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COMMUNITY SURVEY ON PROPOSED LOCATIONS FOR A SUPERVISED CONSUMPTION SITE IN BARRIE: ADDITIONAL SITES

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KEY HIGHLIGHTS

- Following a deferral from Barrie City Council in August 2019 on the decision regarding a Supervised Consumption Site (SCS) located at 90 Mulcaster Street, a new lead applicant (the Canadian Mental Health Association Simcoe County Branch (CMHA-SCB)) and co-applicant (the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit (SMDHU)) were identified. With the support of an SCS Site Selection Advisory Committee and a local volunteer realtor, the search was continued for an appropriate location for a SCS in Barrie.
- In September 2020, using a number of criteria, 31 Toronto Street (back building on the lot) and 110 Dunlop Street West (Unit 4, back of building) in Barrie were selected as proposed locations for an SCS by the SCS Site Selection Advisory Committee. Comprehensive community engagement was planned to understand the neighbourhood perceptions of benefits and challenges for each of these locations. This included an online survey in October 2020.
- Following consultation and feedback received from stakeholders, the SMDHU, CMHA-SCB and the site selection advisory committee decided to expand the search to other potential sites, in addition to those already under consideration. As a result of that further search, new site options were selected for community consultation: 11 Sophia Street West, 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street) and 192 Bradford Street. Another online survey was administered in March 2021 seeking input into these additional site options. It is important to note that the results obtained from this survey, like the October 2020 survey, cannot be generalized to the population of Barrie, and only represent the opinions of those who chose to complete the survey.
- A total of 1,561 people who live, work, own a business, or go to school in Barrie participated in the 2021 online survey between March 10 – April 5, 2021.
- Most respondents live in Barrie (88.7%), while 61.6% work in Barrie, 16.1% own a business in Barrie, and 5.4% go to school in Barrie.
- Table 1 represents the key quantitative and qualitative highlights for 11 Sophia Street West, 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street) and 192 Bradford Street, Barrie.

Table 1: Key Highlights for Proposed Locations for a Supervised Consumption Site

	11 Sophia Street West	80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)	192 Bradford Street
	944 respondents provided feedback	979 respondents provided feedback	874 respondents provided feedback
Potential Benefits	<p>Overall top three potential benefits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (60.8%) 2. Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (60.4%) 3. Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (58.4%) <p>Just under one out of three respondents (30.2%) did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.</p>	<p>Overall top three potential benefits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (63.8%) 2. Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (63.2%) 3. Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (61.9%) <p>One out of four respondents (25.9%) did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.</p>	<p>Overall top three potential benefits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (56.9%) 2. Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (54.3%) 3. Reduce risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (51.6%) <p>Just under one out of three respondents (30.9%) did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.</p>
Potential Benefits (Other)	<p>Overall top three "other" potential benefits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. It is close to where people need it to be (n=18) 2. Opportunity to educate others (n=9) 3. Safety of clientele (it protects clientele from being victimized and/or harassed) (n=2) 	<p>Overall top three "other" potential benefits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. "One-stop shop" (it is central to other commonly used services, such as CMHA, emergency services, or other public health offices) (n=12) 2. Safety of clientele (it protects clientele from being victimized and/or harassed) (n=6) 3. It is close to where people need it to be (n=4) 	<p>Overall top three "other" potential benefits:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. It is close to where people need it to be (n=12) 2. General support for a supervised consumption site (n=7) 3. Opportunity to educate others (n=4)

	11 Sophia Street West	80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)	192 Bradford Street
Concerns	<p>Overall top three concerns:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (44.5%) 2. Safety of community members (43.8%) 3. More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (43.1%) <p>Almost one in three respondents (31.1%) had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location.</p>	<p>Overall top three concerns:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Safety of community members (43.9%) 2. Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (41.8%) 3. More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (41.2%) <p>Just under one out of three respondents (30.3%) had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location.</p>	<p>Overall top three concerns:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Safety of community members (47.5%) 2. Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (46.4%) 3. Decrease in property values (44.1%) <p>One out of four respondents (24.5%) had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location.</p>
Concerns (Other)	<p>Overall top three “other” concerns:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=74) 2. Too far away from those who need it (n=27) 3. Too close to residential areas, schools, businesses, and parks (n=16) 	<p>Overall top three “other” concerns:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=62) 2. Too close to residential areas, schools, parks, businesses, and parks (n=24) 3. Too far away from those who need it (n=17) 	<p>Overall top three “other” concerns:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=143) 2. Too far away from those who need it (n=83) 3. Too close to residential areas, schools, parks, and businesses (n=15)

	11 Sophia Street West	80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)	192 Bradford Street
Mitigation Strategies	<p>Overall top three mitigation strategies:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (49.6%) 2. Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (44.6%) 3. Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (41.9%) 	<p>Overall top three mitigation strategies:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (52.6%) 2. Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (46.2%) 3. Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (46.1%) 	<p>Overall top three mitigation strategies:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (47.2%) 2. Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (41.6%) 3. Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (41.3%)
Mitigation Strategies (Other)	<p>Overall top three “other” mitigation strategies:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Use other facilities, such as a rehabilitation centre (n=48) 2. Choose a different location (n=40) 3. Ensure privacy and well-being of users (n=2) 4. Provide drug testing to ensure that the drugs have not been altered in any form (n=2) 	<p>Overall top three “other” mitigation strategies:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Choose a different location (n=54) 2. Use other facilities, such as a rehabilitation centre (n=32) 3. Have a strong development and implementation plan for the site so that it works effectively (n=5) 	<p>Overall top three “other” mitigation strategies:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Choose a different location (n=84) 2. Use other facilities, such as a rehabilitation centre (n=51) 3. Have a strong development and implementation plan for the site so that it works effectively (n=2)

	11 Sophia Street West	80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)	192 Bradford Street
Additional Comments	<p>Overall top three additional comments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Support for a supervised consumption site (n=138) 2. General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=78) 3. Choose a different location (n=38) 	<p>Overall top three additional comments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Support for a supervised consumption site (n=109) 2. General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=62) 3. Other potential strategies (focus on community engagement, prevention, recreational activities, decriminalization of drugs, etc. instead) (n=28) 	<p>Overall top three additional comments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Support for a supervised consumption site (n=64) 2. General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=55) 3. Proximity to residential areas, parks, schools, and businesses (n=42)

COMMUNITY SURVEY ON PROPOSED LOCATIONS FOR A SUPERVISED CONSUMPTION SITE IN BARRIE: SUMMARY REPORT

BACKGROUND

In 2019, the Canadian Mental Health Association Simcoe County Branch (CMHA-SCB), the Gilbert Centre, the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit (SMDHU), and the David Busby Centre began an application to Health Canada and to the Ontario Ministry of Health for a Supervised Consumption Site (SCS) in Barrie as part of a comprehensive strategy to address the current opioid crisis. This included several avenues for community engagement with those who live, work, or go to school in Barrie, people with lived experience of drug use, and community partners to understand general perceptions of having an SCS in Barrie.

In March 2019, a specific neighbourhood open house regarding the proposed SCS location of 90 Mulcaster Street was conducted. The feedback received from the neighbourhood open house and previous community consultations, as well as the recommendation to proceed with an application for the Mulcaster location, was brought to Barrie City Council in May 2019. Following a series of considerations, in August 2019 Barrie City Council deferred the motion regarding an SCS at 90 Mulcaster Street and requested that the applicants undertake additional public consultation regarding specific sites under consideration. For a detailed timeline of the SCS planning to date, see [SCS planning Timeline](#).

Following this decision by Council, a Barrie SCS Site Selection Advisory Committee was created to ensure ongoing work was informed by a range of stakeholder perspectives. Applicants in this process were identified as CMHA-SCB and SMDHU, with CMHA-SCB being the lead applicant and operational lead, and SMDHU as co-applicant and leading the consultations. The intention of the committee was to provide a forum for open communication and exchange of information, discussion of potential site options, approaches to community engagement and to fulfill its purpose by being solution-focused and responsive to the needs of people who use drugs and those in the surrounding community. The Committee was active since September 2019 (with the exception of a brief pause in the early stages of the global pandemic between April and June 2020) and determined a short list of potential SCS locations. Comprehensive community engagement was required to understand the neighbourhood perceptions of benefits and challenges of each of these site locations. The SCS Site Selection Advisory Committee decided that a key component to this engagement process would be a community survey of those who live, work, own a business, or go to school in Barrie. For highlights of the SCS Site Selection Advisory Committee process and meetings, see [SCS Site Selection Advisory webpage](#).

In September 2020, 31 Toronto Street (back building on the lot) and 110 Dunlop Street West (Unit 4, back of building) in Barrie were selected as proposed locations for an SCS by the SCS

Site Selection Advisory Committee. A total of 1,200 people who live, work, own a business, or go to school in Barrie participated in the online survey between October 7, 2020 and October 30, 2020.

Following consultation and feedback received from stakeholders, the SMDHU, CMHA-SCB and the SCS Site Selection Advisory Committee decided to expand the search to other potential sites, in addition to those already under consideration. As a result of that further search, new site options were selected for community consultation and another online survey was administered seeking more input into these additional site options, not previously surveyed in the initial project survey of October 2020. This second round of surveys was conducted between March 10 and April 5, 2021 and 1,561 people submitted responses that were included in this report.

The additional new proposed sites are:

- 11 Sophia Street West
- 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)
- 192 Bradford Street

PURPOSE

The key purpose of the 2021 community survey was to consult with the people who live, work, own a business, and/or go to school in Barrie regarding the following questions:

1. What are the potential benefits of a supervised consumption site at each of the proposed locations?
2. What concerns are there regarding a supervised consumption site at each of the proposed locations and what measures can be taken to address them?

The results will be used to inform the application process for an SCS in Barrie, additional community consultations with the Barrie community, and mitigation strategies that could be implemented to address identified concerns.

ABOUT THE DATA COLLECTION

Individuals who live, work, own a business or go to school in Barrie were invited to participate in an online survey through CheckMarket®¹ from March 10 to April 5, 2021. Please see [Appendix A](#) for all data collection tools. Upon request, those who wished to complete the survey via paper were able to receive a paper copy of the survey to complete and mail back to the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit, which were then entered into the online survey software.

In total, 1,685 responses to the survey were received. Respondents were screened out if they did not live, work, own a business, or go to school in Barrie. Therefore, 1,561 responses to the survey were included in the results for this report.

Due to the survey being a convenience sample, the results obtained from this survey – like the October 2020 survey - cannot be generalized to the population of Barrie. As such, the results describe only the opinions of those who chose to complete the survey and cannot be assumed to represent the opinions of all people who live, work, own a business, or go to school in Barrie, or of a particular area of Barrie, where reported.

ANALYSIS

Data analysis was completed using Microsoft Excel 2013 software and a combination of QSR International's NVivo 12 Plus² software and manual theming. Frequencies and proportions were calculated for each close-ended question. For qualitative questions, QSR International's NVivo 12 Plus² software was used in combination with manual theming for analysis. Comments could be themed into more than one category, and only comments that pertained to the question asked were included in the analysis.

