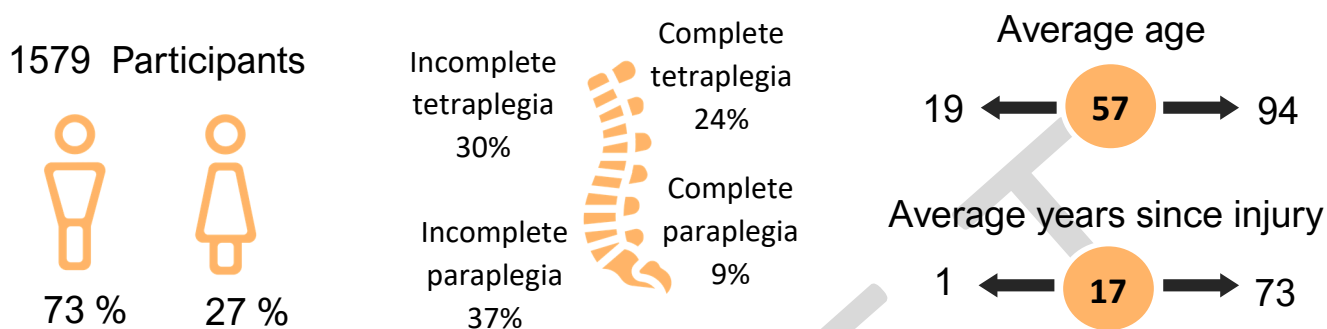


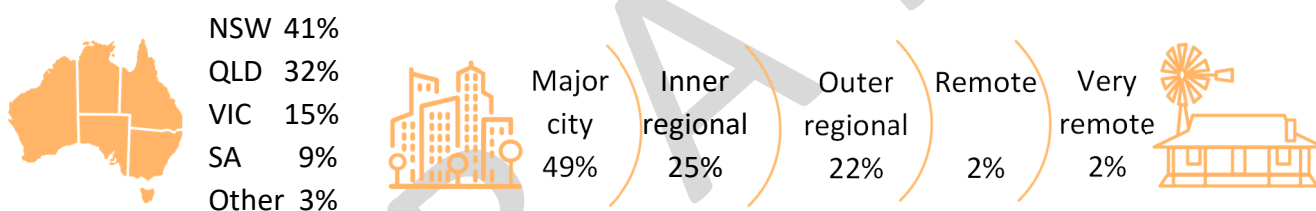
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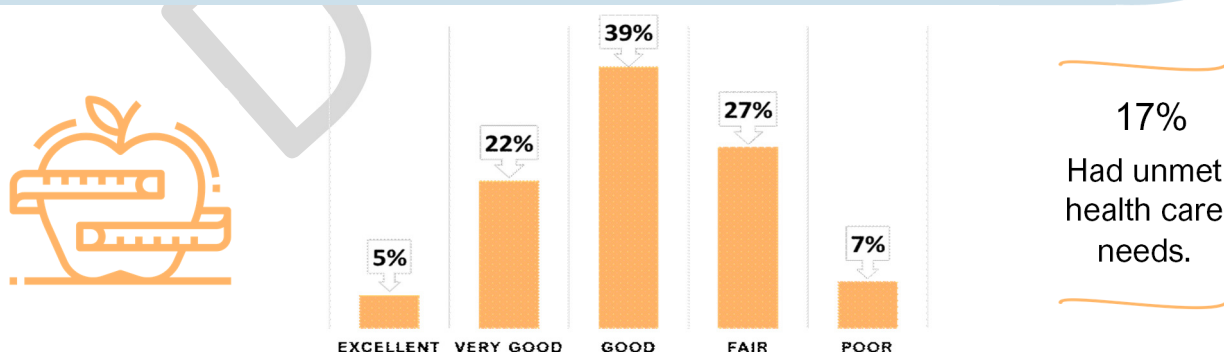
## Who participated in the Australian survey in 2018?



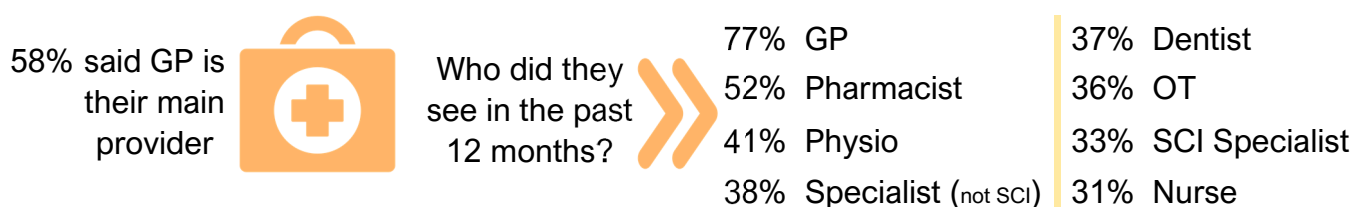
## Where do participants live?



## How did they rate their health?



## Who do people see about health and SCI related problems?



## How many participants were working?

39% In paid work  
(Aged < 65)

11% Doing unpaid  
voluntary work or  
home duties

45% Retired



Main reasons  
for not working



74% Health/disability

26% No suitable work

13% Accessibility problems

12% Loss of support payments

## What were the day to day problems for participants?

### Severe / extreme problems experienced

Accessing  
public transport  
29%



Intimate  
relationships  
29%



Providing care for  
others  
22%



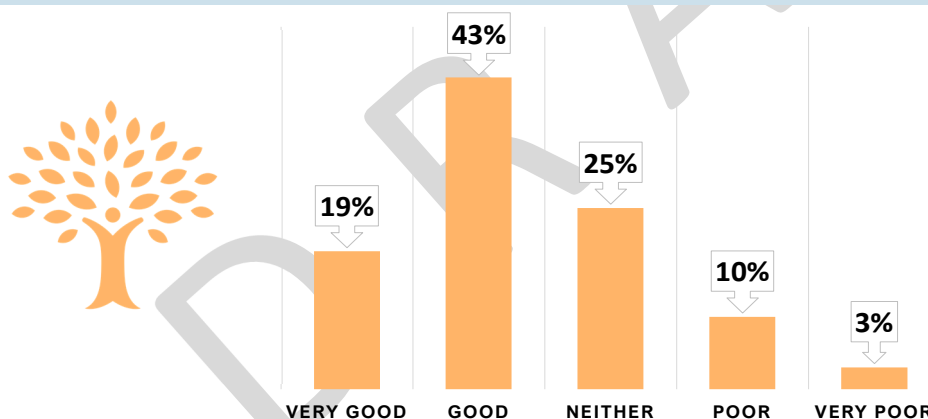
Using hands  
& fingers  
26%



Getting household  
tasks done  
22%



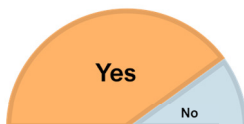
## How did participants rate the quality of their lives?



There was NO  
significant difference  
in overall quality of  
life based on level or  
completeness of SCI

## How did participants feel they were seen in society?

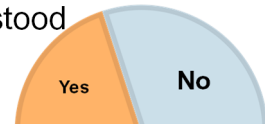
They receive  
respect



They have the  
chance to  
show their full  
capabilities



The severity of their  
SCI is understood



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