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What is NCI?

The National Core Indicators (NCI) program is a voluntary effort by state developmental disability agencies to track their performance using a standardized set of consumer and family/guardian surveys with nationally validated measures. The effort is coordinated by the National Association of State Directors of Developmental Disabilities Services (NASDDDS) and the Human Services Research Institute (HSRI).

NCI has developed more than 100 standard performance measures (or ‘indicators’) that states use to assess the outcomes of services for individuals and families, including outcomes in the areas of employment, rights, service planning, community inclusion, choice, health, and safety. In 2015-16 a total of 45 states, the District of Columbia, and 22 sub-state entities were participating in NCI.

What is the NCI Adult Consumer Survey?

The NCI Adult Consumer Survey is a face-to-face meeting conducted with a person who is receiving services from the state; it is used to gather data on approximately 60 consumer outcomes, and it is regularly refined and tested to ensure that it is valid and reliable. Interviewers meet with individuals to ask questions about where they live and work, the kinds of choices they make, the activities they participate in within their communities, their relationships with friends and family, and their health and well-being.

What topics are covered by the survey?

The National Core Indicators are organized by “domains” or topics. These domains are further broken down into sub-domains, each of which has a statement that indicates the concerns being measured. Each sub-domain includes one or more “indicators” of how the state performs in this area. The table on the following page lists the domains, sub-domains, and concern statements addressed by the NCI Adult Consumer Survey indicators.
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<td>Work</td>
<td>People have support to find and maintain community integrated employment.</td>
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<td>Community Inclusion</td>
<td>People have support to participate in everyday community activities.</td>
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<td>Choice and Decision-Making</td>
<td>People make choices about their lives and are actively engaged in planning their services and supports.</td>
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<td>Self Determination</td>
<td>People have authority and are supported to direct and manage their own services.</td>
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<td>Relationships</td>
<td>People have friends and relationships.</td>
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<td>Satisfaction</td>
<td>People are satisfied with the services and supports they receive.</td>
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<td><strong>Health, Welfare, and Rights</strong></td>
<td>Safety</td>
<td>People are safe from abuse, neglect, and injury.</td>
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<td>Health</td>
<td>People secure needed health services.</td>
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<td>Medications</td>
<td>Medications are managed effectively and appropriately.</td>
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<td>Wellness</td>
<td>People are supported to maintain healthy habits.</td>
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<td>Respect/Rights</td>
<td>People receive the same respect and protections as others in the community.</td>
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<td><strong>System Performance</strong></td>
<td>Service Coordination</td>
<td>Service coordinators are accessible, responsive, and support the person's participation in service planning.</td>
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<td>Access</td>
<td>Publicly-funded services are readily available to individuals who need and qualify for them.</td>
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How were people selected to participate?

Each state is instructed to attempt to complete a minimum of 400 surveys with a random sample of individuals age 18 or older who are receiving at least one publicly funded service besides case management. A sample size of 400 allows valid comparisons to be made across states with a 95% confidence level and a +/- 5% margin of error. Both the confidence level and margin of error used are widely accepted for reviewing results, regardless of population size. Most states draw a sample greater than 400 to account for refusals and inaccurate contact information. For more information on sampling, please see Appendix C of the national report, accessible at http://www.nationalcoreindicators.org/resources/reports/

Proxy Respondents

Proxy responses are allowed only for Section II (Community Inclusion, Choices, Respect/Rights, and Access to Needed Services), which is based on objective measures. Proxy respondents are used only when the individual receiving services cannot complete the survey or chooses to have a proxy respondent. Only people who know the individual well – such as family, friends, or staff – are acceptable respondents. To avoid conflict of interest, service coordinators are not allowed to provide proxy responses for individuals on their caseloads.

Limitations of Data

The NCI Adult Consumer Survey tool is not intended to be used for monitoring individuals or providers; instead, it assesses system-wide performance. The NCI Average should not be interpreted as necessarily defining “acceptable” levels of performance or satisfaction. Instead, it describes average levels of performance or satisfaction across the states. It is up to public managers, policy-makers, and other stakeholders to decide what is an acceptable or unacceptable result (i.e., scale score or percentage of individuals achieving the indicated outcome).

IMPORTANT NOTE ON ANALYSIS. In examining the results included in this report, we found questions for which 25% or more of an individual state’s sample were marked “don’t know” or were missing data. Results denoted with two asterisks (**) indicate that there were states in which this occurred. To see individual break-outs of which states reported 25% or more “don’t know” or missing for a particular question, see the National Report.
What is contained in this report?

