2.7	2.0	3.0	2.1	2.2	2.8	2.8	2.6	3.5
Q12 Administration, including record keeping	2.9	2.8	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.9
Q12 Keeping within budget	3.3	3.3	1.3	3.0	3.5	3.3	3.1	3.3	3.6	3.0
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	3.3	3.7	3.3	3.3	2.8	3.0	3.1	3.4	3.7	3.4
Q12 Recruitment and retention of staff	3.4	4.1	5.0	3.2	2.2	3.2	3.1	3.6	3.8	3.5
Q12 Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	3.5	3.4	2.7	3.1	3.8	3.3	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.1
Q12 Communication barriers with patients	4.0	4.2	3.8	4.1	2.9	3.5	4.0	4.0	4.9	4.4
Q12 Increased accountability to patients	4.0	3.9	2.1	3.2	3.9	3.4	4.0	4.1	3.9	4.1
Q12 Local population changes	5.1	5.1	-	3.5	3.7	5.7	5.7	4.5	6.4	5.0

Q12 Ranking of challenges										
Means Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	3611	578	2853	361	144	108	144	1	975	2635
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	3.3	3.0	2.7	3.3	2.8	2.6
Q12 Meeting the demands of regulation	2.7	2.4	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.5	3.5	1.7	2.3	2.9
Q12 Finding time and opportunities to develop	2.7	3.5	2.8	2.5	2.9	2.7	2.0	2.5	3.1	2.6
Q12 Meeting patients' expectations	2.8	3.2	2.9	2.9	2.6	2.9	1.6	2.6	2.8	2.8
Q12 Administration, including record keeping	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.6	3.2	3.2	3.3	2.8	3.0
Q12 Keeping within budget	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.4	3.2	3.3
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	3.3	3.9	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.8	2.8	2.7	3.7	3.2
Q12 Recruitment and retention of staff	3.4	4.2	3.5	3.2	2.9	3.7	3.1	1.9	3.5	3.4
Q12 Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.5	4.7	3.0	3.4	3.6
Q12 Communication barriers with patients	4.0	5.2	3.9	4.2	3.7	4.3	3.4	4.0	4.0	3.9
Q12 Increased accountability to patients	4.0	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.6	4.4	2.3	3.8	4.1
Q12 Local population changes	5.1	4.6	5.0	5.3	4.9	5.2	6.7	4.0	4.5	5.2

Q12 Ranking of challenges										
Means Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	1	36	975	1046	831	578	108	36	1
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	2.6	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.7
Q12 Meeting the demands of regulation	2.7	2.2	3.3	3.0	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.1	2.0	3.3
Q12 Finding time and opportunities to develop	2.7	3.5	1.5	2.5	2.6	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.6	2.9
Q12 Meeting patients' expectations	2.8	3.1	2.5	2.5	2.7	3.2	3.0	2.7	3.3	2.5
Q12 Administration, including record keeping	2.9	1.7	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.1	2.9	2.9	7.3
Q12 Keeping within budget	3.3	2.5	4.0	3.4	2.9	3.3	3.6	3.5	2.6	3.0
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	3.3	3.8	2.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.5	3.7	3.4	3.8
Q12 Recruitment and retention of staff	3.4	4.6	1.0	2.9	3.3	3.8	3.7	4.3	4.2	3.7
Q12 Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	3.5	5.7	2.5	3.3	3.4	3.7	3.9	3.7	2.8	4.5
Q12 Communication barriers with patients	4.0	6.3	1.8	4.0	3.6	3.8	5.2	2.5	5.0	5.6
Q12 Increased accountability to patients	4.0	4.2	3.0	3.6	4.1	3.9	4.5	3.7	3.3	4.6
Q12 Local population changes	5.1	4.9	2.0	6.4	4.6	4.1	5.7	6.0	6.0	5.2

Q12 Ranking of challenges

Means Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in guidance, rules and the law	2.6	2.6	2.9	2.6	2.2	2.5	2.9
Q12 Meeting the demands of regulation	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.3	2.3
Q12 Finding time and opportunities to develop	2.7	2.7	3.2	2.8	2.9	3.9	2.7
Q12 Meeting patients' expectations	2.8	2.7	3.1	2.4	4.4	3.0	3.2
Q12 Administration, including record keeping	2.9	2.9	2.8	3.0	3.5	2.5	2.7
Q12 Keeping within budget	3.3	3.2	3.5	3.0	3.7	3.5	3.7
Q12 Keeping up to date with changes in technology and best practice	3.3	3.3	3.3	2.9	4.1	3.0	3.7
Q12 Recruitment and retention of staff	3.4	3.4	3.0	4.5	3.8	4.3	3.9
Q12 Preparing for changes to dentistry within the NHS	3.5	3.6	3.4	3.7	2.7	2.9	3.0
Q12 Communication barriers with patients	4.0	3.8	4.7	3.8	3.2	3.8	5.0
Q12 Increased accountability to patients	4.0	4.0	3.7	4.3	3.1	3.9	4.6
Q12 Local population changes	5.1	5.2	6.3	3.2	1.8	4.0	2.6

Q13 Thinking in general about the overall regulation of dentistry, do you think the level of regulation is...?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3610	4160	2827	1408	2202	37	261	1648	219	100	1324	24
Q13												
Too little	3%	4%	7%	2%	4%	8%	1%	3%	12%	-	2%	4%
About right	45%	43%	48%	32%	53%	37%	60%	54%	38%	64%	32%	46%
Too much	46%	48%	39%	61%	37%	55%	33%	36%	42%	30%	61%	50%
Don't know	6%	5%	5%	4%	7%	-	6%	7%	8%	6%	5%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3610	146	217	433	1299	758	181	144	578	2852	361	144
Q13												
Too little	3%	6%	2%	5%	2%	5%	5%	1%	3%	3%	2%	5%
About right	45%	34%	61%	48%	51%	42%	40%	37%	30%	44%	54%	42%
Too much	46%	56%	27%	41%	40%	47%	50%	55%	65%	47%	36%	47%
Don't know	6%	4%	9%	6%	7%	6%	5%	7%	2%	6%	7%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3610	108	144	1	975	2634	1	36	975	1045	831	578
Q13												
Too little	3%	4%	4%	6%	4%	3%	15%	-	3%	3%	3%	3%
About right	45%	45%	42%	30%	30%	50%	23%	45%	50%	46%	43%	39%
Too much	46%	46%	43%	55%	62%	40%	52%	47%	42%	43%	48%	54%
Don't know	6%	5%	12%	9%	3%	7%	10%	9%	5%	9%	6%	4%

Q13 Thinking in general about the overall regulation of dentistry, do you think the level of regulation is...?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3610	108	36	1	2969	315	88	39	41	157
Q13										
Too little	3%	7%	2%	0%	3%	1%	3%	-	-	3%
About right	45%	34%	28%	33%	47%	33%	38%	37%	24%	29%
Too much	46%	58%	67%	67%	43%	61%	50%	60%	70%	59%
Don't know	6%	1%	3%	1%	6%	5%	10%	3%	6%	10%

Q14 From what you know, which of the following organisations, if any, are currently responsible for regulating dentistry?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3610	-	2827	1408	2202	37	261	1648	219	100	1324	24
Q14												
General Dental Council (GDC)	95%	-	94%	97%	93%	100%	97%	92%	96%	100%	97%	95%
Care Quality Commission (CQC)	76%	-	70%	80%	73%	67%	82%	76%	45%	80%	81%	84%
Primary Care Trust/local health boards	53%	-	66%	62%	47%	36%	50%	50%	21%	50%	63%	79%
The Department of Health/government	52%	-	58%	60%	46%	49%	52%	47%	35%	51%	60%	55%
Dentist/dental surgeries	27%	-	28%	30%	25%	9%	31%	26%	12%	32%	31%	27%
Business Services Organisation	6%	-	1%	11%	3%	-	3%	3%	0%	4%	11%	-
Local council	4%	-	5%	6%	3%	5%	5%	2%	1%	3%	6%	-
Don't know	1%	-	1%	1%	2%	-	-	2%	3%	-	1%	-
Other	1%	-	1%	2%	1%	-	-	0%	3%	-	2%	-

Q14 From what you know, which of the following organisations, if any, are currently responsible for regulating dentistry?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3610	146	217	433	1299	758	181	144	578	2852	361	144
Q14												
General Dental Council (GDC)	95%	98%	94%	94%	94%	94%	98%	97%	97%	95%	95%	97%
Care Quality Commission (CQC)	76%	73%	63%	68%	76%	76%	79%	79%	84%	83%	48%	66%
Primary Care Trust/local health boards	53%	48%	43%	52%	51%	53%	59%	49%	60%	53%	61%	57%
The Department of Health/government	52%	67%	36%	47%	47%	54%	60%	54%	66%	53%	47%	51%
Dentist/dental surgeries	27%	21%	25%	36%	27%	24%	30%	25%	26%	27%	29%	25%
Business Services Organisation	6%	10%	4%	7%	5%	6%	8%	5%	7%	5%	1%	5%
Local council	4%	8%	3%	3%	4%	3%	4%	4%	7%	4%	2%	4%
Don't know	1%	2%	4%	1%	2%	2%	-	1%	0%	1%	3%	-
Other	1%	5%	-	2%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	2%

Q14 From what you know, which of the following organisations, if any, are currently responsible for regulating dentistry?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3610	108	144	1	975	2634	1	36	975	1045	831	578
Q14												
General Dental Council (GDC)	95%	93%	87%	92%	97%	94%	99%	95%	94%	94%	95%	96%
Care Quality Commission (CQC)	76%	53%	39%	67%	76%	76%	80%	52%	77%	76%	76%	77%
Primary Care Trust/local health boards	53%	44%	30%	38%	54%	52%	48%	28%	58%	54%	50%	52%
The Department of Health/government	52%	47%	44%	38%	59%	49%	66%	19%	49%	49%	54%	59%
Dentist/dental surgeries	27%	31%	28%	23%	25%	28%	7%	28%	36%	27%	24%	20%
Business Services Organisation	6%	36%	4%	3%	9%	5%	-	-	9%	5%	5%	4%
Local council	4%	6%	5%	8%	7%	3%	5%	-	4%	4%	4%	4%
Don't know	1%	5%	5%	3%	1%	2%	-	5%	2%	1%	1%	-
Other	1%	3%	2%	3%	3%	1%	0%	-	1%	1%	1%	2%

Q14 From what you know, which of the following organisations, if any, are currently responsible for regulating dentistry?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3610	108	36	1	2969	315	88	39	41	157
Q14										
General Dental Council (GDC)	95%	94%	96%	91%	94%	96%	93%	98%	95%	96%
Care Quality Commission (CQC)	76%	70%	84%	76%	76%	77%	68%	76%	80%	76%
Primary Care Trust/local health boards	53%	46%	45%	50%	53%	54%	35%	57%	67%	49%
The Department of Health/government	52%	49%	71%	59%	52%	52%	37%	54%	38%	50%
Dentist/dental surgeries	27%	19%	11%	28%	28%	27%	13%	35%	29%	24%
Business Services Organisation	6%	6%	1%	8%	5%	7%	7%	6%	15%	8%
Local council	4%	6%	6%	4%	4%	3%	3%	14%	16%	5%
Don't know	1%	2%	-	9%	1%	1%	-	2%	-	2%
Other	1%	1%	-	4%	1%	1%	-	-	-	0%

Q15 How much do you know about the General Dental Council?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3610	-	2827	1408	2202	37	261	1648	219	100	1324	24
Q15												
A great deal	5%	-	5%	7%	4%	14%	3%	4%	4%	3%	7%	5%
A fair amount	61%	-	58%	65%	58%	62%	70%	56%	56%	68%	65%	95%
Not very much	34%	-	37%	28%	37%	23%	27%	40%	38%	29%	27%	0%
Nothing at all	0%	-	0%	0%	0%	-	0%	0%	2%	-	0%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3610	146	217	433	1299	758	181	144	578	2852	361	144
Q15												
A great deal	5%	8%	5%	5%	4%	5%	6%	4%	7%	5%	4%	5%
A fair amount	61%	65%	59%	62%	59%	61%	62%	58%	65%	61%	56%	62%
Not very much	34%	27%	35%	33%	36%	34%	32%	38%	28%	33%	39%	33%
Nothing at all	0%	-	1%	1%	1%	0%	-	-	1%	1%	0%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3610	108	144	1	975	2634	1	36	975	1045	831	578
Q15												
A great deal	5%	3%	1%	6%	9%	3%	17%	-	4%	5%	5%	5%
A fair amount	61%	59%	63%	56%	64%	60%	47%	70%	61%	63%	60%	60%
Not very much	34%	38%	36%	35%	26%	36%	23%	30%	35%	32%	35%	34%
Nothing at all	0%	-	-	4%	1%	0%	13%	-	0%	0%	0%	1%

Q15 How much do you know about the General Dental Council?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3610	108	36	1	2969	315	88	39	41	157
Q15										
A great deal	5%	11%	4%	20%	4%	9%	20%	9%	4%	7%
A fair amount	61%	56%	61%	58%	60%	68%	65%	53%	65%	61%
Not very much	34%	31%	35%	22%	35%	22%	14%	38%	31%	31%
Nothing at all	0%	2%	-	-	0%	1%	-	-	-	1%

Q16 Overall, how confident are you that the GDC is regulating dentists and DCPs effectively?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q16												
Very confident	10%	11%	14%	9%	10%	4%	13%	11%	5%	15%	9%	13%
Fairly confident	57%	54%	54%	50%	62%	46%	68%	65%	33%	66%	50%	79%
Not very confident	19%	20%	21%	25%	16%	27%	11%	14%	38%	7%	25%	5%
Not at all confident	7%	9%	8%	11%	4%	16%	1%	3%	19%	1%	10%	4%
Don't know	7%	7%	3%	5%	8%	8%	7%	8%	5%	11%	5%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q16												
Very confident	10%	6%	18%	13%	10%	10%	6%	7%	6%	10%	9%	10%
Fairly confident	57%	45%	60%	58%	60%	57%	57%	50%	51%	57%	58%	63%
Not very confident	19%	27%	11%	17%	17%	20%	21%	26%	27%	20%	20%	16%
Not at all confident	7%	20%	2%	2%	5%	7%	12%	11%	14%	7%	7%	5%
Don't know	7%	2%	9%	9%	8%	5%	4%	6%	3%	6%	6%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q16												
Very confident	10%	7%	13%	5%	8%	10%	17%	5%	11%	11%	8%	8%
Fairly confident	57%	56%	55%	32%	42%	63%	13%	92%	61%	56%	57%	54%
Not very confident	19%	20%	15%	17%	31%	15%	19%	-	16%	19%	20%	24%
Not at all confident	7%	9%	4%	18%	16%	4%	45%	-	4%	6%	9%	10%
Don't know	7%	9%	13%	27%	3%	8%	6%	3%	8%	8%	6%	3%

Q16 Overall, how confident are you that the GDC is regulating dentists and DCPs effectively?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q16										
Very confident	10%	8%	4%	6%	9%	12%	22%	10%	12%	11%
Fairly confident	57%	48%	31%	62%	59%	53%	61%	54%	49%	39%
Not very confident	19%	28%	49%	16%	19%	20%	11%	27%	28%	23%
Not at all confident	7%	13%	12%	7%	6%	8%	6%	6%	7%	19%
Don't know	7%	2%	4%	9%	7%	7%	1%	3%	4%	8%

Q17 Thinking about all that you know about the GDC, which of the following statements would apply to you?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q17												
I would speak highly of the GDC, without being asked	5%	4%	4%	4%	6%	7%	9%	6%	4%	13%	4%	5%
I would speak highly of the GDC, if asked	25%	24%	22%	20%	28%	18%	35%	28%	14%	38%	20%	24%
I would be neutral about the GDC	45%	42%	43%	44%	47%	32%	41%	49%	38%	42%	43%	51%
I would be critical of the GDC to others, if asked	14%	16%	17%	21%	9%	28%	9%	7%	24%	2%	21%	19%
I would be critical of the GDC to others, without being asked	4%	5%	7%	7%	2%	9%	1%	1%	13%	-	7%	-
Don't know / no opinion	7%	8%	7%	4%	9%	5%	6%	10%	7%	5%	4%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q17												
I would speak highly of the GDC, without being asked	5%	1%	7%	5%	5%	7%	5%	3%	3%	5%	4%	6%
I would speak highly of the GDC, if asked	25%	19%	33%	31%	22%	27%	23%	22%	20%	24%	23%	31%
I would be neutral about the GDC	45%	44%	43%	44%	49%	43%	45%	46%	42%	46%	44%	38%
I would be critical of the GDC to others, if asked	14%	22%	5%	12%	11%	14%	15%	19%	23%	14%	15%	15%
I would be critical of the GDC to others, without being asked	4%	13%	1%	1%	3%	3%	7%	7%	9%	4%	5%	4%
Don't know / no opinion	7%	2%	11%	7%	9%	6%	5%	2%	3%	6%	10%	6%

Q17 Thinking about all that you know about the GDC, which of the following statements would apply to you?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q17												
I would speak highly of the GDC, without being asked	5%	3%	7%	2%	5%	5%	11%	-	5%	6%	5%	4%
I would speak highly of the GDC, if asked	25%	25%	31%	15%	18%	27%	1%	54%	26%	24%	23%	25%
I would be neutral about the GDC	45%	48%	46%	40%	39%	48%	49%	35%	48%	46%	46%	42%
I would be critical of the GDC to others, if asked	14%	11%	7%	13%	24%	10%	17%	-	12%	13%	14%	18%
I would be critical of the GDC to others, without being asked	4%	5%	2%	12%	11%	2%	16%	3%	2%	4%	5%	6%
Don't know / no opinion	7%	8%	8%	18%	3%	8%	6%	8%	8%	7%	7%	5%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q17										
I would speak highly of the GDC, without being asked	5%	3%	-	0%	5%	4%	12%	8%	8%	9%
I would speak highly of the GDC, if asked	25%	22%	18%	17%	26%	22%	30%	7%	14%	11%
I would be neutral about the GDC	45%	44%	36%	51%	47%	41%	36%	52%	50%	34%
I would be critical of the GDC to others, if asked	14%	22%	28%	14%	13%	21%	10%	14%	22%	22%
I would be critical of the GDC to others, without being asked	4%	8%	9%	6%	4%	4%	6%	6%	-	12%
Don't know / no opinion	7%	-	8%	13%	6%	7%	6%	13%	6%	13%

Q18a Overall, how confident, if at all, are you that dentists follow the GDC guidance?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q18.a												
Very confident	24%	-	22%	20%	27%	-	24%	31%	8%	20%	21%	19%
Fairly confident	58%	-	61%	63%	55%	60%	65%	53%	47%	66%	63%	77%
Not very confident	12%	-	13%	12%	13%	36%	8%	11%	24%	10%	12%	4%
Not at all confident	3%	-	3%	2%	3%	4%	1%	2%	14%	1%	1%	-
Don't know	3%	-	2%	3%	2%	-	2%	2%	6%	3%	3%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q18.a												
Very confident	24%	11%	41%	28%	24%	27%	21%	18%	17%	25%	21%	20%
Fairly confident	58%	68%	47%	50%	58%	58%	63%	63%	65%	57%	66%	64%
Not very confident	12%	14%	7%	18%	12%	10%	12%	15%	13%	13%	10%	14%
Not at all confident	3%	6%	1%	2%	3%	3%	1%	1%	3%	3%	2%	1%
Don't know	3%	1%	3%	2%	4%	1%	3%	3%	1%	3%	1%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q18.a												
Very confident	24%	26%	21%	19%	20%	26%	33%	29%	30%	25%	23%	20%
Fairly confident	58%	58%	56%	46%	59%	58%	22%	62%	53%	57%	61%	62%
Not very confident	12%	13%	10%	19%	15%	12%	19%	6%	13%	12%	12%	11%
Not at all confident	3%	-	5%	7%	5%	2%	19%	-	2%	2%	2%	5%
Don't know	3%	3%	8%	10%	2%	3%	8%	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%

Q18a Overall, how confident, if at all, are you that dentists follow the GDC guidance?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q18.a										
Very confident	24%	17%	2%	42%	24%	25%	34%	19%	12%	24%
Fairly confident	58%	59%	62%	52%	58%	59%	54%	59%	56%	56%
Not very confident	12%	20%	27%	5%	12%	13%	8%	17%	28%	11%
Not at all confident	3%	5%	3%	1%	3%	0%	3%	1%	2%	4%
Don't know	3%	-	5%	1%	2%	4%	1%	5%	3%	5%

Q18b Overall, how confident, if at all, are you that DCPs follow the GDC guidance?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q18.b												
Very confident	25%	-	22%	14%	32%	11%	41%	34%	8%	41%	14%	24%
Fairly confident	55%	-	59%	57%	55%	52%	55%	54%	52%	56%	57%	72%
Not very confident	11%	-	12%	15%	9%	22%	2%	8%	23%	1%	15%	4%
Not at all confident	2%	-	3%	3%	2%	8%	0%	1%	10%	-	3%	-
Don't know	5%	-	4%	10%	3%	7%	1%	2%	6%	3%	10%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q18.b												
Very confident	25%	10%	40%	26%	27%	26%	19%	18%	17%	26%	21%	21%
Fairly confident	55%	56%	39%	55%	56%	56%	60%	56%	58%	54%	63%	64%
Not very confident	11%	18%	9%	11%	10%	11%	12%	14%	15%	12%	11%	9%
Not at all confident	2%	6%	2%	-	1%	3%	4%	5%	5%	2%	3%	4%
Don't know	5%	10%	11%	8%	5%	3%	5%	7%	5%	6%	2%	2%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q18.b												
Very confident	25%	27%	17%	9%	15%	29%	17%	34%	31%	25%	24%	19%
Fairly confident	55%	54%	53%	55%	54%	56%	42%	57%	53%	54%	58%	60%
Not very confident	11%	14%	8%	16%	17%	9%	15%	6%	8%	13%	11%	12%
Not at all confident	2%	2%	6%	7%	6%	1%	9%	-	1%	3%	2%	4%
Don't know	5%	3%	16%	12%	8%	4%	17%	3%	7%	6%	5%	5%

Q18b Overall, how confident, if at all, are you that DCPs follow the GDC guidance?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q18.b										
Very confident	25%	18%	3%	43%	26%	21%	40%	12%	7%	23%
Fairly confident	55%	48%	64%	37%	56%	53%	50%	49%	57%	50%
Not very confident	11%	22%	17%	6%	11%	17%	5%	24%	24%	10%
Not at all confident	2%	7%	4%	5%	2%	1%	2%	5%	7%	5%
Don't know	5%	5%	12%	9%	5%	8%	4%	11%	5%	12%

