

ASSESSING THE LEVEL OF AWARENESS ABOUT AND THE IMPACT OF THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS IN ARMENIA

Final Report of Online Survey

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FOREWORD

This report summarizes the results of the study “**Assessing the level of awareness about and the impact of the novel coronavirus in Armenia.**”

The data was collected online within the time period between March 29th and April 8th 2020 among the residents of Republic of Armenia (RA). The survey was disseminated via Facebook ads.

The graphs and charts presented in this report were created based on the data gathered by **April 8th, 2020 7:41 p.m.**, Yerevan time. Total number of participants was **8473**, 46 of which were removed from the database due to being technically invalid. Therefore, the report is based on the responses of **8427** participants. The results cannot be extended to represent the whole population of Armenia or those residents of Armenia using accounts on Facebook.

This study has been conducted voluntarily by the **Caucasus Research Resource Center-Armenia** Foundation aimed at supporting the RA Government efforts in preventing the spread of novel coronavirus in Armenia.

ABBREVIATIONS

HH – Household

DK – Don't know

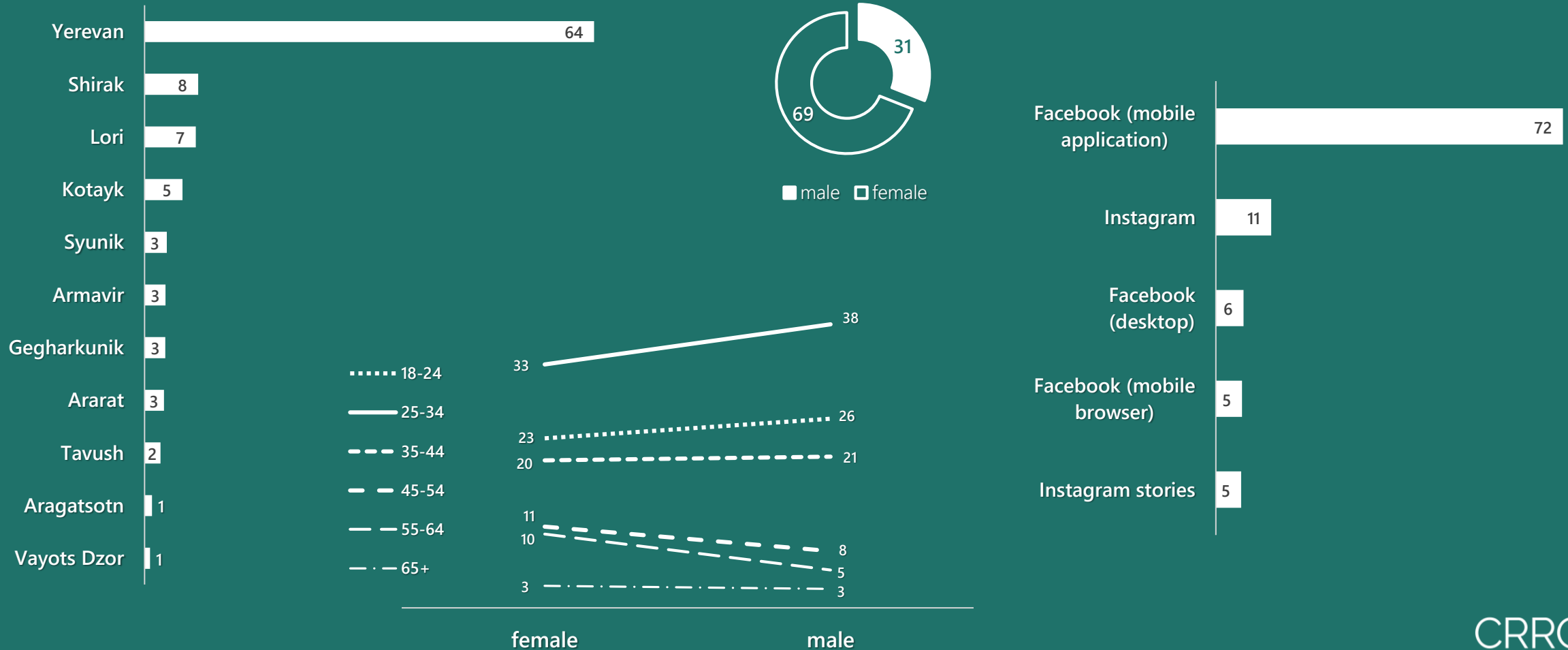
RA – Refuse to answer

NA – Not applicable

Online Advertisement Statistics

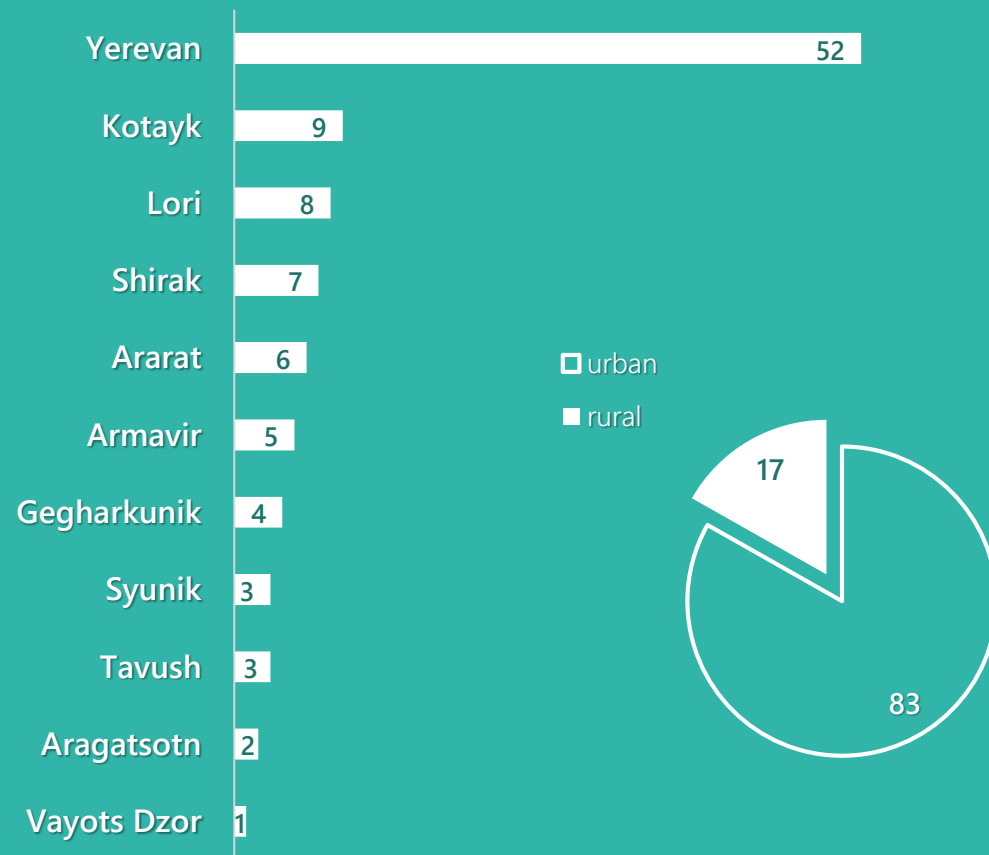
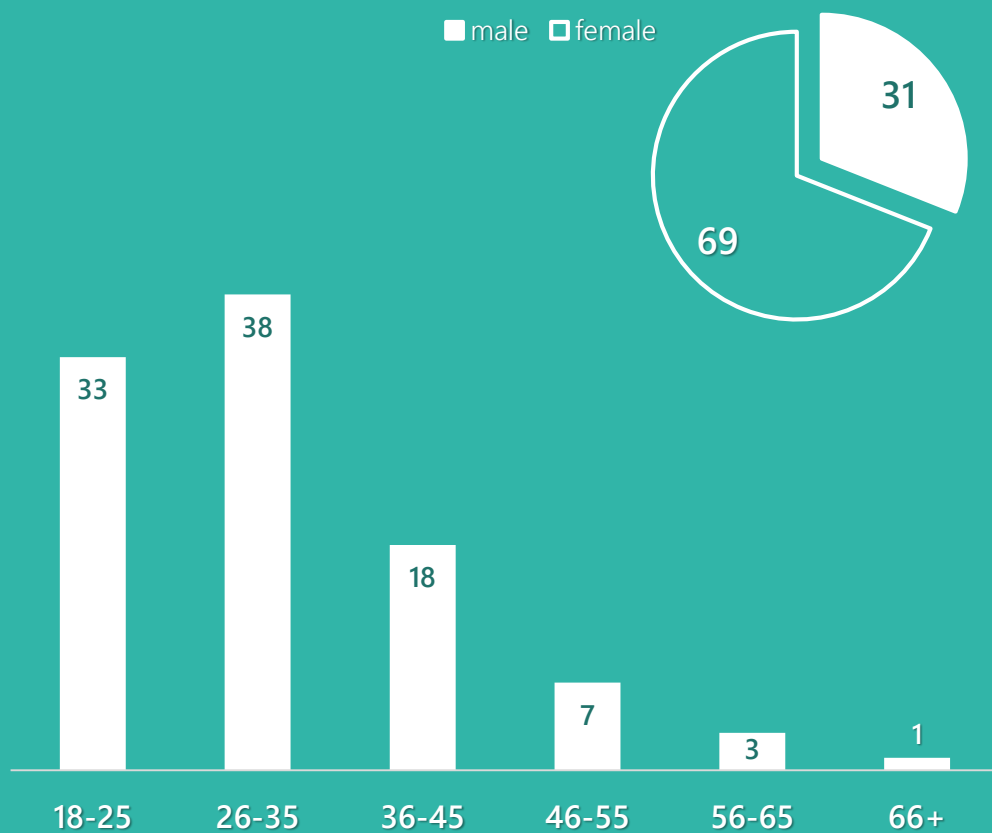
% of total, N=312896

