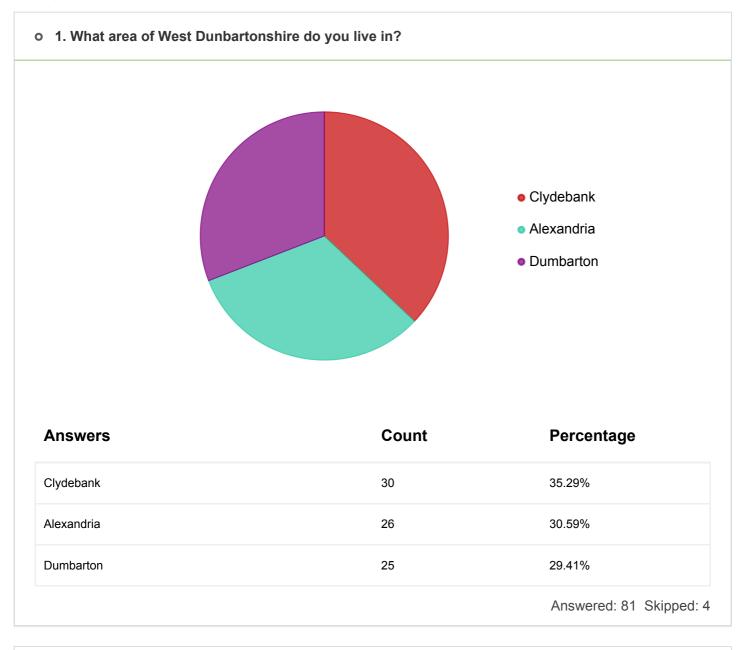
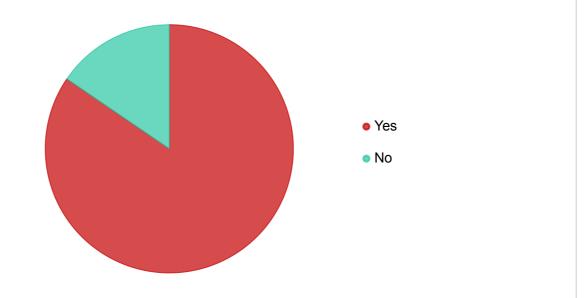
Period Product Provision

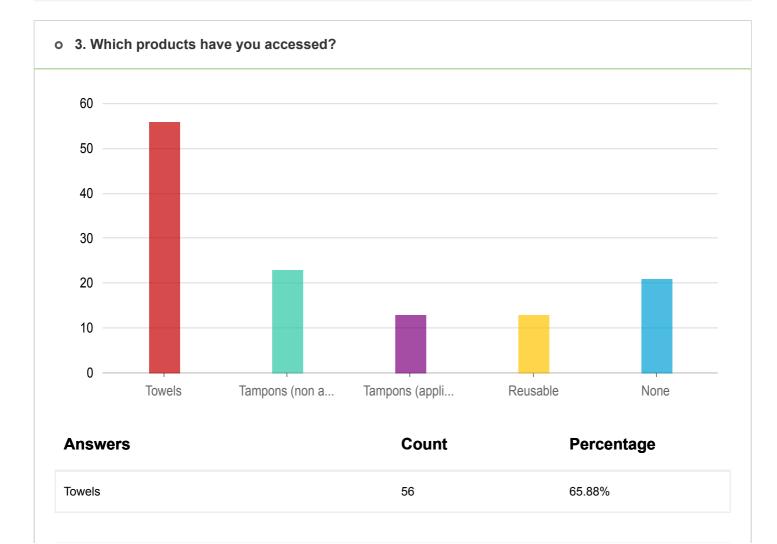
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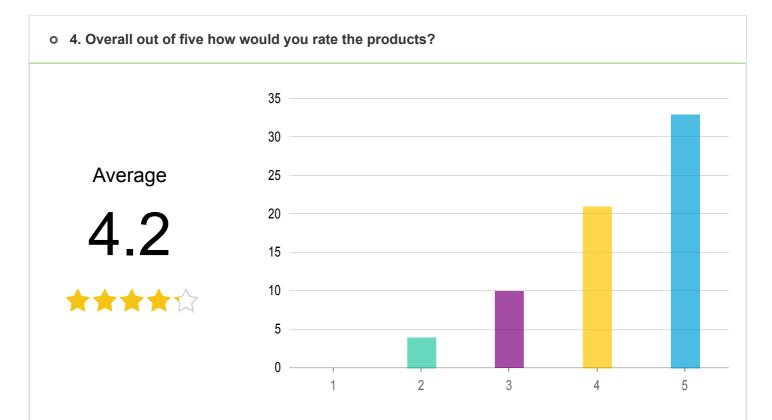
• 2. Before seeing this survey were you aware of the community provisi...



