

# **HOW DO WE TALK TO OUR CHILDREN ABOUT THE RISK OF SEXUAL ABUSE?**

NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE SURVEY AMONG PARENTS OF  
CHILDREN 5-11 YEARS OLD

March 2015

# METHODOLOGY

## ❑ **Source:**

- Instant Panel Technologies, Panel Our Opinion
- National representative survey

## ❑ **Registration method:**

- CATI (Computer Assisted Telephone Interview)

## ❑ **Representativity:**

- National representative survey for parents/ caregivers of children aged 5-11 years

## ❑ **Size of the sample:**

- 407 effective interviews

## ❑ **Period:**

- 30-31 March 2015 r.

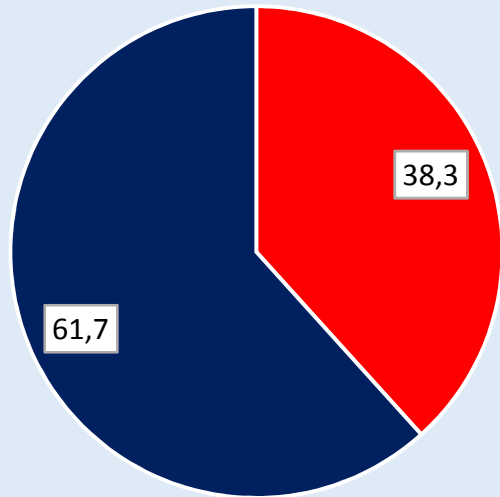
## ❑ **Size of the stochastic error:**

- Absolute maximum error  $\pm 4.91$  at the 50% shares

Note: Tables presenting the socio-demographic profiles categories marked with \*\* do not provide a reliable basis for analysis.

# CONVERSATIONS WITH CHILDREN ON TOPICS RELATED TO SEXUAL EDUCATION AND PROTECTION AGAINST SEXUAL ABUSE

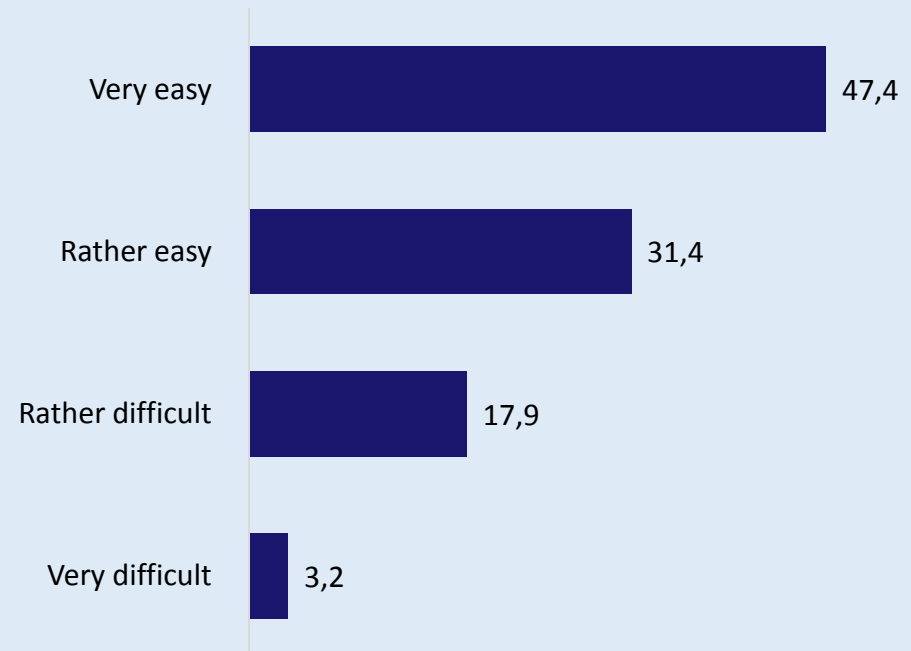
Have you ever spoken to your children about staying safe from sexual abuse



■ Yes, I have    ■ No, I haven't

Base: all parents/ caregivers of children aged 5-11 years (n=407)

The conversation with your child on this topic, was it difficult or easy for you?



