

Sunday Night Session – 7:00pm – 9:00pm

Please select your age from the correct range:



1. Under 35



2. 35-44



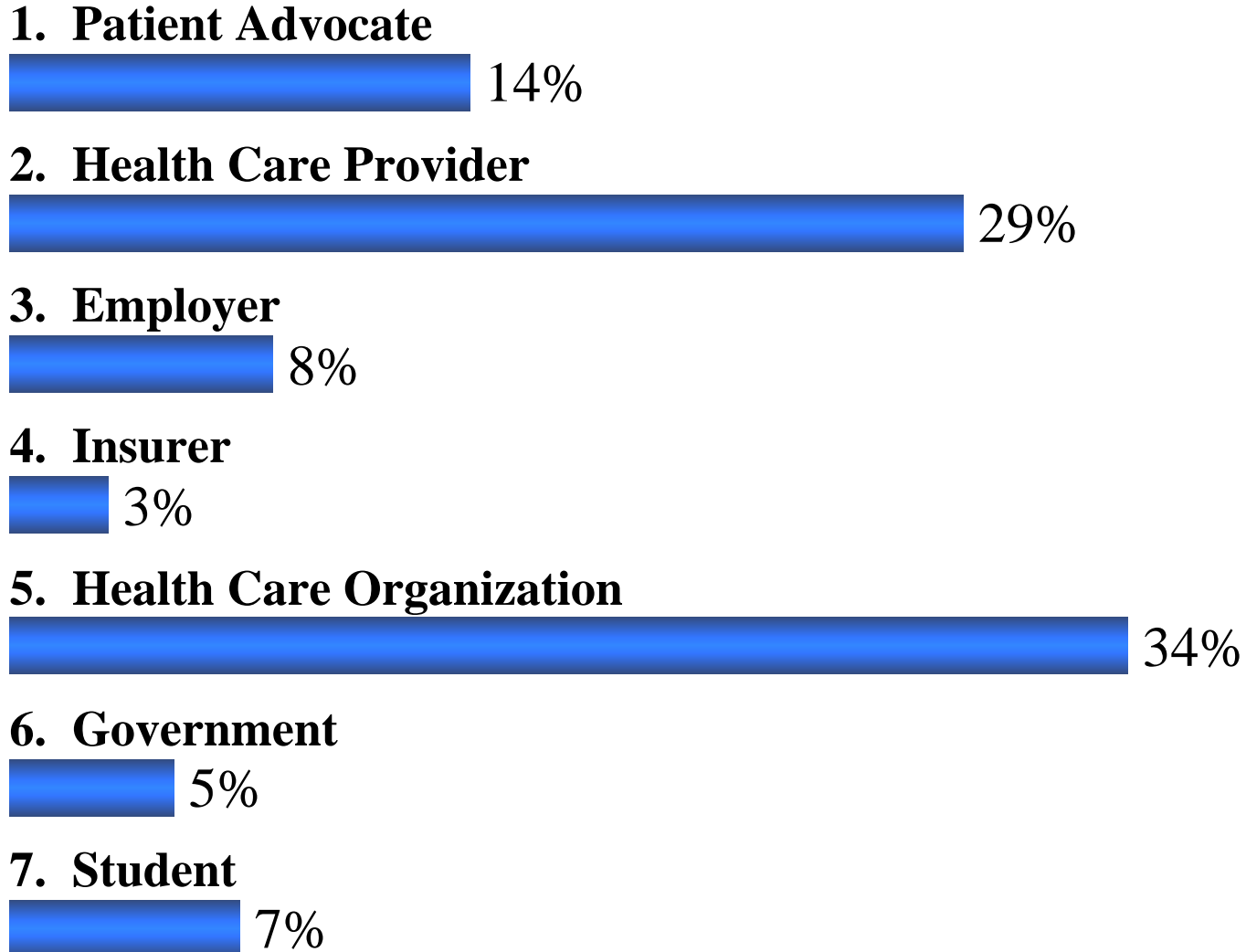
3. 45-54



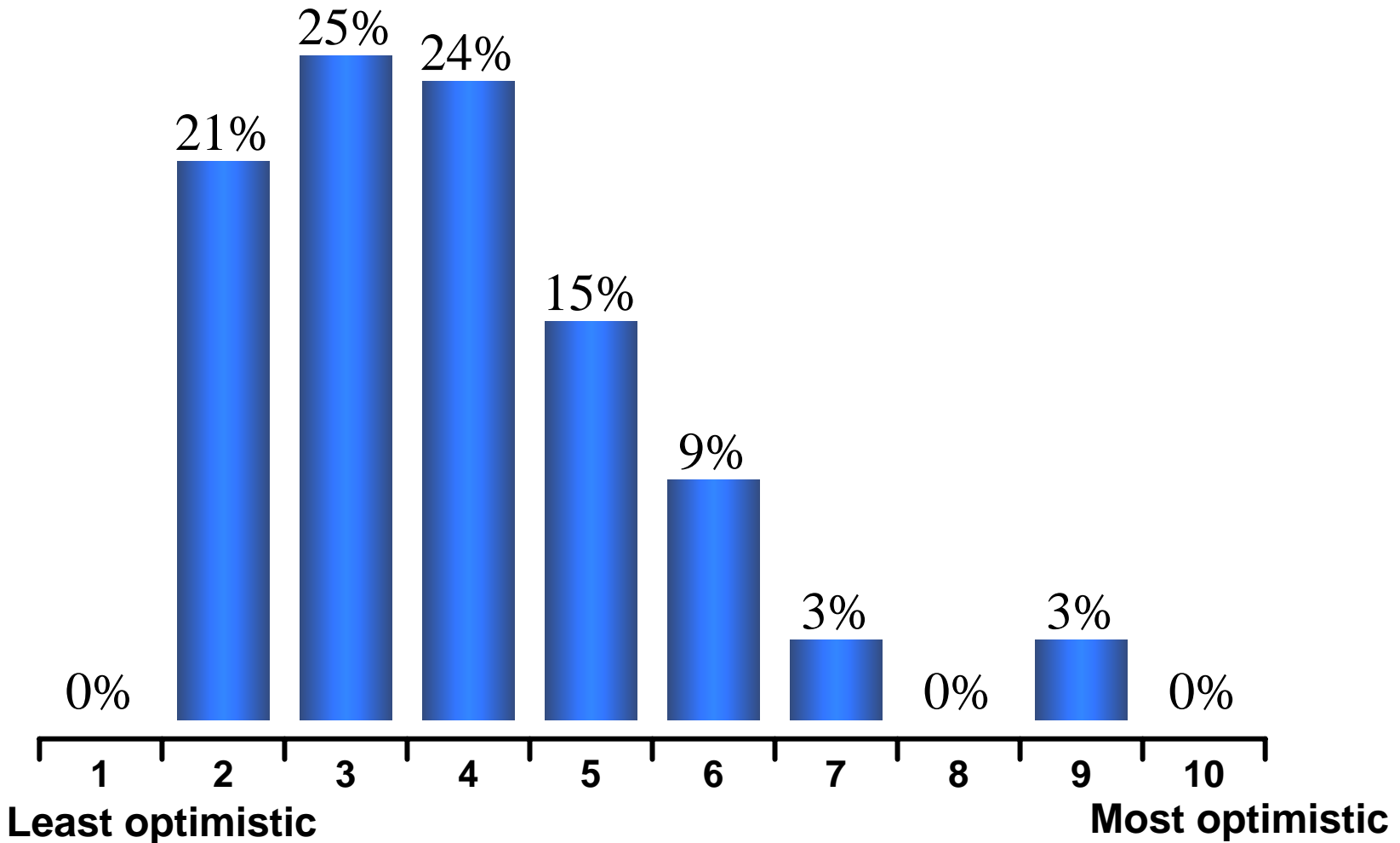
4. 55+



What sector of the Health Care Industry would you say that you represent?



