

Question 17 Analysis: Fair Representation of IME

Question	Not a Fair Representation					Fair Representation				
	Yes		No		Total	Yes		No		Total
	Count	%	Count	%		Count	%	Count	%	
1: Did you attend an IME in August 2018?	46	93.9%	3	6.1%	49	44	97.8%	1	2.2%	45
2: Was the medical office in a convenient and accessible location within a reasonable distance from your residence?	28	57.1%	21	42.9%	49	36	80.0%	9	20.0%	45
3: Was the medical office clean?	44	91.7%	4	8.3%	48	43	95.6%	2	4.4%	45
5: Did the office staff and IME provider act in a professional manner?	36	75.0%	12	25.0%	48	43	95.6%	2	4.4%	45
6: Did you ask for anyone to accompany you in the examination (friend, family member, etc.)?	13	26.5%	36	73.5%	49	14	31.8%	30	68.2%	44
7: Was there an office assistant present during your examination?	22	44.9%	27	55.1%	49	20	44.4%	25	55.6%	45
8: Was the IME provider present for the entire examination (i.e., no portion of it conducted by an assistant)?	42	87.5%	6	12.5%	48	40	88.9%	5	11.1%	45
9: Did you complete a questionnaire documenting your injury/medical history?	41	87.2%	6	12.8%	47	37	80.4%	9	19.6%	46
10: During the IME, did the IME provider ask you about your medical history and current concerns?	31	64.6%	17	35.4%	48	42	91.3%	4	8.7%	46
11: Did the IME provider examine and/or perform tests on your injured body part(s)?	37	75.5%	12	24.5%	49	42	91.3%	4	8.7%	46
12: Did the IME provider perform tests on the opposite, non-injured body part(s)?	22	45.8%	26	54.2%	48	30	68.2%	14	31.8%	44
13: Did the IME provider use any testing instruments to examine your injured body part(s)?	25	52.1%	23	47.9%	48	32	72.7%	12	27.3%	44
14: Did the IME provider use any testing instruments on the opposite, non-injured body part(s)?	15	32.6%	31	67.4%	46	27	60.0%	18	40.0%	45
16: Did you receive a copy of the IME-4 report?	44	88.0%	6	12.0%	50	44	95.7%	2	4.3%	46
18: Did you video tape or record the IME?	1	2.0%	48	98.0%	49	2	4.3%	44	95.7%	46
19: Did the IME provider video tape or record the IME?	0	0.0%	44	100.0%	44	6	14.3%	36	85.7%	42
20: Were you advised in advance of the IME physician's intention to video tape or record?	0	0.0%	1	100.0%	1	3	42.9%	4	57.1%	7

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	< 15 minutes		16-30 minutes		> 30 minutes		Total	< 15 minutes		16-30 minutes		> 30 minutes		Total
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4: Approximately how long did you wait at the office before you were seen by the IME provider?	12	24.5%	20	40.8%	17	34.7%	49	18	40.0%	16	35.6%	11	24.4%	45
15: Approximately how long did the examination take?	32	68.1%	8	17.0%	7	14.9%	47	14	31.1%	24	53.3%	7	15.6%	45

*The columns on the left, "Not a Fair Representation" represent the 50 respondents who answered "No" to question 17. The columns on the right, "Fair Representation" represent the 46 respondents who answered "Yes" to question 17. There were also 13 respondents who chose not to select an answer for this question.