The Survey Research Institute (SRI) at Cornell was contracted to conduct the Geriatric Institutional Assessment Profile (GIAP), an online survey to assess front-line nurses' knowledge, skills, and attitudes regarding best practices in the care of older adults and their perceptions of the practice environment to deliver age-friendly care in acute care hospitals participating in the Nurses Improving Care for Healthsystem Elders (NICHE) program of the NYU Meyers College of Nursing.

The sample population was divided into two groups: Group “A”, who were able to receive and act upon SRI emails; and Group “B”, who used their nursing supervisors as intermediaries between them and SRI. Group “A” participants were invited to participate via e-mail on March 11th, 2019. Reminder emails were sent to these respondents on March 15th, 20th, 27th, and April 3rd, 10th, and 19th, with additional emails sent to specific nursing facilities on April 1st, April 15th, and May 2nd. Group “B” participants were contacted by their nursing supervisors during this period.

Data collection ended on May 10th, 2019. In total, 1,031 people consented to participate and completed the survey out of a possible 3,358 with valid email addresses yielding a response rate of 30.70%. Additionally 269 people consented to participate, started the survey, answered at least one question, but did not complete it. These partially-completed cases are also included as part of the final dataset. Survey status (complete or partially-complete) is indicated by the value of the “complete” variable.

*Survey Statistics*

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| **Project initiated** | November 28, 2017 |
| **Data collection started** | March 11, 2019 |
| **Data collection completed** | May 10, 2019 |
| **Data delivered** | May 14, 2019 |
| **Mode of data collection** | Web Survey |
| **Total completions** | 1,031 |

*Response Outcome*

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| **Outcome** | **N** |
| No email address | 380 |
| Ineligible | 7 |
| No Data - Did not begin survey | 1,881 |
| Withheld consent | 176 |
| Partially Complete\* | 269 |
| Completed Survey\* | 1,031 |
| **Total** | **3,744** |

\* These individuals were included as part of the final data set.