# PEOPLE MATTER 2016



NSW Public Sector Employee Survey

Health

HealthShare NSW



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#### **HEADLINES**

RESPONSE RATE

10%

661 RESPONSES OUT OF 6,824 EMPLOYEES ENGAGEMENT INDEX

63%

PMES 2016 SECTOR SCORE **65%** 

PMES 2014 SECTOR SCORE **65%** 

PMES 2016 CLUSTER SCORE **65%** 



#### **ENGAGEMENT**

Engaged employees have a sense of personal attachment to their work and organisation; they are motivated and able to give their best to help the organisation succeed.

The complete list of questions which are used to calculate the Engagement Index are listed in the All Questions pages.

#### **RESPONSE RATE**

Due to the size of the NSW public sector, even comparatively low levels of response to People Matter can be statistically representative and an accurate reflection of perceptions. Any parts of the sector where the response rate is too low for data to be fully reliable have been flagged in reports.

Some entities exceeded 100% where responses were greater than the employee headcount. This is thought to be primarily due to employees selecting the wrong work location in the survey.

#### **QUESTION HEADLINES**

2016 AGREEMENT % **QUESTIONS** 1h. I look for ways to perform my job more effectively 93% I understand what is expected of me to do well in my 89% 1a. People in my workgroup treat customers/clients with 87% respect I feel I make a contribution to achieving the 87% organisation's objectives My organisation strives to match services to 84% customer/client needs My workgroup strives to achieve customer/client 83% satisfaction Diversity and inclusion in the workplace can contribute 82% to better business outcomes My organisation strives to earn and sustain a high level 82% of public trust

**HIGHEST AGREEMENT SCORING** 

-	QUESTIONS	201 AGREEN %
71.	My organisation's processes for recruiting employees are efficient	38%
15.	I believe action will be taken on the results from this survey by my organisation	42%
6h.	I feel that senior managers listen to employees	42%
5n.	My manager appropriately deals with employees who perform poorly	42%
3j.	I am satisfied with the opportunities available for career development in my organisation	44%
7m.	Recruitment and promotion decisions in this organisation are generally fair	44%
6g.	I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	46%
9b.	I have confidence in the ways my organisation resolves grievances	47%
7h.	People in my organisation take responsibility for their own actions	48%
7n.	My organisation generally selects capable people to do the job	48%

LOWEST AGREEMENT SCORING



#### YOUR PEOPLE MATTER **QUESTION RESULTS AT A GLANCE**

These are your highest and lowest scoring questions from the survey, based on respondents who have selected 'Strongly Agree' and 'Agree'.

7a. My organisation provides high quality services

7d. My organisation focuses on improving the work we do

79%

79%

#### **BUSINESS UNIT COMPARISON**



#### COMPARISON OF BUSINESS UNITS

This page provides the scores for each of the business units below HealthShare NSW, using the same key question groups.

Differences have been highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.

	HealthShare NSW	Customer Service & Corporate Governance	Enable NSW	Finance & Business Strategy	Food & Patient Support Services Administration and Management	Food & Patient Support Services Hunter New England (Lower Hunter)	Food & Patient Support Services Hunter New England (New England)	Food & Patient Support Services Hunter New England (Upper Hunter)	Food & Patient Support Services Illawarra Shoalhaven Sector	Food & Patient Support Services Murrumbidgee Sector	Food & Patient Support Services Northern Sector	Food & Patient Support Services Southern NSW & Murrumbidgee East Sector	HealthShare Corporate	Wagga Wagga Linen Service
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	21	27	28	38	18	27	14	13	16	22	18	39	13
ENGAGEMENT	63%	68%	63%	78%	64%	59%	56%	48%	67%	73%	79%	67%	52%	46%
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	52%	47%	81%	50%	47%	31%	36%	44%	74%	69%	62%	34%	25%
COMMUNICATION	56%	74%	51%	74%	54%	46%	40%	38%	42%	78%	78%	61%	47%	28%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	72%	60%	85%	68%	60%	50%	50%	70%	79%	83%	79%	56%	55%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	71%	56%	84%	65%	58%	46%	50%	63%	76%	78%	75%	54%	46%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	74%	59%	78%	63%	54%	47%	38%	59%	78%	83%	76%	52%	40%

KEY

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	HealthShare NSW	Non-Emergency Patient Transport	Procurement Services	Not a name change - this entity no longer exists	Shared Financial Services	Recruitment & Employee Transaction Services	Workforce
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	32	31	37	84	51	52
ENGAGEMENT	63%	33%	63%	64%	67%	66%	75%
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	16%	47%	49%	68%	54%	71%
COMMUNICATION	56%	21%	59%	55%	63%	59%	79%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	36%	67%	70%	72%	70%	82%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	34%	68%	67%	73%	69%	80%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	31%	68%	64%	65%	68%	83%

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ENGAGEMENT	63%	RESPON	NSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	PMES 2014	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q7o. I would recommend my organisation as a great place to work	16	42	26 7 8	58%	57%	60%	60%
Q7p. I am proud to tell others I work for my organisation	18	48	21	66%	62%	68%	68%
Q7q. I feel a strong personal attachment to my organisation	19	41	26 7	59%	59%	62%	64%
Q7r. My organisation motivates me to help it achieve its objectives	15	39	29 10 7	54%	50%	54%	55%
Q7s. My organisation inspires me to do the best in my job	17	39	27 10 7	56%	49%	55%	55%



