

LTC Services in North East London (NEL)

Trends Analysis Report



Healthwatch is the official consumer champion for users of health and social care services. We listen to people's stories, good and bad, and report on their collective experience. In this report, we examine the experience of local services for long term conditions.

Qualitative Feedback, 1 January 2024 - 31 December 2025



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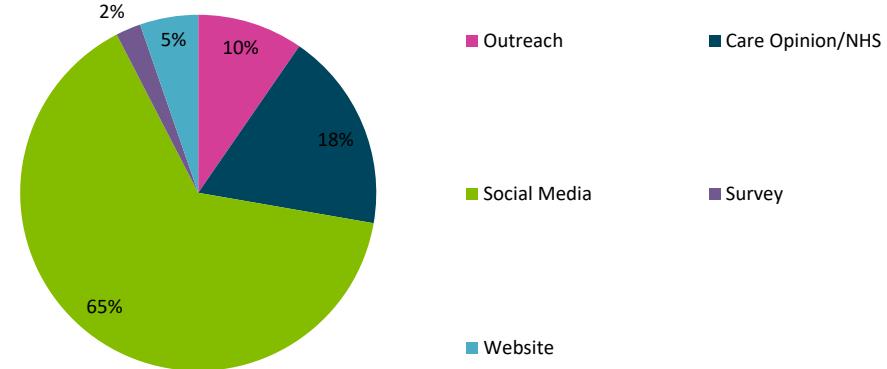
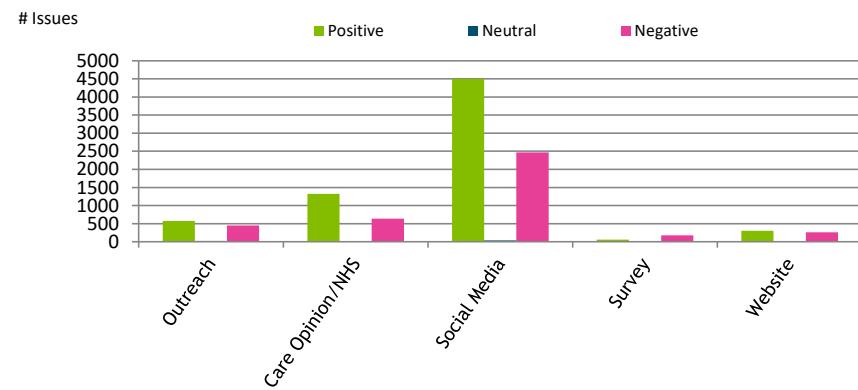
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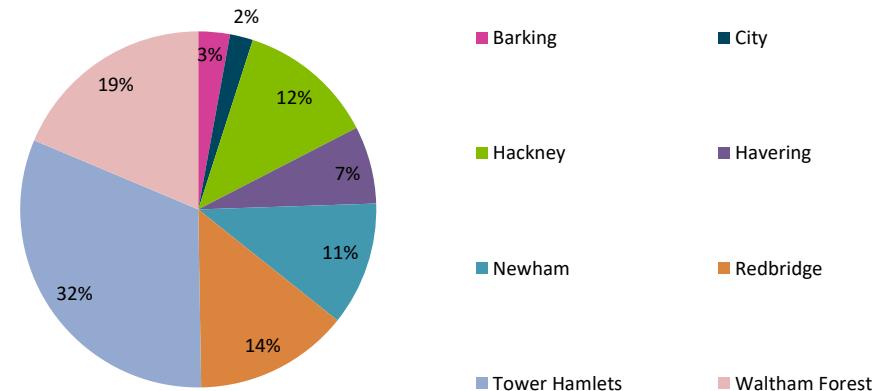
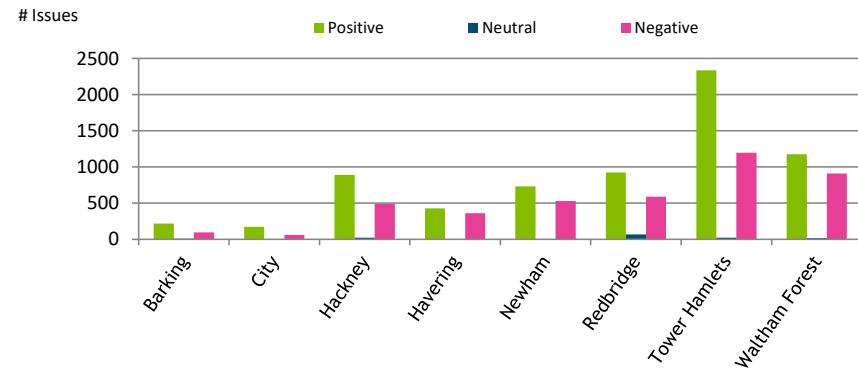


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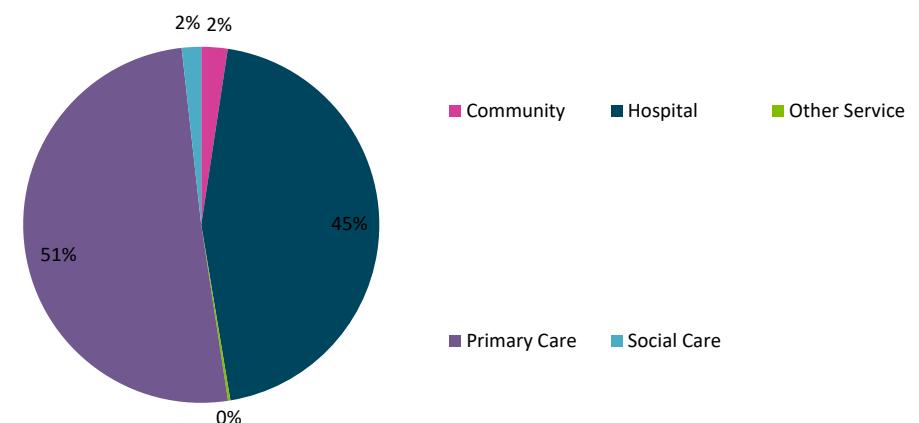
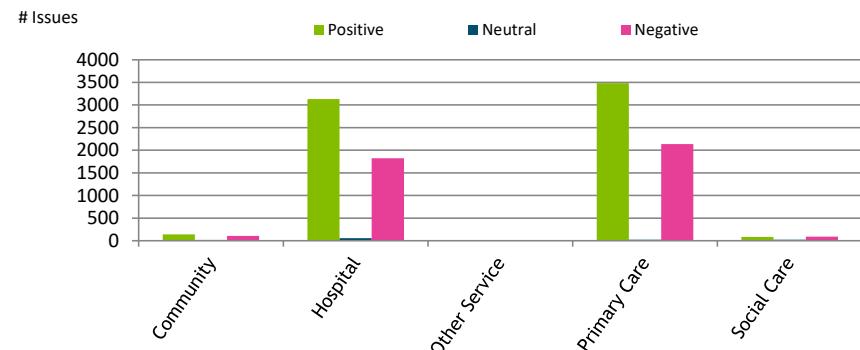
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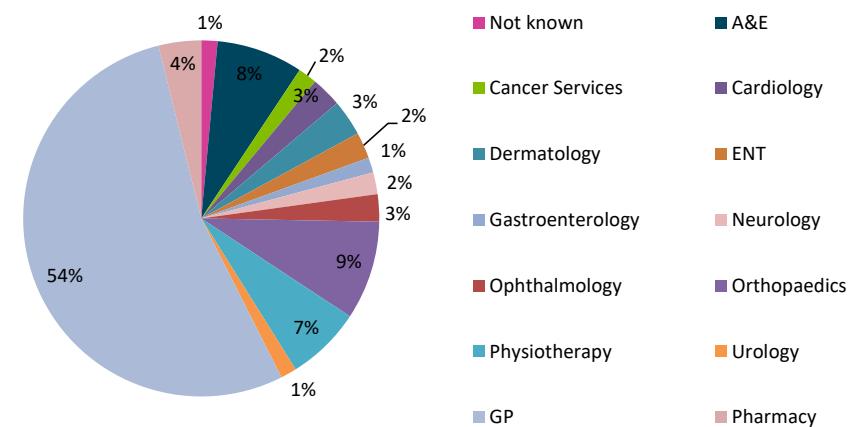
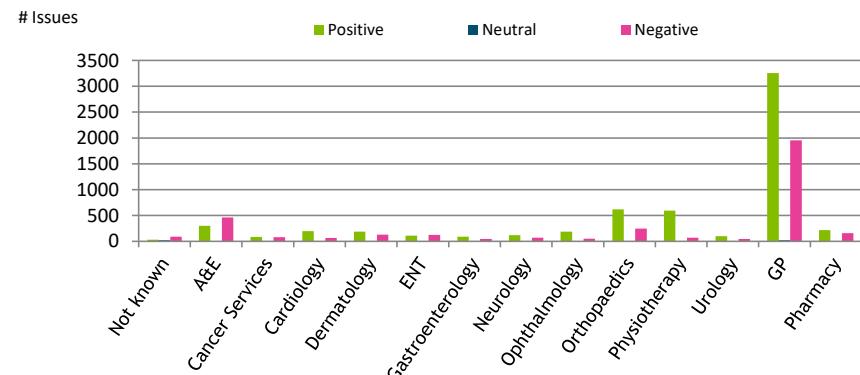
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2.1 Service Sector