How optimistic are you about the ability of our country, in the next 5 years, to effectively reform health care on a national level?



Which of these statements best describes the U.S. health care system today?



1. Complete state of crisis



3%

2. Overall - major problems



3. Some segments with major problems



9%

4. Few segments with major problems

0%

5. No significant problems

0%

Which of these statements best reflects the direction federal policymakers are willing to take in health care reform?

1. Replace current system with new system

0%

2. Major reform to existing system

0%

3. Incremental changes to existing system



4. No changes to existing system

0%

5. Don't know



Which of these statements best reflects the expectations of the public for health care reform?



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3. Incremental changes to existing system



4. No changes to existing system

0%

5. Don't know



*I believe there is a moral imperative,
or right, for individuals to be guaranteed
health insurance as citizens of the United States?*



1. Strongly agree



2. Agree



3. Neutral / no opinion



4. Disagree



5. Strongly disagree



Rank these health insurance reform options, in order of effectiveness:



1. Primarily employer-based (current)



2. Single payer - government only



3. Primarily consumer vouchers



4. Mix of options



Rank these entities on the degree they would influence health care reform.



1. Federal government



2. Health care providers



3. Health care payers



4. Employers / non-health organizations



5. Consumers / individuals



Harris Interactive Online Poll

- Conducted May 16 to May 18, 2006
- Representative of US General Adult Population
- N=2,010
- Maximum standard error range of $\pm 2.2\%$ at a 95% confidence level

Thinking about the healthcare system in the United States, in your opinion, whose needs and interests do you believe currently come first?