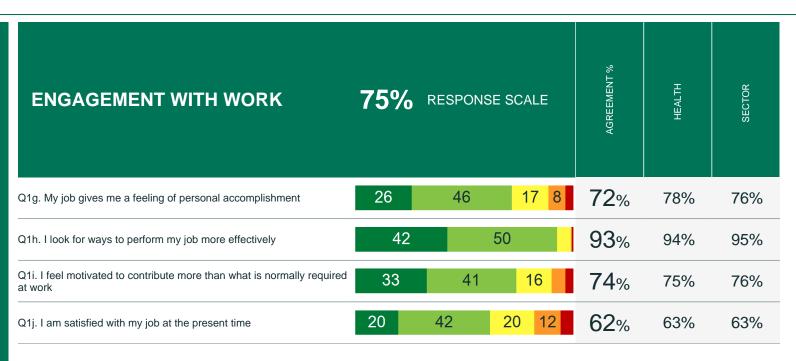


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SENIOR MANAGERS	<b>52%</b> RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q6a. I believe senior managers provide clear direction for the future of the organisation	13 39 24 14 10	53%	45%	47%
Q6b. I feel that senior leaders effectively lead and manage change	12 37 27 12 12	49%	42%	43%
Q6c. I feel that senior managers model the values of my organisation	14 39 26 11 11	53%	45%	48%
Q6d. Senior managers encourage innovation by employees	13 41 27 10 9	54%	47%	49%
Q6e. Senior managers promote collaboration between my organisation and others we work with	14 42 27 10 8	55%	49%	52%
Q6f. Senior managers communicate the importance of customers in achieving our business objectives	20 46 21	66%	55%	60%
Q6g. I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	10 35 25 17 13	46%	42%	44%
Q6h. I feel that senior managers listen to employees	10 32 30 15 13	42%	37%	39%
Q7f. I feel that change is handled well in my organisation	12 36 29 13 10	48%	43%	41%





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COMMUNICATION	56%	RESP	ONSE SC	ALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q5e. My manager communicates effectively with me	23	40	17	10 10	63%	66%	69%
Q5f. My manager encourages and values employee input	25	39	19	8 10	64%	66%	69%
Q5g. My manager involves my workgroup in decisions about our work	21	39	19	11 10	60%	62%	64%
Q6g. I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	10	35	25	13	46%	42%	44%
Q6h. I feel that senior managers listen to employees	10	32	30	15 13	42%	37%	39%
Q8h. I am able to speak up and share a different view to my colleagues and manager	19	45	18	11	64%	67%	69%





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HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	RESPONS	E SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q1a. I understand what is expected of me to do well in my role	37	5	2	89%	91%	90%
Q1b. I have the tools I need to do my job effectively	21	55	12 10	77%	72%	70%
Q1c. I get the information I need to do my job well	18	49	18 11	68%	69%	67%
Q1d. I feel I make a contribution to achieving the organisation's objectives	36	5	1 9	87%	86%	86%
Q1e. I feel I am able to suggest ideas to improve our way of doing things	26	42	15 12	68%	70%	69%
Q2b. People in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	18	47	20 11	65%	68%	70%
Q2c. My team works collaboratively to achieve its objectives	25	50	15 7	74%	74%	75%
Q2d. People in my workgroup have the appropriate skills to do the job well	19	51	18 9	71%	77%	76%
Q3h. I have received appropriate training and development to do my job well	18	48	21 9	66%	69%	63%





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HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	RESPON	ISE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q5a. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to improve the quality of what they do	22	45	17 9	67%	70%	72%
Q5b. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to review policies and programs to see if they are achieving their aims	17	43	21 12 8	60%	65%	64%
Q5c. My manager assigns work to people in my workgroup based on their skills and expertise	17	43	22 10 8	60%	63%	65%
Q5j. I have confidence in the decisions my line manager makes	20	39	21 10 9	60%	64%	67%
Q6d. Senior managers encourage innovation by employees	13	41	27 10 9	54%	47%	49%
Q6e. Senior managers promote collaboration between my organisation and others we work with	14	42	27 10 8	55%	49%	52%
Q7d. My organisation focuses on improving the work we do	28	51	13	79%	76%	76%
Q7e. My organisation is making the necessary improvements to meet our future challenges	24	46	19	70%	61%	62%
Q7g. There is good co-operation between teams across our organisation	12	40	28 13 8	52%	50%	48%



