



Interregional Public Organisation  
'Community of People Living with HIV'

# Stigmatization and Discrimination of People Living with HIV in Russia

## Survey Report

### Methodology

**Stigma Index** methodology was used as a basis and adapted to the Russian context. Side-to-side interviews with a questionnaire.

**Respondents:** people living with HIV, 660 respondents.

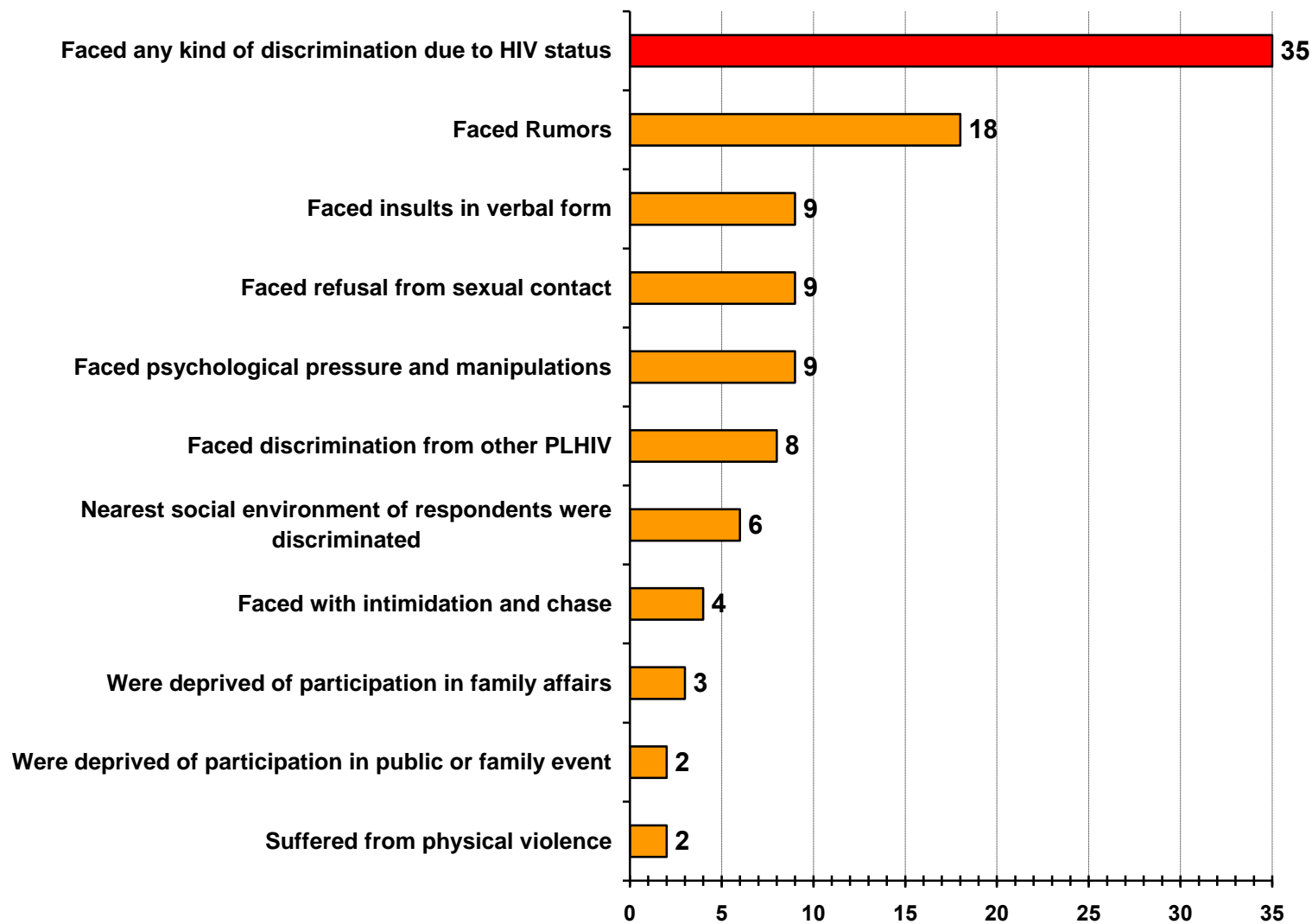
**Coverage:** 11 cities of Russia (Kazan', Krasnoyarsk, Kursk, Naberezhnye Chelny, Orenburg, Orsk, Rostov-on-Don, St.Petersburg, T'umen', Ufa, Chelyabinsk).



