



**West
Northamptonshire
Council**

Carer Strategy Consultation Outcome



Numbers

- There were 126 completed responses and 47 responses that were started but not completed.
- 95 of the 126 were a family member of the cared for person
- 17 said they were a partner
- 8 out of 126 were not current carers
- 3 of those had stopped their caring role within the last 12 months
- 3 out of 126 people reported that they currently work for a carers' support organization

Of the caring relationships described:

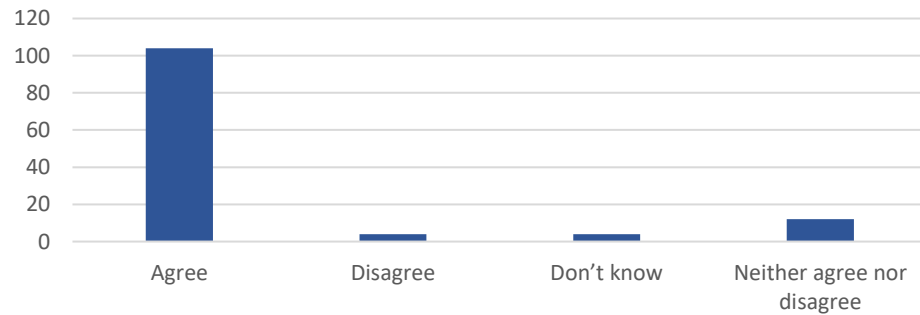
- A volunteer for dementia support
- A cared for person
- Work in healthcare safeguarding
- A caring neighbour
- One person is supporting two family members
- Husband and wife are each other's carers
- Very little information was given about the person completing the feedback form.

Age of the cared for person

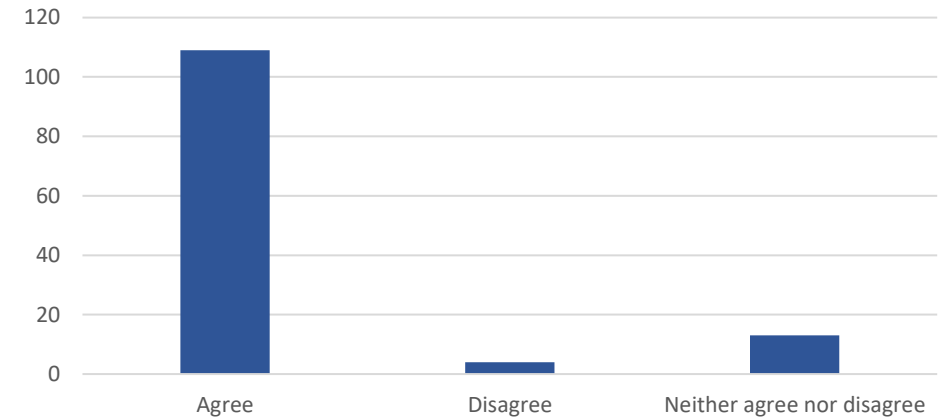
Age group	Number
<18	15
18-24	5
24-34	10
35-44	10
45-54	7
55-64	6
65-74	9
75-84	34
85-95	19
>95	3

Priorities

Work towards health and social care being more joined up to avoid multiple conversations. This includes commissioning carer services.