Number of link clicks: 26740



Socio-Demographic Data

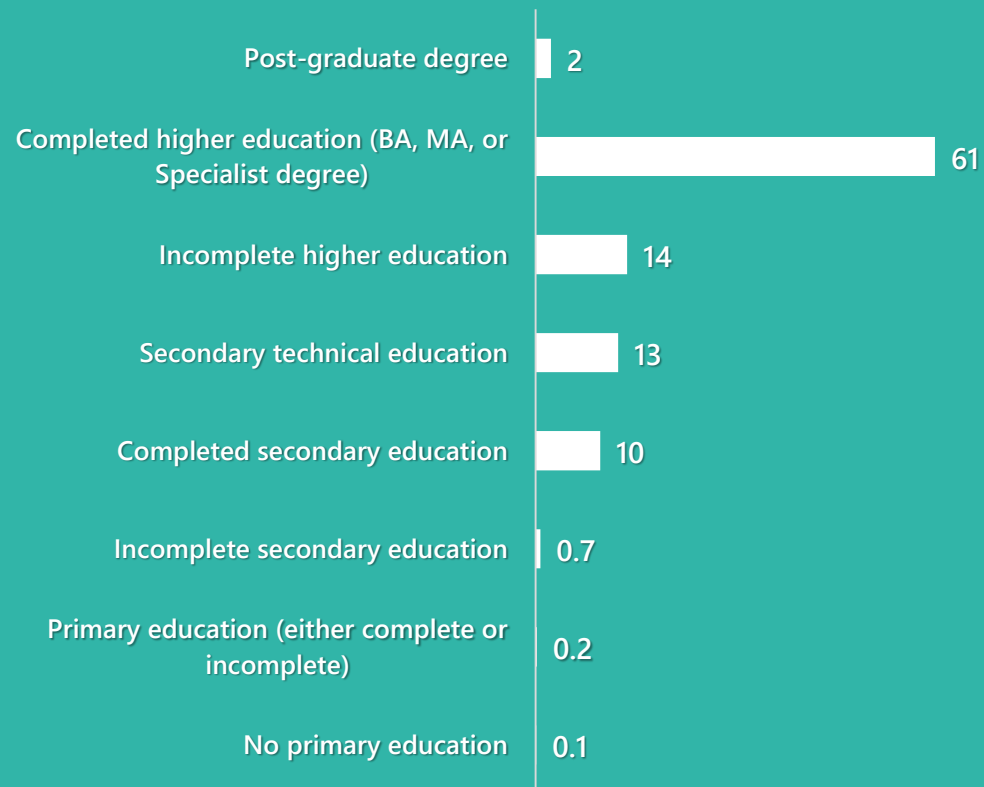
% of total, N=8427



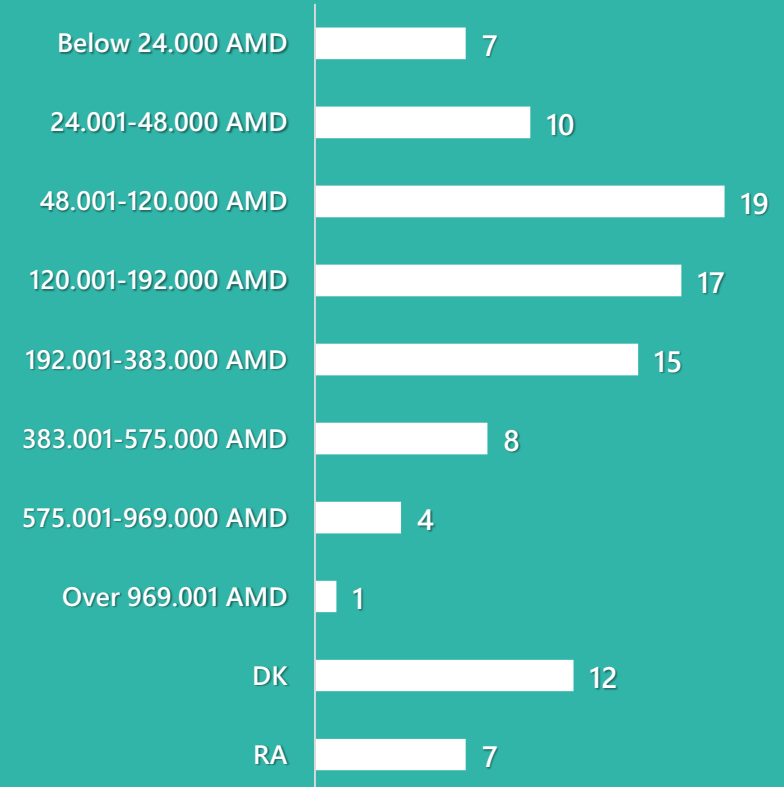
Level of Education and Income

% of total, N=8427

Highest level of education received



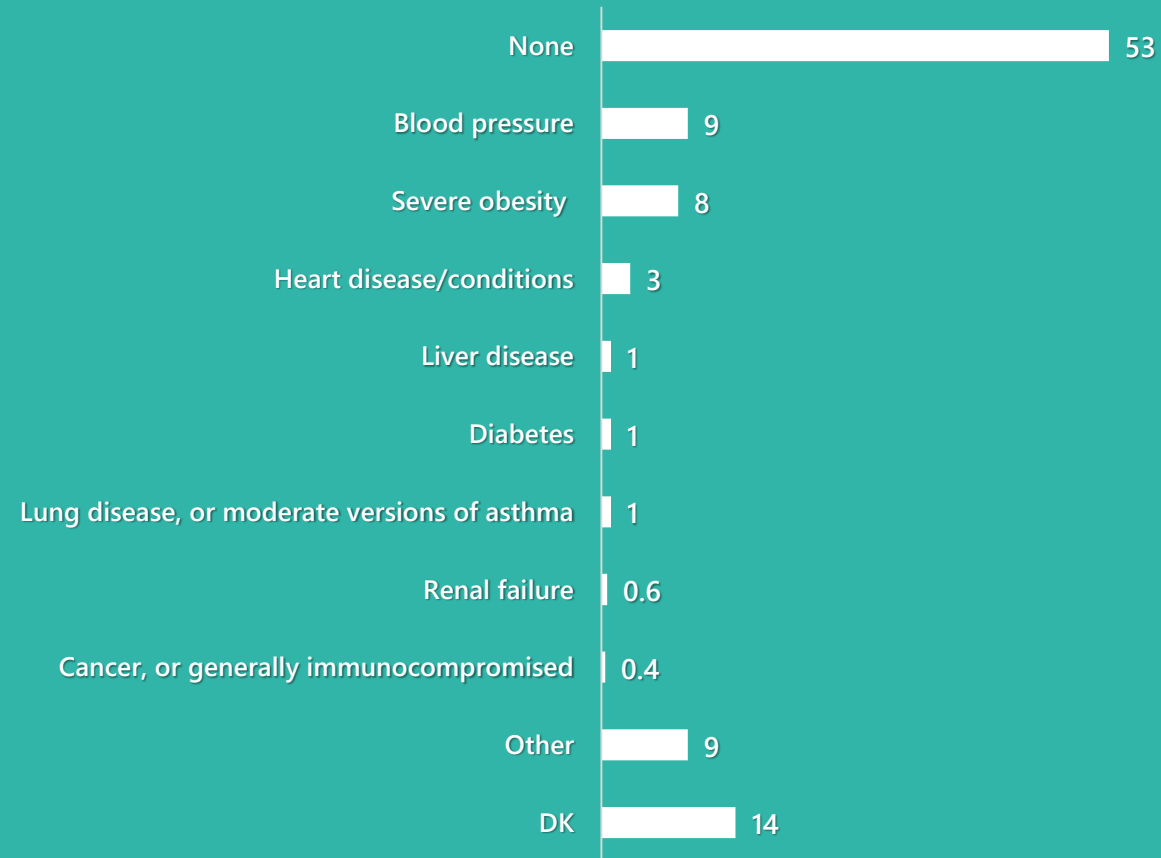
HH income in the previous month



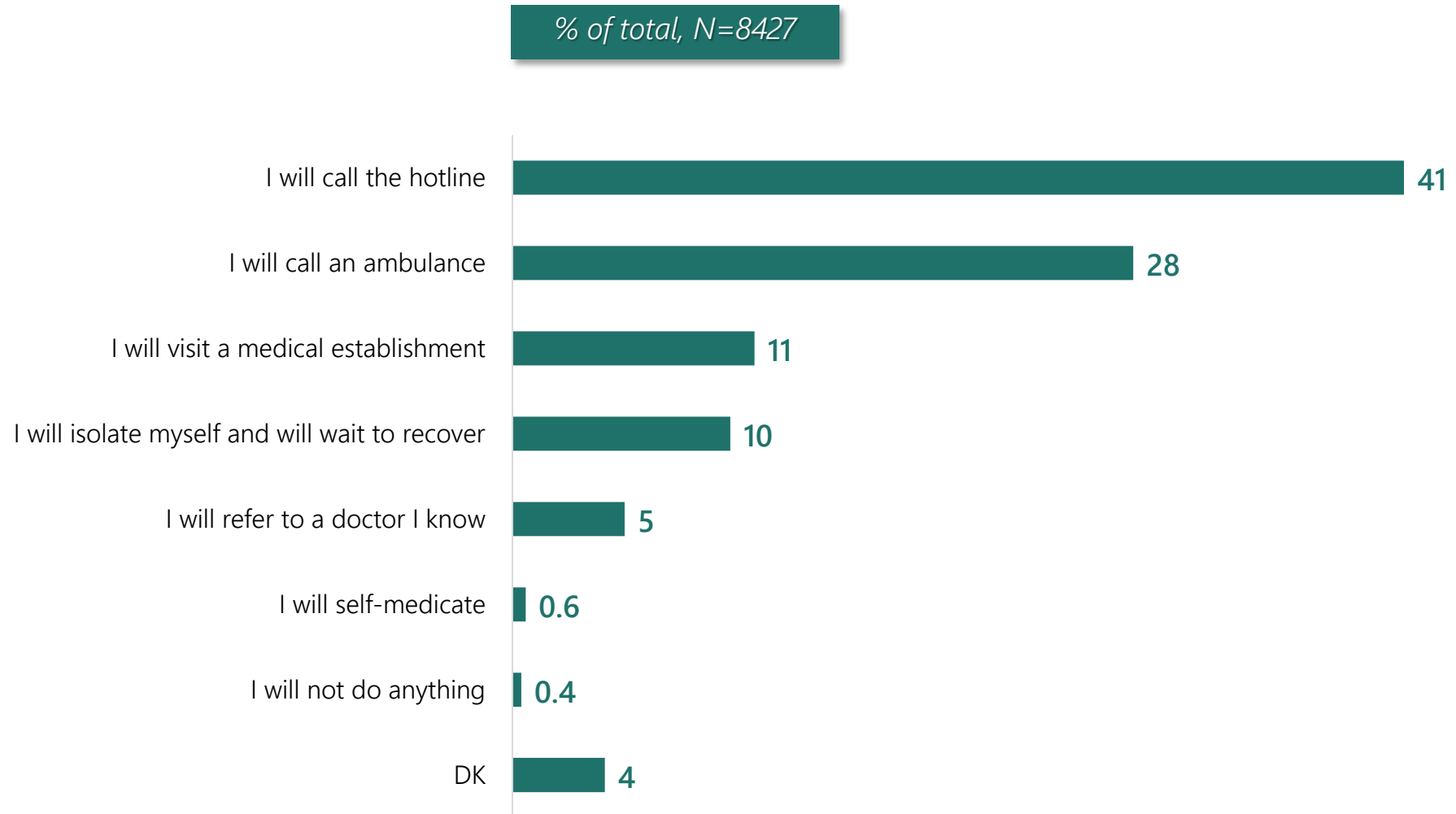
Health Issues

% of total responses, N=9207

multiple-response question

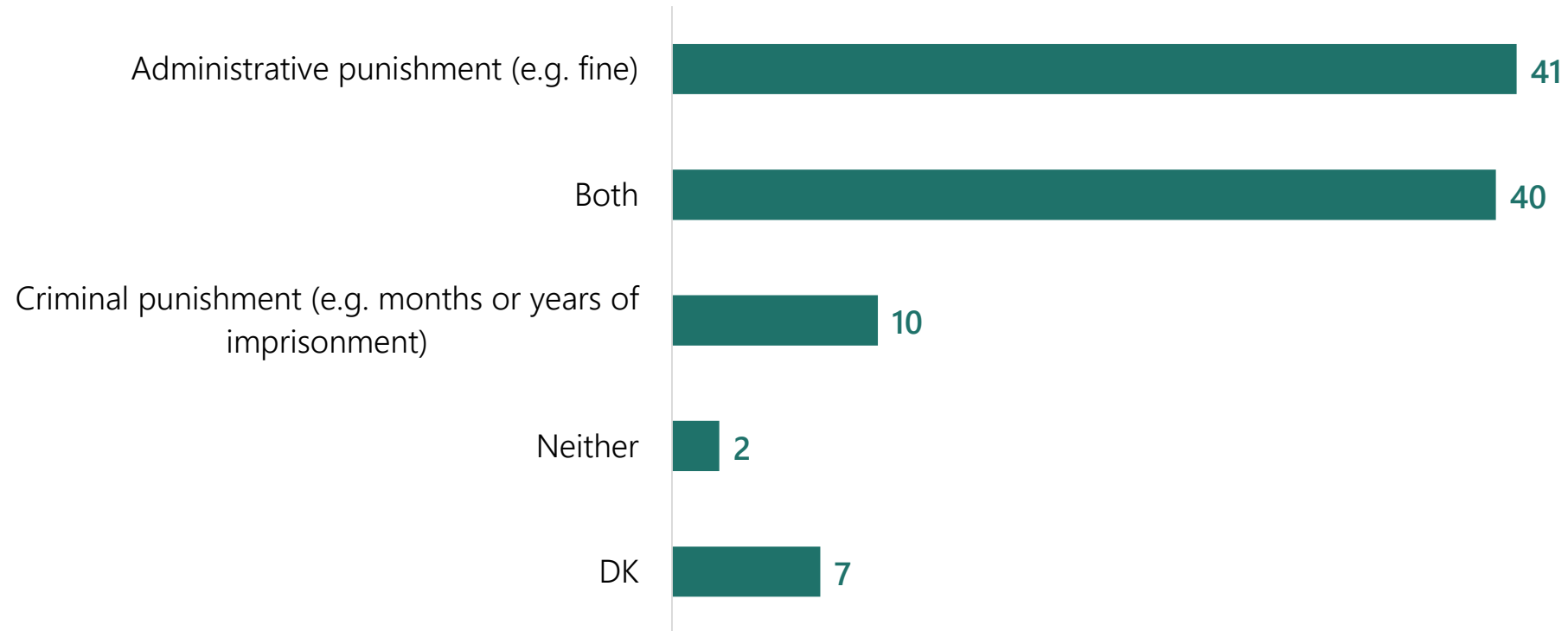