This report compares the 2015-16 NCI Adult Consumer Survey demographic and individual outcome results from Nevada to the NCI Average (the average of all state percentages). A total of 17,682 valid surveys were completed across thirty-six (36) states (including the District of Columbia). All results are shown in chart form along with descriptive text to the right of each outcome chart. Please note, if a state had fewer than 20 respondents to a certain question, the state is excluded from the analysis for that particular question.

The data shown in this report are unweighted and unadjusted. To see comparable data for all states, refer to Appendix D of the Adult Consumer Survey National Report. The national and state data results for the NCI Adult Consumer Survey can be found online at http://www.nationalcoreindicators.org/resources/reports/.
Results: Demographics

Illustrates the demographic profile of survey participants
New variable to reporting

**This item includes data from states with 25% or more “don’t know” or missing responses; see the national ACS report for a break-out by state.**
Graph 5. ± Item changed from previous years – race and ethnicity are combined

Graph 6. * ** 9

*Residential designations were derived by transforming individuals’ zip codes into designations defined by the USDA

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±Item changed from previous years – level of ID is only reported for those reported to have an ID diagnosis

∞Individuals may have been diagnosed with more than one diagnosis other than ID; ‘Don’t know’ responses included in denominator
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∞Individuals may have been diagnosed with more than one diagnosis other than ID; ‘Don’t know’ responses included in denominator

×Individuals may have been diagnosed with more than one health condition; ‘Don’t know’ responses included in denominator

±Item changed from previous years – changed wording from “primary” to “preferred” means of communication
**This item includes data from states with 25% or more “don’t know” or missing responses; see the national ACS report for a break-out by state.
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±Item changed from previous years – response categories changed
ºNew variable to reporting
Choice and Decision-Making

*People make choices about their lives and are actively engaged in planning their services and supports.*

**Note on Analysis:**

Unlike in the body of the Nation Adult Consumer Survey report, the data shown below are unweighted and unadjusted. To see comparable data for all states, refer to Appendix D of the Adult Consumer Survey National Report, accessible at [http://www.nationalcoreindicators.org/resources/reports/](http://www.nationalcoreindicators.org/resources/reports/).
GRAPH 27. Chose or Had Input in Choosing Home

- Nevada: 62% (N=320)
- NCI Average: 57% (N=9,837)

GRAPH 28. Chose or Had Input in Choosing Roommates

- Nevada: 47% (N=327)
- NCI Average: 47% (N=9,676)

GRAPH 29. Chose or Had Input in Choosing Paid Community Job

- Nevada: 86% (N=58)
- NCI Average: 86% (N=2,459)

GRAPH 30. Chose or Had Input in Choosing Day Program or Workshop

- Nevada: 72% (N=301)
- NCI Average: 65% (N=12,165)
GRAPH 35.

Chose or Can Request to Change Case Manager/Service Coordinator

- Nevada: 90% (N=374)
- NCI Average: 70% (N=15,910)
Work

People have support to find and maintain community integrated employment.

Important notes on employment questions:

A paid individual job takes place in a local business alongside peers who do not have disabilities—that is, the job is part of the typical labor market (e.g., competitive employment). A paid group job in a Community-based Group Residential Settings is done in an integrated setting, as part of a group of not more than eight people with disabilities (e.g., enclave, work crew).

NCI reports on three types of community jobs. The description for these categories were changed for 2015-16:

1. Individual job without publicly funded supports—an individual job in which the person does not receive state or other funded supports;
2. Individual job with publicly funded supports—an individual job in which the person receives state or other funded supports; and
3. Group-supported—a job that takes part in an integrated setting but is done with a group of individuals with disabilities (e.g., work crew). Group-supported jobs may or may not receive publicly funded supports.
**This item includes data from states with 25% or more “don’t know” or missing responses; see the national ACS report for a break-out by state.**

± Item changed from previous years – community employment categories were described differently for 2015-16 (see chapter introduction for more detail)

* Percentages may not add up to 100% if type of employment was unknown; N represents the number of people who participated in at least one of these work types

ˇ The following states are not included in analysis due to low N (<20): DC, HI, WI

