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Nevada Essentials for Childhood (EfC):
Promoting Positive Childhood Experiences (PCEs)
and Preventing Adverse Childhood Experiences
(ACEs) through Data to Action



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Methods

During February 2024, an online survey was distributed to identified stakeholders of the Nevada Essentials for Childhood (EfC): Promoting Positive Childhood Experiences (PCEs) and Preventing Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) through Data to Action grant. Stakeholders were sent a link to the survey, which was administered through Qualtrics, and a request to share the survey link with their team and any relevant agencies in their community. The survey assessed familiarity, current work, and training needs related to ACEs, PCEs, and Social Determinants of Health (SDOH), as well as relevant state priorities; 198 individuals completed the survey.

Respondent Affiliation

Figure 1. Respondent’s organization/agency affiliation

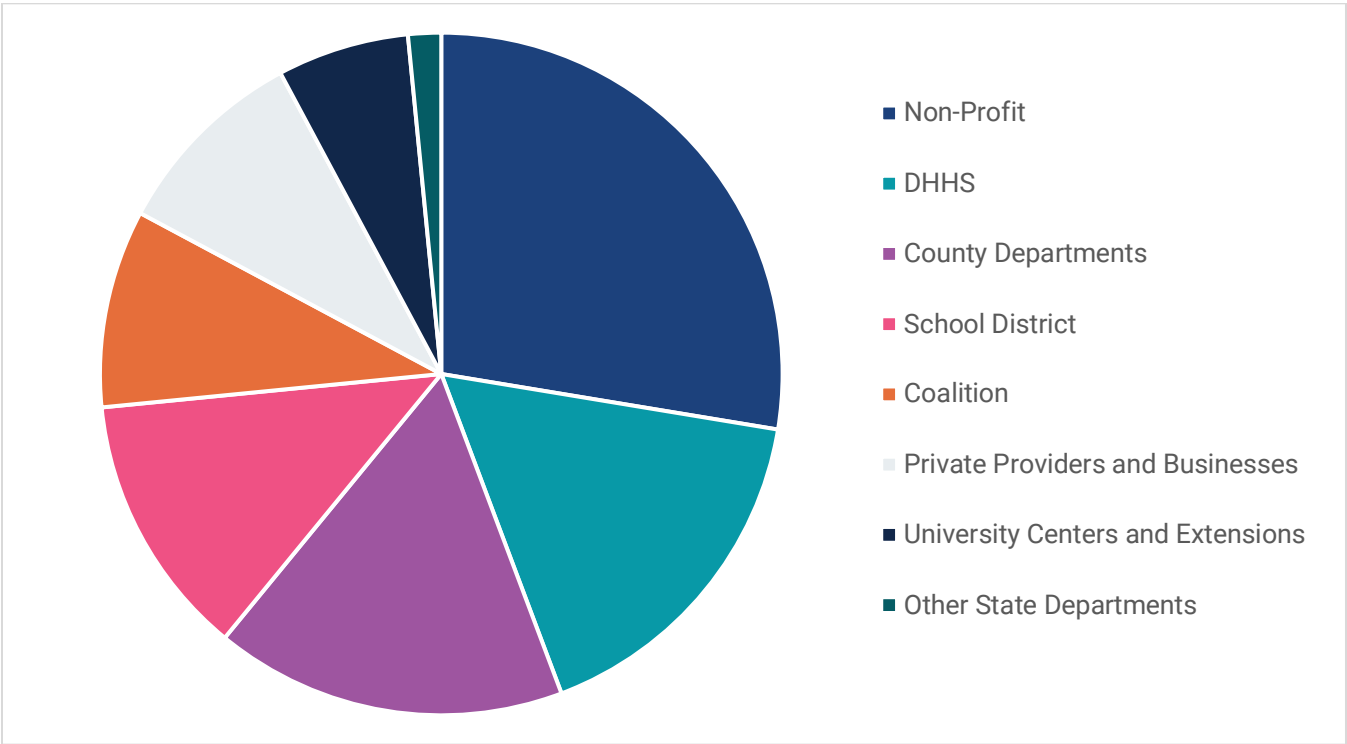


Table 1. Populations primarily served by the respondent's organization/agency during the past 12 months

Populations*	N	%
Children (ages 0-9)	133	67.9
Adolescents (ages 10-17)	151	77.0
Young adults (ages 18-26)	125	63.8
Adults (ages 26+)	121	61.7
LGBTQ+	99	50.5
Military families	63	32.1
African American populations	116	59.2
Asian populations	94	48.0
Hispanic/Latinx populations	132	67.3
Native American populations	91	46.4
Pacific Islander populations	85	43.4
Unhoused	91	46.4
Disabled	91	46.4
Low income	146	74.5
Immigrants	78	39.8
Undocumented immigrants	74	37.8
Refugees	32	16.3

*Many organizations/agencies serve more than one population

Table 2. Primary service areas during the past 12 months

Area	N	%
Statewide	44	22.3%
Carson City	24	12.2%
Churchill County	15	7.6%
Clark County	66	33.5%
Douglas County	30	15.2%
Elko County	22	11.2%
Esmeralda County	7	3.6%
Eureka County	12	6.1%
Humboldt County	12	6.1%
Lander County	9	4.6%
Lincoln County	8	4.1%
Lyon County	21	10.7%
Mineral County	10	5.1%
Nye County	16	8.1%
Pershing County	10	5.1%
Storey County	13	6.6%
Washoe County	66	33.5%
White Pine County	12	6.1%

Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)

Figure 2. How familiar are [you/your organization/agency staff] with the concept of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)?

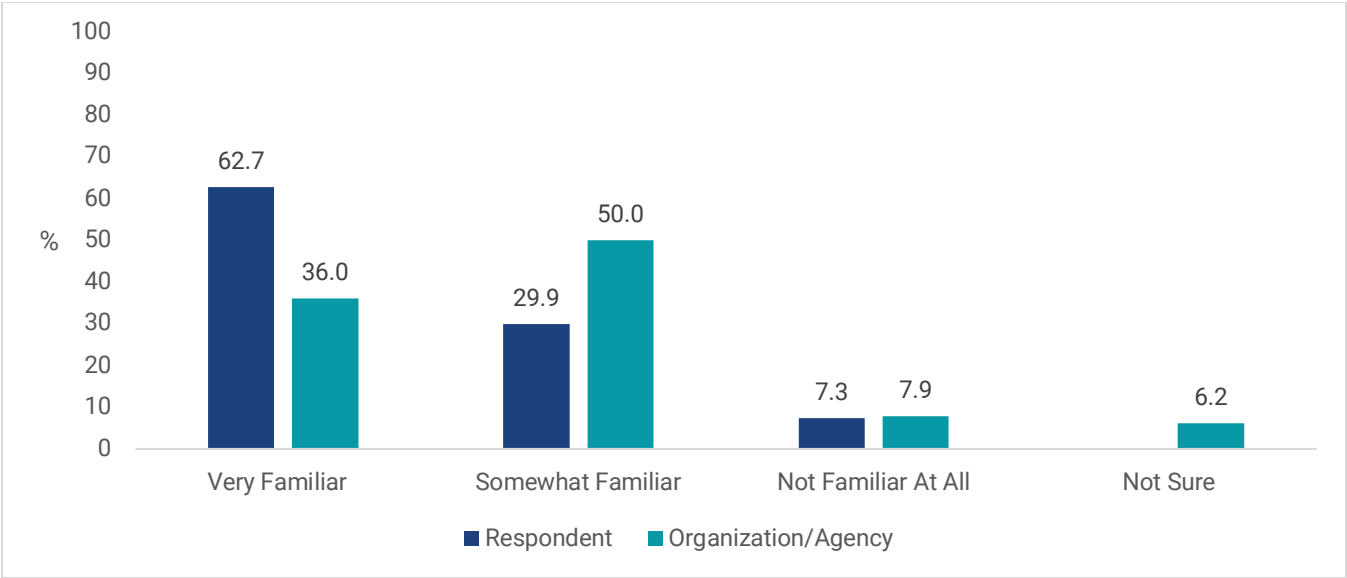


Figure 3. Is your organization/agency currently implementing strategies to address Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs)?