Service sectors receiving the most comments overall

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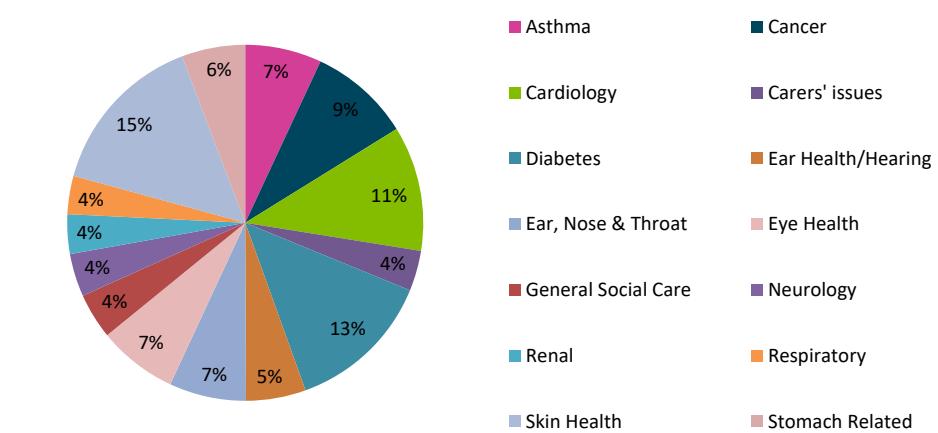
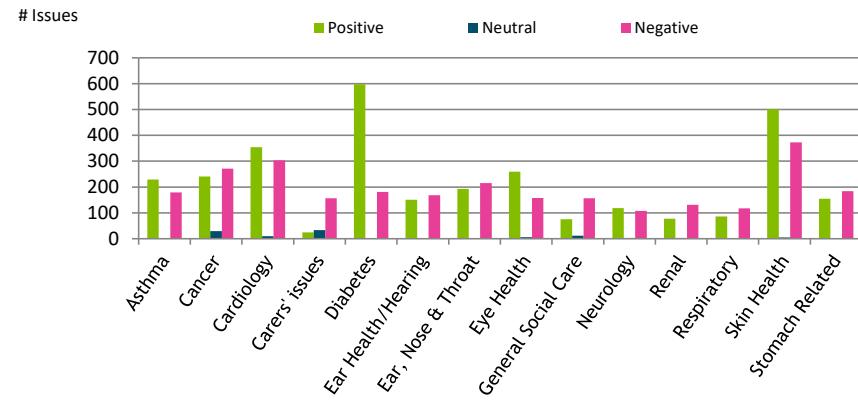


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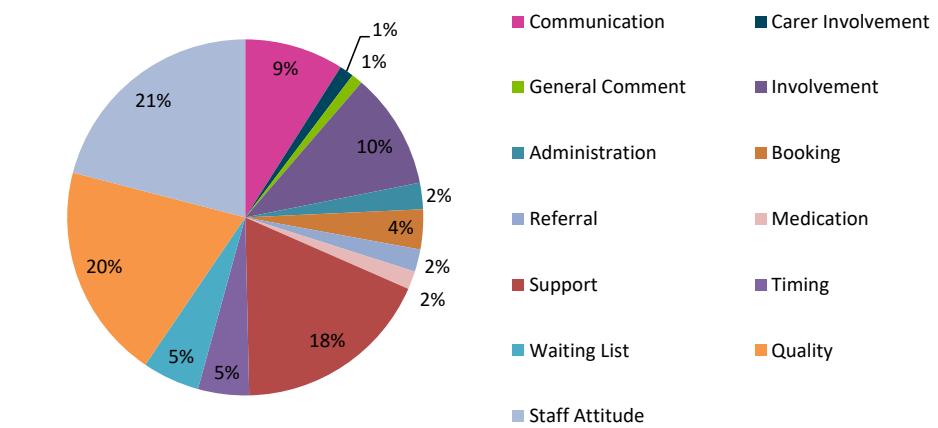
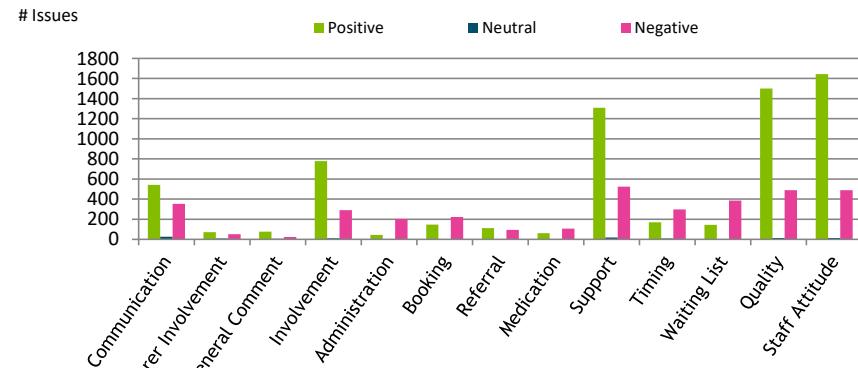


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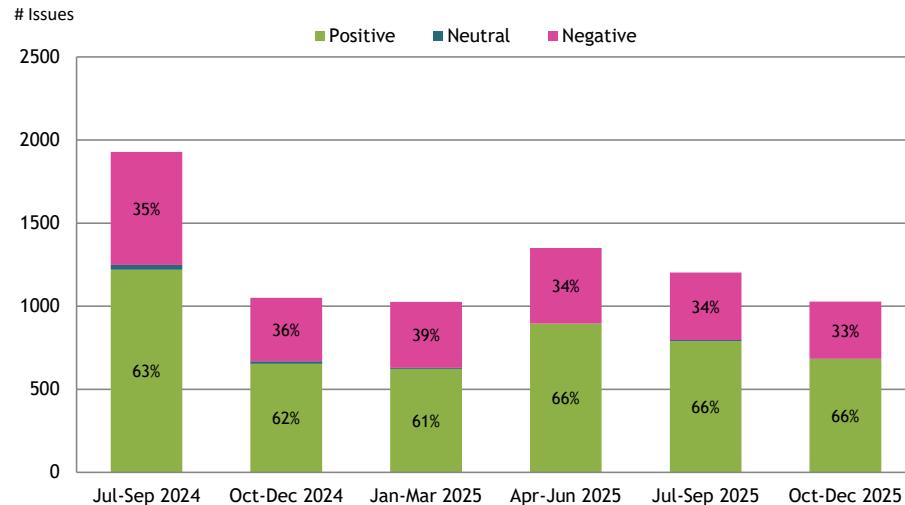