1. Doctors



2. Drug companies



3. Employers



4. Hospitals



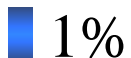
5. Insurance companies



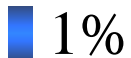
6. Patients



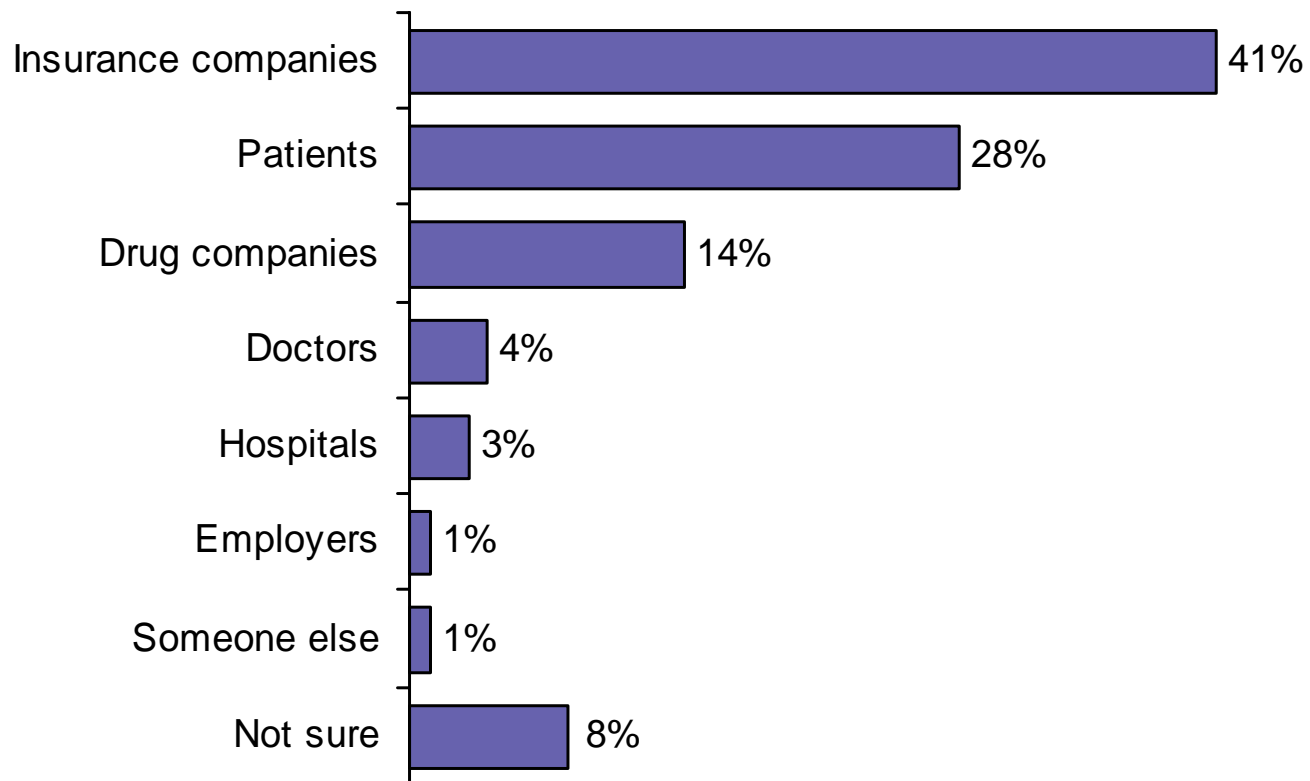
7. Someone else



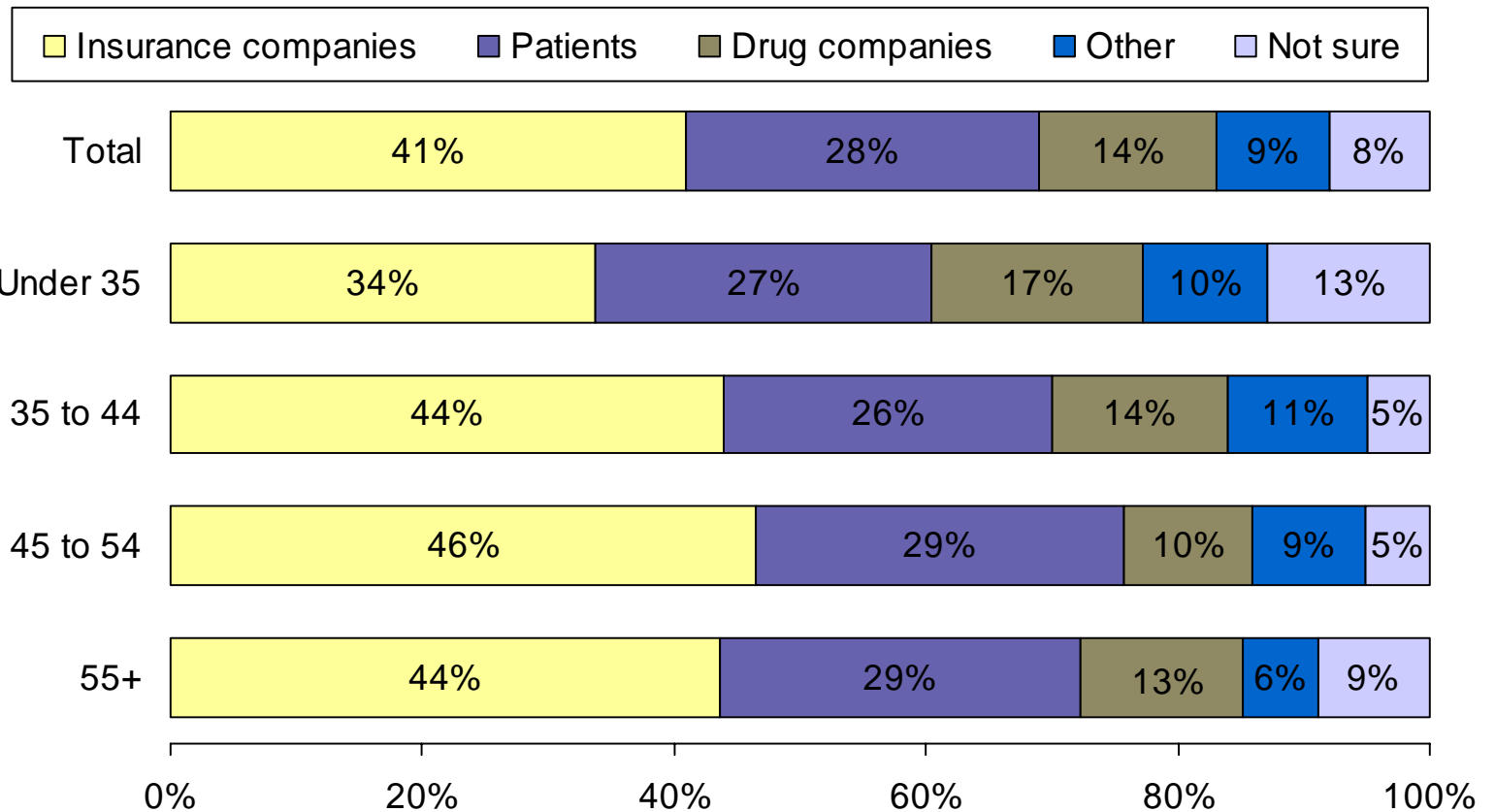
8. Not sure



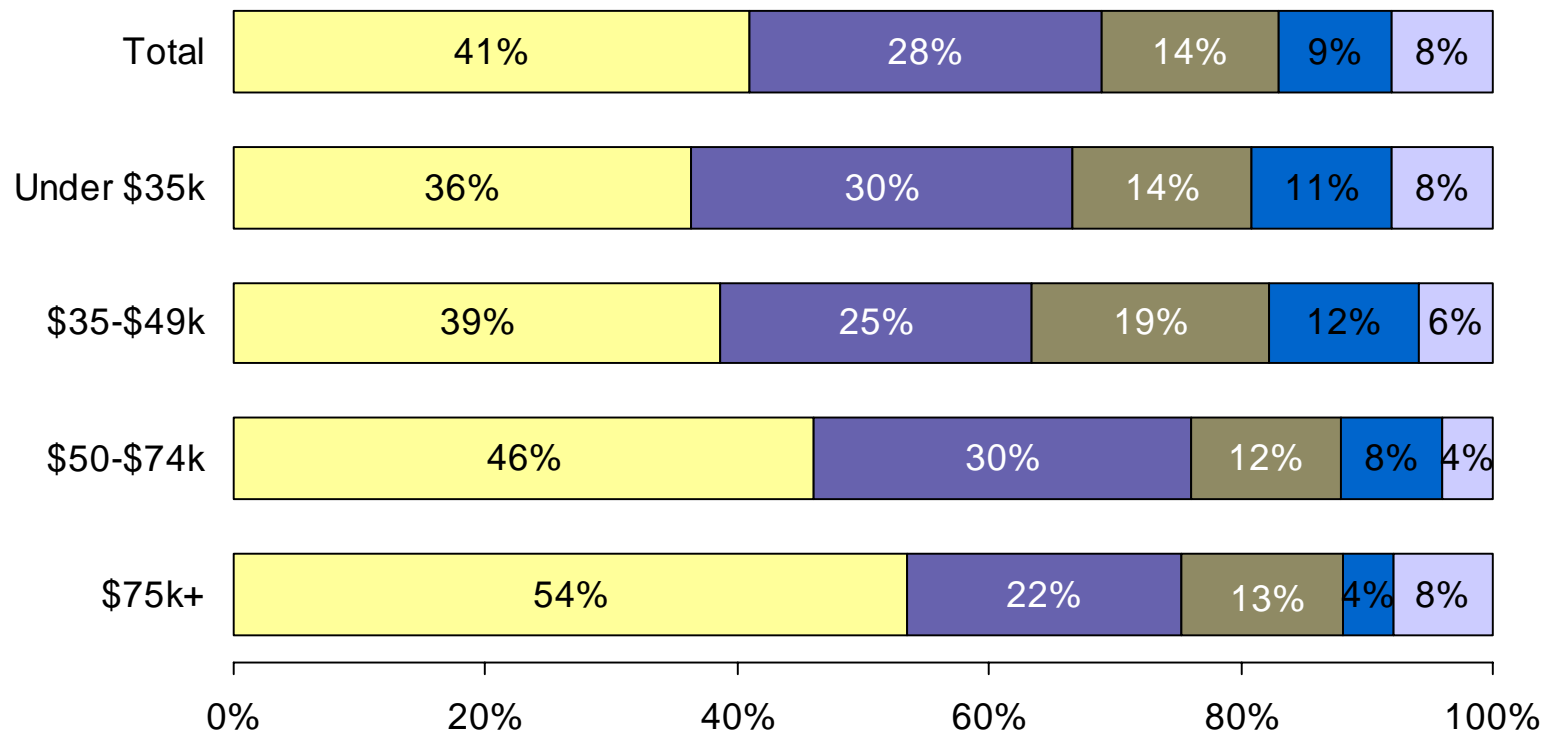
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In your opinion, how much influence do you think the following groups have had on increasing medical costs in the United States?