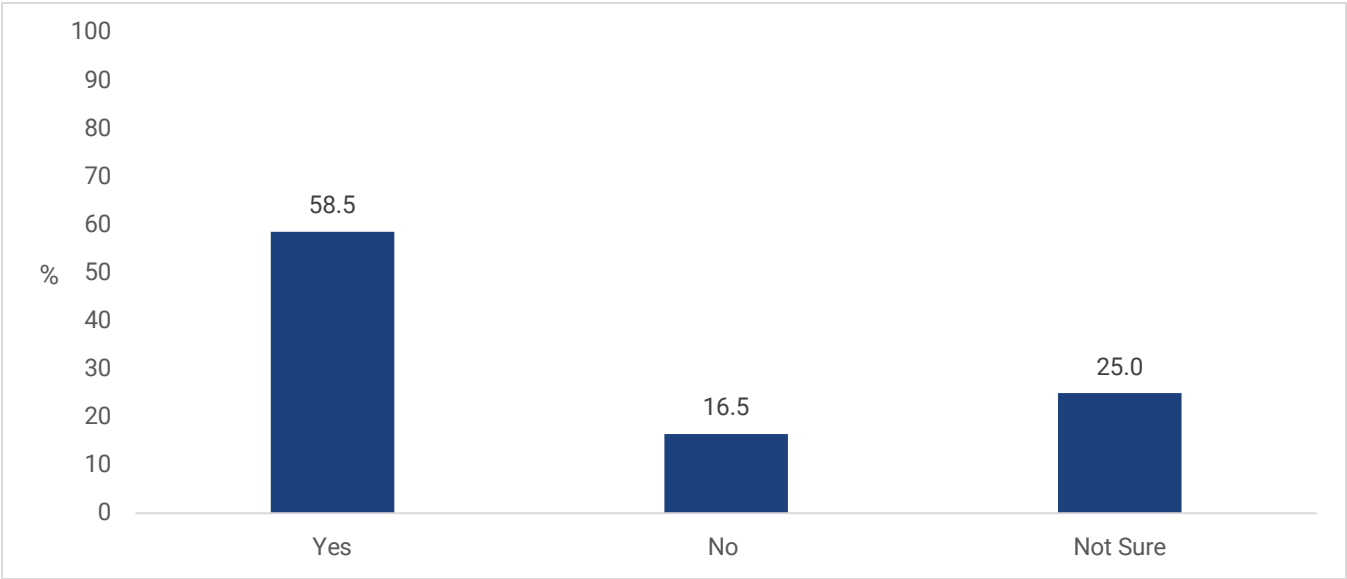


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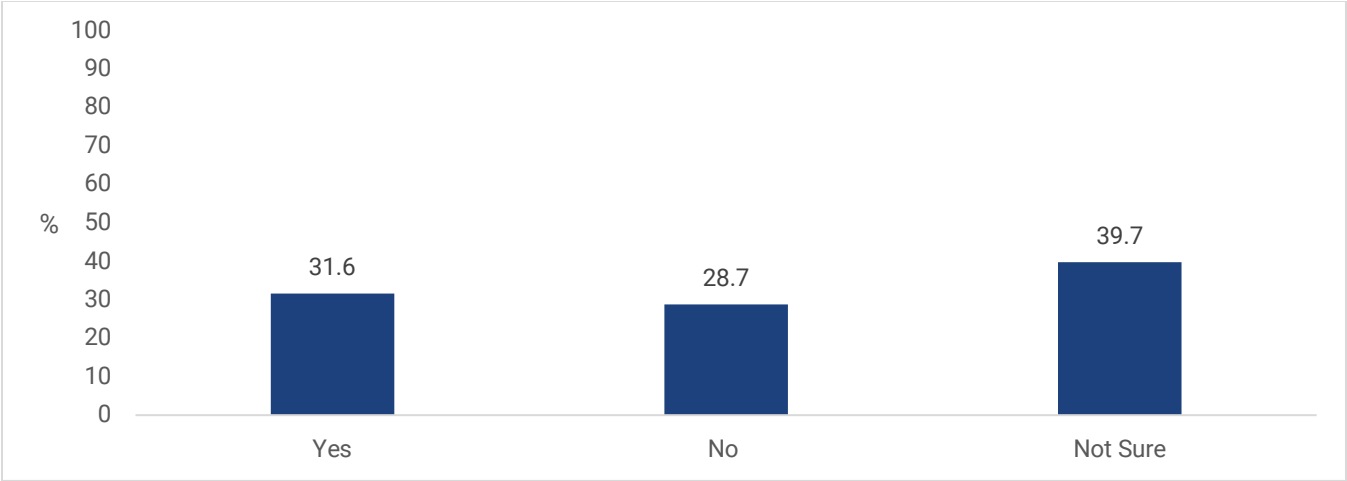
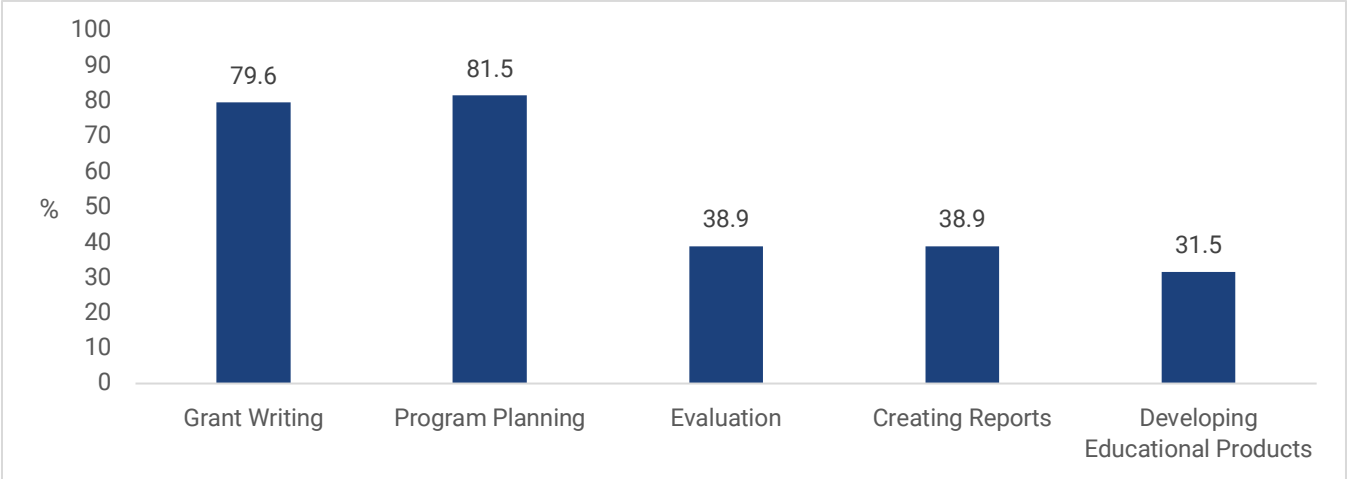
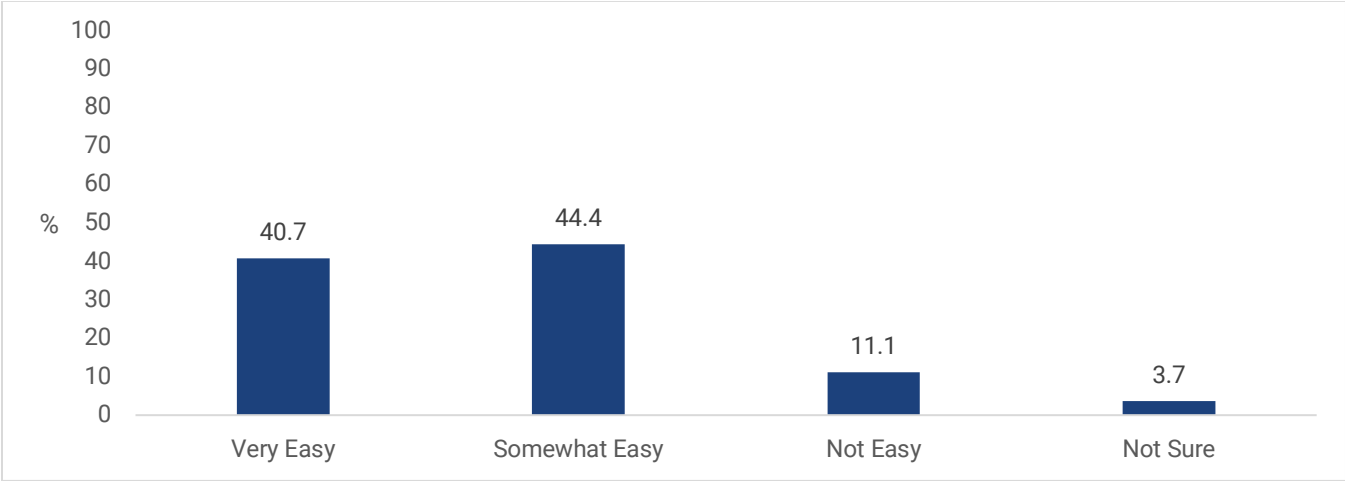