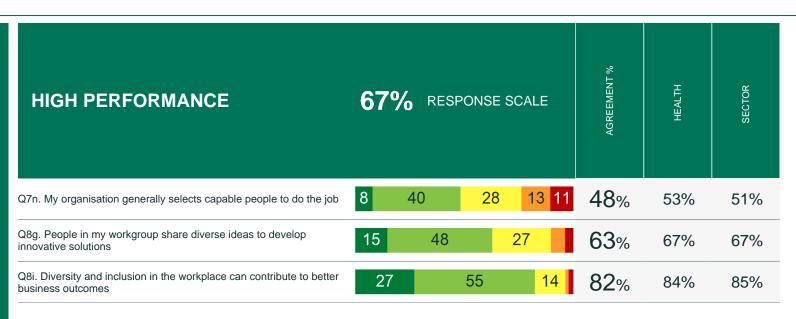


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PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	RESPO	ONSE SCA	LE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q2a. My workgroup strives to achieve customer/client satisfaction	36		48	11	83%	85%	85%
Q2b. People in my workgroup use time and resources efficiently	18	47	20	11	65%	68%	70%
Q2g. People in my workgroup are honest, open and transparent in their dealings	20	38	25	12	59%	64%	67%
Q2h. People in my workgroup treat each other with respect	21	43	21	11	64%	68%	72%
Q2i. People in my workgroup treat customers/clients with respect	35		52	9	87%	86%	86%
Q5a. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to improve the quality of what they do	22	45	17	9	67%	70%	72%
Q5b. My manager encourages people in my workgroup to review policies and programs to see if they are achieving their aims	17	43	21	12 8	60%	65%	64%
Q5d. My manager listens to what I have to say	25	41	16	9 9	66%	70%	73%
Q5i. My manager would take appropriate action if decision-making processes were found to be biased	23	36	22	9 11	58%	61%	64%





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PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES 65%	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q5k. My manager treats employees with dignity and respect 27	42 14 8 8	69%	72%	76%
Q5I. My manager talks to me about how the values apply to my work	38 23 12 8	57%	58%	58%
Q6a. I believe senior managers provide clear direction for the future of the organisation	24 14 10	53%	45%	47%
Q6c. I feel that senior managers model the values of my organisation	26 11 11	53%	45%	48%
Q6f. Senior managers communicate the importance of customers in achieving our business objectives	46 21	66%	55%	60%
Q6g. I feel that senior managers keep employees informed about what's going on	25 17 13	46%	42%	44%
Q6h. I feel that senior managers listen to employees 10 32	30 15 13	42%	37%	39%
Q7a. My organisation provides high quality services	55 14	79%	81%	80%
Q7b. My organisation strives to match services to customer/client needs	57 <mark>11</mark>	84%	80%	80%



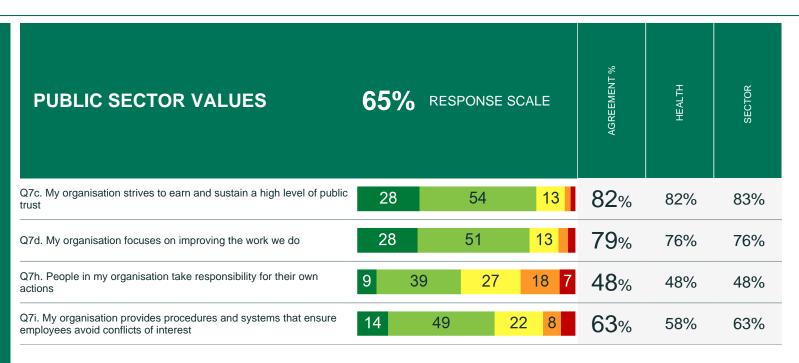


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DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	RESPON	SE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q1f. I am provided with the support I need to optimise my contribution at work	20	39	21 13	59%	60%	59%
Q5d. My manager listens to what I have to say	25	41	16 9 9	66%	70%	73%
Q5f. My manager encourages and values employee input	25	39	19 8 10	64%	66%	69%
Q5h. My manager takes into account the differing needs and circumstances of employees when making decisions	22	38	20 10 10	60%	63%	65%
Q5i. My manager would take appropriate action if decision-making processes were found to be biased	23	36	22 9 11	58%	61%	64%
Q6i. Senior managers in my organisation genuinely support the career advancement of women	15	35	36 8	50%	49%	54%
Q8a. My organisation respects individual differences (e.g cultures, working styles, backgrounds, ideas)	22	52	18	75%	73%	75%
Q8g. People in my workgroup share diverse ideas to develop innovative solutions	15	48	27	63%	67%	67%
Q8h. I am able to speak up and share a different view to my colleagues and manager	19	45	18 11	64%	67%	69%



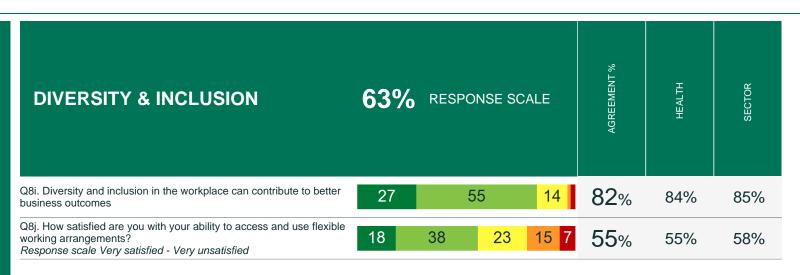


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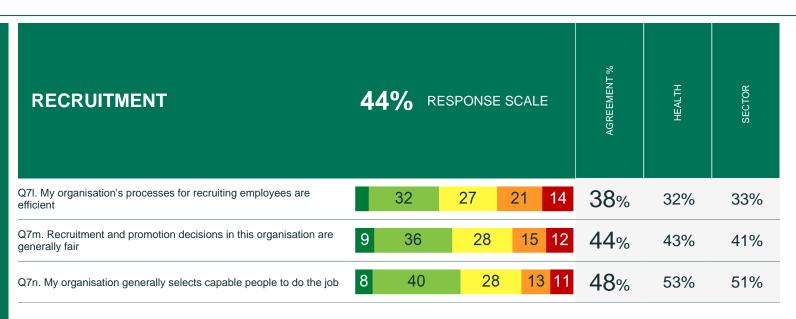