Q19a And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is independent of government?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.a												
Strongly agree	9%	-	13%	10%	8%	-	11%	9%	4%	11%	10%	14%
Agree	35%	-	27%	36%	35%	39%	41%	34%	31%	44%	36%	49%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	-	29%	24%	35%	40%	27%	36%	39%	23%	24%	17%
Disagree	12%	-	10%	16%	9%	14%	11%	8%	12%	13%	16%	10%
Strongly disagree	4%	-	6%	7%	2%	7%	2%	1%	5%	2%	7%	-
Don't know	10%	-	15%	7%	11%	-	6%	13%	9%	7%	7%	9%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.a												
Strongly agree	9%	5%	10%	6%	10%	8%	10%	11%	7%	9%	8%	11%
Agree	35%	29%	45%	42%	35%	34%	35%	30%	29%	35%	34%	31%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	27%	22%	27%	34%	35%	26%	24%	27%	31%	33%	30%
Disagree	12%	21%	7%	8%	8%	11%	16%	18%	22%	12%	11%	9%
Strongly disagree	4%	11%	1%	2%	2%	2%	6%	10%	11%	4%	3%	9%
Don't know	10%	6%	15%	14%	11%	9%	7%	7%	4%	9%	11%	11%

Q19a And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is independent of government?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.a												
Strongly agree	9%	4%	13%	4%	9%	9%	0%	10%	10%	9%	7%	10%
Agree	35%	41%	39%	33%	32%	36%	24%	40%	40%	36%	34%	29%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	28%	26%	34%	26%	32%	11%	26%	29%	33%	30%	33%
Disagree	12%	14%	6%	8%	18%	9%	23%	6%	8%	10%	14%	15%
Strongly disagree	4%	4%	1%	13%	10%	2%	13%	-	2%	2%	6%	7%
Don't know	10%	9%	15%	8%	4%	12%	30%	18%	11%	10%	10%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.a										
Strongly agree	9%	11%	6%	0%	8%	12%	25%	3%	13%	8%
Agree	35%	28%	22%	16%	35%	39%	26%	40%	56%	33%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	22%	27%	33%	32%	25%	33%	25%	7%	26%
Disagree	12%	23%	36%	33%	11%	13%	6%	16%	20%	18%
Strongly disagree	4%	11%	3%	6%	4%	6%	4%	6%	4%	7%
Don't know	10%	6%	4%	12%	10%	5%	6%	10%	-	6%

Q19b And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is independent of Registrants?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.b												
Strongly agree	12%	-	19%	18%	9%	11%	8%	9%	7%	7%	18%	2%
Agree	38%	-	32%	43%	35%	47%	38%	35%	24%	45%	43%	49%
Neither agree nor disagree	29%	-	27%	22%	34%	27%	30%	35%	35%	24%	21%	19%
Disagree	9%	-	5%	9%	10%	9%	14%	8%	19%	14%	9%	11%
Strongly disagree	2%	-	2%	2%	2%	-	3%	1%	4%	3%	2%	7%
Don't know	9%	-	15%	6%	11%	7%	7%	12%	11%	6%	6%	12%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.b												
Strongly agree	12%	16%	14%	8%	11%	12%	14%	18%	17%	13%	12%	14%
Agree	38%	43%	37%	39%	37%	37%	42%	35%	40%	38%	34%	40%
Neither agree nor disagree	29%	23%	25%	27%	30%	32%	28%	23%	27%	29%	34%	29%
Disagree	9%	11%	10%	11%	9%	9%	9%	12%	10%	10%	9%	5%
Strongly disagree	2%	3%	0%	1%	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%	2%	1%	3%
Don't know	9%	4%	14%	14%	11%	9%	4%	8%	4%	9%	11%	8%

Q19b And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is independent of Registrants?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.b												
Strongly agree	12%	10%	10%	18%	20%	9%	12%	10%	14%	12%	11%	13%
Agree	38%	48%	38%	38%	40%	37%	30%	19%	38%	39%	38%	34%
Neither agree nor disagree	29%	21%	27%	34%	22%	32%	19%	53%	26%	29%	30%	32%
Disagree	9%	10%	10%	5%	10%	9%	10%	3%	10%	7%	10%	11%
Strongly disagree	2%	3%	-	0%	3%	1%	-	-	1%	2%	2%	2%
Don't know	9%	8%	15%	5%	5%	11%	30%	15%	11%	10%	9%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.b										
Strongly agree	12%	13%	16%	19%	11%	22%	29%	11%	20%	15%
Agree	38%	40%	36%	34%	38%	41%	31%	49%	56%	36%
Neither agree nor disagree	29%	26%	24%	31%	30%	23%	19%	23%	12%	31%
Disagree	9%	12%	16%	9%	10%	7%	15%	8%	8%	9%
Strongly disagree	2%	4%	1%	0%	2%	2%	3%	-	-	2%
Don't know	9%	4%	7%	8%	10%	6%	3%	10%	4%	8%

Q19c And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is a powerful influencer of government policy?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.c												
Strongly agree	5%	-	12%	5%	6%	-	6%	6%	4%	7%	5%	-
Agree	25%	-	21%	19%	29%	35%	37%	28%	25%	44%	19%	43%
Neither agree nor disagree	35%	-	30%	30%	38%	40%	33%	40%	36%	21%	30%	33%
Disagree	18%	-	15%	26%	13%	13%	14%	12%	19%	21%	25%	7%
Strongly disagree	7%	-	9%	13%	3%	6%	2%	2%	7%	1%	13%	-
Don't know	10%	-	13%	8%	11%	6%	8%	12%	9%	5%	8%	17%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.c												
Strongly agree	5%	3%	9%	4%	7%	5%	3%	5%	3%	5%	6%	9%
Agree	25%	14%	37%	33%	25%	26%	25%	16%	14%	24%	21%	33%
Neither agree nor disagree	35%	30%	30%	34%	39%	38%	31%	35%	28%	36%	38%	28%
Disagree	18%	32%	6%	16%	14%	17%	24%	25%	32%	19%	17%	15%
Strongly disagree	7%	17%	3%	1%	4%	7%	10%	12%	19%	7%	5%	5%
Don't know	10%	4%	15%	12%	12%	8%	6%	6%	4%	9%	13%	11%

Q19c And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is a powerful influencer of government policy?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.c												
Strongly agree	5%	2%	4%	1%	5%	5%	0%	10%	7%	6%	4%	3%
Agree	25%	31%	39%	30%	18%	27%	7%	62%	28%	26%	24%	20%
Neither agree nor disagree	35%	35%	22%	36%	29%	37%	19%	28%	35%	38%	34%	36%
Disagree	18%	18%	16%	9%	25%	15%	28%	-	16%	15%	20%	22%
Strongly disagree	7%	7%	7%	15%	17%	3%	22%	-	4%	5%	9%	12%
Don't know	10%	7%	12%	10%	5%	11%	24%	-	11%	11%	9%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.c										
Strongly agree	5%	8%	4%	0%	5%	9%	16%	6%	6%	4%
Agree	25%	15%	14%	12%	25%	26%	32%	6%	40%	21%
Neither agree nor disagree	35%	23%	33%	30%	36%	30%	28%	39%	24%	39%
Disagree	18%	35%	34%	27%	19%	16%	13%	17%	17%	15%
Strongly disagree	7%	10%	15%	18%	6%	11%	6%	21%	9%	15%
Don't know	10%	8%	1%	12%	10%	8%	6%	11%	4%	6%

Q19d And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is trustworthy?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.d												
Strongly agree	15%	-	30%	13%	16%	14%	20%	16%	8%	25%	13%	19%
Agree	46%	-	36%	43%	49%	21%	50%	51%	30%	49%	43%	59%
Neither agree nor disagree	27%	-	20%	27%	27%	41%	25%	26%	38%	24%	26%	14%
Disagree	6%	-	6%	10%	4%	14%	2%	3%	12%	3%	10%	9%
Strongly disagree	3%	-	3%	4%	2%	5%	2%	1%	7%	-	4%	-
Don't know	3%	-	4%	3%	4%	5%	1%	4%	5%	-	3%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.d												
Strongly agree	15%	8%	24%	14%	15%	14%	12%	12%	12%	15%	12%	16%
Agree	46%	42%	50%	52%	47%	45%	46%	47%	40%	45%	51%	48%
Neither agree nor disagree	27%	32%	16%	25%	27%	27%	26%	28%	31%	28%	22%	29%
Disagree	6%	10%	3%	5%	5%	8%	8%	8%	9%	7%	9%	2%
Strongly disagree	3%	6%	1%	1%	2%	2%	5%	4%	5%	3%	2%	4%
Don't know	3%	2%	5%	3%	4%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%

Q19d And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is trustworthy?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.d												
Strongly agree	15%	13%	15%	4%	13%	15%	4%	25%	17%	14%	13%	13%
Agree	46%	45%	54%	42%	35%	50%	9%	70%	48%	48%	45%	43%
Neither agree nor disagree	27%	24%	23%	27%	30%	26%	36%	3%	24%	26%	29%	30%
Disagree	6%	5%	0%	12%	13%	4%	25%	3%	5%	6%	6%	8%
Strongly disagree	3%	5%	2%	8%	7%	1%	7%	-	1%	3%	3%	3%
Don't know	3%	8%	7%	8%	2%	4%	19%	-	4%	3%	3%	3%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.d										
Strongly agree	15%	14%	16%	4%	15%	17%	18%	16%	13%	9%
Agree	46%	36%	33%	22%	48%	36%	44%	34%	47%	31%
Neither agree nor disagree	27%	31%	35%	58%	26%	29%	26%	42%	25%	33%
Disagree	6%	8%	11%	5%	6%	9%	4%	4%	13%	11%
Strongly disagree	3%	6%	5%	2%	2%	5%	4%	5%	-	12%
Don't know	3%	5%	1%	9%	3%	4%	4%	-	1%	4%

Q19e And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Protects the patient?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.e												
Strongly agree	29%	-	38%	29%	29%	26%	44%	28%	17%	59%	29%	40%
Agree	49%	-	42%	46%	51%	41%	43%	55%	39%	30%	45%	51%
Neither agree nor disagree	14%	-	12%	15%	14%	22%	8%	13%	24%	7%	15%	0%
Disagree	4%	-	4%	6%	3%	7%	3%	2%	10%	3%	6%	9%
Strongly disagree	2%	-	2%	3%	1%	5%	0%	0%	6%	-	3%	-
Don't know	2%	-	2%	2%	2%	-	1%	2%	4%	-	2%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.e												
Strongly agree	29%	16%	46%	34%	31%	28%	25%	22%	21%	28%	31%	35%
Agree	49%	50%	44%	46%	51%	49%	44%	59%	48%	49%	50%	47%
Neither agree nor disagree	14%	20%	5%	14%	12%	16%	22%	10%	19%	15%	12%	12%
Disagree	4%	7%	1%	3%	4%	3%	6%	5%	7%	4%	3%	5%
Strongly disagree	2%	7%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	4%	3%	2%	2%	-
Don't know	2%	0%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%

Q19e And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Protects the patient?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.e												
Strongly agree	29%	28%	34%	23%	24%	31%	5%	76%	37%	29%	24%	22%
Agree	49%	52%	46%	39%	42%	51%	41%	15%	47%	50%	51%	49%
Neither agree nor disagree	14%	14%	13%	20%	19%	13%	17%	8%	11%	14%	16%	18%
Disagree	4%	1%	2%	8%	9%	2%	23%	-	3%	3%	5%	6%
Strongly disagree	2%	3%	-	6%	5%	1%	0%	-	1%	1%	3%	3%
Don't know	2%	2%	6%	5%	1%	2%	13%	-	2%	2%	1%	2%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.e										
Strongly agree	29%	20%	17%	19%	28%	41%	44%	37%	28%	18%
Agree	49%	53%	46%	38%	51%	35%	47%	37%	42%	51%
Neither agree nor disagree	14%	15%	20%	38%	14%	15%	2%	21%	22%	13%
Disagree	4%	8%	9%	1%	4%	5%	3%	1%	3%	10%
Strongly disagree	2%	2%	6%	5%	1%	2%	3%	4%	5%	5%
Don't know	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	-	-	3%

Q19f And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is efficient?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.f												
Strongly agree	10%	-	19%	7%	12%	4%	13%	13%	5%	14%	7%	12%
Agree	34%	-	28%	25%	41%	25%	40%	43%	18%	41%	25%	61%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	-	23%	31%	30%	27%	31%	30%	34%	30%	31%	12%
Disagree	12%	-	15%	18%	9%	24%	11%	6%	25%	10%	18%	12%
Strongly disagree	7%	-	9%	14%	3%	12%	1%	2%	12%	2%	13%	-
Don't know	5%	-	6%	5%	5%	8%	4%	6%	6%	4%	5%	3%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.f												
Strongly agree	10%	3%	19%	10%	11%	11%	8%	8%	5%	10%	8%	13%
Agree	34%	17%	43%	43%	39%	34%	27%	22%	19%	34%	39%	36%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	33%	18%	26%	30%	32%	35%	34%	36%	31%	28%	31%
Disagree	12%	21%	8%	9%	9%	13%	16%	19%	21%	13%	13%	7%
Strongly disagree	7%	23%	2%	5%	5%	5%	12%	12%	15%	7%	8%	9%
Don't know	5%	3%	9%	7%	6%	5%	1%	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%

Q19f And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Is efficient?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.f												
Strongly agree	10%	6%	13%	-	7%	11%	4%	12%	14%	10%	8%	7%
Agree	34%	36%	36%	27%	20%	40%	13%	68%	40%	36%	32%	26%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	29%	32%	37%	30%	31%	23%	17%	26%	30%	33%	35%
Disagree	12%	12%	8%	14%	22%	9%	22%	3%	10%	11%	15%	16%
Strongly disagree	7%	8%	3%	15%	18%	3%	30%	-	5%	6%	8%	10%
Don't know	5%	9%	8%	7%	4%	6%	8%	-	6%	6%	4%	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.f										
Strongly agree	10%	10%	6%	6%	9%	16%	14%	19%	7%	7%
Agree	34%	23%	16%	28%	35%	29%	43%	21%	32%	26%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	35%	40%	25%	31%	26%	31%	38%	39%	28%
Disagree	12%	17%	24%	9%	12%	14%	5%	15%	13%	18%
Strongly disagree	7%	13%	12%	16%	7%	9%	5%	4%	7%	15%
Don't know	5%	3%	2%	17%	6%	6%	1%	3%	1%	6%

Q19g And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Consults and involves Registrants?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.g												
Strongly agree	8%	-	17%	6%	10%	8%	13%	10%	7%	15%	6%	12%
Agree	37%	-	27%	29%	43%	21%	52%	43%	29%	49%	29%	80%
Neither agree nor disagree	29%	-	24%	30%	29%	37%	25%	29%	34%	25%	30%	-
Disagree	14%	-	17%	19%	10%	20%	6%	10%	15%	7%	19%	8%
Strongly disagree	7%	-	10%	12%	4%	9%	2%	3%	9%	3%	12%	-
Don't know	4%	-	5%	4%	4%	5%	1%	4%	6%	1%	4%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.g												
Strongly agree	8%	3%	17%	9%	9%	8%	7%	6%	4%	9%	6%	11%
Agree	37%	29%	37%	45%	39%	38%	30%	32%	29%	36%	43%	39%
Neither agree nor disagree	29%	27%	24%	26%	29%	30%	32%	34%	32%	30%	28%	31%
Disagree	14%	24%	9%	10%	13%	13%	17%	14%	21%	14%	13%	10%
Strongly disagree	7%	16%	4%	3%	6%	6%	11%	12%	13%	7%	7%	5%
Don't know	4%	2%	9%	6%	4%	4%	2%	2%	2%	4%	3%	4%

Q19g And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Consults and involves Registrants?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.g												
Strongly agree	8%	8%	11%	3%	5%	10%	1%	18%	10%	9%	7%	6%
Agree	37%	32%	50%	26%	27%	41%	28%	48%	42%	36%	36%	35%
Neither agree nor disagree	29%	35%	17%	41%	29%	30%	20%	35%	24%	32%	32%	30%
Disagree	14%	15%	6%	7%	21%	11%	25%	-	14%	11%	14%	16%
Strongly disagree	7%	10%	6%	16%	15%	4%	25%	-	6%	7%	8%	9%
Don't know	4%	1%	9%	6%	3%	4%	1%	-	4%	5%	3%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.g										
Strongly agree	8%	8%	7%	7%	8%	9%	12%	16%	5%	6%
Agree	37%	24%	25%	16%	38%	34%	37%	27%	25%	27%
Neither agree nor disagree	29%	34%	31%	34%	30%	26%	23%	27%	41%	29%
Disagree	14%	21%	24%	37%	13%	14%	15%	16%	17%	16%
Strongly disagree	7%	11%	11%	5%	6%	12%	10%	8%	12%	16%
Don't know	4%	2%	2%	1%	4%	5%	2%	7%	-	5%

Q19h And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Has a clear regulatory role?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.h												
Strongly agree	15%	-	30%	14%	16%	21%	22%	16%	9%	27%	14%	12%
Agree	52%	-	42%	51%	52%	41%	57%	53%	39%	56%	51%	78%
Neither agree nor disagree	22%	-	16%	21%	22%	22%	16%	23%	29%	12%	21%	4%
Disagree	5%	-	6%	7%	4%	12%	3%	3%	13%	2%	7%	-
Strongly disagree	2%	-	3%	4%	1%	-	1%	0%	6%	1%	3%	-
Don't know	4%	-	3%	3%	4%	5%	3%	4%	5%	1%	2%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.h												
Strongly agree	15%	13%	27%	12%	16%	15%	12%	13%	13%	15%	16%	14%
Agree	52%	50%	54%	61%	51%	50%	49%	48%	50%	51%	54%	58%
Neither agree nor disagree	22%	21%	14%	18%	22%	24%	25%	22%	23%	23%	19%	20%
Disagree	5%	8%	2%	5%	5%	4%	9%	10%	8%	5%	5%	4%
Strongly disagree	2%	6%	0%	0%	1%	2%	4%	4%	4%	2%	2%	1%
Don't know	4%	2%	4%	4%	4%	4%	1%	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%

Q19h And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Has a clear regulatory role?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.h												
Strongly agree	15%	13%	12%	6%	13%	16%	10%	23%	18%	15%	13%	14%
Agree	52%	55%	54%	41%	47%	54%	65%	59%	56%	50%	52%	50%
Neither agree nor disagree	22%	16%	21%	32%	23%	21%	1%	9%	18%	24%	24%	23%
Disagree	5%	7%	4%	6%	9%	4%	10%	3%	5%	5%	5%	7%
Strongly disagree	2%	4%	2%	8%	5%	1%	5%	-	1%	2%	3%	2%
Don't know	4%	4%	8%	8%	2%	4%	8%	6%	4%	4%	3%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.h										
Strongly agree	15%	16%	12%	7%	14%	20%	28%	19%	11%	12%
Agree	52%	48%	39%	38%	53%	50%	44%	57%	49%	42%
Neither agree nor disagree	22%	24%	29%	45%	22%	20%	14%	20%	33%	24%
Disagree	5%	5%	14%	9%	5%	4%	4%	1%	5%	13%
Strongly disagree	2%	3%	3%	1%	2%	3%	4%	2%	2%	6%
Don't know	4%	4%	3%	1%	4%	3%	6%	-	-	3%

Q19i And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Acts in a fair and proportionate way?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.i												
Strongly agree	9%	-	23%	7%	11%	4%	15%	12%	6%	14%	7%	12%
Agree	41%	-	36%	32%	46%	32%	53%	47%	29%	55%	33%	55%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	-	19%	34%	29%	31%	23%	29%	40%	17%	33%	7%
Disagree	8%	-	11%	13%	5%	22%	4%	4%	10%	7%	13%	20%
Strongly disagree	5%	-	7%	8%	3%	11%	2%	2%	11%	2%	8%	-
Don't know	6%	-	4%	6%	5%	-	4%	6%	4%	4%	6%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.i												
Strongly agree	9%	4%	19%	6%	11%	9%	7%	5%	7%	9%	9%	16%
Agree	41%	31%	44%	54%	41%	40%	39%	39%	32%	41%	44%	37%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	38%	22%	25%	31%	33%	37%	31%	34%	31%	29%	28%
Disagree	8%	13%	4%	7%	7%	8%	9%	11%	13%	8%	7%	9%
Strongly disagree	5%	12%	3%	2%	4%	5%	7%	10%	10%	5%	6%	5%
Don't know	6%	2%	9%	6%	6%	6%	2%	5%	3%	5%	5%	5%

Q19i And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Acts in a fair and proportionate way?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.i												
Strongly agree	9%	5%	13%	10%	7%	10%	11%	21%	11%	9%	8%	8%
Agree	41%	37%	41%	22%	30%	45%	21%	54%	45%	40%	39%	37%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	33%	34%	34%	34%	30%	33%	23%	27%	32%	32%	33%
Disagree	8%	12%	3%	4%	15%	6%	7%	-	7%	7%	9%	10%
Strongly disagree	5%	7%	-	20%	12%	3%	8%	3%	4%	5%	7%	5%
Don't know	6%	6%	9%	11%	3%	6%	21%	-	6%	6%	5%	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.i										
Strongly agree	9%	11%	10%	0%	9%	11%	13%	13%	7%	9%
Agree	41%	30%	28%	33%	42%	32%	40%	35%	37%	27%
Neither agree nor disagree	31%	34%	34%	38%	30%	33%	26%	38%	33%	37%
Disagree	8%	12%	15%	14%	8%	10%	6%	1%	11%	14%
Strongly disagree	5%	9%	8%	3%	5%	7%	8%	9%	10%	8%
Don't know	6%	2%	4%	13%	5%	6%	6%	3%	1%	6%

Q19j And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Ensures that proper standards are maintained in the practice of dentistry?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	-	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q19.j												
Strongly agree	16%	-	29%	14%	17%	11%	22%	18%	8%	24%	14%	10%
Agree	50%	-	42%	47%	52%	27%	55%	54%	31%	58%	47%	72%
Neither agree nor disagree	22%	-	16%	24%	21%	43%	17%	20%	31%	9%	23%	14%
Disagree	7%	-	8%	8%	6%	12%	4%	5%	17%	6%	8%	4%
Strongly disagree	3%	-	4%	5%	2%	7%	0%	1%	10%	1%	4%	-
Don't know	3%	-	2%	3%	2%	-	2%	2%	5%	3%	3%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q19.j												
Strongly agree	16%	8%	28%	18%	16%	16%	13%	12%	12%	16%	18%	21%
Agree	50%	40%	51%	52%	51%	49%	45%	50%	46%	49%	53%	51%
Neither agree nor disagree	22%	29%	12%	21%	21%	24%	27%	22%	25%	23%	18%	18%
Disagree	7%	11%	2%	4%	6%	7%	8%	11%	10%	7%	5%	7%
Strongly disagree	3%	10%	1%	2%	3%	3%	6%	5%	5%	3%	3%	1%
Don't know	3%	1%	5%	3%	2%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%