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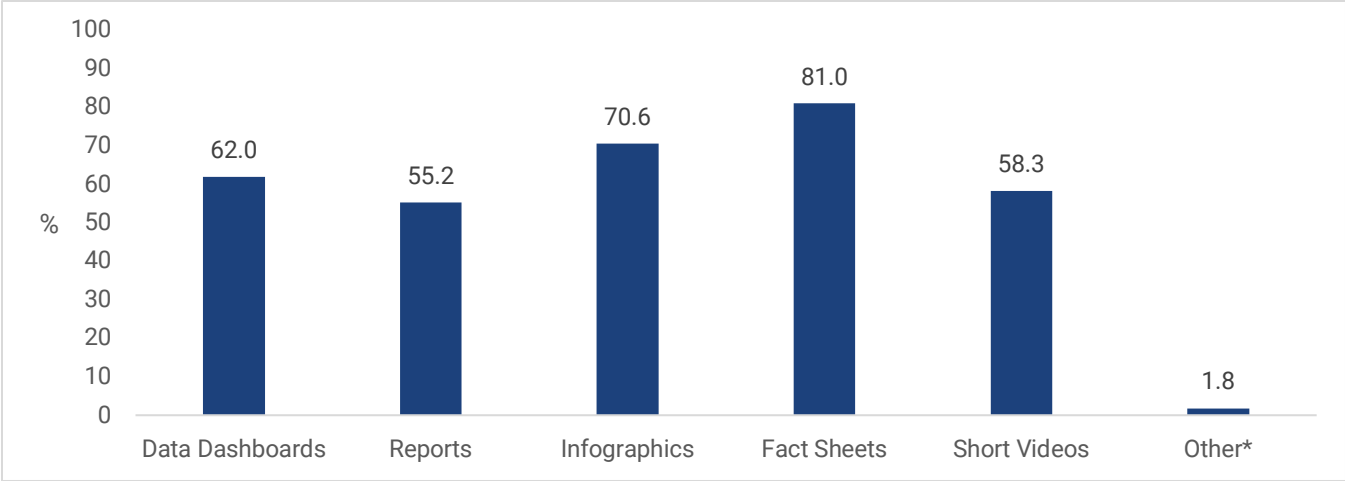
**Among organizations that use Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE) data collected through the Nevada Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS); Respondents were able to select more than one category*

Figure 6. How easy is it for your organization/agency to access data on Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) collected through the Nevada Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS)?*



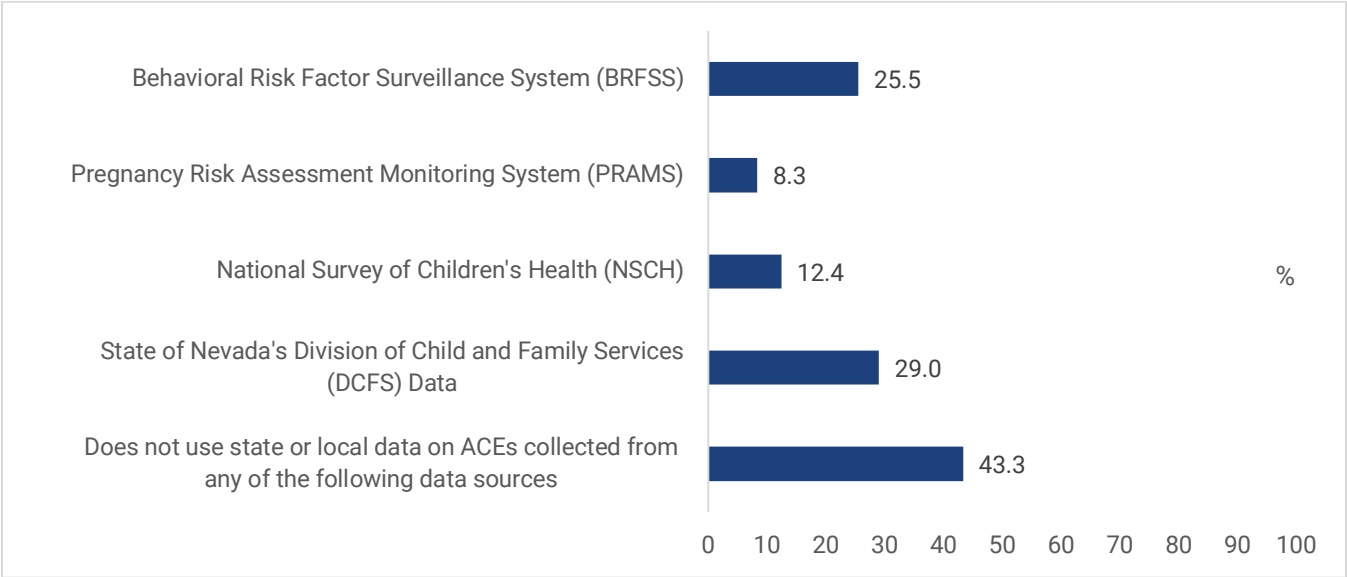
**Among organizations that use Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE) data collected through the Nevada Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS)*

Figure 7. What types of Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) data products would be useful for your organization/agency?*



** Respondents were able to select more than one category; Other includes data products specific to rural areas, data products in Spanish, and data products that cover more than ACEs to be more culturally responsive*

Figure 8. Does your organization/agency use state or local data on Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) collected any of the following data sources?*



* Respondents were able to select more than one category

Positive Childhood Experiences (PCEs)

Figure 9. How familiar are [you/your organization/agency staff] with the concept of Positive Childhood Experiences (PCEs)?

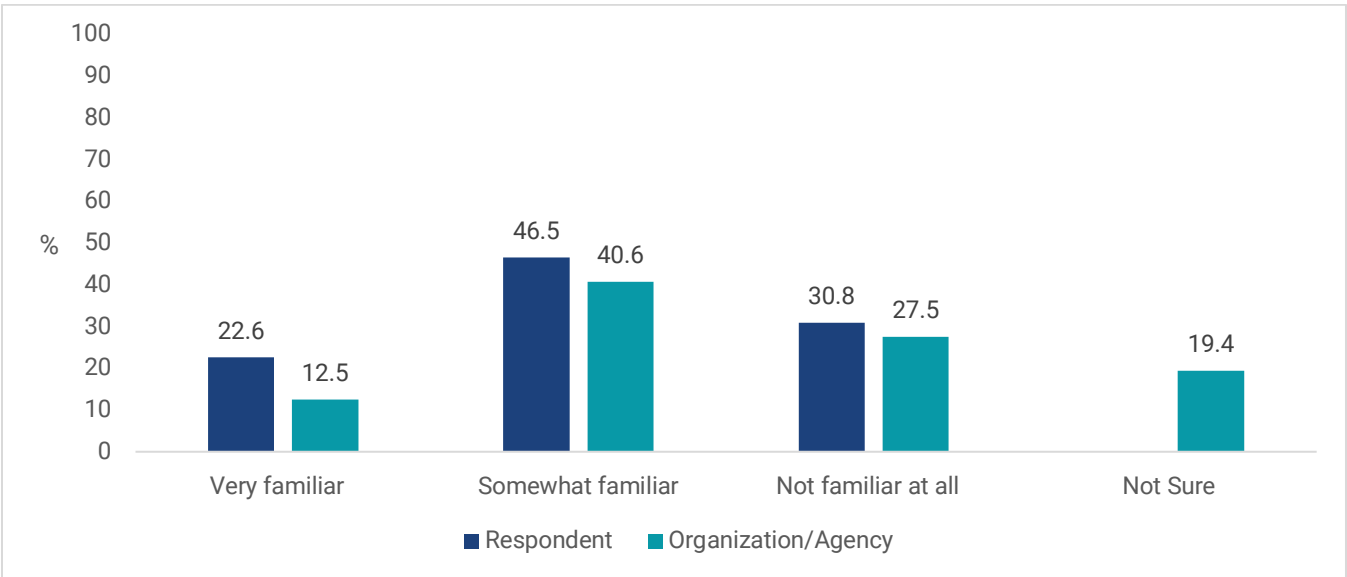


Figure 10. Is your organization/agency currently implementing strategies to address Positive Childhood Experiences (PCEs)?

