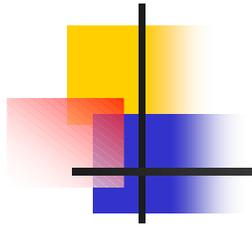


Paramedics' Status

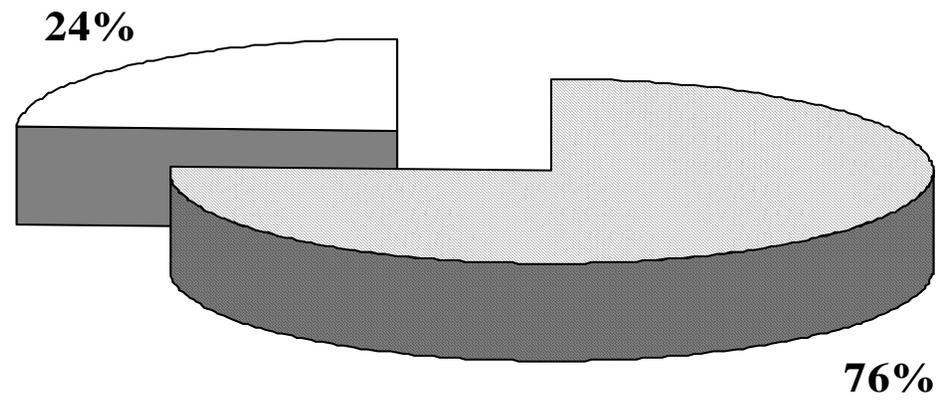
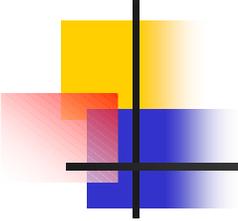


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Surveys Received

77%
Providing Pre-Hospital Care
Employed or Volunteering

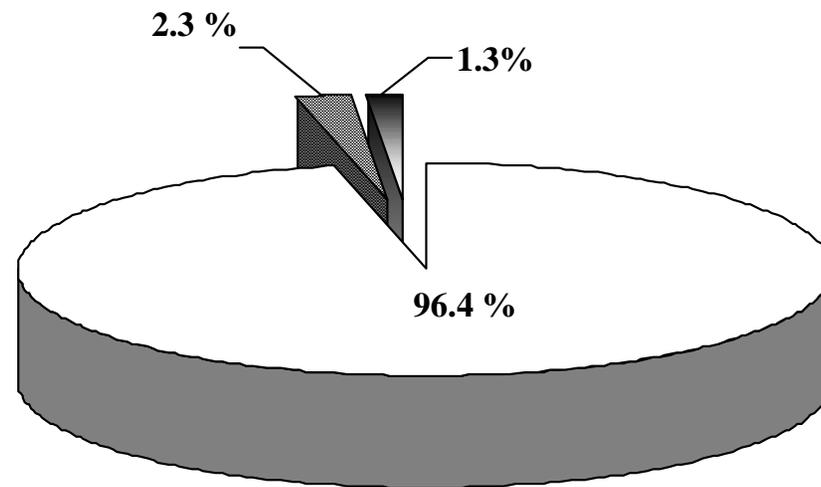
23%
Not Currently Employed
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Active Paramedics Gender