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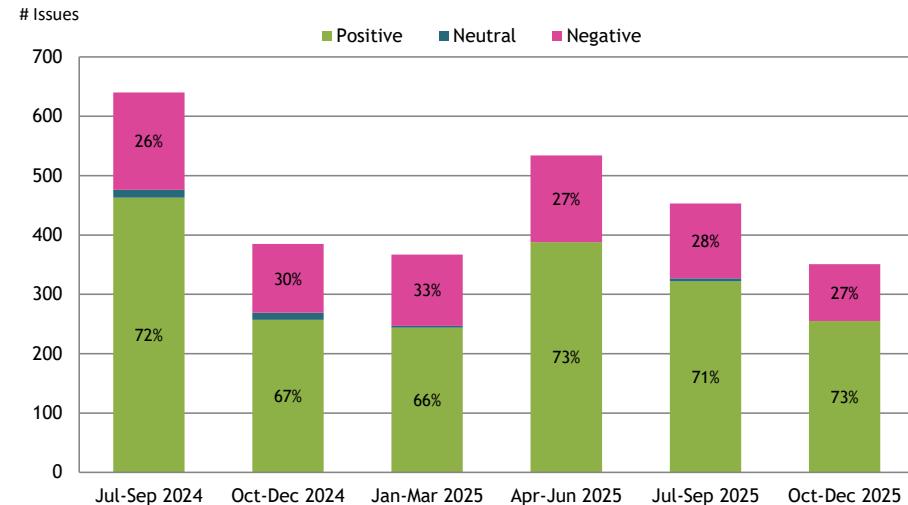
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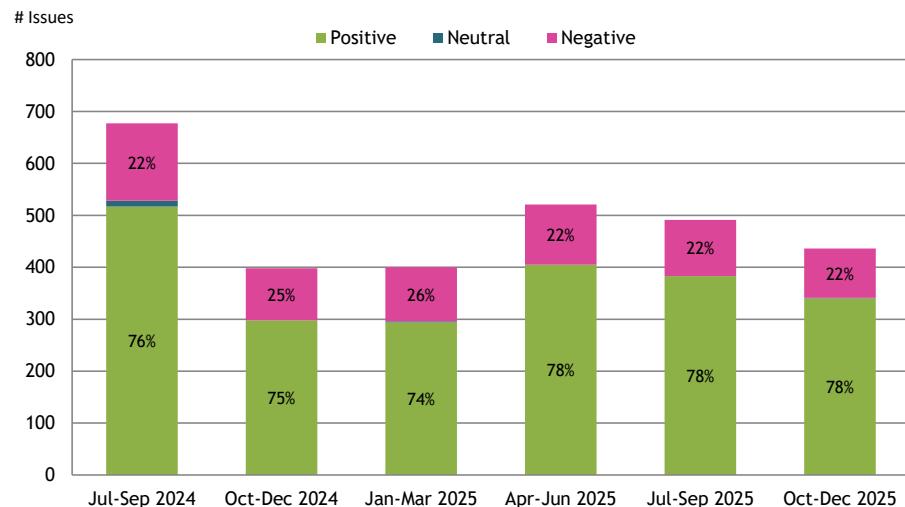
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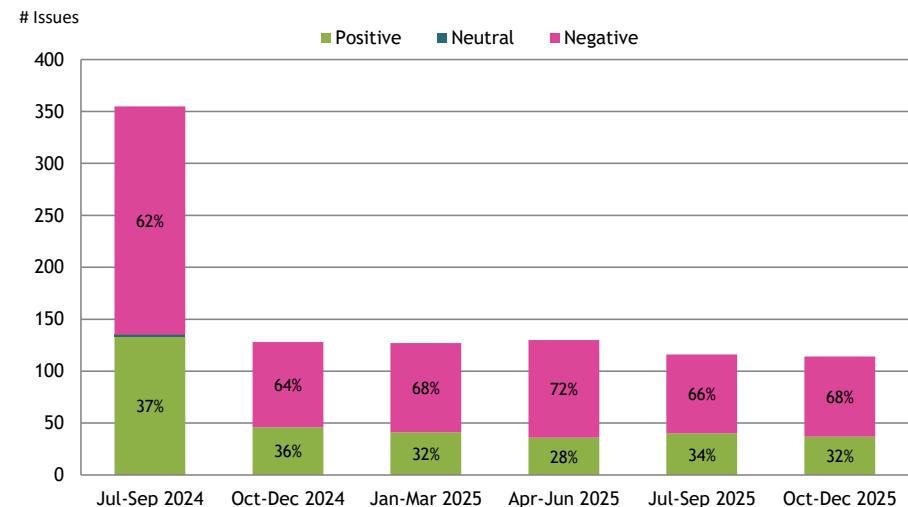
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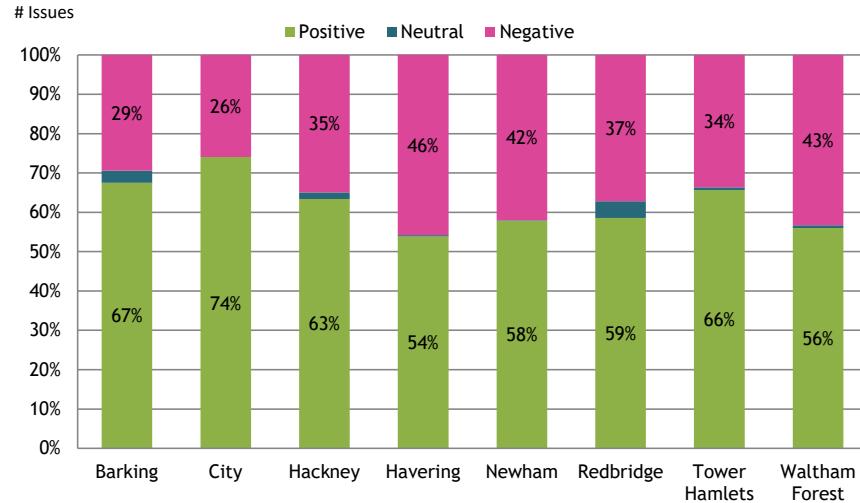
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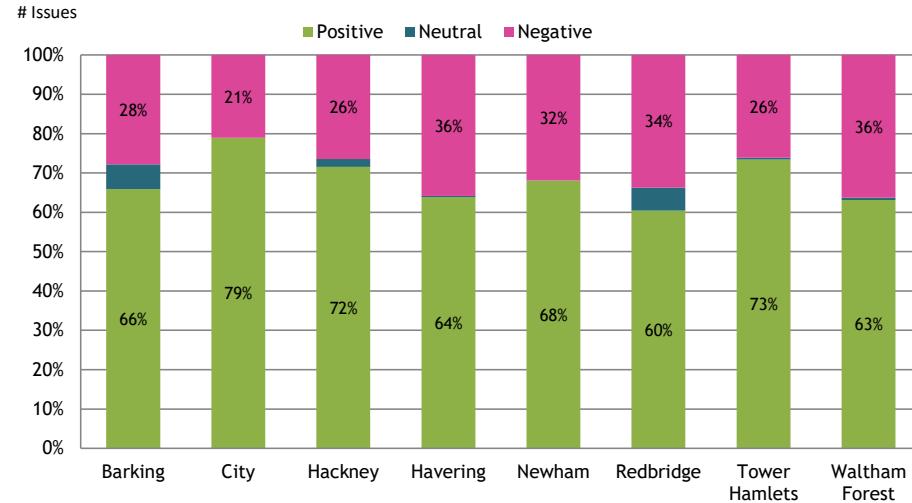
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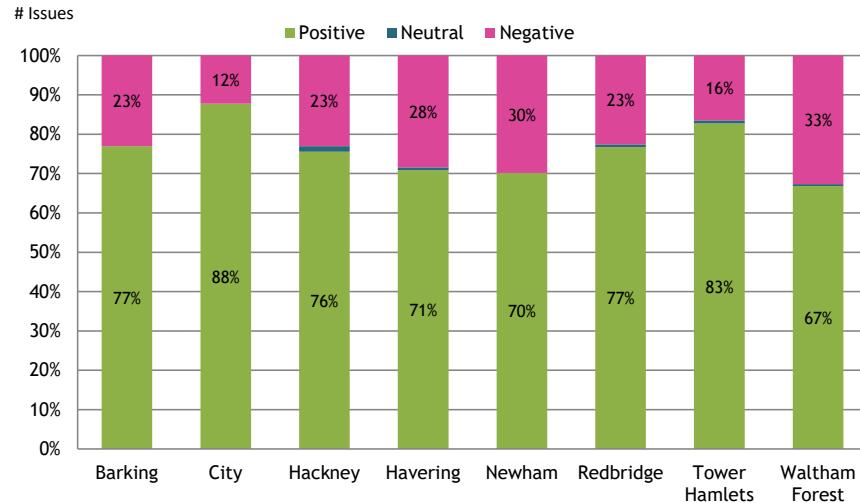
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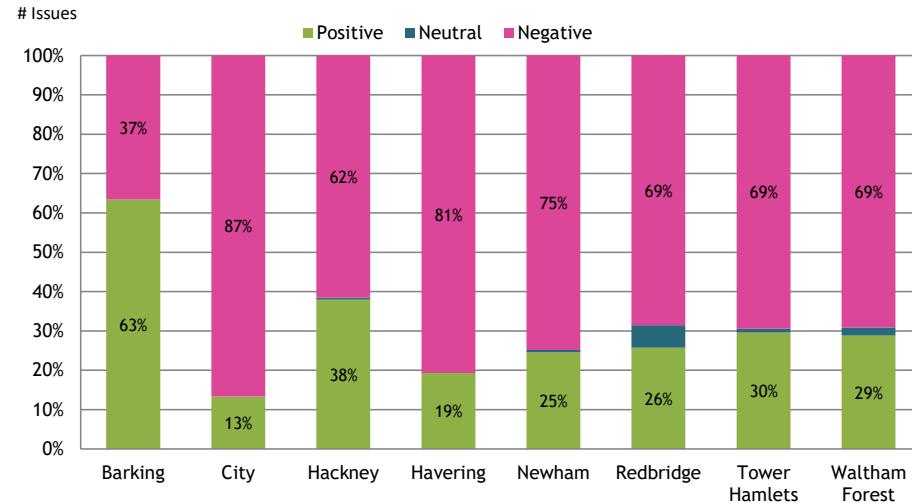
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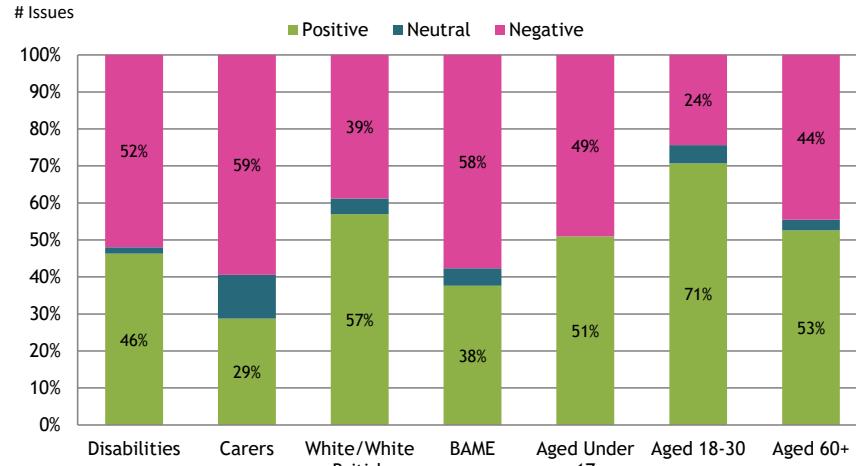
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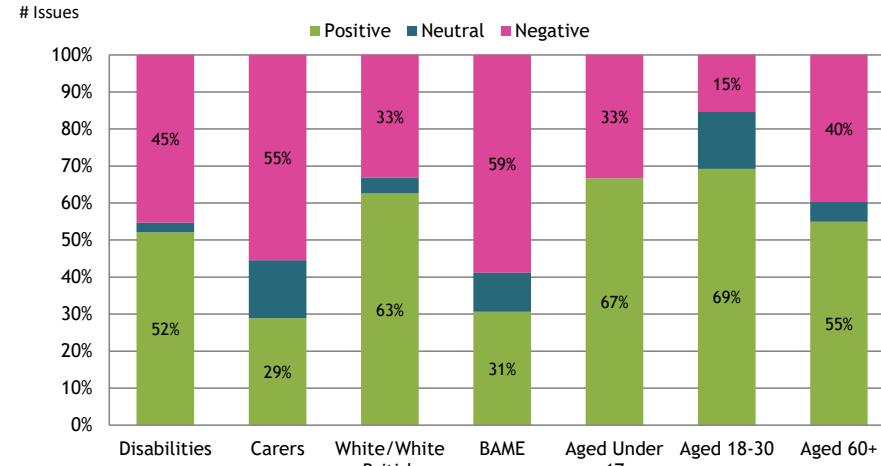
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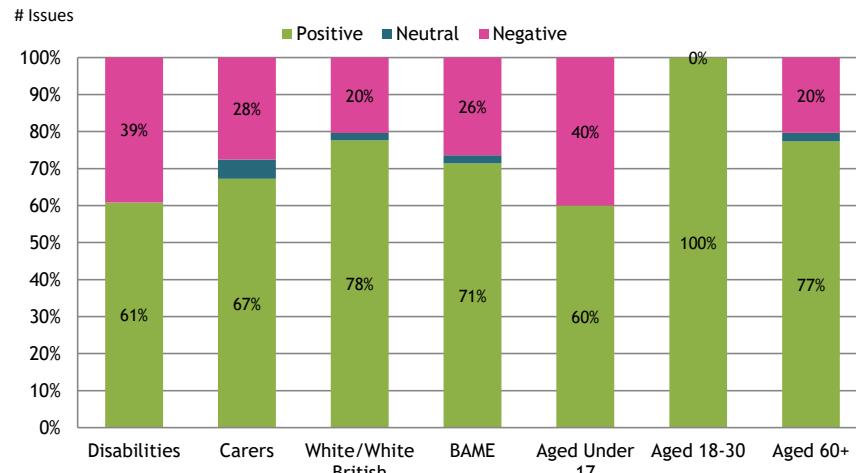
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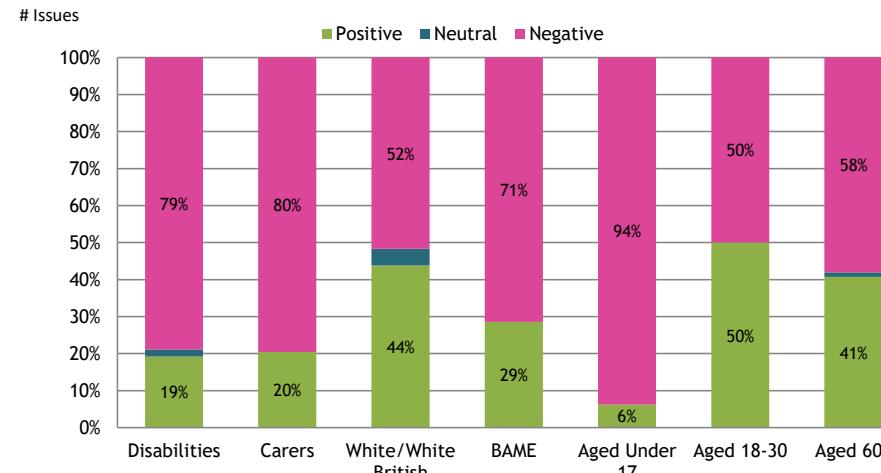
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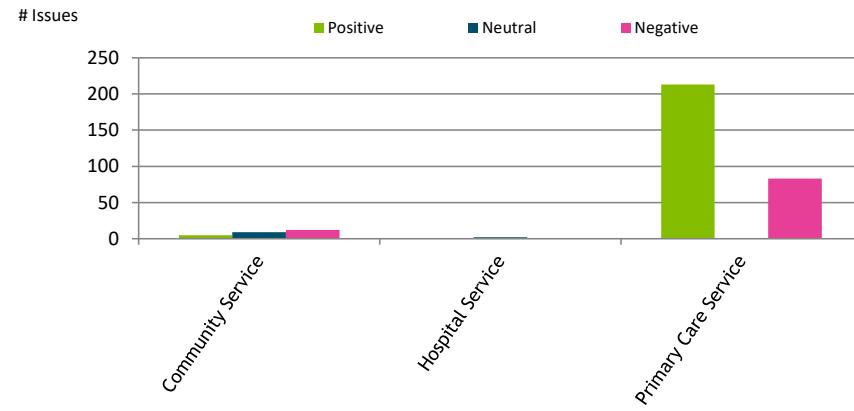
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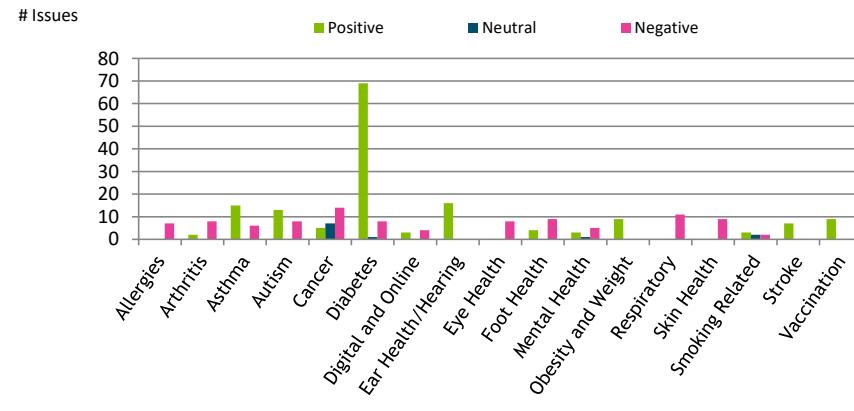