Base: all parents who declared they have personally had such a conversation with their child (n=156)

## Have you ever spoken to your children about staying safe from sexual abuse

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %		Horizontal %	
			Yes, I have	No, I haven't	Yes, I have	No, I haven't
Gender	Male	38.1	31	42	32	68
	Female	61.9	69	58	42	58
Age	Under 34	28.3	16	36	22	78
	35-44	54.1	63	48	45	55
	45+	17.7	21	16	44	56
Education	University degree	35.9	44	31	47	53
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	43	52	34	66
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	13	18	31	69
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	15	17	36	64
	Regional center	36.9	42	33	44	56
	Other city	27.5	27	28	38	63
	Village	19.4	15	22	30	70
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	83	82	39	61
	Turkish	7.6	8	8	39	61
	Rome	7.9	8	8	38	63
	Other	2.2	1	3	22	78

## Have you ever spoken to your children about staying safe from sexual abuse

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %		Horizontal %	
			Yes, I have	No, I haven't	Yes, I have	No, I haven't
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	83	82	39	61
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	17	18	38	63
Age o	5-7	52.8	40	61	29	71
	8-11	58.0	75	47	50	50
Family status	Single	7.4	4	9	23	77
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	84	84	38	62
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	12	7	50	50
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	12	20	28	72
	501-800 BGN	22.1	26	20	44	56
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	24	25	37	63
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	13	8	50	50
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	10	9	41	59
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	6	9	31	69
	Refuse to respond	8.8	9	9	39	61

# The conversation with your child on this topic, was it difficult or easy for you?

Socio demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %				Horizontal %*			
			Very difficult	Rather difficult	Rather easy	Very easy	Very difficult	Rather difficult	Rather easy	Very easy
Gender	Male	38.1	20	43	33	27	2	24	33	41
	Female	61.9	80	57	67	73	4	15	31	50
Age	Under 34	28.3	20	11	20	15	4	12	40	44
	35-44	54.1	60	64	61	65	3	18	30	48
	45+	17.7	20	25	18	20	3	22	28	47
Education	University degree	35.9	20	50	49	41	1	20	35	43
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	20	43	33	51	1	18	24	57
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	60	7	18	8	15	10	45	30
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	20	11	18	15	4	13	38	46
	Regional center	36.9	20	43	39	46	2	18	29	52
	Other city	27.5	40	32	18	30	5	21	21	52
	Village	19.4	20	14	24	9	4	17	50	29
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	40	75	82	91	2	16	31	52
	Turkish	7.6	*	14	8	5	*	33	33	33
	Rome	7.9	40	7	10	4	17	17	42	25
	Other	2.2	20	4	*	*	50	50	*	*

Base: all parents who declared they have personally had such a conversation with their child (n=156)

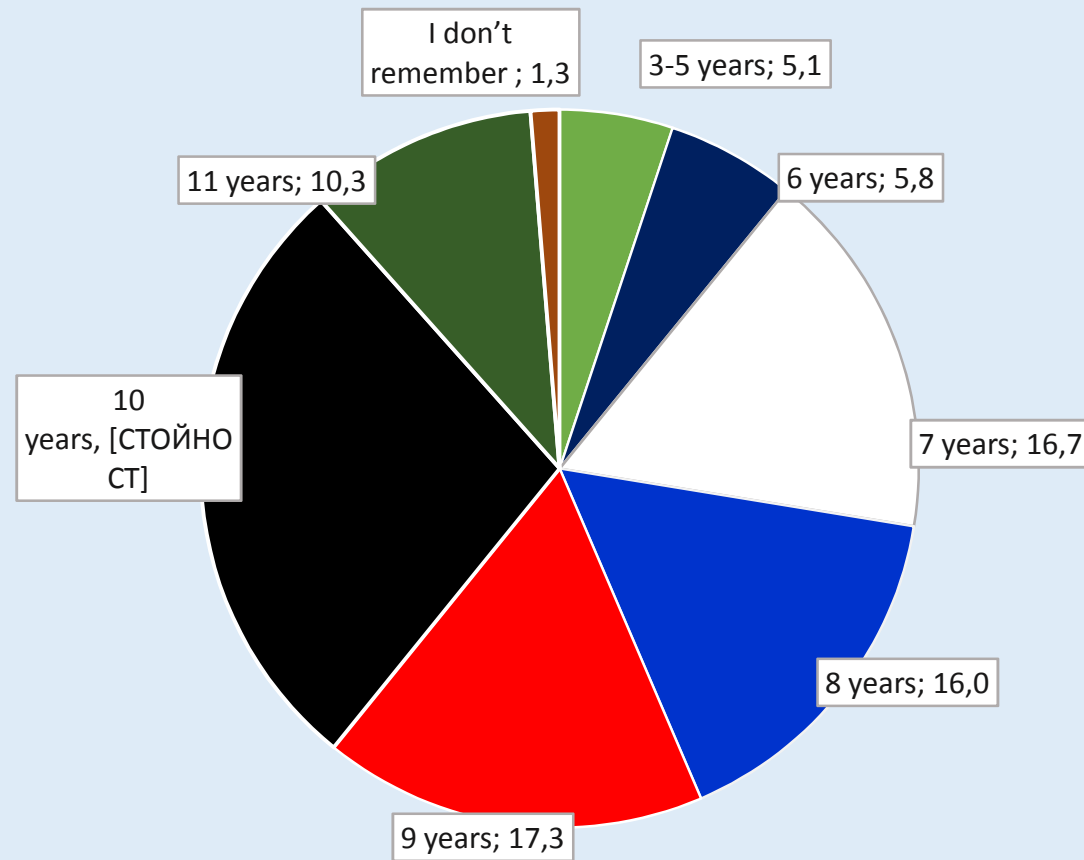
# The conversation with your child on this topic, was it difficult or easy for you?