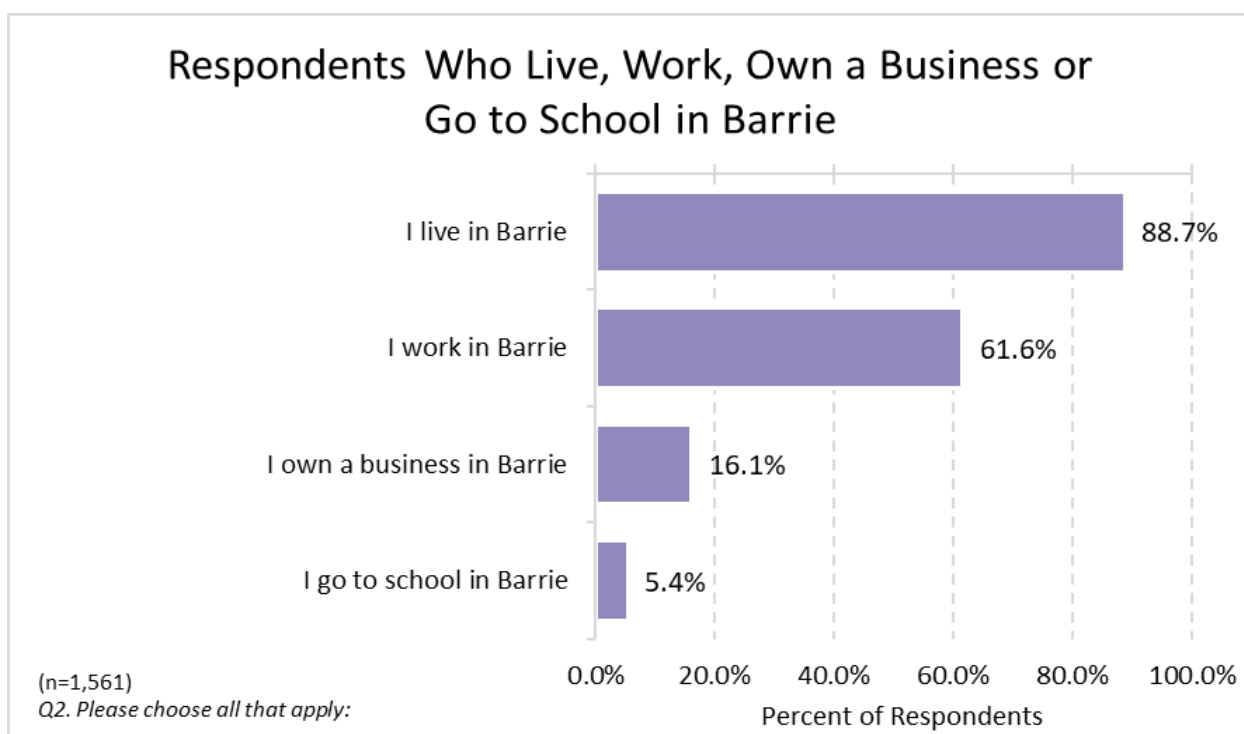
The qualitative responses received in this survey reflected the highly passionate views of the respondents. Many respondents took the opportunity to reiterate their opinions at every potential opportunity, regardless of what the question was asking. As a result, there are concerns identified in questions asking about potential benefits. Similarly, there are benefits identified in questions asking about concerns surrounding an SCS. Mitigation strategies were identified in questions asking for either benefits or concerns. As a result, responses were recoded into the appropriate question, thus altering some of the number of respondents per question. Although it is most likely that the responses collected reflected the highly passionate views of the respondents, it is possible that our questions may not have been clear, thus causing people to misunderstand them and respond differently.

Results were also analyzed by those who live, work, own a business, or go to school in Barrie (see [Appendix B](#)). Using the postal codes provided, results were also analyzed by respondents by ward (see [Appendix C](#)), with an emphasis on Ward 2 where the proposed locations are found, and by respondents within 250 m of the proposed locations.

RESPONDENT PROFILE

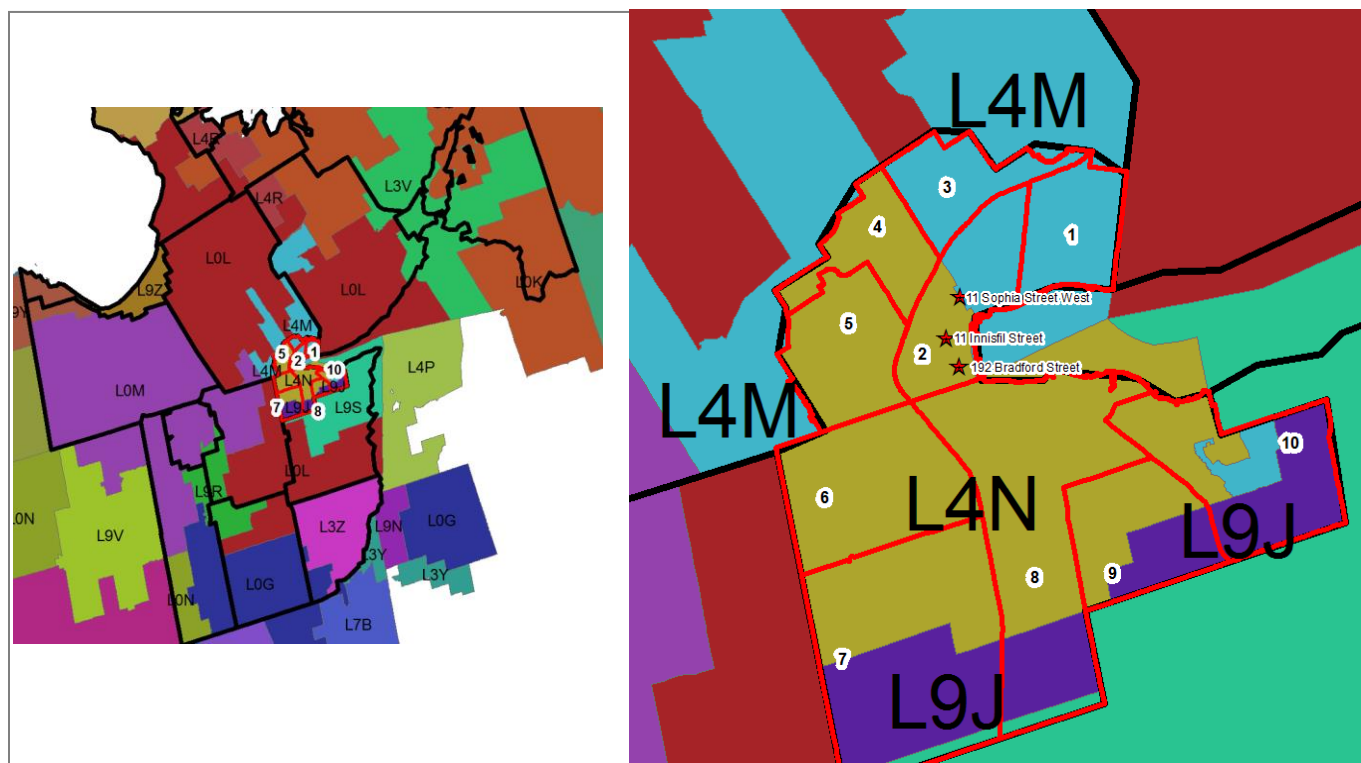
Overall, 1,685 responses were received for the survey. Four percent (4.3%) of the respondents did NOT live, work, own a business and/or go to school in Barrie, and were excluded from the analysis; 1,561 respondents continued with the survey and their responses are presented in this report. The majority of these respondents indicated that they live in Barrie (88.7%, n=1,385), while 61.6% (n=961) indicated they work in Barrie. A smaller percentage of respondents (16.1%, n=251) indicated they own a business in Barrie, while 5.4.% (n=85) indicated they go to school in Barrie. Respondents could choose one or more options, if applicable. See Figure 1.

Figure 1: Respondents Who Live, Work, Own a Business or Go to School in Barrie



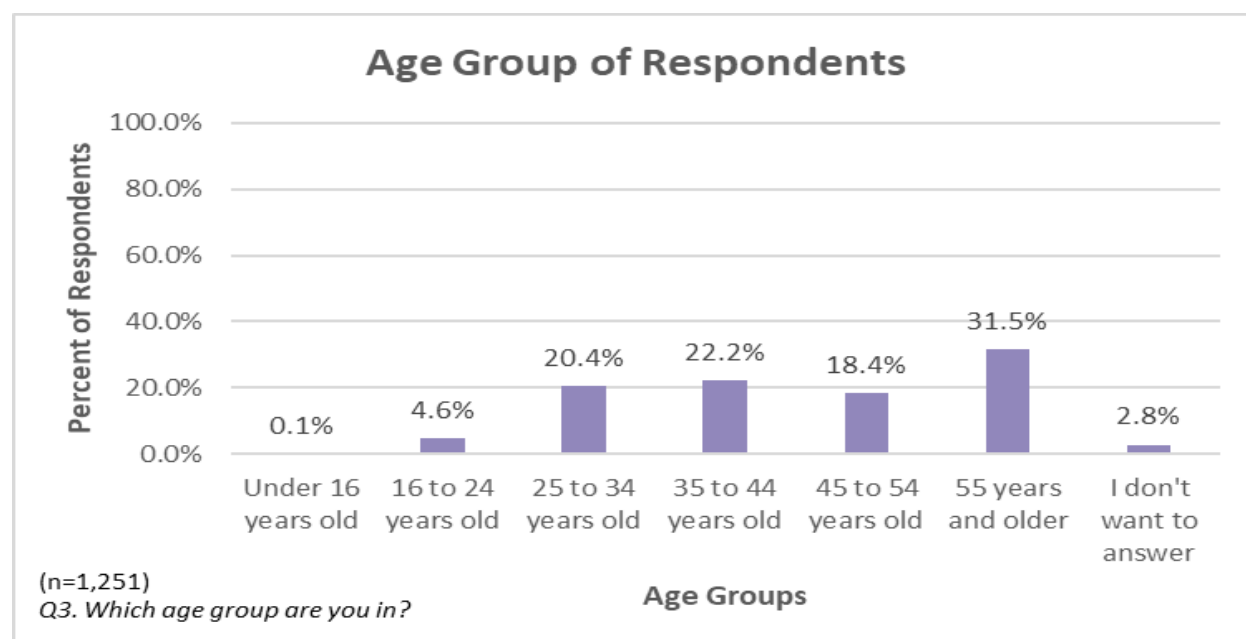
Respondents were also given the opportunity to provide a postal code for where they live, work, own a business, or go to school in Barrie. They were asked to choose the postal code that they felt is most impacted by the proposed locations. Overall, 1,358 respondents provided a postal code, with 664 respondents providing a postal code starting with L4N (59.6%, n=396), L4M (39.6%, n=263), or L9J (0.8%, n=5). Of those who provided a postal code, 540 respondents provided a postal code within Ward 2, and 137 respondents provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations. See Figure 2.

Figure 2: An image of Barrie, including the forward sortation area codes (FSA), wards (1-10), and proposed SCS locations



These respondents cover a range of age groups; 4.6% (n=58) were 16 to 24 years old, 20.4% (n=255) were 25 to 34 years old, 22.2% (n=278) were 35 to 44 years old, 18.4% (n=230) were 45 to 55 years old, and 31.5% (n=394) were 55 years and older. A small percentage of respondents (0.1%, n=1) were under 16 years old, and 2.8% (n=35) did not answer this question. See Figure 3.

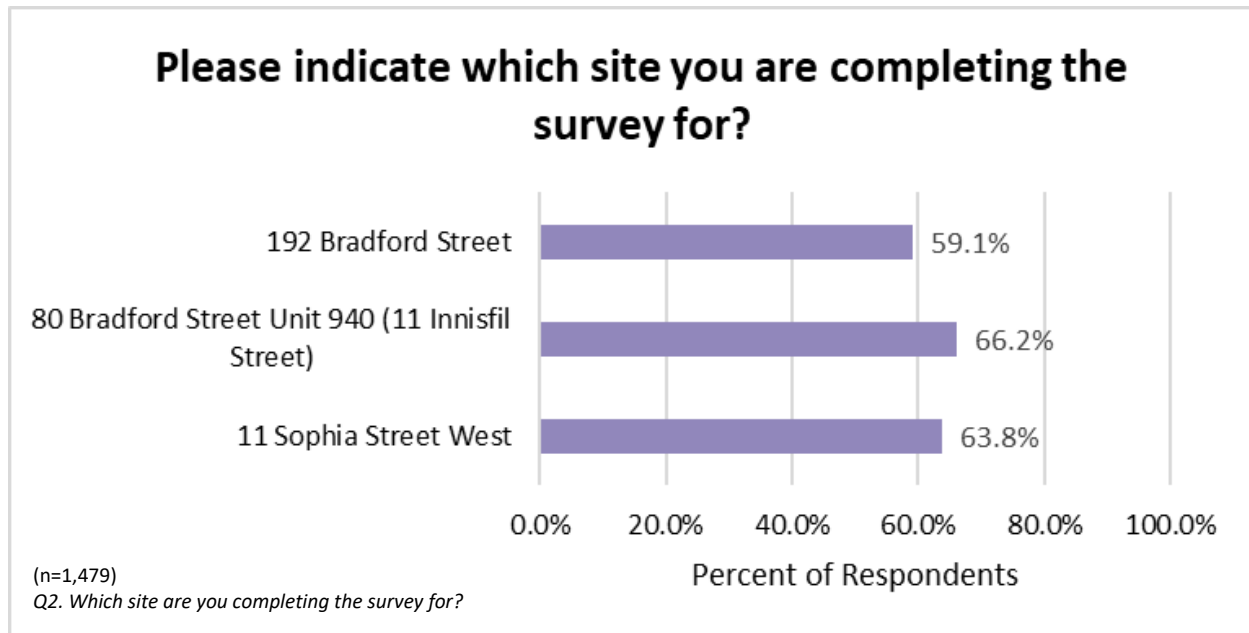
Figure 3: Age Group of Respondents



RESULTS

Respondents were asked to indicate which site they are completing the survey for, with the ability to provide input for one, two, or all three sites. Of the 1,561 respondents, 1,479 answered the question asking “Which site are you completing the survey for?” (94.7%). 944 respondents (63.8%) provided their feedback regarding 11 Sophia Street West, 979 respondents (66.2%) provided their feedback regarding 80 Bradford Street, Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street), and 874 (59.1%) provided their feedback regarding 192 Bradford Street. The same questions were asked for each proposed site. See Figure 4.