Answers	Count	Percentage
Yes	71	83.53%
No	13	15.29%
		Answered: 84 Skipped: 1



Tampons (non applicator)	23	27.06%
Tampons (applicator)	13	15.29%
Reusable	13	15.29%
None	21	24.71%
		Answered: 83 Skipped: 2



Answers	Count	Percentage
1	0	0%
2	4	4.71%
3	10	11.76%
4	21	24.71%
5	33	38.82%
		Answered: 68 Skipped: 17

o 5. Are there any other period products that you think should be available in the...

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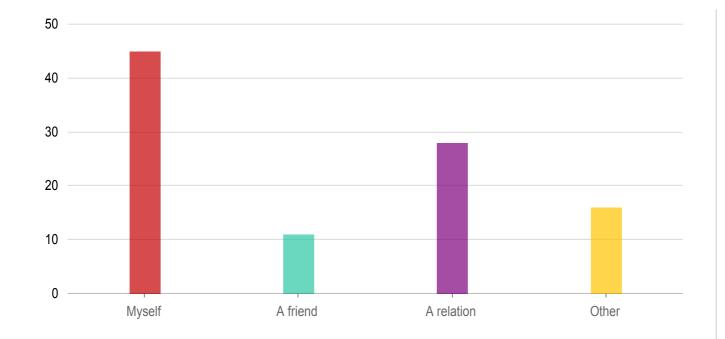
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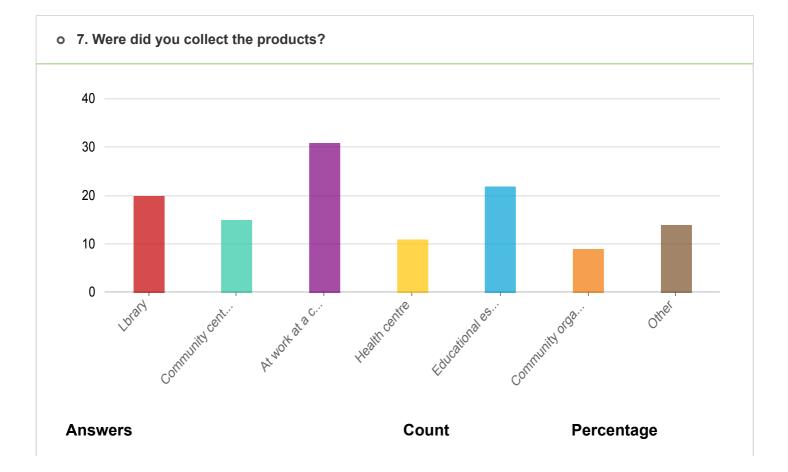
No	4
Yes reusable	1
Toilet roll	1
Teen period pants	1
Tampons with applicators are not commonly available in the community. It tends to be the non applicator tampons that are available.	1
Tampons with an applicator I personally haven't seen any.	1
Something more sustainable like menstrual cups or biodegradable tampons/pads	1
Reusable	1
Promote menstrual cups.	1
Products suitable for heavy periods	1
Period pants. Hygiene wipes.	1
Perhaps to consider providing households with some reusable products such as menstrual cup, re usable pads or period pants on an free application basis similar to the way cloth nappies are acces sed. It would greatly help with sustainability and allow people to have more choices.	1
panty liners	1
No I think pads and tampons are sufficient. The menstrual cups are not popular	1