Q19j And to what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC Ensures that proper standards are maintained in the practice of dentistry?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q19.j												
Strongly agree	16%	16%	13%	7%	13%	17%	11%	37%	18%	16%	15%	12%
Agree	50%	46%	48%	32%	41%	53%	27%	55%	53%	48%	50%	46%
Neither agree nor disagree	22%	23%	20%	36%	25%	21%	26%	8%	18%	24%	23%	25%
Disagree	7%	6%	9%	9%	12%	5%	1%	-	6%	6%	7%	10%
Strongly disagree	3%	5%	2%	9%	7%	1%	27%	-	2%	3%	4%	4%
Don't know	3%	5%	8%	7%	2%	3%	8%	-	3%	3%	1%	3%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q19.j										
Strongly agree	16%	14%	13%	13%	16%	20%	21%	14%	7%	14%
Agree	50%	49%	36%	41%	50%	42%	63%	50%	61%	39%
Neither agree nor disagree	22%	21%	30%	27%	22%	26%	10%	23%	18%	22%
Disagree	7%	8%	14%	9%	7%	5%	2%	8%	12%	16%
Strongly disagree	3%	6%	6%	1%	3%	4%	4%	4%	2%	6%
Don't know	3%	2%	-	9%	2%	4%	1%	2%	-	3%

Q20a How in touch would you say the GDC is with the views of Dentists?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q20.a												
Very in touch	17%	19%	17%	7%	24%	22%	26%	23%	27%	32%	7%	14%
Fairly in touch	47%	41%	43%	42%	50%	47%	47%	51%	44%	39%	42%	86%
Not very in touch	19%	18%	19%	32%	11%	15%	13%	10%	10%	11%	32%	-
Not at all in touch	6%	8%	12%	14%	1%	5%	2%	1%	2%	2%	14%	-
Don't know	11%	14%	8%	5%	14%	11%	12%	14%	18%	17%	5%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q20.a												
Very in touch	17%	3%	27%	18%	20%	20%	9%	11%	7%	17%	16%	16%
Fairly in touch	47%	42%	46%	51%	48%	47%	46%	40%	43%	47%	47%	54%
Not very in touch	19%	32%	14%	19%	14%	16%	27%	29%	30%	19%	16%	18%
Not at all in touch	6%	17%	2%	4%	4%	5%	11%	14%	13%	7%	6%	6%
Don't know	11%	6%	10%	8%	13%	12%	7%	7%	7%	10%	14%	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q20.a												
Very in touch	17%	10%	20%	11%	10%	20%	7%	32%	19%	17%	18%	14%
Fairly in touch	47%	47%	48%	42%	41%	49%	50%	54%	47%	47%	46%	47%
Not very in touch	19%	19%	18%	15%	27%	16%	10%	5%	19%	18%	18%	22%
Not at all in touch	6%	8%	2%	15%	15%	3%	13%	-	5%	6%	8%	7%
Don't know	11%	17%	12%	17%	6%	12%	19%	8%	10%	12%	11%	10%

Q20a How in touch would you say the GDC is with the views of Dentists?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q20.a										
Very in touch	17%	13%	8%	11%	17%	15%	35%	17%	5%	10%
Fairly in touch	47%	51%	39%	33%	49%	38%	34%	36%	44%	30%
Not very in touch	19%	22%	37%	22%	17%	28%	10%	21%	27%	30%
Not at all in touch	6%	9%	9%	21%	5%	12%	10%	16%	17%	14%
Don't know	11%	6%	6%	13%	11%	6%	12%	10%	7%	15%

Q20b How in touch would you say the GDC is with the views of DCPs?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q20.b												
Very in touch	9%	7%	9%	5%	11%	6%	15%	12%	4%	16%	5%	14%
Fairly in touch	39%	34%	34%	34%	42%	32%	55%	42%	25%	54%	34%	52%
Not very in touch	28%	28%	30%	25%	31%	39%	24%	30%	41%	23%	25%	32%
Not at all in touch	9%	13%	17%	8%	10%	18%	3%	9%	25%	3%	8%	-
Don't know	14%	18%	10%	28%	6%	6%	3%	6%	4%	3%	27%	2%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q20.b												
Very in touch	9%	3%	21%	9%	9%	9%	6%	6%	4%	9%	9%	9%
Fairly in touch	39%	32%	40%	46%	40%	38%	40%	37%	33%	38%	41%	48%
Not very in touch	28%	22%	17%	28%	29%	29%	28%	25%	32%	29%	30%	29%
Not at all in touch	9%	14%	2%	3%	11%	13%	7%	12%	11%	10%	9%	5%
Don't know	14%	30%	20%	13%	11%	12%	19%	20%	20%	14%	10%	9%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q20.b												
Very in touch	9%	5%	9%	6%	5%	10%	6%	11%	10%	10%	9%	6%
Fairly in touch	39%	36%	40%	43%	32%	42%	23%	45%	43%	39%	38%	34%
Not very in touch	28%	34%	12%	7%	29%	28%	26%	32%	25%	27%	29%	33%
Not at all in touch	9%	11%	6%	14%	15%	7%	27%	9%	5%	10%	11%	13%
Don't know	14%	14%	32%	30%	20%	12%	18%	3%	16%	14%	13%	15%

Q20b How in touch would you say the GDC is with the views of DCPs?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q20.b										
Very in touch	9%	4%	4%	6%	8%	10%	29%	5%	1%	5%
Fairly in touch	39%	34%	25%	27%	40%	37%	34%	35%	38%	27%
Not very in touch	28%	34%	37%	38%	29%	27%	15%	18%	34%	35%
Not at all in touch	9%	12%	9%	14%	10%	7%	10%	15%	8%	13%
Don't know	14%	16%	26%	15%	13%	18%	11%	26%	19%	20%

Q20c How in touch would you say the GDC is with the views of Patients?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q20.c												
Very in touch	18%	19%	16%	20%	18%	13%	26%	18%	7%	29%	20%	20%
Fairly in touch	41%	37%	44%	39%	43%	44%	47%	43%	31%	45%	39%	69%
Not very in touch	17%	16%	21%	16%	17%	27%	11%	17%	26%	12%	15%	7%
Not at all in touch	5%	6%	7%	4%	5%	9%	1%	4%	16%	1%	4%	-
Don't know	19%	23%	13%	22%	17%	7%	15%	17%	21%	13%	22%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q20.c												
Very in touch	18%	15%	24%	20%	20%	20%	18%	15%	11%	19%	14%	22%
Fairly in touch	41%	33%	39%	43%	40%	42%	40%	44%	41%	41%	41%	37%
Not very in touch	17%	21%	11%	21%	15%	14%	21%	19%	21%	17%	17%	25%
Not at all in touch	5%	7%	6%	3%	5%	5%	3%	3%	5%	5%	4%	5%
Don't know	19%	24%	20%	13%	20%	19%	18%	20%	21%	18%	24%	12%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q20.c												
Very in touch	18%	24%	15%	5%	15%	20%	17%	19%	23%	21%	17%	11%
Fairly in touch	41%	42%	37%	38%	38%	42%	19%	26%	41%	41%	41%	43%
Not very in touch	17%	17%	5%	20%	22%	15%	33%	9%	15%	15%	18%	20%
Not at all in touch	5%	2%	11%	7%	7%	4%	6%	28%	3%	5%	4%	6%
Don't know	19%	15%	33%	31%	18%	19%	25%	18%	19%	18%	20%	20%

Q20c How in touch would you say the GDC is with the views of Patients?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q20.c										
Very in touch	18%	13%	11%	6%	17%	32%	34%	10%	23%	15%
Fairly in touch	41%	38%	29%	29%	42%	36%	40%	45%	44%	33%
Not very in touch	17%	26%	30%	43%	17%	13%	11%	14%	13%	17%
Not at all in touch	5%	5%	10%	1%	4%	3%	4%	6%	5%	11%
Don't know	19%	18%	19%	21%	19%	16%	10%	25%	14%	24%

Q20d How in touch would you say the GDC is with the views of The public?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q20.d												
Very in touch	15%	15%	11%	17%	13%	11%	16%	14%	5%	19%	17%	12%
Fairly in touch	38%	34%	39%	37%	39%	33%	47%	39%	22%	45%	38%	66%
Not very in touch	20%	18%	26%	18%	21%	34%	16%	20%	34%	16%	18%	12%
Not at all in touch	7%	7%	9%	5%	7%	9%	3%	7%	17%	3%	5%	-
Don't know	21%	25%	15%	23%	20%	14%	18%	20%	22%	17%	22%	11%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q20.d												
Very in touch	15%	13%	17%	16%	15%	17%	16%	14%	9%	15%	11%	16%
Fairly in touch	38%	28%	36%	37%	39%	38%	36%	40%	39%	38%	39%	36%
Not very in touch	20%	23%	18%	27%	17%	18%	22%	21%	22%	20%	18%	25%
Not at all in touch	7%	9%	7%	4%	8%	7%	5%	3%	7%	7%	7%	8%
Don't know	21%	28%	22%	17%	22%	20%	21%	22%	23%	21%	25%	15%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q20.d												
Very in touch	15%	19%	11%	3%	12%	16%	17%	6%	18%	16%	14%	8%
Fairly in touch	38%	43%	32%	36%	36%	39%	19%	24%	38%	40%	37%	39%
Not very in touch	20%	17%	19%	21%	24%	18%	20%	34%	18%	17%	20%	22%
Not at all in touch	7%	4%	4%	6%	10%	6%	6%	14%	5%	8%	6%	8%
Don't know	21%	16%	34%	34%	19%	22%	39%	21%	21%	19%	23%	23%

Q20d How in touch would you say the GDC is with the views of The public?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q20.d										
Very in touch	15%	10%	8%	6%	13%	25%	29%	10%	18%	12%
Fairly in touch	38%	32%	23%	24%	38%	37%	40%	37%	40%	32%
Not very in touch	20%	28%	34%	39%	20%	17%	16%	10%	18%	18%
Not at all in touch	7%	9%	13%	5%	7%	3%	5%	12%	10%	13%
Don't know	21%	21%	21%	26%	21%	19%	9%	31%	14%	25%

Q21 Would you say that the level of the fee for dentists is...?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q21												
Too high	44%	47%	47%	77%	23%	43%	19%	21%	29%	31%	78%	35%
About right	39%	37%	40%	20%	50%	32%	54%	52%	33%	52%	20%	55%
Too low	4%	4%	4%	0%	6%	13%	5%	6%	9%	5%	0%	-
Don't know	14%	12%	10%	2%	21%	11%	22%	20%	28%	12%	2%	9%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q21												
Too high	44%	72%	52%	54%	33%	39%	61%	50%	58%	43%	45%	41%
About right	39%	23%	30%	32%	43%	42%	26%	43%	34%	39%	36%	46%
Too low	4%	-	4%	4%	5%	4%	2%	1%	1%	4%	2%	6%
Don't know	14%	5%	15%	11%	18%	15%	10%	7%	6%	14%	17%	8%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q21												
Too high	44%	45%	70%	45%	66%	36%	63%	60%	48%	44%	41%	40%
About right	39%	45%	21%	33%	23%	44%	28%	32%	35%	37%	42%	43%
Too low	4%	-	3%	5%	3%	4%	8%	5%	4%	5%	3%	3%
Don't know	14%	10%	6%	17%	8%	16%	1%	3%	13%	14%	14%	14%

Q21 Would you say that the level of the fee for dentists is...?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q21										
Too high	44%	46%	53%	58%	40%	71%	43%	56%	70%	56%
About right	39%	39%	35%	35%	42%	17%	41%	42%	24%	26%
Too low	4%	2%	-	1%	4%	4%	3%	-	-	5%
Don't know	14%	13%	12%	6%	15%	8%	13%	2%	6%	14%

Q22 Would you say that the level of the fee for DCPs is...?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q22												
Too high	60%	66%	73%	34%	77%	50%	34%	86%	68%	35%	34%	63%
About right	30%	25%	21%	43%	21%	39%	64%	13%	28%	65%	43%	36%
Too low	3%	2%	1%	8%	0%	5%	-	0%	0%	-	8%	-
Don't know	7%	6%	5%	15%	2%	7%	2%	1%	4%	1%	15%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q22												
Too high	60%	36%	37%	52%	67%	70%	49%	48%	52%	61%	67%	59%
About right	30%	47%	44%	29%	25%	23%	39%	44%	38%	30%	25%	26%
Too low	3%	5%	5%	9%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	6%
Don't know	7%	12%	14%	9%	6%	5%	9%	7%	7%	6%	5%	9%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q22												
Too high	60%	62%	30%	48%	45%	66%	75%	78%	53%	60%	64%	66%
About right	30%	33%	43%	36%	37%	27%	25%	22%	33%	29%	28%	27%
Too low	3%	2%	3%	3%	6%	2%	1%	-	7%	2%	2%	1%
Don't know	7%	4%	24%	13%	12%	5%	0%	-	7%	8%	6%	6%

Q22 Would you say that the level of the fee for DCPs is...?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q22										
Too high	60%	55%	54%	58%	63%	35%	59%	60%	39%	57%
About right	30%	35%	35%	35%	28%	43%	30%	24%	45%	29%
Too low	3%	3%	3%	1%	2%	9%	6%	4%	1%	4%
Don't know	7%	7%	8%	6%	6%	13%	6%	11%	15%	10%

Q23 To what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC is cost-effective?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100
Q23										
Strongly agree	2%	1%	12%	1%	2%	8%	3%	2%	2%	6%
Tend to agree	11%	9%	16%	11%	12%	4%	25%	11%	6%	17%
Neither agree nor disagree	35%	34%	25%	30%	38%	37%	44%	38%	30%	45%
Tend to disagree	27%	27%	21%	29%	25%	42%	16%	26%	28%	21%
Strongly disagree	16%	19%	17%	21%	14%	3%	4%	14%	23%	6%
Don't know	9%	10%	9%	9%	9%	6%	8%	10%	10%	5%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	3611	1324	24	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144
Q23										
Strongly agree	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%
Tend to agree	11%	11%	7%	7%	23%	16%	10%	9%	13%	13%
Neither agree nor disagree	35%	31%	42%	22%	30%	30%	38%	35%	34%	35%
Tend to disagree	27%	29%	32%	32%	24%	24%	26%	28%	26%	24%
Strongly disagree	16%	20%	14%	31%	7%	17%	15%	17%	19%	18%
Don't know	9%	9%	3%	7%	14%	11%	9%	10%	5%	8%

Q23 To what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC is cost-effective?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	3611	578	2853	361	144	108	144	1	975	2635
Q23										
Strongly agree	2%	1%	2%	2%	-	1%	3%	-	2%	2%
Tend to agree	11%	8%	11%	9%	13%	10%	14%	13%	9%	12%
Neither agree nor disagree	35%	34%	34%	36%	34%	46%	39%	35%	28%	38%
Tend to disagree	27%	29%	27%	28%	32%	21%	14%	19%	30%	25%
Strongly disagree	16%	21%	17%	16%	14%	16%	16%	21%	24%	13%
Don't know	9%	7%	9%	8%	7%	6%	15%	12%	6%	10%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	1	36	975	1046	831	578	108	36	1
Q23										
Strongly agree	2%	7%	-	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	-	0%
Tend to agree	11%	5%	25%	12%	11%	10%	10%	11%	15%	9%
Neither agree nor disagree	35%	14%	13%	32%	35%	38%	38%	34%	31%	31%
Tend to disagree	27%	22%	15%	28%	26%	26%	25%	33%	27%	20%
Strongly disagree	16%	23%	44%	16%	16%	16%	15%	17%	22%	26%
Don't know	9%	30%	3%	10%	8%	9%	10%	4%	5%	14%

Q23 To what extent do you agree or disagree that the GDC is cost-effective?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q23							
Strongly agree	2%	1%	5%	1%	3%	-	3%
Tend to agree	11%	11%	14%	20%	13%	12%	6%
Neither agree nor disagree	35%	36%	29%	33%	35%	52%	22%
Tend to disagree	27%	27%	26%	13%	28%	20%	27%
Strongly disagree	16%	16%	17%	22%	16%	12%	31%
Don't know	9%	9%	8%	11%	5%	4%	11%

Q24 In general, how effectively, if at all, do you think the GDC communicates with you?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q24												
Very effectively	9%	9%	10%	9%	9%	4%	16%	9%	6%	13%	9%	22%
Fairly effectively	62%	61%	57%	62%	62%	39%	70%	63%	50%	63%	62%	56%
Not very effectively	21%	22%	24%	21%	21%	50%	12%	21%	33%	22%	21%	22%
Not at all effectively	5%	5%	7%	6%	5%	4%	2%	5%	9%	2%	6%	-
Don't know	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	-	2%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell u...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q24												
Very effectively	9%	5%	13%	14%	9%	10%	6%	8%	7%	9%	9%	9%
Fairly effectively	62%	65%	67%	55%	63%	61%	66%	68%	64%	62%	64%	69%
Not very effectively	21%	24%	14%	24%	21%	20%	22%	17%	23%	21%	22%	16%
Not at all effectively	5%	6%	2%	3%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	5%	4%	3%
Don't know	2%	1%	5%	4%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q24												
Very effectively	9%	3%	21%	5%	9%	10%	20%	18%	9%	9%	9%	10%
Fairly effectively	62%	66%	59%	55%	57%	64%	40%	60%	62%	63%	64%	61%
Not very effectively	21%	24%	15%	15%	25%	20%	26%	21%	22%	21%	19%	21%
Not at all effectively	5%	3%	6%	15%	8%	4%	14%	-	4%	5%	5%	6%
Don't know	2%	5%	-	10%	2%	2%	-	-	3%	2%	2%	1%

Q24 In general, how effectively, if at all, do you think the GDC communicates with you?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q24										
Very effectively	9%	10%	7%	-	10%	9%	19%	9%	7%	2%
Fairly effectively	62%	56%	58%	49%	63%	65%	64%	51%	55%	54%
Not very effectively	21%	26%	33%	46%	21%	20%	14%	29%	35%	23%
Not at all effectively	5%	8%	3%	5%	5%	4%	4%	7%	1%	15%
Don't know	2%	1%	-	0%	2%	3%	-	4%	2%	5%

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100
Q25										
The GDC website	61%	52%	56%	64%	60%	57%	71%	58%	53%	72%
The GDC Gazette by post	54%	77%	70%	60%	51%	45%	58%	49%	52%	67%
The GDC Gazette online	40%	24%	11%	36%	42%	33%	50%	41%	38%	41%
Through other dental professionals / colleagues	30%	28%	36%	30%	30%	46%	29%	29%	30%	46%
GDC monthly e-newsletter	23%	16%	-	25%	23%	30%	23%	23%	17%	15%
Dental press / journals / magazines not produced by the GDC	23%	23%	0%	23%	22%	33%	31%	19%	29%	30%
CPD events / meetings / seminars not run by the GDC	20%	19%	0%	19%	21%	31%	35%	19%	22%	26%
Through my employers	18%	14%	-	9%	24%	5%	15%	27%	11%	19%
GDC leaflets	13%	10%	25%	18%	10%	21%	17%	9%	9%	12%
Through information sent to me by membership organisations	11%	10%	-	15%	9%	25%	23%	5%	13%	21%
Other GDC communications	8%	5%	19%	10%	7%	13%	9%	7%	9%	5%
On websites other than the GDC website	8%	7%	20%	8%	7%	7%	10%	7%	12%	11%
In newspapers / magazines	5%	6%	11%	5%	6%	10%	4%	6%	10%	3%
At exhibitions / shows not run by the GDC	5%	5%	10%	5%	5%	7%	13%	3%	7%	17%
GDC registrant events	5%	3%	9%	4%	5%	18%	7%	4%	7%	8%

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	3611	1324	24	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144
Q25										
The GDC website	61%	64%	82%	70%	73%	59%	60%	61%	66%	65%
The GDC Gazette by post	54%	60%	75%	63%	15%	40%	56%	59%	64%	61%
The GDC Gazette online	40%	37%	52%	30%	20%	42%	43%	40%	38%	40%
Through other dental professionals / colleagues	30%	30%	47%	29%	35%	34%	31%	26%	29%	27%
GDC monthly e- newsletter	23%	25%	24%	22%	22%	25%	23%	23%	24%	29%
Dental press / journals / magazines not produced by the GDC	23%	24%	33%	27%	14%	17%	21%	22%	22%	29%
CPD events / meetings / seminars not run by the GDC	20%	19%	18%	12%	15%	23%	21%	19%	17%	20%
Through my employers	18%	9%	13%	6%	29%	27%	21%	17%	12%	8%
GDC leaflets	13%	18%	25%	20%	15%	13%	10%	12%	15%	15%
Through information sent to me by membership organisations	11%	15%	8%	15%	6%	11%	8%	9%	12%	18%
Other GDC communications	8%	10%	3%	11%	8%	8%	7%	6%	9%	9%
On websites other than the GDC website	8%	8%	4%	8%	7%	9%	8%	6%	6%	11%
In newspapers / magazines	5%	5%	7%	5%	7%	8%	4%	6%	4%	6%
At exhibitions / shows not run by the GDC	5%	5%	3%	6%	4%	6%	4%	5%	5%	4%
GDC registrant events	5%	4%	11%	2%	5%	3%	4%	6%	4%	6%

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	3611	578	2853	361	144	108	144	1	975	2635
Q25										
The GDC website	61%	61%	61%	61%	62%	60%	78%	58%	60%	62%
The GDC Gazette by post	54%	67%	55%	53%	55%	52%	41%	49%	60%	52%
The GDC Gazette online	40%	37%	40%	37%	44%	33%	48%	40%	38%	40%
Through other dental professionals / colleagues	30%	27%	30%	30%	33%	30%	24%	29%	28%	31%
GDC monthly e-newsletter	23%	22%	24%	22%	26%	14%	18%	16%	24%	23%
Dental press / journals / magazines not produced by the GDC	23%	32%	22%	23%	33%	22%	13%	19%	25%	22%
CPD events / meetings / seminars not run by the GDC	20%	20%	20%	21%	19%	19%	18%	20%	16%	21%
Through my employers	18%	6%	19%	14%	18%	6%	9%	7%	9%	21%
GDC leaflets	13%	18%	13%	13%	11%	12%	13%	16%	15%	12%
Through information sent to me by membership organisations	11%	19%	11%	11%	12%	10%	10%	6%	14%	10%
Other GDC communications	8%	13%	9%	6%	8%	6%	8%	6%	9%	8%
On websites other than the GDC website	8%	8%	7%	8%	5%	7%	17%	18%	9%	7%
In newspapers / magazines	5%	6%	5%	4%	5%	4%	9%	1%	5%	6%
At exhibitions / shows not run by the GDC	5%	5%	5%	3%	7%	1%	2%	0%	6%	4%
GDC registrant events	5%	3%	5%	4%	6%	5%	2%	1%	4%	5%