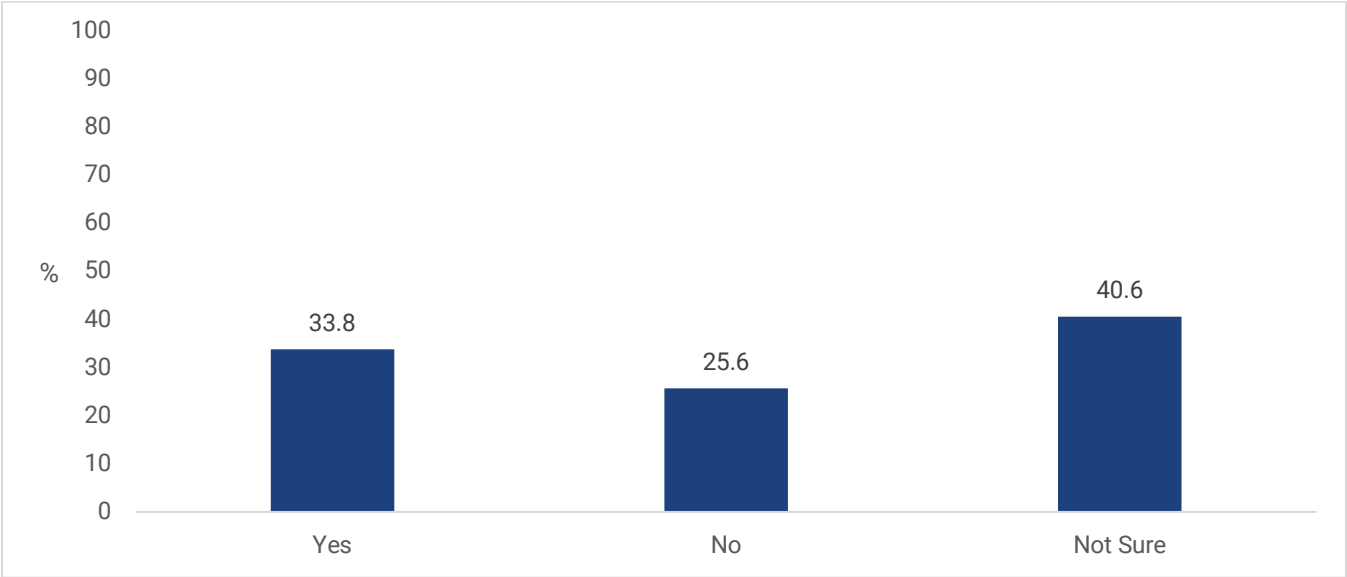


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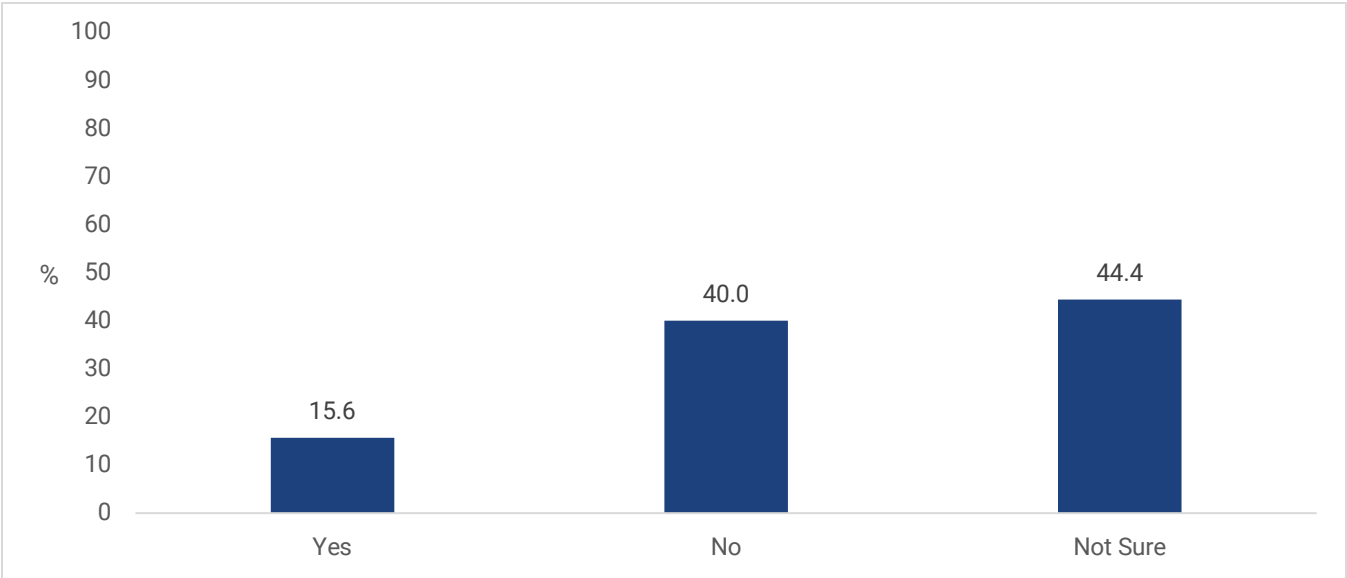
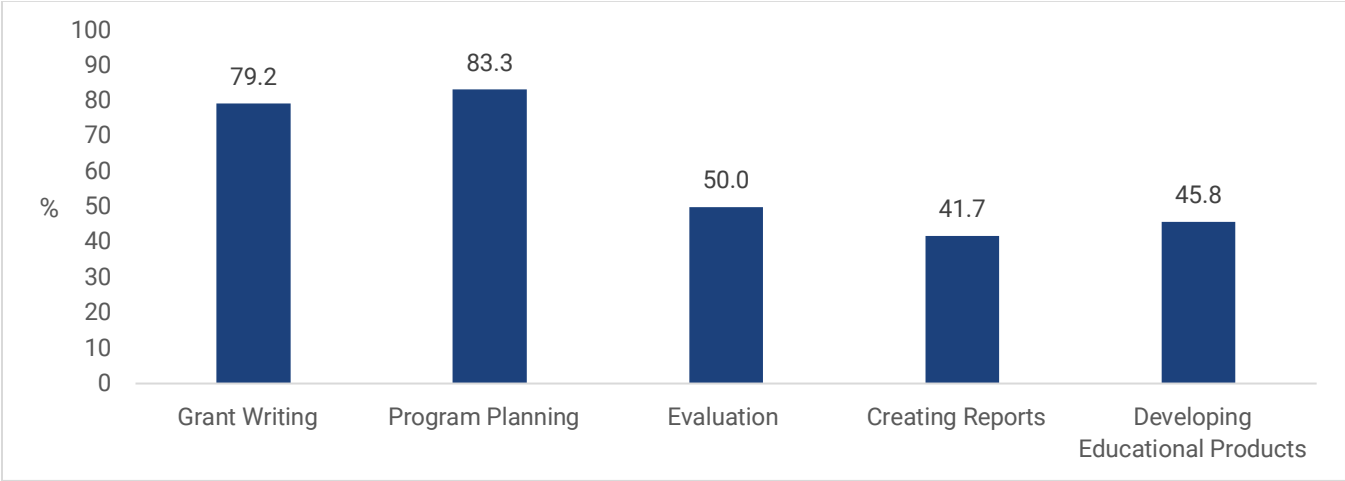
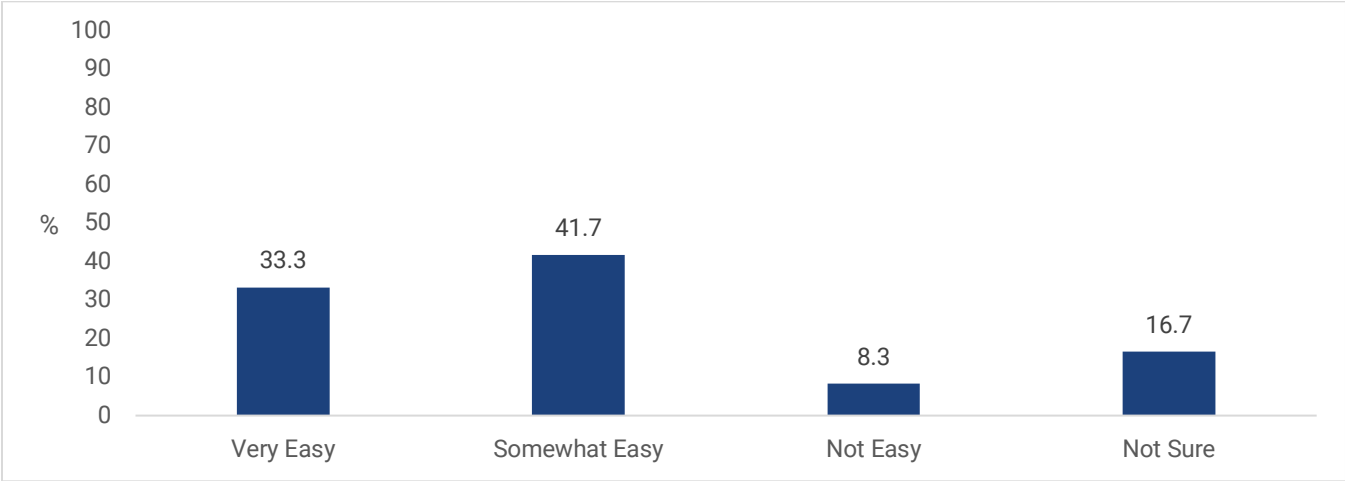