No I think most are covered.	1
Night time pads	1
Nae.	1
More reusables	1
Menstrual Cups Wipes	1
Menstrual cups	1
Members of the public have had issues contacting the service.	1
Maybe disposable bags to put used tampons or towels in, to even to put soiled underwear in	1
Maybe condoms	1
Increase focus on reusable products!	1
I think what is provided is fine.	1
I think menstrual cups should be available as an option as it is something you only need to pick once and (when maintained) can be reused for years. Think this would alleviate a huge worry i ad of rememberingto try an find supplies each month.	
I think it is fantastic these are provided but not used by many people in my experience.	1
I have seen them in the bathrooms when in the office but the the range in limited at times. Whe Clydebank Health centre there is usually a single pack of pads & tampons, usually super. This ot great as we need access to a range of product sizes during our period.	
dont think this brand is any good, seems a bit poor construction but better than nothing	1
Don't know	1
Caps & period pants	1
applicators and better pads	1
A variety of sanitary towels (ie different lengths, thicknesses, absorbability, wings etc. would be neficial.	be 1
	Answered: 36 Skipped: 49

o 6. Who do you get the free period products for?



Answers	Count	Percentage
Myself	45	52.94%
A friend	11	12.94%
A relation	28	32.94%
Other	16	18.82%
		Answered: 69 Skipped: 16



Lbrary	20	23.53%
Community centre	15	17.65%
At work at a council location	31	36.47%
Health centre	11	12.94%
Educational establishment	22	25.88%
Community organisation	9	10.59%
Other	14	16.47%
		Answered: 72 Skipped: 13



Response	Count
No	3
Yes I think they should be in all public toilets and available to order online	1
WD Leisure services such as swimming pool and gym.	1
This has worked very well in the two health Centres we cover.	1
They should be available everywhere and in every public bathroom	1
Shopping centre	1

Schools and leisure centers especially for anyone on a low income or struggling to take part in spo rts or attend school or college. I also think they should be provided to anyone accessing homeless services, and that they should be in all satellite offices for staff that work remotely, or out of hours, I ike home care or ASB teams and not just the main offices.

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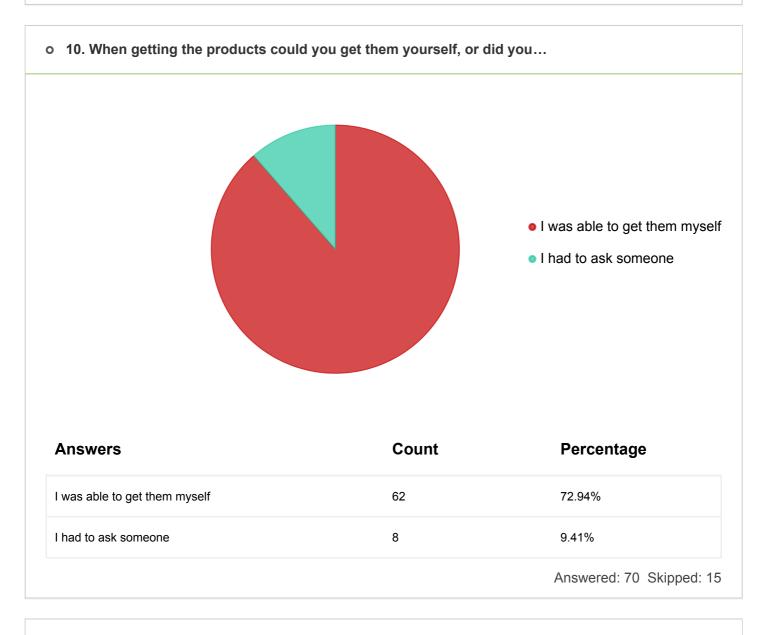
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Public bathrooms like restaurants and cafes