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	1	36	975	1046	831	578	108	36	1
Q25										
The GDC website	61%	55%	72%	58%	65%	62%	61%	56%	47%	73%
The GDC Gazette by post	54%	72%	14%	47%	57%	57%	58%	59%	63%	64%
The GDC Gazette online	40%	11%	44%	37%	40%	41%	41%	40%	35%	37%
Through other dental professionals / colleagues	30%	13%	57%	36%	29%	26%	25%	27%	14%	44%
GDC monthly e-newsletter	23%	18%	32%	25%	23%	22%	22%	29%	21%	13%
Dental press / journals / magazines not produced by the GDC	23%	25%	34%	16%	20%	26%	28%	45%	35%	36%
CPD events / meetings / seminars not run by the GDC	20%	18%	32%	19%	21%	21%	17%	25%	25%	27%
Through my employers	18%	11%	60%	27%	18%	12%	10%	7%	10%	13%
GDC leaflets	13%	6%	8%	13%	13%	12%	14%	19%	17%	13%
Through information sent to me by membership organisations	11%	2%	26%	7%	9%	12%	15%	22%	13%	11%
Other GDC communications	8%	6%	-	7%	7%	10%	10%	18%	12%	9%
On websites other than the GDC website	8%	0%	34%	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	2%	4%
In newspapers / magazines	5%	20%	26%	4%	5%	6%	6%	8%	2%	1%
At exhibitions / shows not run by the GDC	5%	-	-	5%	5%	3%	7%	8%	3%	12%
GDC registrant events	5%	6%	2%	3%	6%	5%	5%	8%	2%	11%

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q25							
The GDC website	61%	61%	65%	70%	55%	62%	55%
The GDC Gazette by post	54%	53%	62%	62%	53%	72%	59%
The GDC Gazette online	40%	40%	35%	52%	44%	36%	33%
Through other dental professionals / colleagues	30%	30%	28%	38%	23%	23%	33%
GDC monthly e- newsletter	23%	24%	22%	21%	27%	30%	17%
Dental press / journals / magazines not produced by the GDC	23%	24%	16%	20%	12%	22%	21%
CPD events / meetings / seminars not run by the GDC	20%	20%	23%	29%	19%	12%	20%
Through my employers	18%	18%	17%	10%	18%	19%	17%
GDC leaflets	13%	12%	20%	15%	15%	11%	18%
Through information sent to me by membership organisations	11%	10%	13%	14%	12%	12%	14%
Other GDC communications	8%	8%	9%	5%	14%	5%	11%
On websites other than the GDC website	8%	7%	10%	8%	8%	7%	9%
In newspapers / magazines	5%	6%	4%	6%	-	5%	8%
At exhibitions / shows not run by the GDC	5%	5%	6%	8%	-	2%	4%
GDC registrant events	5%	4%	6%	9%	-	9%	7%

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100
I do not find out information about the GDC	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	5%	0%	3%	5%	-
Social media	2%	2%	-	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%	1%	6%
Television	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	4%	-	1%	5%	-
The Dental Complaints Service website	1%	1%	-	2%	1%	-	1%	1%	-	-
Radio	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	4%	-	1%	2%	-
Through patients	1%	0%	-	1%	1%	-	-	1%	-	-
Other	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	-	1%	0%	-	2%

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	3611	1324	24	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144
I do not find out information about the GDC	2%	2%	-	2%	3%	4%	2%	2%	0%	1%
Social media	2%	2%	-	1%	4%	2%	3%	1%	2%	5%
Television	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	4%	0%	1%	1%	0%
The Dental Complaints Service website	1%	2%	-	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Radio	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%
Through patients	1%	1%	-	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	-
Other	0%	0%	-	1%	-	0%	0%	0%	-	0%

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	3611	578	2853	361	144	108	144	1	975	2635
I do not find out information about the GDC	2%	2%	2%	2%	-	1%	-	3%	3%	2%
Social media	2%	1%	2%	1%	5%	2%	2%	7%	2%	2%
Television	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	-	9%	-	1%	1%
The Dental Complaints Service website	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	-	2%	1%	1%
Radio	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	-	3%	1%	0%
Through patients	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	-	-	0%	1%	1%
Other	0%	0%	0%	1%	-	-	-	1%	0%	0%

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	1	36	975	1046	831	578	108	36	1
I do not find out information about the GDC	2%	-	-	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	5%	-
Social media	2%	-	-	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%	-	-
Television	1%	-	26%	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%	-	4%
The Dental Complaints Service website	1%	-	-	0%	2%	1%	1%	4%	3%	-
Radio	1%	-	-	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%	-	4%
Through patients	1%	0%	-	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	-	0%
Other	0%	-	5%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	-

Q25 How do you find out information about the GDC?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	2970	315	88	39	41	157
I do not find out information about the GDC	2%	2%	2%	-	3%	-	8%
Social media	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%
Television	1%	1%	1%	2%	5%	-	3%
The Dental Complaints Service website	1%	1%	3%	5%	-	10%	2%
Radio	1%	1%	0%	-	1%	-	2%
Through patients	1%	1%	0%	-	-	-	2%
Other	0%	0%	0%	2%	-	-	-

Q26 Which one of the following social media would you prefer the GDC to use to communicate with you?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	74	148	42	1	8	29	3	6	32	-	2
Q26											
Facebook	46%	75%	55%	100%	80%	47%	100%	100%	32%	-	31%
Twitter	35%	15%	30%	-	20%	34%	-	-	41%	-	69%
Other	11%	1%	4%	-	-	5%	-	-	20%	-	-
Google Plus	5%	7%	9%	-	-	13%	-	-	-	-	-
YouTube	3%	2%	3%	-	-	-	-	-	7%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	74	8	8	33	11	3	7	6	59	4	7
Q26											
Facebook	46%	57%	53%	50%	62%	30%	18%	15%	55%	22%	-
Twitter	35%	43%	47%	27%	23%	51%	50%	45%	27%	18%	100%
Other	11%	-	-	15%	8%	-	-	40%	11%	35%	-
Google Plus	5%	-	-	5%	7%	19%	13%	-	5%	13%	-
YouTube	3%	-	-	3%	-	-	20%	-	2%	12%	-

Q26 Which one of the following social media would you prefer the GDC to use to communicate with you?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	74	2	2	0	23	50	-	-	25	27	14
Q26											
Facebook	46%	49%	-	100%	25%	56%	-	-	65%	43%	33%
Twitter	35%	-	100%	-	54%	25%	-	-	22%	39%	54%
Other	11%	-	-	-	19%	7%	-	-	13%	9%	4%
Google Plus	5%	-	-	-	-	7%	-	-	-	6%	6%
YouTube	3%	51%	-	-	2%	4%	-	-	-	3%	3%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	74	7	1	-	-	58	9	2	1	0	4
Q26											
Facebook	46%	23%	-	-	-	45%	54%	-	-	-	73%
Twitter	35%	27%	-	-	-	37%	37%	-	100%	-	-
Other	11%	16%	100%	-	-	8%	9%	100%	-	-	27%
Google Plus	5%	19%	-	-	-	6%	-	-	-	-	-
YouTube	3%	16%	-	-	-	3%	-	-	-	100%	-

Q27 Do you have a written plan of the CPD that you intend to carry out in the next year?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q27											
Yes	40%	43%	38%	52%	36%	39%	29%	37%	42%	44%	50%
No	60%	57%	62%	48%	64%	61%	71%	63%	58%	56%	50%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q27											
Yes	40%	36%	33%	39%	43%	48%	46%	40%	41%	34%	42%
No	60%	64%	67%	61%	57%	52%	54%	60%	59%	66%	58%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q27											
Yes	40%	30%	28%	34%	44%	38%	60%	5%	38%	41%	42%
No	60%	70%	72%	66%	56%	62%	40%	95%	62%	59%	58%

Q27 Do you have a written plan of the CPD that you intend to carry out in the next year?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q27											
Yes	40%	42%	35%	32%	61%	38%	52%	50%	36%	42%	42%
No	60%	58%	65%	68%	39%	62%	48%	50%	64%	58%	58%

Q28a Incidence of: An appraisal

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q28.a											
Within the last six months	35%	33%	35%	18%	27%	39%	20%	26%	33%	46%	39%
Within the last year	26%	24%	27%	20%	23%	29%	14%	23%	23%	23%	35%
Within the last two years	10%	10%	9%	15%	11%	9%	3%	13%	11%	3%	8%
Less recent	6%	7%	5%	5%	5%	5%	4%	8%	7%	13%	4%
Not taken part	16%	17%	15%	16%	26%	12%	27%	21%	17%	14%	8%
Not applicable	9%	9%	9%	27%	9%	5%	32%	8%	9%	-	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q28.a											
Within the last six months	35%	31%	37%	35%	36%	29%	38%	34%	37%	26%	24%
Within the last year	26%	15%	22%	27%	26%	31%	20%	28%	27%	24%	22%
Within the last two years	10%	2%	8%	12%	10%	8%	10%	9%	10%	13%	9%
Less recent	6%	4%	3%	5%	7%	8%	9%	6%	5%	7%	13%
Not taken part	16%	26%	21%	12%	15%	15%	18%	16%	14%	21%	25%
Not applicable	9%	22%	9%	8%	7%	9%	5%	7%	8%	9%	7%

Q28a Incidence of: An appraisal

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q28.a											
Within the last six months	35%	38%	25%	21%	34%	35%	34%	58%	37%	31%	37%
Within the last year	26%	20%	15%	14%	23%	27%	25%	16%	22%	27%	27%
Within the last two years	10%	7%	6%	10%	10%	10%	11%	3%	10%	12%	9%
Less recent	6%	4%	9%	12%	6%	6%	16%	9%	4%	8%	4%
Not taken part	16%	18%	19%	28%	16%	16%	7%	9%	18%	14%	14%
Not applicable	9%	14%	26%	15%	11%	8%	8%	5%	7%	9%	9%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q28.a											
Within the last six months	35%	33%	26%	25%	29%	34%	38%	36%	29%	41%	32%
Within the last year	26%	28%	29%	20%	27%	26%	22%	19%	24%	25%	26%
Within the last two years	10%	8%	6%	14%	7%	9%	12%	8%	8%	13%	12%
Less recent	6%	6%	9%	3%	5%	6%	8%	8%	7%	2%	5%
Not taken part	16%	16%	16%	22%	20%	16%	13%	13%	14%	11%	11%
Not applicable	9%	9%	14%	16%	12%	8%	7%	15%	17%	8%	15%

Q28b Incidence of: Clinical Audit

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q28.b											
Within the last six months	42%	52%	36%	36%	27%	40%	17%	23%	51%	42%	55%
Within the last year	20%	21%	19%	21%	17%	21%	6%	21%	21%	20%	21%
Within the last two years	9%	11%	8%	13%	9%	7%	6%	15%	11%	13%	8%
Less recent	5%	6%	5%	3%	6%	4%	4%	12%	6%	11%	5%
Not taken part	13%	6%	17%	13%	25%	15%	25%	23%	6%	14%	4%
Not applicable	11%	5%	16%	14%	15%	13%	43%	6%	5%	-	8%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q28.b											
Within the last six months	42%	37%	51%	38%	40%	47%	47%	44%	43%	43%	28%
Within the last year	20%	15%	19%	20%	21%	19%	20%	21%	21%	14%	18%
Within the last two years	9%	3%	6%	9%	10%	12%	12%	11%	9%	8%	16%
Less recent	5%	3%	3%	6%	5%	3%	5%	8%	5%	6%	10%
Not taken part	13%	20%	9%	14%	13%	10%	9%	10%	11%	15%	17%
Not applicable	11%	22%	11%	13%	10%	8%	7%	7%	11%	14%	11%

Q28b Incidence of: Clinical Audit

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q28.b											
Within the last six months	42%	37%	30%	30%	46%	40%	41%	52%	49%	38%	41%
Within the last year	20%	21%	10%	16%	19%	20%	24%	12%	19%	22%	18%
Within the last two years	9%	9%	5%	15%	9%	9%	15%	2%	9%	9%	9%
Less recent	5%	8%	11%	5%	5%	5%	4%	6%	4%	6%	6%
Not taken part	13%	13%	23%	20%	9%	14%	7%	9%	9%	14%	14%
Not applicable	11%	12%	22%	14%	12%	11%	9%	19%	10%	11%	12%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q28.b											
Within the last six months	42%	40%	30%	21%	24%	42%	48%	34%	33%	52%	38%
Within the last year	20%	20%	19%	21%	31%	20%	20%	22%	29%	29%	19%
Within the last two years	9%	9%	11%	7%	14%	8%	11%	13%	-	10%	13%
Less recent	5%	4%	11%	12%	8%	5%	7%	6%	9%	2%	2%
Not taken part	13%	14%	14%	15%	16%	14%	6%	8%	13%	7%	9%
Not applicable	11%	13%	16%	23%	7%	11%	8%	17%	16%	-	18%

Q28c Incidence of: Case based discussion / case based assessment

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q28.c											
Within the last six months	39%	57%	27%	51%	41%	23%	38%	32%	56%	48%	72%
Within the last year	14%	17%	13%	16%	13%	13%	7%	18%	17%	12%	11%
Within the last two years	7%	7%	7%	13%	6%	8%	2%	10%	7%	20%	4%
Less recent	6%	6%	7%	-	7%	7%	5%	15%	6%	-	1%
Not taken part	18%	8%	24%	8%	23%	25%	17%	20%	9%	16%	6%
Not applicable	16%	5%	22%	11%	9%	23%	31%	5%	5%	3%	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q28.c											
Within the last six months	39%	39%	42%	31%	36%	51%	50%	52%	40%	32%	38%
Within the last year	14%	12%	13%	14%	15%	15%	13%	16%	15%	10%	12%
Within the last two years	7%	2%	7%	9%	7%	7%	9%	6%	7%	10%	7%
Less recent	6%	3%	7%	7%	7%	4%	7%	6%	6%	6%	8%
Not taken part	18%	19%	17%	19%	20%	15%	14%	14%	17%	25%	19%
Not applicable	16%	25%	15%	21%	15%	8%	8%	5%	15%	18%	16%

Q28c Incidence of: Case based discussion / case based assessment

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q28.c											
Within the last six months	39%	34%	38%	42%	55%	33%	33%	40%	42%	37%	38%
Within the last year	14%	17%	13%	14%	15%	14%	41%	-	13%	16%	14%
Within the last two years	7%	18%	4%	5%	6%	8%	10%	-	9%	8%	6%
Less recent	6%	5%	6%	2%	4%	7%	-	6%	8%	6%	5%
Not taken part	18%	12%	19%	20%	11%	20%	7%	28%	14%	18%	20%
Not applicable	16%	15%	20%	17%	10%	18%	9%	27%	14%	16%	17%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q28.c											
Within the last six months	39%	37%	45%	32%	34%	37%	55%	42%	37%	52%	38%
Within the last year	14%	14%	12%	22%	27%	14%	16%	13%	21%	15%	15%
Within the last two years	7%	5%	11%	6%	12%	7%	6%	11%	5%	12%	8%
Less recent	6%	6%	6%	9%	8%	6%	8%	7%	7%	6%	7%
Not taken part	18%	22%	14%	14%	16%	19%	7%	14%	16%	10%	13%
Not applicable	16%	16%	12%	17%	2%	16%	8%	13%	13%	4%	18%

Q28d Incidence of: Review of significant events

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q28.d											
Within the last six months	35%	43%	29%	28%	31%	29%	22%	34%	42%	24%	57%
Within the last year	22%	24%	20%	28%	19%	22%	9%	16%	24%	33%	24%
Within the last two years	8%	9%	7%	13%	6%	7%	7%	8%	9%	16%	3%
Less recent	7%	7%	7%	-	6%	7%	4%	8%	7%	0%	3%
Not taken part	17%	10%	21%	16%	24%	20%	25%	27%	10%	21%	6%
Not applicable	13%	7%	16%	15%	13%	15%	33%	6%	7%	5%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q28.d											
Within the last six months	35%	34%	42%	28%	32%	38%	44%	44%	37%	22%	31%
Within the last year	22%	13%	17%	21%	25%	23%	20%	24%	22%	18%	19%
Within the last two years	8%	5%	7%	9%	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	13%	6%
Less recent	7%	5%	4%	7%	8%	7%	5%	6%	6%	10%	7%
Not taken part	17%	21%	15%	19%	18%	16%	14%	12%	16%	22%	24%
Not applicable	13%	22%	15%	15%	10%	10%	9%	7%	12%	14%	13%

Q28d Incidence of: Review of significant events

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q28.d											
Within the last six months	35%	31%	33%	26%	41%	32%	32%	51%	37%	30%	36%
Within the last year	22%	29%	16%	17%	22%	21%	43%	5%	21%	23%	23%
Within the last two years	8%	9%	7%	11%	7%	8%	14%	3%	9%	9%	6%
Less recent	7%	8%	6%	4%	6%	7%	-	6%	8%	7%	5%
Not taken part	17%	10%	17%	27%	13%	18%	2%	12%	14%	18%	18%
Not applicable	13%	13%	22%	15%	11%	13%	8%	24%	11%	13%	13%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q28.d											
Within the last six months	35%	37%	35%	26%	32%	34%	41%	24%	21%	37%	34%
Within the last year	22%	20%	17%	23%	37%	21%	23%	23%	29%	31%	22%
Within the last two years	8%	7%	7%	6%	0%	8%	10%	7%	1%	8%	7%
Less recent	7%	5%	11%	6%	4%	6%	7%	14%	5%	11%	7%
Not taken part	17%	19%	15%	21%	25%	18%	9%	13%	18%	11%	10%
Not applicable	13%	13%	14%	19%	1%	12%	9%	18%	27%	1%	19%

Q28e Incidence of: Review of complaints and compliments

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q28.e											
Within the last six months	37%	44%	33%	33%	34%	35%	21%	31%	43%	36%	49%
Within the last year	23%	27%	21%	26%	23%	22%	9%	22%	27%	33%	27%
Within the last two years	7%	9%	6%	13%	6%	6%	8%	7%	8%	5%	7%
Less recent	5%	4%	6%	-	4%	6%	8%	11%	4%	11%	2%
Not taken part	16%	10%	20%	13%	23%	19%	23%	22%	11%	15%	8%
Not applicable	11%	6%	14%	15%	9%	13%	31%	6%	6%	-	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q28.e											
Within the last six months	37%	24%	36%	33%	39%	46%	50%	45%	40%	23%	29%
Within the last year	23%	14%	22%	23%	23%	20%	20%	27%	23%	19%	23%
Within the last two years	7%	4%	6%	8%	7%	8%	7%	8%	6%	13%	9%
Less recent	5%	5%	6%	6%	6%	6%	3%	4%	5%	7%	10%
Not taken part	16%	28%	16%	18%	15%	14%	13%	11%	15%	25%	20%
Not applicable	11%	25%	14%	12%	9%	7%	7%	6%	10%	13%	10%

Q28e Incidence of: Review of complaints and compliments

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q28.e											
Within the last six months	37%	32%	25%	23%	42%	36%	38%	51%	38%	36%	38%
Within the last year	23%	25%	24%	28%	24%	23%	46%	11%	24%	23%	24%
Within the last two years	7%	11%	8%	4%	8%	7%	6%	5%	8%	7%	6%
Less recent	5%	7%	5%	1%	4%	6%	-	6%	6%	6%	4%
Not taken part	16%	10%	16%	27%	12%	18%	2%	5%	16%	16%	17%
Not applicable	11%	15%	23%	17%	10%	11%	8%	21%	10%	11%	10%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q28.e											
Within the last six months	37%	39%	27%	33%	45%	37%	45%	30%	21%	48%	37%
Within the last year	23%	21%	29%	17%	16%	23%	22%	24%	23%	28%	27%
Within the last two years	7%	7%	9%	9%	0%	7%	9%	7%	9%	4%	7%
Less recent	5%	5%	9%	5%	8%	5%	6%	5%	6%	2%	4%
Not taken part	16%	17%	10%	19%	25%	17%	10%	20%	20%	17%	10%
Not applicable	11%	11%	16%	17%	6%	11%	8%	15%	21%	2%	16%

Q29 Would you personally take up the option to provide services directly, subject to being trained and competent?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	2191	2533	-	10	2181	37	261	1650	219	100
Q29										
I would take up the option to provide services directly	33%	48%	-	25%	33%	73%	55%	28%	42%	59%
I would continue to operate under a dentist's prescription	40%	39%	-	40%	40%	12%	31%	41%	38%	30%
Don't know	27%	13%	-	35%	27%	15%	15%	30%	21%	11%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	2191	4	24	5	122	258	1005	546	68	53
Q29										
I would take up the option to provide services directly	33%	61%	22%	17%	36%	41%	31%	31%	26%	39%
I would continue to operate under a dentist's prescription	40%	27%	68%	57%	40%	31%	41%	41%	49%	41%
Don't know	27%	12%	10%	26%	24%	28%	28%	28%	25%	20%

Q29 Would you personally take up the option to provide services directly, subject to being trained and competent?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	2191	139	1778	238	81	61	33	0	219	1971
Q29										
I would take up the option to provide services directly	33%	43%	34%	33%	19%	21%	74%	28%	48%	32%
I would continue to operate under a dentist's prescription	40%	40%	40%	35%	55%	38%	12%	38%	33%	41%
Don't know	27%	17%	26%	32%	26%	40%	13%	34%	19%	28%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	2191	0	36	578	652	529	340	43	12	0
Q29										
I would take up the option to provide services directly	33%	48%	43%	41%	34%	29%	27%	21%	33%	19%
I would continue to operate under a dentist's prescription	40%	16%	33%	31%	39%	43%	48%	64%	47%	27%
Don't know	27%	36%	24%	28%	27%	29%	25%	16%	20%	54%

Q29 Would you personally take up the option to provide services directly, subject to being trained and competent?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	2191	1952	81	60	19	8	71
Q29							
I would take up the option to provide services directly	33%	33%	33%	46%	44%	24%	37%
I would continue to operate under a dentist's prescription	40%	41%	31%	33%	19%	55%	34%
Don't know	27%	27%	36%	21%	37%	21%	29%

Q30 Where would you plan to practise?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	728	2	725	27	142	470	91	59	2	5	1
Q30											
Stay where I am	64%	100%	64%	78%	72%	64%	54%	55%	100%	51%	100%
Move to another practice that operates direct access	24%	-	25%	12%	14%	30%	14%	24%	-	-	-
Open my own practice	14%	-	14%	23%	20%	10%	29%	28%	-	-	-
Don't know	14%	-	14%	4%	10%	16%	12%	12%	-	49%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	728	44	105	312	169	18	20	60	596	78	16
Q30											
Stay where I am	64%	65%	48%	64%	68%	55%	76%	79%	66%	67%	83%
Move to another practice that operates direct access	24%	33%	28%	29%	20%	26%	0%	8%	24%	19%	34%
Open my own practice	14%	19%	23%	14%	11%	13%	13%	9%	14%	8%	12%
Don't know	14%	7%	17%	13%	16%	24%	16%	12%	13%	18%	17%

Q30 Where would you plan to practise?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	728	13	24	0	105	622	0	15	235	220	153
Q30											
Stay where I am	64%	70%	8%	65%	64%	64%	56%	25%	59%	69%	69%
Move to another practice that operates direct access	24%	58%	20%	14%	22%	25%	0%	11%	40%	19%	17%
Open my own practice	14%	24%	45%	22%	17%	14%	0%	75%	15%	12%	12%
Don't know	14%	-	34%	0%	12%	14%	44%	-	13%	14%	14%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	728	92	9	4	0	637	26	28	8	2	26
Q30											
Stay where I am	64%	62%	100%	61%	0%	66%	58%	21%	70%	100%	73%
Move to another practice that operates direct access	24%	14%	-	-	0%	23%	35%	57%	-	-	36%
Open my own practice	14%	10%	21%	23%	0%	12%	19%	43%	19%	-	25%
Don't know	14%	20%	-	16%	99%	15%	14%	9%	11%	-	4%

Q31 When do you think you would take up the option?