In the case of having symptoms of Coronavirus, what would be your first action?



To the best of your knowledge, what is the punishment for violating the rules of emergency situation in Armenia?

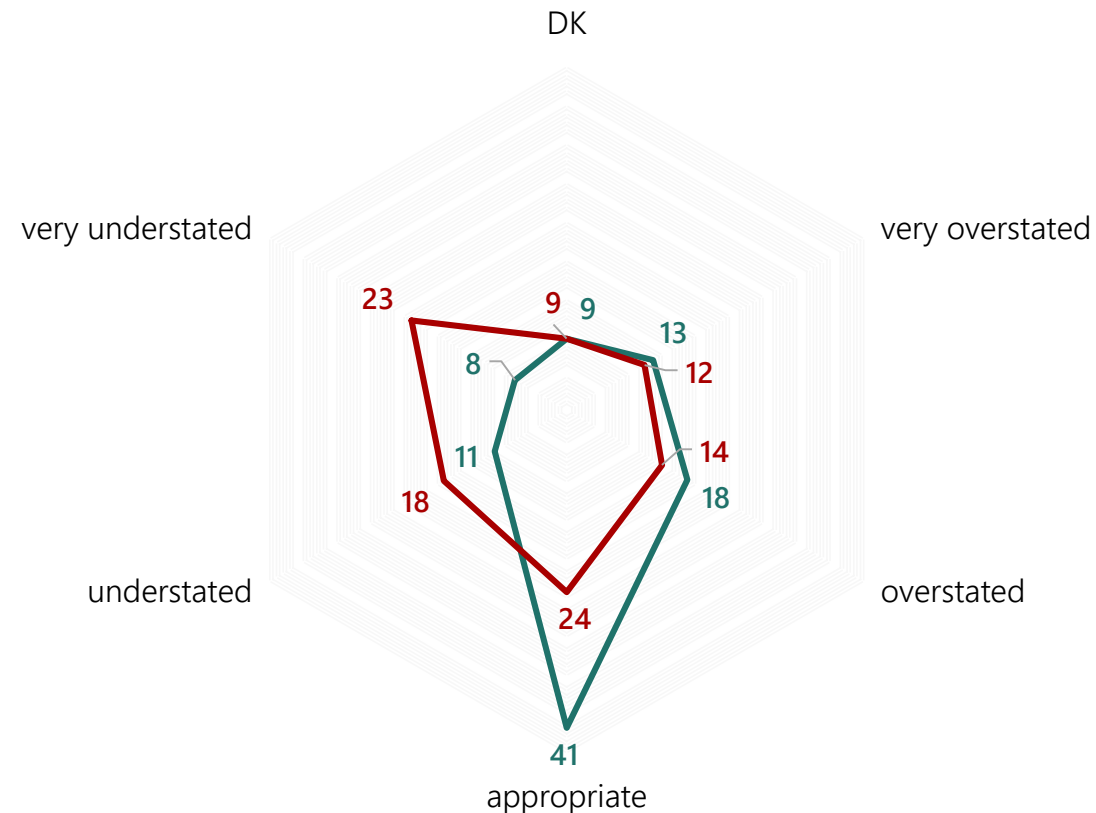
% of total, N=8427



To what extent do you think the seriousness of COVID-19 is overstated/understated ...

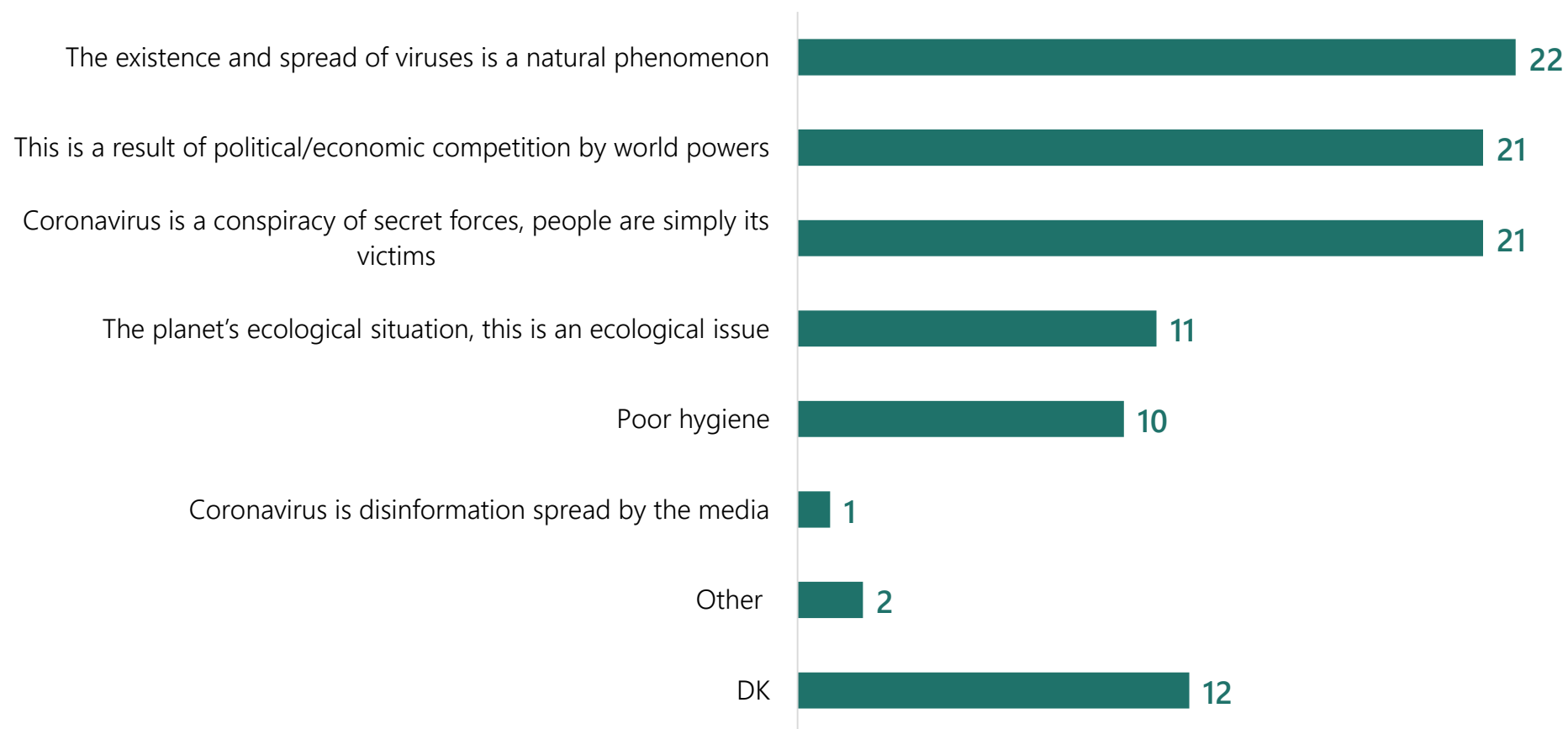
% of total, N=8427

— ... by the Government — ... by the general public



In your opinion, what is the main reason for the development/spread of the virus?