ˇˇ DC excluded due to low N (<20)
WOULD LIKE A JOB IN THE COMMUNITY

Would Like a Job in the Community

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<th>Nevada N=241</th>
<th>NCI Average N=6,550</th>
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Has Employment as a Goal in Service Plan

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<th>Nevada N=384</th>
<th>NCI Average N=16,386</th>
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<td>44%</td>
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Takes Classes, Training, or Does Something to Help Get a Job or a Better Job

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<td>22%</td>
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Attends a Day Program or Workshop

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<th>Nevada N=346</th>
<th>NCI Average N=11,619</th>
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<td>70%</td>
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± Item changed from previous years – community employment categories were described differently for 2015-16 (see chapter introduction for more detail)

ºNew variable to reporting
Community Inclusion

People have support to participate in everyday community activities.

**IMPORTANT NOTE ON CHANGES TO THE SURVEY TOOL AND ANALYSIS.** Response options to questions around the frequency of participation in community activities changed from being continuous (number of times person did a certain activity) to being categorical (person did a particular activity 0 times, 1-2 times, etc). Consequently, the way that the individual community inclusion items are being reported in the tables has changed from the average number of times people performed the activity to the proportion of people who performed the activity at least once (the charts demonstrate the NCI Average for all response options). The calculation of the Community Inclusion scale also changed—from a simple sum of the number of times the activities were performed to an average of the proportions who performed the activities at least once. The calculation of the Community Inclusion scale is now similar to the calculation of choice and decision-making scales.
Item changed from previous years – response options changed
GRAPH 49. ±

Number of Times Out to Religious Service or Spiritual Practice in the Past Month

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<th>Frequency</th>
<th>Nevada (N=376)</th>
<th>NCI Average (N=16,495)</th>
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<td>0 times</td>
<td>68%</td>
<td>52%</td>
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<td>1-2 times</td>
<td>10%</td>
<td>15%</td>
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<td>3-4 times</td>
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<td>More than 5 times</td>
<td>11%</td>
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GRAPH 50. ♡

Participated in Community Groups or Other Activities in Community in the Past Month

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<th>Activity</th>
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<td>47%</td>
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GRAPH 51. ±

Went on Vacation in the Past Year

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<th>Vacation Status</th>
<th>Nevada (N=371)</th>
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<td>42%</td>
<td>46%</td>
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GRAPH 52. ♡

Able to Go Out and Do the Things S/He Likes to Do in the Community

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<td>81%</td>
<td>85%</td>
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±Item changed from previous years – response options changed
♡New variable to reporting
GRAPH 53. 

Able to Go Out and Do the Things S/He Likes to Do in the Community as Often as S/He Wants

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<th>Nevada (N=310)</th>
<th>NCI Average (N=10,553)</th>
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<td>74%</td>
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GRAPH 54. 

Has Enough Things S/He Likes to Do at Home

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<th>Nevada (N=346)</th>
<th>NCI Average (N=11,514)</th>
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<td>72%</td>
<td>82%</td>
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New variable to reporting
Relationships

People have friends and relationships.
GRAPH 55.

Has Friends Other Than Staff and Family

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GRAPH 56.

Wants More Help to Make or Keep in Contact With Friends

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<th>Nevada</th>
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<td>44%</td>
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GRAPH 57.

Has Friends (Who May Be Staff or Family) and Can See Friends When S/He Wants

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<td>76%</td>
<td>80%</td>
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GRAPH 58.

Reasons Cannot Always See Friends

- Lack of Transportation: 28% (Nevada), 31% (NCI Average)
- Lack of Support Staff: 4% (Nevada), 9% (NCI Average)
- Rules or Restrictions About Seeing Friends: 14% (Nevada), 12% (NCI Average)
- Money/Cost of Going Out: 5% (Nevada), 4% (NCI Average)
- Difficulty Finding a Good Time to Get Together: 28% (Nevada), 25% (NCI Average)
- Other: 20% (Nevada), 19% (NCI Average)

©New variable to reporting
OTHER WAYS TO COMMUNICATE WITH FRIENDS WHEN CANNOT SEE THEM

GRAPH 59. ⁹

Has Other Ways of Communicating With Friends When S/He Cannot See Them

GRAPH 60. ±

Can See and/or Communicate With Family Whenever They Want

GRAPH 61. ±±

Often Feels Lonely

GRAPH 62.