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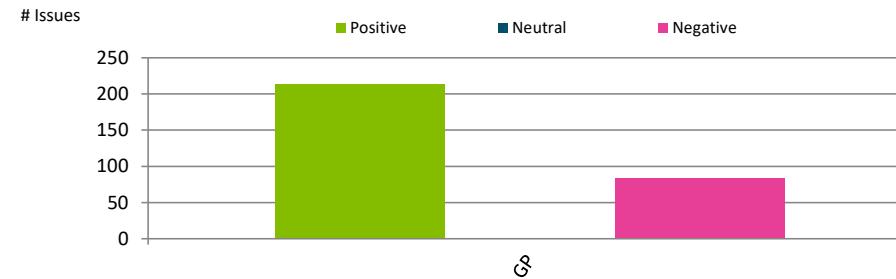
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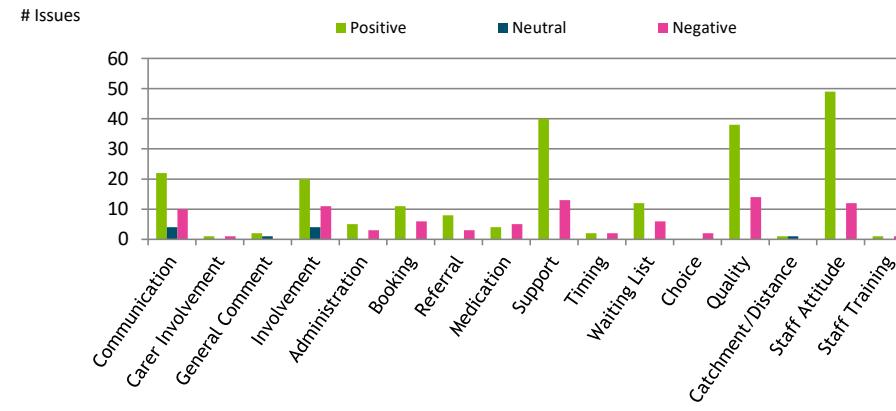
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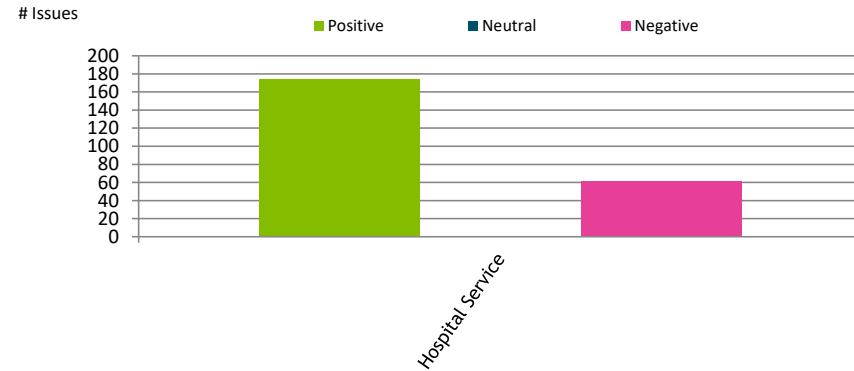