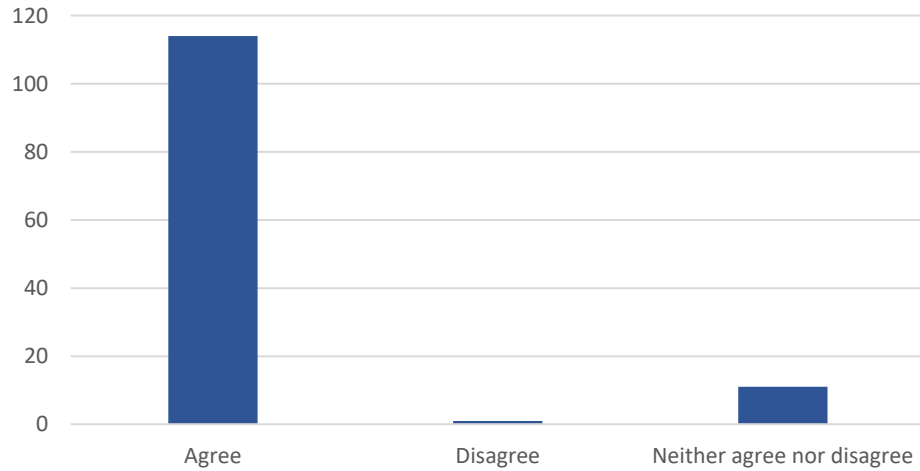


Support people to recognise themselves as carers

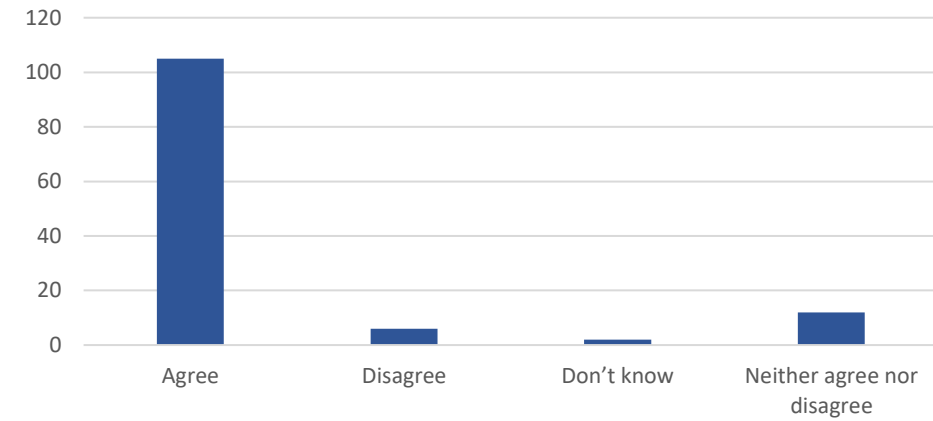


Priorities

Identifying carers for support

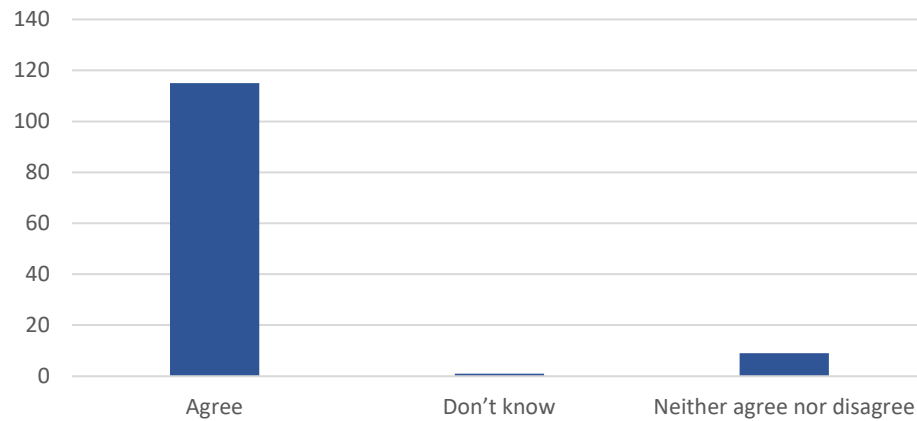


Carers and cared for person more joined up assessment

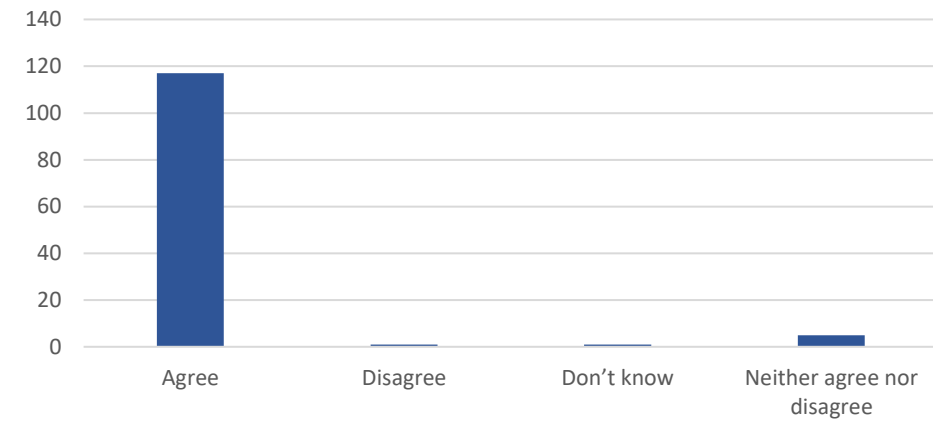