Can Go on a Date or Is Married or Living With Partner

⁹New variable to reporting
±Item changed from previous years – question rephrased
±±Item changed from previous years – analysis now only includes “often” response
Satisfaction

People are satisfied with the services and supports they receive.
Graph 63. Likes Home

- 80% in Nevada (N=349)
- 89% in NCI Average (N=11,823)

Graph 64. Reasons Does Not Like Home

- Accessibility: 2% in Nevada, 1% in NCI Average
- Feel Unsafe in Home or Neighborhood: 1% in Nevada, 1% in NCI Average
- Home Needs Repairs or Upkeep: 0% in Nevada, 1% in NCI Average
- Doesn't Feel Like Home: 3% in Nevada, 1% in NCI Average

Graph 65. Reasons Does Not Like Home

- Problems With Roommates: 5% in Nevada, 6% in NCI Average
- Problems With Staff: 9% in Nevada, 1% in NCI Average
- Wants to be Closer to Family or Friends: 2% in Nevada, 2% in NCI Average
- Wants More Independence: 7% in Nevada, 8% in NCI Average
- Other: 10% in Nevada, 3% in NCI Average

Graph 66. Wants to Live Somewhere Else

- 46% in Nevada (N=335)
- 27% in NCI Average (N=11,492)

*New variable to reporting
*Categories are not mutually exclusive
The following states are not included in analysis due to low N (<20): DC, HI
\^\^DC is not included in analysis due to low N (<20)
\*New variable to reporting
Service Coordination

*Case Managers/Service Coordinators are accessible, responsive, and support the person's participation in service planning.*
CASE MANAGER/SERVICE COORDINATOR ASKS WHAT PERSON WANTS

GRAPH 71. Met Case Manager/Service Coordinator

GRAPH 72. Case Manager/Service Coordinator Asks What Person Wants

GRAPH 73. ± Able to Contact Case Manager/Service Coordinator When Wants

GRAPH 74. º Took Part in Last Service Planning Meeting Or Had the Opportunity But Chose Not To

± Item changed from previous years – question rephrased
º New variable to reporting
WHAT WAS TALKED ABOUT AT LAST SERVICE PLANNING MEETING

Knew What Was Being Talked About at Last Service Planning Meeting

- 81% (Nevada: N=286)
- 83% (NCI Average: N=9,172)

LAST SERVICE PLANNING MEETING INCLUDED PEOPLE PERSON WANTED

Last Service Planning Meeting Included People Person Wanted

- 88% (Nevada: N=303)
- 92% (NCI Average: N=9,425)

ABLE TO CHOOSE SERVICES AS PART OF SERVICE PLAN

Able to Choose Services as Part of Service Plan

- 72% (Nevada: N=301)
- 75% (NCI Average: N=9,360)

STAFF SHOW UP AND LEAVE WHEN THEY ARE SUPPOSED TO

Staff Show Up and Leave When They Are Supposed to

- 93% (Nevada: N=323)
- 93% (NCI Average: N=10,114)

©New variable to reporting
Access

Publicly-funded services are readily available to individuals who need and qualify for them.
GRAPH 79.

**Always Has a Way to Get Places Needs to Go**

- **Nevada:** 89% (N=344)
- **NCI Average:** 93% (N=11,479)

GRAPH 80.

**Has a Way to Get Places When S/He Wants to Go Outside Of Home (Like to See Friends, For Entertainment, Or To Do Something Fun)**

- **Nevada:** 74% (N=339)
- **NCI Average:** 83% (N=11,387)

GRAPH 81.

**Staff Have Right Training to Meet Person’s Needs**

- **Nevada:** 83% (N=350)
- **NCI Average:** 90% (N=12,118)

GRAPH 82 ± *

**Additional Services Needed**

- **Health Care Coordination:**
  - Nevada: 12% (N=350)
  - NCI Average: 39% (N=12,118)

- **Education:**
  - Nevada: 23% (N=350)
  - NCI Average: 35% (N=12,118)

- **Day Services (Other than Employment):**
  - Nevada: 14% (N=350)
  - NCI Average: 30% (N=12,118)

- **Job Assistance:**
  - Nevada: 26% (N=350)
  - NCI Average: 37% (N=12,118)

- **Transportation:**
  - Nevada: 26% (N=350)
  - NCI Average: 49% (N=12,118)

- **Respite or Family Support:**
  - Nevada: 16% (N=350)
  - NCI Average: 26% (N=12,118)

- **Service Coordination or Case Management:**
  - Nevada: 13% (N=350)
  - NCI Average: 28% (N=12,118)