<b>660 Respondents: gender</b>			
Male		50%	
Female		50%	
<b>Age</b>			
18 – 19	2%	30 – 39	40%
20 – 24	11%	40 – 49	9%
25 – 29	36%	>50	2%
<b>Life with HIV, years</b>			
0 – 1		8%	
1 – 4		30%	
5 – 9		36%	
10 – 14		25%	
>15		1%	
<b>HIV status disclosure</b>			
Disclosed		31%	
Disclosed to a limited number of people		59%	
Undisclosed		10%	
<b>Relation to vulnerable groups</b>			
Drug users		59%	
Prisoners		24%	
Sex-workers		7%	
Migrants		6%	
Sexual minorities		6%	
Neither		29%	

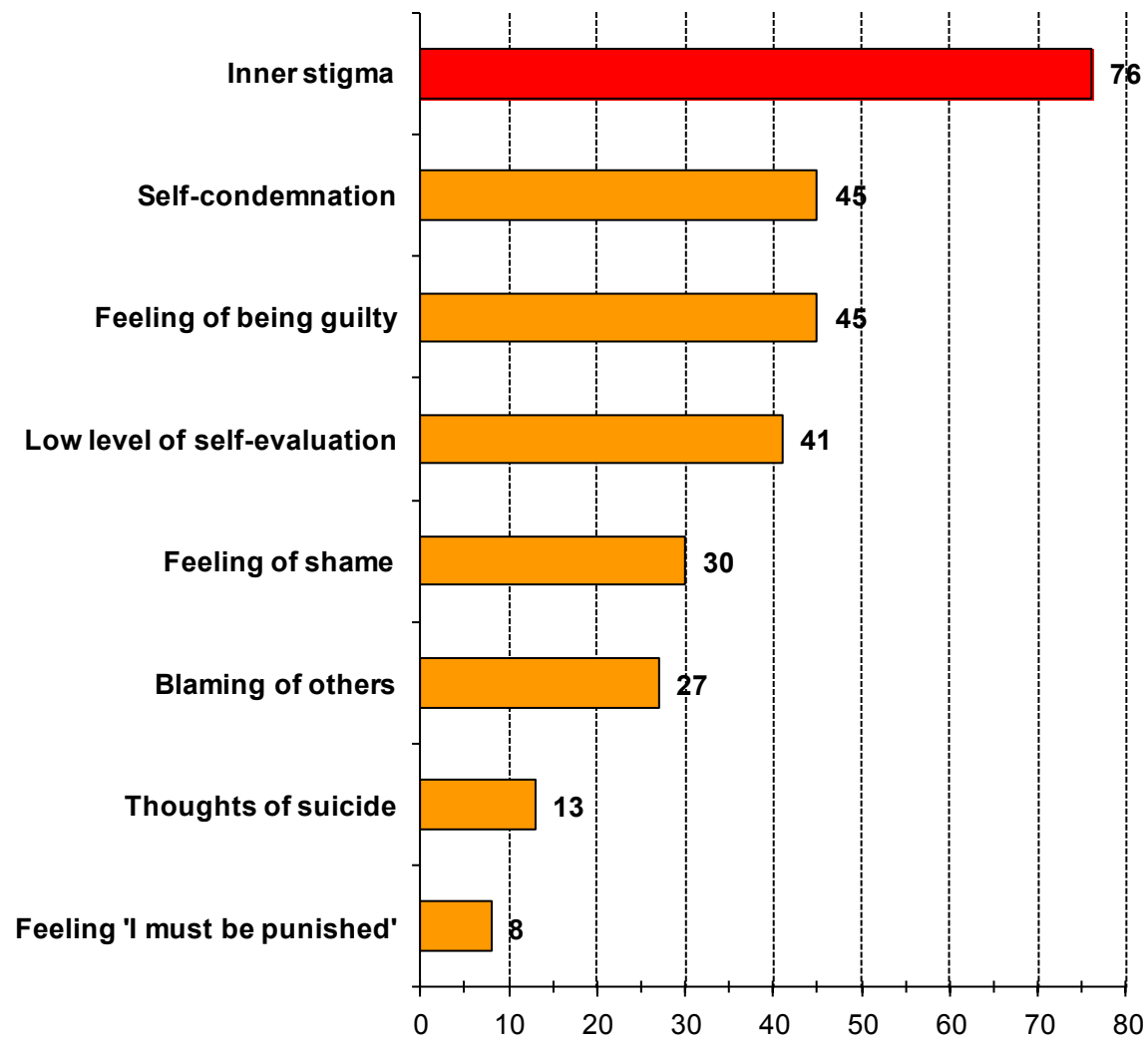


## Stigma and discrimination cases, %



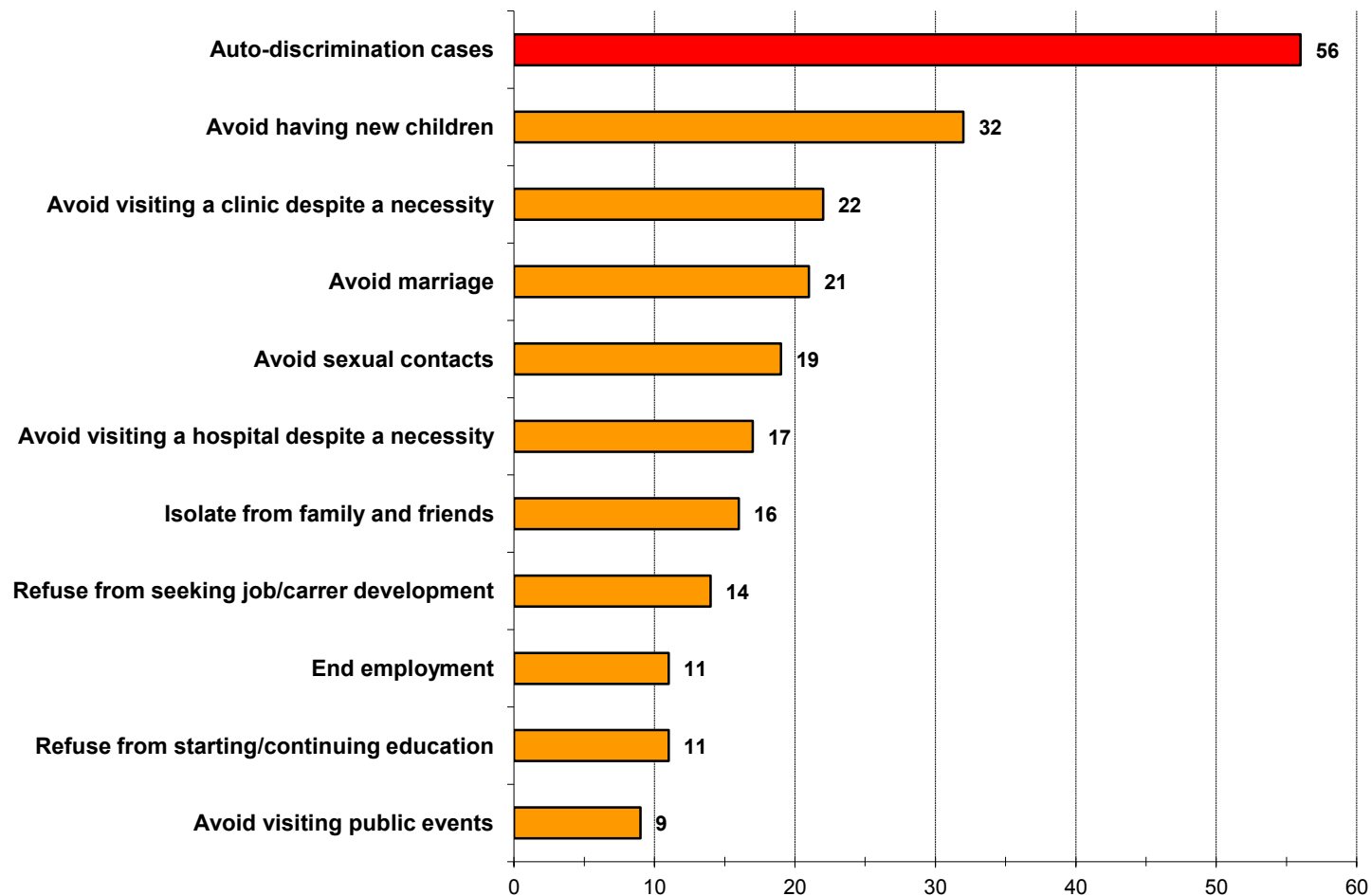


## Inner Stigma, %





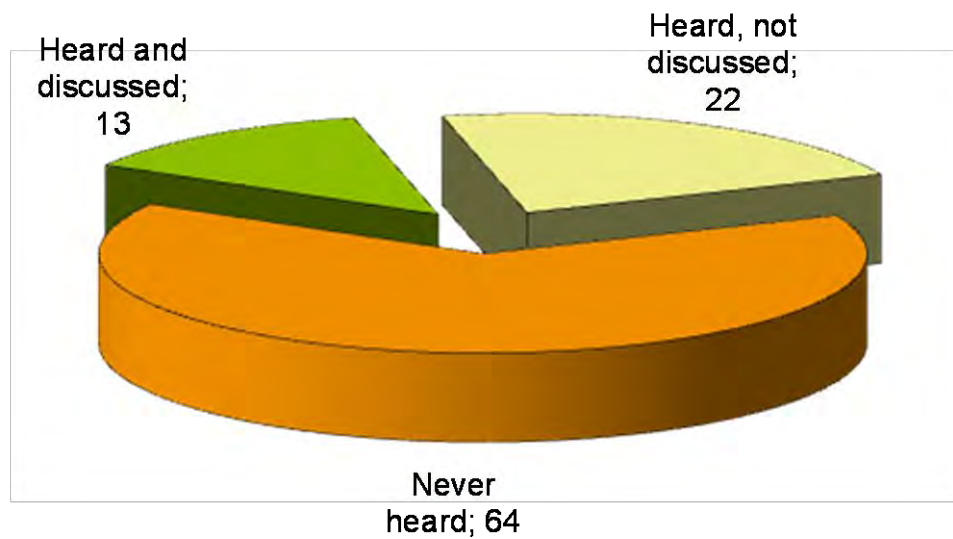