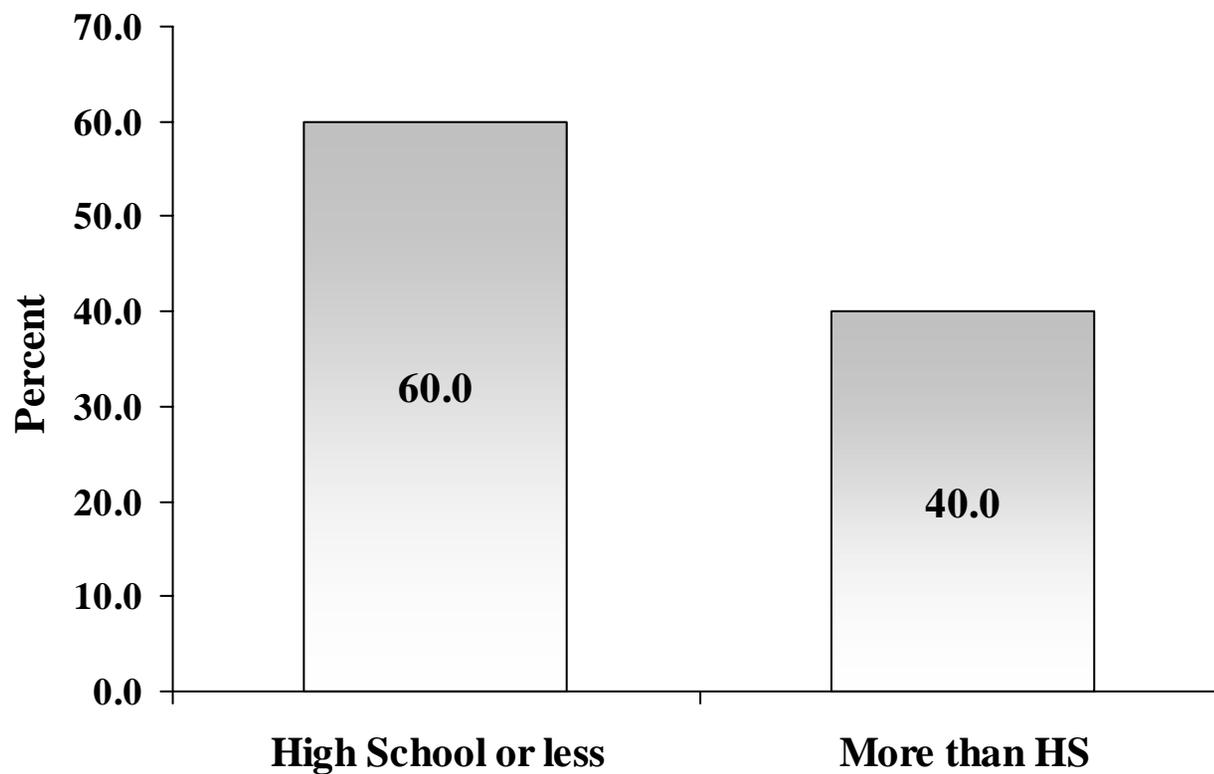
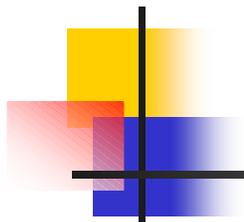
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Active Paramedics Race



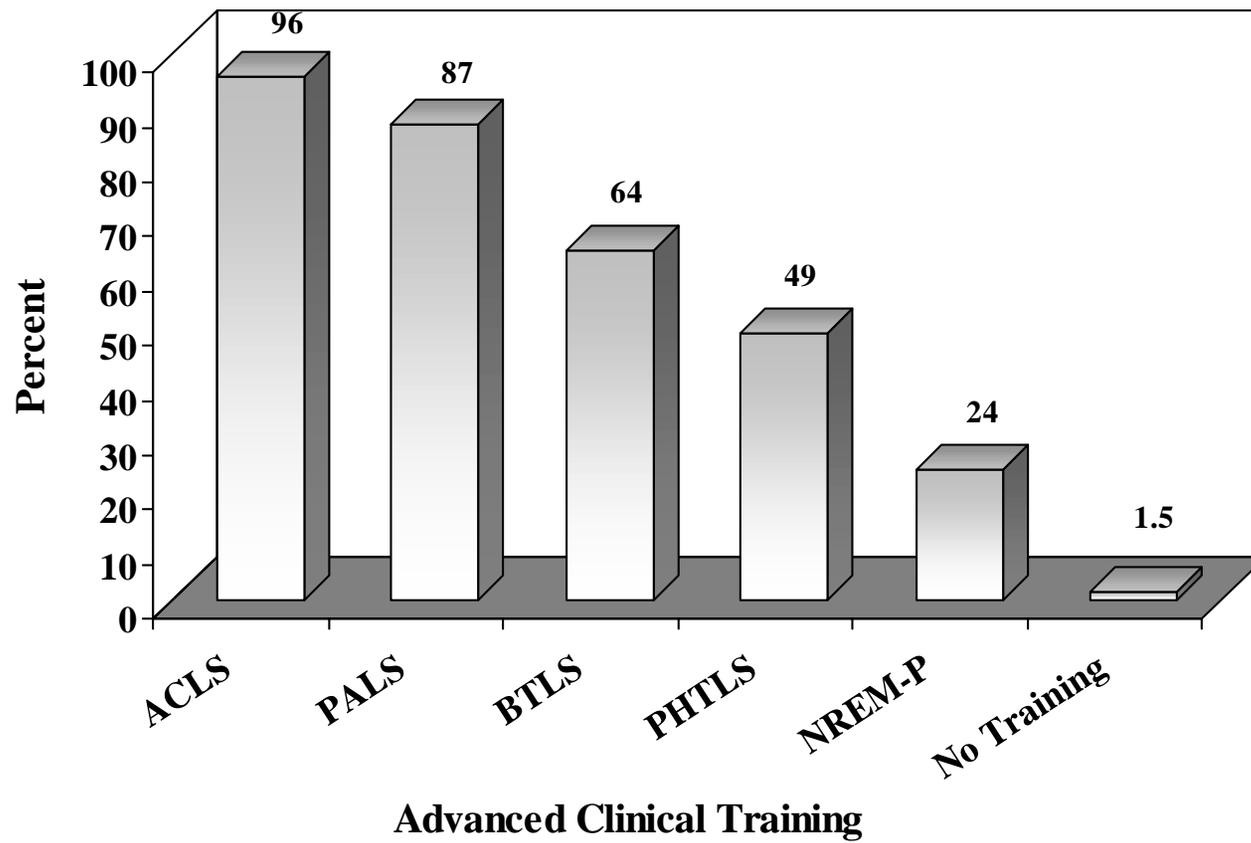
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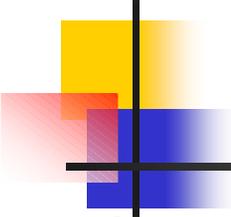
Active Paramedics Level of Educational