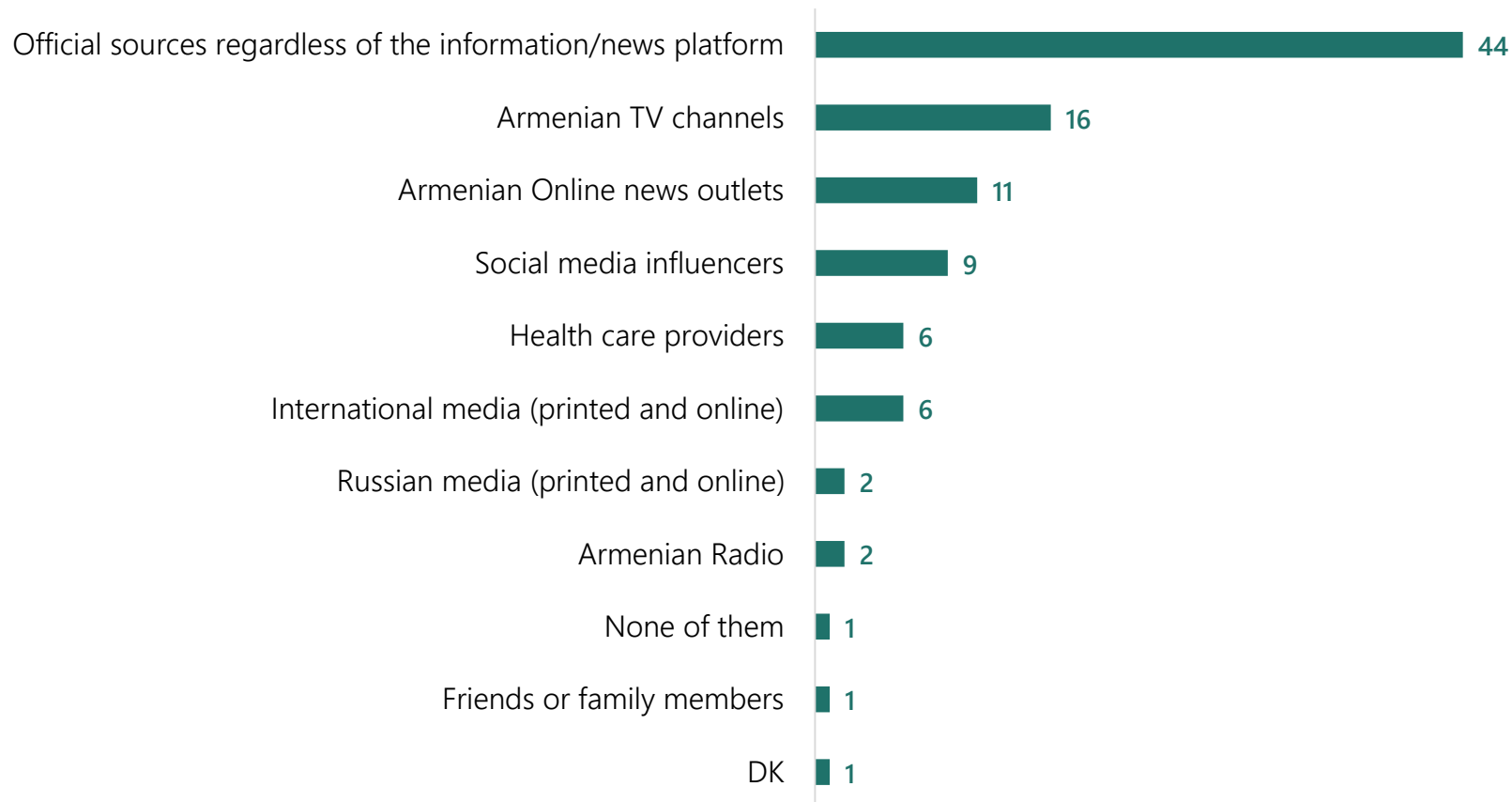
% of total, N=8427



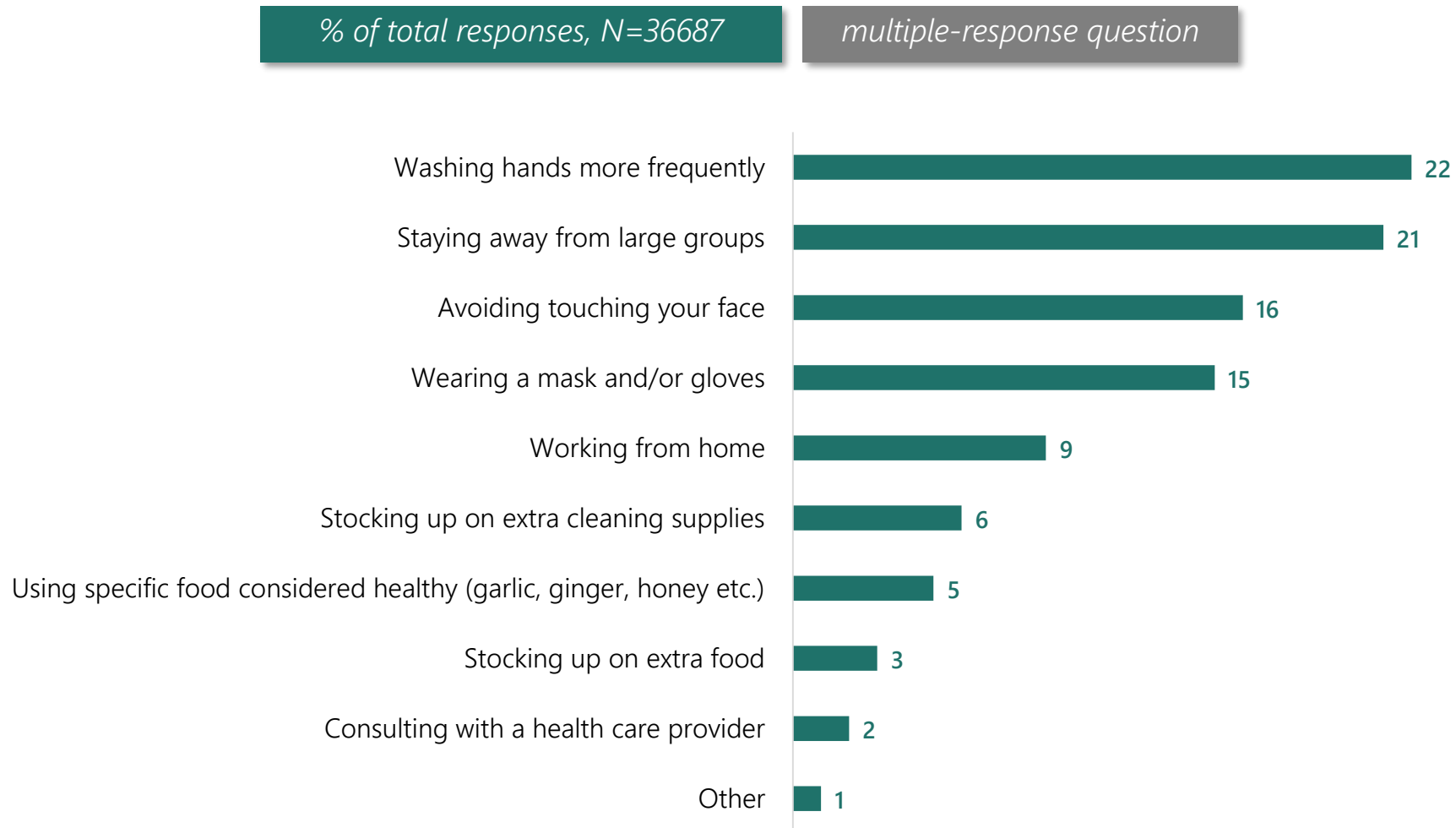
What source(s) do you rely on the most for information about the coronavirus?

% of total responses, N=15859

multiple-response question

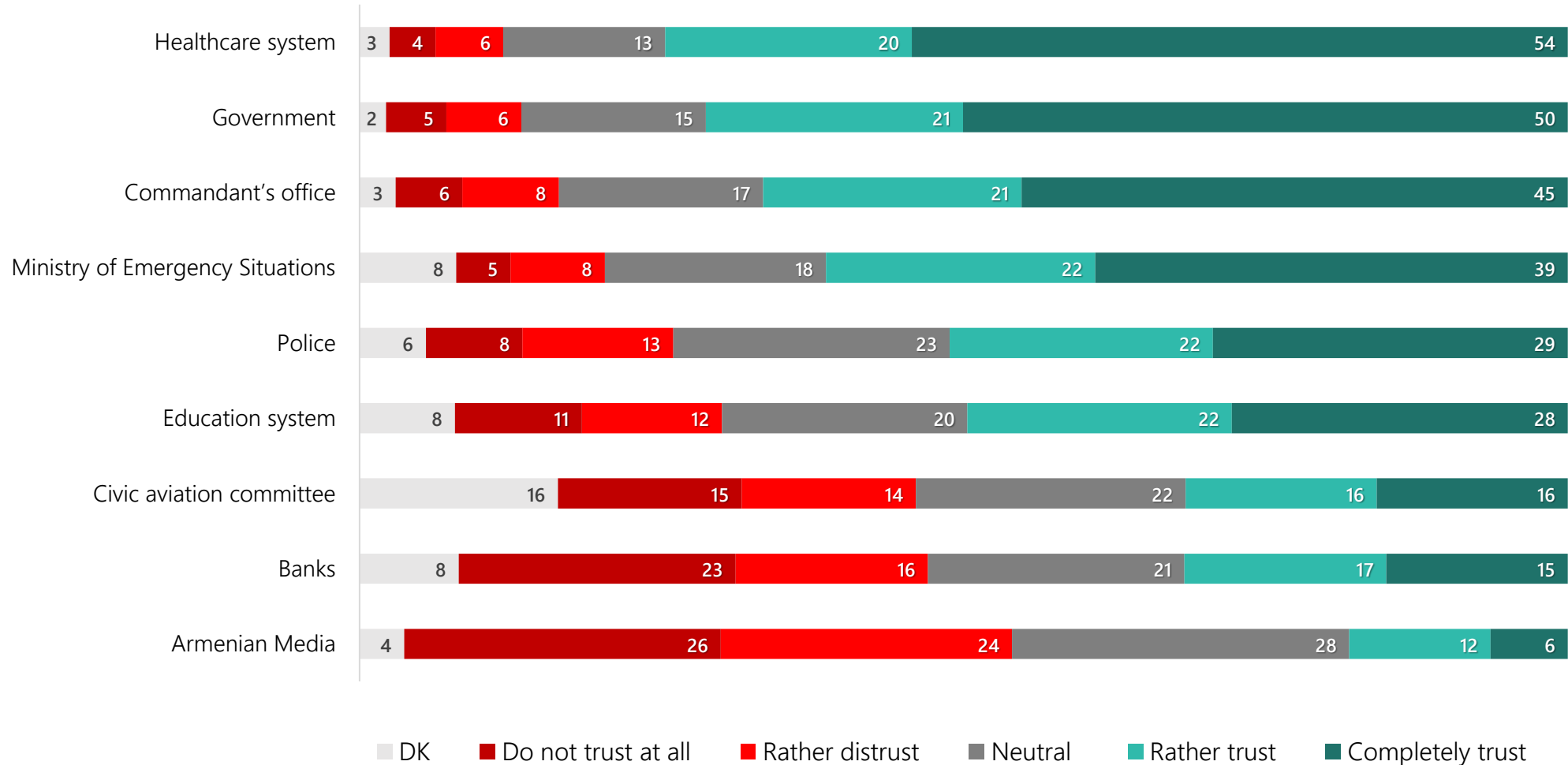


Which of the following measures, if any, are you taking in response to the coronavirus?