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	728	1216	-	2	725	27	142	470	91	59
Q31										
Within a year of the option becoming available	53%	65%	-	100%	53%	87%	58%	52%	44%	45%
More than a year but less than two years	13%	17%	-	-	13%	-	11%	14%	16%	5%
More than two years but less than five years	12%	5%	-	-	12%	6%	11%	13%	7%	23%
More than five years	6%	0%	-	-	6%	-	6%	4%	16%	12%
Don't know	16%	12%	-	-	16%	7%	14%	16%	16%	14%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	728	2	5	1	44	105	312	169	18	20
Q31										
Within a year of the option becoming available	53%	100%	100%	100%	28%	52%	53%	51%	60%	64%
More than a year but less than two years	13%	-	-	-	24%	5%	13%	17%	4%	19%
More than two years but less than five years	12%	-	-	-	25%	12%	16%	8%	9%	-
More than five years	6%	-	-	-	18%	17%	2%	4%	-	13%
Don't know	16%	-	-	-	5%	13%	17%	21%	26%	3%

Q31 When do you think you would take up the option?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	728	60	596	78	16	13	24	0	105	622
Q31										
Within a year of the option becoming available	53%	73%	53%	56%	66%	79%	21%	65%	54%	53%
More than a year but less than two years	13%	12%	13%	12%	15%	-	34%	0%	16%	13%
More than two years but less than five years	12%	3%	13%	9%	14%	-	-	22%	13%	12%
More than five years	6%	2%	5%	5%	-	7%	38%	-	2%	7%
Don't know	16%	10%	16%	18%	5%	15%	7%	13%	15%	16%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q59 Age							
		Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	728	0	15	235	220	153	92	9	4	0
Q31										
Within a year of the option becoming available	53%	0%	18%	48%	54%	58%	59%	72%	68%	0%
More than a year but less than two years	13%	3%	-	10%	13%	15%	19%	12%	-	6%
More than two years but less than five years	12%	55%	7%	18%	12%	10%	3%	-	16%	81%
More than five years	6%	-	75%	8%	5%	1%	-	-	-	-
Don't know	16%	42%	-	16%	15%	15%	20%	16%	16%	12%

Q31 When do you think you would take up the option?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q60 Ethnicity					
		White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	728	637	26	28	8	2	26
Q31							
Within a year of the option becoming available	53%	54%	32%	36%	51%	100%	61%
More than a year but less than two years	13%	13%	25%	12%	-	-	13%
More than two years but less than five years	12%	12%	5%	29%	19%	-	15%
More than five years	6%	6%	4%	9%	19%	-	-
Don't know	16%	15%	34%	13%	11%	-	11%

Q32 If you want to raise a concern about poor standards of care do you know where to go?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q32											
Yes	88%	85%	89%	91%	94%	90%	77%	94%	85%	100%	90%
No	12%	15%	11%	9%	6%	10%	23%	6%	15%	0%	10%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q32											
Yes	88%	86%	85%	85%	91%	85%	91%	92%	90%	83%	88%
No	12%	14%	15%	15%	9%	15%	9%	8%	10%	17%	12%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q32											
Yes	88%	85%	66%	75%	88%	87%	93%	91%	83%	87%	90%
No	12%	15%	34%	25%	12%	13%	7%	9%	17%	13%	10%

Q32 If you want to raise a concern about poor standards of care do you know where to go?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q32											
Yes	88%	91%	90%	93%	89%	87%	91%	92%	90%	96%	84%
No	12%	9%	10%	7%	11%	13%	9%	8%	10%	4%	16%

Q33 How often, if ever, have you come across an issue that you feel should have been raised as a concern?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q33											
Several times (three or more)	8%	8%	7%	22%	5%	6%	20%	4%	8%	-	13%
A few times (two to three times)	22%	26%	19%	30%	23%	18%	22%	18%	25%	7%	39%
Once	16%	17%	15%	6%	17%	16%	5%	15%	17%	22%	16%
Never	54%	48%	58%	42%	56%	59%	52%	64%	50%	71%	31%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q33											
Several times (three or more)	8%	1%	8%	8%	6%	7%	7%	12%	8%	7%	6%
A few times (two to three times)	22%	11%	17%	19%	24%	27%	27%	31%	22%	22%	21%
Once	16%	12%	14%	16%	16%	20%	21%	17%	16%	17%	20%
Never	54%	75%	61%	57%	55%	45%	45%	40%	54%	54%	53%

Q33 How often, if ever, have you come across an issue that you feel should have been raised as a concern?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q33											
Several times (three or more)	8%	6%	13%	12%	11%	6%	9%	6%	6%	8%	7%
A few times (two to three times)	22%	20%	22%	37%	26%	20%	41%	6%	17%	21%	25%
Once	16%	14%	8%	25%	16%	16%	12%	6%	17%	16%	16%
Never	54%	60%	57%	26%	46%	57%	39%	82%	60%	55%	52%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q33											
Several times (three or more)	8%	11%	18%	14%	14%	8%	8%	11%	4%	5%	9%
A few times (two to three times)	22%	25%	26%	35%	28%	22%	22%	12%	40%	17%	25%
Once	16%	15%	14%	17%	9%	16%	15%	22%	10%	18%	17%
Never	54%	49%	42%	33%	49%	54%	55%	55%	46%	59%	50%

Q34a Have you ever raised a concern about the practice or behaviour of a dental professional to Someone in your place of work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q34.a											
Yes	39%	41%	37%	24%	36%	39%	31%	36%	40%	29%	51%
No	61%	59%	63%	76%	64%	61%	69%	64%	60%	71%	49%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q34.a											
Yes	39%	13%	36%	40%	40%	43%	42%	46%	39%	43%	36%
No	61%	87%	64%	60%	60%	57%	58%	54%	61%	57%	64%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q34.a											
Yes	39%	30%	36%	35%	39%	39%	54%	32%	39%	39%	36%
No	61%	70%	64%	65%	61%	61%	46%	68%	61%	61%	64%

Q34a Have you ever raised a concern about the practice or behaviour of a dental professional to Someone in your place of work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q34.a											
Yes	39%	42%	43%	45%	28%	39%	37%	30%	44%	45%	43%
No	61%	58%	57%	55%	72%	61%	63%	70%	56%	55%	57%

Q34b Have you ever raised a concern about the practice or behaviour of a dental professional to The General Dental Council?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q34.b											
Yes	5%	5%	4%	21%	4%	4%	10%	1%	5%	7%	15%
No	95%	95%	96%	79%	96%	96%	90%	99%	95%	93%	85%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q34.b											
Yes	5%	2%	5%	4%	4%	4%	3%	9%	5%	4%	2%
No	95%	98%	95%	96%	96%	96%	97%	91%	95%	96%	98%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q34.b											
Yes	5%	5%	10%	1%	7%	4%	15%	26%	4%	3%	6%
No	95%	95%	90%	99%	93%	96%	85%	74%	96%	97%	94%

Q34b Have you ever raised a concern about the practice or behaviour of a dental professional to The General Dental Council?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q34.b											
Yes	5%	6%	9%	13%	7%	5%	3%	6%	-	1%	6%
No	95%	94%	91%	87%	93%	95%	97%	94%	100%	99%	94%

Q35a My workplace(s) is one/are ones where Staff can raise concerns openly

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q35.a											
Strongly agree	38%	39%	38%	48%	38%	38%	33%	29%	39%	41%	36%
Agree	42%	43%	42%	45%	41%	41%	43%	47%	43%	55%	44%
Neither agree nor disagree	11%	11%	10%	4%	10%	9%	15%	11%	11%	0%	12%
Disagree	7%	6%	8%	3%	8%	8%	6%	9%	6%	-	6%
Strongly disagree	2%	2%	3%	-	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	4%	1%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q35.a											
Strongly agree	38%	35%	30%	38%	38%	38%	42%	45%	40%	32%	32%
Agree	42%	44%	45%	42%	42%	42%	40%	38%	42%	44%	47%
Neither agree nor disagree	11%	16%	11%	10%	9%	10%	9%	10%	10%	10%	11%
Disagree	7%	3%	9%	6%	8%	8%	7%	5%	6%	11%	6%
Strongly disagree	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%

Q35a My workplace(s) is one/are ones where Staff can raise concerns openly

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q35.a											
Strongly agree	38%	35%	37%	28%	43%	36%	26%	67%	32%	40%	40%
Agree	42%	38%	31%	42%	41%	42%	31%	27%	47%	38%	44%
Neither agree nor disagree	11%	15%	20%	22%	10%	11%	31%	-	10%	12%	8%
Disagree	7%	8%	7%	4%	5%	7%	12%	-	8%	8%	7%
Strongly disagree	2%	3%	5%	4%	1%	3%	1%	6%	3%	2%	2%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q35.a											
Strongly agree	38%	41%	32%	50%	38%	38%	43%	31%	32%	32%	42%
Agree	42%	39%	47%	33%	40%	42%	42%	51%	35%	47%	33%
Neither agree nor disagree	11%	12%	14%	11%	14%	10%	8%	12%	18%	9%	15%
Disagree	7%	5%	5%	6%	0%	7%	5%	2%	15%	12%	8%
Strongly disagree	2%	3%	2%	-	7%	3%	2%	3%	-	-	2%

Q35b My workplace(s) is one/are ones where Concerns are taken seriously

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q35.b											
Strongly agree	40%	44%	37%	52%	37%	38%	32%	27%	45%	38%	41%
Agree	38%	36%	39%	34%	36%	38%	40%	39%	37%	59%	40%
Neither agree nor disagree	13%	12%	13%	11%	16%	12%	19%	24%	12%	-	14%
Disagree	7%	6%	8%	-	8%	8%	6%	8%	6%	-	4%
Strongly disagree	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	4%	1%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q35.b											
Strongly agree	40%	36%	33%	39%	38%	42%	46%	50%	41%	32%	38%
Agree	38%	43%	42%	37%	38%	36%	35%	35%	38%	43%	34%
Neither agree nor disagree	13%	16%	14%	13%	13%	15%	9%	9%	12%	11%	17%
Disagree	7%	4%	8%	8%	8%	6%	7%	5%	7%	9%	10%
Strongly disagree	2%	0%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	5%	1%

Q35b My workplace(s) is one/are ones where Concerns are taken seriously

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q35.b											
Strongly agree	40%	37%	44%	27%	48%	37%	22%	67%	35%	40%	43%
Agree	38%	40%	24%	46%	36%	39%	42%	26%	41%	36%	38%
Neither agree nor disagree	13%	16%	19%	26%	10%	14%	14%	-	13%	14%	11%
Disagree	7%	4%	7%	1%	5%	8%	21%	-	8%	7%	6%
Strongly disagree	2%	3%	5%	0%	1%	3%	0%	6%	2%	3%	3%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q35.b											
Strongly agree	40%	42%	38%	48%	38%	39%	47%	31%	30%	41%	44%
Agree	38%	37%	40%	30%	37%	38%	36%	50%	44%	32%	34%
Neither agree nor disagree	13%	13%	16%	15%	20%	13%	10%	12%	19%	15%	16%
Disagree	7%	6%	7%	7%	5%	7%	5%	7%	6%	12%	6%
Strongly disagree	2%	2%	1%	-	0%	3%	2%	0%	1%	-	1%

Q35c My workplace(s) is one/are ones where Concerns are investigated effectively

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q35.c											
Strongly agree	36%	39%	34%	44%	34%	35%	29%	26%	39%	38%	38%
Agree	36%	36%	36%	32%	35%	36%	34%	38%	36%	54%	35%
Neither agree nor disagree	18%	16%	19%	21%	19%	18%	25%	25%	16%	-	18%
Disagree	8%	7%	9%	-	9%	9%	8%	9%	7%	5%	7%
Strongly disagree	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	4%	2%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q35.c											
Strongly agree	36%	34%	29%	35%	34%	35%	41%	46%	37%	28%	31%
Agree	36%	39%	41%	34%	38%	39%	35%	32%	36%	38%	30%
Neither agree nor disagree	18%	22%	20%	19%	18%	15%	12%	15%	17%	19%	27%
Disagree	8%	5%	9%	9%	8%	8%	8%	5%	7%	11%	9%
Strongly disagree	3%	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	5%	3%

Q35c My workplace(s) is one/are ones where Concerns are investigated effectively

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q35.c											
Strongly agree	36%	35%	34%	29%	43%	33%	10%	58%	31%	37%	37%
Agree	36%	39%	30%	36%	35%	36%	44%	31%	39%	33%	36%
Neither agree nor disagree	18%	21%	21%	28%	14%	19%	31%	5%	18%	19%	17%
Disagree	8%	5%	12%	2%	6%	9%	16%	-	9%	8%	7%
Strongly disagree	3%	1%	4%	5%	1%	3%	0%	6%	2%	3%	3%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q35.c											
Strongly agree	36%	39%	32%	48%	38%	36%	42%	31%	31%	39%	33%
Agree	36%	35%	38%	23%	35%	36%	34%	45%	27%	28%	34%
Neither agree nor disagree	18%	16%	22%	21%	15%	17%	16%	19%	28%	20%	26%
Disagree	8%	7%	7%	9%	11%	8%	5%	3%	12%	13%	7%
Strongly disagree	3%	2%	2%	-	0%	3%	3%	2%	2%	-	1%

Q35d My workplace(s) is one/are ones where Raising a justified concern would not be held against me

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q35.d											
Strongly agree	32%	35%	30%	31%	30%	31%	27%	18%	35%	35%	31%
Agree	34%	34%	34%	32%	32%	35%	31%	35%	34%	62%	35%
Neither agree nor disagree	21%	19%	22%	29%	22%	20%	30%	30%	19%	0%	20%
Disagree	9%	8%	9%	4%	13%	9%	8%	13%	8%	-	9%
Strongly disagree	4%	4%	5%	3%	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q35.d											
Strongly agree	32%	31%	31%	29%	30%	32%	38%	41%	33%	26%	24%
Agree	34%	37%	32%	36%	35%	30%	30%	31%	35%	33%	35%
Neither agree nor disagree	21%	22%	25%	21%	20%	22%	18%	17%	20%	23%	26%
Disagree	9%	9%	6%	9%	11%	11%	9%	7%	8%	12%	12%
Strongly disagree	4%	1%	6%	5%	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	6%	3%

Q35d My workplace(s) is one/are ones where Raising a justified concern would not be held against me

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q35.d											
Strongly agree	32%	30%	31%	23%	35%	31%	10%	54%	29%	33%	31%
Agree	34%	28%	26%	33%	34%	34%	48%	26%	39%	31%	34%
Neither agree nor disagree	21%	27%	28%	33%	19%	21%	29%	8%	20%	22%	21%
Disagree	9%	13%	9%	5%	8%	9%	6%	6%	8%	9%	10%
Strongly disagree	4%	3%	7%	6%	4%	5%	7%	6%	5%	4%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q35.d											
Strongly agree	32%	34%	31%	47%	34%	32%	32%	26%	28%	27%	31%
Agree	34%	33%	36%	27%	39%	34%	36%	50%	30%	37%	33%
Neither agree nor disagree	21%	21%	19%	18%	11%	21%	18%	14%	32%	22%	23%
Disagree	9%	7%	10%	8%	9%	9%	9%	4%	9%	14%	11%
Strongly disagree	4%	5%	3%	-	7%	4%	5%	5%	1%	-	2%

Q36 What do you think should happen to a dental professional who fails to report concerns about another dental or health professional?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q36											
It should be investigated at the dental professional's workplace in the first instance	84%	85%	84%	67%	91%	86%	68%	95%	84%	88%	87%
Nothing - it is a matter of conscience	9%	12%	7%	11%	5%	6%	20%	3%	12%	5%	9%
Referred straight to the General Dental Council for investigation	6%	4%	8%	21%	3%	8%	12%	3%	4%	8%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q36											
It should be investigated at the dental professional's workplace in the first instance	84%	83%	80%	85%	84%	87%	88%	86%	85%	84%	82%
Nothing - it is a matter of conscience	9%	5%	14%	8%	9%	8%	9%	10%	9%	8%	12%
Referred straight to the General Dental Council for investigation	6%	12%	6%	7%	8%	5%	3%	4%	6%	7%	6%

Q36 What do you think should happen to a dental professional who fails to report concerns about another dental or health professional?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q36											
It should be investigated at the dental professional's workplace in the first instance	84%	83%	76%	80%	81%	86%	58%	88%	84%	83%	85%
Nothing - it is a matter of conscience	9%	11%	14%	20%	14%	7%	32%	5%	10%	9%	9%
Referred straight to the General Dental Council for investigation	6%	6%	10%	0%	5%	7%	10%	7%	5%	7%	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q36											
It should be investigated at the dental professional's workplace in the first instance	84%	86%	88%	75%	76%	85%	86%	83%	83%	77%	79%
Nothing - it is a matter of conscience	9%	8%	6%	12%	18%	9%	8%	4%	11%	23%	13%
Referred straight to the General Dental Council for investigation	6%	6%	6%	13%	6%	6%	6%	13%	6%	-	8%

Q37a How confident, if at all, are you would be that appropriate action would be taken by a regulator - Disabled patients receiving poor dental care

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q37.a											
Very confident	41%	35%	44%	25%	41%	47%	30%	36%	35%	38%	25%
Fairly confident	44%	44%	44%	47%	45%	43%	48%	47%	44%	51%	44%
Not very confident	13%	18%	9%	27%	12%	7%	17%	14%	18%	11%	24%
Not at all confident	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	3%	3%	-	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q37.a											
Very confident	41%	46%	46%	45%	42%	39%	32%	27%	41%	43%	41%
Fairly confident	44%	40%	41%	43%	45%	42%	47%	47%	44%	44%	48%
Not very confident	13%	11%	10%	10%	10%	17%	18%	21%	13%	11%	11%
Not at all confident	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	5%	3%	2%	1%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q37.a											
Very confident	41%	29%	39%	32%	33%	43%	12%	54%	47%	43%	36%
Fairly confident	44%	46%	38%	42%	47%	43%	79%	37%	42%	42%	48%
Not very confident	13%	16%	17%	21%	17%	11%	7%	-	10%	12%	13%
Not at all confident	3%	9%	6%	6%	3%	3%	1%	9%	1%	3%	3%

Q37a How confident, if at all, are you would be that appropriate action would be taken by a regulator - Disabled patients receiving poor dental care

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q37.a											
Very confident	41%	34%	32%	23%	36%	40%	49%	50%	38%	37%	33%
Fairly confident	44%	46%	46%	47%	51%	45%	40%	37%	30%	54%	47%
Not very confident	13%	17%	18%	25%	8%	13%	8%	13%	25%	9%	16%
Not at all confident	3%	3%	4%	5%	5%	3%	3%	1%	6%	-	4%

Q37b How confident are you would be that appropriate action would be taken by a regulator - Patients being overcharged for dental treatment

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q37.b											
Very confident	36%	35%	37%	14%	35%	40%	17%	31%	36%	34%	24%
Fairly confident	43%	45%	42%	35%	48%	43%	30%	58%	45%	58%	44%
Not very confident	16%	16%	16%	38%	14%	13%	38%	8%	15%	8%	26%
Not at all confident	5%	4%	5%	13%	3%	4%	15%	4%	4%	-	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q37.b											
Very confident	36%	38%	37%	38%	36%	34%	32%	33%	37%	37%	31%
Fairly confident	43%	42%	43%	42%	45%	43%	46%	43%	42%	47%	52%
Not very confident	16%	16%	14%	15%	15%	19%	16%	19%	16%	14%	15%
Not at all confident	5%	4%	6%	5%	4%	5%	6%	5%	5%	2%	3%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q37.b											
Very confident	36%	28%	23%	19%	31%	38%	13%	27%	41%	36%	34%
Fairly confident	43%	50%	40%	55%	42%	44%	66%	38%	43%	43%	47%
Not very confident	16%	11%	27%	20%	19%	14%	14%	32%	12%	16%	14%
Not at all confident	5%	11%	10%	6%	7%	4%	7%	3%	5%	4%	6%

Q37b How confident are you would be that appropriate action would be taken by a regulator - Patients being overcharged for dental treatment

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q37.b											
Very confident	36%	35%	31%	18%	49%	35%	47%	41%	34%	22%	40%
Fairly confident	43%	40%	47%	38%	26%	44%	40%	37%	34%	47%	40%
Not very confident	16%	20%	19%	35%	16%	16%	11%	14%	25%	23%	17%
Not at all confident	5%	5%	3%	9%	9%	5%	3%	8%	7%	7%	3%

Q37c How confident are you would be that appropriate action would be taken by a regulator - Residents in a care home receiving poor dental care

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q37.c											
Very confident	32%	25%	36%	17%	31%	38%	24%	24%	26%	34%	18%
Fairly confident	40%	39%	40%	37%	41%	41%	39%	45%	39%	53%	35%
Not very confident	22%	29%	18%	28%	22%	15%	27%	26%	28%	13%	36%
Not at all confident	7%	7%	6%	18%	6%	6%	11%	5%	7%	-	12%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q37.c											
Very confident	32%	35%	36%	36%	33%	29%	23%	18%	32%	34%	26%
Fairly confident	40%	42%	40%	40%	40%	38%	42%	38%	39%	39%	43%
Not very confident	22%	19%	20%	18%	21%	26%	28%	32%	22%	23%	24%
Not at all confident	7%	4%	4%	6%	6%	6%	8%	12%	7%	4%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q37.c											
Very confident	32%	21%	27%	23%	24%	34%	12%	57%	37%	34%	28%
Fairly confident	40%	41%	46%	32%	39%	40%	56%	21%	38%	40%	41%
Not very confident	22%	27%	19%	38%	28%	20%	25%	11%	20%	20%	22%
Not at all confident	7%	10%	9%	7%	8%	6%	7%	12%	4%	5%	8%