Active Paramedics

Advanced Clinical Training

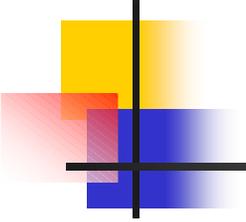




Active Paramedics Employment Sector

Employment Sector	%
Not-for-Profit	33.0
Hospital	14.0
Municipal Government	13.0
For Profit	11.4
Hospital Based	8.0
VFD	6.5
Air Ambulance	5.0
Municipal Authority	4.0
Business/Industry	1.5
Other*	6.8

* Other includes: Military/Federal, Nursing Home, DOH, Physician/Dentist, Public/Private School, Prof.School Faculty, Consulting Firm, and Sales, Other

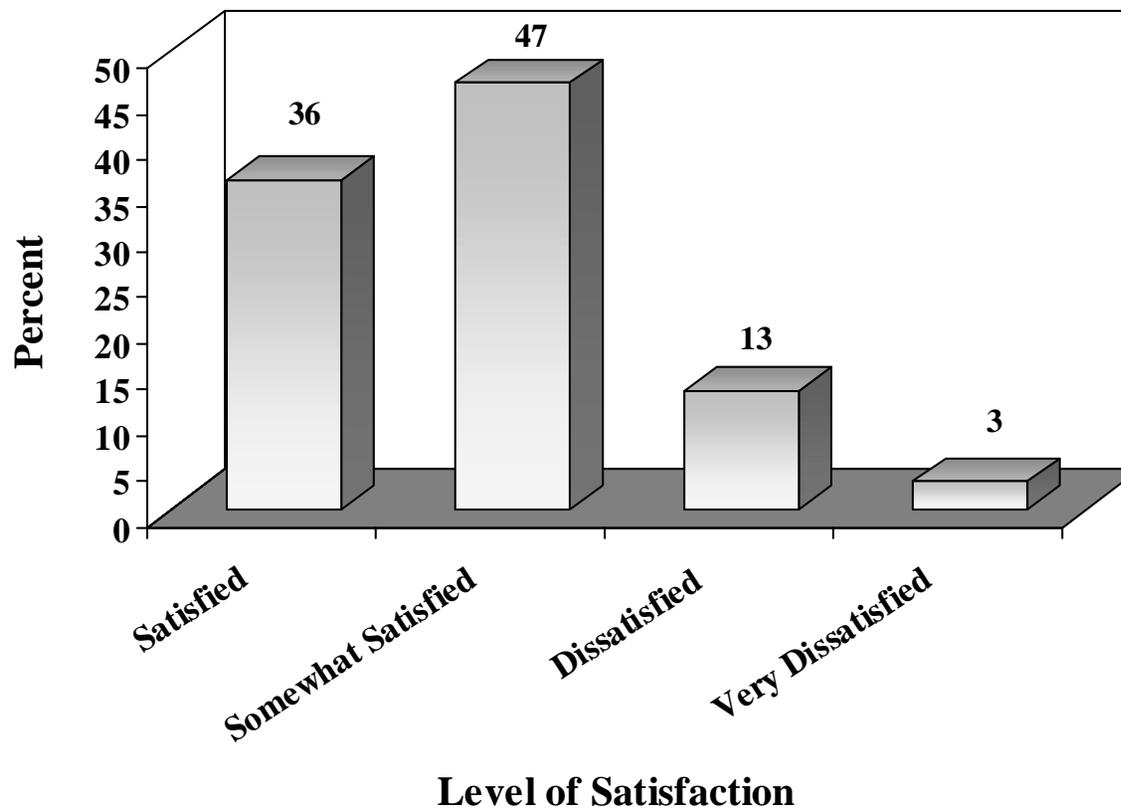


Active Paramedics Primary Job Position

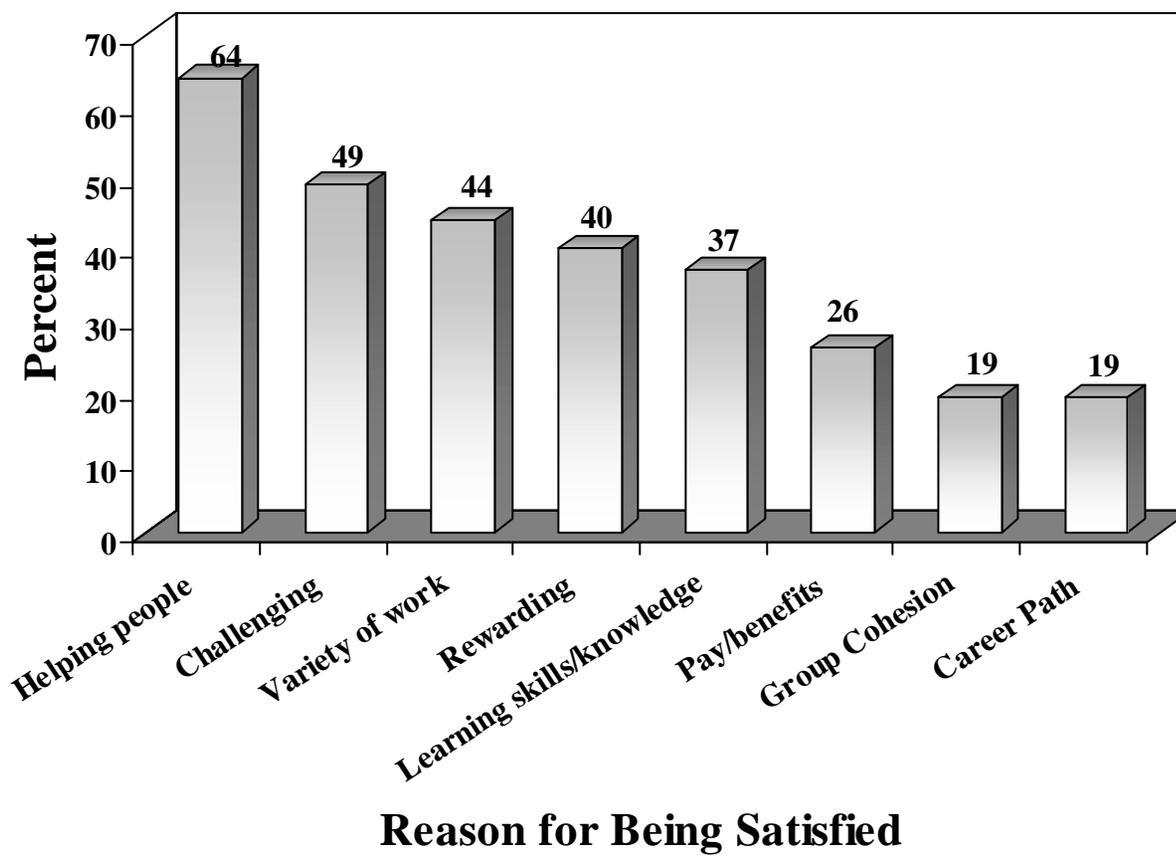
Primary Job	%
Direct patient care	80.0
Administration/Management	13.6
Educator	6.0
Quality Insurance/Improvement	2.1
Dispatcher/Communicator	1.2
Infection control	0.5
Research/consultant	0.3
Other	3.9