Doctors and hospitals



Drug companies



Medical technology companies



Insurance companies

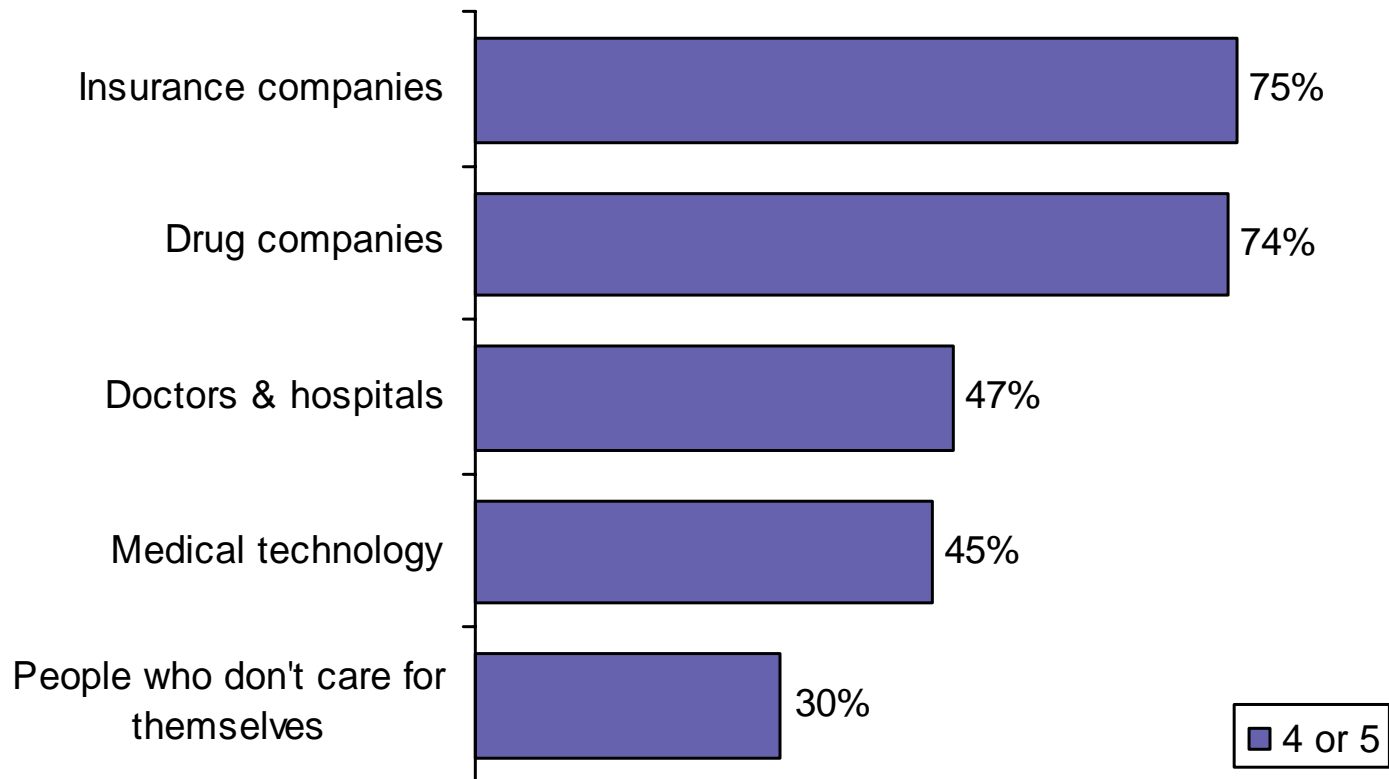


People who don't take care of themselves



“1” means no influence at all and “5” means a major influence.

In your opinion, how much influence do you think the following groups have had on increasing medical costs in the U.S.? (1=no influence; 5=major influence)



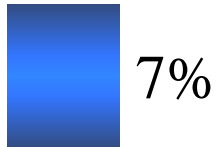
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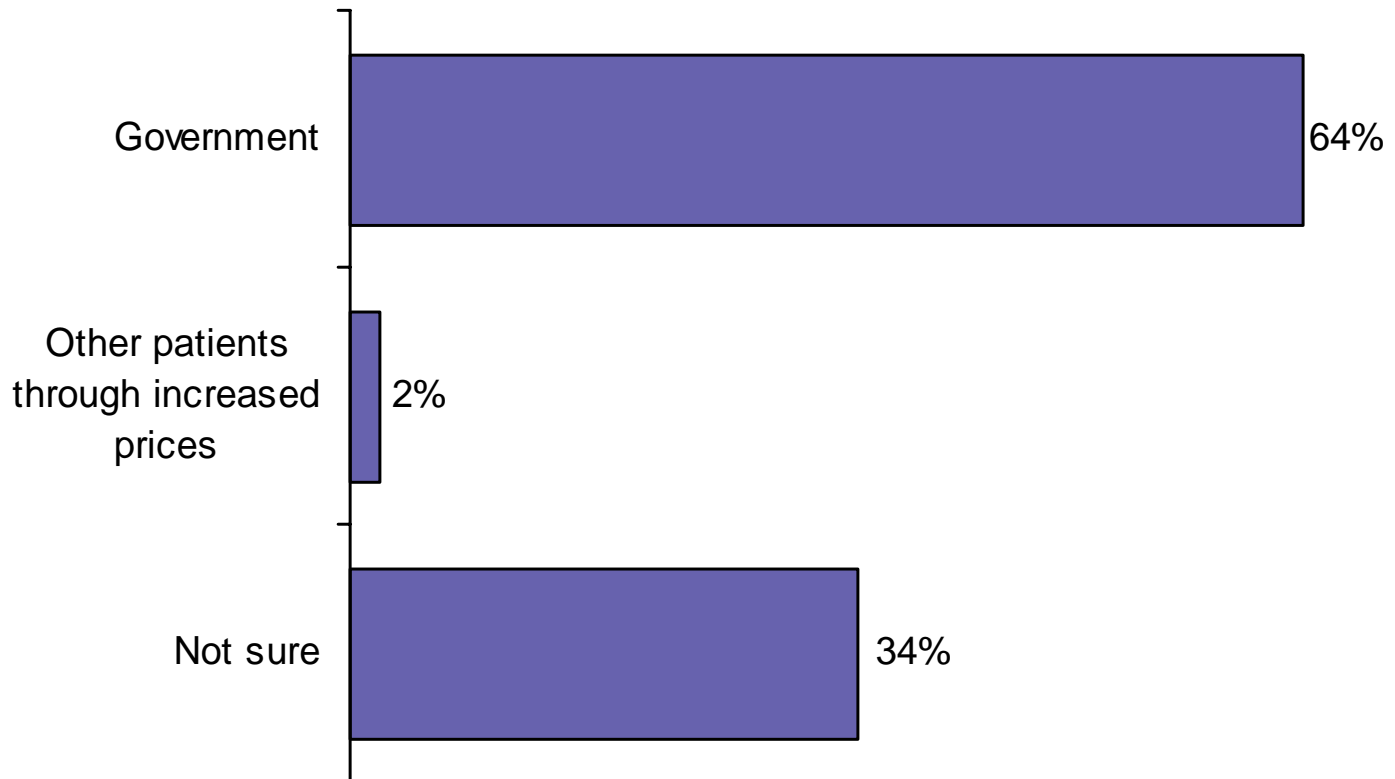
2. Other patients through increased prices