*New variable to reporting
±Item changed from previous years – question and response options rephrased
*Categories are not mutually exclusive
GRAPH 83 ± *

Additional Services Needed

- Dental Care Coordination: 17% (Nevada), 46% (NCI Average)
- Housing Assistance: 14% (Nevada), 34% (NCI Average)
- Residential Support Services: 12% (Nevada), 23% (NCI Average)
- Social or Relationship: 20% (Nevada), 24% (NCI Average)
- Communication Technology: 9% (Nevada), 14% (NCI Average)
- Environmental Adaptations or Home Modifications: 9% (Nevada), 9% (NCI Average)
- Benefits Information: 19% (Nevada), 23% (NCI Average)
- Other: 27% (Nevada), 28% (NCI Average)

±Item changed from previous years – question and response options rephrased
*Categories are not mutually exclusive
Health

People secure needed health services.
**This item includes data from states with 25% or more “don’t know” or missing responses; see the national ACS report for a break-out by state

The following states were not included in analysis due to low N (<20): MS and WI

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WI is not included in analysis due to low N (<20)
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**This item includes data from states with 25% or more “don’t know” or missing responses; see the national ACS report for a break-out by state.

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**The following states were not included in analysis due to low N (<20): DC and WI
**This item includes data from states with 25% or more “don’t know” or missing responses; see the national ACS report for a break-out by state.

~The following states were not included in analysis due to low N (<20): AZ, DC, WI

~`WI is not included in analysis due to low N (<20)
Medication

Medications are managed effectively and appropriately.
**This item includes data from states with 25% or more “don’t know” or missing responses; see the national ACS report for a break-out by state.

^WI excluded due to low N (<20)
**This item includes data from states with 25% or more “don’t know” or missing responses; see the national ACS report for a break-out by state.

*WI excluded due to low N (<20)

¢New variable to reporting

``MN and WI excluded due to low N (<20)
Wellness

People are supported to maintain healthy habits.
**This item includes data from states with 25% or more “don’t know” or missing responses; see the national ACS report for a break-out by state.**

±Item changed from previous years – moved from BI section to Section II

ˇWI excluded due to low N (<20)
Respect and Rights

People receive the same respect and protections as others in the community.

IMPORTANT NOTE ON CHANGES TO THE SURVEY TOOL AND ANALYSIS. Several questions in this section were moved from Section II (where information may come from the individual receiving services or a proxy respondent) to Section I (where only the person receiving services may respond).
As a key to the home, others let person know before entering home.

Can lock bedroom.

New variable to reporting.
Can Use Phone and Internet Whenever Wants

GRAPH 108. ±

Others Read Mail or Email Without Asking First

GRAPH 109. ±

Can Be Alone With Friends and Visitors at Home

GRAPH 110. ±

There Are Rules to Having Friends or Visitors in the Home

GRAPH 111. §

± Item changed from previous years – question was moved from Section II to Section I
§ New variable to reporting
Has a Place to Be Alone at Home

- 97% of Nevada residents (N=349) vs. 96% NCI Average (N=11,583)

Staff Are Respectful

- 89% of Nevada residents (N=323) vs. 92% NCI Average (N=10,447)

Attended a Self Advocacy Meeting, Group, or Had the Opportunity But Chose Not To

- 27% of Nevada residents (N=374) vs. 28% NCI Average (N=14,387)

Has Voted in a Federal, State, or Local Election or Had the Opportunity But Chose Not To

- 61% of Nevada residents (N=371) vs. 39% NCI Average (N=16,047)

±Item changed from previous years – question rephrased
ºNew variable to reporting
Safety

People are safe from abuse, neglect, and injury.
GRAPH 116.

There is At Least One Place Where Person Feels Afraid or Scared

- Nevada: 28% (N=327)
- NCI Average: 23% (N=10,922)

GRAPH 117.

Places Where Person Feels Afraid or Scared

- Home: 6% Nevada, 7% NCI Average
- Day Program: 1% Nevada, 3% NCI Average
- Work: 8% Nevada, 1% NCI Average
- Walking in the Community: 10% Nevada, 7% NCI Average
- In Transport: 4% Nevada, 8% NCI Average

GRAPH 118.

Has Someone to Go to for Help If Afraid or Scared

- Nevada: 93% (N=340)
- NCI Average: 94% (N=11,358)

New variable to reporting