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EMPLOYEE VALUE PROPOSITION	53%	RESPO	ONSE SC	ALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q5p. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another role	20	35	27	8 9	55%	58%	60%
Q5q. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another organisation	18	34	31	8 9	52%	51%	53%
Q7g. There is good co-operation between teams across our organisation	12	40	28	13 8	52%	50%	48%





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PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK & DEVELOPMENT	58%	RESPON	ISE SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q3a. I have a current performance plan that sets out my individual objectives	13	46	21 13	59%	62%	62%
Q3b. I have informal feedback conversations with my manager throughout the year	22	43	14 13 8	65%	68%	70%
Q3c. I have scheduled feedback conversations with my manager throughout the year	20	39	17 15 9	59%	58%	58%
Q3d. In the last 12 months I received useful feedback on my work to enable me to deliver required results	21	37	19 13 10	58%	59%	59%
Q3e. My performance is assessed against clear criteria	15	39	26 12 8	54%	56%	53%
Q3f. I feel I can have open, honest conversations with my manager about the quality of work required	26	40	14 10 10	66%	69%	71%
Q3g. I am able to access the right learning and development opportunities as required	19	44	21 11	63%	66%	60%
Q3h. I have received appropriate training and development to do my job well	18	48	21 9	66%	69%	63%
Q3i. I have a strong desire to advance my career	35	35	22	70%	69%	69%





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PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK & DEVELOPMENT	58°	<b>%</b> RESI	PONSE S	SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q3j. I am satisfied with the opportunities available for career development in my organisation	11	33	30	14 12	44%	48%	45%
Q3k. I would like to work in another agency within the NSW Public Sector during my career	21	29	34	10	50%	40%	41%
Q5m. My manager provides acknowledgement or other recognition for the work I do	21	41	2	0 10 10	61%	64%	67%
Q5n. My manager appropriately deals with employees who perform poorly	13	30	27	15 15	42%	44%	44%
Q5o. My manager ensures fair access to developmental opportunities for people in my workgroup	20	37	2	9 9	57%	61%	62%
Q5p. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another role	20	35	27	8 9	55%	58%	60%
Q5q. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another organisation	18	34	31	8 9	52%	51%	53%
Q7j. My organisation is committed to developing its employees	13	43	26	6 10 7	56%	53%	53%







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MOBILITY	53%	, RESP	ONSE SCA	<b>ALE</b>	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q3k. I would like to work in another agency within the NSW Public Sector during my career	21	29	34	10	50%	40%	41%
Q5p. My manager would help me to broaden my experience by supporting my movement to another role	20	35	27	8 9	55%	58%	60%
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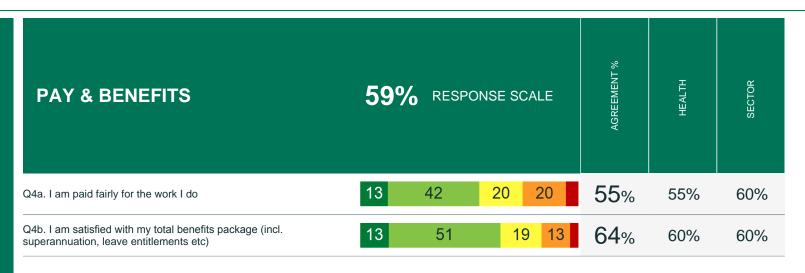


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DIVERSITY GROUPS	75%	RESPONSE	SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q8b. Cultural background is not a barrier to success in my organisation	24	54	16	78%	77%	77%
Q8c. Age is not a barrier to success in my organisation	23	51	18	74%	73%	71%
Q8d. Disability is not a barrier to success in my organisation	22	48	23	71%	66%	67%
Q8e. Sexual orientation is not a barrier to success in my organisation	24	53	20	77%	76%	76%
Q8f. Gender is not a barrier to success in my organisation	25	52	18	76%	75%	74%





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WORKPLACE SUPPORT	63%	RESPON	SE SCALE		AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q1f. I am provided with the support I need to optimise my contribution at work	20	39	21 1	3	59%	60%	59%
Q1k. I am able to keep my work stress at an acceptable level	14	47	19 1	3	61%	60%	58%
Q1I. My workload is acceptable	12	49	22	12	61%	54%	55%
Q2e. I receive help and support from other members of my workgroup	24	53	16	6	77%	78%	80%
Q2f. There is good team spirit in my workgroup	23	41	18 1	0 9	64%	64%	67%
Q7k. My organisation offers practical employment arrangements and conditions to help employees achieve a work-life balance	11	44	23 14	4 8	55%	52%	56%