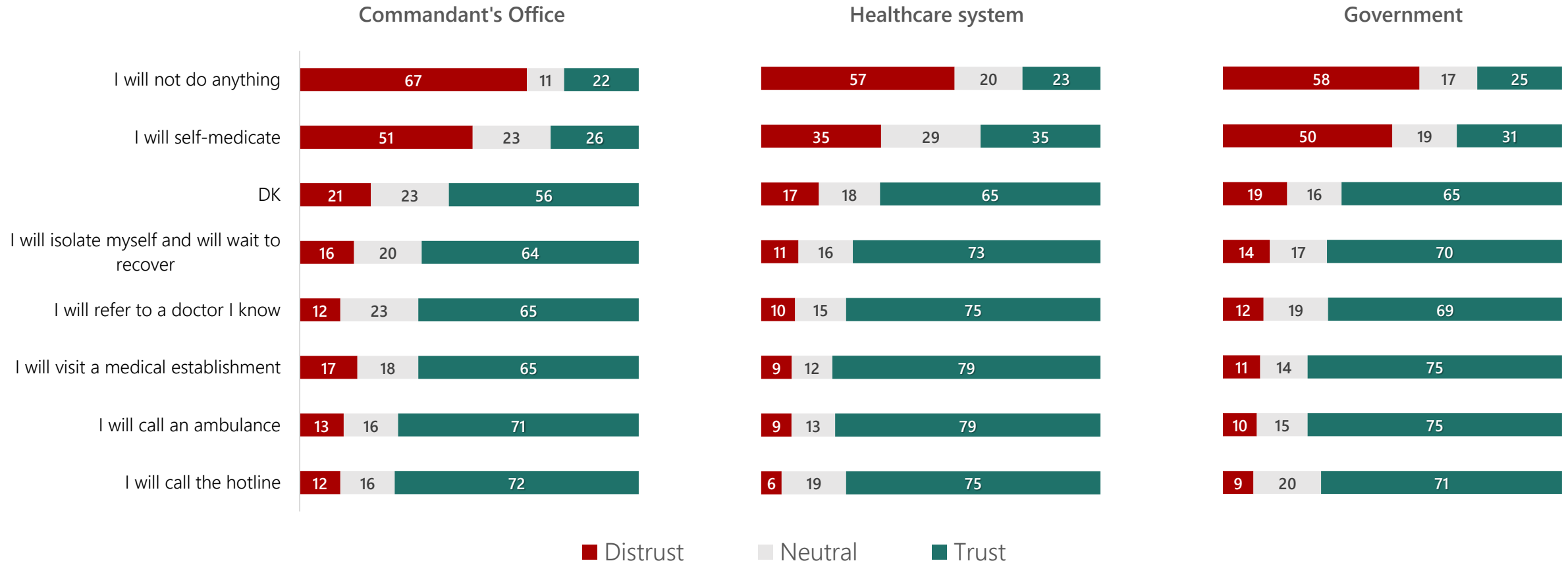
How much do you trust or distrust the following institutions in this emergency situation?

% of total, N=8427



Those who do not trust the relevant institutions are more likely to self-medicate or do nothing*

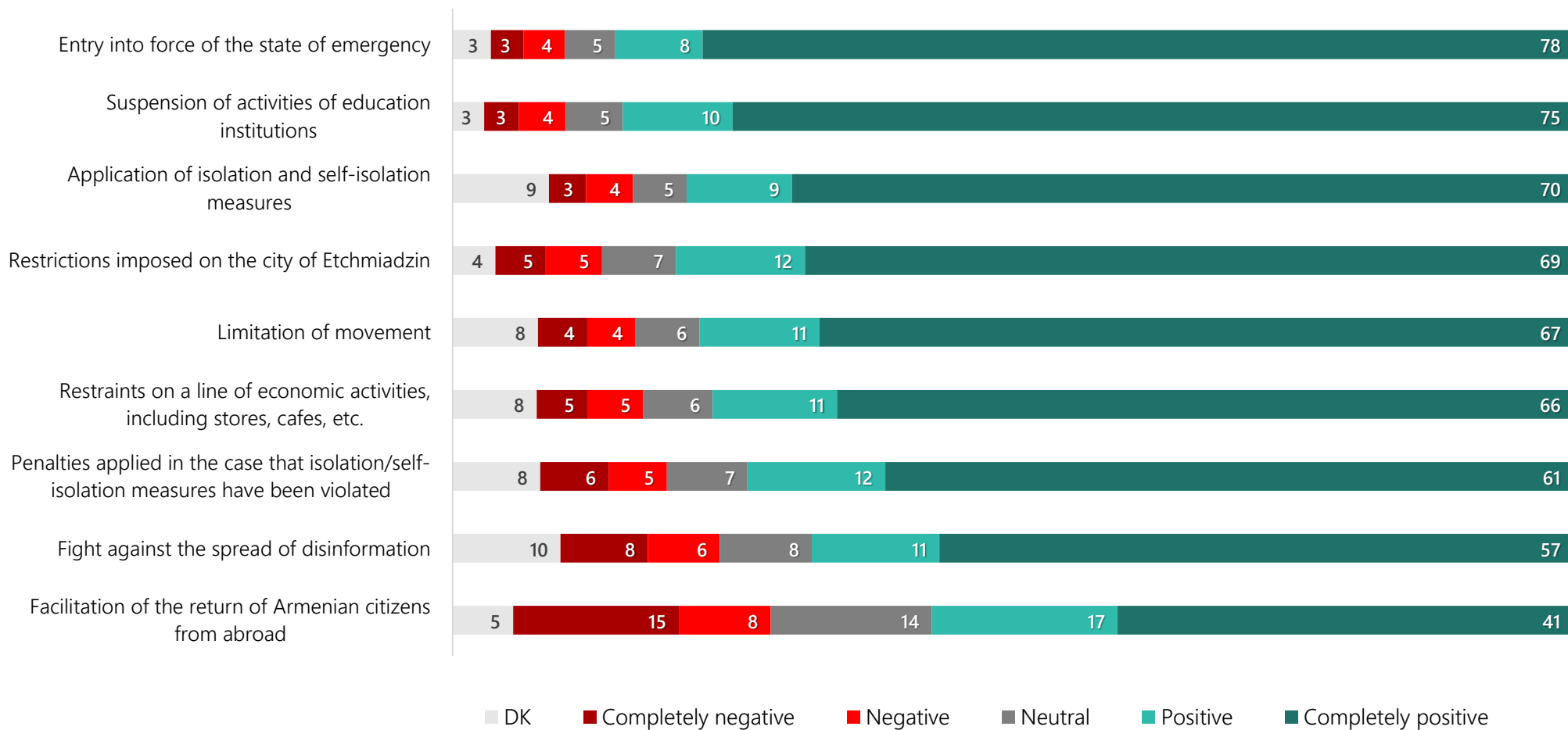
% of total, N=8427



* The graphs represent the cross-tabulation of the following questions:
 1. How much do you trust or distrust the following institutions in this emergency situation?
 2. In the case of having symptoms of Coronavirus, what would be your first action?

How positive/negative do you find the measures taken by the Government up to present?

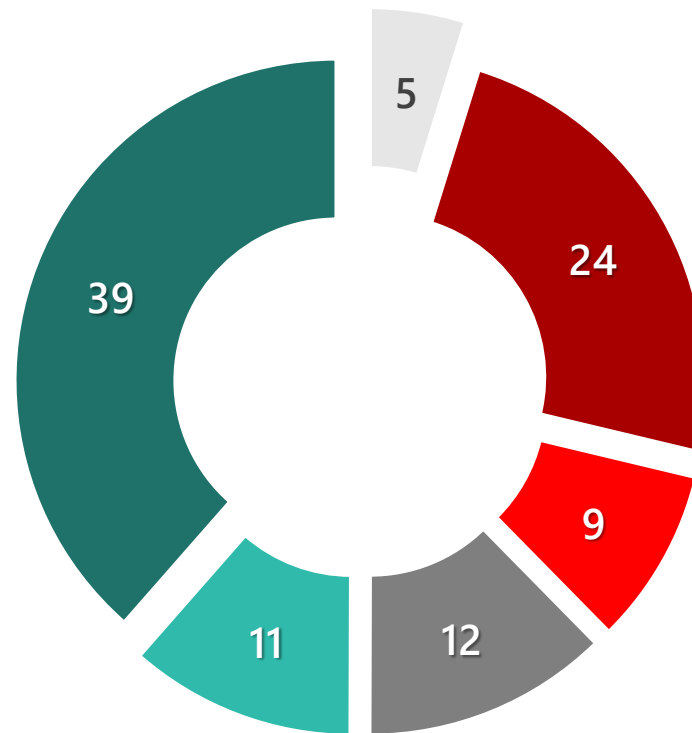
% of total, N=8427



How positive/negative do you find the Government's initiative to gather data on people's movement and phone calls?