Active Paramedics

Level of Satisfaction with Primary EMS Job



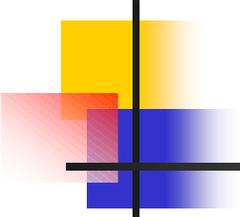
Active Paramedics Primary Reason for Feeling Satisfied or Very Satisfied



Active Paramedics

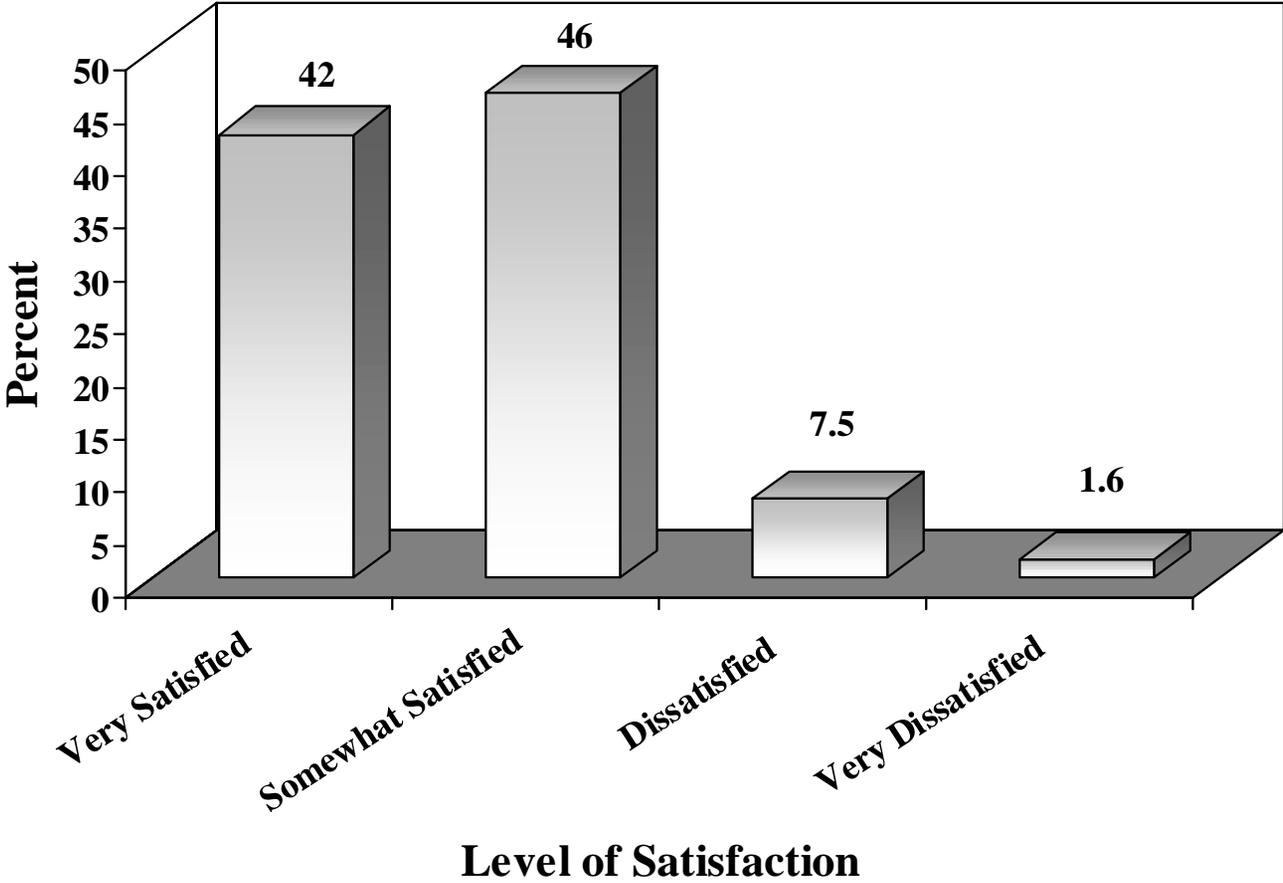
Reasons for Job Dissatisfaction with Primary EMS Job

Reason	%
Pay Benefits	23.2
Work Not Valued or Recognized	18.4
Career Advancements	15.1
Organization/Management	15.0
Scheduling	7.2
Too Much Work	4.8
Family Demands	3.9
Personal Conflicts	3.5
Commute Too Far	1.8
Additional Continuing Education Required	1.1
Too Little Work	0.7



