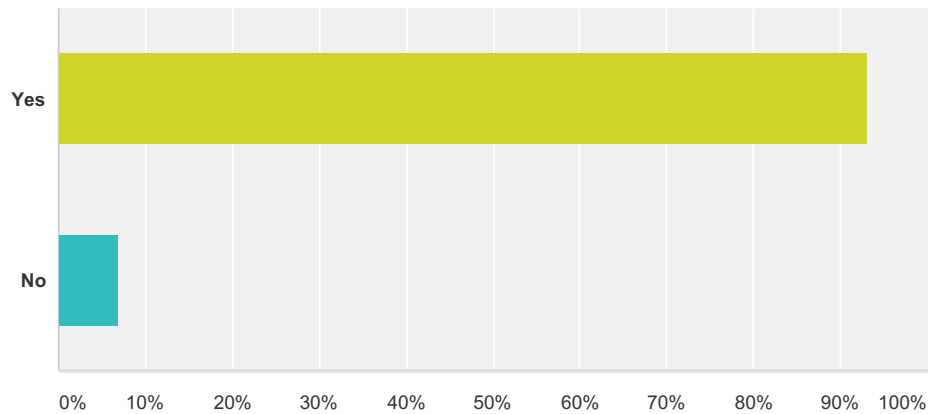


Q1 Medicare has announced its intent to set up a new "pilot" program which actually will affect most of the doctors in the US who provide patients with infused medicines. As opposed to other true pilot programs doctors are being forced to be part of this mandated program. This pilot program will actually cut the reimbursement rate Medicare will pay your doctor. As a result of this cut, many doctors have said that they will no longer be able to provide infusions in their offices. Patients who need this care will have to go to hospitals, which will cost both you and Medicare more, and are likely to be farther away with longer visits. We want to know how you feel about these proposed changes in your healthcare. Are you or any of your family covered by Medicare?

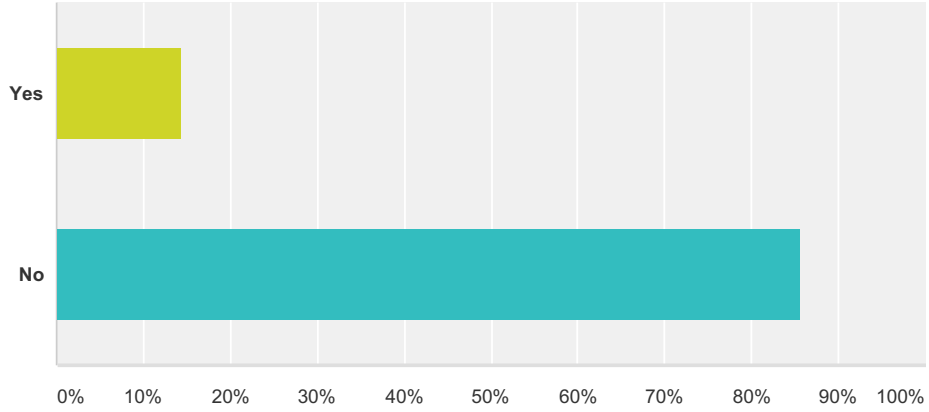
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Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	93.06% 1,809
No	6.94% 135
Total	1,944

Q2 Do you or any of the Medicare covered members of your family get infused medicines?

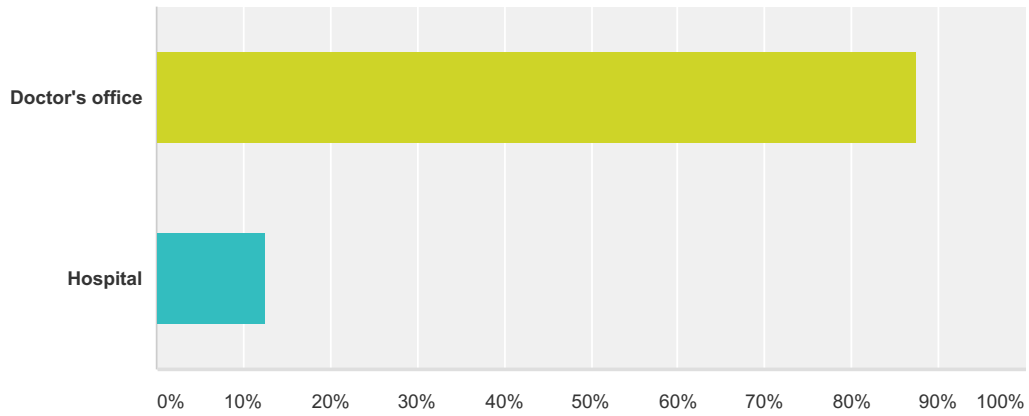
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Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	14.45%	246
No	85.55%	1,457
Total		1,703

Q3 Where would you (or your family member) prefer to get the infusion?