% of total, N=4596

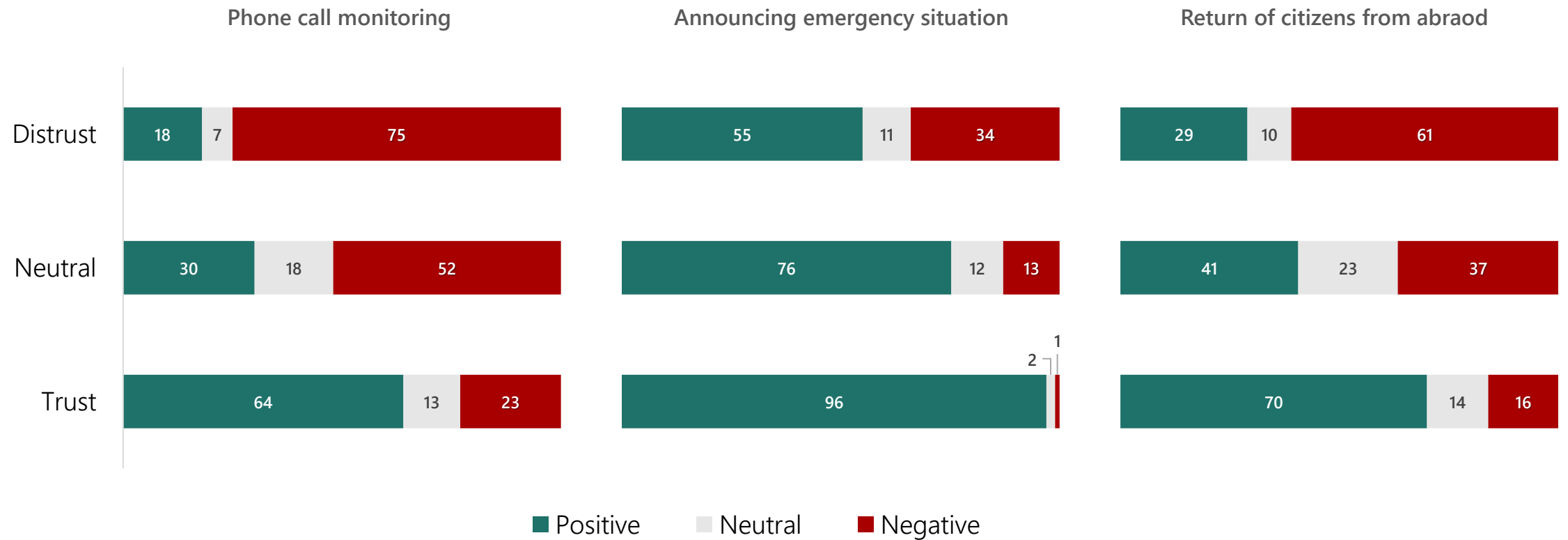
question added with delay



■ DK ■ Completely negative ■ Negative ■ Neutral ■ Positive ■ Completely positive

Those who do not trust the Government are more likely to find the preventive measures to be negative*

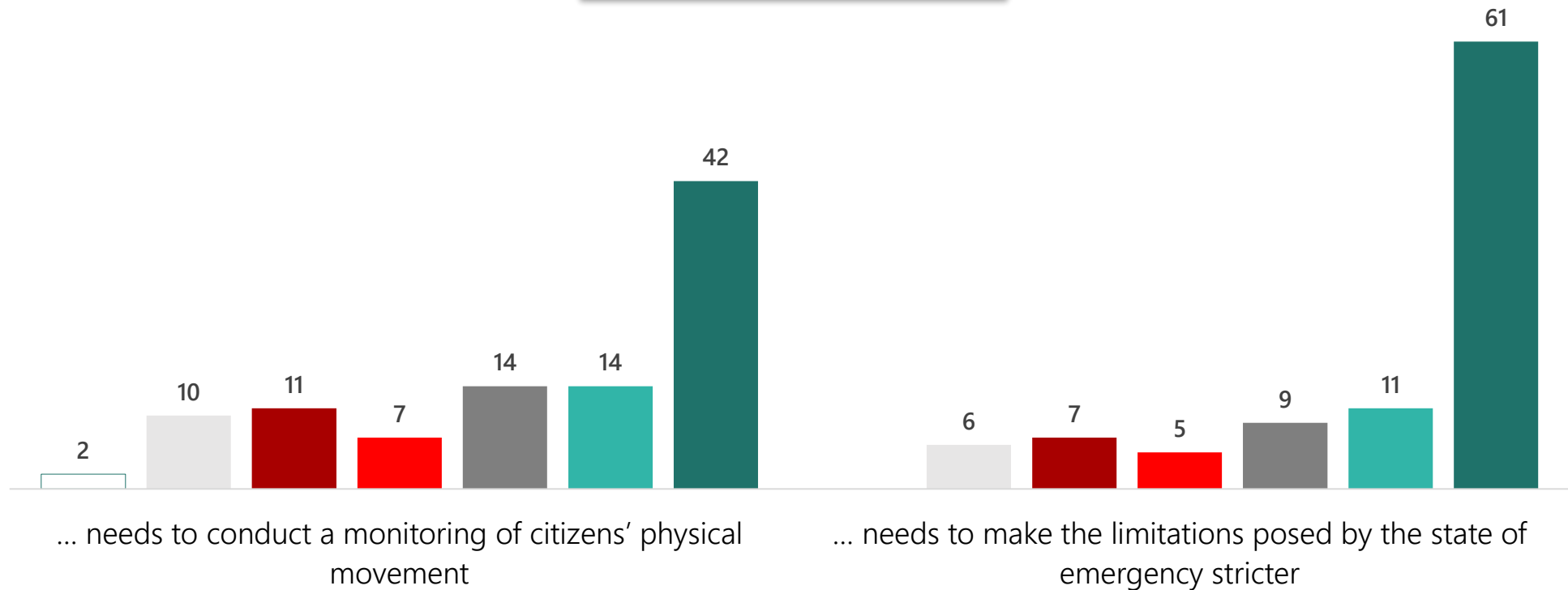
% of total, N=8427



* The graphs represent the cross-tabulation of the following questions:
 1. How much do you trust or distrust the following institutions in this emergency situation?
 2. How positive/negative do you find the measures taken by the Government up till now?

To what extent do you agree that to prevent the pandemic, the Government...

question added with delay



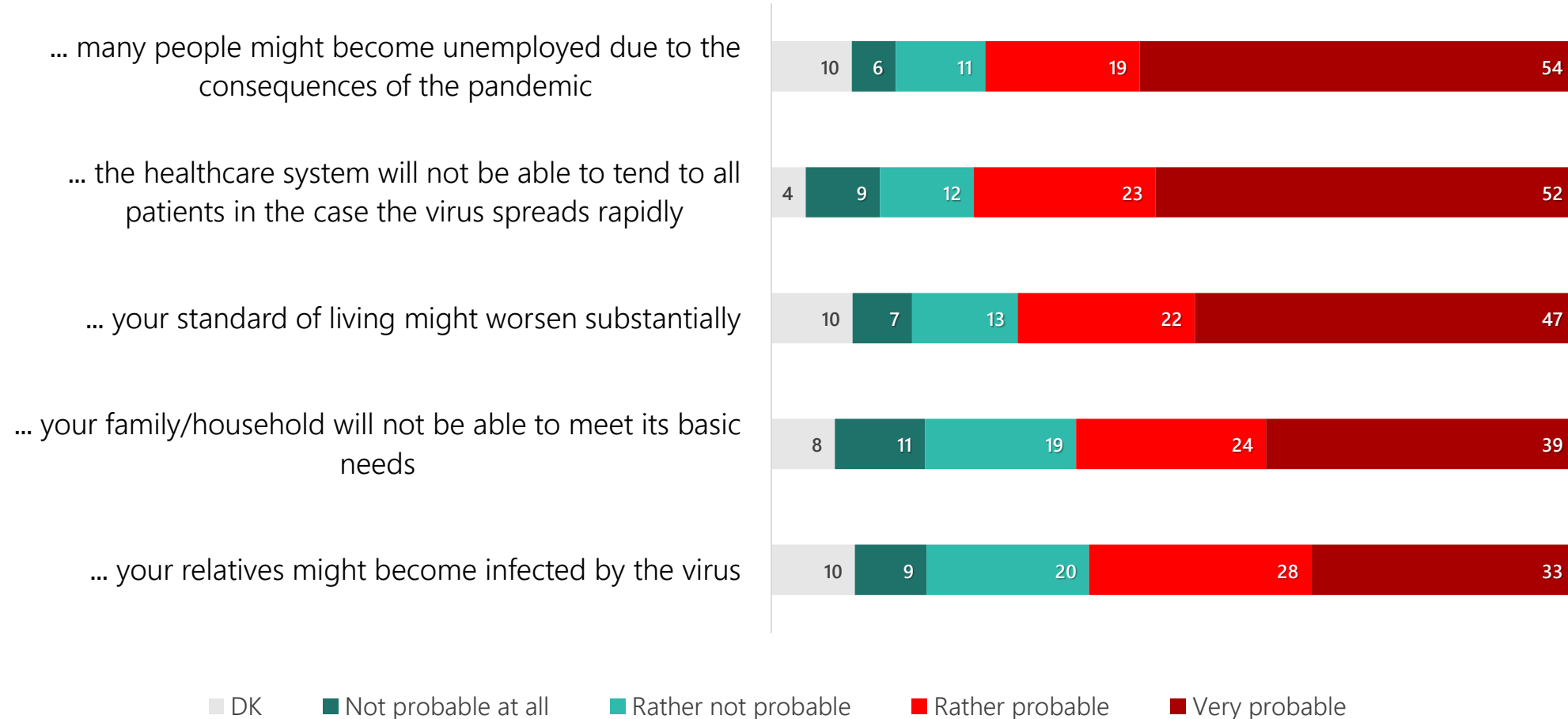
% of total, N=4491

% of total, N=4560

□ RA □ DK ■ Completely disagree ■ Rather disagree ■ Neutral ■ Rather agree ■ Fully agree

How probable do you consider that ...