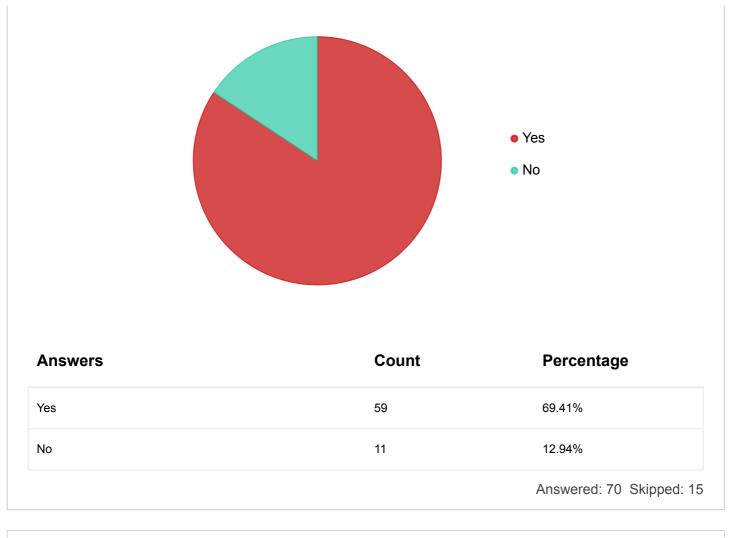
Products should be available in supermarket/chemists for free to females who need them. This cur rent system of LAs providing them is labour and resource intensive with products and delivery char ges overpriced not to mention storage issues and increased fire risk. Scottish government need to do better.

Pharmacy's	1
nurseries public hoses	1
not sure, maybe local shopping centre toilets for people at the weekends	1
Nope, I've seen them at all these places but not needed them	1
Measure and sports venues	1
McDonald's and Wetherspoons	1
Local Charities such as Food Banks. If a struggling person comes in looking for necessities to live, who's to say menstrual products are something they can afford?	1
Leisure centres?	1
Large stores such as co-op & asda	1
I think the delivery service should be re instated, as its quite hard to get to most of the places they are available due to their opening times	1
I live out with WDC. In my area, the HSCP has an initiative My Tribe that has a website from which period products can be ordered and these are delivered by post. There is a delay between orderin g and receiving, however a bulk order is usually sent. This means it's confidential, reaches all area s and easily accessible. I frequently used this to send period products to people i supported at wor k as social worker who were some distance away from services. I also use this myself every 3-6 m onths.	1
every public area	1
Churches/non-wdc facilities that support youth groups.	1
chemists, supermarkets, not just in toilet areas.	1

Chemist, Leisure centre or healthcentre	1
Availability via online ordering would be great as many young people do not have access to vere to get to several of the locations. Would also alleviate the embarrassment for some young performing to ask where the products are within each venue.	
Any where that women who menstruate would be.	1
All sports facilities too.	1
All shops that sell period products should have a free alternative	1
All Leisure centres	1
	Answered: 31 Skipped: 54



o 11. Did you feel the process of getting the products maintained your...





Within the locations in WDC where I prefer to collect products, products are within the toilet/bathro oms however these are stored on the floor in a sealed box. This is difficult to access physically an d embarrassing when people come in. It is also embarrassing to ask for them in leisure centres'. N ormally only few pads available lots of non applicator tampons which I cannot use or open. I have never seen applicator tampons available.	1
They were in the bathroom in the office. Lying in the plastic tub on the floor but there.	1
They need to be freely accessible, if kept behind a desk and needing requested, some people may be put off and not access products they need. As few barriers as absolutely possible!	1
Sometimes you run out. Others get there before me.	1
Sometimes the item required is not available in public toilets as there is a limited choice in the item s provided.	1
Nothing! I am happy to collect these, if needed, for pupils	1
nothing	1
Not wanting to ask	1
not being in the vicinity of a place where these are available	1
No	1
Location and whether the toilets were busy/easily viewed.	1
I'm happy to buy my own but used in an emergency!	1
If they were publicly displayed	1
If they are in a bathroom, I would definitely need them to be in some kind of box for sanitary reaso ns. I understand cleaners clean the bathrooms constantly, but they understandably don't clean the menstrual products.	1
If the area was busy	1
If I needed to ask I would ask.	1
If I had to ask for them	1
I think if I had to ask. In may case as I was in the office bathroom they were already there. Rather t han going to another member of staff to ask permission. I don't know of any office where that woul d be a discreet or private situation.	1
I didn't know about them!	1