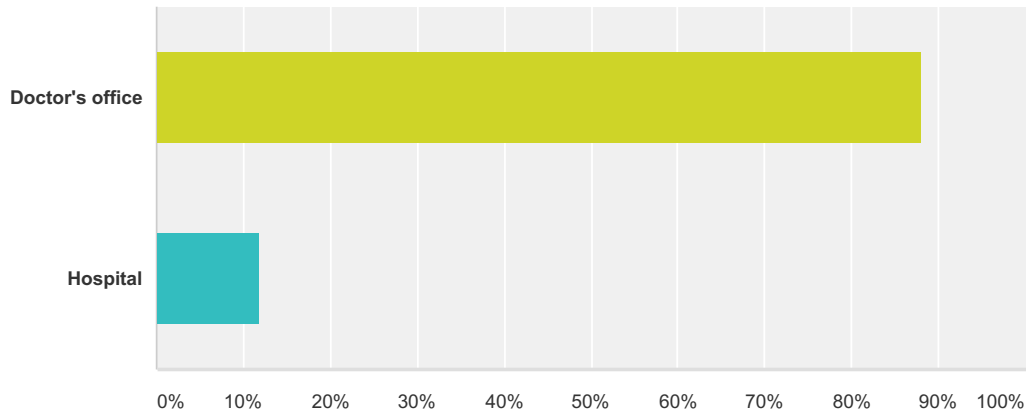
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Answer Choices	Responses
Doctor's office	87.55% 204
Hospital	12.45% 29
Total	233

Q4 Where would you be more comfortable?

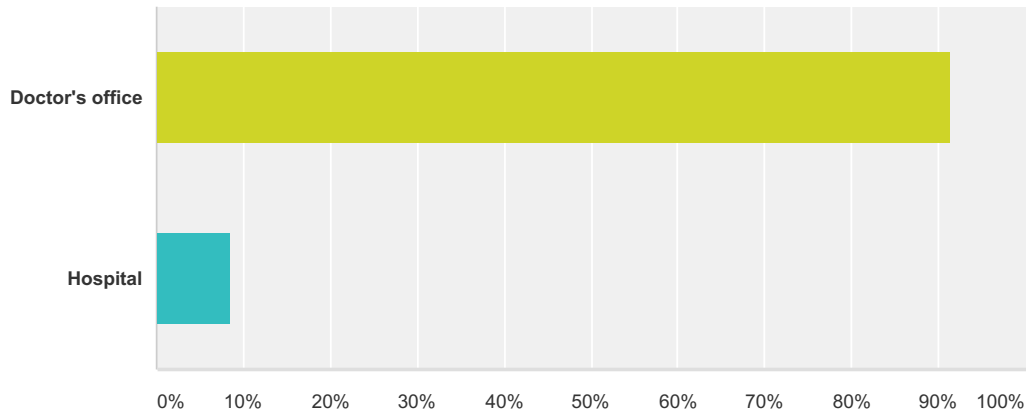
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Answer Choices	Responses
Doctor's office	88.03% 206
Hospital	11.97% 28
Total	234

Q5 Which would be more convenient?

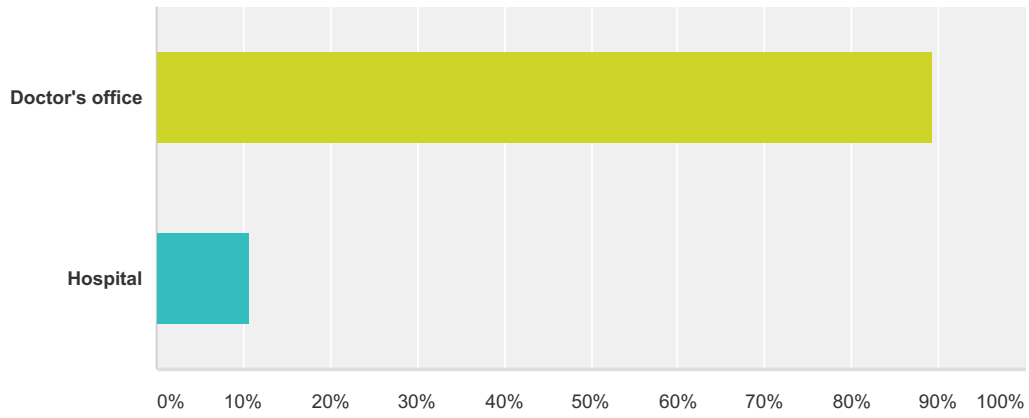
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Answer Choices	Responses
Doctor's office	91.42% 213
Hospital	8.58% 20
Total	233

Q6 Where do you think you would get more personalized attention?