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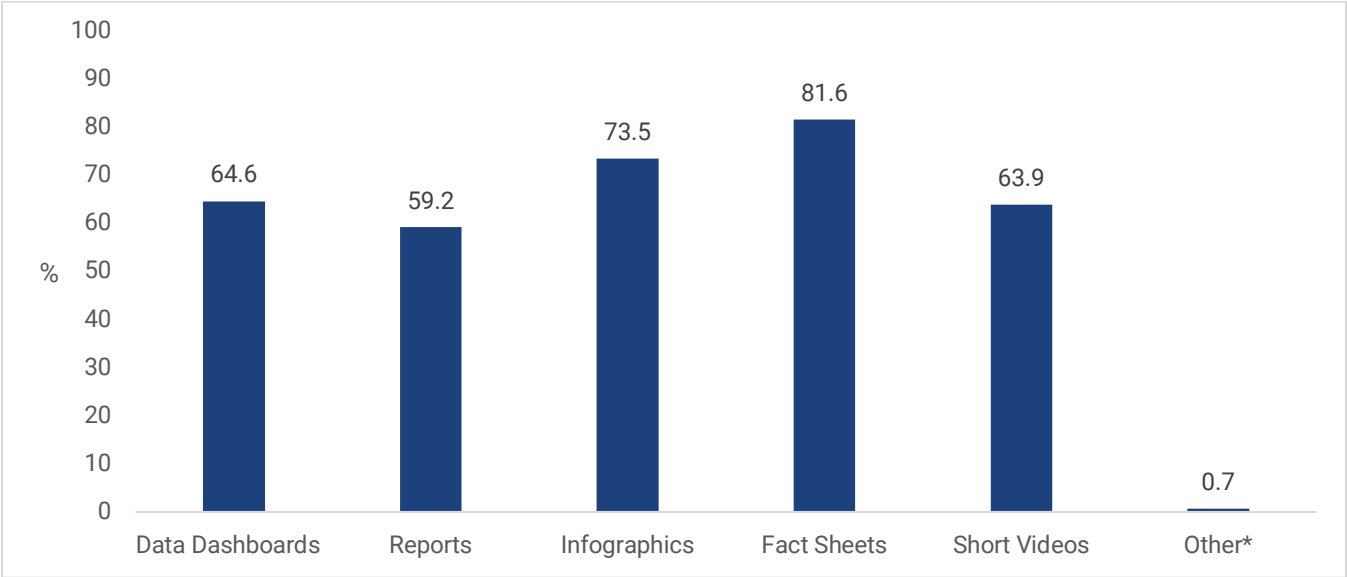
* Respondents were able to select more than one category; Among organizations that use Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACE) data collected through the Nevada Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS)

Figure 13. How easy is it for your organization/agency to access data on Positive Childhood Experiences (PCEs) collected through the Nevada Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS)?*



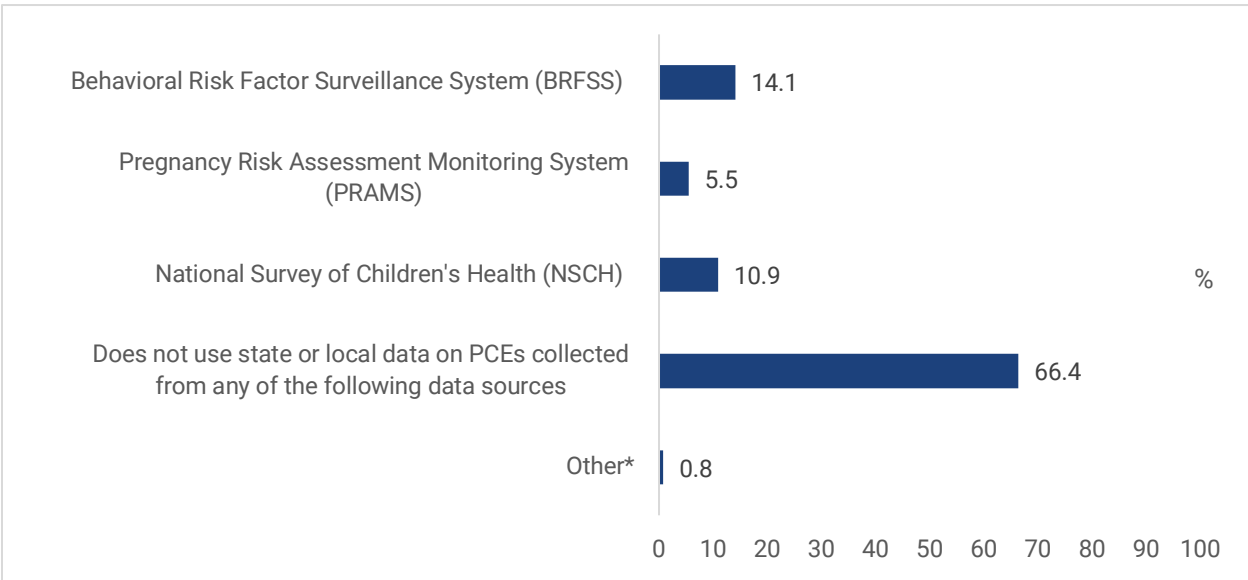
*Among organizations that use Positive Childhood Experiences (PCE) data collected through the Nevada Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS)

Figure 14. What types of Positive Childhood Experiences (PCEs) data products would be useful for your organization/agency?*



* Respondents were able to select more than one category; Other includes data products in Spanish

Figure 15. Does your organization/agency use state or local data on Positive Childhood Experiences (PCEs) collected any of the following data sources?*



* Respondents were able to select more than one category; Other data sources include Washoe County Climate Survey

Social Determinants of Health (SDOH)

Figure 16. How familiar are [you/your organization/agency staff] with the concept of Social Determinants of Health (SDOH)?