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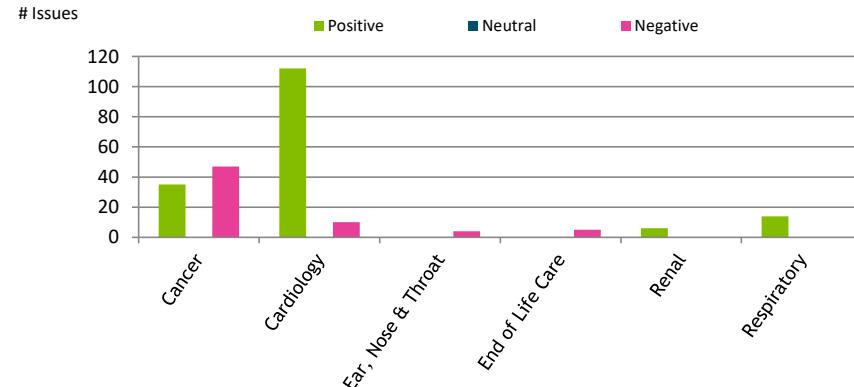


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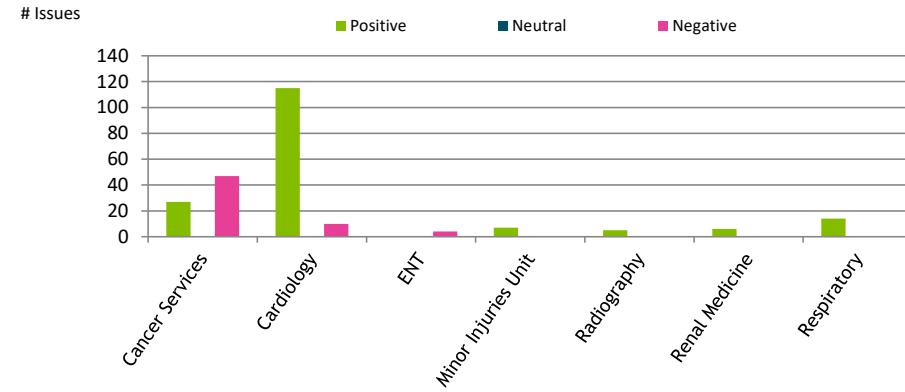
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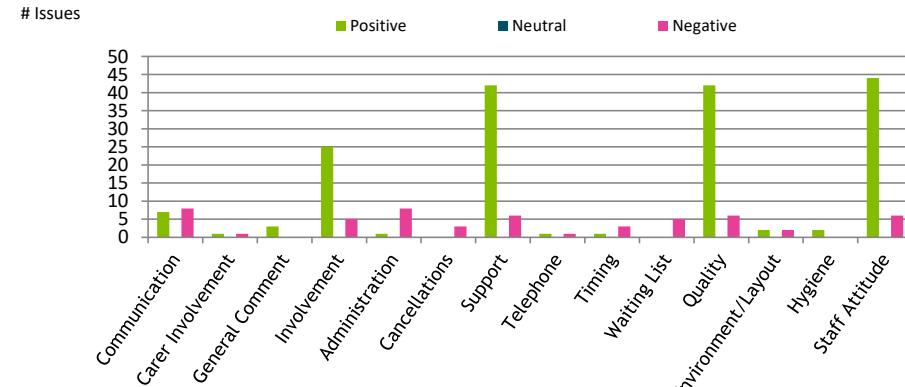
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7.6 Service Type



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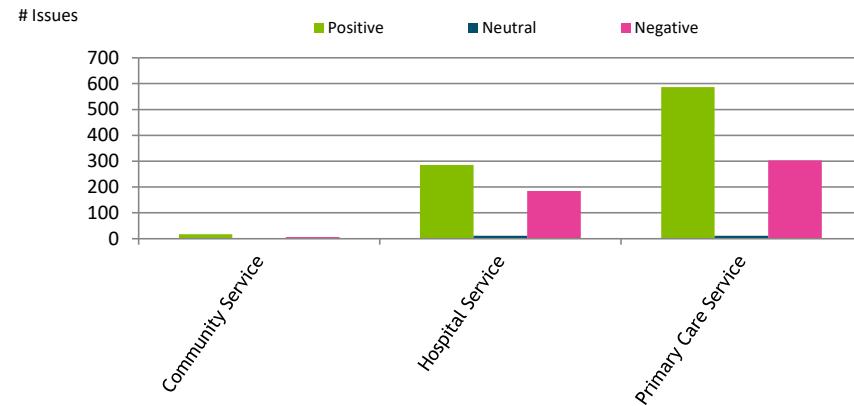


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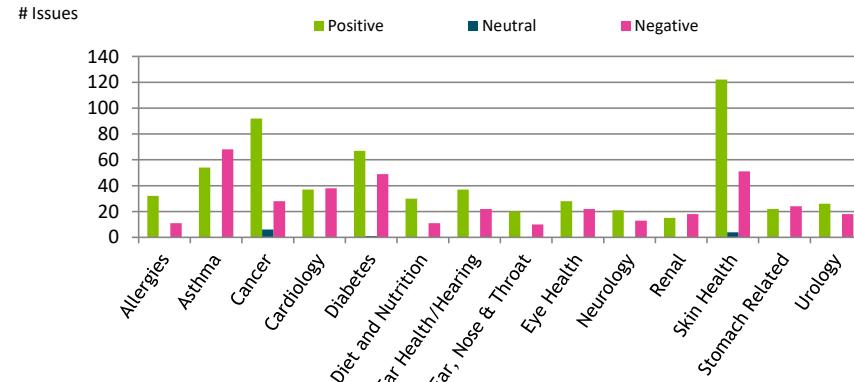


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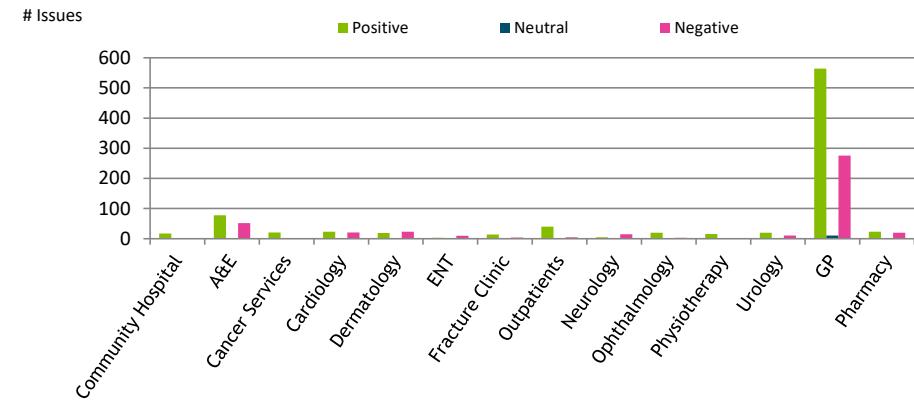
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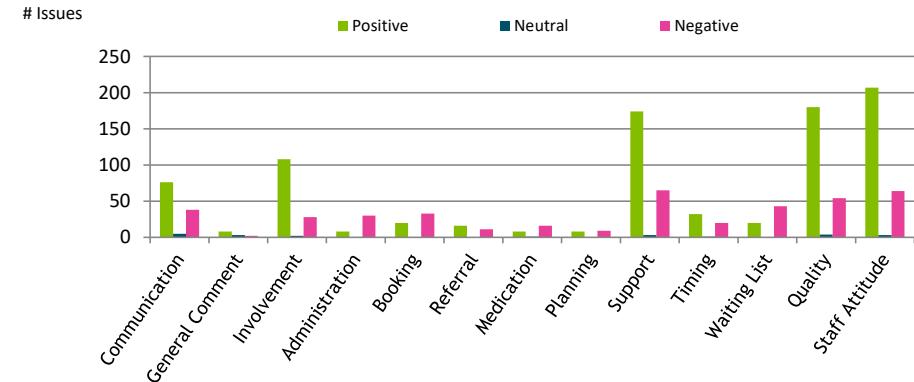
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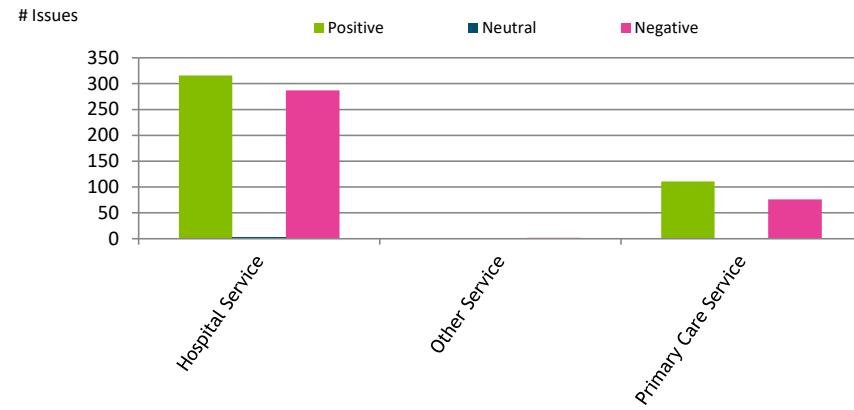