Figure 4: Site Options



Respondents Located Within Ward 2

Of the 540 respondents who provided a postal code within Ward 2, 311 respondents (57.6%) provided their feedback regarding 11 Sophia Street West, 325 respondents (60.2%) provided their feedback regarding 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street), and 324 respondents (60.0%) provided their feedback regarding 192 Bradford Street.

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

Of the 137 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations, 53 respondents (38.7%) provided their feedback regarding 11 Sophia Street West, 60 respondents (43.8%) provided their feedback regarding 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street), and 97 respondents (70.8%) provided their feedback regarding 192 Bradford Street.

11 Sophia Street West

Potential Benefits of a Supervised Consumption Site at 11 Sophia Street West

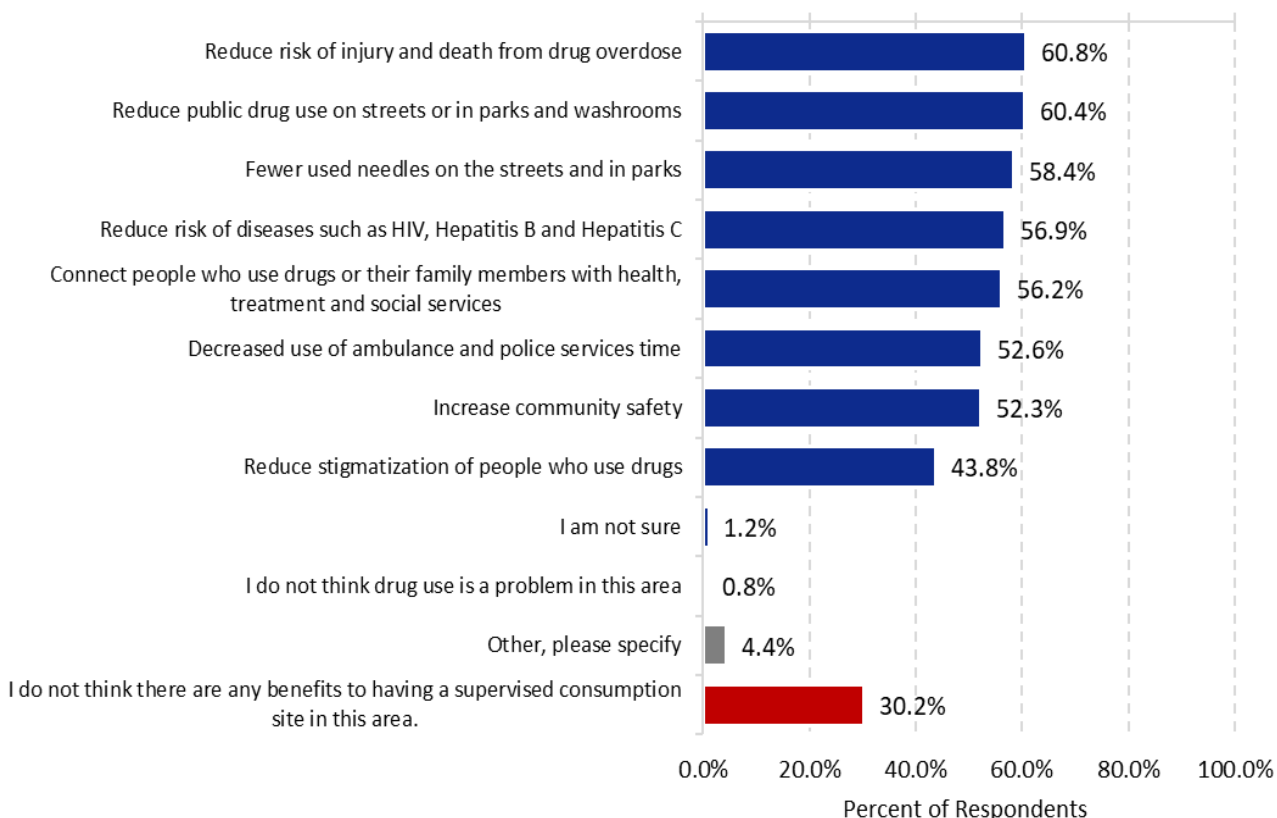
Respondents were asked what they perceived to be benefits of having a supervised consumption site at 11 Sophia Street West. A total of 854 respondents provided feedback. The top five benefits identified include:

- Reduced risk of injury and death from drug overdose (60.8%, n=519)
- Reduced public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (60.4%, n=516)
- Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (58.4%, n=499)
- Reduced risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (56.9%, n=486)
- Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment, and social services (56.2%, n=480)

Additional potential benefits identified by respondents can be found in Figure 5.

Figure 5: 11 Sophia Street West: Potential Benefits of a Supervised Consumption Site at This Location

Potential Benefits of a Supervised Consumption Site at 11 Sophia Street West



(n=854)

Q5. In your opinion, what are the benefits, if any, of a supervised consumption site in this location?

Thirty percent (30.2%, n=258) indicated that they do not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location, while a smaller percentage of respondents who provided feedback on this site (4.4%, n=38) indicated “other” potential benefits of an SCS at this location. However, 10 respondent comments were not applicable, as they did not identify any additional benefits.

Other additional benefits identified by 28 respondents include:

- It is close to where people need it to be (n=18)
- Opportunity to educate others (n=9)
- Safety of clientele (it protects clientele from being victimized and/or harassed) (n=2)

Respondents Located Within Ward 2

A total of 286 respondents from Ward 2 provided feedback about the benefits of having a supervised consumption site at 11 Sophia Street West. The top three potential benefits identified were similar to the overall respondents:

- Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (57.3%, n=164)
- Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (56.3%, n=161)
- Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (52.8%, n=151)

A slightly larger percentage of these respondents indicated that they did not think there are any benefits to having a supervised consumption site in this location when compared to the overall respondents (34.6% vs. 30.2%).

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

A total of 51 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations provided feedback about the benefits of having a supervised consumption site at 11 Sophia Street West. The top three potential benefits identified were similar to the overall respondents:

- Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (41.2%, n=21)
- Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (39.2%, n=20)
- Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (37.3%, n=19)

A larger percentage of these respondents indicated that they did not think there are any benefits to having a supervised consumption site in this location when compared to the overall respondents (48.3% vs. 30.2%).

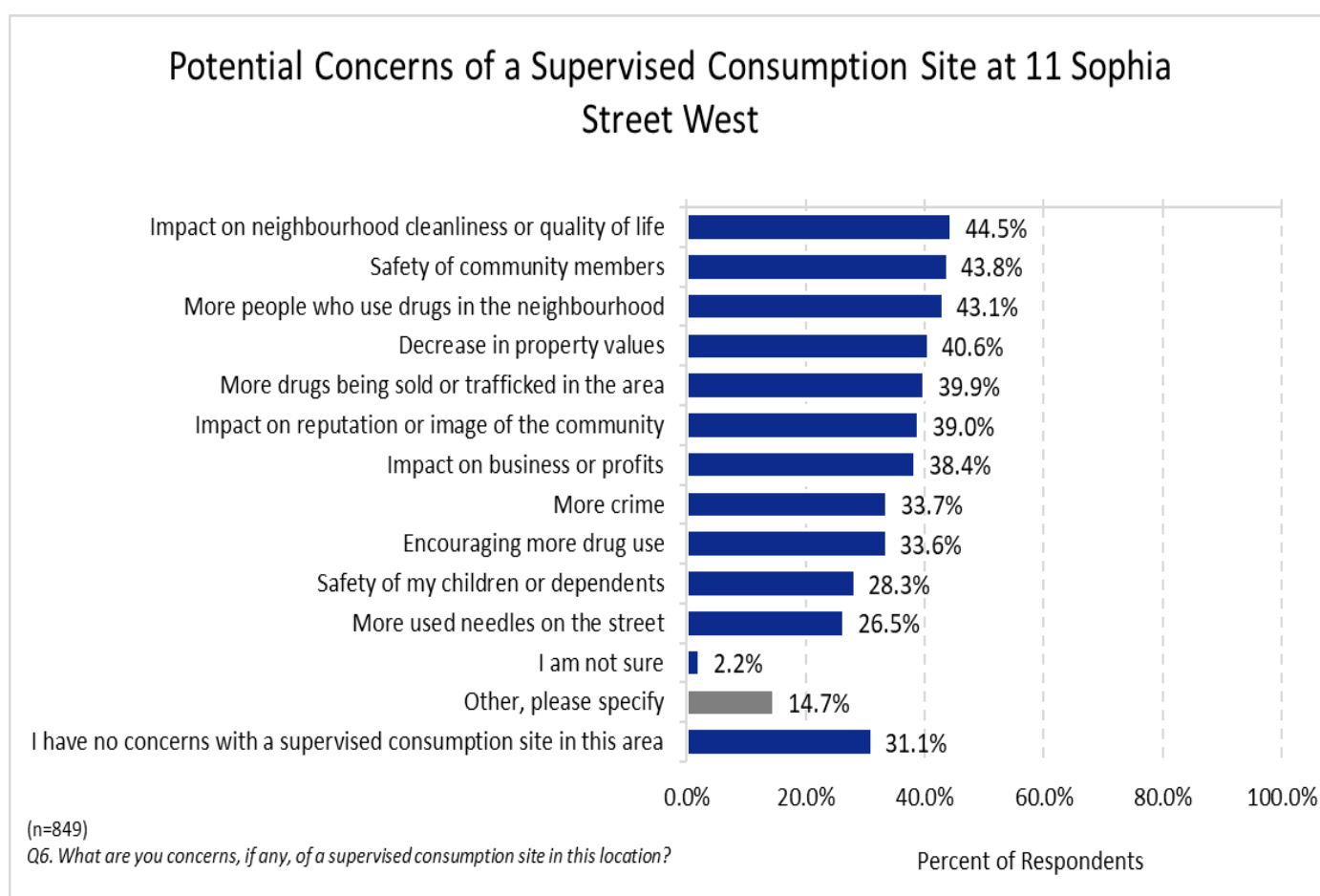
Concerns of a Supervised Consumption Site at 11 Sophia Street West

Respondents who provided feedback on 11 Sophia Street West were then asked to identify their concerns regarding an SCS at this location. A total of 849 respondents provided feedback. The top five concerns identified include:

- Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (44.5%, n=378)
- Safety of community members (43.8%, n=372)
- More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (43.1%, n=366)
- Decrease in property values (40.6%, n=345)
- More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (39.9%, n=339)

Additional concerns raised by the respondents are found in Figure 6.