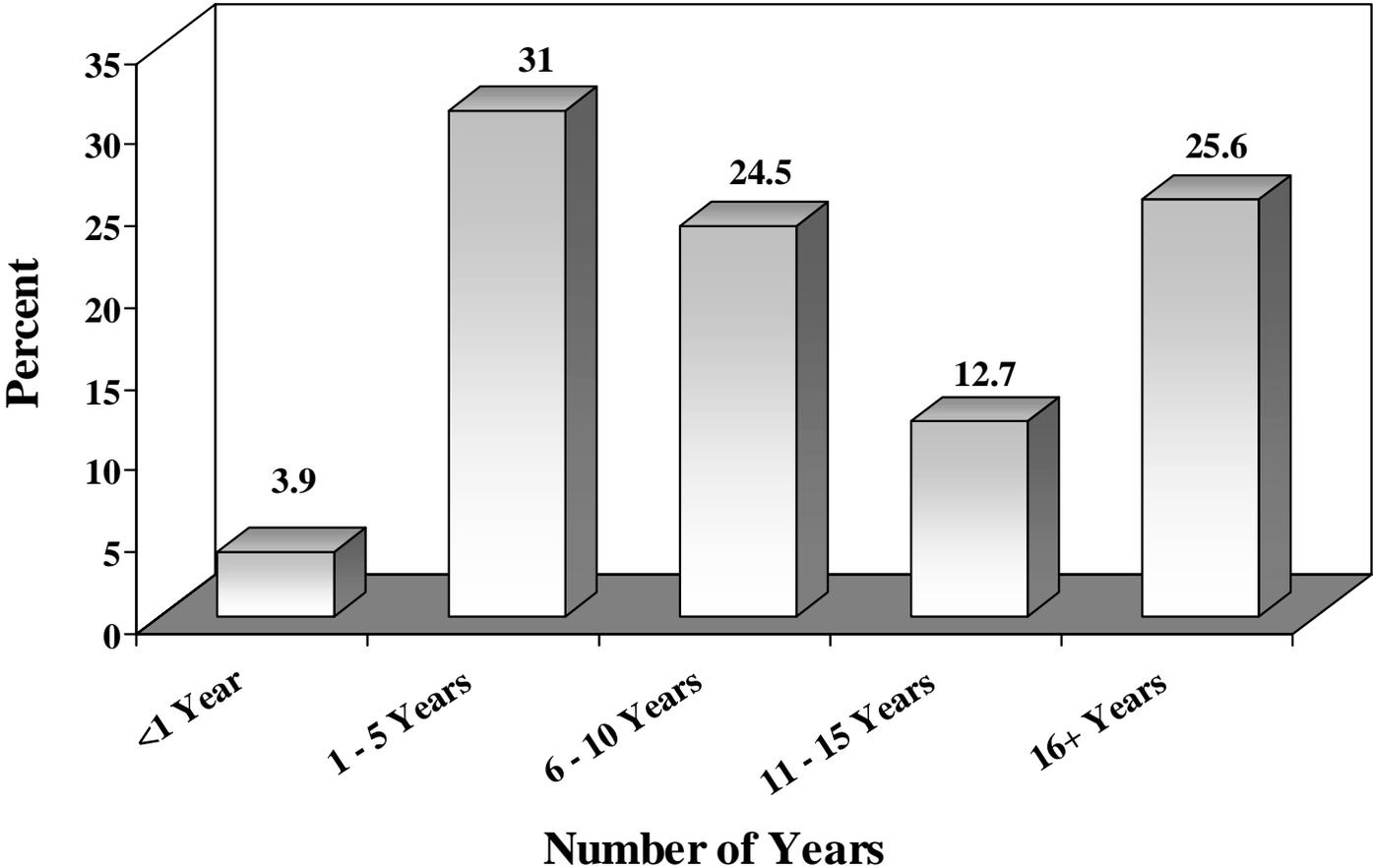
Active Paramedics

Level of Satisfaction Working in EMS



Active Paramedic

Number of Years Will Remain in EMS Service

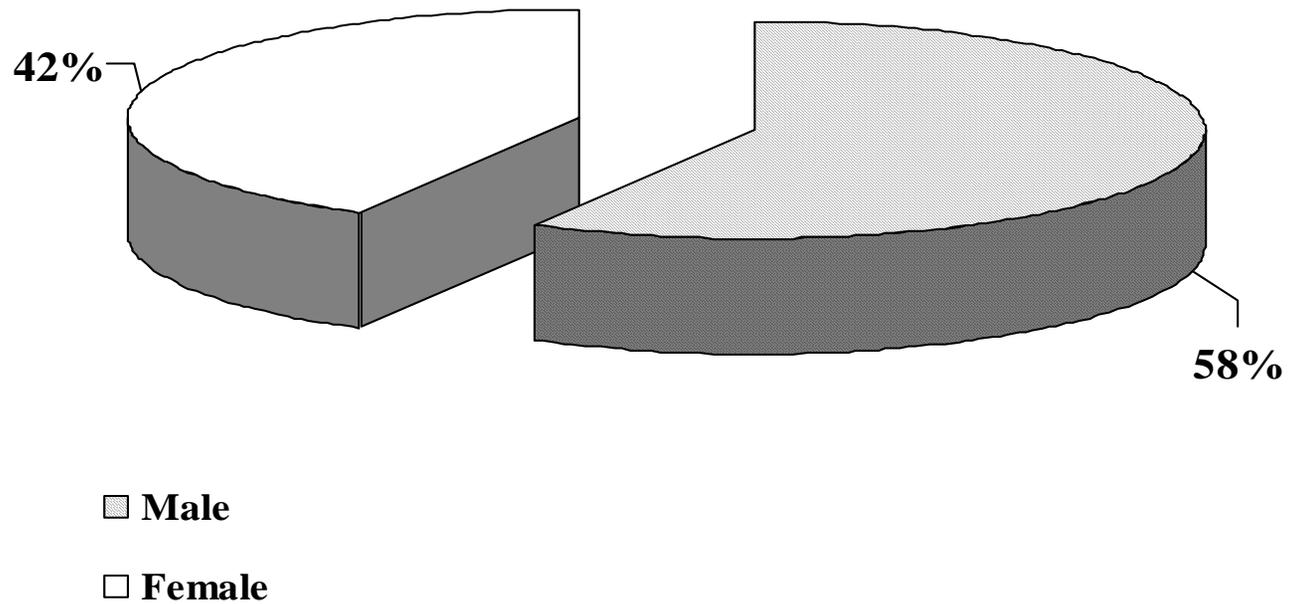


Active Paramedics

Primary Reasons If Leaving EMS in the Next 5 Years

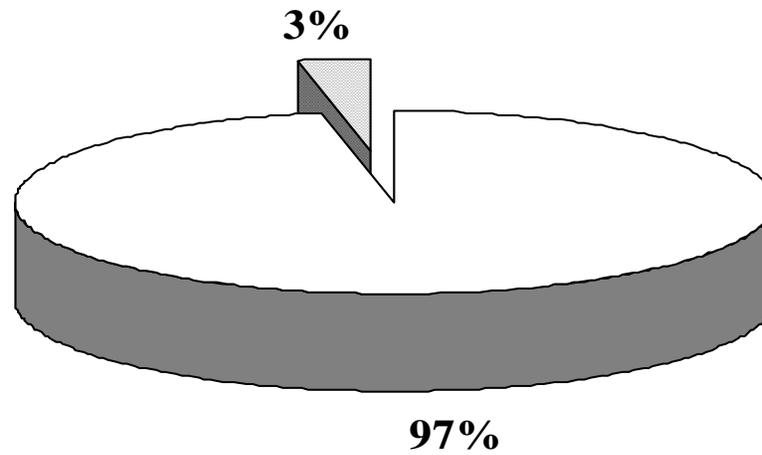
Reason	%
Salary/Benefit Improvement	17.5
Career Advancement	17.0
Work Is Not Valued/Recognized	7.6
Health/Age	7.5
Retirement	5.1
Family Demands	3.4
Workload	3.2
School/Education/Training	2.7
Exposure to Risks/Threats	2.1
Personal Conflict	1.1
Discharged by Current Employer	0.1