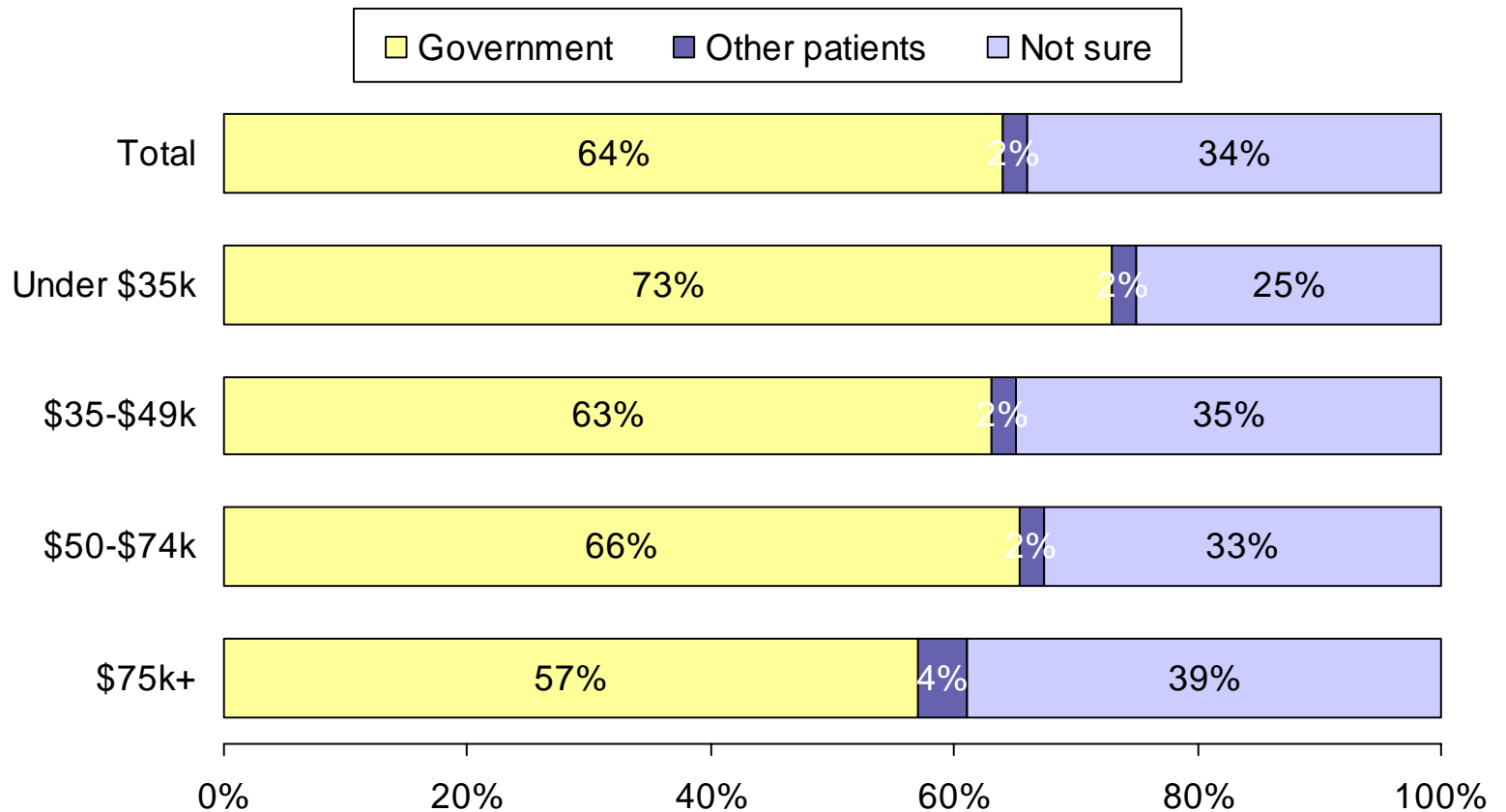
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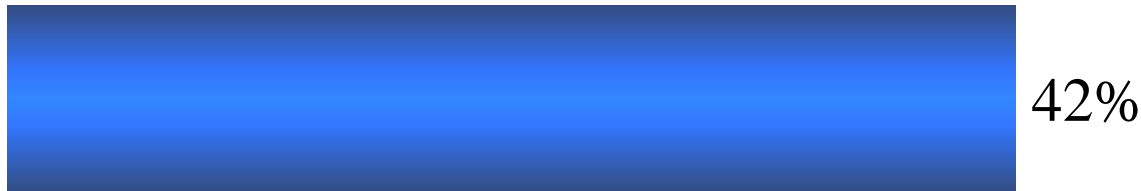
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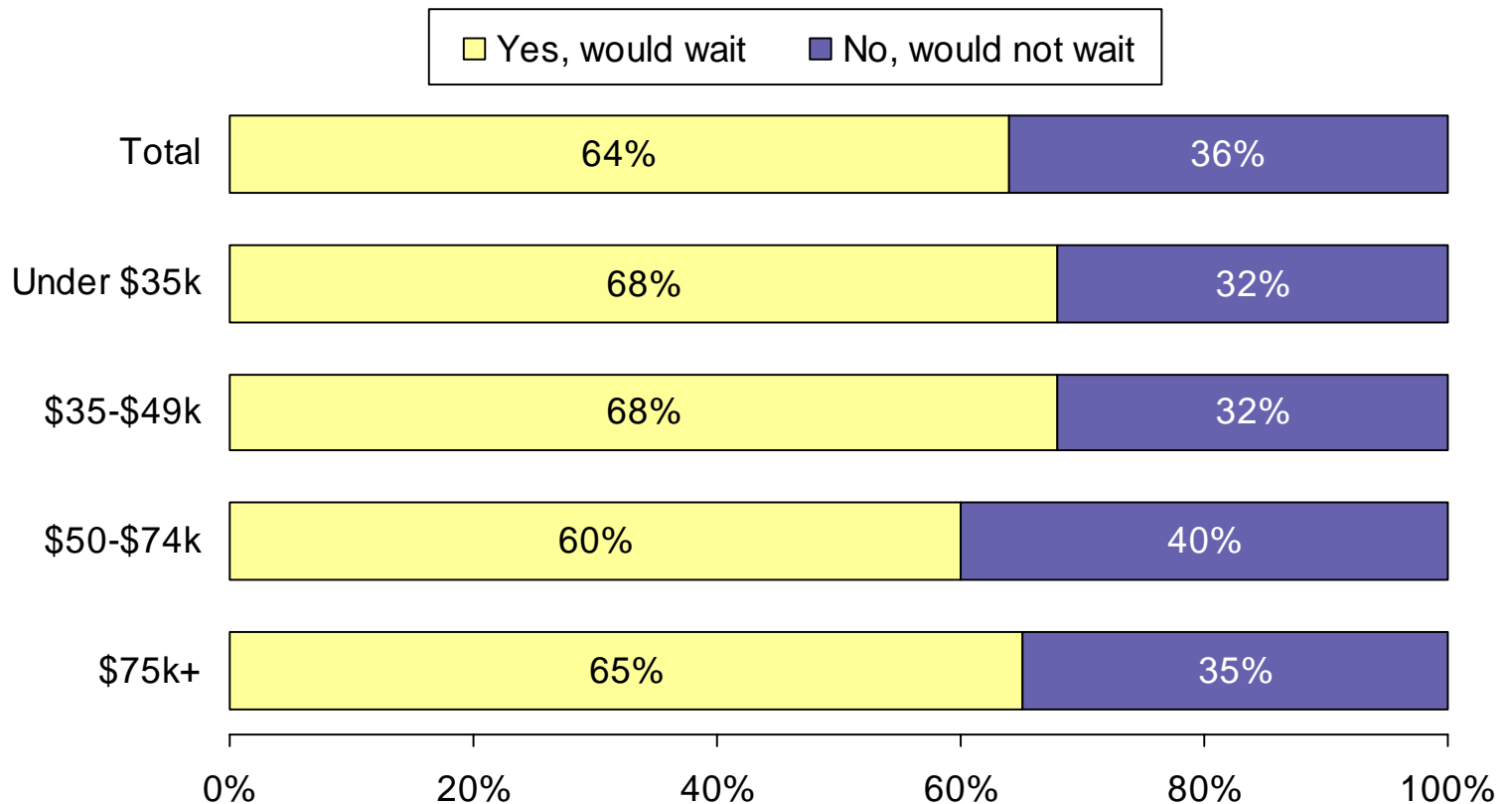
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2. Not willing to wait