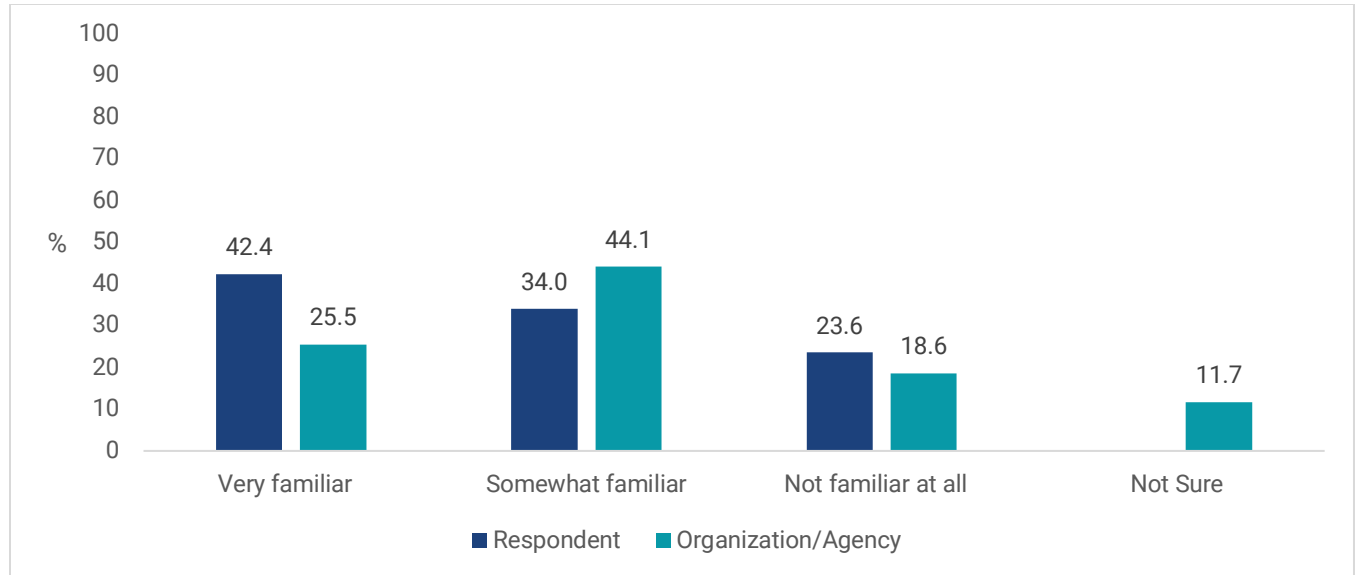


Figure 17. How familiar is your organization/agency with the following Social Determinants of Health (SDOH) data sources?

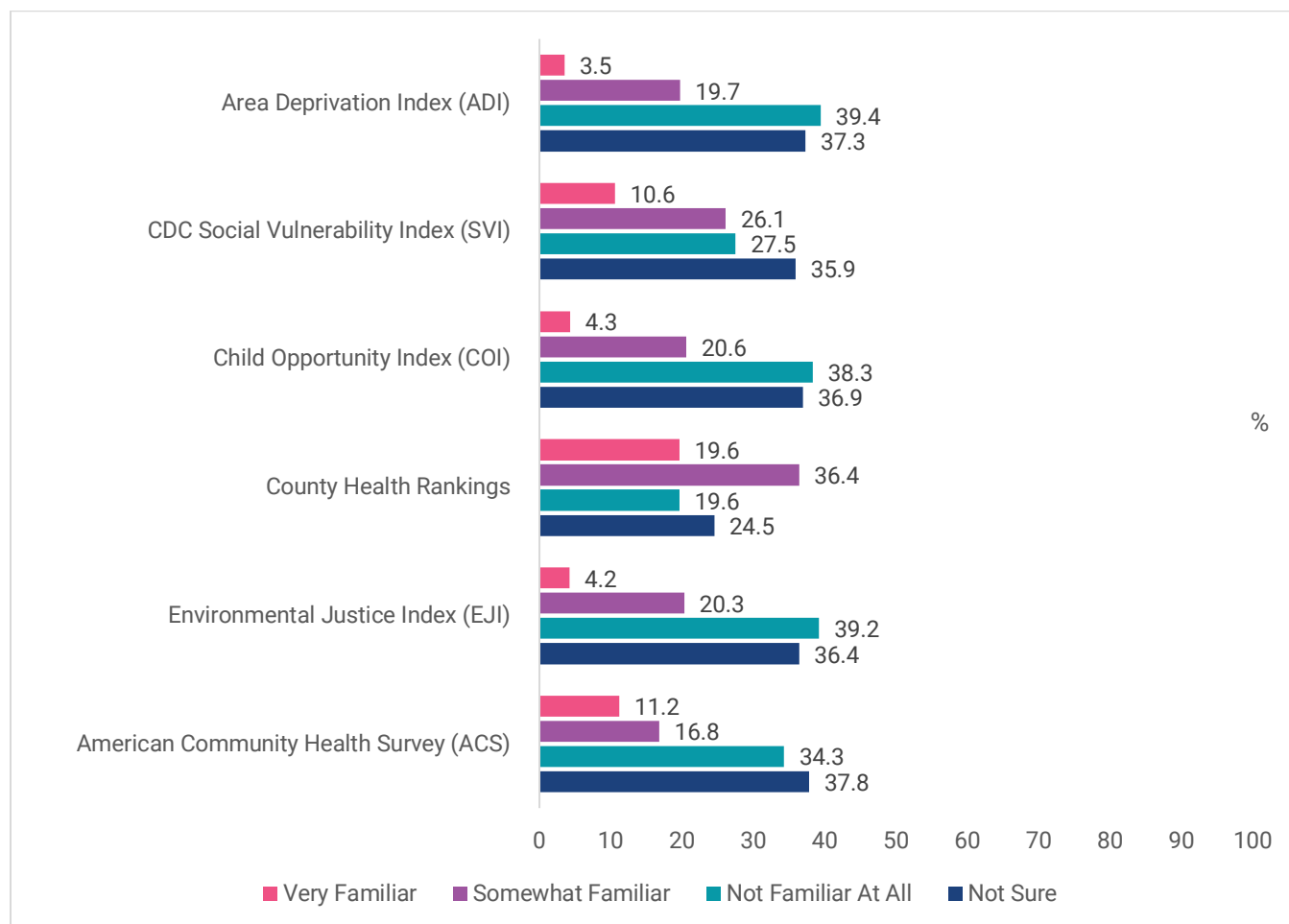


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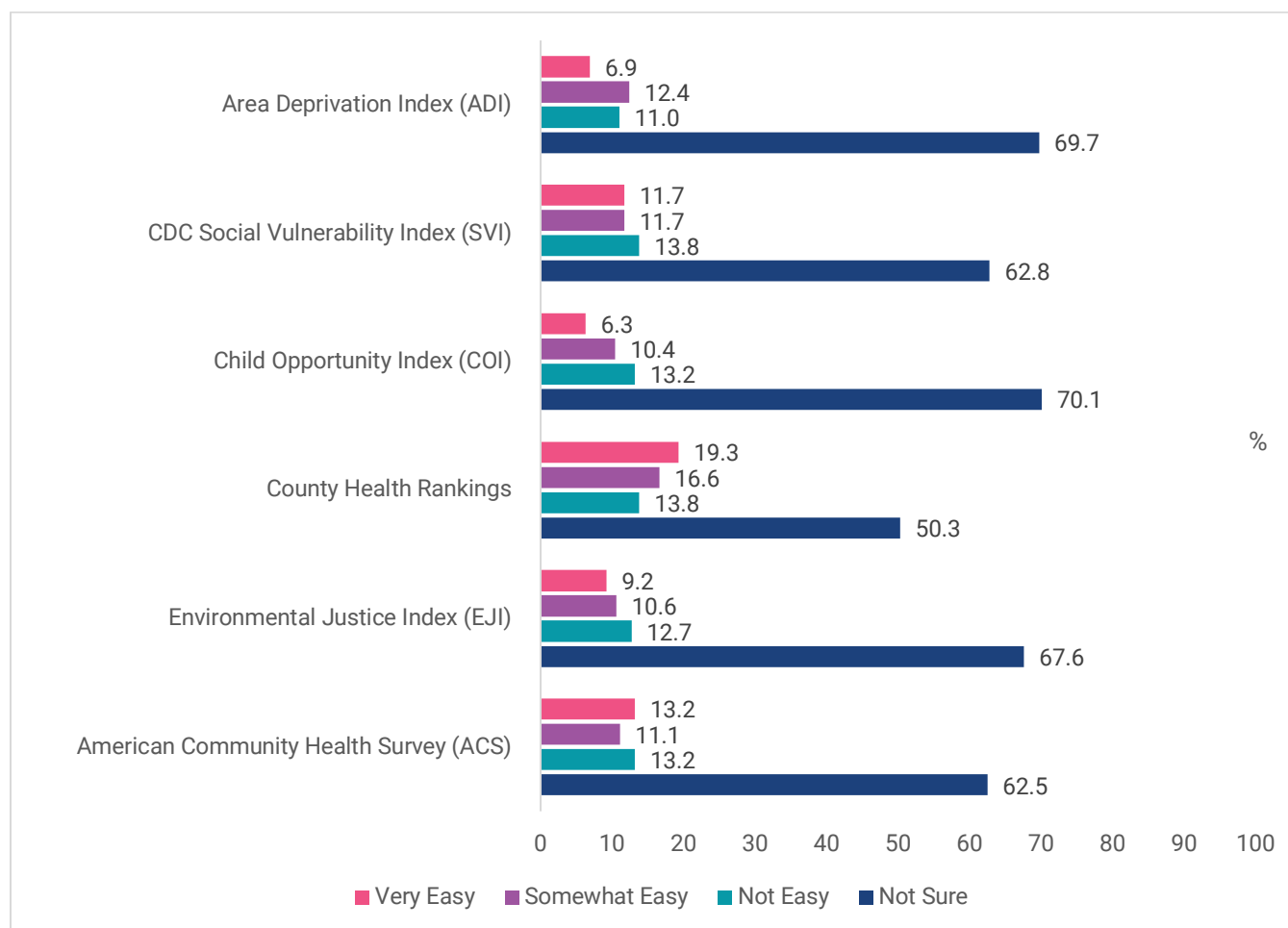


Figure 19. How comfortable is your organization/agency with using the following state and local Social Determinants of Health (SDOH) data sources to identify and/or tailor prevention strategies?