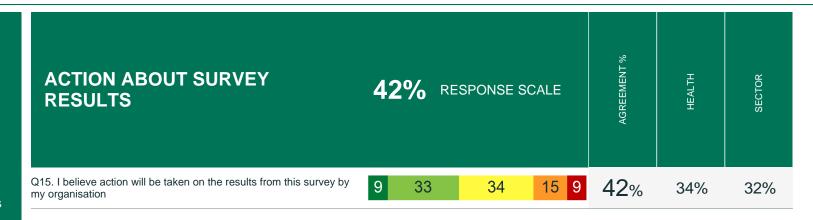


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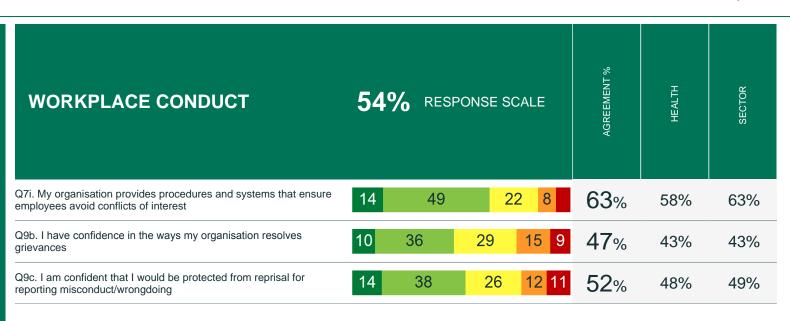


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MOTIVATION TO STAY	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q13. What factors would motivate you to stay in the NSW public s	ector?			
More interesting and challenging work		49%	42%	46%
Better skills in my workgroup		27%	28%	27%
Improved career opportunities		53%	47%	52%
Improved learning and development opportunities		45%	49%	50%
Greater involvement in decision making		33%	32%	33%
Better pay and benefits		63%	58%	58%
Greater recognition for the work I do		42%	44%	45%
Better leadership from senior managers		39%	37%	39%



# EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS

This section shows results for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.

MOTIVATION TO STAY	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q13. What factors would motivate you to stay in the NSW publi	ic sector?			
Better leadership from my manager		33%	29%	27%
Better accountability for performance		32%	24%	25%
A better location		22%	19%	20%
More flexible working conditions		37%	38%	38%
Better work/life balance		41%	43%	46%
Improved facilities		22%	32%	30%
Improved technology and systems		32%	33%	38%
Better job security		49%	33%	43%



# EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS

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WORKPLACE CONDUCT	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
Q9a. In the last 12 months I have read or referred to my organisation	n's code of conduct			
Yes		76%	77%	72%
No		19%	19%	24%
Don't Know		5%	3%	4%



# EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS

This section shows results for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.

UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	НЕАГТН	SECTOR
Q10a. In the last 12 months I have witnessed misconduct/wrongdo	oing at work			
Yes		32%	31%	25%
No		55%	59%	64%
Don't Know		12%	10%	11%
Q10b. Have you reported the misconduct/wrongdoing you witness	sed in the last 12 months?			
Yes		64%	65%	63%
No		35%	33%	35%
Don't Know		1%	1%	2%



# EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS

This section shows results for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.

UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	НЕАГТН	SECTOR
Q10c. In the last 12 months I have witnessed bullying at work				
Yes		39%	43%	35%
No		53%	50%	58%
Don't Know		9%	6%	7%
Q10d. In the last 12 months I have been the subjected to bullying	at work			
Yes		22%	24%	20%
No		71%	71%	75%
Don't Know		7%	5%	5%



# EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS

This section shows results for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.

UNACCEPTABLE CONDUCT	RESPONSE SCALE	AGREEMENT%	НЕАLТН	SECTOR
<b>Q10e.</b> Please indicate the role of the person who has been the so subjected to in the last 12 months.	ource of the most serious bullying you have been	ı		
A senior manager		15%	20%	23%
Your Immediate Manager/Supervisor		33%	26%	26%
A fellow worker at your level		24%	29%	25%
A subordinate		13%	7%	8%
A client or customer	I	3%	2%	2%
Other		4%	5%	4%
Prefer not to say		7%	11%	13%



#### EXPLORE THE FULL SURVEY RESULTS

This section shows results for all the survey questions grouped by key themes.

Graphs show the proportion of respondents answering positively (Strongly Agree and Agree), negatively (Strongly Disagree and Disagree) or those with a neutral response.

Some key comparisons are provided.