Figure 6: 11 Sophia Street West: Respondents Concerns about a Supervised Consumption Site at This Location



Almost one in three respondents who provided feedback on this site (31.1%, n=264) indicated that they have no concerns with a supervised consumption site at 11 Sophia Street West. A small percentage of respondents (14.7%, n=125) indicated “other” concerns. These included:

- General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=74)
- Too far away from those who need it (n=27)
- Too close to residential areas, schools, businesses, and parks (n=16)

- High operational costs (n=6)
- Noise and disruptions (n=4)
- Lack of privacy (n=1)

Respondents Located within Ward 2

A total of 286 respondents from Ward 2 provided feedback about the concerns of having a supervised consumption site at 11 Sophia Street West. The top three concerns identified include:

- Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (50.3%, n=144)
- Safety of community members (46.9%, n=134)
- More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (44.4%, n=127)

A slightly lower percentage of these respondents (30.4%) indicated that they had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location compared to the respondents overall (31.1%).

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

A total of 51 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations provided feedback about the concerns of having a supervised consumption site at 11 Sophia Street West. The top three concerns identified by these respondents were similar to the overall respondents:

- Safety of community members (62.7%, n=32)
- Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (58.8%, n=30)
- More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (58.8%, n=30)
- More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (54.9%, n=28)

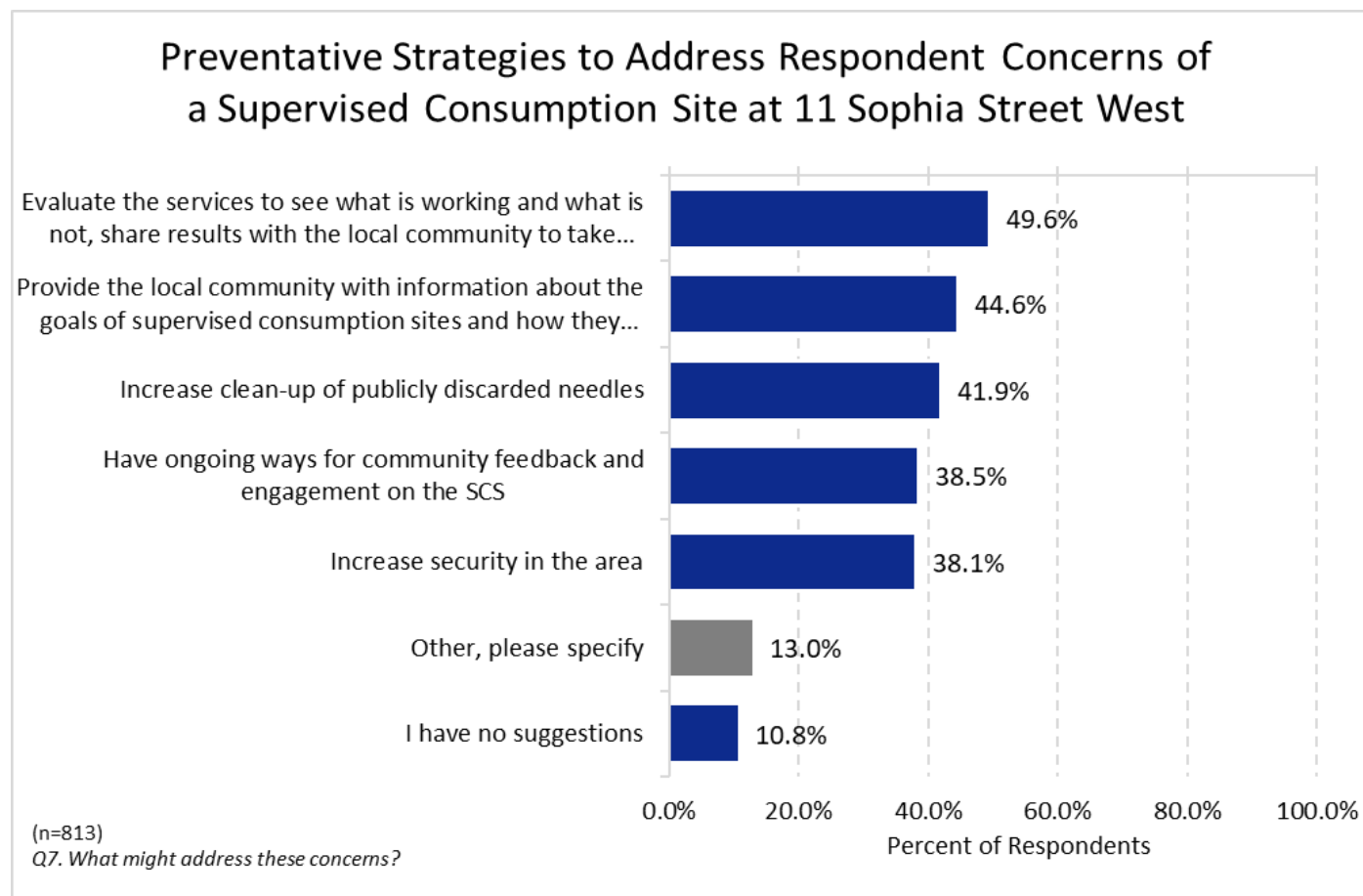
A smaller percentage of these respondents indicated that they had no concerns with a supervised consumption site in this location when compared to the overall respondents (17.6% vs. 31.1%).

Mitigation Strategies to Address Concerns of a Supervised Consumption Site at 11 Sophia Street West

Eight hundred and thirteen (n=813) respondents provided feedback on what might help address their concerns about having an SCS at this location. Just under half of the respondents who provided feedback on this site (49.6%, n=403) indicated that to address the concerns identified above there must be evaluation of services to see what is working and what is not and share the results with the community in order to take action. A need to provide the community with information about the goals of SCSs and how they can help with the community was indicated by 44.6% (n=363) of respondents. A need to increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles was cited by 41.9% (n=341) of respondents, 38.5% (n=313) indicated there has to be ongoing ways for community feedback and engagement on the SCS, and 38.1% (n=310) stated that

there needs to be an increase in security in the area. Just over 10% of respondents (10.8%, n=88) did not have any suggestions to address these concerns. See figure 7.

Figure 7: 11 Sophia Street West: Respondents Identified Strategies to Address Concerns



Additional strategies were mentioned by 13.0% (n=106) of respondents who selected “other”. However, 12 respondent comments were not applicable, as they did not identify any additional strategies. Other additional strategies, as identified by 94 respondents, include:

- Use other facilities, such as a rehabilitation centre (n=48)
- Choose a different location (n=40)
- Ensure privacy and well-being of users (n=2)
- Provide drug testing to ensure that the drugs have not been altered in any form (n=2)
- Have a strong development and implementation plan for the site so that it works effectively (n=1)

Respondents Located Within Ward 2

A total of 274 respondents from Ward 2 provided feedback on what might help address their concerns about having a supervised consumption site at this location. The top three ways to address the concerns indicated above are:

- Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (42.7%, n=117)
- Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (41.6%, n=114)
- Increase security in the area (39.1%, n=107)

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

A total of 53 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations provided feedback about what might help address their concerns about having a supervised consumption site at 11 Sophia Street West. The top three ways to address the concerns indicated above included:

- Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (37.7%, n=20)
- Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (34.0%, n=18)
- Increase security in the area (32.1%, n=17)
- Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (32.1%, n=17)

Additional Comments Regarding a Supervised Consumption Site at 11 Sophia Street West

Respondents who provided feedback on 11 Sophia Street West were given the opportunity to provide additional comments or suggestions about an SCS at this site. In total, 376 respondents provided additional feedback, including:

- Support for a supervised consumption site (n=138)
- General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=78)
- Choose a different location (n=38)
- Other potential strategies (focus on community engagement, prevention, recreational activities, decriminalization of drugs, etc. instead) (n=36)
- Proximity to residential areas, parks, schools, and businesses (n=32)
- Impact on the community (an SCS will impact Barrie's reputation and will make people feel less comfortable or willing to spend time in the community) (n=28)
- Proximity to where clientele need it to be (n=10)
- General safety concerns (n=10)
- Increase security and enforcement in the surrounding area (n=7)
- Other (n=6)

80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)

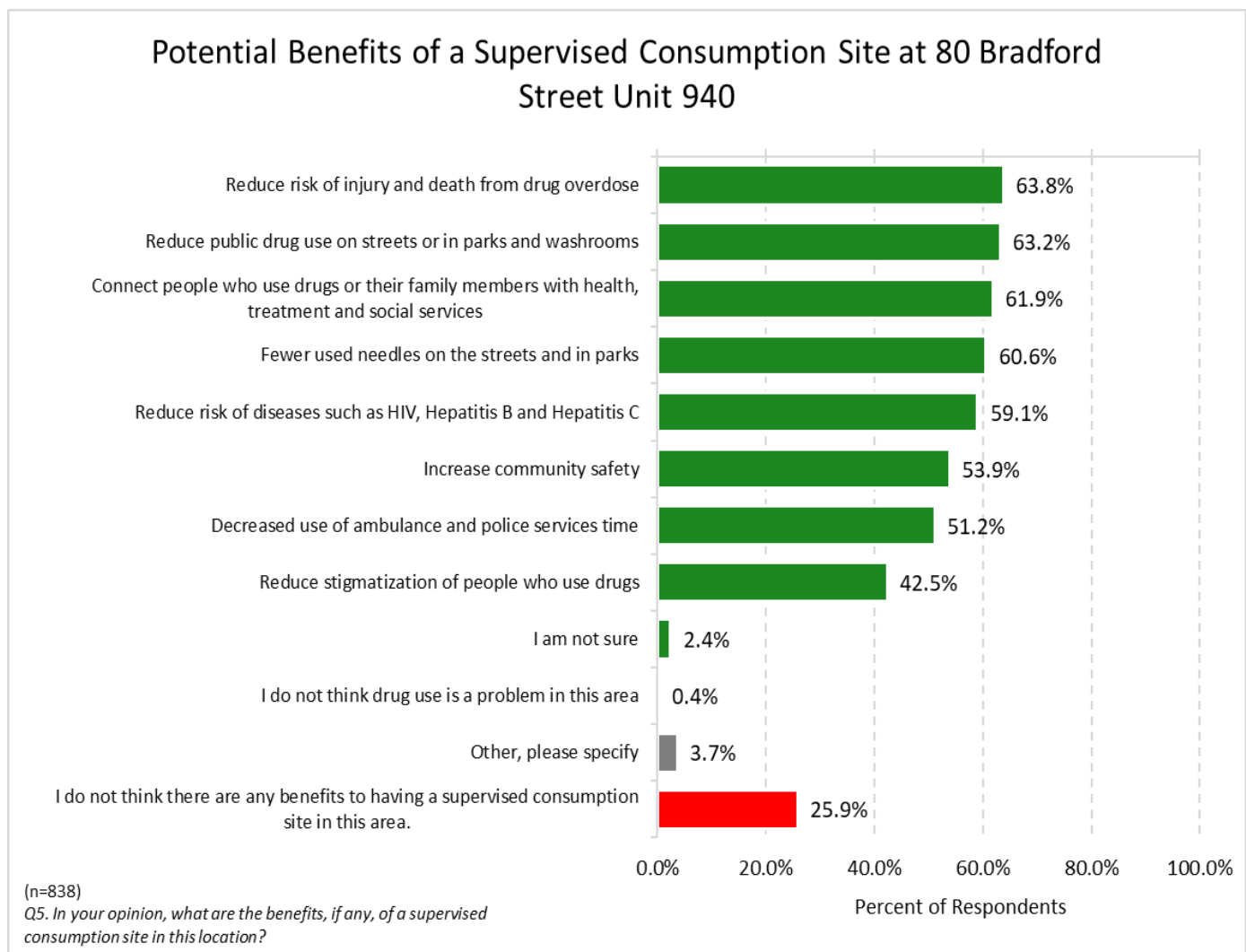
Potential Benefits of a Supervised Consumption Site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)

Respondents who provided feedback for 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street) identified potential benefits of a supervised consumption site at this location. A total of 838 respondents provided feedback about the benefits of having an SCS at this location. The top five potential benefits identified include:

- Reduced risk of injury and death from drug overdose (63.8%, n=535)
- Reduced public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (63.2%, n=530)
- Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (61.9%, n=519)
- Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (60.6%, n=508)
- Reduced risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (59.1%, n=495)

Additional potential benefits identified by respondents can be found in Figure 8.