## Auto-discriminatory decisions, %



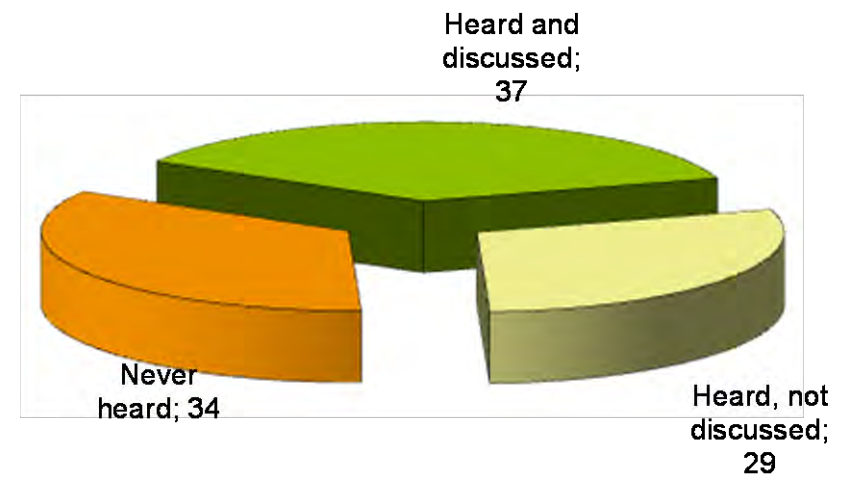


## Knowledge about rights, %

### *Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS*

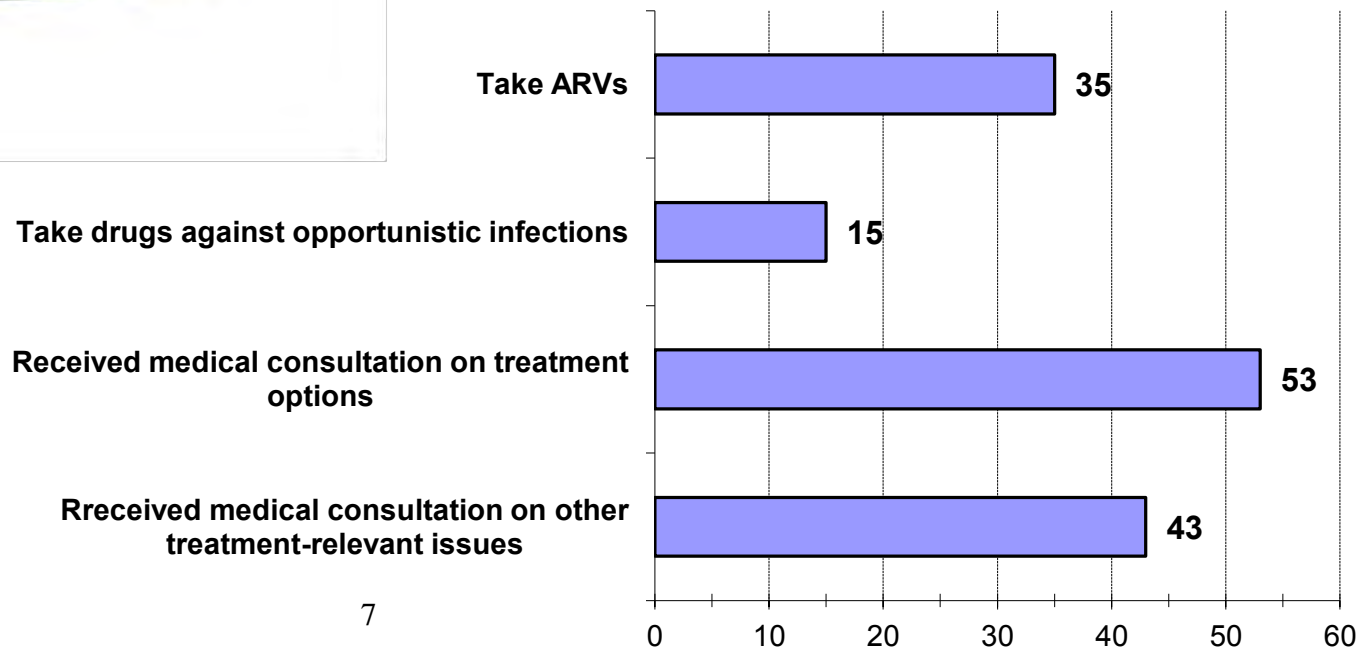
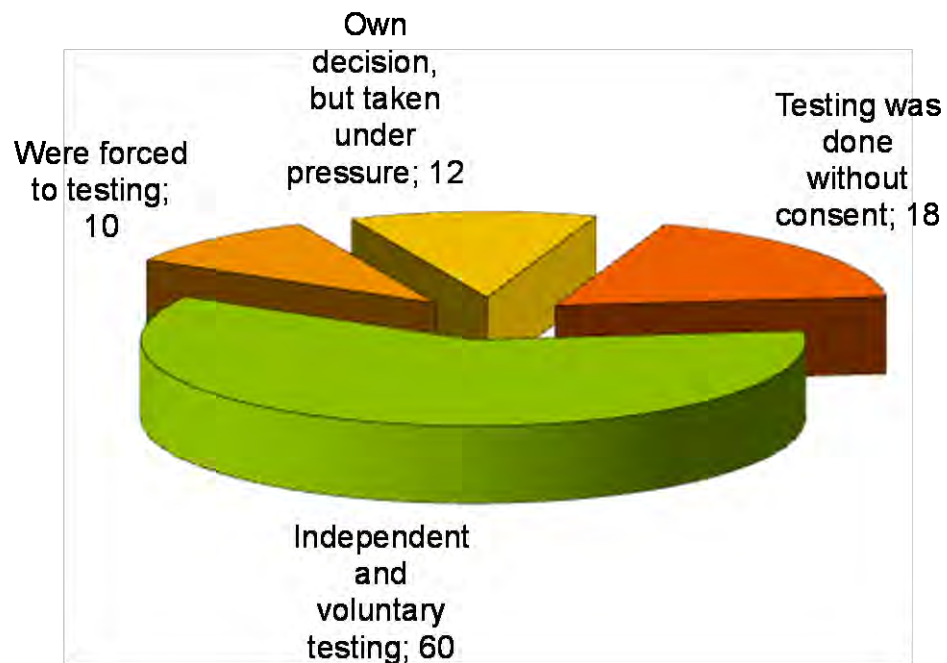