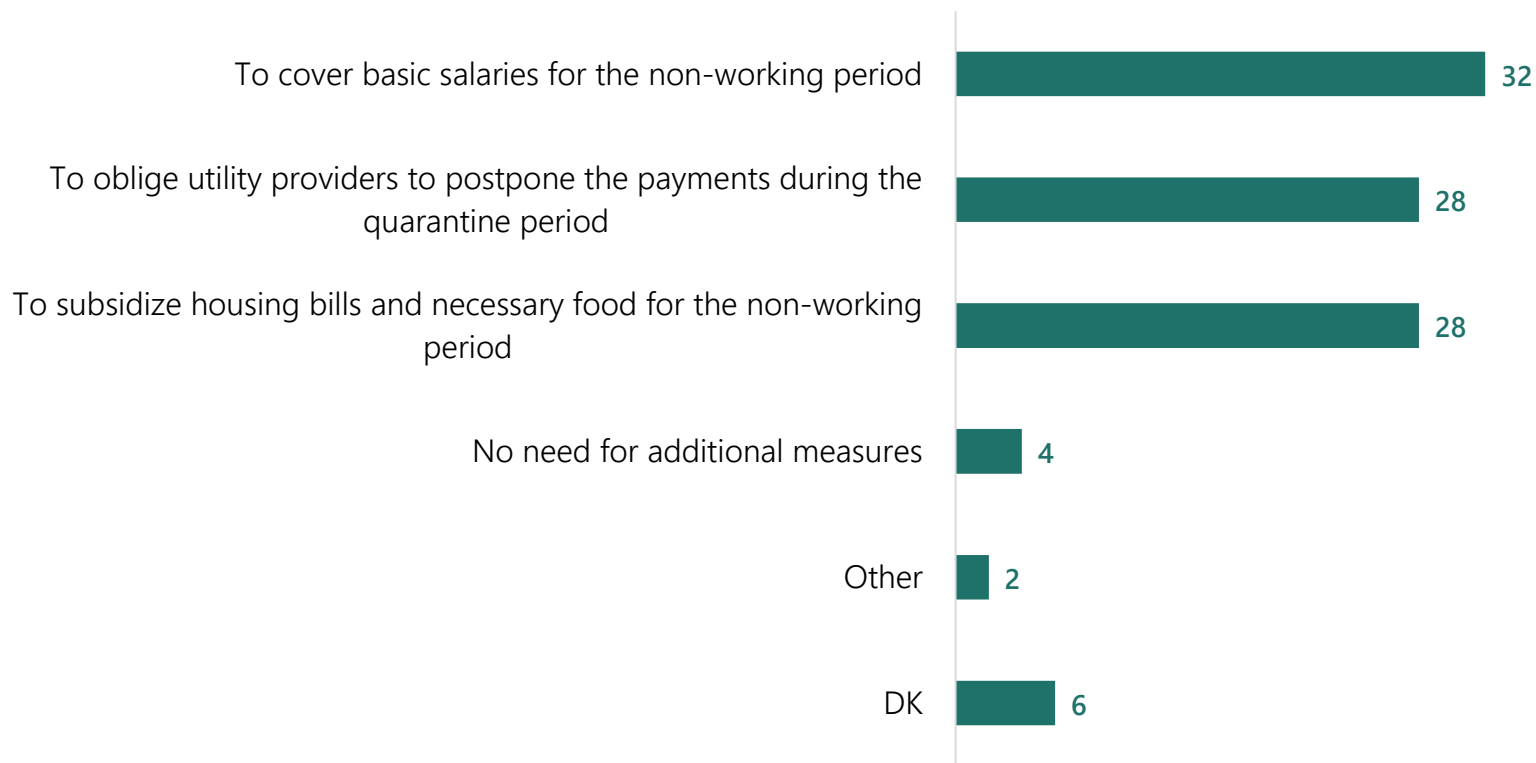
% of total, N=8427



What kind of measures/support would you personally like to have in place by the Government to cushion the impact on your financial situation?

% of total responses, N=13329

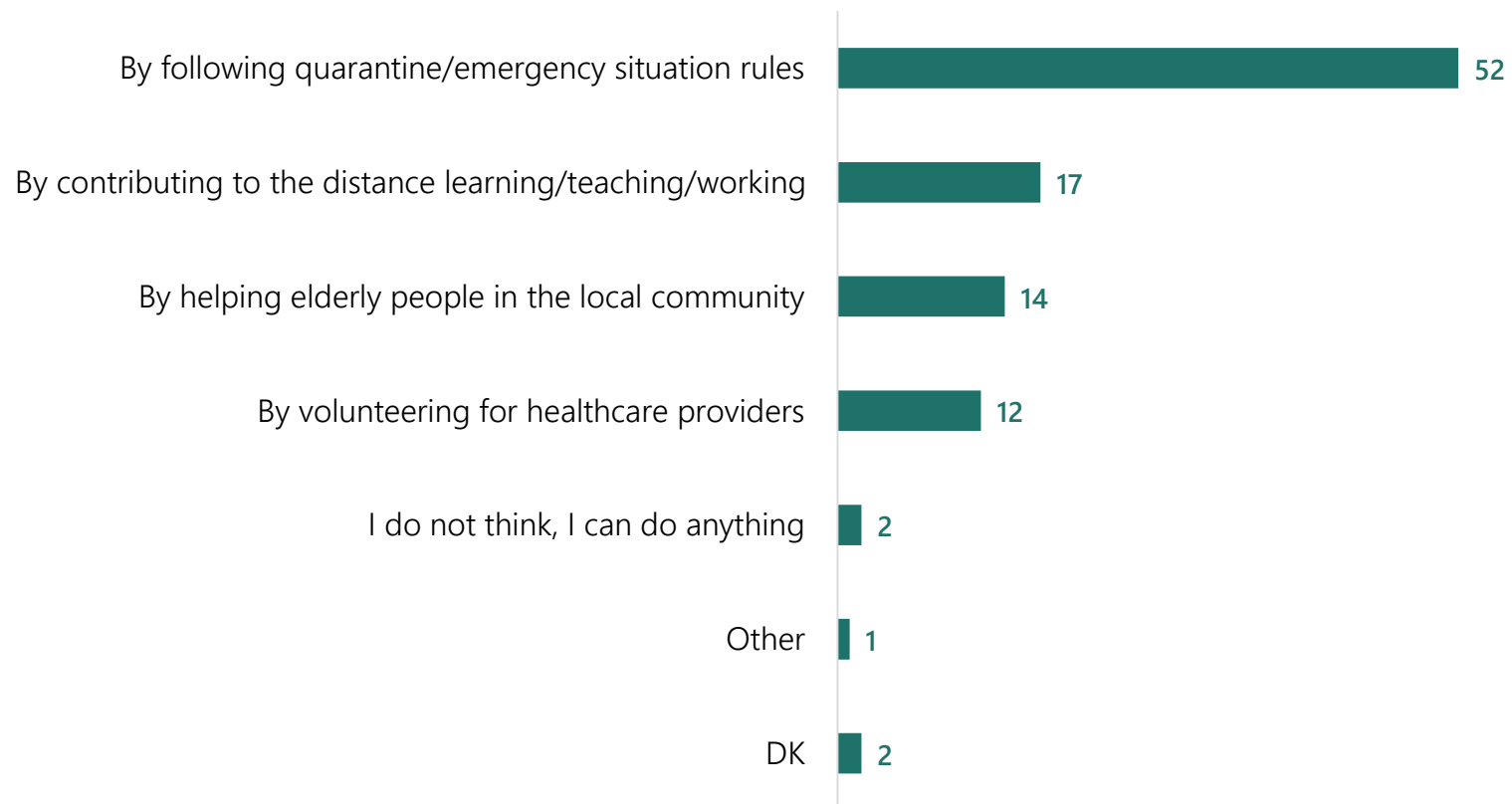
multiple-response question



How do you think you could support/engage in COVID-19 spread prevention work?

% of total responses, N=14714

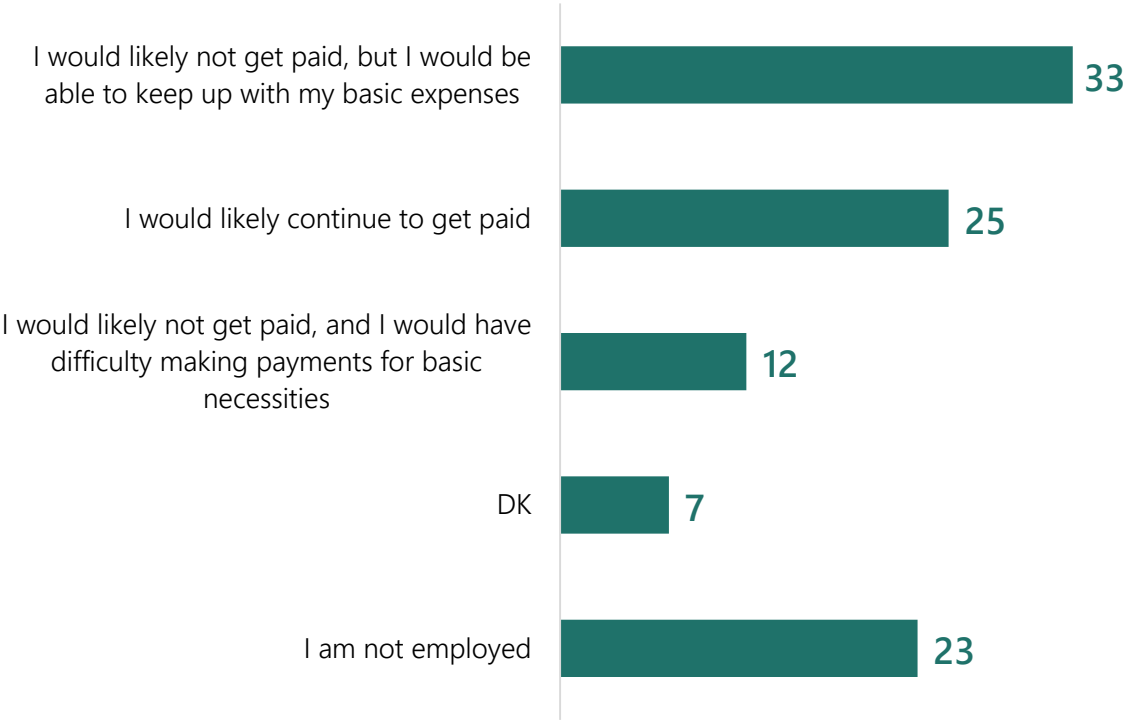
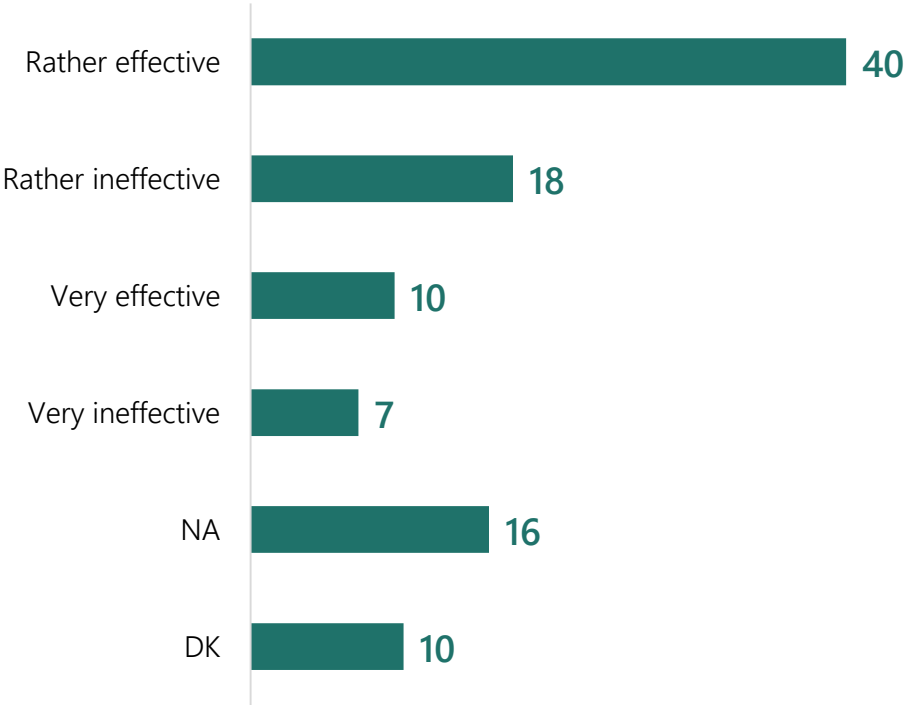
multiple-response question



Based on your experience, how would you assess the online teaching/learning/working methods?