Figure 8: 80 Bradford Street Unit 940: Potential Benefits of a Supervised Consumption Site at This Location



Twenty five percent of respondents (25.9%, n=217) indicated that they do not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location, while a smaller percentage of respondents who provided feedback on this site (3.7%, n=31) provided “other” potential benefits. However, 7 respondent comments were not applicable, as they did not identify any additional benefits.

Other additional benefits identified by 24 respondents include:

- “One-stop shop” (it is central to other commonly used services, such as CMHA, emergency services, or other public health offices) (n = 12)
- Safety of clientele (it protects clientele from being victimized and/or harassed) (n = 6)
- It is close to where people need it to be (n = 4)
- Opportunity to educate others (n = 2)

Respondents Located Within Ward 2

A total of 290 respondents from Ward 2 provided feedback about the benefits of having a supervised consumption site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street). The top three potential benefits identified by these respondents were:

- Reduced risk of injury and death from drug overdose (60.0%, n=174)
- Reduced public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (58.3%, n=169)
- Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (56.6%, n=164)

A slightly larger percentage of these respondents indicated that they did not think there are any benefits to having a supervised consumption site in this location when compared to the overall respondents (27.6% vs. 25.7%).

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

A total of 58 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations provided feedback about the benefits of having a supervised consumption site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street). The top three potential benefits identified by these respondents were similar to the overall respondents:

- Reduced risk of injury and death from drug overdose (44.8%, n=26)
- Reduced public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (39.7%, n=23)
- Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (39.7%, n=23)
- Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (36.2%, n=21)
- Increase community safety (36.2%, n=21)

A larger percentage of these respondents indicated that they did not think there are any benefits to having a supervised consumption site in this location when compared to the overall respondents (48.3% vs. 25.7%).

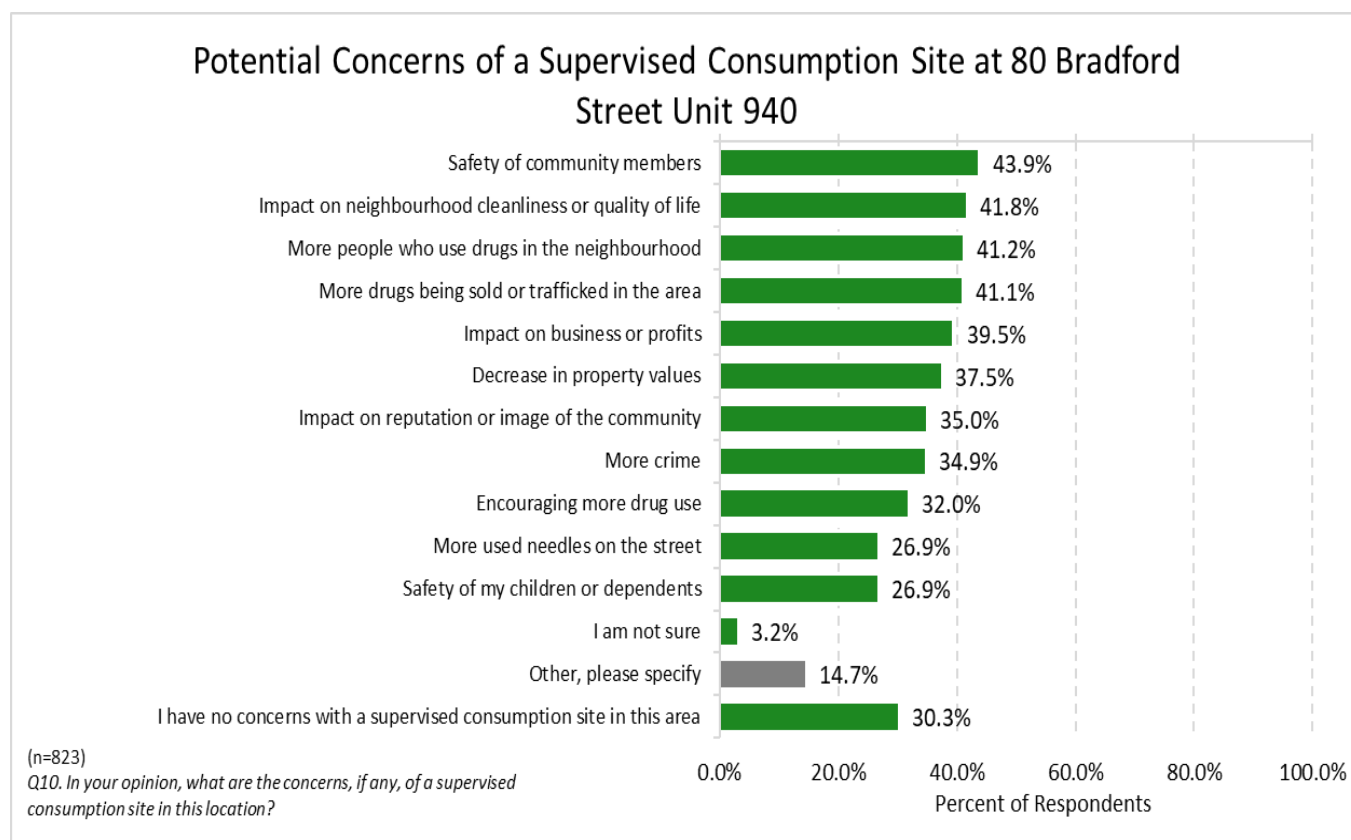
Concerns of a Supervised Consumption Site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)

Respondents who provided feedback on 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street) were then asked to identify their concerns regarding an SCS at this location. A total of 823 respondents provided feedback about the concerns of having an SCS at this location. The top five concerns identified by respondents include:

- Safety of community members (43.9%, n=361)
- Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (41.8%, n=344)
- More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (41.2%, n=339)
- More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (41.1%, n=338)
- Impact on business or profit (39.5%, n=325)

Additional concerns raised by respondents are found in Figure 9.

Figure 9: 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street): Respondents Concerns about a Supervised Consumption Site at This Location



Thirty percent (30.3%, n=249) of respondents who provided feedback on this site indicated that they have no concerns with a supervised consumption site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street). Meanwhile, 14.7% (n=121) of respondents indicated “other” concerns that they have regarding a supervised consumption site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street). However, 8 respondent comments were not applicable, as they did not identify any additional concerns. Other concerns identified by 113 respondents included:

- General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=62)
- Too close to residential areas, schools, parks, businesses, and parks (n=24)
- Too far away from those who need it (n=17)
- Safety of clientele (it puts clientele at risk of being victimized and/or harassed) (n=7)
- Impact on the community (an SCS will impact Barrie's reputation and will make people feel less comfortable or willing to spend time in the community) (n=5)
- Noise and disruptions (n=1)

Respondents Located within Ward 2

A total of 288 respondents from Ward 2 provided feedback about the concerns of having a supervised consumption site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street). The top three concerns identified by these respondents were similar to the overall respondents:

- Safety of community members (48.6%, n=140)
- More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (48.3%, n=137)
- Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (45.5%, n=131)

A slightly lower percentage of these respondents (27.8%) indicated that they had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location compared to the respondents overall (30.0%).

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

A total of 58 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations provided feedback about the concerns of having a supervised consumption site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street). The top three concerns identified by these respondents were similar to the overall respondents:

- More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (65.5%, n=38)
- Impact on business or profits (65.5%, n=38)
- Safety of community members (63.8%, n=37)
- More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (63.8%, n=37)
- Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (60.3%, n=35)

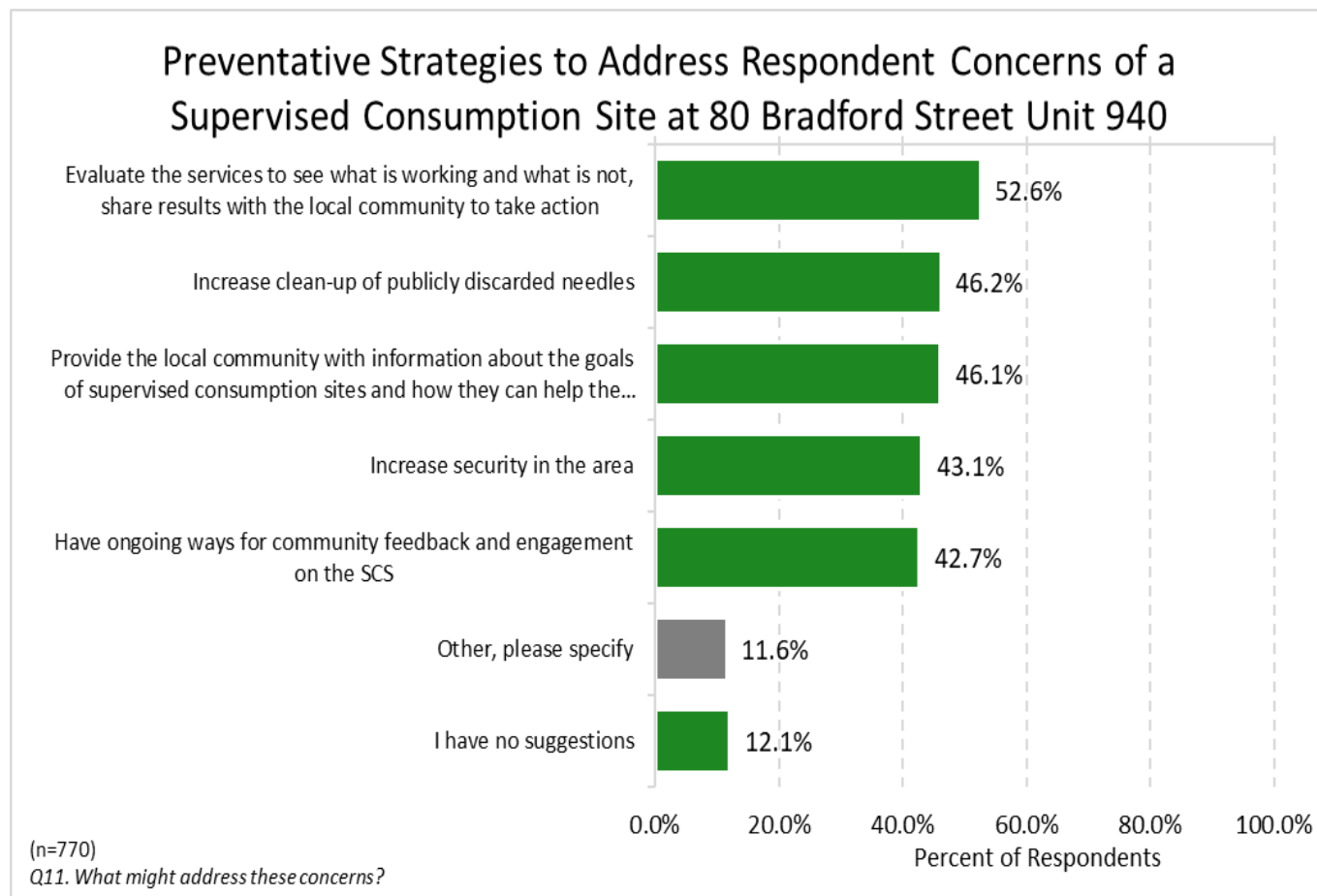
A smaller percentage of these respondents indicated that they had no concerns with a supervised consumption site in this location when compared to the overall respondents (19.0% vs. 30.0%).

Mitigation Strategies to Address Concerns of a Supervised Consumption Site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)

Seven hundred and seventy (n=770) respondents provided feedback on what might help address their concerns about having an SCS at this location. Just over half of the respondents (52.6%, n=405) indicated that to address the concerns identified above there must be an evaluation of services to see what is working and what is not, and to share the results with the

community in order to take action. A total of 356 respondents (46.2%) indicated a need to increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles. Meanwhile, 46.1% (n=355) of respondents indicated the need to provide the community with information about the goals of SCSs and how they can help the community, 43.1% (n=332) stated that there needs to be an increase in security in the area, and 42.7% (n=329) indicated there has to be ongoing ways for community feedback and engagement on the SCS. Just over 12% (12.1%, n=93) of respondents did not have any suggestions to address these concerns. See Figure 10.