Socio demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %				Horizontal %*			
			Very difficult**	Rather difficult**	Rather easy	Very easy	Very difficult**	Rather difficult**	Rather easy	Very easy
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	80	79	73	91	3	17	28	52
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	20	21	27	9	4	22	48	26
Age o	5-7	52.8	60	39	45	36	5	17	35	43
	8-11	58.0	80	75	76	74	3	18	32	47
Family status	Single	7.4	20	4	2	5	14	14	14	57
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	80	89	88	80	3	19	33	45
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	*	7	10	15	*	11	28	61
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	20	11	16	9	5	16	42	37
	501-800 BGN	22.1	60	18	22	28	8	13	28	53
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	*	29	20	26	*	22	27	51
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	*	14	16	11	*	20	40	40
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	*	4	6	16	*	6	19	75
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	*	11	8	4	*	30	40	30
	Refuse to respond	8.8	20	14	10	5	7	29	36	29

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# AGE OF THE CHILD

How old was your child when you spoke to him/her about this topic?

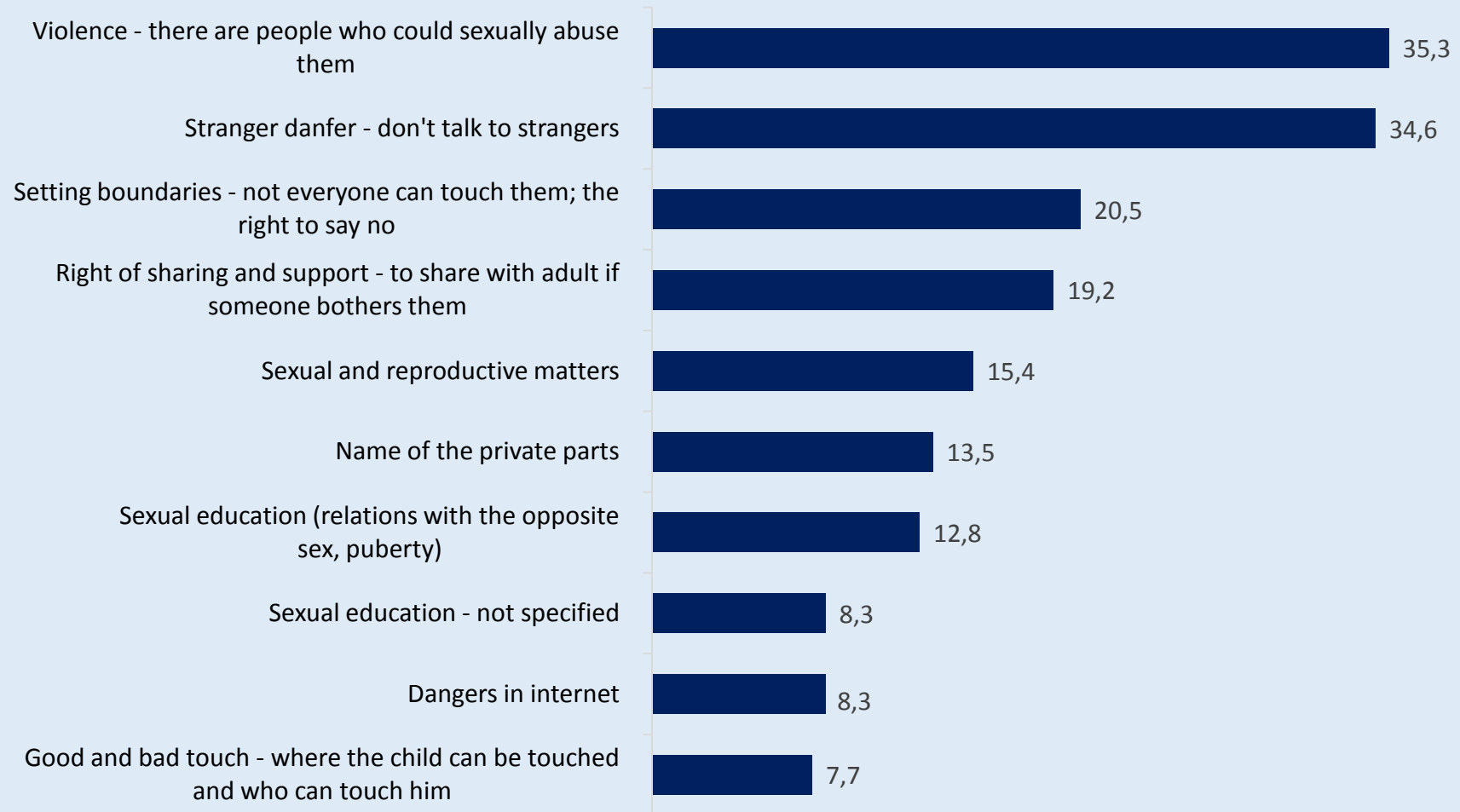


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# TOPICS OF THE CONVERSATION

What topics did you mention in this conversation?  
(open question)\*



\*More than one answer possible.