Priorities

A one-stop shop for carers to go to for advice, support and signposting

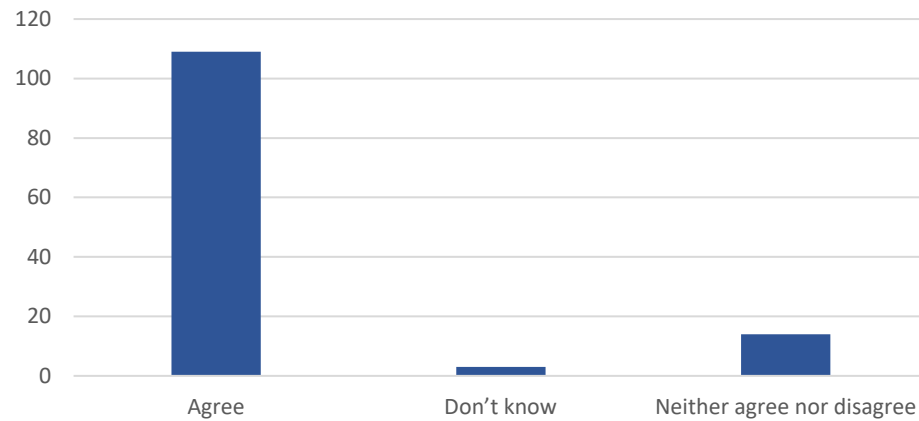


A directory of support for carers that's easy to follow

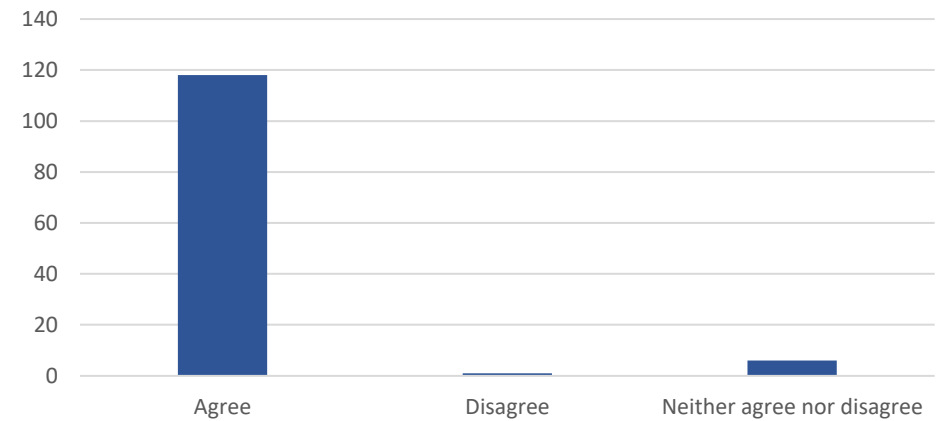


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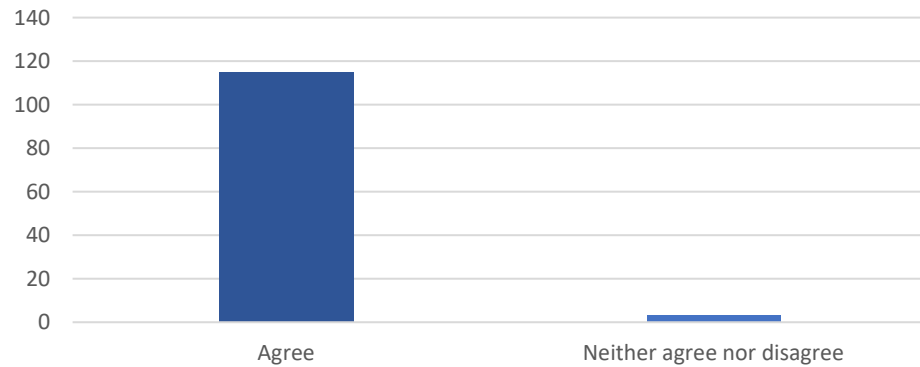
