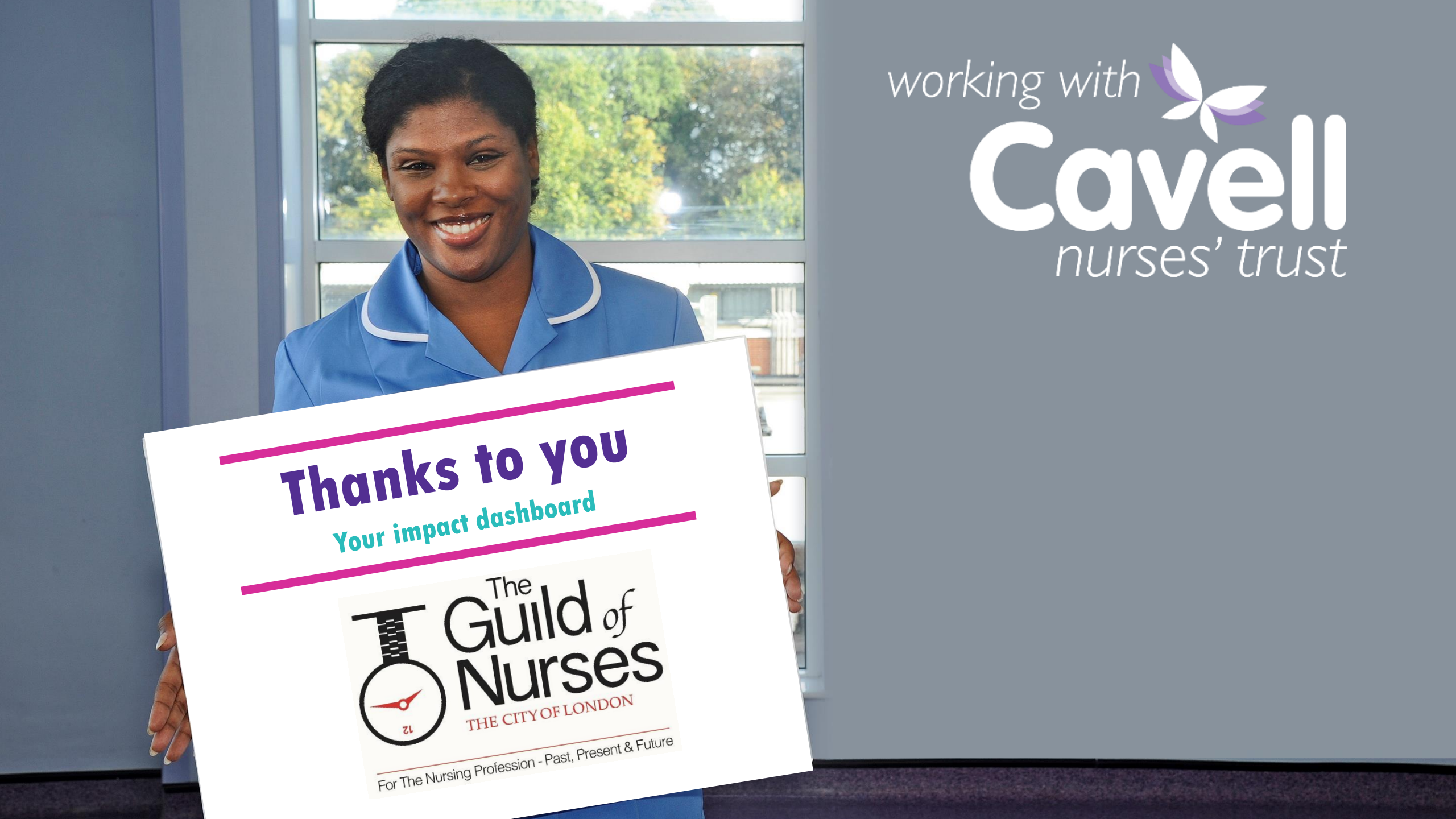
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Joanne’s Story

Joanne, a 52-year-old health visitor, said the idea of becoming a nurse came to her early in her life:

“It sounds silly but I wanted to be a nurse since reading 'Nancy the Nurse' in a comic called Twinkle. Over the years I’ve met so many patients and I get such a lot of satisfaction from seeing people’s lives transformed by the great care we can give."

Joanne was diagnosed with an aggressive form of breast cancer which meant her career came to an abrupt halt. She underwent rounds of surgery, radiotherapy and chemotherapy and on top of all of this, Joanne was struggling to make ends meet.

“I was having a meltdown. I couldn’t see how to cope. That’s when I was put in touch with Cavell Nurses’ Trust."

Cavell Nurses' Trust was able to step in and quickly get Joanne back on her feet again with financial help to cover the cost of bills that were mounting up as she was off work receiving treatment.

“The team at Cavell really listened to me and it was like going from desperation to elation. It sounds silly but I remember I punched the air!”