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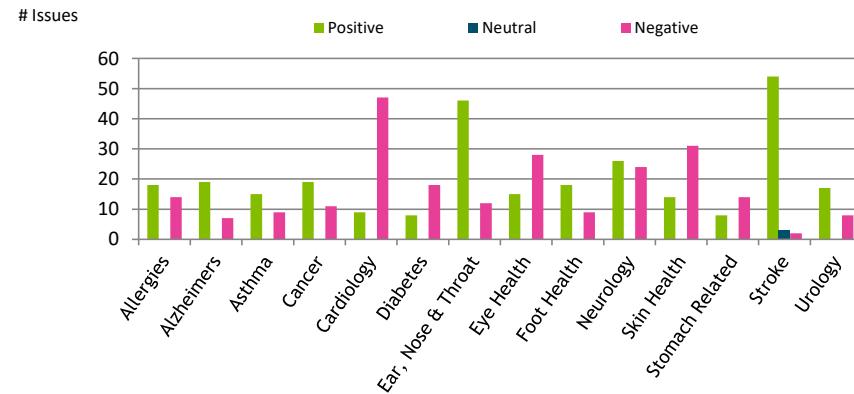


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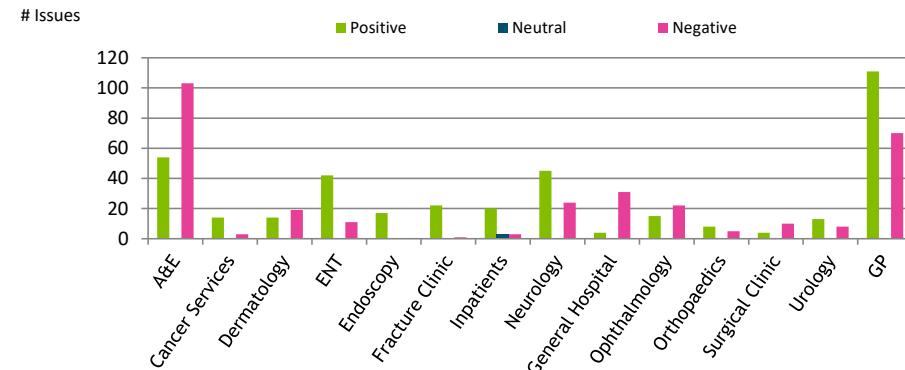
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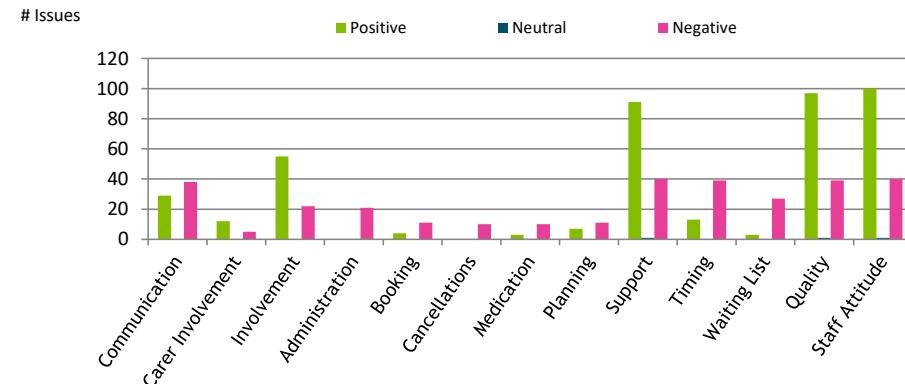
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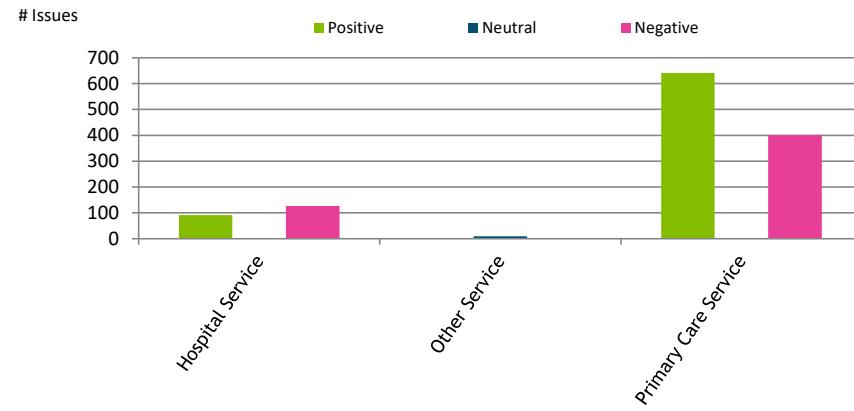


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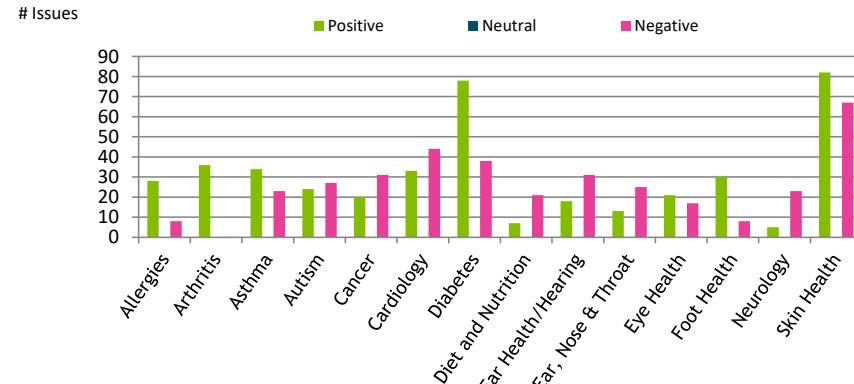


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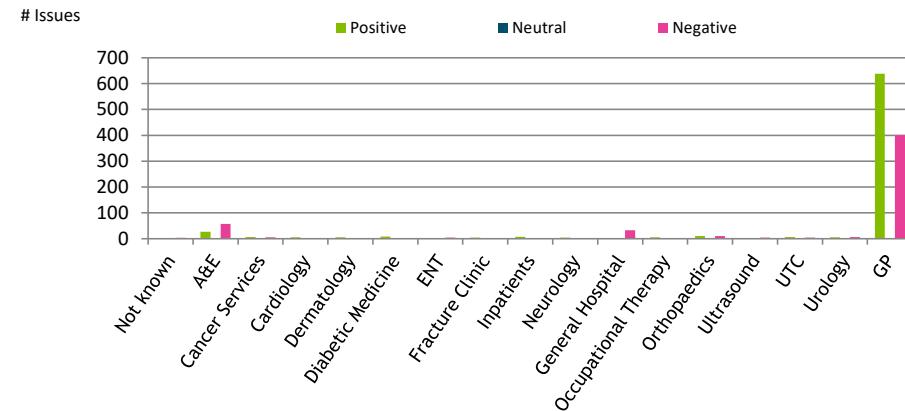
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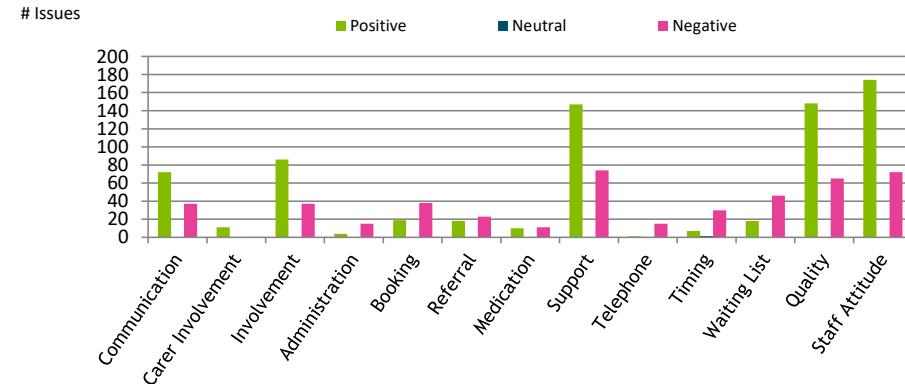
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7.18 Service Type