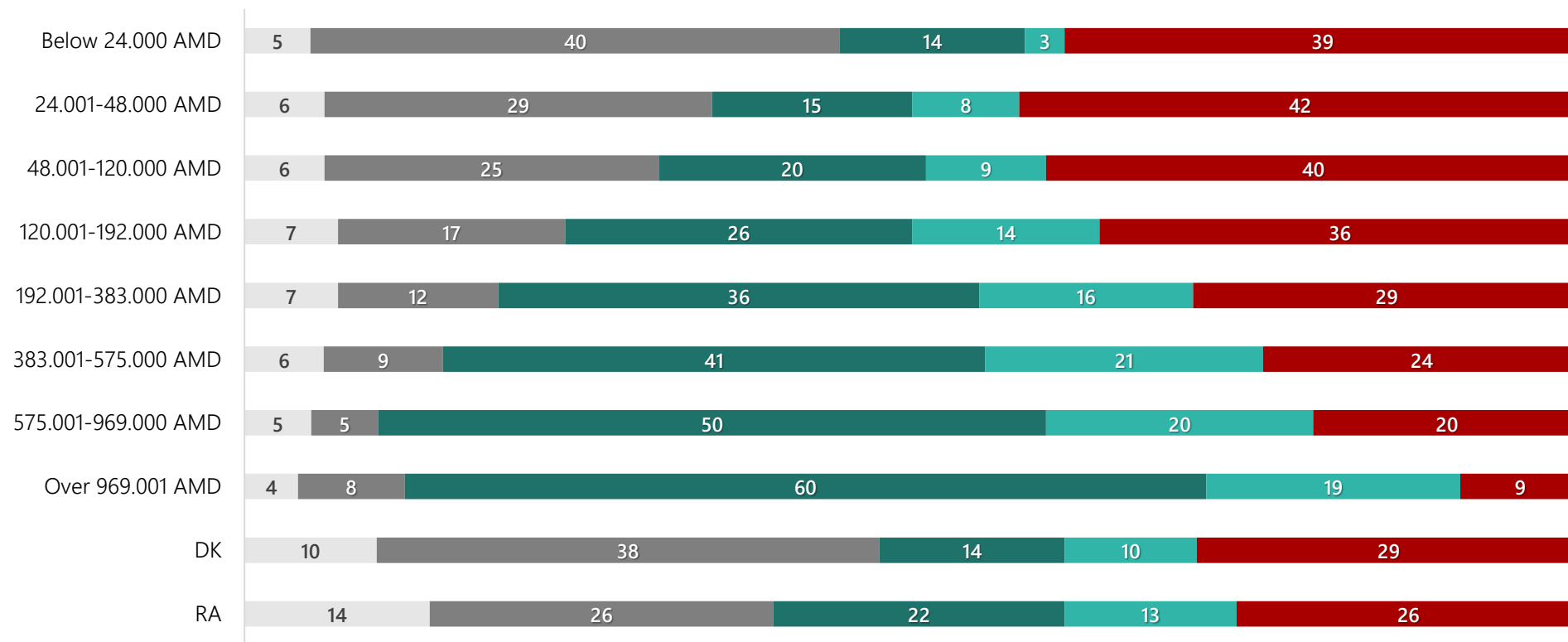
What would most likely happen if you were not able to work for at least two weeks because of the coronavirus?

% of total, N=8427



The likely results of not being able to work for two weeks, based on the respondents' monthly income level

% of total, N=8427



DK

I am not employed

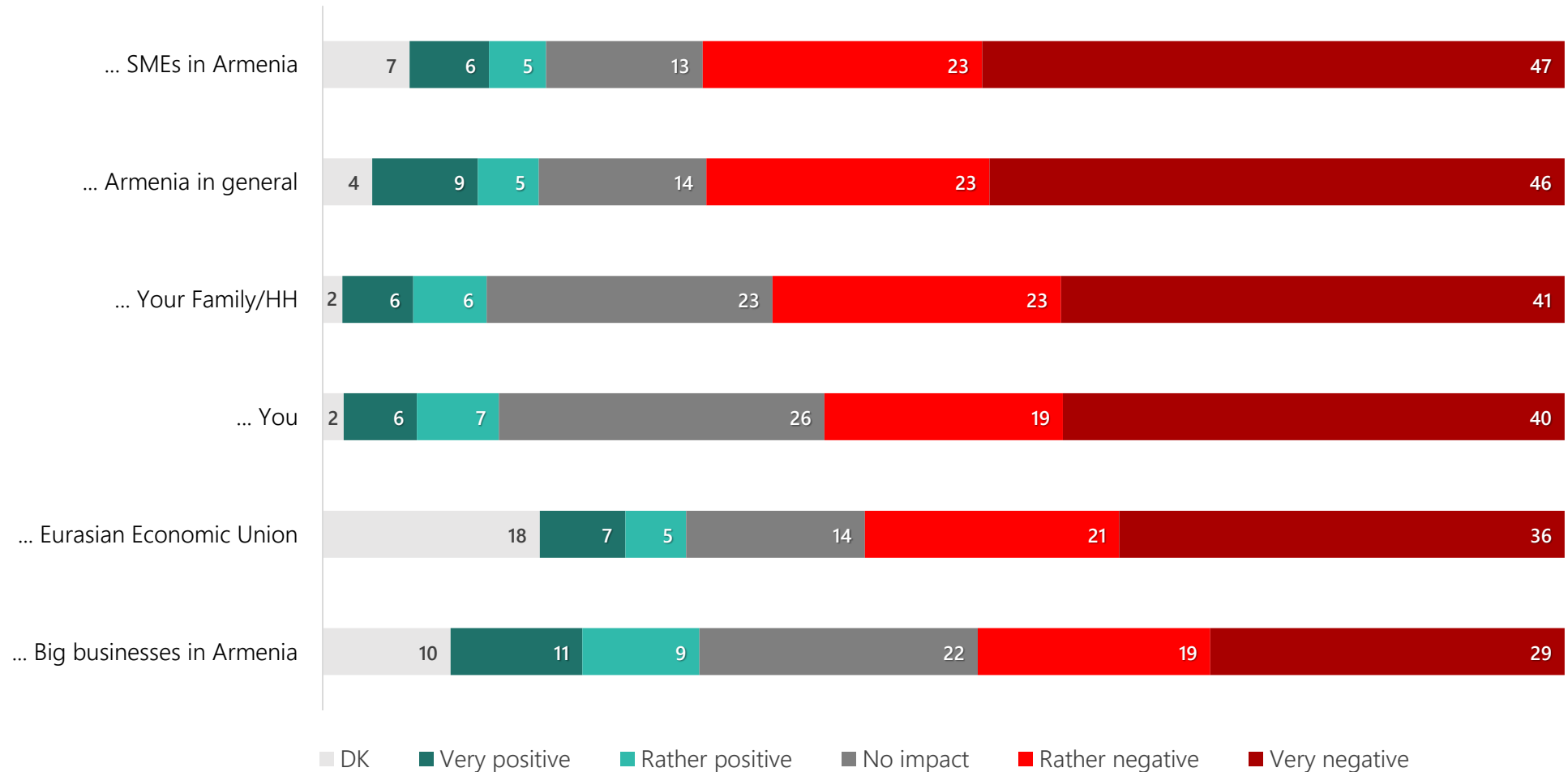
I would likely continue to get paid

I would likely not get paid, but I would be able to keep up with my basic expenses

I would likely not get paid, and I would have difficulty making payments for basic necessities

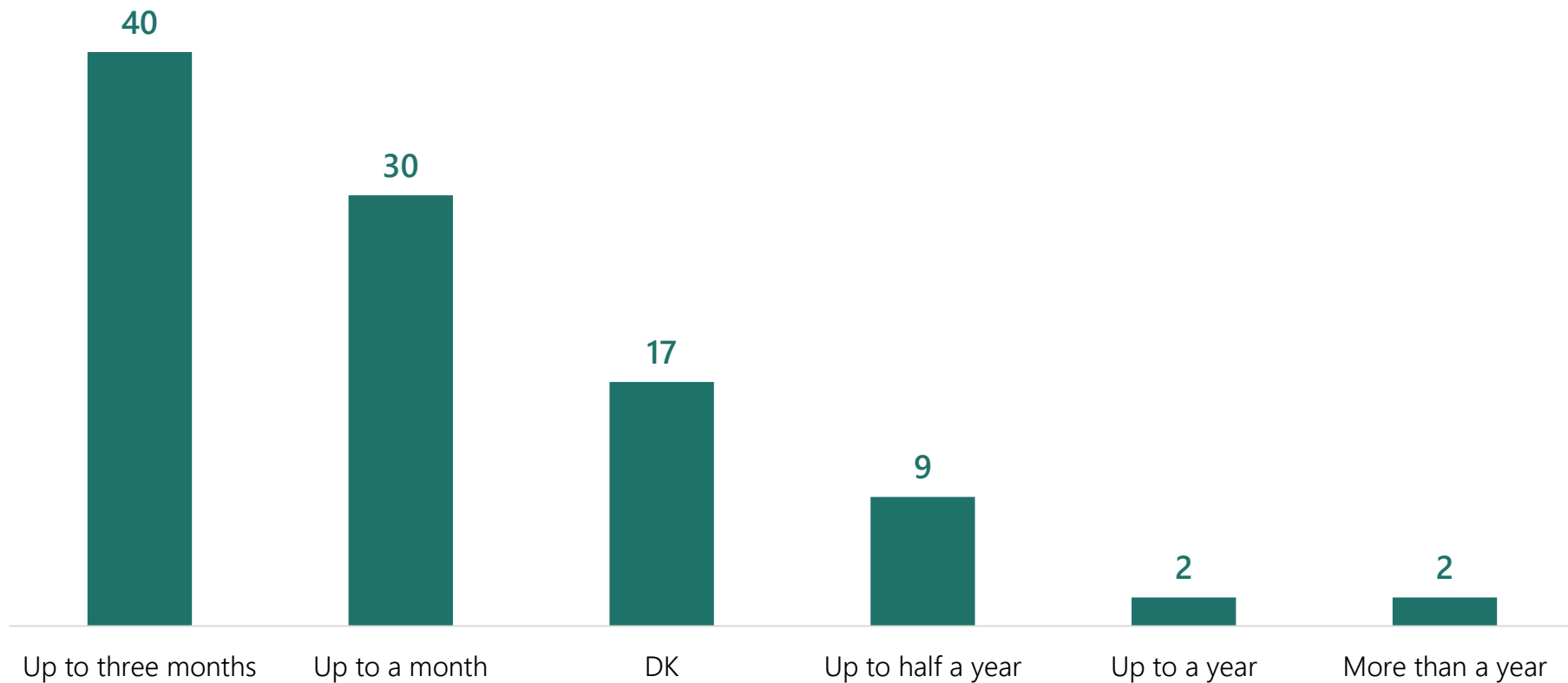
What financial effect do you think the spread of COVID-19 and its preventive and control mechanisms would have on...

% of total, N=8427



From your point of view, how long will the coronavirus crisis last in Armenia?

% of total, N=8427



The time forecast of the spread of COVID-19, based on respondents' gender