10 months after her treatment, Joanne is delighted to back working as a health visitor again, caring for people in her community.

“If a nurse, midwife or HCA needs help, even if they’re retired or changed profession, please get in touch with Cavell Nurses’ Trust. Please be brave.” said Joanne.

Your impact in Greater London

Your fantastic membership of 'Working with' in the past 6 months has meant that we've been able to offer the following support:

A total of

£23,139

given in grants to nurses in Greater London in the past 6 months

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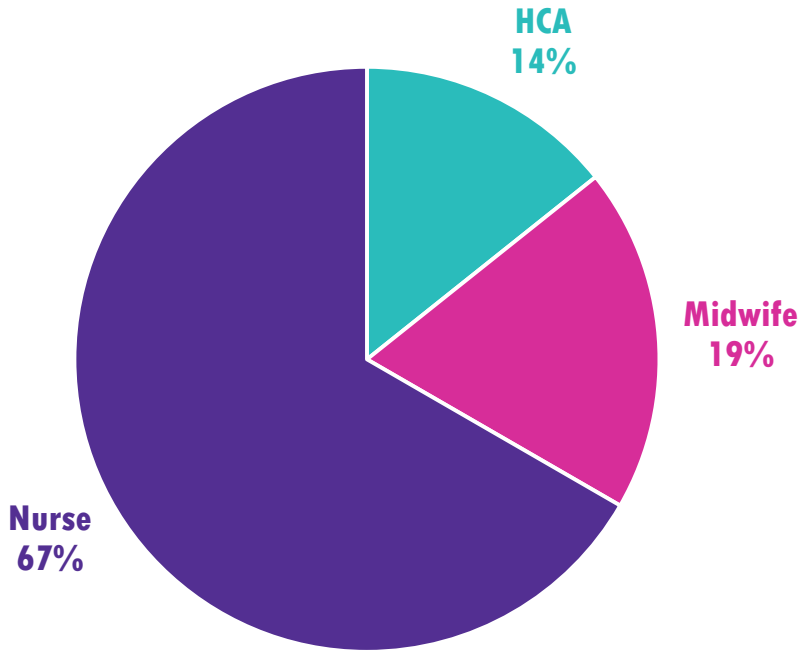

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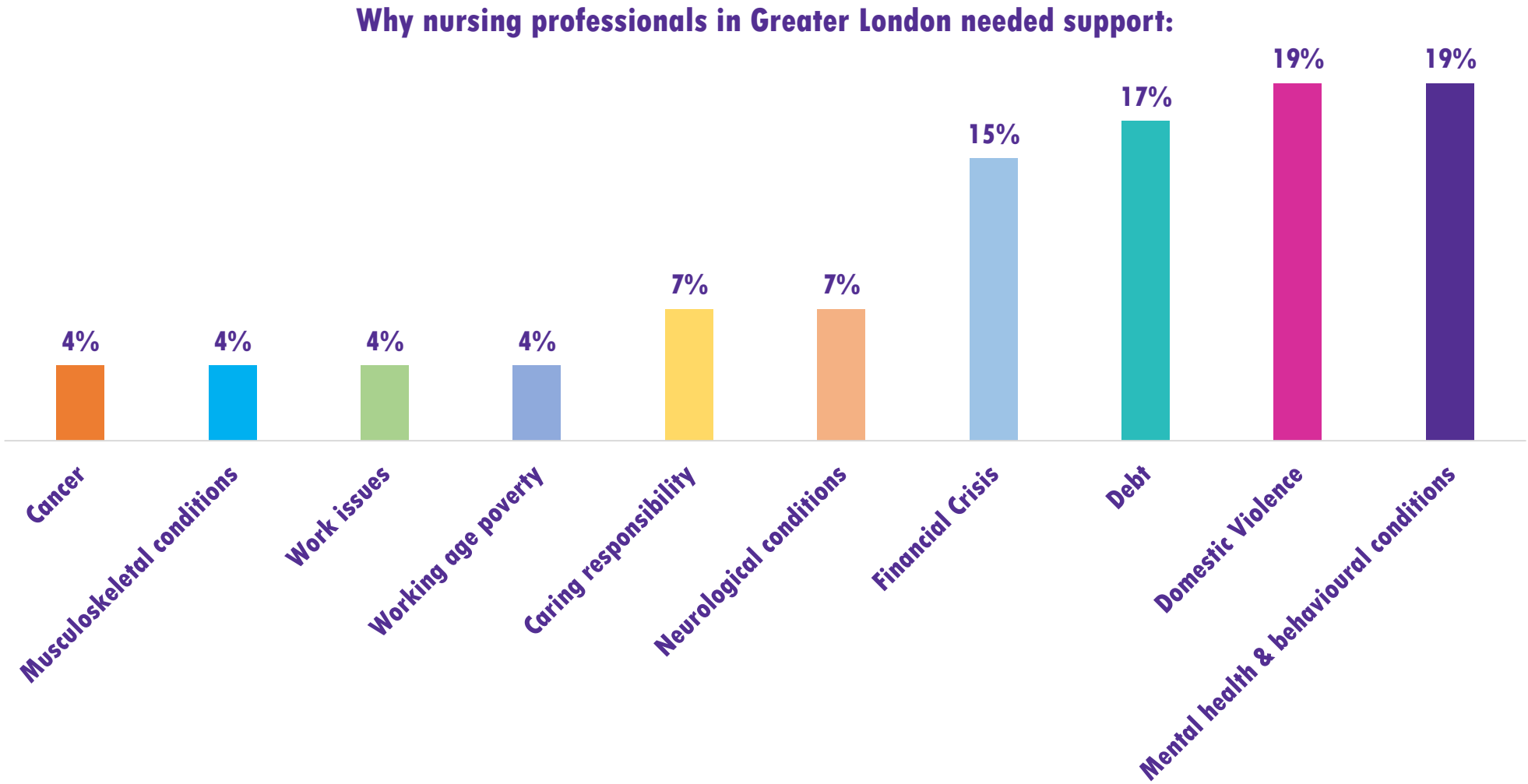