Q37c How confident are you would be that appropriate action would be taken by a regulator - Residents in a care home receiving poor dental care

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q37.c											
Very confident	32%	24%	16%	23%	24%	31%	37%	42%	33%	27%	27%
Fairly confident	40%	40%	44%	31%	49%	40%	38%	36%	31%	31%	36%
Not very confident	22%	27%	30%	33%	21%	22%	19%	11%	27%	42%	28%
Not at all confident	7%	10%	10%	13%	6%	7%	5%	11%	9%	-	8%

Q38 Before your registration, did your education course cover how to raise concerns about poor standards of care?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	1941	561	1380	19	78	1123	150	66	552	12	18
Q38											
Yes	57%	60%	55%	76%	74%	57%	33%	78%	61%	56%	49%
No	43%	40%	45%	24%	26%	43%	67%	22%	39%	44%	51%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	1941	217	433	1291	-	-	-	-	1516	209	72
Q38											
Yes	57%	69%	68%	51%	-	-	-	-	57%	57%	60%
No	43%	31%	32%	49%	-	-	-	-	43%	43%	40%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	1941	48	96	1	384	1557	0	36	836	564	305
Q38											
Yes	57%	59%	40%	52%	54%	57%	80%	55%	60%	55%	52%
No	43%	41%	60%	48%	46%	43%	20%	45%	40%	45%	48%

Q38 Before your registration, did your education course cover how to raise concerns about poor standards of care?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	1941	178	17	5	0	1589	178	59	18	22	75
Q38											
Yes	57%	51%	65%	49%	30%	55%	64%	63%	68%	66%	60%
No	43%	49%	35%	51%	70%	45%	36%	37%	32%	34%	40%

Q39 Has raising a concern about poor standards of care featured in your training since registration?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q39											
Yes	61%	58%	63%	70%	61%	66%	46%	54%	58%	76%	57%
No	39%	42%	37%	30%	39%	34%	54%	46%	42%	24%	43%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q39											
Yes	61%	46%	65%	67%	55%	62%	58%	59%	64%	52%	49%
No	39%	54%	35%	33%	45%	38%	42%	41%	36%	48%	51%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q39											
Yes	61%	49%	48%	48%	57%	63%	87%	70%	62%	62%	62%
No	39%	51%	52%	52%	43%	37%	13%	30%	38%	38%	38%

Q39 Has raising a concern about poor standards of care featured in your training since registration?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q39											
Yes	61%	58%	60%	53%	58%	60%	66%	70%	61%	68%	62%
No	39%	42%	40%	47%	42%	40%	34%	30%	39%	32%	38%

Q40 How confident would you feel about raising a concern about poor standards of care as a result of your education or training?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	2509	921	1588	30	179	1244	114	77	874	18	84
Q40											
Very confident	31%	25%	35%	45%	31%	36%	25%	28%	24%	47%	38%
Fairly confident	53%	58%	50%	42%	56%	50%	46%	61%	58%	53%	52%
Not very confident	11%	12%	11%	6%	10%	10%	18%	5%	13%	-	2%
Not at all confident	1%	1%	1%	3%	-	1%	4%	-	1%	-	1%
Don't know	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	7%	6%	4%	-	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	2509	172	370	1021	415	110	84	336	2033	228	97
Q40											
Very confident	31%	25%	24%	31%	37%	23%	30%	37%	32%	28%	27%
Fairly confident	53%	55%	53%	54%	50%	60%	55%	51%	53%	49%	53%
Not very confident	11%	13%	20%	10%	7%	12%	11%	9%	10%	17%	18%
Not at all confident	1%	1%	-	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%
Don't know	4%	5%	4%	3%	5%	4%	3%	2%	4%	4%	1%

Q40 How confident would you feel about raising a concern about poor standards of care as a result of your education or training?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	2509	65	85	1	619	1889	1	35	757	730	535
Q40											
Very confident	31%	18%	26%	29%	32%	31%	19%	12%	27%	28%	35%
Fairly confident	53%	60%	57%	33%	55%	53%	58%	42%	54%	57%	52%
Not very confident	11%	12%	15%	23%	8%	12%	8%	45%	14%	10%	8%
Not at all confident	1%	-	-	0%	2%	1%	0%	-	1%	1%	1%
Don't know	4%	9%	2%	15%	4%	4%	15%	-	4%	4%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	2509	366	66	20	1	2033	234	72	30	32	108
Q40											
Very confident	31%	39%	40%	32%	42%	32%	24%	42%	27%	10%	32%
Fairly confident	53%	47%	55%	61%	44%	52%	60%	52%	48%	72%	50%
Not very confident	11%	10%	4%	2%	1%	11%	9%	2%	13%	18%	13%
Not at all confident	1%	2%	-	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	3%	-	0%
Don't know	4%	3%	1%	2%	13%	3%	6%	3%	9%	-	5%

Q41 A dental professional would provide an explanation to a patient when something has gone wrong in their care or treatment?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q41											
Very likely	39%	40%	39%	33%	47%	41%	19%	45%	40%	48%	29%
Fairly likely	48%	51%	46%	56%	45%	45%	47%	47%	51%	42%	57%
Not very likely	9%	7%	11%	10%	5%	10%	23%	6%	7%	7%	11%
Not at all likely	1%	0%	2%	-	0%	1%	6%	-	0%	-	1%
Don't know	2%	1%	3%	-	3%	3%	5%	2%	1%	4%	2%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q41											
Very likely	39%	41%	33%	40%	43%	33%	38%	39%	41%	33%	35%
Fairly likely	48%	44%	51%	46%	44%	56%	55%	52%	47%	55%	50%
Not very likely	9%	11%	14%	10%	9%	7%	5%	6%	9%	8%	9%
Not at all likely	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	1%	3%
Don't know	2%	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%

Q41 A dental professional would provide an explanation to a patient when something has gone wrong in their care or treatment?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q41											
Very likely	39%	34%	37%	31%	37%	40%	41%	19%	38%	39%	42%
Fairly likely	48%	58%	44%	45%	50%	47%	50%	68%	49%	46%	46%
Not very likely	9%	4%	15%	18%	10%	9%	0%	12%	9%	11%	9%
Not at all likely	1%	2%	-	2%	1%	1%	0%	-	1%	1%	1%
Don't know	2%	2%	4%	5%	2%	3%	8%	-	2%	3%	2%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q41											
Very likely	39%	41%	38%	29%	48%	39%	38%	45%	43%	29%	44%
Fairly likely	48%	48%	51%	58%	43%	48%	51%	49%	40%	59%	46%
Not very likely	9%	8%	5%	7%	4%	10%	7%	6%	15%	10%	8%
Not at all likely	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	-	-	-	0%
Don't know	2%	2%	5%	4%	5%	2%	2%	-	1%	3%	2%

Q42 Have you ever checked whether dental professionals you have worked with have had any disciplinary actions taken against them?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q42											
Yes	21%	26%	18%	27%	15%	17%	21%	19%	26%	17%	37%
No	79%	74%	82%	73%	85%	83%	79%	81%	74%	83%	63%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q42											
Yes	21%	6%	23%	17%	21%	21%	24%	32%	22%	16%	12%
No	79%	94%	77%	83%	79%	79%	76%	68%	78%	84%	88%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q42											
Yes	21%	19%	26%	19%	31%	17%	35%	35%	18%	19%	21%
No	79%	81%	74%	81%	69%	83%	65%	65%	82%	81%	79%

Q42 Have you ever checked whether dental professionals you have worked with have had any disciplinary actions taken against them?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q42											
Yes	21%	25%	29%	36%	22%	21%	20%	21%	26%	25%	22%
No	79%	75%	71%	64%	78%	79%	80%	79%	74%	75%	78%

Q43 How did you check this?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	758	371	387	10	39	288	46	19	340	4	53
Q43											
Consult the General Dental Council	65%	64%	67%	79%	81%	68%	47%	83%	64%	100%	65%
Ask staff at your dental workplace	28%	30%	27%	12%	10%	29%	33%	8%	30%	-	26%
Ask another dental professional not at the same dental workplace	20%	27%	13%	12%	6%	13%	15%	-	28%	-	23%
Look at media coverage	10%	9%	12%	28%	2%	12%	16%	4%	9%	-	7%
Other	10%	13%	8%	14%	11%	7%	9%	10%	11%	-	19%
Consult the Care Quality Commission	4%	4%	4%	-	2%	5%	-	-	4%	-	6%
Don't know / can't remember	2%	3%	2%	-	2%	2%	-	-	3%	-	6%
None of these	1%	2%	0%	-	-	0%	-	-	2%	-	3%
Consult the Health Service Ombudsman	1%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	4%	-	1%	-	-

Q43 How did you check this?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	758	13	101	227	161	39	34	183	626	56	17
Q43											
Consult the General Dental Council	65%	52%	49%	66%	73%	76%	67%	64%	66%	77%	64%
Ask staff at your dental workplace	28%	52%	47%	25%	29%	25%	22%	21%	27%	15%	38%
Ask another dental professional not at the same dental workplace	20%	13%	10%	15%	15%	22%	23%	35%	20%	18%	31%
Look at media coverage	10%	13%	16%	9%	14%	13%	7%	7%	11%	7%	9%
Other	10%	-	7%	7%	10%	9%	11%	17%	9%	8%	21%
Consult the Care Quality Commission	4%	15%	6%	1%	4%	5%	7%	4%	4%	-	-
Don't know / can't remember	2%	5%	-	3%	1%	-	0%	4%	2%	-	6%
None of these	1%	7%	-	0%	-	1%	5%	3%	1%	4%	3%
Consult the Health Service Ombudsman	1%	-	4%	-	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-	-

Q43 How did you check this?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	758	20	37	0	303	455	0	13	178	200	178
Q43											
Consult the General Dental Council	65%	40%	46%	66%	65%	65%	42%	9%	63%	68%	72%
Ask staff at your dental workplace	28%	33%	55%	34%	27%	29%	1%	100%	35%	30%	21%
Ask another dental professional not at the same dental workplace	20%	17%	11%	39%	29%	14%	15%	-	8%	18%	23%
Look at media coverage	10%	3%	12%	7%	9%	11%	-	-	12%	10%	10%
Other	10%	30%	13%	15%	12%	9%	29%	-	11%	9%	9%
Consult the Care Quality Commission	4%	9%	-	18%	5%	3%	0%	9%	2%	5%	5%
Don't know / can't remember	2%	-	7%	-	2%	2%	1%	-	1%	2%	2%
None of these	1%	4%	0%	0%	2%	1%	29%	-	1%	-	2%
Consult the Health Service Ombudsman	1%	-	5%	-	2%	0%	-	-	-	2%	-

Q43 How did you check this?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	758	145	31	13	0	621	63	18	10	10	35
Q43											
Consult the General Dental Council	65%	61%	78%	34%	68%	63%	78%	90%	58%	21%	76%
Ask staff at your dental workplace	28%	22%	30%	20%	69%	28%	30%	14%	29%	36%	32%
Ask another dental professional not at the same dental workplace	20%	29%	40%	26%	0%	20%	25%	3%	15%	21%	14%
Look at media coverage	10%	9%	12%	16%	-	11%	8%	10%	5%	27%	3%
Other	10%	14%	12%	3%	3%	10%	5%	-	23%	30%	17%
Consult the Care Quality Commission	4%	3%	2%	-	0%	4%	2%	-	16%	6%	9%
Don't know / can't remember	2%	4%	-	11%	1%	2%	1%	-	5%	9%	0%
None of these	1%	3%	2%	7%	2%	1%	1%	3%	-	-	3%
Consult the Health Service Ombudsman	1%	3%	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	3%

Q44 If you were to check whether action was taken, how would you do this?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	2853	1037	1816	27	221	1362	173	81	984	20	92
Q44											
Ask staff at your dental workplace	31%	33%	29%	43%	34%	28%	30%	28%	33%	17%	28%
Don't know/can't remember	27%	28%	27%	23%	27%	26%	30%	41%	29%	8%	27%
Consult the Care Quality Commission	19%	15%	22%	17%	16%	23%	15%	8%	16%	45%	14%
Ask another dental professional not at the same dental workplace	13%	18%	11%	17%	13%	9%	26%	8%	17%	14%	29%
Other	11%	14%	10%	19%	7%	11%	7%	2%	14%	18%	22%
Consult the Health Service Ombudsman	11%	10%	12%	2%	13%	11%	17%	11%	9%	18%	12%
Look at media coverage	9%	9%	10%	6%	11%	9%	12%	9%	9%	18%	11%
None of these	9%	9%	9%	16%	9%	9%	8%	14%	10%	14%	8%

Q44 If you were to check whether action was taken, how would you do this?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	2853	204	332	1072	598	142	110	395	2227	305	127
Q44											
Ask staff at your dental workplace	31%	35%	38%	31%	29%	22%	25%	30%	31%	26%	38%
Don't know/can't remember	27%	32%	24%	28%	27%	31%	28%	24%	26%	30%	35%
Consult the Care Quality Commission	19%	20%	22%	17%	22%	20%	23%	15%	21%	11%	11%
Ask another dental professional not at the same dental workplace	13%	5%	14%	11%	14%	19%	17%	19%	12%	15%	22%
Other	11%	5%	6%	11%	12%	14%	11%	18%	12%	12%	12%
Consult the Health Service Ombudsman	11%	14%	7%	10%	14%	15%	15%	10%	11%	13%	7%
Look at media coverage	9%	11%	14%	10%	7%	10%	8%	6%	9%	12%	6%
None of these	9%	8%	6%	9%	11%	8%	9%	12%	10%	10%	7%

Q44 If you were to check whether action was taken, how would you do this?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	2853	88	107	1	672	2180	1	23	797	846	653
Q44											
Ask staff at your dental workplace	31%	35%	33%	28%	32%	30%	35%	31%	34%	29%	30%
Don't know/can't remember	27%	20%	35%	46%	28%	27%	12%	20%	31%	27%	26%
Consult the Care Quality Commission	19%	17%	20%	8%	15%	20%	15%	31%	17%	21%	19%
Ask another dental professional not at the same dental workplace	13%	16%	18%	3%	20%	11%	14%	9%	11%	12%	15%
Other	11%	9%	5%	7%	14%	11%	1%	8%	9%	10%	16%
Consult the Health Service Ombudsman	11%	8%	10%	5%	9%	12%	52%	4%	8%	11%	15%
Look at media coverage	9%	8%	8%	11%	8%	10%	1%	23%	10%	11%	8%
None of these	9%	12%	-	3%	10%	9%	33%	4%	9%	11%	7%

Q44 If you were to check whether action was taken, how would you do this?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	2853	433	77	23	1	2349	252	69	29	31	122
Q44											
Ask staff at your dental workplace	31%	28%	31%	36%	16%	29%	38%	35%	37%	57%	28%
Don't know/can't remember	27%	25%	18%	21%	41%	28%	26%	17%	18%	4%	28%
Consult the Care Quality Commission	19%	18%	22%	11%	6%	19%	21%	14%	25%	27%	23%
Ask another dental professional not at the same dental workplace	13%	15%	23%	15%	10%	13%	14%	12%	17%	24%	16%
Other	11%	13%	17%	12%	7%	12%	10%	7%	12%	9%	11%
Consult the Health Service Ombudsman	11%	13%	9%	7%	6%	12%	10%	5%	5%	20%	9%
Look at media coverage	9%	6%	8%	11%	17%	9%	8%	21%	6%	29%	7%
None of these	9%	11%	10%	10%	14%	9%	10%	11%	11%	13%	13%

Q45a Please indicate how useful the star rating system would be in... Choosing a dentist

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q45.a											
Very useful	25%	9%	35%	24%	23%	38%	28%	23%	9%	21%	10%
Quite useful	36%	31%	39%	34%	45%	38%	42%	38%	32%	63%	24%
Not useful	20%	27%	16%	27%	21%	14%	20%	28%	27%	12%	26%
Not at all useful	13%	23%	6%	15%	6%	5%	7%	7%	23%	-	31%
Don't know	6%	9%	5%	-	4%	5%	3%	4%	9%	4%	9%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q45.a											
Very useful	25%	33%	28%	28%	29%	18%	18%	11%	25%	28%	26%
Quite useful	36%	37%	42%	38%	37%	32%	36%	27%	37%	33%	36%
Not useful	20%	14%	13%	18%	20%	23%	20%	33%	20%	18%	21%
Not at all useful	13%	9%	11%	10%	9%	21%	22%	22%	13%	13%	15%
Don't know	6%	7%	7%	6%	5%	7%	5%	7%	6%	8%	2%

Q45a Please indicate how useful the star rating system would be in... Choosing a dentist

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q45.a											
Very useful	25%	25%	13%	16%	14%	29%	16%	28%	26%	29%	23%
Quite useful	36%	24%	40%	18%	29%	38%	26%	62%	36%	36%	37%
Not useful	20%	28%	24%	26%	27%	17%	32%	5%	19%	18%	20%
Not at all useful	13%	14%	12%	21%	24%	8%	19%	-	13%	10%	14%
Don't know	6%	9%	12%	18%	6%	6%	7%	5%	5%	7%	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q45.a											
Very useful	25%	21%	20%	12%	16%	26%	19%	30%	32%	18%	12%
Quite useful	36%	33%	28%	27%	14%	36%	38%	35%	35%	39%	33%
Not useful	20%	24%	32%	32%	33%	20%	19%	19%	10%	20%	31%
Not at all useful	13%	15%	13%	23%	23%	12%	16%	8%	18%	24%	18%
Don't know	6%	6%	8%	5%	14%	6%	7%	8%	5%	-	5%

Q45b Please indicate how useful the star rating system would be in... Improving the quality of dentistry / driving service improvement in dentistry

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q45.b											
Very useful	25%	10%	34%	31%	24%	37%	28%	23%	10%	21%	11%
Quite useful	36%	32%	38%	20%	43%	37%	33%	39%	33%	63%	26%
Not useful	19%	25%	16%	28%	20%	14%	25%	28%	24%	12%	28%
Not at all useful	13%	25%	6%	22%	7%	5%	11%	7%	24%	-	28%
Don't know	7%	9%	5%	-	5%	6%	4%	3%	9%	4%	8%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q45.b											
Very useful	25%	37%	29%	27%	27%	18%	20%	12%	25%	28%	26%
Quite useful	36%	30%	40%	39%	37%	33%	31%	27%	36%	32%	36%
Not useful	19%	18%	11%	17%	21%	20%	21%	30%	19%	17%	20%
Not at all useful	13%	9%	11%	10%	11%	22%	22%	24%	13%	15%	15%
Don't know	7%	7%	9%	7%	6%	7%	5%	7%	7%	8%	4%

Q45b Please indicate how useful the star rating system would be in... Improving the quality of dentistry / driving service improvement in dentistry

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q45.b											
Very useful	25%	26%	17%	13%	15%	29%	23%	25%	25%	28%	23%
Quite useful	36%	29%	44%	25%	28%	38%	13%	56%	36%	36%	36%
Not useful	19%	25%	21%	20%	26%	17%	45%	11%	19%	17%	19%
Not at all useful	13%	15%	12%	27%	26%	9%	19%	5%	13%	11%	15%
Don't know	7%	6%	7%	16%	6%	7%	1%	3%	7%	7%	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q45.b											
Very useful	25%	21%	21%	14%	16%	26%	20%	34%	33%	23%	13%
Quite useful	36%	33%	29%	27%	20%	35%	39%	41%	39%	32%	33%
Not useful	19%	23%	27%	33%	24%	20%	15%	11%	5%	28%	28%
Not at all useful	13%	16%	17%	20%	22%	13%	18%	6%	17%	17%	20%
Don't know	7%	7%	7%	6%	18%	7%	8%	8%	6%	-	7%

Q46 On qualification, how prepared were you for independent practice as a safe beginner?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you								Q7 How long have you been on th...	
		Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years
Base	571	2	-	3	2	-	555	-	18	95	175
Q46											
Very confident	16%	-	-	-	-	-	16%	-	19%	16%	18%
Quite confident	56%	100%	-	74%	-	-	56%	-	46%	58%	60%
Not very confident	24%	-	-	-	-	-	24%	-	6%	19%	19%
Not at all confident	1%	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	1%	1%
Don't know	3%	-	-	26%	100%	-	3%	-	29%	6%	1%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					Q66 Which country do you live in ?				
		3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other
Base	571	302	-	-	-	-	415	47	25	10	73
Q46											
Very confident	16%	15%	-	-	-	-	13%	21%	19%	-	34%
Quite confident	56%	52%	-	-	-	-	59%	49%	55%	95%	36%
Not very confident	24%	28%	-	-	-	-	25%	26%	21%	5%	18%
Not at all confident	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	2%	5%	-	-
Don't know	3%	4%	-	-	-	-	2%	2%	-	-	13%

Q46 On qualification, how prepared were you for independent practice as a safe beginner?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which cou...	Q58 Gender			Q59 Age					
		Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60	61 - 65
Base	571	0	246	325	0	-	357	154	41	18	-
Q46											
Very confident	16%	25%	22%	12%	90%	-	11%	18%	39%	49%	-
Quite confident	56%	42%	56%	56%	10%	-	59%	56%	40%	26%	-
Not very confident	24%	32%	16%	29%	0%	-	27%	20%	8%	20%	-
Not at all confident	1%	-	2%	0%	-	-	1%	1%	-	-	-
Don't know	3%	-	4%	3%	-	-	2%	5%	13%	5%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age		Q60 Ethnicity					
		65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	571	1	0	390	118	12	5	18	28
Q46									
Very confident	16%	-	-	19%	10%	7%	-	7%	14%
Quite confident	56%	-	67%	54%	57%	73%	57%	53%	69%
Not very confident	24%	-	33%	21%	32%	11%	22%	40%	17%
Not at all confident	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-	-	-	-
Don't know	3%	100%	-	4%	1%	9%	22%	-	-

Q47 Over the past two years, how many, if any, external inspections has your place of work undergone?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q47											
None	12%	10%	13%	18%	8%	10%	40%	9%	10%	9%	12%
1	36%	35%	37%	24%	49%	39%	13%	39%	35%	15%	33%
2	22%	24%	20%	27%	20%	21%	13%	19%	24%	47%	21%
3	7%	8%	7%	4%	7%	8%	2%	9%	8%	18%	5%
4	2%	3%	2%	-	2%	2%	1%	-	3%	5%	3%
5 or more	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%
Don't know	14%	13%	14%	16%	11%	14%	19%	17%	13%	4%	16%
Not applicable	5%	5%	4%	8%	2%	4%	11%	4%	6%	-	7%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q47											
None	12%	15%	12%	13%	12%	9%	9%	9%	10%	10%	24%
1	36%	30%	44%	31%	40%	38%	36%	39%	38%	36%	38%
2	22%	11%	21%	21%	22%	24%	22%	26%	23%	20%	8%
3	7%	2%	3%	9%	6%	12%	11%	8%	8%	5%	4%
4	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%	1%	2%
5 or more	2%	2%	-	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%
Don't know	14%	26%	13%	16%	13%	10%	12%	8%	13%	20%	14%
Not applicable	5%	13%	4%	5%	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	6%	9%