Increase the respite choice and availability



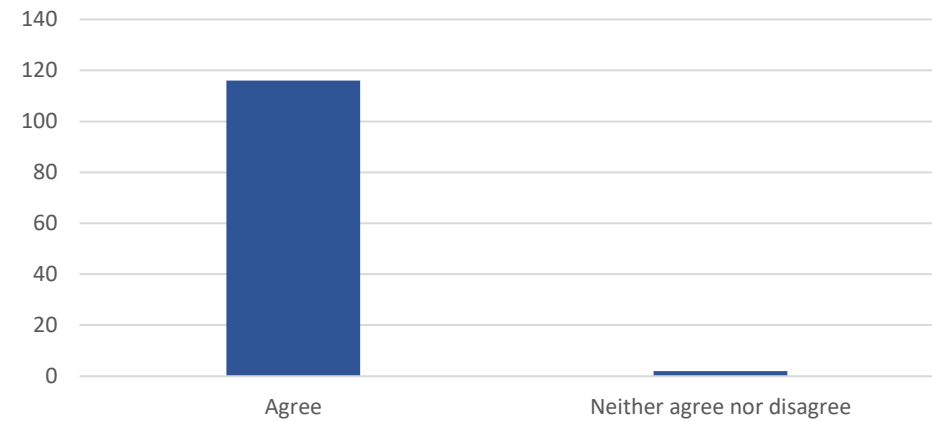
Support when carers are at crisis point in a timely manner with agreed timescales



Carers voices and views heard and respected by professionals as an expert by experience