Not Currently Employed or Volunteer Paramedic Gender



Not Currently Employed or Volunteer Paramedic

Race

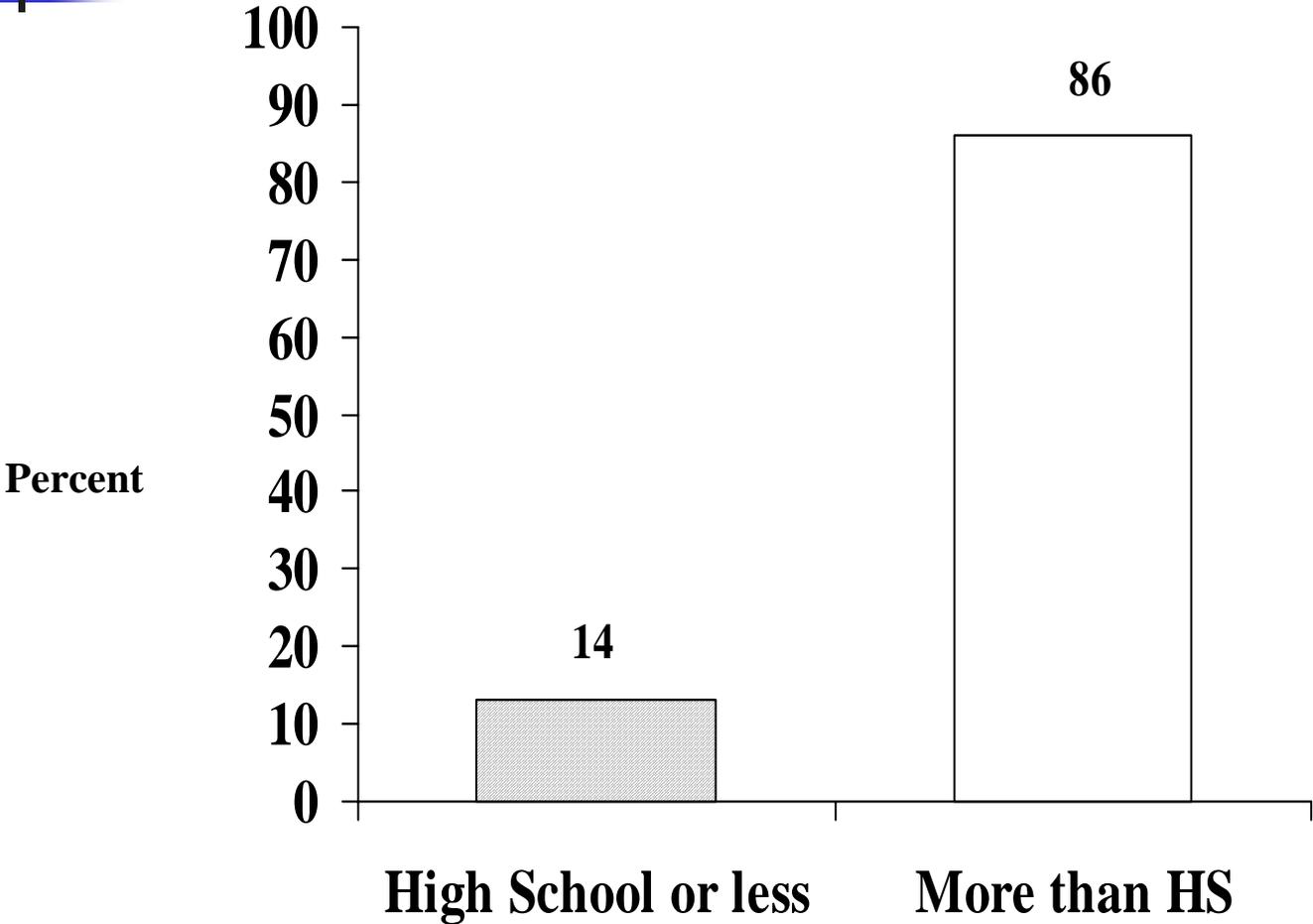
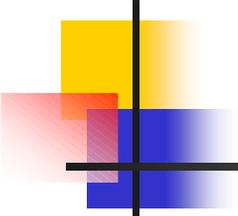


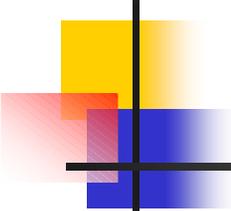
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■ Other

Not Currently Employed or Volunteer Paramedic

Level of Educational





Not Currently Employed or Volunteer Paramedic Primary Reason for Leaving EMS

Reason	%
Career Advancement	27.7
Salary/Benefits	21.9
Family Demands	14.3
Health/Age	12.6
Work is not Valued/Recognized	7.7
Personal Conflict	7.5
Retirement	6.3
Workload	6.0
School/Education/Training	5.0
Discharged by Current Employer	2.3
Exposure to Risks/Threats	2.2

Not Currently Employed or Volunteer Paramedic

Possibility of Returning to EMS

