

Breast Cancer
Tissue Bank

at the **Royal Prince Alfred Hospital**

Survey

**Donor Attitudes to Participating in the
Breast Cancer Tissue Bank**

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Overview

- Breast Cancer Tissue Bank (BCTB)
- Survey Background
- Survey Aim
- Consenting Procedure
- Survey Tool



Sample Chart

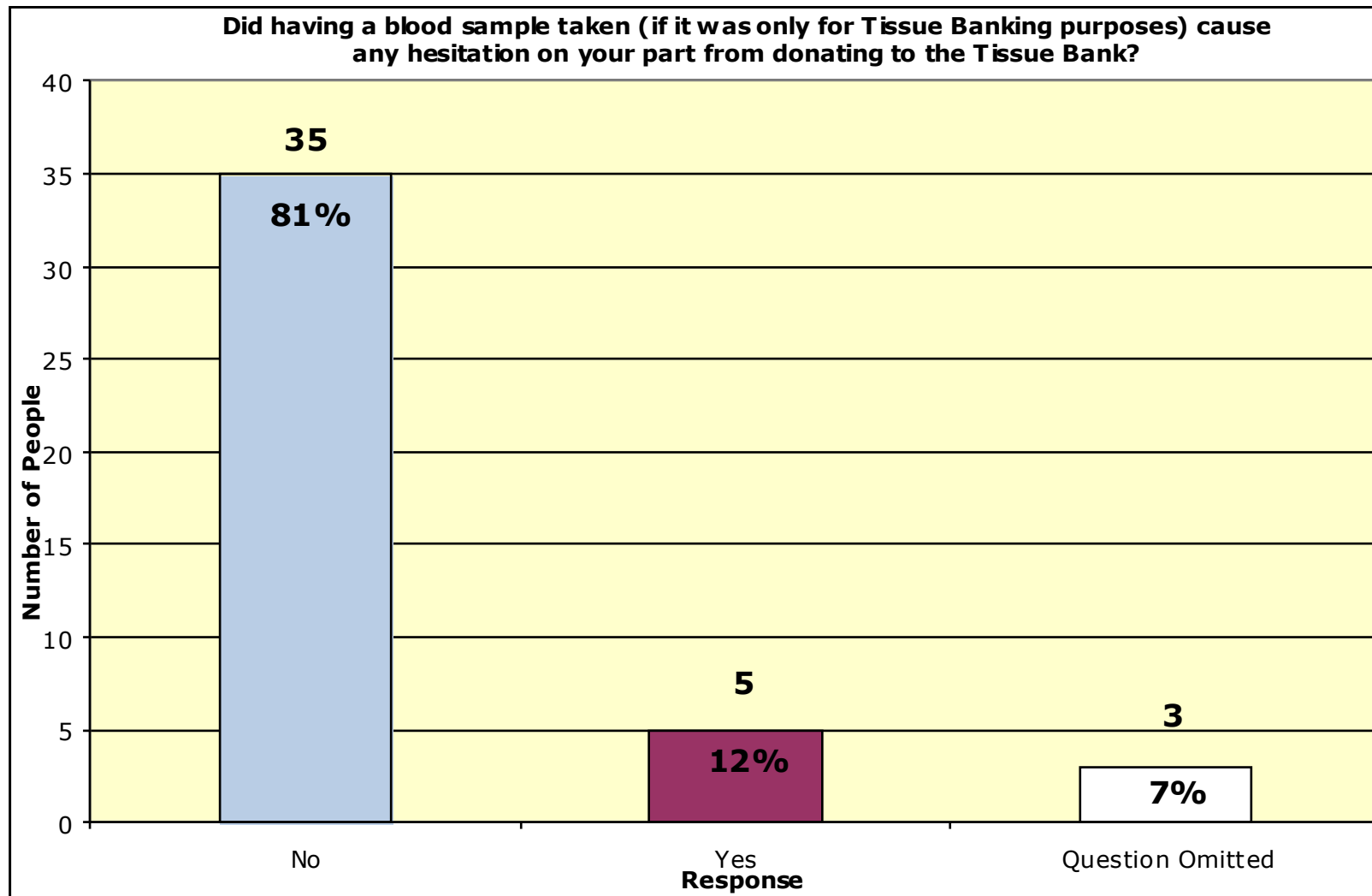
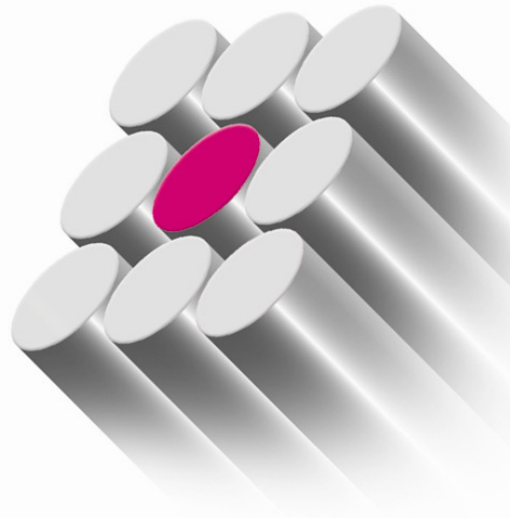


Figure 11: A number of participants reported feeling some trepidation at having blood drawn. The BCTB now only collects blood at the time of consenting if the patient has had other blood tests ordered. Otherwise the blood tubes are sent to the Operating Theatre on the day of the operation and blood collected while the patient is under general anaesthesia. The donors seem very satisfied with this arrangement.

Results

- 43 respondents (86% Response Rate)
- Mostly positive experience
- Some variations
- Action taken



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