Figure 10: 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street): Respondents Identified Strategies to Address Concerns



Additional strategies were mentioned by 11.6% (n=89) of respondents who selected “other”. However, 6 respondent comments were not applicable, as they did not identify any additional strategies. Other additional strategies, as identified by 83 respondents, include:

- Choose a different location (n=54)
- Use other facilities, such as a rehabilitation centre (n=32)
- Have a strong development and implementation plan for the site so that it works effectively (n=5)
- Provide drug testing to ensure that the drugs have not been altered in any form (n=1)

Respondents Located Within Ward 2

A total of 270 respondents from Ward 2 provided feedback on what might help address their concerns about having a supervised consumption site at this location. The top three ways to address the concerns indicated above are:

- Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (51.9%, n=140)
- Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (48.1%, n=130)
- Increase security in the area (44.8%, n=121)

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

A total of 55 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations provided feedback about what might help address their concerns about a supervised consumption site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street). The top three ways to address the concerns indicated above included:

- Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (40.0%, n=22)
- Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (38.2%, n=21)
- Have ongoing ways for community feedback and engagement on the SCS (36.4%, n=20)

Additional Comments Regarding a Supervised Consumption Site at 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)

Respondents who provided feedback on 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street) were given the opportunity to provide additional comments or suggestions about an SCS at this site. In total, 275 respondents provided additional feedback, including:

- Support for a supervised consumption site (n=109)
- General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=62)
- Other potential strategies (focus on community engagement, prevention, recreational activities, decriminalization of drugs, etc. instead) (n=28)
- Proximity to residential areas, parks, schools, and businesses (n=25)
- Choose a different location (n=12)
- General safety concerns (n=12)
- Impact on the community (an SCS will impact Barrie's reputation and will make people feel less comfortable or willing to spend time in the community) (n=9)
- Other (n=7)
- Increase security and enforcement in the surrounding area (n=6)
- Proximity to where clientele need it to be (n=3)
- Impact on crime (n=2)

- Stigma (n=2)

192 Bradford Street

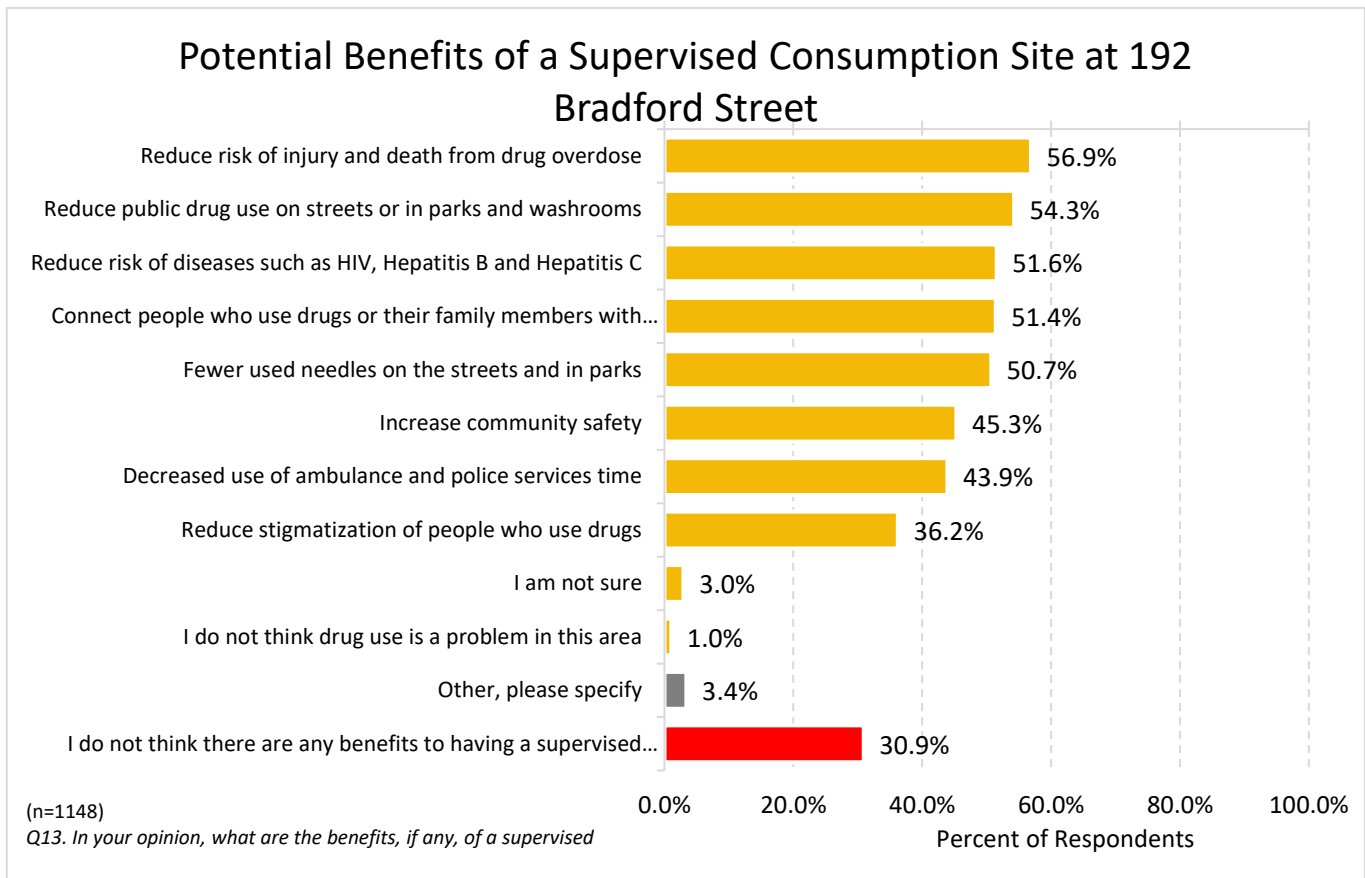
Potential Benefits of a Supervised Consumption Site at 192 Bradford Street

Respondents who provided feedback for 192 Bradford Street identified potential benefits of a supervised consumption site at this location. A total of 1,148 respondents provided feedback about the benefits of having an SCS at this location. The top five potential benefits identified include:

- Reduced risk of injury and death from drug overdose (56.9%, n=653)
- Reduced public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (54.3%, n=623)
- Reduced risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (51.6%, n=592)
- Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (51.4%, n=590)
- Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (50.7%, n=582)

Additional potential benefits identified by respondents can be found in Figure 11.

Figure 11: 192 Bradford Street: Potential Benefits of a Supervised Consumption Site at This Location



One in three respondents who provided feedback on this site (30.9%, n=355) indicated that they do not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location, while a small percentage of respondents who provided feedback on this site (3.4%, n=39) indicated “other” potential benefits of an SCS at this location. However, 16 respondent comments were not applicable, as they did not identify any additional benefits. Other additional benefits identified by 23 respondents include:

- It is close to where people need it to be (n=12)
- General support for a supervised consumption site (n=7)
- Opportunity to educate others (n=4)

Respondents Located Within Ward 2

A total of 286 respondents from Ward 2 provided feedback about the benefits of having a supervised consumption site at 192 Bradford Street. The top three potential benefits identified by these respondents were similar to the overall respondents:

- Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (52.8%, n=151)
- Reduce risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (48.6%, n=139)
- Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (45.8%, n=131)

A larger percentage of respondents located within Ward 2 indicated that they did not think there are any benefits to having a supervised consumption site in this location when compared to the overall respondents (38.5% vs. 30.9%).

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

A total of 90 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations provided feedback about the benefits of having a supervised consumption site at 192 Bradford Street. The top three potential benefits identified by these respondents were similar to the overall respondents:

- Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (31.1%, n=28)
- Reduce risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (25.6%, n=23)
- Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (24.4%, n=22)

A larger percentage of respondents located within 250m of proposed locations indicated that they did not think there are any benefits to having a supervised consumption site in this location when compared to the overall respondents (60.0% vs. 30.9%).

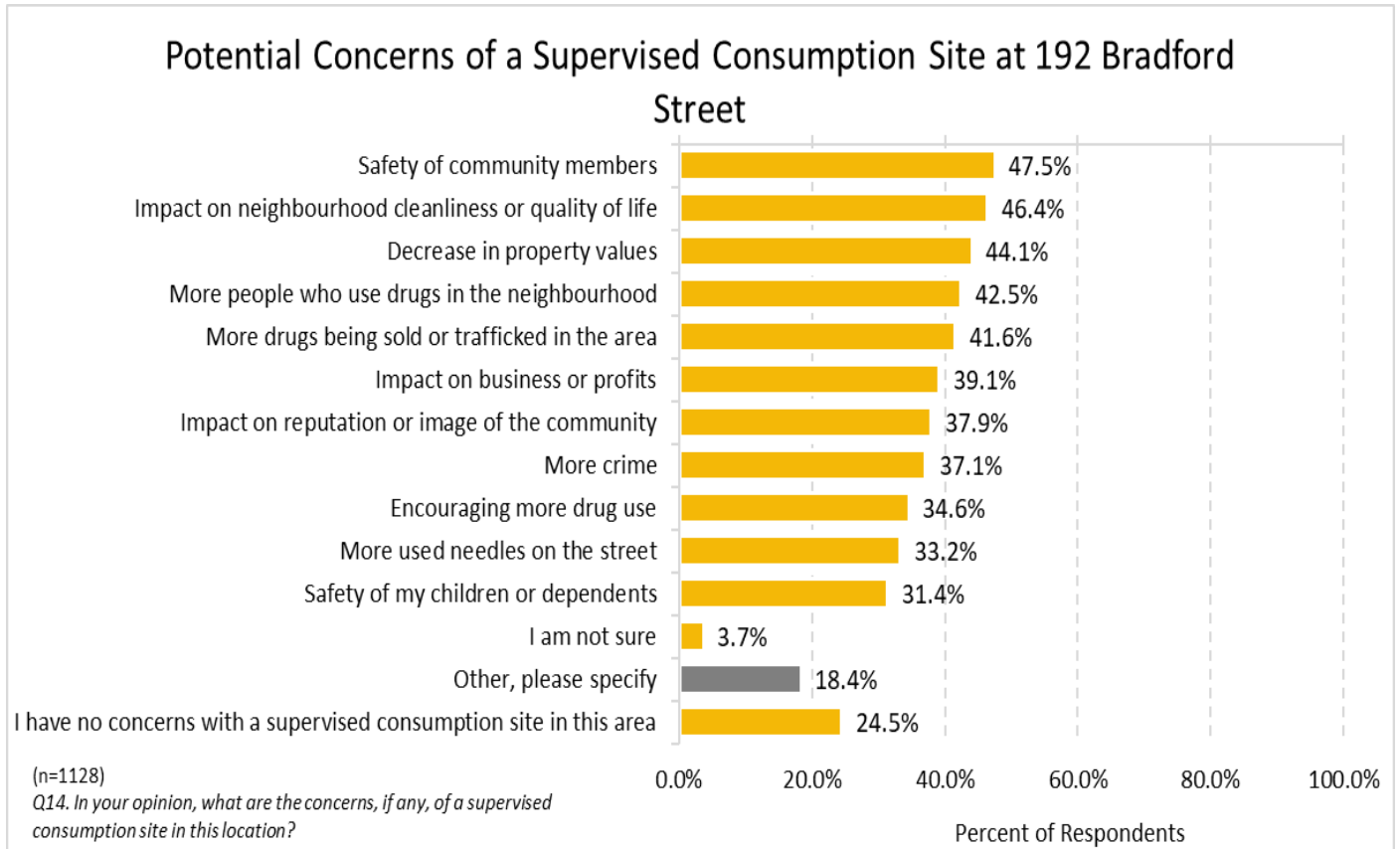
Concerns of a Supervised Consumption Site at 192 Bradford Street

Respondents who provided feedback on 192 Bradford Street were then asked to identify their concerns regarding an SCS at this location. A total of 1,128 respondents provided feedback about the concerns of having an SCS at this location. The top five concerns identified by respondents who provided feedback on this site include:

- Safety of community members (47.5%, n=536)
- Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (46.4%, n=523)
- Decrease in property values (44.1%, n=497)
- More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (42.5%, n=479)
- More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (41.6%, n=469)

Additional concerns raised by respondents are found in Figure 12.