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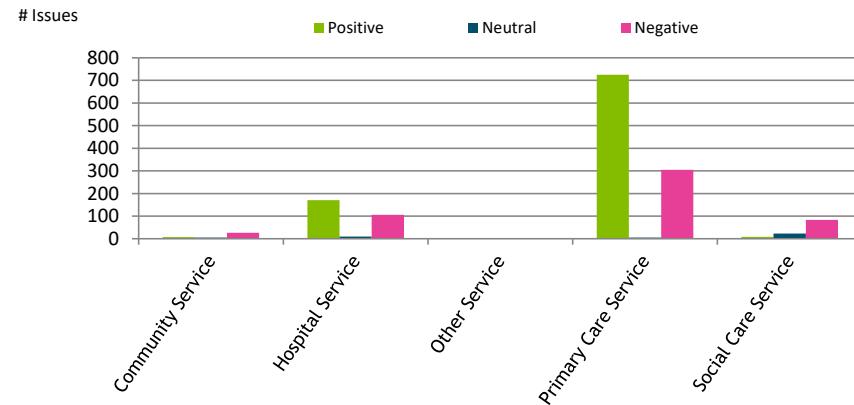


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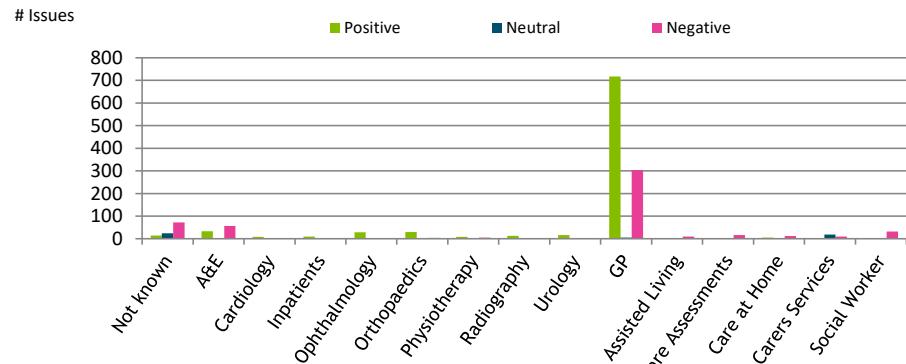
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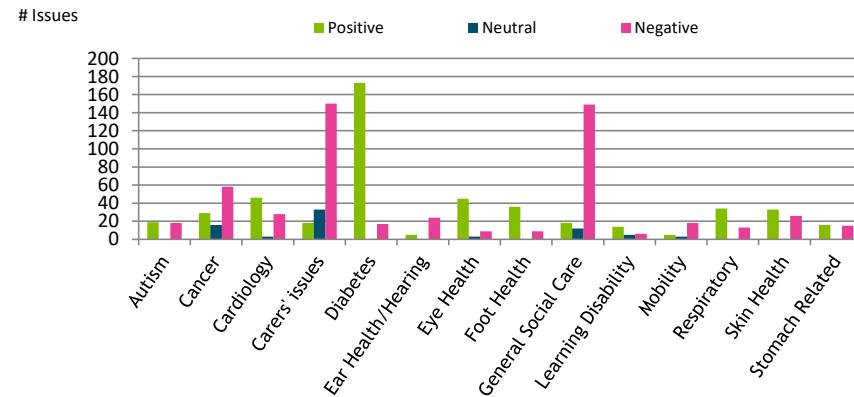
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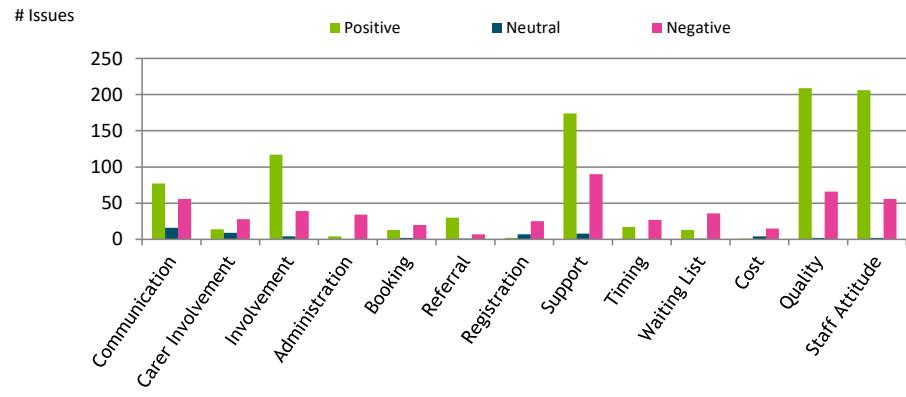
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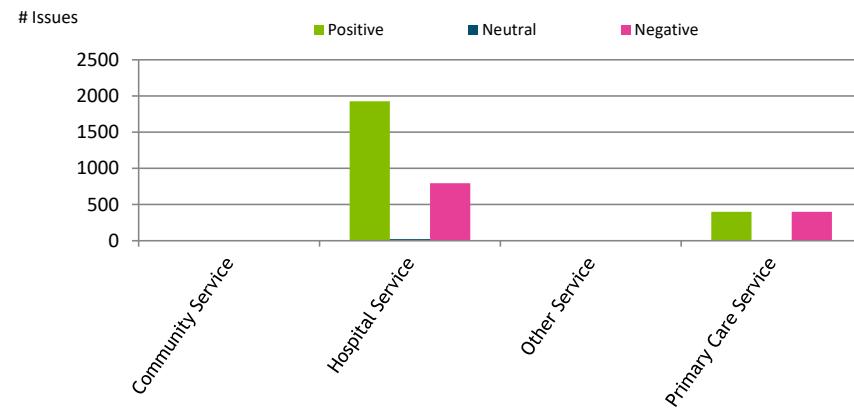


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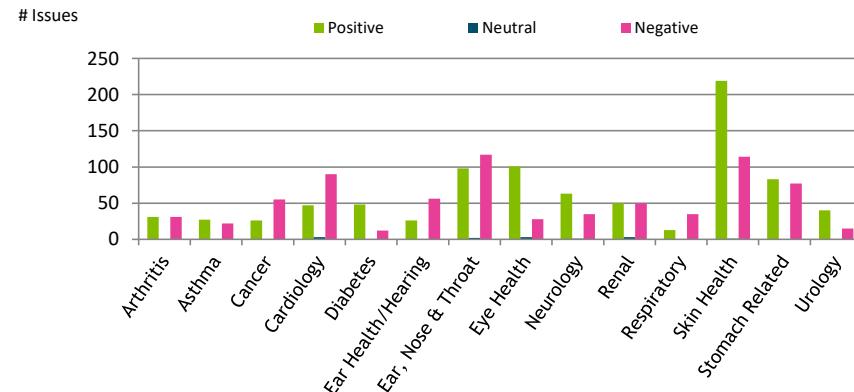


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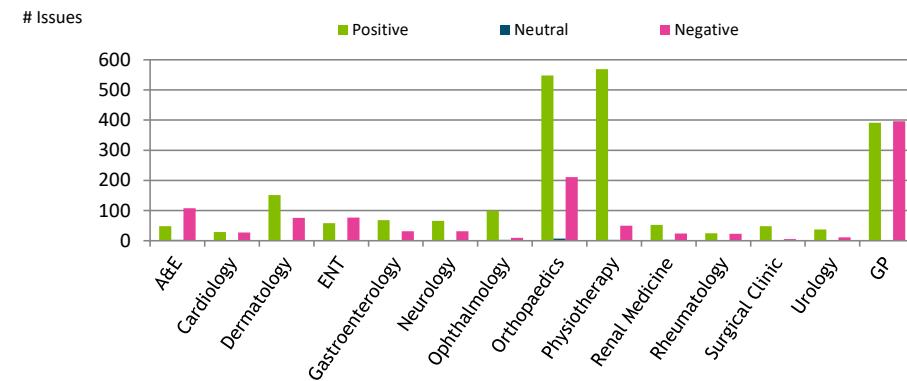
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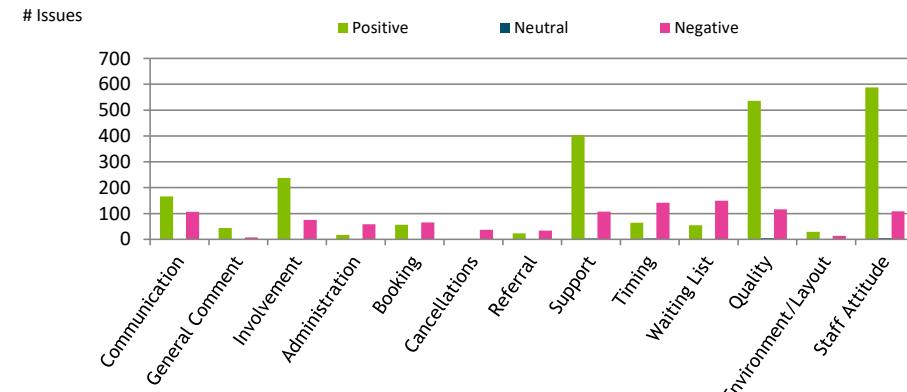
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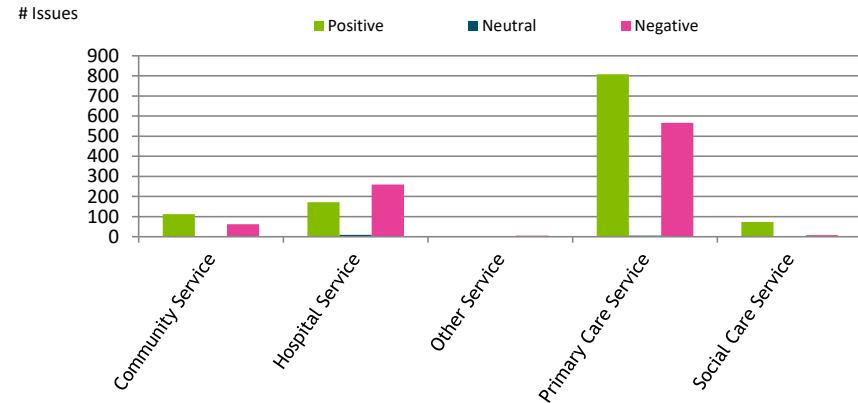


