

Detailed Analysis of Narrative Comment Themes

DSHS 2002-04 Employee Survey

Percent of Respondents Mentioning Each Theme

		Code*	Any Mention	Positive	Negative	Neutral
Communication			23%	3%	21%	0%
Providing Info (management)	CI		5%	0%	4%	0%
Listening/including	CL		11%	2%	9%	0%
Clear Guidelines	CG		3%	0%	3%	0%
Other/General Communication	CO		11%	1%	10%	0%
Management/Supervisor			44%	13%	35%	1%
Courtesy & Respect	MC		5%	2%	4%	0%
Support/mentoring/availability	MS		12%	5%	7%	0%
Recognition/Awards	MR		8%	1%	7%	0%
Fairness/Discrimination	MF		7%	1%	7%	0%
Other management	MO		32%	8%	26%	1%
Personnel Practices			14%	1%	13%	0%
Promotion/RIFs, job security	PP		14%	1%	13%	0%
Job Characteristics			78%	73%	17%	1%
Helping, clients	JH		44%	44%	0%	0%
Work Schedule, venue	JS		8%	5%	3%	0%
Workload	JW		11%	1%	10%	0%
Other job characteristics	JO		47%	43%	6%	1%
Resources			39%	6%	35%	0%
Facilities, parking, environment	RF		8%	2%	6%	0%
Pay/benefits for employees	RP		10%	3%	8%	0%
Resources for clients	RC		2%	0%	2%	0%
Staffing	RS		13%	0%	13%	0%
Training	RT		11%	2%	9%	0%
Other Resources	RO		7%	1%	7%	0%
Co-Workers			37%	27%	14%	0%
Competence, skills	WC		10%	3%	8%	0%
Teamwork, support	WT		14%	10%	5%	0%
Other	WO		21%	19%	3%	0%
General			40%	8%	33%	2%
Work process/policies	GP		25%	2%	24%	0%
Satisfaction/morale	GS		6%	2%	5%	0%
None/nothing	GN		3%	2%	1%	0%
This survey	GC		2%	0%	1%	1%
Other - didn't fit other categories	GO		12%	2%	9%	1%

Notes:

- Each percentage is the proportion of all those who made narrative responses who mentioned this theme.
The "Any Mention" category is unduplicated - not a simple total of the other 3 columns. One person may make both positive and negative comments, but still will count as a single person in the "Any Mention" column.
- Themes in bold are unduplicated rollups of the subthemes listed immediately under.
The chart on page 19 of the main report visually displays the roll-up categories.
- This analysis is based on weighted data.
- 4491 of the 7391 respondents made comments (unweighted numbers)

* Appendix F shows more detailed definitions that were used in coding thematic categories