Q47 Over the past two years, how many, if any, external inspections has your place of work undergone?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q47											
None	12%	6%	42%	18%	14%	11%	17%	37%	9%	11%	13%
1	36%	16%	15%	35%	32%	38%	27%	20%	37%	36%	37%
2	22%	37%	8%	14%	23%	21%	40%	8%	21%	21%	22%
3	7%	20%	1%	3%	8%	7%	13%	2%	6%	9%	8%
4	2%	7%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	6%	3%	3%	2%
5 or more	2%	1%	1%	0%	3%	2%	0%	-	2%	2%	1%
Don't know	14%	11%	13%	15%	12%	15%	2%	24%	18%	14%	12%
Not applicable	5%	2%	17%	13%	6%	4%	1%	2%	5%	4%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q47											
None	12%	13%	16%	10%	17%	12%	11%	8%	8%	6%	16%
1	36%	35%	32%	33%	27%	37%	36%	26%	39%	41%	32%
2	22%	24%	25%	23%	24%	21%	23%	21%	26%	20%	25%
3	7%	6%	6%	9%	5%	7%	12%	11%	1%	11%	8%
4	2%	2%	1%	-	1%	2%	4%	3%	1%	4%	2%
5 or more	2%	3%	4%	2%	0%	2%	1%	9%	4%	1%	1%
Don't know	14%	11%	9%	13%	21%	15%	10%	7%	10%	12%	14%
Not applicable	5%	6%	8%	11%	5%	5%	4%	15%	11%	4%	2%

Q48 Were these from different regulators or repeat inspections from the same regulator?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	1211	514	697	12	79	548	38	31	482	17	48
Q48											
Different regulators	70%	76%	65%	63%	64%	68%	35%	40%	77%	55%	68%
Repeat inspections from the same regulator	23%	19%	26%	29%	28%	22%	63%	46%	19%	38%	23%
Don't know	7%	5%	9%	7%	7%	10%	2%	14%	4%	7%	9%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	1211	36	115	456	244	71	57	232	1000	100	22
Q48											
Different regulators	70%	78%	61%	66%	69%	71%	72%	80%	75%	52%	56%
Repeat inspections from the same regulator	23%	6%	23%	27%	24%	22%	19%	17%	19%	26%	44%
Don't know	7%	16%	16%	7%	7%	7%	8%	2%	7%	22%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	1211	70	19	0	355	856	1	6	309	362	278
Q48											
Different regulators	70%	24%	78%	61%	74%	68%	58%	100%	66%	71%	71%
Repeat inspections from the same regulator	23%	72%	22%	21%	23%	23%	21%	-	20%	23%	25%
Don't know	7%	3%	-	18%	2%	9%	20%	-	14%	6%	4%

Q48 Were these from different regulators or repeat inspections from the same regulator?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	1211	204	38	12	0	963	125	39	13	15	56
Q48											
Different regulators	70%	72%	69%	76%	70%	68%	81%	60%	63%	71%	80%
Repeat inspections from the same regulator	23%	23%	26%	24%	30%	24%	13%	33%	37%	25%	12%
Don't know	7%	5%	5%	-	-	8%	6%	7%	-	3%	8%

Q49 To what extent do you believe the inspections(s) were effective in assessing the quality of your place of work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	2515	1002	1512	21	207	1191	67	70	944	21	96
Q49											
Very effective	33%	22%	40%	37%	33%	42%	30%	27%	22%	36%	22%
Quite effective	46%	49%	45%	49%	49%	43%	52%	51%	50%	56%	42%
Not very effective	14%	19%	11%	10%	13%	10%	12%	14%	19%	8%	18%
Not at all effective	4%	6%	3%	-	4%	3%	0%	4%	6%	-	12%
Don't know	2%	3%	2%	4%	2%	2%	6%	4%	3%	-	5%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	2515	100	307	856	547	140	109	456	2079	231	76
Q49											
Very effective	33%	49%	31%	37%	35%	25%	27%	24%	33%	35%	35%
Quite effective	46%	41%	50%	45%	44%	50%	51%	49%	45%	52%	47%
Not very effective	14%	6%	15%	12%	14%	16%	15%	17%	15%	8%	11%
Not at all effective	4%	0%	3%	3%	4%	6%	6%	8%	5%	2%	1%
Don't know	2%	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%	1%	1%	2%	2%	6%

Q49 To what extent do you believe the inspections(s) were effective in assessing the quality of your place of work?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	2515	88	40	1	663	1851	1	13	668	741	589
Q49											
Very effective	33%	38%	20%	32%	24%	36%	26%	51%	34%	35%	33%
Quite effective	46%	50%	66%	43%	47%	46%	51%	24%	45%	47%	46%
Not very effective	14%	4%	10%	11%	20%	12%	15%	25%	16%	12%	12%
Not at all effective	4%	4%	3%	14%	7%	3%	8%	-	3%	3%	5%
Don't know	2%	4%	-	-	2%	3%	-	-	2%	3%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	2515	407	73	24	1	2049	237	62	28	32	106
Q49											
Very effective	33%	29%	25%	18%	17%	34%	30%	46%	29%	20%	27%
Quite effective	46%	47%	57%	40%	47%	47%	49%	38%	55%	59%	36%
Not very effective	14%	17%	11%	26%	34%	13%	13%	9%	12%	17%	29%
Not at all effective	4%	6%	8%	15%	2%	4%	4%	4%	5%	2%	7%
Don't know	2%	1%	-	-	-	2%	4%	3%	-	3%	1%

Q50 Dentists/DCPs who have qualified overseas and practise in the UK receive training about how the UK dental system works

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q50											
True	51%	45%	56%	59%	50%	58%	47%	52%	46%	68%	36%
False	49%	55%	44%	41%	50%	42%	53%	48%	54%	32%	64%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q50											
True	51%	62%	56%	55%	52%	42%	46%	39%	52%	49%	47%
False	49%	38%	44%	45%	48%	58%	54%	61%	48%	51%	53%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q50											
True	51%	47%	53%	62%	44%	54%	29%	47%	50%	58%	49%
False	49%	53%	47%	38%	56%	46%	71%	53%	50%	42%	51%

Q50 Dentists/DCPs who have qualified overseas and practise in the UK receive training about how the UK dental system works

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q50											
True	51%	48%	43%	33%	43%	51%	57%	63%	38%	36%	51%
False	49%	52%	57%	67%	57%	49%	43%	37%	62%	64%	49%

Q51 Dentists/DCPs who have qualified overseas & practise in the UK receive training about how dental patients expect to be treated in the UK

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q51											
True	33%	32%	34%	44%	27%	36%	35%	23%	33%	32%	23%
False	67%	68%	66%	56%	73%	64%	65%	77%	67%	68%	77%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q51											
True	33%	47%	38%	37%	32%	25%	25%	22%	33%	28%	27%
False	67%	53%	62%	63%	68%	75%	75%	78%	67%	72%	73%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q51											
True	33%	32%	51%	35%	31%	34%	28%	36%	31%	40%	32%
False	67%	68%	49%	65%	69%	66%	72%	64%	69%	60%	68%

Q51 Dentists/DCPs who have qualified overseas & practise in the UK receive training about how dental patients expect to be treated in the UK

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q51											
True	33%	29%	28%	25%	21%	32%	39%	58%	29%	35%	31%
False	67%	71%	72%	75%	79%	68%	61%	42%	71%	65%	69%

Q52 During the last year, do you think the number of complaints received by your work place(s)...?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q52											
Increased	10%	11%	9%	5%	10%	10%	3%	16%	11%	21%	13%
Stayed about the same	41%	45%	39%	38%	42%	40%	31%	49%	44%	53%	52%
Decreased	18%	18%	19%	30%	15%	19%	17%	10%	19%	10%	11%
Don't know	30%	26%	33%	28%	34%	31%	49%	25%	26%	16%	25%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q52											
Increased	10%	5%	10%	10%	10%	13%	14%	10%	10%	8%	5%
Stayed about the same	41%	26%	39%	37%	42%	48%	49%	54%	42%	38%	38%
Decreased	18%	15%	16%	19%	22%	18%	18%	15%	19%	15%	24%
Don't know	30%	54%	35%	34%	26%	21%	19%	20%	29%	39%	33%

Q52 During the last year, do you think the number of complaints received by your work place(s)...

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q52											
Increased	10%	7%	11%	7%	10%	10%	12%	6%	12%	10%	10%
Stayed about the same	41%	50%	37%	36%	45%	40%	40%	42%	39%	41%	42%
Decreased	18%	12%	12%	22%	20%	18%	16%	13%	18%	20%	19%
Don't know	30%	30%	40%	35%	25%	32%	32%	39%	32%	30%	29%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q52											
Increased	10%	7%	10%	10%	1%	9%	12%	10%	25%	13%	14%
Stayed about the same	41%	45%	45%	45%	49%	43%	36%	16%	39%	30%	41%
Decreased	18%	18%	12%	9%	14%	17%	25%	41%	13%	24%	15%
Don't know	30%	29%	33%	36%	36%	31%	27%	33%	24%	32%	31%

Q53a Identifying complaints that can be investigated using the workplace patient complaints process

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q53.a											
Very effective	44%	45%	43%	43%	50%	44%	22%	45%	45%	61%	46%
Quite effective	38%	41%	36%	45%	36%	36%	32%	43%	41%	32%	40%
Not very effective	4%	3%	4%	2%	2%	4%	5%	-	3%	-	3%
Not at all effective	1%	0%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	4%	-
Don't know	14%	10%	17%	8%	11%	15%	40%	12%	11%	4%	11%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q53.a											
Very effective	44%	32%	27%	42%	46%	49%	55%	57%	46%	34%	45%
Quite effective	38%	41%	49%	37%	37%	37%	32%	32%	37%	40%	36%
Not very effective	4%	3%	6%	4%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	7%	1%
Not at all effective	1%	-	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%
Don't know	14%	23%	17%	17%	12%	12%	10%	8%	14%	18%	18%

Q53a Identifying complaints that can be investigated using the workplace patient complaints process

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q53.a											
Very effective	44%	45%	19%	32%	46%	43%	37%	26%	37%	43%	48%
Quite effective	38%	41%	49%	35%	36%	38%	39%	53%	41%	38%	36%
Not very effective	4%	5%	12%	0%	4%	4%	6%	-	5%	4%	2%
Not at all effective	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	-	0%	1%	1%
Don't know	14%	9%	19%	33%	13%	15%	19%	20%	17%	14%	13%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q53.a											
Very effective	44%	51%	47%	47%	47%	44%	45%	40%	39%	34%	50%
Quite effective	38%	32%	35%	27%	30%	37%	44%	41%	48%	57%	33%
Not very effective	4%	3%	3%	5%	15%	4%	2%	3%	-	3%	4%
Not at all effective	1%	1%	-	-	0%	1%	1%	-	-	-	0%
Don't know	14%	14%	15%	21%	7%	15%	9%	17%	13%	6%	13%

Q53b Referring patient complaints to other organisations to investigate

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q53.b											
Very effective	32%	29%	33%	27%	34%	35%	23%	30%	29%	49%	25%
Quite effective	37%	39%	35%	36%	32%	36%	25%	43%	39%	32%	39%
Not very effective	7%	9%	6%	13%	6%	6%	6%	2%	9%	-	10%
Not at all effective	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	1%	3%	8%	2%	11%	3%
Don't know	22%	20%	24%	21%	24%	22%	43%	17%	20%	7%	23%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q53.b											
Very effective	32%	27%	24%	30%	35%	32%	36%	36%	33%	26%	28%
Quite effective	37%	39%	46%	34%	37%	40%	34%	34%	36%	38%	38%
Not very effective	7%	8%	9%	7%	6%	7%	4%	9%	7%	7%	5%
Not at all effective	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Don't know	22%	24%	20%	26%	19%	19%	24%	19%	22%	26%	27%

Q53b Referring patient complaints to other organisations to investigate

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q53.b											
Very effective	32%	39%	22%	11%	31%	32%	17%	52%	29%	32%	34%
Quite effective	37%	38%	33%	38%	37%	36%	37%	22%	39%	36%	37%
Not very effective	7%	9%	19%	11%	9%	7%	16%	-	9%	8%	4%
Not at all effective	2%	1%	2%	0%	2%	2%	0%	-	2%	3%	2%
Don't know	22%	14%	24%	40%	20%	23%	30%	26%	21%	21%	23%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q53.b											
Very effective	32%	32%	25%	28%	31%	32%	29%	29%	33%	30%	32%
Quite effective	37%	33%	38%	22%	10%	36%	40%	42%	40%	41%	34%
Not very effective	7%	8%	10%	17%	32%	7%	9%	5%	7%	15%	9%
Not at all effective	2%	2%	1%	4%	0%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%
Don't know	22%	24%	25%	30%	27%	23%	20%	22%	18%	12%	22%

Gender

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you					
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324
Q58											
Male	27%	28%	29%	53%	10%	86%	5%	2%	73%	9%	52%
Female	73%	72%	71%	47%	89%	14%	95%	98%	27%	91%	48%
Prefer not to say	0%	0%	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the foll...		Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which cou...
		Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England
Base	3611	24	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853
Q58											
Male	27%	-	66%	22%	24%	18%	22%	36%	39%	52%	27%
Female	73%	100%	34%	78%	76%	82%	78%	63%	61%	48%	73%
Prefer not to say	0%	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?					Q59 Age				
		Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	361	144	108	144	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q58											
Male	27%	23%	31%	24%	35%	45%	3%	20%	23%	27%	39%
Female	73%	77%	69%	76%	65%	54%	97%	80%	77%	73%	61%
Prefer not to say	0%	0%	0%	-	0%	1%	-	-	0%	0%	0%

Gender

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q58										
Male	27%	57%	77%	51%	24%	47%	27%	24%	44%	37%
Female	73%	43%	23%	41%	76%	53%	73%	76%	56%	63%
Prefer not to say	0%	-	-	8%	0%	-	-	-	-	0%

Age

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100
Q59										
16 - 21	1%	2%	1%	-	2%	-	-	1%	5%	-
22 - 30	27%	26%	19%	28%	26%	5%	17%	30%	10%	40%
31 - 40	29%	28%	28%	28%	30%	22%	30%	31%	22%	38%
41 - 50	23%	24%	27%	21%	24%	43%	29%	23%	28%	8%
51 - 60	16%	16%	21%	16%	16%	17%	21%	13%	26%	12%
61 - 65	3%	3%	4%	5%	2%	9%	2%	1%	7%	2%
65 +	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	4%	1%	0%	2%	-
Prefer not to say	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply ...			Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?					
		Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years
Base	3611	1324	24	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144
Q59										
16 - 21	1%	-	-	-	5%	6%	-	-	-	-
22 - 30	27%	30%	11%	3%	66%	61%	33%	17%	1%	-
31 - 40	29%	28%	47%	24%	19%	25%	32%	43%	64%	26%
41 - 50	23%	21%	29%	29%	9%	6%	20%	25%	21%	60%
51 - 60	16%	16%	14%	30%	1%	3%	12%	12%	13%	13%
61 - 65	3%	4%	-	9%	-	-	1%	2%	2%	1%
65 +	1%	1%	-	5%	-	-	0%	0%	-	0%
Prefer not to say	0%	0%	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

Age

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q66 Which country do you live in?						Q58 Gender	
		21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales	Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female
Base	3611	578	2853	361	144	108	144	1	975	2635
Q59										
16 - 21	1%	-	1%	3%	-	-	6%	-	0%	1%
22 - 30	27%	0%	27%	28%	29%	28%	24%	19%	20%	30%
31 - 40	29%	0%	29%	28%	28%	28%	30%	35%	25%	31%
41 - 50	23%	37%	23%	23%	24%	31%	22%	26%	23%	23%
51 - 60	16%	46%	16%	15%	14%	10%	15%	16%	23%	13%
61 - 65	3%	12%	3%	2%	5%	3%	3%	2%	6%	2%
65 +	1%	5%	1%	0%	1%	0%	-	1%	3%	0%
Prefer not to say	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q58 Gender	Q60 Ethnicity					
		Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q59								
16 - 21	1%	-	1%	-	-	-	-	1%
22 - 30	27%	-	26%	38%	31%	14%	37%	20%
31 - 40	29%	43%	27%	39%	37%	54%	35%	31%
41 - 50	23%	32%	24%	14%	19%	22%	22%	24%
51 - 60	16%	17%	17%	6%	12%	10%	1%	22%
61 - 65	3%	-	3%	2%	1%	-	4%	1%
65 +	1%	-	1%	0%	-	-	-	1%
Prefer not to say	0%	8%	0%	-	-	-	-	0%

Ethnicity

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you						
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24
Q60												
White	82%	82%	83%	71%	89%	80%	86%	90%	85%	83%	71%	100%
Asian or Asian British	9%	9%	7%	17%	4%	11%	7%	3%	6%	6%	17%	-
Black or Black British	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	-	4%	3%	1%	8%	2%	-
Mixed	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	-	2%	-
Chinese or other ethnic group	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	-	-	0%	-	-	2%	-
Prefer not to say	4%	5%	5%	6%	3%	9%	2%	3%	6%	2%	6%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q1 Please t...	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Specialist	Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	146	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q60												
White	82%	79%	75%	83%	83%	82%	74%	78%	88%	80%	92%	89%
Asian or Asian British	9%	10%	13%	9%	9%	9%	14%	10%	4%	10%	3%	7%
Black or Black British	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	-
Mixed	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-
Chinese or other ethnic group	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-
Prefer not to say	4%	6%	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	9%	5%	5%	2%	4%

Ethnicity

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q60												
White	82%	98%	90%	46%	73%	86%	46%	97%	79%	77%	86%	88%
Asian or Asian British	9%	1%	-	12%	15%	6%	-	-	12%	12%	5%	3%
Black or Black British	2%	-	1%	-	2%	2%	-	-	3%	3%	2%	2%
Mixed	1%	-	3%	-	1%	1%	-	-	1%	2%	1%	1%
Chinese or other ethnic group	1%	-	2%	2%	2%	1%	-	-	2%	1%	1%	0%
Prefer not to say	4%	1%	4%	40%	6%	4%	54%	3%	3%	5%	5%	6%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age		
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1
Q60				
White	82%	91%	94%	33%
Asian or Asian British	9%	5%	3%	-
Black or Black British	2%	1%	-	-
Mixed	1%	-	-	-
Chinese or other ethnic group	1%	2%	-	-
Prefer not to say	4%	1%	2%	67%

Break % Respondents	Total	Previous years		Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you				
		2012	2011	Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist
Base	3611	4160	2827	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100
Q66										
England	79%	79%	52%	76%	81%	87%	88%	81%	80%	80%
Scotland	10%	10%	19%	9%	11%	5%	7%	12%	7%	7%
Wales	4%	5%	15%	4%	4%	5%	2%	4%	4%	4%
Northern Ireland	3%	3%	14%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	9%
Other	4%	3%	-	8%	1%	-	1%	1%	6%	-
Prefer not to say	0%	0%	-	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%

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Q66 Which country do you live in?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long ha...	Q58 Gender			Q59 Age				
		21 years and over	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50	51 - 60
Base	3611	578	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831	578
Q66										
England	79%	80%	79%	79%	70%	43%	79%	79%	78%	81%
Scotland	10%	9%	8%	11%	19%	32%	10%	10%	10%	10%
Wales	4%	4%	5%	4%	1%	-	4%	4%	4%	3%
Northern Ireland	3%	4%	3%	3%	-	-	3%	3%	4%	2%
Other	4%	3%	5%	4%	10%	26%	3%	4%	4%	4%
Prefer not to say	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	-	0%	0%	0%	0%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age			Q60 Ethnicity					
		61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q66										
England	79%	80%	90%	76%	77%	93%	93%	81%	86%	88%
Scotland	10%	6%	5%	7%	11%	4%	6%	8%	7%	4%
Wales	4%	7%	4%	1%	4%	3%	-	-	-	4%
Northern Ireland	3%	3%	1%	7%	4%	0%	-	-	-	1%
Other	4%	4%	-	8%	4%	-	1%	12%	7%	4%
Prefer not to say	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	-	-	0%	0%

Q67 Do you consider yourself to be disabled?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	3611	1408	2203	37	261	1650	219	100	1324	24	146
Q67											
Yes	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	-	2%
No	95%	97%	94%	88%	96%	95%	88%	97%	97%	100%	98%
Prefer not to say	3%	2%	4%	10%	3%	4%	8%	1%	2%	-	1%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	3611	217	433	1299	759	181	144	578	2853	361	144
Q67											
Yes	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	-	2%	1%	1%	3%
No	95%	99%	96%	94%	96%	95%	98%	95%	95%	96%	92%
Prefer not to say	3%	1%	3%	4%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	5%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	3611	108	144	1	975	2635	1	36	975	1046	831
Q67											
Yes	1%	3%	1%	-	2%	1%	5%	6%	0%	1%	2%
No	95%	94%	98%	69%	94%	96%	70%	94%	96%	96%	95%
Prefer not to say	3%	4%	1%	31%	4%	3%	25%	-	4%	3%	3%

Q67 Do you consider yourself to be disabled?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	3611	578	108	36	1	2970	315	88	39	41	157
Q67											
Yes	1%	2%	2%	1%	-	1%	1%	6%	-	-	1%
No	95%	94%	94%	97%	79%	96%	96%	94%	100%	100%	87%
Prefer not to say	3%	4%	4%	2%	21%	3%	3%	-	-	-	12%

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Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	292	107	184	4	24	125	22	16	101	6	12
Q69											
Very useful	35%	26%	39%	22%	39%	42%	38%	22%	26%	34%	49%
Quite useful	51%	53%	49%	78%	61%	46%	36%	78%	56%	66%	15%
Not very useful	10%	16%	7%	-	-	5%	26%	-	14%	-	36%
Not at all useful	2%	2%	1%	-	-	2%	-	-	3%	-	-
Don't know	3%	2%	3%	-	-	5%	-	-	2%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	292	16	26	98	73	15	11	52	227	37	7
Q69											
Very useful	35%	52%	35%	32%	34%	29%	22%	38%	36%	32%	22%
Quite useful	51%	32%	56%	54%	46%	57%	70%	48%	51%	53%	59%
Not very useful	10%	6%	9%	11%	12%	9%	8%	9%	7%	12%	18%
Not at all useful	2%	9%	-	-	3%	-	-	2%	2%	-	-
Don't know	3%	-	-	3%	5%	5%	0%	2%	3%	2%	-