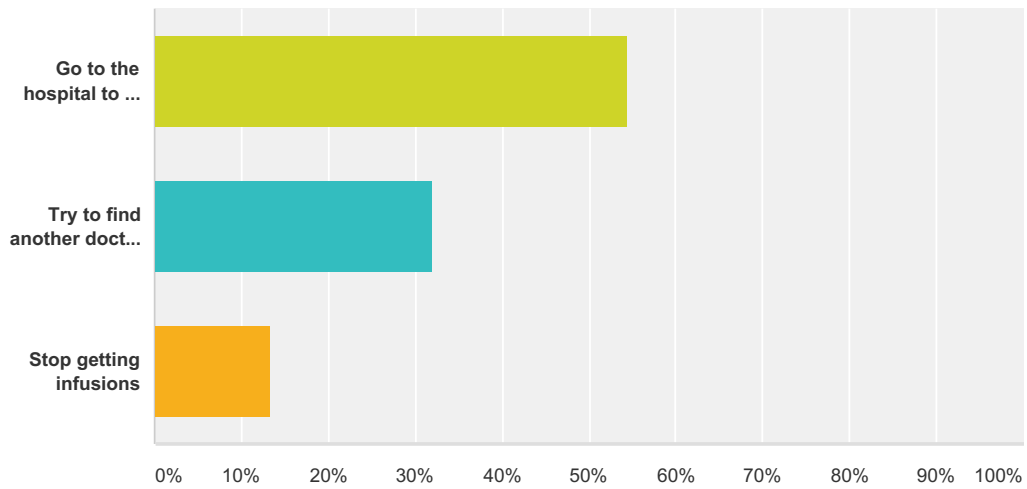
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Answer Choices	Responses	
Doctor's office	89.45%	212
Hospital	10.55%	25
Total		237

Q7 If your doctor was no longer providing infusions what would you do?

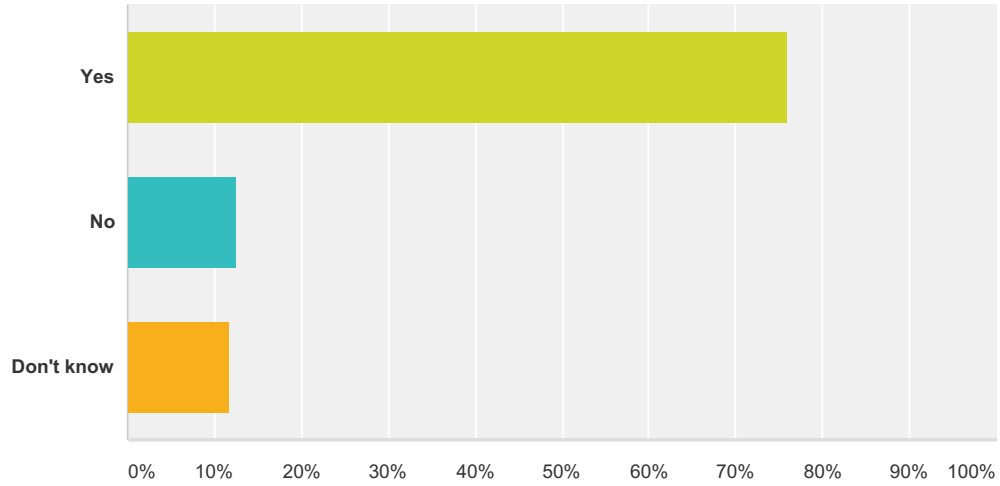
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Answer Choices	Responses
Go to the hospital to get them	54.55% 126
Try to find another doctor even if it meant driving to another community or town	32.03% 74
Stop getting infusions	13.42% 31
Total	231

Q8 Would you feel your health would be put in jeopardy if you could not get infusions from your doctor?