### *Federal Law on the Prevention of HIV in Russia*



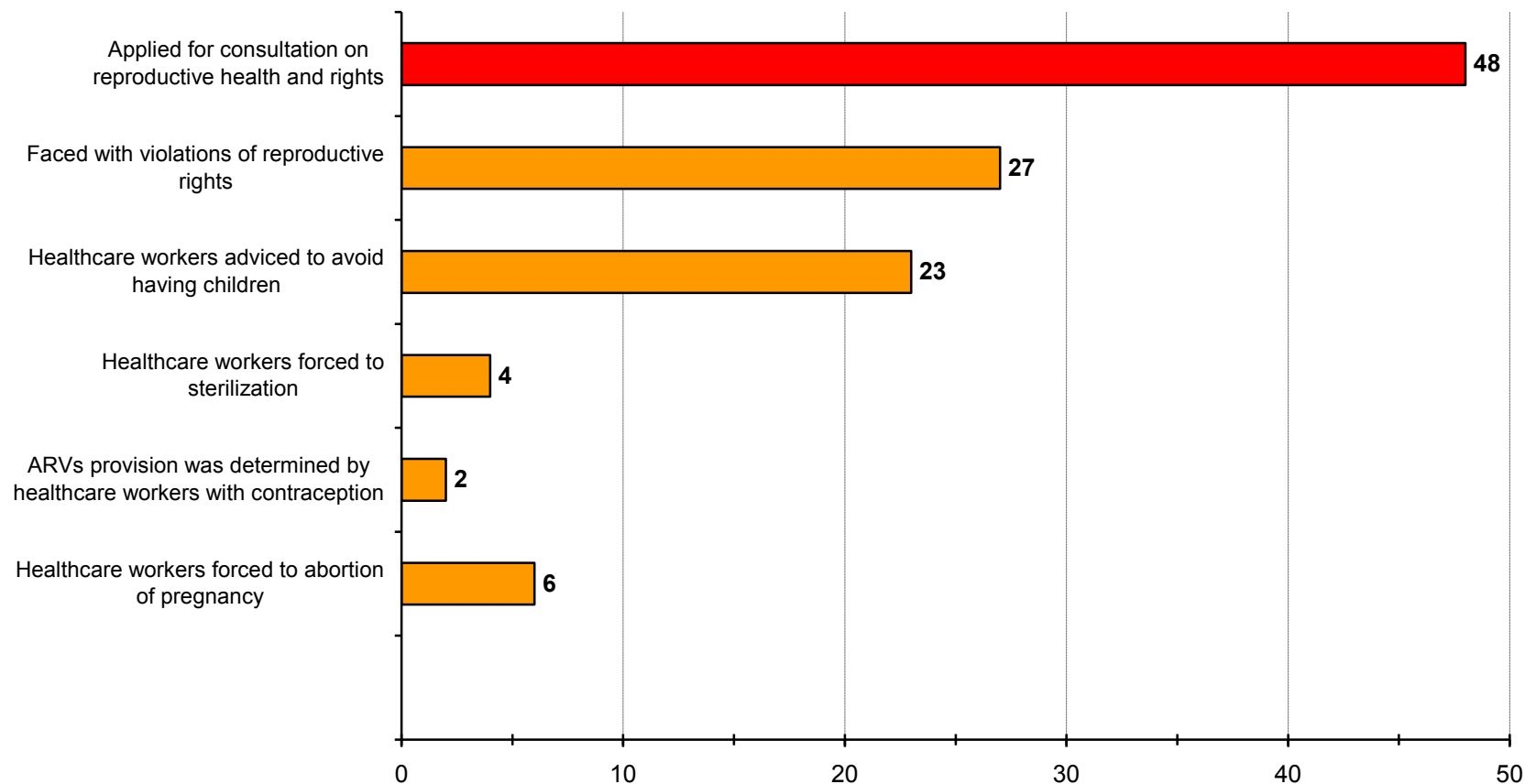


## HIV Testing and Treatment, %





## Reproductive health rights (% of 330 female respondents)



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