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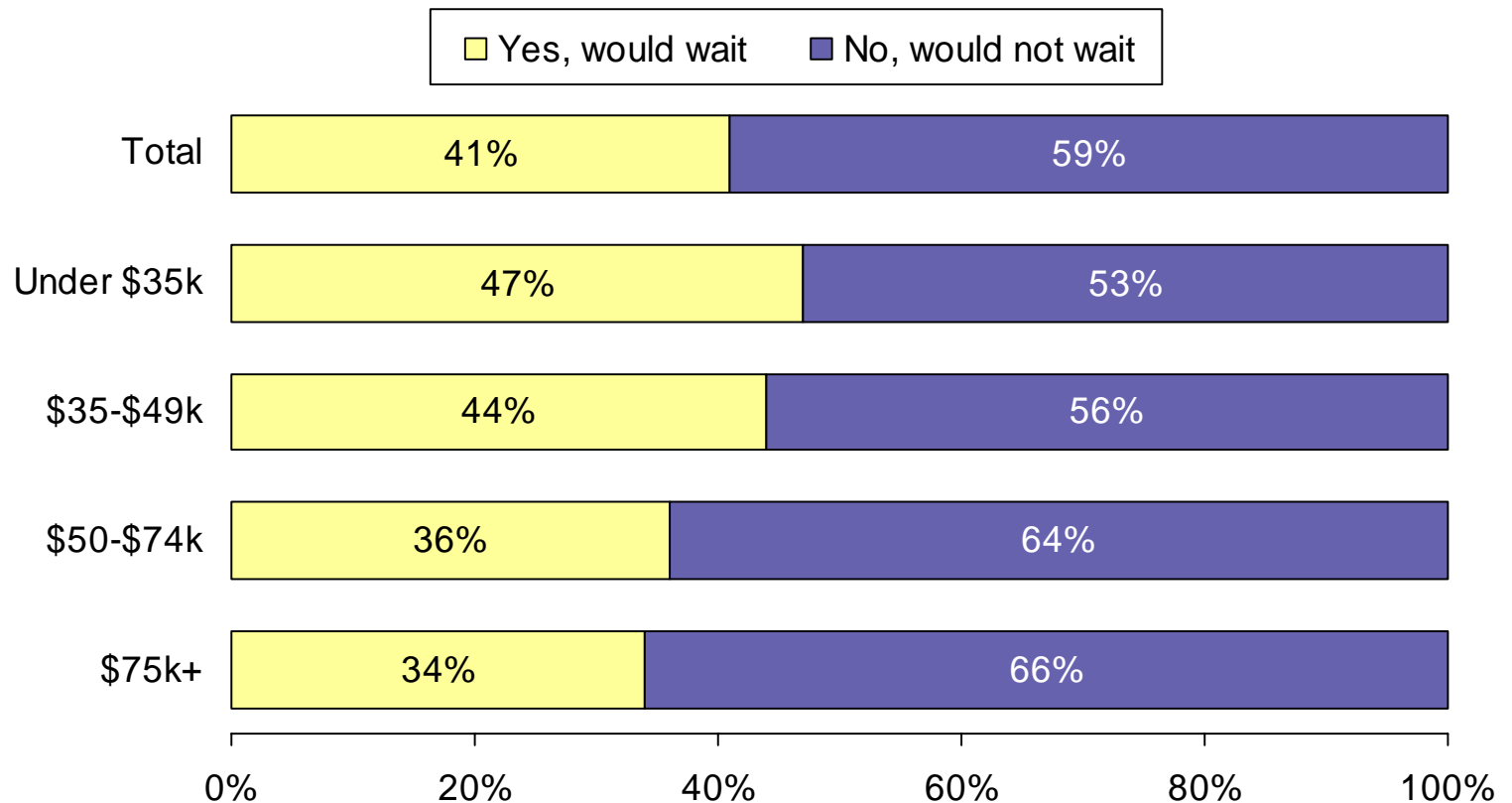
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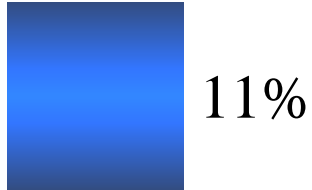
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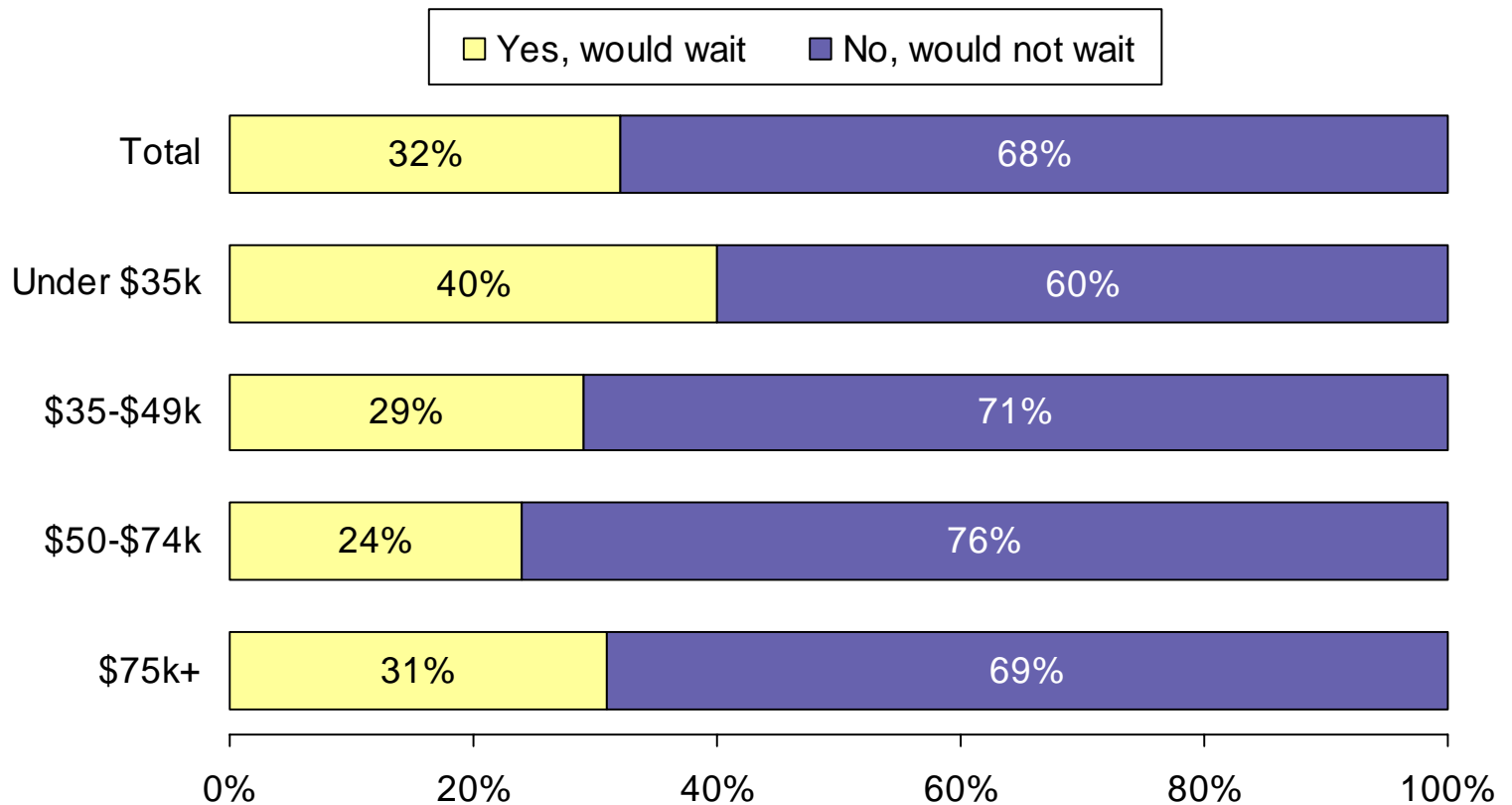
