

HEALTH CARE TRANSITION among youth with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities

What is health care transition (HCT)?

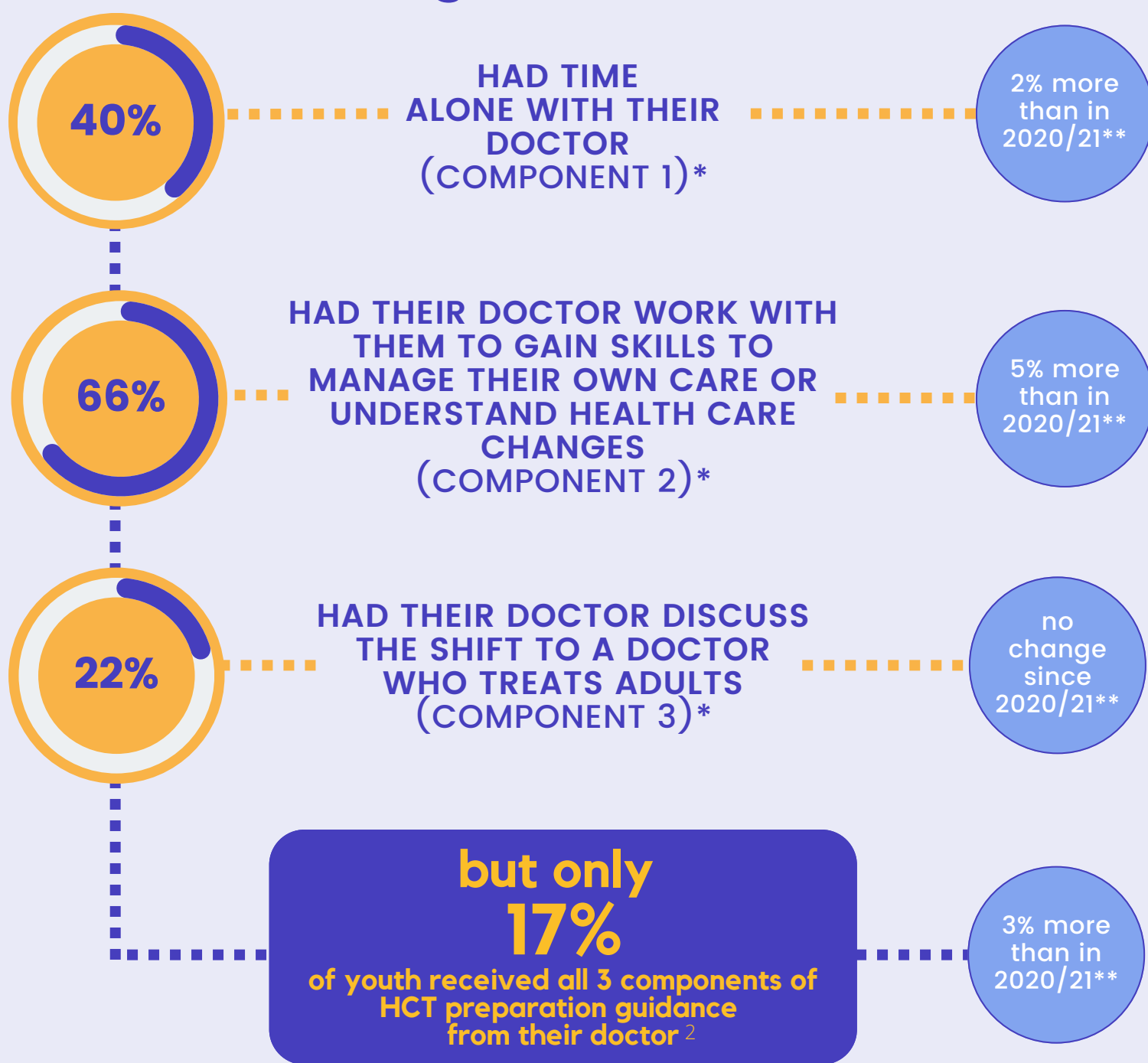


- HCT is the process of moving from a pediatric to an adult model of health care
- The goal of HCT is to learn skills to manage your own health and health services, with support

What is the prevalence of intellectual and/or developmental disability (ID/DD) among youth?

In 2022/23, 7% of youth, ages 12-17, had ID/DD¹

In 2022/23, how many youth, ages 12-17, with ID/DD received HCT preparation guidance?



*This data is from the 2022-2023 National Survey of Children's Health (NSCH). The respondent to this questionnaire is a parent or guardian who is living in the home and has knowledge of the sampled child. ID/DD in this data is defined to include any current experience of autism or autism spectrum disorder (ASD), cerebral palsy, developmental delay, Down syndrome, epilepsy or seizure disorder, intellectual disability, learning disability, speech or language disorder, and Tourette syndrome.

**Differences from 2020/21 may not be statistically significant due to small sample sizes.

1. Bethell CD, Gombojav N, Sherwood A. Findings on prevalence of youth with intellectual or developmental conditions using the 2022-2023 NSCH. CAHMI, Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health supported by Cooperative Agreement U59MC27866 from HRSA/MCHB, November 13, 2024.

2. Bethell CD, Gombojav N, Sherwood A. Findings on Title V youth transition to adult care performance measures using the 2022-2023 NSCH. CAHMI, Data Resource Center for Child and Adolescent Health supported by Cooperative Agreement U59MC27866 from HRSA/MCHB, November 13, 2024.

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