

# BC COVID-19 SPEAK SURVEY RESULTS



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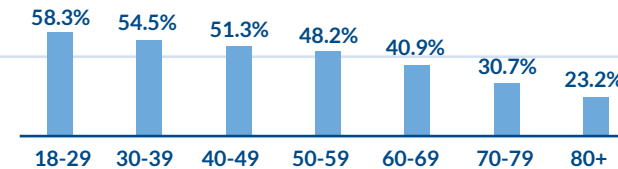
In May 2020 B.C. residents shared their experience with the COVID-19 pandemic through a survey that evaluated the impacts of public health response measures.

Data shows that there are both positive and negative impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic and response measures. View the BC COVID-19 SPEAK survey details [here](#).



More than half of Island Health residents with children in their household reported worsening mental health.

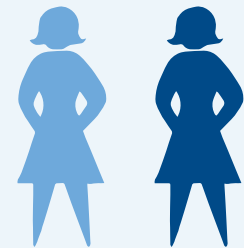
Percent of Island Health residents reporting worsening mental health by age group.



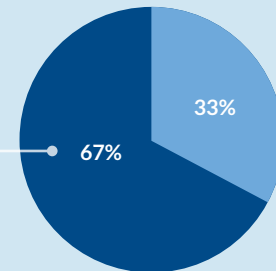
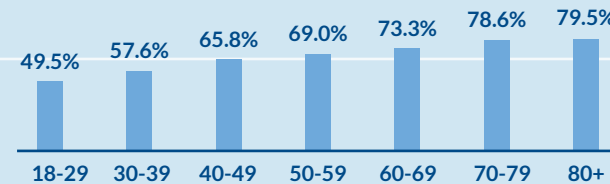
46.2% of Island Health residents reported worsening

mental health

1 in 2 Island Health respondents reported 1 or more health conditions which increases risk for severe COVID-19 illness.



Percent of Island Health residents reporting a strong sense of community belonging by age group.



On average, 67% of Island Health residents reported feeling a strong sense of community belonging.

8 out of 10 Island Health residents believed that the initial public health response was appropriate.

sense of community

Questions about the BC COVID-19 SPEAK survey and database? Contact [covid19.speak@bccdc.ca](mailto:covid19.speak@bccdc.ca)  
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