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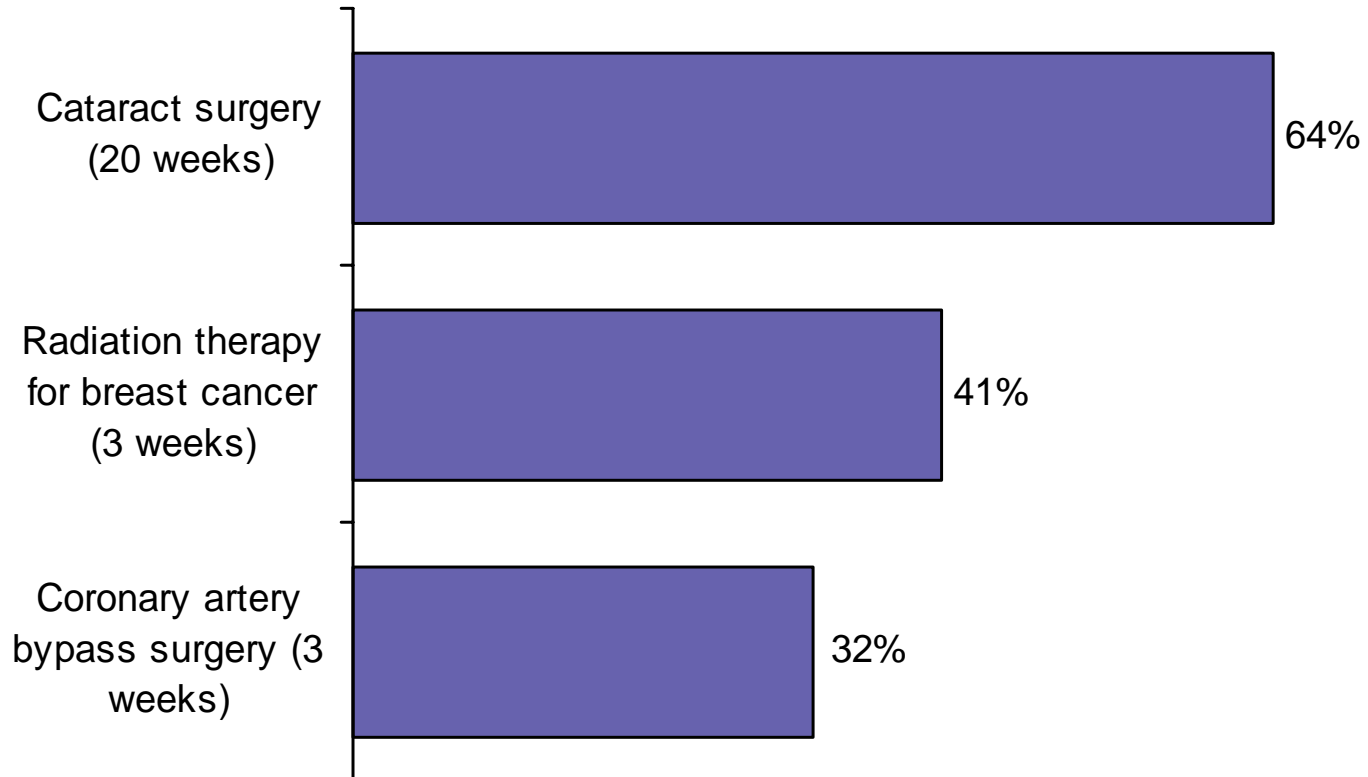
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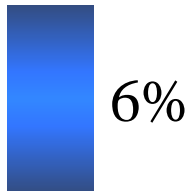
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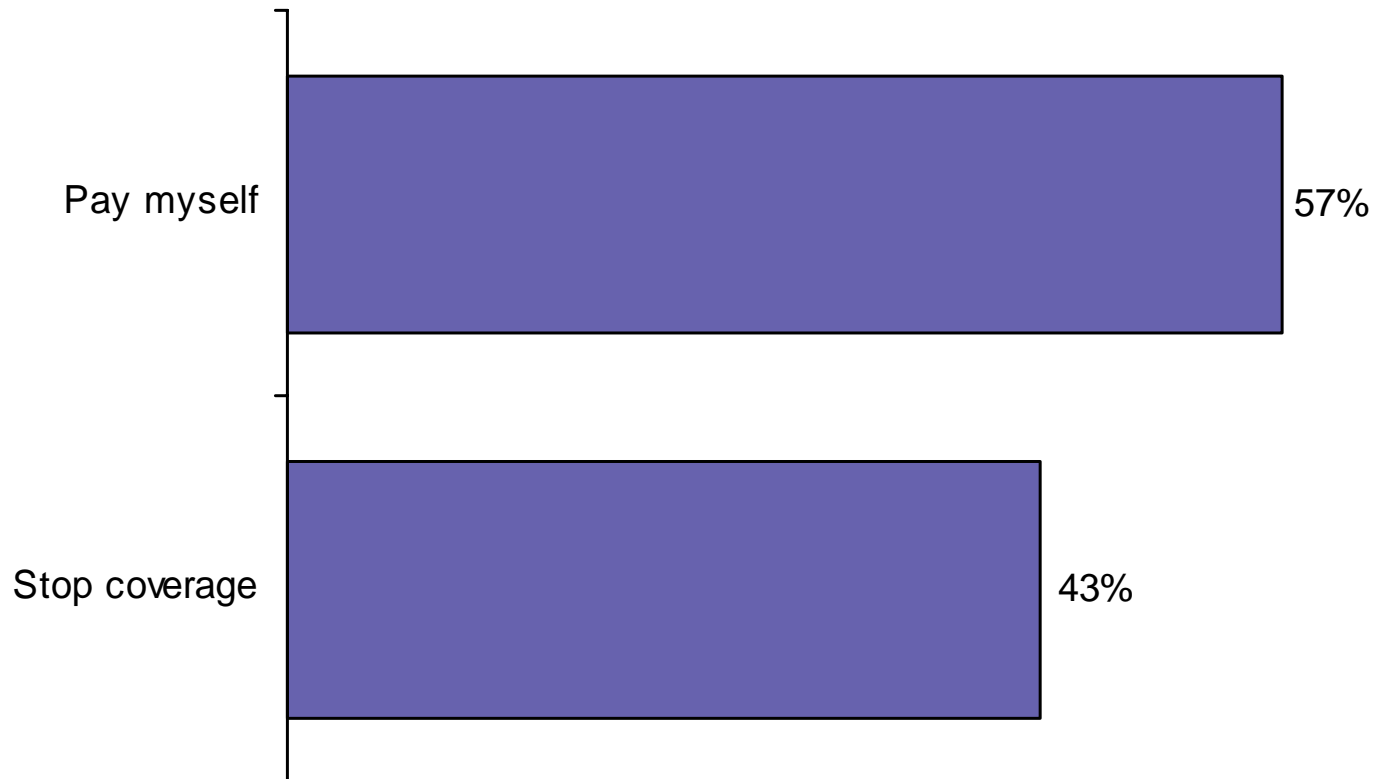
1. Pay myself