Figure 12: 192 Bradford Street: Respondents Concerns about a Supervised Consumption Site at This Location



One in four respondents (24.5%, n=276) who provided feedback on this site indicated that they have no concerns with a supervised consumption site at 192 Bradford Street. Meanwhile, 18.4% (n=207) of respondents indicated “other” concerns that they have regarding a supervised consumption site at 192 Bradford Street. However, 8 respondent comments were not applicable, as they did not identify any additional concerns. Other additional concerns identified by 199 respondents include:

- General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=143)
- Too far away from those who need it (n=83)
- Too close to residential areas, schools, parks, and businesses (n=15)
- High operational costs (n=5)
- Noise and disruptions (n=3)

Respondents Located within Ward 2

A total of 282 respondents from Ward 2 provided feedback about the concerns of having a supervised consumption site at 192 Bradford Street. The top three concerns identified by these respondents were:

- Safety of community members (58.9%, n=166)
- Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (57.1%, n=161)
- Decrease in property values (55.7%, n=157)

A slightly lower percentage of respondents located within Ward 2 (22.3%) indicated that they had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location compared to the respondents overall (24.5%).

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

A total of 91 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations provided feedback about the concerns of having a supervised consumption site at 192 Bradford Street Unit. The top three concerns identified by these respondents were similar to the overall respondents:

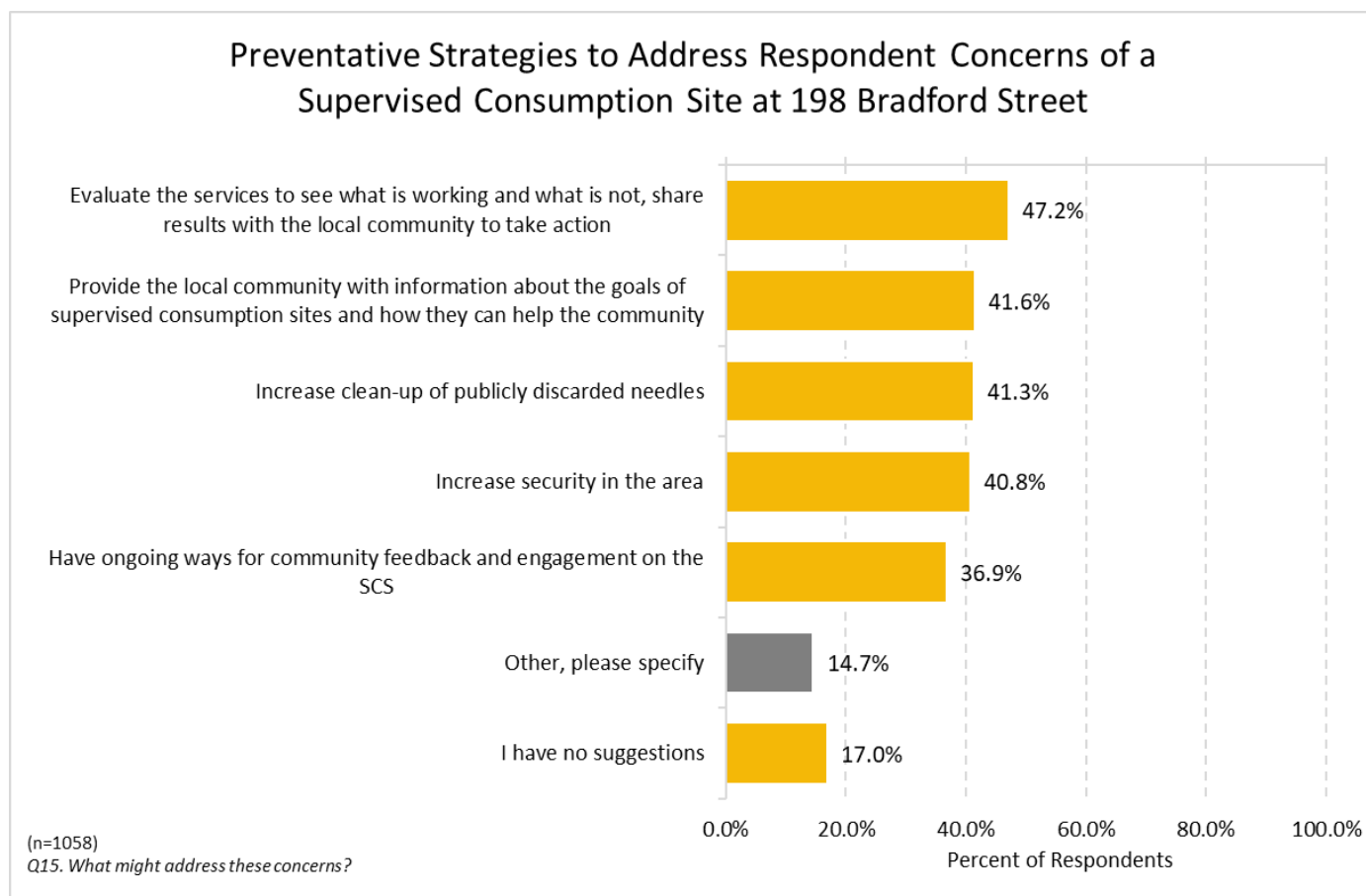
- Safety of community members (74.7%, n=68)
- Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (73.6%, n=67)
- Decrease in property values (71.4%, n=65)

A smaller percentage of these respondents indicated that they had no concerns with a supervised consumption site in this location when compared to the overall respondents (12.1% vs. 24.5%).

Mitigation Strategies to Address Concerns of a Supervised Consumption Site at 192 Bradford Street

One thousand and fifty-eight (n=1058) respondents provided feedback on what might help address their concerns about having an SCS at this location. Just under half (47.2%, n=499) of the respondents indicated that to address the concerns identified above there must be an evaluation of services to see what is working and what is not, and to share the results with the community in order to take action. Meanwhile, 41.6% (n=440) indicated the need to provide the local community with information about the goals of SCSs and how they can help the community. A total of 437 respondents (41.3%) indicated there needs to be an increase in clean-up of publicly discarded needles. A need to increase security in the area was identified by 40.8% (n=432) of respondents, and 36.9% (n=390) indicated there has to be ongoing ways for community feedback and engagement on the SCS. Seventeen percent (17.0%, n=180) of respondents did not have any suggestions to address these concerns. See Figure 13.

Figure 13: 192 Bradford Street: Respondents Identified Strategies to Address Concerns



Additional strategies were mentioned by the 14.7% (n=155) who selected “other”. However, 17 respondent comments were not applicable, as they did not identify any additional strategies. Other additional strategies, as identified by 138 respondents, include:

- Choose a different location (n=84)
- Use other facilities, such as a rehabilitation centre (n=51)
- Have a strong development and implementation plan for the site so that it works effectively (n=2)
- Provide drug testing to ensure that the drugs have not been altered in any form (n=1)

Respondents Located Within Ward 2

A total of 269 respondents from Ward 2 provided feedback on what might help to address their concerns about having a supervised consumption site at this location. The top three ways to address the concerns indicated above are:

- Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (39.8%, n=107)
- Increase security in the area (38.7%, n=104)

- Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (38.3%, n=103)

Respondents Located Within 250 m of Proposed Locations

A total of 85 respondents who provided a postal code within 250 m of the proposed locations provided feedback about what might help address their concerns about having a supervised consumption site at 192 Bradford Street. The top three ways to address the concerns indicated above included:

- Increase security in the area (34.1%, n=29)
- Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (25.9%, n=22)
- Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (22.4%, n=19)

Additional Comments Regarding a Supervised Consumption Site at 192 Bradford Street

Respondents who provided feedback on 192 Bradford Street were given the opportunity to provide additional comments or suggestions about an SCS at this site. In total, 329 respondents provided additional feedback, including:

- Support for a supervised consumption site (n=64)
- General disapproval of drugs and/or supervised consumption sites (n=55)
- Proximity to residential areas, parks, schools, and businesses (n=42)
- Choose a different location (n=40)
- Proximity to where clientele need it to be (n=40)
- Impact on the community (an SCS will impact Barrie's reputation and will make people feel less comfortable or willing to spend time in the community) (n=33)
- Other potential strategies (focus on community engagement, prevention, recreational activities, decriminalization of drugs, etc. instead) (n=20)
- Other (n=13)
- General safety concerns (n=11)
- Stigma (n=4)
- Increase security and enforcement in the surrounding area (n=4)
- Impact on crime (n=3)

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APPENDIX A: DATA COLLECTION TOOLS

Community Survey for a Supervised Consumption Site in Ward 2 Barrie: Additional Sites

Following consultation and feedback received from stakeholders, the applicants along with the advisory committee decided to expand our search to other potential sites, in addition to those already under consideration. As a result of that further search, new site options have been selected for community consultation.

If you live, work, own a business and or go to school in Barrie, the Canadian Mental Health Association Simcoe County Branch and the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit would like your opinion about the potential benefits and challenges of a supervised consumption site at the following added proposed locations:

- 11 Sophia St W.
- 80 Bradford St. Unit 940
- 192 Bradford St.

Harm reduction services such as supervised consumption sites aim to keep people who use drugs alive, safe and healthy even if they continue to use. People can then have the opportunity to get treatment for addictions if they are ready. Examples of other harm reduction services include: Needle exchange programs; education on safer drug use; naloxone kits to reverse opioid overdoses; and overdose prevention training.

Harm reduction is just one of the pieces of a comprehensive drug strategy that our community has been taking over the past number of years to reduce harms related to the opioid crisis. The results of this survey will be used to help inform the selection of a preferred SCS location to recommend to Barrie City Council for endorsement and to submit as a SCS/CTS application to Health Canada and the Ontario Ministry of Health.

This survey should take 10 to 15 minutes to complete. Your participation in this survey is voluntary and anonymous. We will not ask you any personal or identifying questions. We follow all laws protecting privacy and the collection, use, and disclosure of personal information and personal health information. The data will be stored in a secure drive at the health unit, with access limited to only those few individuals assigned to analyze the survey.

Your choice to complete or not complete this survey will not affect your access to or use of the health unit services. You can stop the survey at any time. Your responses will be grouped together with other responses and used in a final report.

For questions about this survey, please contact the Substance Use and Injury Prevention Manager, Mia Brown at mia.brown@smdhu.org, or 1-877-721-7520 at ext. 7436

If you have any concerns about the privacy or confidentiality of this survey, please contact the Office of the Privacy Officer, Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit at 1-877-721-7520.

Please complete the survey and return it in the postage stamped envelope provided by the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit by **March 31, 2021**. Please do not put your name on any of the pages or the envelope.

By submitting your completed survey, we assume that you understand and agree with the information above. For the hard copy survey, if you choose not to participate, you can put the blank survey in the envelope and return it.

If you understand and agree with the information about this survey please check "Agree" to begin this survey.

☐ Agree

☐ Don't Agree

"Supervised consumption sites (SCSs) provide safe space and sterile equipment for individuals to use pre-obtained drugs under the supervision of health care staff. Consumption refers to taking opioids or other drugs by injecting, smoking, snorting or taking them orally. SCSs provide fundamental services for people who use drugs. SCSs are health care facilities that are part of a full array of harm reduction services" (CAMH, 2017)

1. Do you live, work, own a business, and or go to school in Barrie?
 - ☐ Yes
 - ☐ No → *Thank you. You do not need to answer any more questions. This survey is only for people who live, work, own a business, or go to school in Barrie.*
2. Please choose all that apply to you:
 - ☐ I live in Barrie
 - ☐ I work in Barrie
 - ☐ I own a business in Barrie
 - ☐ I go to school in Barrie
3. Please provide a postal code for where you live, work, own a business, or go to school in Barrie. If you are answering the following questions about more than one location, please choose the postal code that you feel is most impacted by the proposed location (Example L0L 0L0).

4. Please indicate which site you are completing the survey for.
Please note that you can provide feedback for multiple sites.

