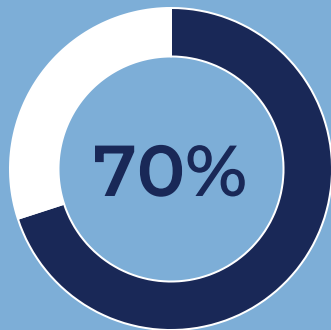


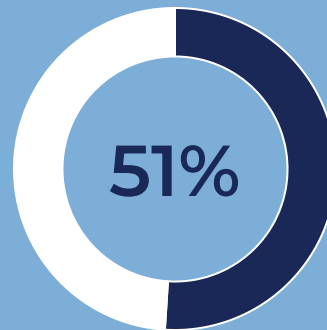


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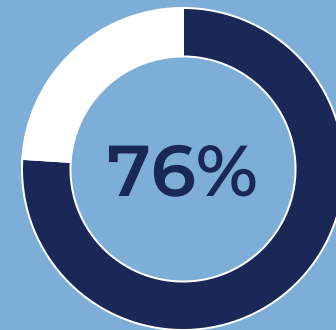
Key findings - 2022



of respondents agreed that asylum seekers should be allowed to stay in Northern Ireland - a significant increase compared with 2018, the first year of the current time series (54%)



of respondents agreed that Northern Ireland is a society that welcomes refugees escaping persecution in their home country - a significant increase compared with 2019, the first year of the current time series (39%)



of respondents agreed that it is "our duty to provide protection to refugees who are escaping persecution in their home country" - a significant increase compared with 2019, the first year of the current time series (65%)



Additional analysis, including by sex, age, religion and Local Government District, is available in the report and supplementary tables, found at:
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