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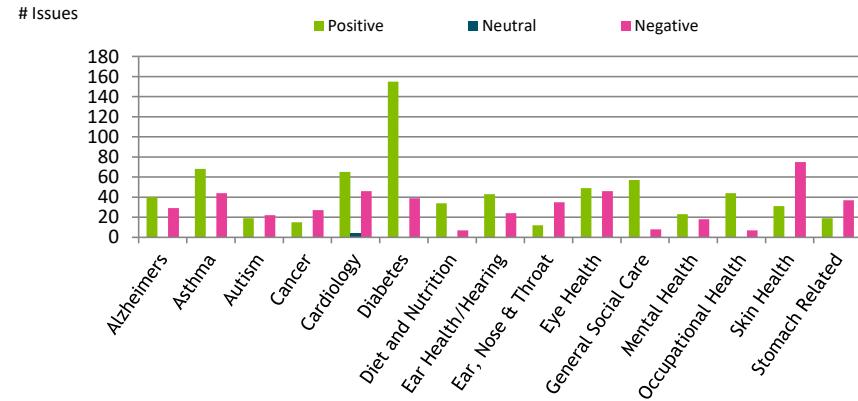


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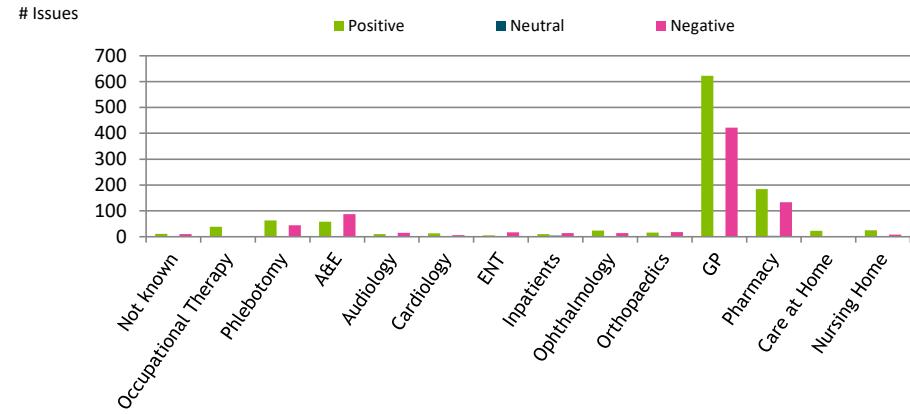
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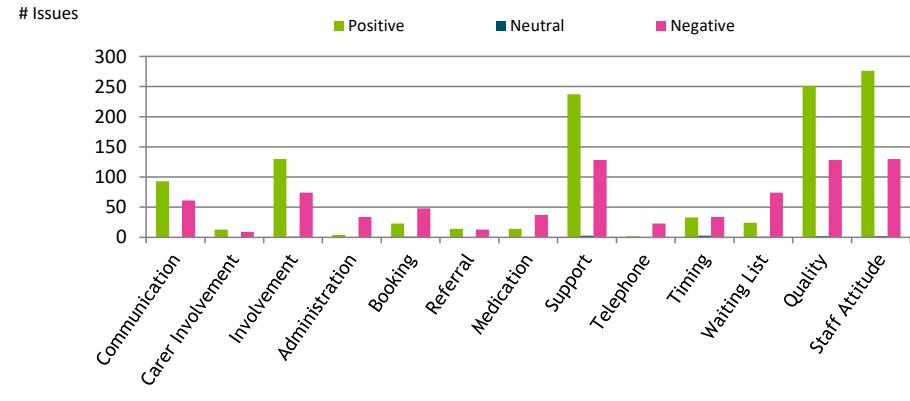
Medical conditions/topics receiving the most comments overall

7.30 Service Type



Service type receiving the most comments overall

7.32 Top Trends: 2099 issues from 488 people



Issues receiving the most comments overall

8. Data Table: Number of issues



	Issue Name	Descriptor	# Issues			
			Positive	Neutral	Negative	Total
Patients/Carers	Advice/Information	<i>Communication, including access to advice and information.</i>	542	26	354	922
	Carer Involvement	<i>Involvement or influence of carers and family members.</i>	72	9	51	132
	Peer Involvement	<i>Involvement or Influence of friends.</i>	2	1	2	5
	General Comment	<i>A generalised statement (ie; "The doctor was good.")</i>	77	5	23	105
	User Involvement	<i>Involvement or influence of the service user.</i>	778	11	291	1080
Systems	Administration	<i>Administrative processes and delivery.</i>	43	0	203	246
	Admission	<i>Physical admission to a hospital ward, or other service.</i>	3	0	10	13
	Booking	<i>Ability to book, reschedule or cancel appointments.</i>	146	3	222	371
	Cancellations	<i>Cancellation of appointment by the service provider.</i>	0	0	78	78
	Data Protection	<i>General data protection (including GDPR).</i>	0	2	4	6
	Referral	<i>Referral to a service.</i>	111	2	95	208
	Medical Records	<i>Management of medical records.</i>	0	1	28	29
	Medication	<i>Prescription and management of medicines.</i>	61	1	107	169
	Opening Times	<i>Opening times of a service.</i>	1	0	9	10
	Planning	<i>Leadership and general organisation.</i>	40	0	55	95
	Registration	<i>Ability to register for a service.</i>	4	8	49	61
	Support	<i>Levels of support provided.</i>	1308	19	523	1850
	Telephone	<i>Ability to contact a service by telephone.</i>	9	2	74	85
	Timing	<i>Physical timing (ie; length of wait at appointments).</i>	169	9	297	475
	Waiting List	<i>Length of wait while on a list.</i>	145	2	386	533
Values	Choice	<i>General choice.</i>	10	0	34	44
	Cost	<i>General cost.</i>	2	4	28	34
	Language	<i>Language, including terminology.</i>	7	1	13	21
	Nutrition	<i>Provision of sustenance.</i>	28	1	17	46
	Privacy	<i>Privacy, personal space and property.</i>	3	0	6	9
	Quality	<i>General quality of a service, or staff.</i>	1501	14	488	2003
	Sensory	<i>Deaf/blind or other sensory issues.</i>	9	1	5	15
	Stimulation	<i>General stimulation, including access to activities.</i>	12	0	6	18

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Environment	Catchment/Distance	<i>Distance to a service (and catchment area for eligibility).</i>	16	2	11	29
	Environment/Layout	<i>Physical environment of a service.</i>	43	0	40	83
	Equipment	<i>General equipment issues.</i>	11	1	17	29
	Hazard	<i>General hazard to safety (ie; a hospital wide infection).</i>	1	0	12	13
	Hygiene	<i>Levels of hygiene and general cleanliness.</i>	37	0	19	56
	Mobility	<i>Physical mobility to, from and within services.</i>	7	3	21	31
	Travel/Parking	<i>Ability to travel or park.</i>	4	0	9	13
Staff	Omission	<i>General omission (ie; transport did not arrive).</i>	0	0	41	41
	Security/Conduct	<i>General security of a service, including conduct of staff.</i>	1	1	23	25
	Staff Attitude	<i>Attitude, compassion and empathy of staff.</i>	1644	13	488	2145
	Complaints	<i>Ability to log and resolve a complaint.</i>	5	0	14	19
	Staff Training	<i>Training of staff.</i>	19	1	48	68
	Staffing Levels	<i>General availability of staff.</i>	1	0	32	33
			Total:	6872	143	4233
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