- ☐ 11 Sophia St W, Barrie
- ☐ 80 Bradford Street, Unit 940, Barrie
- ☐ 192 Bradford Street Barrie

5. In your opinion, what are the benefits, if any, of a supervised consumption site in this location?
You can select all answers that apply.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose | <input type="checkbox"/> Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms | <input type="checkbox"/> I am not sure |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increase community safety | <input type="checkbox"/> I do not think drug use is a problem in this neighbourhood |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reduce risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C | <input type="checkbox"/> I do not think there are any benefits to having a supervised consumption site in this area |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services | <input type="checkbox"/> Reduce stigmatization of people who use drugs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased use of ambulance and police services time | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |
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6. What are your concerns, if any, about a supervised consumption site in this location?
You can select all answers that apply.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Safety of my children or dependents | <input type="checkbox"/> More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Safety of community members | <input type="checkbox"/> Impact on reputation or image of the community |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease in property values | <input type="checkbox"/> I am not sure |
| <input type="checkbox"/> More used needles on the street | <input type="checkbox"/> I have no concerns with a supervised consumption site in this area (<i>Skip to Q8</i>) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Impact on business or profits | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |
| <input type="checkbox"/> More crime | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Encouraging more drug use | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area | _____ |

7. What might help address these concerns?
You can select all answers that apply.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community | <input type="checkbox"/> Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increase security in the area | <input type="checkbox"/> I have no suggestions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Have ongoing ways for community feedback and engagement on the SCS | _____ |
| | _____ |
| | _____ |

8. Please provide any other comments or suggestions you have about a supervised consumption site in this location:

9. Which age group are you in?

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Under 16 years old | <input type="checkbox"/> 25 to 34 years old |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 16 to 24 years old | <input type="checkbox"/> 35 to 44 years old |

- ☐ 45 to 54 years old
- ☐ 55 years and older

☐ I don't want to answer

Thank you!

For more information about harm reduction services offered by the Simcoe Muskoka District Health Unit and supervised consumption sites in general, please visit:

<http://www.simcoemuskokahealth.org/Topics/Drugs/HarmReduction.aspx>

After completing this survey, if you would like to talk to someone about your feelings, you can call the Mental Health Helpline, available 24/7 at: 1-866-531-2600 or visit

<http://connexontario.ca>.

If you require access to needle exchange services or naloxone anywhere in Simcoe County or the District of Muskoka, you can call 705 721-7520 or visit

<http://www.simcoemuskokahealth.org/Topics/Drugs/opioids>

APPENDIX B: KEY HIGHLIGHTS OF RESPONSES BY THOSE WHO LIVE, WORK, OWN A BUSINESS, OR GO TO SCHOOL IN BARRIE

Table 2: Responses by Those Who Live, Work, Own a Business, or Go to School in Barrie, 11 Sophia Street West

	Live In Barrie	Work in Barrie	Own A Business	Go to School
	1385 respondents live in Barrie	961 respondents work in Barrie	251 own a business in Barrie	85 go to school in Barrie
11 Sophia Street West				
# of Respondents For Specific Location	842	605	150	59
Top Potential Benefit	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (55.1%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (55.2%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (42.7%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (72.9%)
	26.7% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.	28.6% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.	41.3% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.	18.6% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.
Top Concern	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (40.3%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (42.3%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (55.3%)	Safety of community members (35.6%)
	27.4% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	28.9% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location.	24.0% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	44.1% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location
Top Mitigation Strategy	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (43.0%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (41.0%)	Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (32.7%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (57.6%)

Table 3: Responses by Those Who Live, Work, Own a Business, or Go to School in Barrie, 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)

	Live In Barrie	Work in Barrie	Own A Business	Go to School
	1385 respondents live in Barrie	961 respondents work in Barrie	251 own a business in Barrie	85 go to school in Barrie
80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)				
# of Respondents For Specific Location	867	621	149	63
Top Potential Benefit	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (55.4%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (55.2%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (45.0%)	Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (63.5%)
	21.7% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.	23.3% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.	28.9% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.	19.0% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.
Top Concern	Safety of community members (36.8%)	Safety of community members (38.6%)	More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (48.3%) Impact on business or profits (48.3%)	More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (31.7%)
	25.5% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	26.4% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location.	18.1% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	36.5% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location
Top Mitigation Strategy	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (41.2%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (40.1%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (36.2%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (52.4%)

Table 4: Responses by Those Who Live, Work, Own a Business, or Go to School in Barrie, 192 Bradford Street

	Live In Barrie	Work in Barrie	Own A Business	Go to School
	1385 respondents live in Barrie	961 respondents work in Barrie	251 own a business in Barrie	85 go to school in Barrie
192 Bradford Street				
# of Respondents For Specific Location	779	560	158	55
Top Potential Benefit	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (47.2%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (50.0%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (39.9%)	Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (63.6%)
	27.2% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.	26.4% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.	32.3% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.	18.2% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location.
Top Concern	Safety of community members (41.3%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (41.4%) Safety of community members (41.4%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (48.7%)	Safety of community members (34.5%) More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (34.5%)
	19.9% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	23.0% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location.	15.2% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	32.7% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location
Top Mitigation Strategy	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (35.8%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (36.2%)	Increase security in the area (29.7%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (54.5%)

APPENDIX C: KEY HIGHLIGHTS OF RESPONSES BY WARD

Table 5: Responses by Ward 1 to 5, 11 Sophia Street West

	Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Ward 5
Overall # of Respondents	140	540	87	78	71
11 Sophia Street West					
# of Respondents For Specific Location	83	311	55	53	41
Top Potential Benefit	Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (59.7%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (57.3%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (69.8%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (56.8%) Increase community safety (56.8%) Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (56.8%) Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (56.8%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (66.7%)
	33.8% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	34.6% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	20.8% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	36.4% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	27.8% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location
Top Concern	Decrease in property values (43.8%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (50.3%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (49.1%) More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (49.1%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (51.1%)	More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (47.2%)

	Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Ward 5
	38.4% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	30.4% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	32.1% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	24.4% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	36.1% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location
Top Mitigation Strategy	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (47.2%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (42.7%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (64.0%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (58.1%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (58.8%)

Table 6: Responses by Ward 6 to 10, 11 Sophia Street West

	Ward 6	Ward 7	Ward 8	Ward 9	Ward 10
Overall # of Respondents	66	51	167	39	56
11 Sophia Street West					
# of Respondents For Specific Location	37	34	115	25	33
Top Potential Benefit	<p>Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (60.0%)</p> <p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (60.0%)</p> <p>Reduce risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (60.0%)</p> <p>Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (60.0%)</p>	<p>Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (73.1%)</p> <p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (73.1%)</p> <p>Reduce risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (73.1%)</p> <p>Connect people who use drugs or their family members with</p>	<p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (71.6%)</p> <p>Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (71.6%)</p>	<p>Increase community safety (84.0%)</p>	<p>Reduce risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (68.8%)</p> <p>Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (68.8%)</p>

Ward 6		Ward 7	Ward 8	Ward 9	Ward 10
		health, treatment and social services (73.1%)			
	36.7% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	23.1% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	18.3% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	12.0% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	28.1% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location
Top Concern	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (62.1%)	Impact on reputation or image of the community (30.8%) Impact on business or profits (30.8%)	More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (34.9%)	Safety of community members (37.5%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (43.8%) Decrease in property values (43.8%)
	24.1% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	46.2% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	38.5% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	45.8% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	25.0% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location
Top Mitigation Strategy	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (64.3%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (58.3%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (50.0%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (69.6%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (58.1%)

Table 7: Responses by Ward 1 to 5, 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)

	Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Ward 5
Overall # of Respondents	140	540	87	78	71
80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)					
# of Respondents	93	325	53	47	45

	Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Ward 5
For Specific Location					
Top Potential Benefit	Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (72.2%) Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (72.2%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (60.0%)	Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (79.6%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (65.8%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (68.4%)
	19.0% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	27.6% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	16.3% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	28.9% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	26.3% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location
Top Concern	Decrease in property values (35.4%)	Safety of community members (48.6%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (40.8%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (50.0%) Impact on business or profits (50.0%)	More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (54.1%)
	40.5% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	27.8% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	44.9% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	28.9% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	24.3% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location
Top Mitigation Strategy	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (56.2%) Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (51.9%)	Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (58.7%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (58.3%)	Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (63.9%)

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Ward 5
not, share results with the local community to take action (55.4%)				

Table 8: Responses by Ward 6 to 10, 80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)

	Ward 6	Ward 7	Ward 8	Ward 9	Ward 10
Overall # of Respondents	66	51	167	39	56
80 Bradford Street Unit 940 (11 Innisfil Street)					
# of Respondents For Specific Location	45	32	112	31	39
Top Potential Benefit	<p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (77.1%)</p> <p>Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (77.1%)</p>	<p>Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (76.2%)</p>	<p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (67.3%)</p>	<p>Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (67.9%)</p> <p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (67.9%)</p>	<p>Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (67.6%)</p> <p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (67.6%)</p> <p>Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (67.6%)</p> <p>Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (67.6%)</p>
	22.9% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	23.8% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	18.8% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	25.0% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	24.3% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location

	Ward 6	Ward 7	Ward 8	Ward 9	Ward 10
Top Concern	Safety of community members (47.2%)	Impact on business or profits (42.9%)	Safety of community members (42.9%)	Safety of community members (48.1%)	Safety of community members (43.2%) More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (43.2%)
	33.3% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	38.1% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	28.6% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	29.6% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	32.4% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location
Top Mitigation Strategy	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (70.6%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (55.6%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (50.5%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (50.0%) Have ongoing ways for community feedback and engagement on the SCS (50.0%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (55.6%)

Table 9: Responses by Ward 1 to 5, 192 Bradford Street

	Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Ward 5
Overall # of Respondents	140	540	87	78	71
192 Bradford Street					
# of Respondents For Specific Location	72	324	46	40	38

	Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Ward 5
Top Potential Benefit	Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (65.5%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (52.8%)	Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (77.5%)	Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (65.5%)	Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (59.4%)
	22.4% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	38.5% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	17.5% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	31.0% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	28.1% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location
Top Concern	Safety of community members (46.4%)	Safety of community members (58.9%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (42.5%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (58.6%)	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (51.6%) More people who use drugs in the neighbourhood (50.0%)
	26.8% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	22.3% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	35.0% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	27.6% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	19.4% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location
Top Mitigation Strategy	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (48.2%) Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (48.2%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (39.8%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (59.5%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (51.9%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (65.6%)

Table 10: Responses by Ward 6 to 10, 192 Bradford Street

192 Bradford Street					
192 Bradford Street					
Overall # of Respondents	66	51	167	39	56
# of Respondents For Specific Location	34	23	93	21	34
Top Potential Benefit	<p>Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (63.0%)</p> <p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (63.0%)</p> <p>Increase community safety (63.0%)</p> <p>Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (63.0%)</p>	<p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (71.4%)</p>	<p>Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (64.1%)</p> <p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (64.1%)</p>	<p>Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (70.0%)</p> <p>Reduce public drug use on streets or in parks and washrooms (70.0%)</p> <p>Reduce risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (70.0%)</p> <p>Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (70.0%)</p> <p>Fewer used needles on the streets and in parks (70.0%)</p>	<p>Reduce risk of injury and death from drug overdose (63.3%)</p> <p>Reduce risk of diseases such as HIV, Hepatitis B and Hepatitis C (63.3%)</p> <p>Connect people who use drugs or their family members with health, treatment and social services (63.3%)</p>
	29.6% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	28.6% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	24.3% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	25.0% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location	30.0% did not think there are any benefits to having an SCS in this location
Top Concern	Impact on neighbourhood cleanliness or quality of life (51.9%)	Safety of community members (40.0%)	Safety of community members (45.4%)	Safety of community members (50.0%)	Safety of community members (36.7%)

	Ward 6	Ward 7	Ward 8	Ward 9	Ward 10
		Decrease in property values (40.0%)			Encouraging more drug use (36.7%) More drugs being sold or trafficked in the area (36.7%)
	33.3% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	37.5% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	28.6% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	30.0% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location	36.7% had no concerns with a supervised consumption site at this location
Top Mitigation Strategy	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (59.3%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (58.3%) Increase clean-up of publicly discarded needles (58.3%)	Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (48.7%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (55.6%)	Provide the local community with information about the goals of supervised consumption sites and how they can help the community (48.1%) Evaluate the services to see what is working and what is not, share results with the local community to take action (48.1%)