HEALTH QUESTIONS		RESPONSE	SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАГТН
Q1. Morale is good in my team	15	43	18 15 8	59%	59%
Q2. I believe I am valued for what I can offer at my workplace	18	50	19 9	67%	69%
Q3. In my workplace, we recognise our successes and innovations	16	47	21 10	62%	64%
Q4. Staff are treated respectfully regardless of their job	18	50	15 11	68%	67%
Q5. The senior managers at my workplace lead by example in creating a positive workplace	15	37	24 12 11	53%	49%
Q6. Overall, I have confidence in the decisions made by my senior managers	15	35	28 12 10	50%	50%





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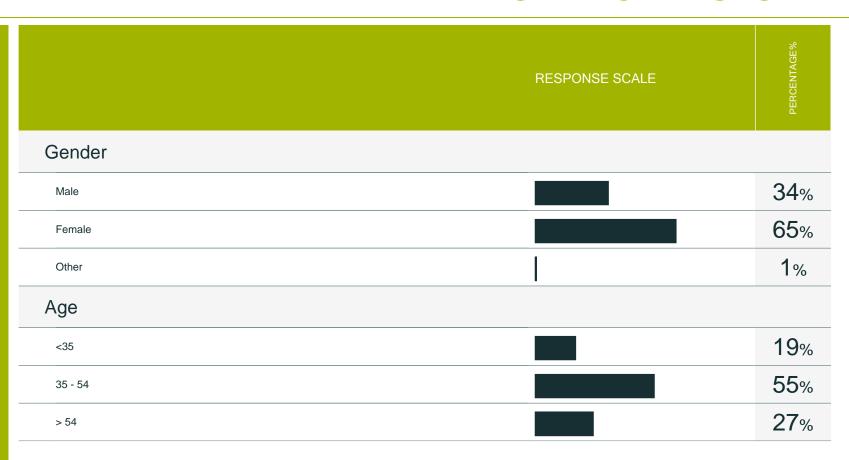
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HEALTH QUESTIONS		RESPONS	E SCALE	AGREEMENT %	НЕАLТН
Q7. I have a say in decisions which affect my work	12	37	27 14 10	49%	50%
Q8. Where I work, we share the lessons learnt when mistakes are made	15	49	20 11	63%	64%
Q9. My team's objectives/work plans are clearly outlined	13	51	21 10	64%	64%
Q10. Our objectives/work plans help us to deliver a quality service	16	52	23	67%	66%
Q11. Overall, I believe the culture at my workplace has improved in the last 12 months	16	37	25 11 11	53%	41%





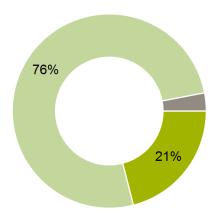
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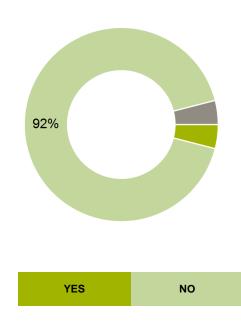
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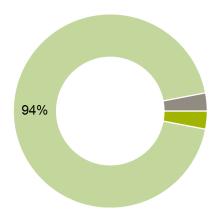


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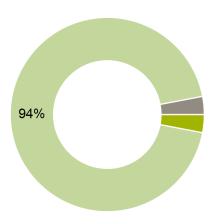
**KEY** 



ARE YOU OF ABORIGINAL AND/OR TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER ORIGIN?



**DO YOU IDENTIFY AS LGBTI?** 



PREFER NOT

**TO SAY** 



# WORK PROFILES

TENURE IN ORGANISATION	RESPONSE SCALE	PERCENTAGE%
Less than 1 year		10%
1 - 2 years		8%
2 - 5 years		22%
5 - 10 years		33%
10 - 20 years		16%
More than 20 years		11%

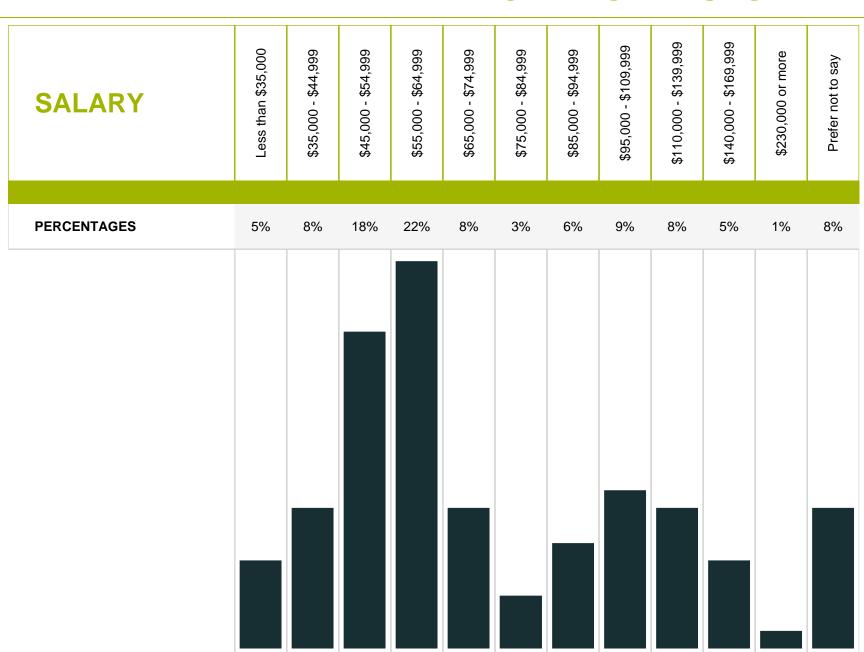


# WORK PROFILES

TYPE OF WORK	RESPONSE SCALE	PERCENTAGE%
Service delivery involving direct contact with the general public		15%
Other service delivery work		25%
Administrative support		12%
Corporate services		30%
Policy		0%
Research		0%
Program and project management support		4%
Other		14%



WORK PROFILES



## **RESULTS BY TYPE OF WORK**



#### EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES

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Differences have been highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.