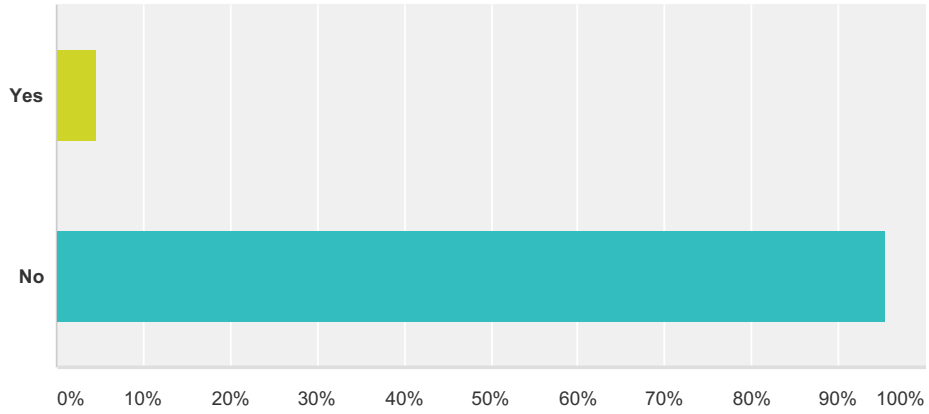
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Answer Choices	Responses	Count
Yes	75.97%	177
No	12.45%	29
Don't know	11.59%	27
Total		233

Q9 Do you support Medicare's decision to cut the reimbursement to your doctor for this service?

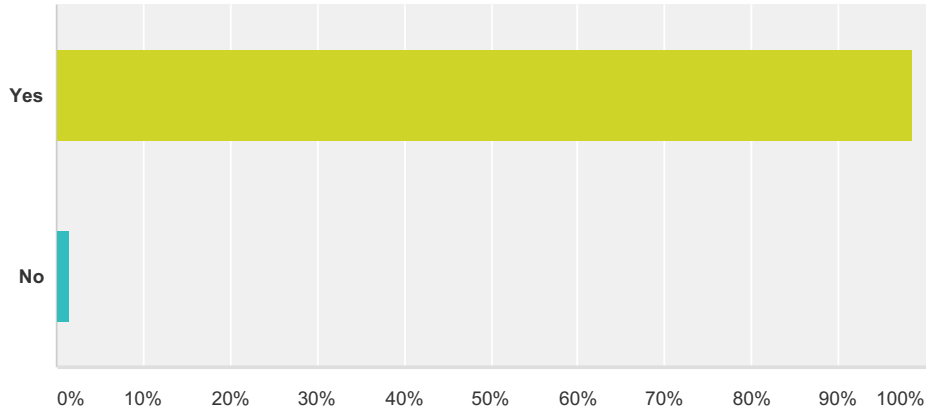
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Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	4.62%	11
No	95.38%	227
Total		238

Q10 Do you think Medicare should be required to listen to both patients and physicians before making major changes to your healthcare?

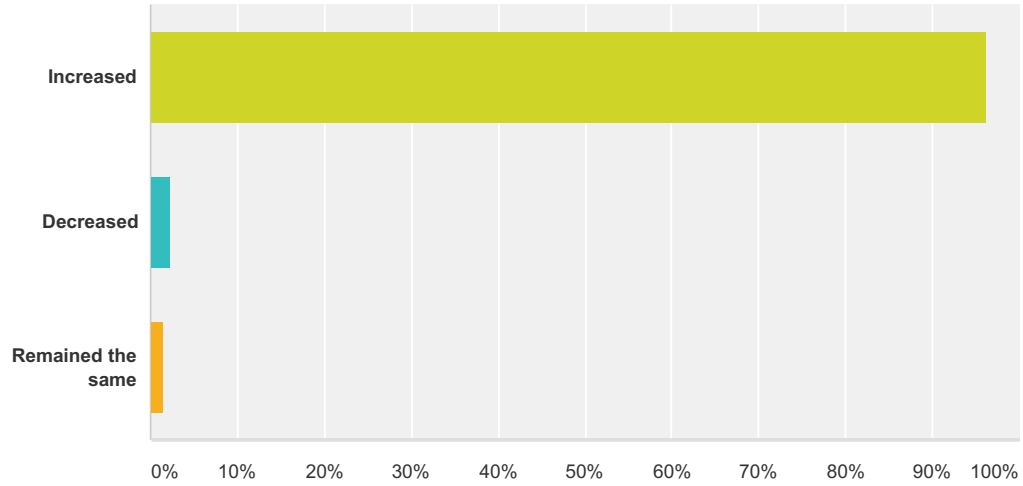
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Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	98.48% 1,559
No	1.52% 24
Total	1,583

Q11 Do you think, in the last few years, the use of mandates, regulations and Presidential orders have:

Answered: 1,579 Skipped: 374



Answer Choices	Responses
Increased	96.33% 1,521
Decreased	2.22% 35
Remained the same	1.46% 23
Total	1,579

Q12 What action should Congress take on this matter?

Answered: 1,264 Skipped: 689

Q13 How can RetireSafe be helpful?

Answered: 955 Skipped: 998