Having to do it at a public counter in front of people	1
Having to ask someone for them. They are always in the work place facilities so it is not some I need to deal with but I as someone with anxiety having to ask someone to find them could be barrassing.	-
Having to ask for heavier flow, applicator products when only light non applicator types are produced. A full selection should be made available.	ovide 1
Having to ask	1
Being able to get to each of the locations. Having to ask where the products are located within h venue.	n eac 1
Asking a male member of staff for them.	1
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o 13. Please tell us anything else if you have anything else to say that would help \dots

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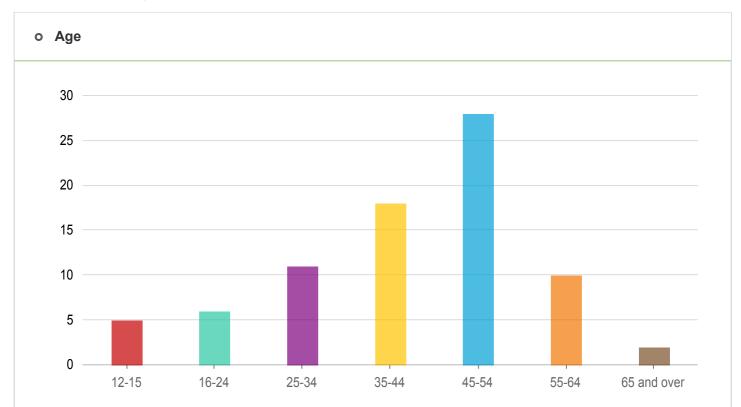
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They were on the ladies bathroom but the options were limited	1
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Excellent service - thank you	1
Better distribution Easier access within venues -not having to kneel down open boxes	1
Being able to order online is much more convenient than going into a building. More access to reas sables means less products are required over lifetime. Need to consider if buildings are open outs de office hours	
At high school there are period products avaliable but no toilet roll to use when you're on your per od. Not a good situation to be in.	i 1
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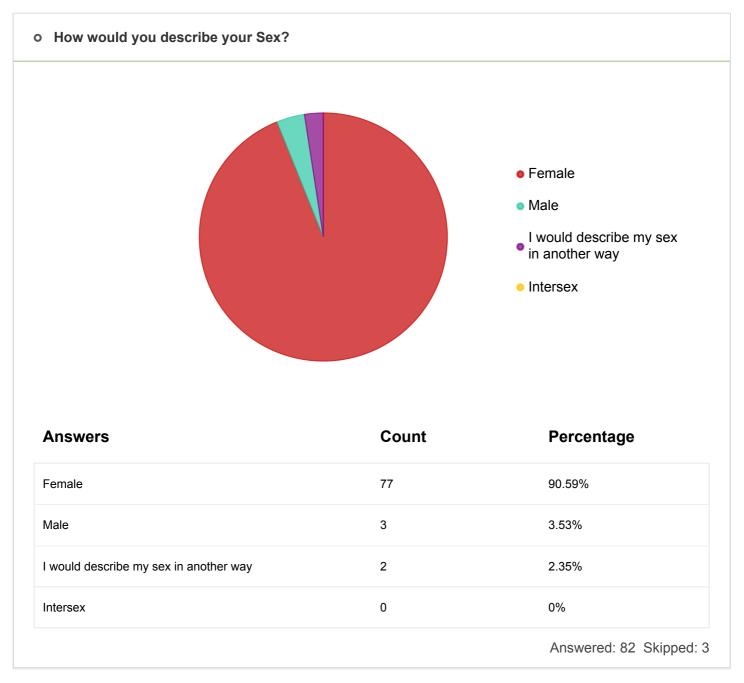
Diversity Monitoring