“As I write this I am close to tears. I had to leave my home and job and move into a refuge for women due to domestic abuse.

Without your financial support I would not have been able to have such a successful start again.

Thank you so very much, I'm eternally grateful.”

Nursing professional helped by Cavell Nurses’ Trust, England

Our beneficiaries' voices

From speaking to the people Cavell Nurses' Trust has supported, we discovered:

84%

of nurses agreed that the help they received positively affected their physical health

80%

of nurses agreed that the help they received positively affected their ability to do their job

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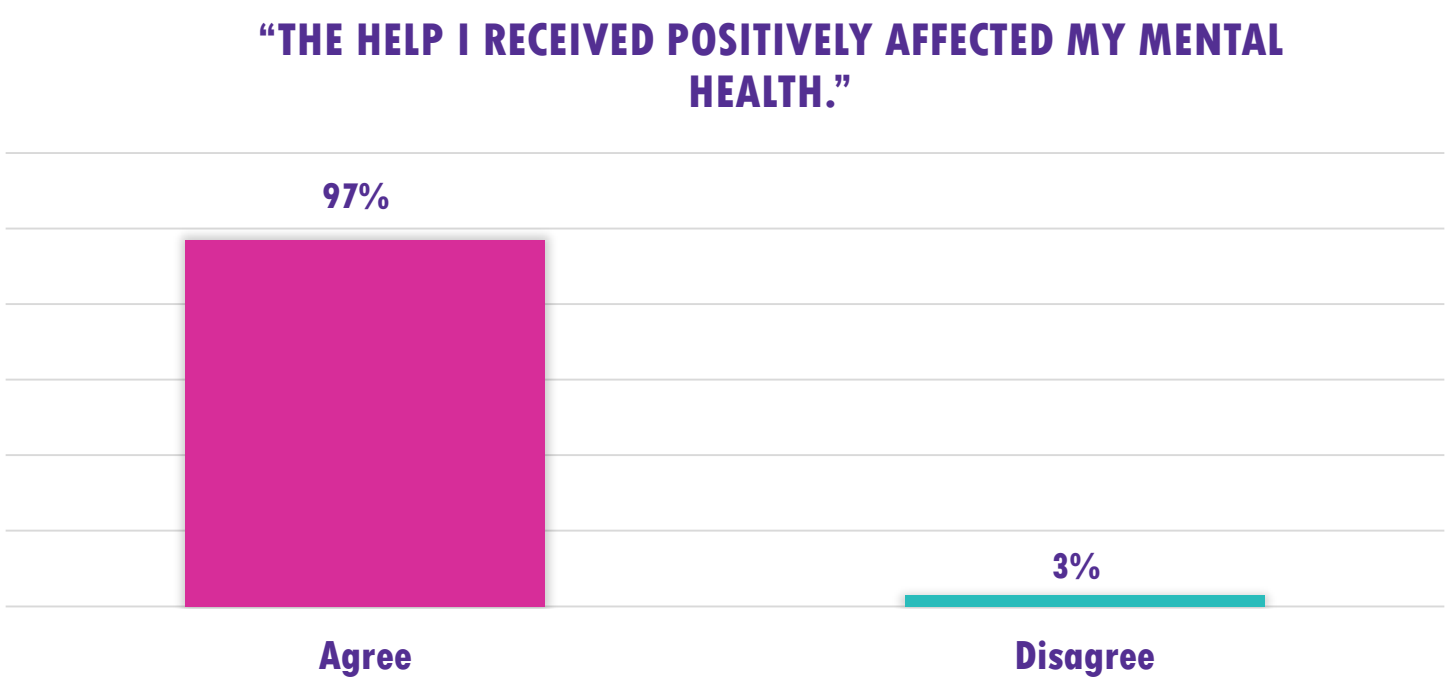

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