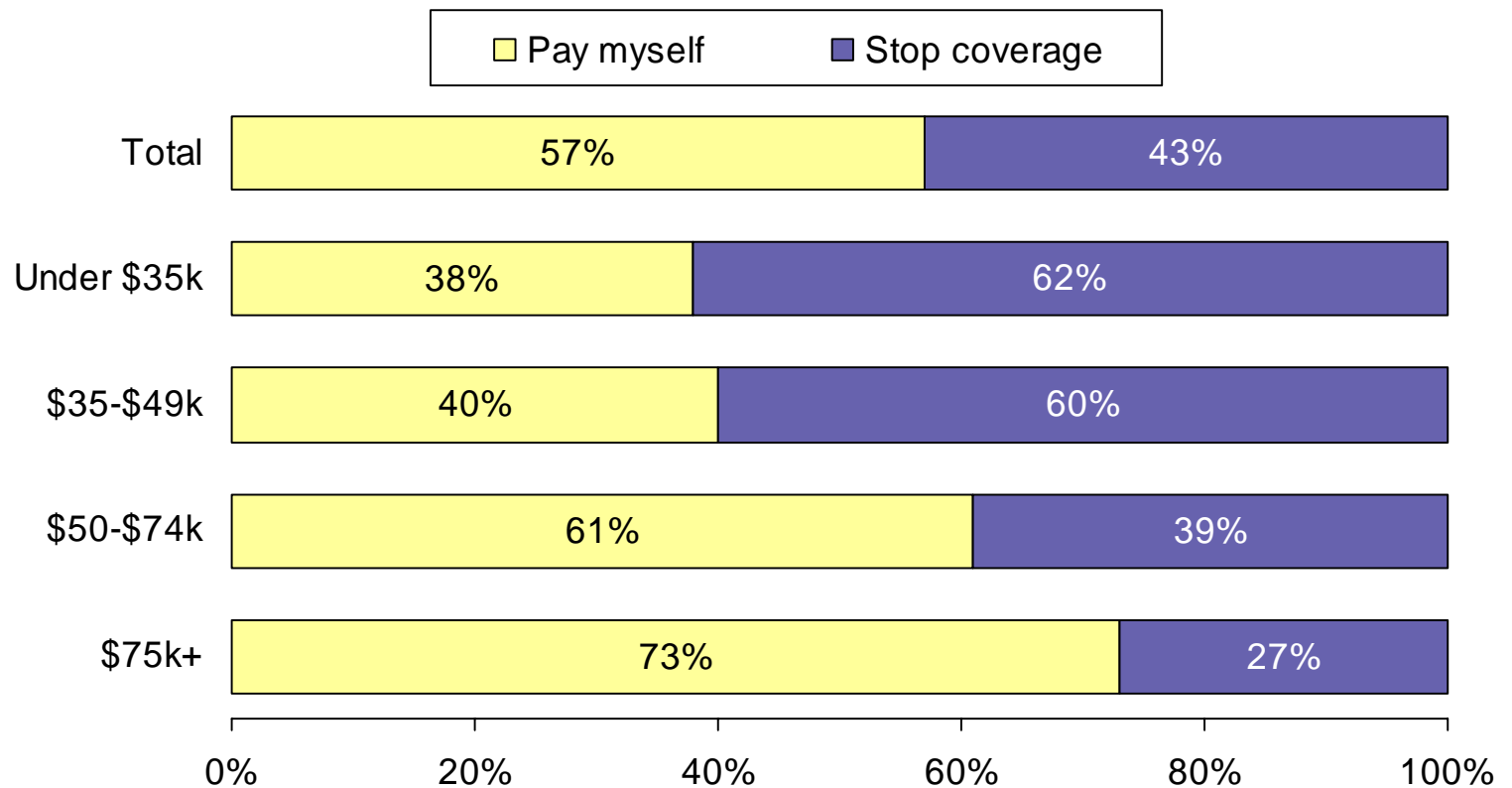
2. Stop coverage



If your employer stopped paying for your health insurance, would you pay this cost yourself or would your insurance coverage end?



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