	HealthShare NSW	Service delivery involving direct contact with the general public	Other service delivery work	Administrative support	Corporate services	Policy	Research	Program and project management support	Legal (including developing and/or reviewing legislation)	Other
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	88	151	71	176			23	0	82
ENGAGEMENT	63%	52%	62%	69%	69%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	56%
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	36%	47%	61%	64%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	43%
COMMUNICATION	56%	41%	53%	66%	66%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	46%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	52%	67%	76%	75%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	57%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	51%	63%	72%	74%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	54%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	49%	62%	73%	71%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	52%

KEY

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### **RESULTS BY SALARY**



#### EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES

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Differences have been highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.

	HealthShare NSW	Less than \$35,000	\$35,000 - \$44,999	\$45,000 - \$54,999	\$55,000 - \$64,999	\$65,000 - \$74,999	\$75,000 - \$84,999	\$85,000 - \$94,999	\$95,000 - \$109,999	\$110,000 - \$139,999	\$140,000 - \$169,999	\$170,000 - \$229,999	\$230,000 or more	Prefer not to say
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	28	46	110	129	45	19	34	55	47	27	0	5	50
ENGAGEMENT	63%	(r)	59%	60%	58%	69%	(r)	65%	71%	73%	(r)	(r)	(r)	63%
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	(r)	43%	44%	49%	65%	(r)	46%	62%	67%	(r)	(r)	(r)	49%
COMMUNICATION	56%	(r)	44%	47%	51%	64%	(r)	58%	69%	75%	(r)	(r)	(r)	56%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	(r)	63%	60%	60%	75%	(r)	68%	78%	79%	(r)	(r)	(r)	67%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	(r)	57%	57%	59%	73%	(r)	65%	78%	78%	(r)	(r)	(r)	63%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	(r)	55%	56%	56%	67%	(r)	66%	76%	79%	(r)	(r)	(r)	63%

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## **RESULTS BY TENURE IN ORGANISATION**



EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES

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	HealthShare NSW	Less than 1 year	1 - 2 years	2 - 5 years	5 - 10 years	10 - 20 years	More than 20 years
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	61	45	131	194	92	66
ENGAGEMENT	63%	69%	69%	64%	65%	57%	59%
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	57%	54%	52%	56%	48%	39%
COMMUNICATION	56%	65%	57%	58%	59%	51%	47%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	72%	67%	67%	69%	65%	61%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	70%	65%	65%	68%	61%	54%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	74%	66%	63%	64%	61%	55%

KEY

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## **RESULTS BY AGE**



#### EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES

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Differences have been highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.

	HealthShare NSW	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 -29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 - 44	45 - 49	50 - 54	55 - 59	60 - 64	65+
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661		10	39	60	69	68	81	103	103	47	7
ENGAGEMENT	63%	(r)	(r)	66%	66%	65%	61%	61%	62%	63%	63%	(r)
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	(r)	(r)	52%	60%	58%	58%	47%	48%	48%	49%	(r)
COMMUNICATION	56%	(r)	(r)	55%	63%	62%	63%	52%	55%	53%	55%	(r)
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	(r)	(r)	65%	69%	72%	69%	63%	66%	64%	71%	(r)
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	(r)	(r)	65%	68%	70%	67%	63%	64%	61%	66%	(r)
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	(r)	(r)	64%	67%	67%	67%	60%	61%	60%	67%	(r)

KEY

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### **RESULTS BY GENDER**



EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES

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Differences have been highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.

	HealthShare NSW	Male	Female	Other
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	200	383	6
ENGAGEMENT	63%	59%	66%	(r)
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	46%	56%	(r)
COMMUNICATION	56%	53%	59%	(r)
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	63%	70%	(r)
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	61%	67%	(r)
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	60%	66%	(r)

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#### EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES

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	HealthShare NSW	Junior Medical Officer	Career Medical Officer, Hospitalist	Staff Specialist	Visiting Medical Officer	Clinical Academic	Assistant in Nursing	Enrolled Nurse	Registered Nurse/Midwife, Clinical Nurse/Midwife Specialist/Consultant,	불글교	Nurse/Midwifery Manager	Support Officers	Information Management	Clinical Support Executive
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	0	0	0	0	0	0	2		0	0	3	0	0
ENGAGEMENT	63%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
COMMUNICATION	56%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)

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#### EXPLORE THE RESULTS FOR DIFFERENT GROUPS OF EMPLOYEES

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	HealthShare NSW	Administrative and Executive Assistant	Corporate Services	Senior Manager/Executive	Allied Health Professional	Allied Health Assistant	Health Education, Health Promotion and Health Protection	Counsellor, Welfare Support	Interpreters and Liaison Officer	Aboriginal Health Workers and Aboriginal Education Officers	Technician/Technologist	Hospital Scientist/Biomedical Engineers	Researchers	Data Analyst
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	58	119	17	8	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
ENGAGEMENT	63%	68%	70%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	52%	70%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
COMMUNICATION	56%	62%	70%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	72%	78%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	69%	78%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	68%	75%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)

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Differences have been highlighted where they are 5 or more % points above or below the scores in the first column.