Answers	Count	Percentage
12-15	5	5.88%
16-24	6	7.06%
25-34	11	12.94%
35-44	18	21.18%
45-54	28	32.94%
55-64	10	11.76%

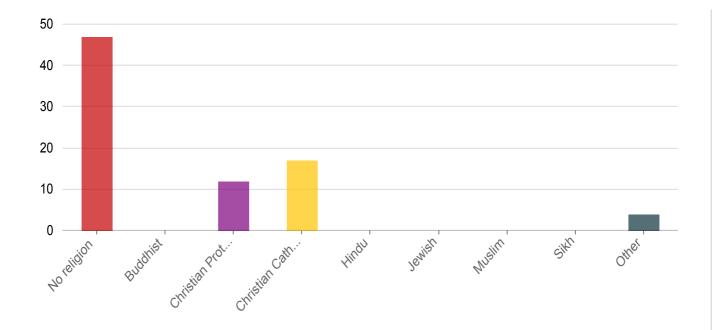
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Sex



Religion or belief

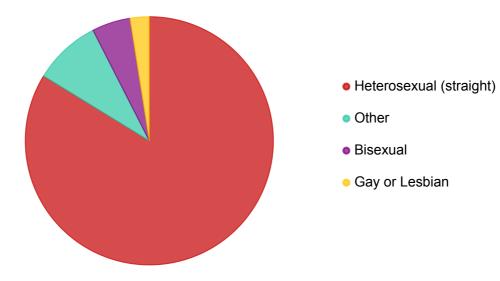
• How would you describe your religion or belief?



Answers	Count	Percentage
No religion	47	55.29%
Buddhist	0	0%
Christian Protestant	12	14.12%
Christian Catholic	17	20%
Hindu	0	0%
Jewish	0	0%
Muslim	0	0%
Sikh	0	0%
Other	4	4.71%
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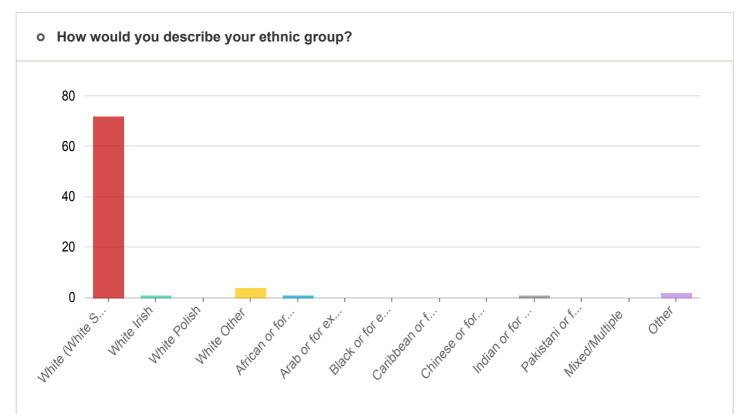
Sexual orientation

o How would you describe your sexual orientation?				



Answers	Count	Percentage
Heterosexual (straight)	67	78.82%
Other	7	8.24%
Bisexual	4	4.71%
Gay or Lesbian	2	2.35%
		Answered: 80 Skipped: 5

Ethnicity



White (White Scottish or White British)	72	84.71%
White Irish	1	1.18%
White Polish	0	0%
White Other	4	4.71%
African or for example African Scottish or African British	1	1.18%
Arab or for example Arab Scottish or Arab British	0	0%
Black or for example Black Scottish or Black British	0	0%
Caribbean or for example Caribbean Scottish or Caribbean British	0	0%
Chinese or for example Chinese Scottish or Chinese British	0	0%
Indian or for example Indian Scottish or Indian British	1	1.18%
Pakistani or for example Pakistani Scottish or Pakistani Briti sh	0	0%
Mixed/Multiple	0	0%
Other	2	2.35%
		Answered: 81 Skipped: 4

Disability

• Do you consider yourself to have a disability according to the terms...