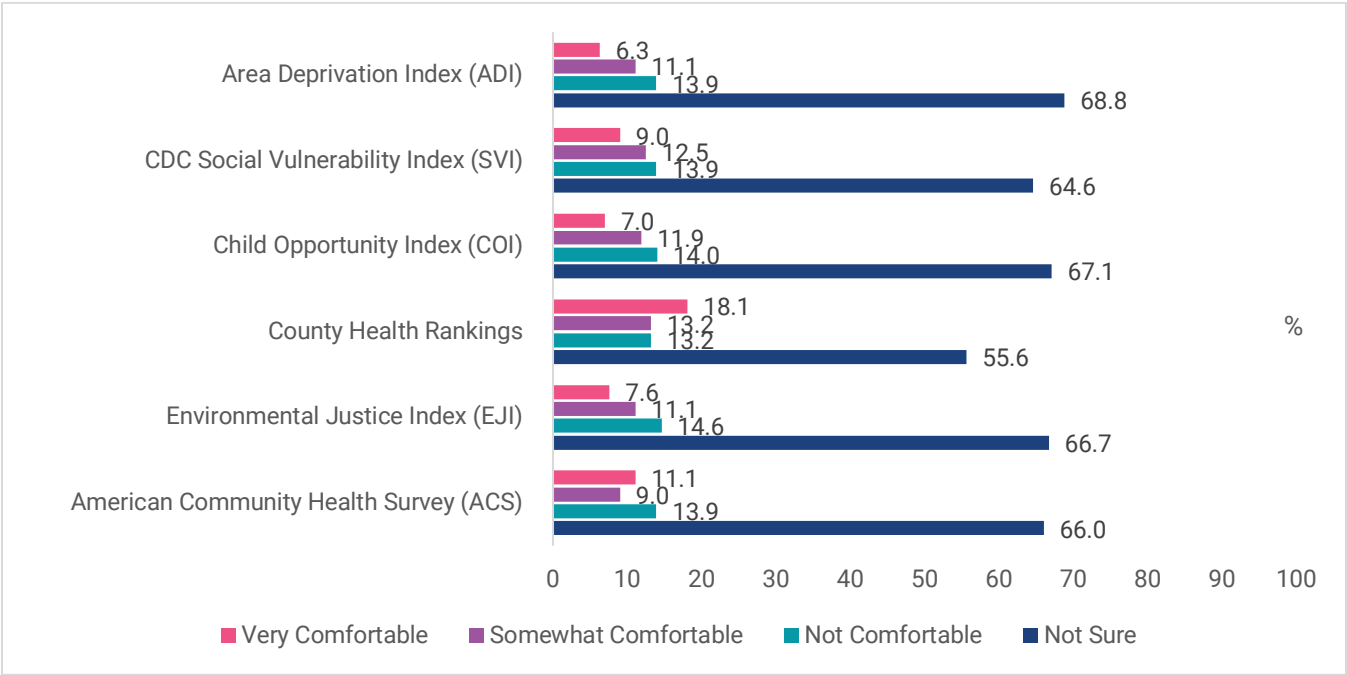
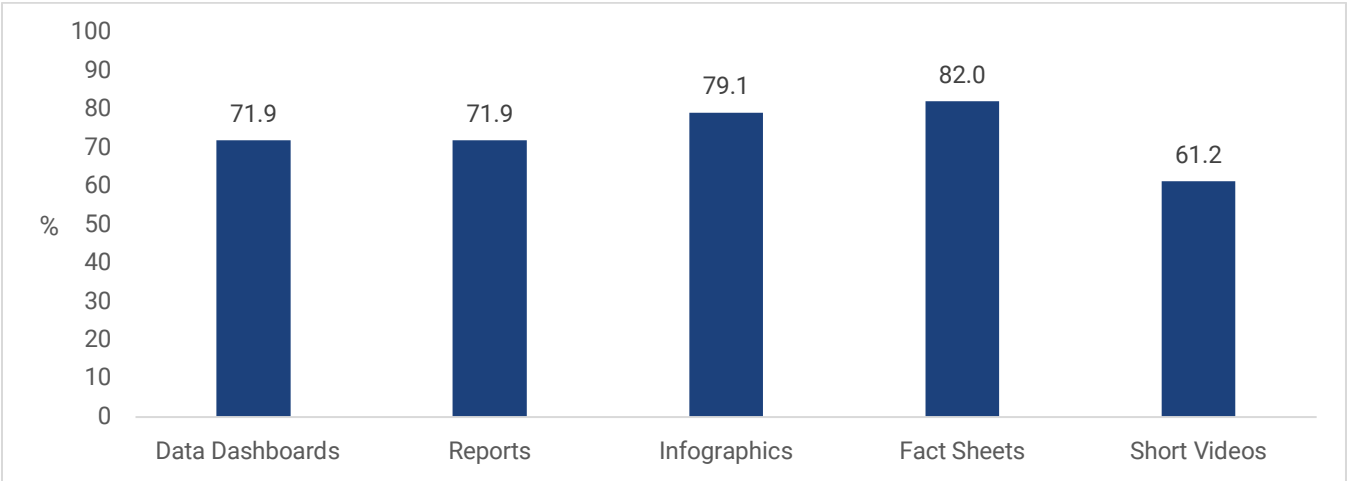


Figure 20. What types of Social Determinants of Health (SDOH) data products would be useful for your organization/agency?*



* Respondents were able to select more than one category

Training Needs and Feedback

Figure 21. How familiar is your organization/agency with the following upstream Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) prevention approaches?