	HealthShare NSW	Technical Officers/Technical Assistant	Dental Officer, Therapists and Hygienist	Dental Specialist	Dental Assistant	Trainee Dental Assistant	Operational Ambulance Officers	Operational Ambulance Managers	Project Director	Project Manager	Project Officer	Cleaning, Linen and Food	Motor Vehicle, Patient Transport	Security Services, Fire Safety
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	0	0	0	0	0	3	0		24	12	139	18	9
ENGAGEMENT	63%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	64%	(r)	(r)
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	50%	(r)	(r)
COMMUNICATION	56%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	52%	(r)	(r)
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	68%	(r)	(r)
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	63%	(r)	(r)
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	62%	(r)	(r)

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	HealthShare NSW	Residential Care Attendant, Patient Care Assistant, Patient Services, Wardsperson	Warehouse staff	Tradesperson	Apprentice Trade Worker and Trade Assistant	Trainee	Volunteer	Other job role	Prefer not to say
NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS	661	14	0	2	0	0	0	74	42
ENGAGEMENT	63%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	64%	50%
SENIOR MANAGERS	52%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	49%	37%
COMMUNICATION	56%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	56%	37%
HIGH PERFORMANCE	67%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	64%	53%
PUBLIC SECTOR VALUES	65%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	61%	52%
DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	63%	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	(r)	63%	44%

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### **TAKING ACTION**



#### **WHAT'S NEXT?**

Sector employees have now given their feedback and these results show where actions and improvements are required.

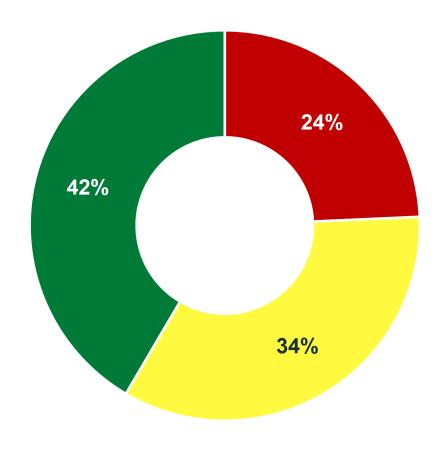
Research has shown that a key reason why employees can become disengaged is if they are asked their opinion and then no action takes place as a result. 42%

of employees replied favourably to:

'I believe action will be taken on the results from this survey by my organisation.'

> 32% SECTOR

34% CLUSTER





### **GUIDE TO THIS REPORT**



#### **ANONYMITY RULES**

Responses from individual employees are confidential and strict rules are in place to safeguard privacy at every stage of the survey process.

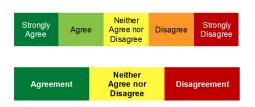
There is no way of tracing individuals in reports or through the de-identified survey data. There are limits on the size of workgroups that can be reported (10 or more employees) and responses from demographic groups (30 or more employees). Where people work in small teams, the results are merged with larger business units and results are not available. Where this happens an 'r' is shown in reports.



#### **HOW TO READ THIS REPORT**

The majority of questions have a 5-point answer scale. In reports, the Strongly Agree and Agree scores are combined to create an agreement (or positive) score which is shown as a rounded percentage.

Previous surveys had a 4-point answer scale, which means that comparisons are limited for this year only. Some scales, such as those used for the Engagement Index, are unchanged.





#### HOW THE DRIVERS AND INFLUENCERS ARE DERIVED

ORC International employs SPSS software to fully interrogate the results and perform appropriate calculations. Our statisticians need a minimum of **30 responses** from a team to perform the analysis to determine the top influences of engagement, leadership and other key question groups.

Statistical techniques applied for this analysis include **Factor Analysis** which identifies patterns in data and allows the statistician to assess whether the attitude questions are measuring the same underlying theme or characteristic.

Regression Analysis then involves building a statistical model based on research that employee engagement is affected by various elements of the workplace such as line manager, learning & development, reward and recognition, job role, etc. This analysis assigns importance weights to the attributes that have been measured. It relies on certain assumptions, one of which is that the variables used in the model should, by definition, not be strongly related to each other. The outcome of these techniques is a list of questions which we can say have the highest association with the engagement index, or more simply, are the most significant influencers of employee engagement



### **ROUNDING**

Results are presented as whole numbers for ease of reading, with rounding performed at the last stage of the calculation for maximum accuracy.

Values from .00 to .49 are rounded down, whereas values from .50 to .99 are rounded up. Therefore, in some instances the data will not add up to 100%. Example below:

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Total
NUMBER OF RESPONSES	151	166	176	96	24	613
PERCENTAGE	24.63%	27.08%	28.71%	15.66%	3.92%	100%
ROUNDED PERCENTAGE	25%	27%	29%	16%	4%	101%