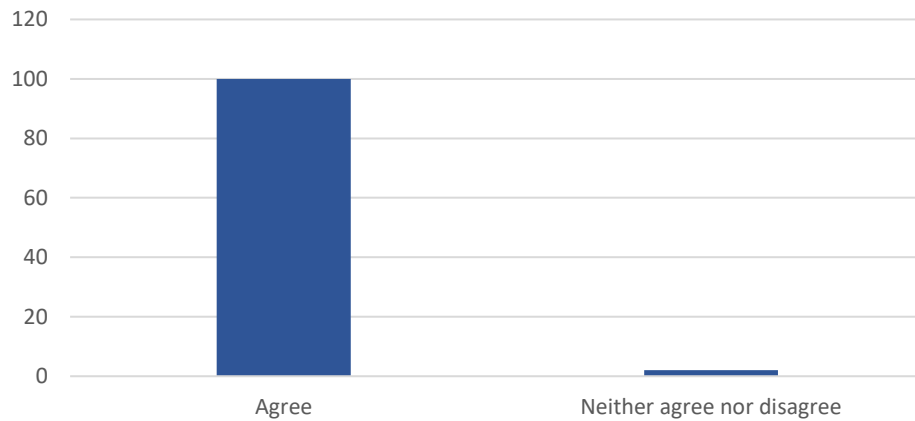


Keeping carers healthy: physically and mentally

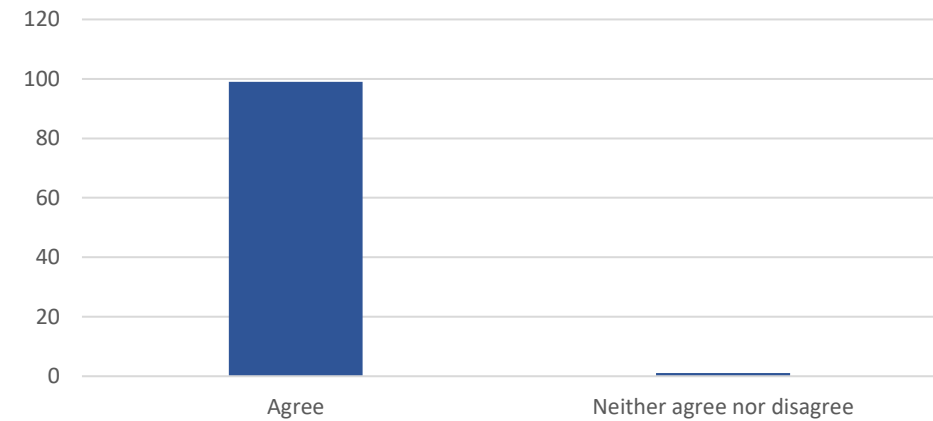


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Carer training, specifically in the condition that the cared for person has

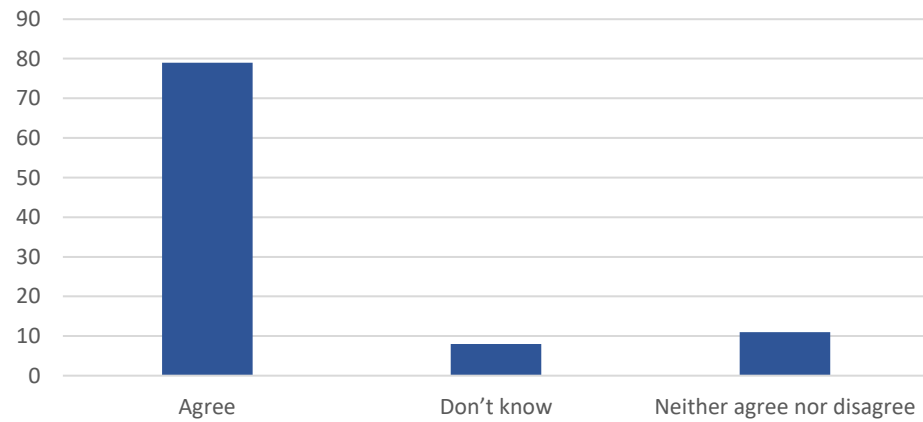


Future planning, particularly for degenerative and terminal conditions

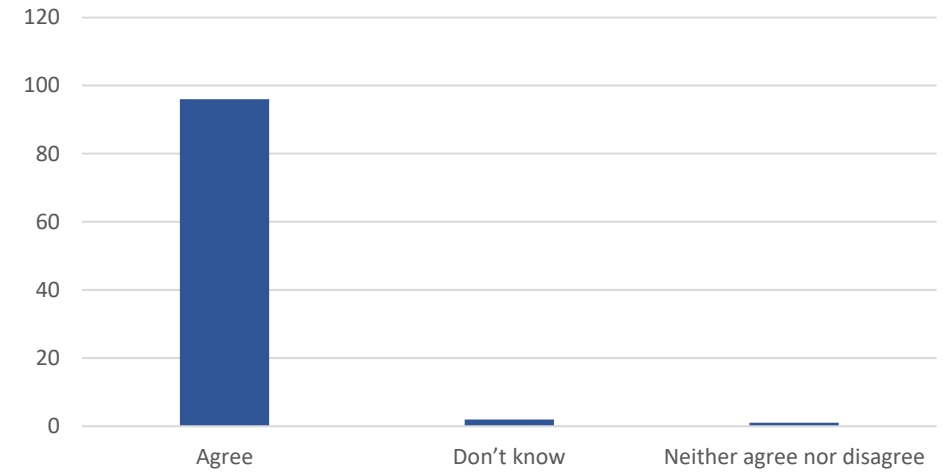


Priorities

Carers help shape the market with commissioners



End of life support for carers



Outcome Framework

To what extent do you agree or disagree with the outcome framework approach?