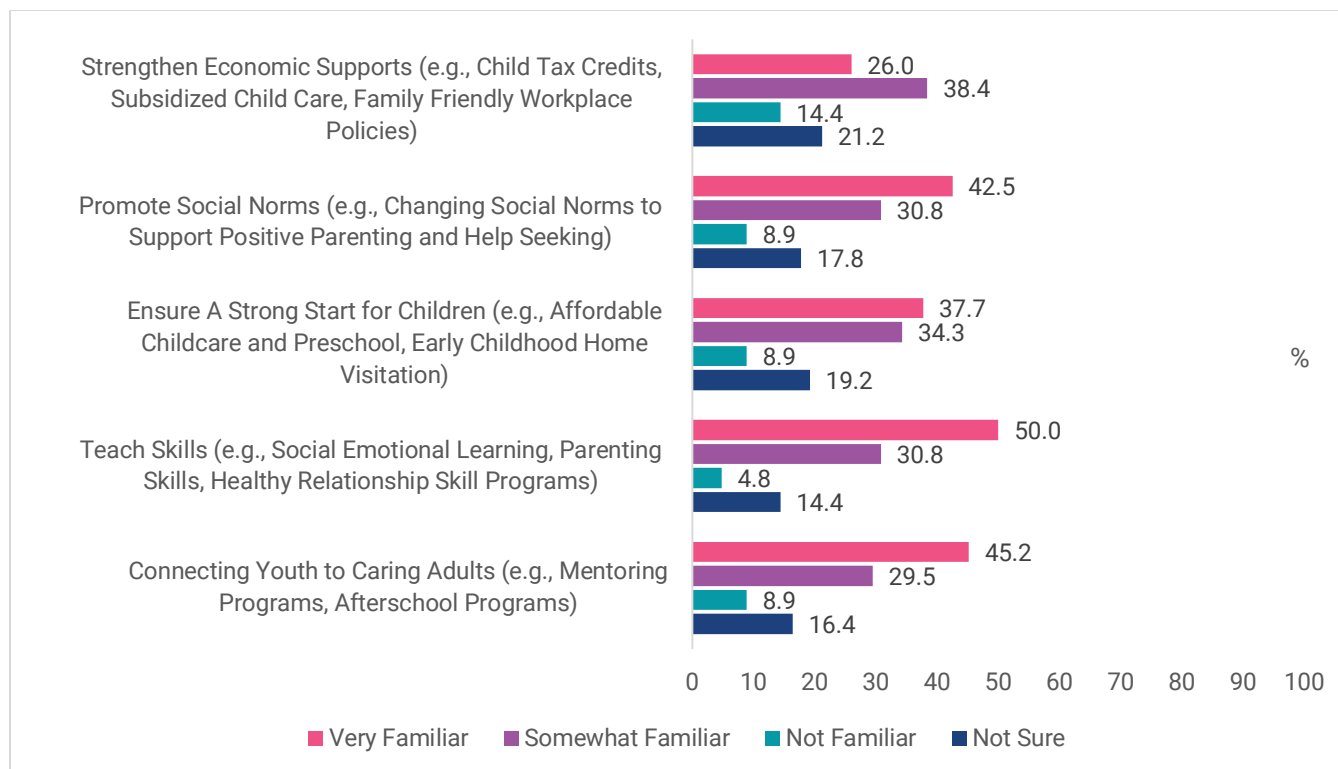


Figure 22. Does your organization/agency offer training to staff on the following topics?

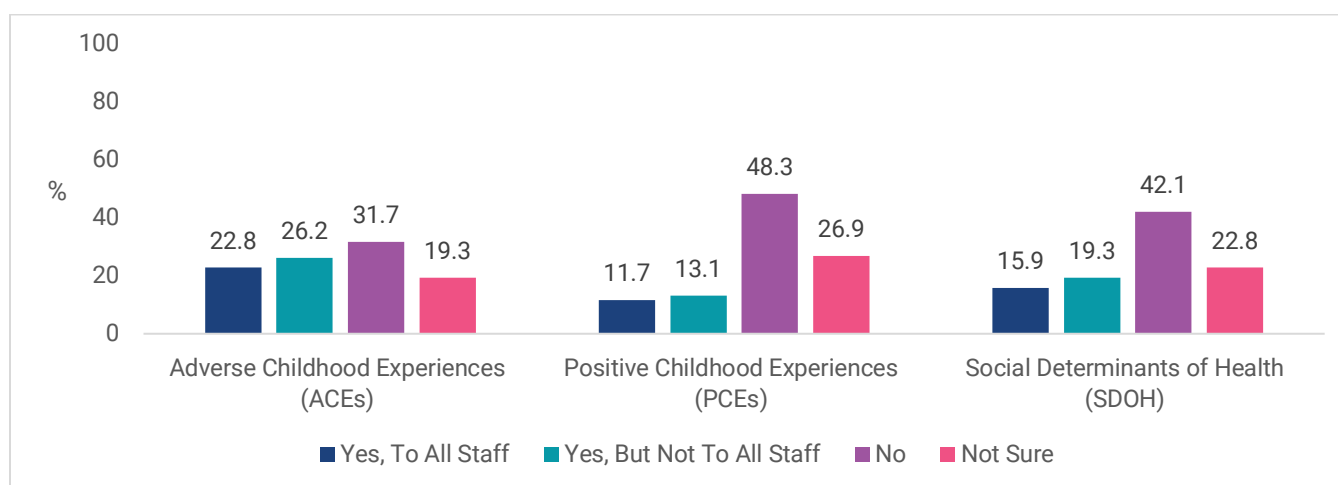
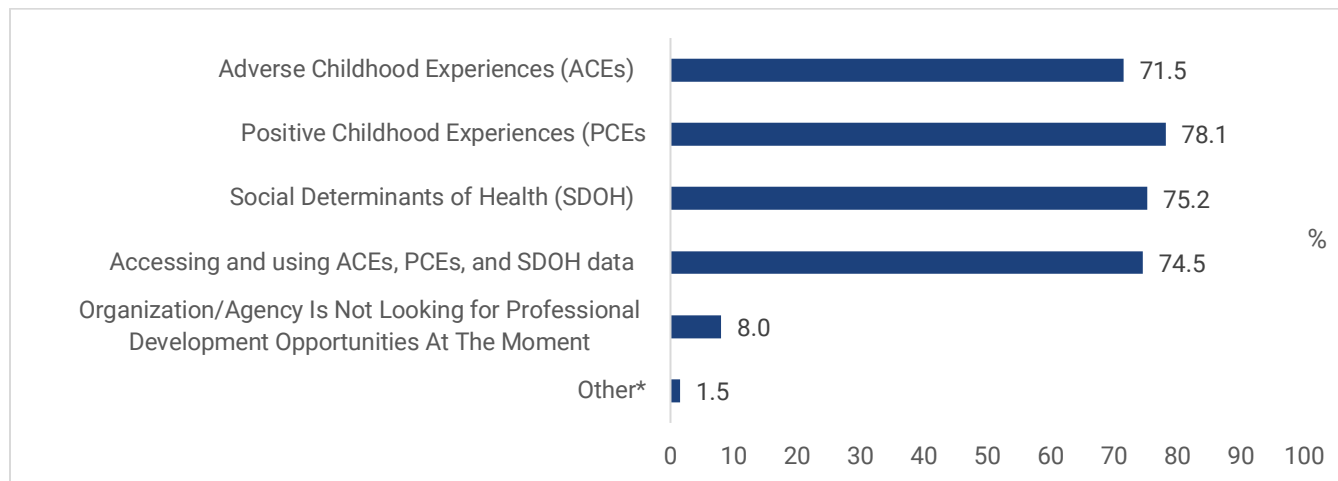
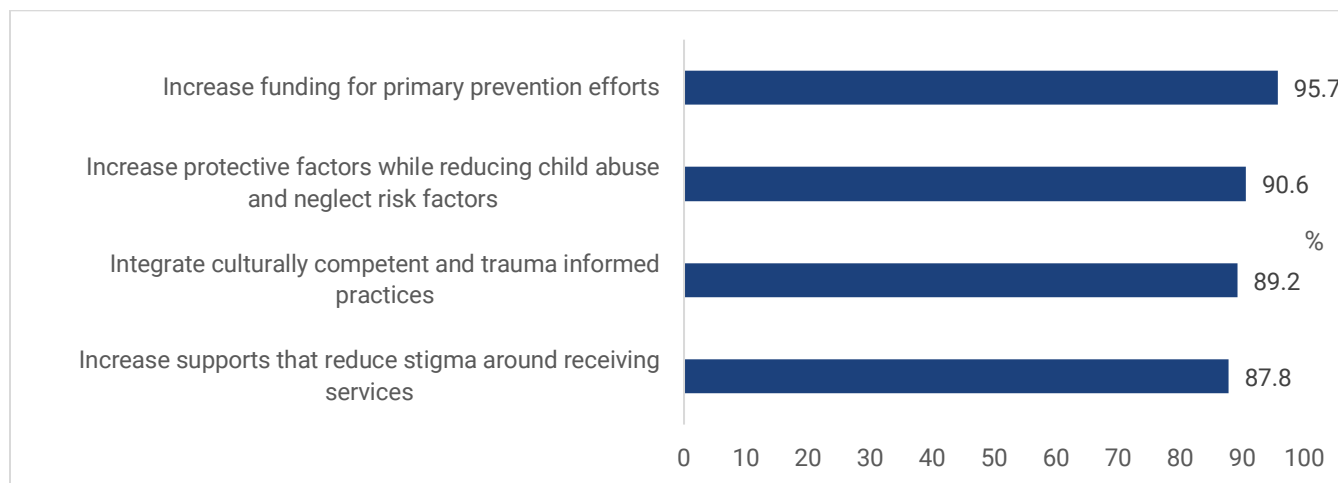


Figure 23. Would your organization/agency be interesting in receiving professional development on any of the following topics?*



* Respondents were able to select more than one category; Other includes ACEs only in the context of PCEs and local, state, and national efforts to implement strategies in community settings

Figure 24. The following priorities were identified in the 2022 Needs Assessment on the Prevention of Child Abuse & Neglect in Nevada. Please select all the priorities that you agree are still relevant for our state*



* Respondents were able to select more than one category