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Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	292	7	14	0	79	213	0	4	54	96	68
Q69											
Very useful	35%	21%	23%	2%	33%	35%	1%	50%	28%	35%	36%
Quite useful	51%	66%	23%	97%	43%	53%	41%	50%	46%	53%	54%
Not very useful	10%	12%	54%	-	20%	7%	58%	-	19%	7%	8%
Not at all useful	2%	-	-	-	2%	2%	-	-	3%	2%	2%
Don't know	3%	-	-	1%	2%	3%	-	-	5%	3%	1%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	292	62	3	4	0	236	30	10	6	1	9
Q69											
Very useful	35%	34%	65%	43%	51%	34%	30%	65%	39%	100%	11%
Quite useful	51%	49%	35%	47%	-	50%	56%	35%	61%	-	65%
Not very useful	10%	13%	-	10%	38%	11%	11%	-	-	-	9%
Not at all useful	2%	1%	-	-	-	2%	-	-	-	-	16%
Don't know	3%	3%	-	-	11%	3%	3%	-	-	-	0%

Case Studies - How easy to read / comprehensible did you find this page?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	292	107	184	4	24	125	22	16	101	6	12
Q70											
Very easy to read	55%	55%	55%	41%	71%	52%	45%	72%	56%	80%	47%
Quite easy to read	41%	42%	40%	59%	29%	42%	55%	28%	43%	-	42%
Not very easy to read	1%	1%	2%	-	-	1%	-	-	0%	20%	11%
Not at all easy to read	1%	-	1%	-	-	2%	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	2%	1%	2%	-	-	3%	-	-	1%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	292	16	26	98	73	15	11	52	227	37	7
Q70											
Very easy to read	55%	55%	30%	55%	55%	41%	70%	69%	54%	65%	22%
Quite easy to read	41%	36%	70%	42%	39%	50%	30%	29%	41%	32%	78%
Not very easy to read	1%	-	-	-	4%	9%	-	0%	1%	2%	-
Not at all easy to read	1%	9%	-	-	1%	-	-	-	1%	-	-
Don't know	2%	-	-	3%	2%	-	0%	2%	2%	-	-

Case Studies - How easy to read / comprehensible did you find this page?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	292	7	14	0	79	213	0	4	54	96	68
Q70											
Very easy to read	55%	33%	69%	2%	46%	58%	99%	50%	45%	50%	69%
Quite easy to read	41%	67%	31%	97%	53%	37%	-	50%	48%	46%	31%
Not very easy to read	1%	-	-	-	1%	2%	1%	-	-	4%	-
Not at all easy to read	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	3%	-	-
Don't know	2%	-	-	1%	1%	2%	-	-	5%	1%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	292	62	3	4	0	236	30	10	6	1	9
Q70											
Very easy to read	55%	57%	100%	43%	51%	58%	44%	70%	35%	-	28%
Quite easy to read	41%	39%	-	57%	-	38%	56%	30%	65%	100%	65%
Not very easy to read	1%	1%	-	-	38%	1%	-	-	-	-	7%
Not at all easy to read	1%	1%	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	2%	2%	-	-	11%	2%	-	-	-	-	0%

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Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	292	107	184	4	24	125	22	16	101	6	12
Q71											
Very likely	43%	33%	50%	44%	71%	44%	39%	78%	33%	100%	35%
Quite likely	40%	42%	39%	56%	29%	41%	47%	22%	44%	-	21%
Not very likely	11%	19%	6%	-	-	8%	8%	-	17%	-	40%
Not at all likely	3%	5%	2%	-	-	3%	-	-	5%	-	4%
Don't know	3%	1%	4%	-	-	5%	5%	-	1%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	292	16	26	98	73	15	11	52	227	37	7
Q71											
Very likely	43%	49%	37%	44%	43%	42%	36%	45%	43%	57%	33%
Quite likely	40%	36%	46%	40%	41%	26%	59%	38%	42%	29%	23%
Not very likely	11%	6%	8%	12%	7%	27%	5%	14%	8%	12%	44%
Not at all likely	3%	9%	9%	-	4%	-	-	3%	3%	2%	-
Don't know	3%	-	-	4%	4%	5%	0%	-	3%	-	-

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Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	292	7	14	0	79	213	0	4	54	96	68
Q71											
Very likely	43%	44%	23%	2%	38%	45%	42%	50%	38%	50%	41%
Quite likely	40%	37%	49%	97%	40%	40%	-	50%	36%	35%	47%
Not very likely	11%	19%	28%	-	15%	9%	57%	-	15%	10%	10%
Not at all likely	3%	-	-	-	4%	2%	1%	-	7%	2%	2%
Don't know	3%	-	-	1%	2%	3%	-	-	5%	3%	1%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	292	62	3	4	0	236	30	10	6	1	9
Q71											
Very likely	43%	38%	100%	43%	51%	45%	40%	44%	39%	-	13%
Quite likely	40%	46%	-	47%	-	38%	39%	56%	61%	100%	63%
Not very likely	11%	12%	-	10%	-	12%	8%	-	-	-	16%
Not at all likely	3%	3%	-	-	38%	2%	7%	-	-	-	9%
Don't know	3%	2%	-	-	11%	2%	7%	-	-	-	0%

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Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	268	121	147	7	27	105	15	12	114	-	11
Q69											
Very useful	43%	43%	43%	75%	57%	41%	30%	52%	41%	-	50%
Quite useful	50%	51%	49%	25%	43%	51%	47%	48%	53%	-	40%
Not very useful	4%	5%	3%	-	-	4%	5%	-	5%	-	6%
Not at all useful	1%	0%	1%	-	-	-	6%	-	-	-	5%
Don't know	3%	1%	4%	-	-	4%	12%	-	1%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	268	14	26	100	48	14	13	53	228	20	8
Q69											
Very useful	43%	14%	51%	44%	49%	38%	38%	41%	41%	36%	69%
Quite useful	50%	81%	49%	47%	40%	62%	62%	51%	51%	57%	31%
Not very useful	4%	-	-	5%	5%	-	-	6%	4%	7%	-
Not at all useful	1%	-	-	0%	2%	-	-	1%	1%	-	-
Don't know	3%	5%	-	4%	4%	-	-	1%	3%	-	-

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Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	268	7	5	0	83	185	0	2	58	80	60
Q69											
Very useful	43%	33%	100%	70%	38%	45%	48%	100%	41%	37%	49%
Quite useful	50%	67%	-	29%	47%	51%	52%	-	52%	56%	48%
Not very useful	4%	-	-	-	10%	1%	-	-	7%	1%	2%
Not at all useful	1%	-	-	0%	2%	-	0%	-	-	-	2%
Don't know	3%	-	-	-	3%	3%	-	-	-	5%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	268	54	11	3	0	231	20	3	2	4	8
Q69											
Very useful	43%	42%	57%	44%	-	44%	47%	16%	52%	51%	8%
Quite useful	50%	47%	36%	28%	100%	50%	40%	84%	48%	32%	76%
Not very useful	4%	5%	7%	28%	-	3%	6%	-	-	17%	16%
Not at all useful	1%	1%	-	-	0%	-	7%	-	-	-	0%
Don't know	3%	5%	-	-	-	3%	-	-	-	-	-

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Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	268	121	147	7	27	105	15	12	114	-	11
Q70											
Very easy to read	53%	57%	50%	75%	68%	46%	44%	58%	56%	-	65%
Quite easy to read	42%	38%	45%	25%	32%	49%	38%	42%	39%	-	35%
Not very easy to read	3%	3%	3%	-	-	3%	6%	-	3%	-	-
Not at all easy to read	1%	-	1%	-	-	-	12%	-	-	-	-
Don't know	1%	1%	1%	-	-	2%	-	-	2%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	268	14	26	100	48	14	13	53	228	20	8
Q70											
Very easy to read	53%	47%	56%	49%	53%	51%	63%	59%	53%	40%	65%
Quite easy to read	42%	48%	32%	47%	39%	49%	37%	38%	41%	60%	35%
Not very easy to read	3%	-	12%	1%	5%	-	-	2%	3%	-	-
Not at all easy to read	1%	-	-	2%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-
Don't know	1%	5%	-	1%	2%	-	-	1%	2%	-	-

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Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	268	7	5	0	83	185	0	2	58	80	60
Q70											
Very easy to read	53%	45%	98%	70%	56%	52%	-	-	52%	44%	56%
Quite easy to read	42%	55%	2%	29%	37%	44%	100%	100%	42%	47%	43%
Not very easy to read	3%	-	-	-	2%	3%	-	-	5%	3%	2%
Not at all easy to read	1%	-	-	0%	2%	-	0%	-	-	2%	-
Don't know	1%	-	-	-	2%	1%	-	-	-	4%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	268	54	11	3	0	231	20	3	2	4	8
Q70											
Very easy to read	53%	64%	62%	44%	-	53%	62%	-	52%	86%	31%
Quite easy to read	42%	33%	38%	42%	54%	42%	28%	100%	48%	14%	69%
Not very easy to read	3%	1%	-	14%	46%	3%	5%	-	-	-	1%
Not at all easy to read	1%	-	-	-	0%	1%	-	-	-	-	0%
Don't know	1%	1%	-	-	-	1%	6%	-	-	-	-

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		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	268	121	147	7	27	105	15	12	114	-	11
Q71											
Very likely	44%	44%	44%	75%	59%	42%	30%	52%	43%	-	45%
Quite likely	44%	48%	41%	-	34%	44%	35%	48%	50%	-	34%
Not very likely	8%	6%	10%	-	6%	11%	5%	-	5%	-	15%
Not at all likely	1%	2%	1%	-	-	-	6%	-	1%	-	6%
Don't know	3%	1%	4%	25%	-	3%	23%	-	1%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	268	14	26	100	48	14	13	53	228	20	8
Q71											
Very likely	44%	28%	58%	38%	50%	43%	54%	45%	42%	51%	75%
Quite likely	44%	60%	42%	49%	37%	50%	46%	38%	44%	45%	25%
Not very likely	8%	7%	-	7%	11%	7%	-	13%	9%	5%	-
Not at all likely	1%	5%	-	0%	2%	-	-	2%	1%	-	-
Don't know	3%	-	-	7%	-	-	-	1%	3%	-	-

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Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	268	7	5	0	83	185	0	2	58	80	60
Q71											
Very likely	44%	20%	64%	70%	39%	46%	52%	100%	49%	31%	44%
Quite likely	44%	80%	36%	29%	46%	44%	48%	-	42%	55%	47%
Not very likely	8%	-	-	-	7%	8%	-	-	9%	7%	5%
Not at all likely	1%	-	-	0%	3%	-	0%	-	-	1%	4%
Don't know	3%	-	-	-	5%	2%	-	-	-	6%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	268	54	11	3	0	231	20	3	2	4	8
Q71											
Very likely	44%	55%	43%	30%	-	45%	41%	16%	52%	63%	15%
Quite likely	44%	30%	44%	56%	100%	44%	38%	84%	48%	20%	68%
Not very likely	8%	9%	13%	14%	-	8%	3%	-	-	-	16%
Not at all likely	1%	-	-	-	0%	1%	5%	-	-	17%	0%
Don't know	3%	5%	-	-	-	2%	14%	-	-	-	-

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Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	304	129	175	5	14	127	21	11	120	1	17
Q69											
Very useful	33%	36%	31%	21%	47%	32%	9%	58%	37%	54%	23%
Quite useful	52%	51%	54%	50%	41%	56%	59%	33%	51%	-	49%
Not very useful	10%	11%	10%	-	6%	8%	26%	8%	10%	46%	20%
Not at all useful	1%	2%	1%	29%	-	0%	-	-	1%	-	8%
Don't know	3%	1%	4%	-	6%	4%	5%	-	1%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	304	20	40	108	54	15	9	58	235	31	14
Q69											
Very useful	33%	35%	41%	35%	29%	29%	28%	30%	30%	44%	45%
Quite useful	52%	34%	54%	55%	54%	42%	48%	55%	55%	49%	22%
Not very useful	10%	21%	5%	8%	9%	26%	8%	13%	10%	5%	34%
Not at all useful	1%	0%	-	1%	-	4%	7%	2%	1%	2%	-
Don't know	3%	10%	-	1%	8%	-	9%	0%	3%	-	-

Scenarios - How useful did you find this page?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	304	6	17	0	96	208	0	5	81	79	71
Q69											
Very useful	33%	55%	37%	10%	26%	37%	-	32%	39%	35%	26%
Quite useful	52%	26%	48%	83%	56%	51%	-	48%	52%	48%	60%
Not very useful	10%	-	15%	-	12%	10%	-	20%	7%	13%	7%
Not at all useful	1%	-	-	-	3%	0%	100%	-	-	1%	4%
Don't know	3%	18%	-	8%	3%	3%	-	-	2%	4%	4%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	304	55	11	2	0	252	25	8	1	3	15
Q69											
Very useful	33%	35%	18%	55%	-	33%	32%	76%	-	79%	8%
Quite useful	52%	47%	69%	22%	92%	53%	57%	24%	-	21%	50%
Not very useful	10%	16%	5%	23%	-	10%	2%	-	-	-	31%
Not at all useful	1%	-	7%	-	8%	1%	-	-	100%	-	4%
Don't know	3%	2%	-	-	-	2%	9%	-	-	-	8%

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Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	304	129	175	5	14	127	21	11	120	1	17
Q70											
Very easy to read	44%	46%	42%	29%	38%	44%	30%	33%	46%	100%	43%
Quite easy to read	50%	47%	53%	71%	62%	52%	56%	59%	46%	-	48%
Not very easy to read	2%	4%	1%	-	-	2%	-	-	4%	-	-
Not at all easy to read	2%	2%	2%	-	-	-	9%	8%	2%	-	9%
Don't know	2%	1%	2%	-	-	2%	5%	-	1%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	304	20	40	108	54	15	9	58	235	31	14
Q70											
Very easy to read	44%	24%	36%	48%	38%	53%	50%	51%	42%	44%	53%
Quite easy to read	50%	51%	64%	48%	53%	43%	50%	43%	53%	50%	28%
Not very easy to read	2%	8%	-	3%	2%	-	-	3%	3%	4%	-
Not at all easy to read	2%	12%	-	-	-	4%	-	3%	1%	2%	19%
Don't know	2%	6%	-	1%	6%	-	-	0%	2%	-	-

Scenarios - How easy to read / comprehensible did you find this page?

Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	304	6	17	0	96	208	0	5	81	79	71
Q70											
Very easy to read	44%	51%	57%	54%	40%	46%	100%	32%	46%	41%	45%
Quite easy to read	50%	31%	43%	38%	57%	47%	-	68%	47%	55%	50%
Not very easy to read	2%	-	-	-	-	4%	-	-	4%	1%	3%
Not at all easy to read	2%	-	-	-	1%	2%	-	-	2%	1%	-
Don't know	2%	18%	-	8%	3%	1%	-	-	2%	1%	3%

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	304	55	11	2	0	252	25	8	1	3	15
Q70											
Very easy to read	44%	47%	38%	55%	10%	44%	36%	67%	100%	79%	40%
Quite easy to read	50%	47%	55%	45%	90%	50%	59%	33%	-	21%	53%
Not very easy to read	2%	-	6%	-	-	3%	-	-	-	-	-
Not at all easy to read	2%	4%	-	-	-	2%	-	-	-	-	7%
Don't know	2%	2%	-	-	-	2%	5%	-	-	-	-

Scenarios - How likely would you be to consult this page, if you were looking for guidance on the standards?

Break % Respondents	Total	Membership type		Q1 Please tell us which of the following roles apply to you							
		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	304	129	175	5	14	127	21	11	120	1	17
Q71											
Very likely	34%	31%	36%	29%	43%	34%	35%	47%	34%	100%	-
Quite likely	45%	48%	43%	42%	45%	46%	42%	26%	47%	-	55%
Not very likely	15%	12%	17%	29%	12%	17%	18%	19%	11%	-	29%
Not at all likely	2%	4%	1%	-	-	0%	-	8%	4%	-	16%
Don't know	4%	4%	3%	-	-	3%	5%	-	5%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	304	20	40	108	54	15	9	58	235	31	14
Q71											
Very likely	34%	45%	32%	35%	32%	34%	40%	31%	32%	45%	41%
Quite likely	45%	43%	55%	43%	53%	31%	53%	39%	47%	36%	38%
Not very likely	15%	6%	8%	19%	8%	23%	7%	22%	15%	14%	15%
Not at all likely	2%	0%	-	2%	-	8%	-	6%	2%	4%	6%
Don't know	4%	6%	5%	2%	7%	4%	-	2%	4%	1%	-

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Break % Respondents	Total	Q66 Which country do you live in?			Q58 Gender			Q59 Age			
		Northern Ireland	Other	Prefer not to say	Male	Female	Prefer not to say	16 - 21	22 - 30	31 - 40	41 - 50
Base	304	6	17	0	96	208	0	5	81	79	71
Q71											
Very likely	34%	38%	37%	10%	29%	36%	-	65%	34%	34%	27%
Quite likely	45%	43%	41%	83%	52%	42%	-	35%	45%	46%	52%
Not very likely	15%	-	22%	-	15%	15%	-	-	15%	16%	14%
Not at all likely	2%	-	-	-	1%	3%	100%	-	2%	2%	2%
Don't know	4%	18%	-	8%	3%	4%	-	-	4%	2%	6%

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		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	304	55	11	2	0	252	25	8	1	3	15
Q71											
Very likely	34%	43%	20%	32%	-	33%	35%	100%	-	19%	8%
Quite likely	45%	35%	56%	23%	92%	45%	54%	-	-	61%	57%
Not very likely	15%	16%	20%	45%	-	15%	5%	-	100%	21%	28%
Not at all likely	2%	3%	5%	-	8%	2%	-	-	-	-	7%
Don't know	4%	3%	-	-	-	4%	5%	-	-	-	-

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		Dentist	DCP	Clinical dental technician	Dental hygienist	Dental nurse	Dental technician	Dental therapist	Dentist	Orthodontic therapist	Specialist
Base	328	122	206	4	29	161	8	11	112	3	16
Q69											
Very useful	29%	29%	29%	39%	35%	28%	-	50%	29%	76%	25%
Quite useful	56%	61%	53%	21%	63%	52%	79%	50%	62%	-	64%
Not very useful	12%	8%	14%	40%	3%	16%	21%	0%	9%	24%	9%
Not at all useful	0%	0%	0%	-	-	0%	-	-	-	-	3%
Don't know	2%	1%	2%	-	-	3%	-	-	1%	-	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q7 How long have you been on the GDC register?							Q66 Which country do you live in?		
		Less than 1 year	1 to 2 years	3 to 5 years	6 to 10 years	11 to 15 years	16 to 20 years	21 years and over	England	Scotland	Wales
Base	328	20	52	110	55	20	12	59	262	31	17
Q69											
Very useful	29%	21%	37%	31%	25%	25%	31%	29%	28%	25%	37%
Quite useful	56%	60%	41%	55%	67%	66%	46%	60%	57%	64%	46%
Not very useful	12%	15%	22%	12%	6%	8%	12%	9%	13%	9%	10%
Not at all useful	0%	-	-	-	-	-	-	2%	0%	-	-
Don't know	2%	4%	-	2%	3%	-	11%	-	1%	2%	7%

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Base	328	8	9	0	94	233	0	3	106	89	66
Q69											
Very useful	29%	49%	57%	-	26%	31%	30%	33%	30%	24%	31%
Quite useful	56%	51%	31%	50%	67%	52%	69%	67%	55%	60%	58%
Not very useful	12%	-	12%	50%	6%	15%	1%	-	15%	13%	11%
Not at all useful	0%	-	-	-	0%	0%	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	2%	-	-	-	1%	2%	-	-	-	3%	-

Break % Respondents	Total	Q59 Age				Q60 Ethnicity					
		51 - 60	61 - 65	65 +	Prefer not to say	White	Asian or Asian British	Black or Black British	Mixed	Chinese or other ethnic group	Prefer not to say
Base	328	52	9	3	0	274	26	8	8	3	9
Q69											
Very useful	29%	32%	50%	33%	85%	30%	36%	15%	21%	-	14%
Quite useful	56%	52%	50%	50%	15%	55%	61%	85%	58%	100%	56%
Not very useful	12%	9%	-	-	0%	13%	-	-	21%	-	22%
Not at all useful	0%	1%	-	17%	-	0%	-	-	-	-	8%
Don't know	2%	6%	-	-	-	2%	3%	-	-	-	-

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Not very easy to read	4%	4%	4%	-	5%	4%	-	-	4%	-	7%
Not at all easy to read	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	1%	0%	1%	-	-	2%	-	-	-	-	3%

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Quite easy to read	40%	33%	37%	37%	47%	49%	34%	42%	41%	42%	36%
Not very easy to read	4%	5%	6%	5%	-	4%	5%	4%	5%	2%	-
Not at all easy to read	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Not very easy to read	4%	-	-	-	3%	4%	-	-	6%	4%	3%
Not at all easy to read	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	1%	-	-	-	0%	1%	-	-	-	1%	-

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Q70											
Very easy to read	55%	51%	71%	83%	92%	55%	63%	43%	56%	-	75%
Quite easy to read	40%	42%	29%	-	8%	40%	35%	57%	37%	100%	25%
Not very easy to read	4%	3%	-	-	-	4%	3%	-	8%	-	-
Not at all easy to read	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	1%	4%	-	17%	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-

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Not very likely	12%	13%	11%	40%	15%	9%	37%	9%	14%	-	10%
Not at all likely	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	-	-	1%	-	4%
Don't know	2%	1%	3%	-	-	4%	-	-	1%	-	8%

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Quite likely	46%	61%	44%	44%	54%	56%	34%	39%	46%	51%	45%
Not very likely	12%	10%	14%	12%	5%	15%	5%	15%	12%	10%	6%
Not at all likely	1%	-	-	-	-	5%	-	1%	-	-	4%
Don't know	2%	-	-	2%	7%	-	11%	1%	2%	-	20%

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Quite likely	46%	9%	70%	50%	34%	51%	35%	100%	49%	47%	43%
Not very likely	12%	24%	-	50%	13%	11%	1%	-	12%	13%	9%
Not at all likely	1%	-	12%	-	1%	0%	-	-	-	-	2%
Don't know	2%	-	-	-	1%	3%	-	-	2%	2%	-

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Very likely	39%	36%	54%	33%	92%	39%	44%	69%	7%	-	44%
Quite likely	46%	42%	46%	50%	8%	46%	43%	31%	93%	43%	29%
Not very likely	12%	15%	-	-	0%	11%	13%	-	-	57%	18%
Not at all likely	1%	1%	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	2%	6%	-	17%	-	2%	-	-	-	-	9%