Base: all parents who declared they have personally had such a conversation with their child (n=156)

# TOPICS

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Violence	Stranger danger	Setting boundaries	Right to sharing and support	Sexual and reproductive matters **	Name of the intimate parts **	Sexual education - relations**	Sexual relations - not specified **	Dangers on internet **	Good and bad touch **
Vertical %												
Gender	Male	38.1	31	30	19	37	29	29	35	15	38	17
	Female	61.9	69	70	81	63	71	71	65	85	62	83
Age	Under 34	28.3	15	13	16	17	8	29	15	15	8	33
	35-44	54.1	60	63	69	67	79	52	50	77	54	50
	45+	17.7	25	24	16	17	13	19	35	8	38	17
Education	University degree	35.9	51	35	53	50	54	57	55	46	62	42
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	38	54	34	33	33	38	30	46	23	58
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	11	11	13	17	13	5	15	8	15	*
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	22	6	13	17	25	29	30	8	*	17
	Regional center	36.9	51	41	63	50	42	43	25	23	38	33
	Other city	27.5	20	33	13	23	17	19	30	46	46	50
	Village	19.4	7	20	13	10	17	10	15	23	15	*
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	84	85	94	93	92	86	80	85	85	83
	Turkish	7.6	5	9	*	*	4	10	15	8	8	8
	Rome	7.9	11	6	6	7	*	5	5	*	8	8
	Other	2.2	*	*	*	*	*	4	*	*	8	*

Base: all parents who declared they have personally had such a conversation with their child (n=156)



# TOPICS

Socio-demographic data Vertical %		Structure of the sample	Violence	Stranger danger	Setting boundaries	Right to sharing and support	Sexual and reproductive matters **	Name of the intimate parts **	Sexual education - relations**	Sexual relations – not specified **	Dangers on internet **	Good and bad touch **
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	84	85	88	73	83	95	80	69	77	83
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	16	15	13	27	17	5	20	31	23	17
Age o	5-7	52.8	42	35	31	40	29	52	35	46	23	58
	8-11	58.0	75	81	81	83	75	43	70	77	92	67
Family status	Single	7.4	4	4	3	*	4	10	*	*	8	8
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	87	87	81	83	88	71	95	69	77	83
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	9	9	16	17	8	19	5	31	15	8
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	11	15	9	7	4	10	20	8	*	8
	501-800 BGN	22.1	20	28	22	20	17	14	30	31	62	33
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	24	30	25	27	21	29	15	15	23	8
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	15	9	19	13	21	10	*	23	8	25
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	11	9	6	13	25	24	10	8	8	*
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	9	4	6	7	8	5	20	*	*	8
	Refuse to respond	8.8	11	6	13	13	4	10	5	15	*	17

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Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Violence	Stranger danger	Setting boundaries	Right to sharing and support	Sexual and reproductive matters **	Name of the intimate parts **	Sexual education - relations**	Sexual relations - not specified **	Dangers on hternet **	Good and bad touch **
Horizontal %												
Gender	Male	38.1	35	33	12	22	14	12	14	4	10	4
	Female	61.9	36	36	24	18	16	14	12	10	7	9
Age	Under 34	28.3	32	28	20	20	8	24	12	8	4	16
	35-44	54.1	33	34	22	20	19	11	10	10	7	6
	45+	17.7	44	41	16	16	9	13	22	3	16	6
Education	University degree	35.9	41	28	25	22	19	17	16	9	12	7
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	31	43	16	15	12	12	9	9	4	10
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	30	30	20	25	15	5	15	5	10	*
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	50	13	17	21	25	25	25	4	*	8
	Regional center	36.9	42	33	30	23	15	14	8	5	8	6
	Other city	27.5	26	43	10	17	10	10	14	14	14	14
	Village	19.4	17	46	17	13	17	8	13	13	8	*
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	35	35	23	22	17	14	12	8	8	8
	Turkish	7.6	25	42	*	*	8	17	25	8	8	8
	Rome	7.9	50	25	17	17	*	8	8	*	8	8
	Other	2.2	*	*	*	*	*	50	*	*	50	*

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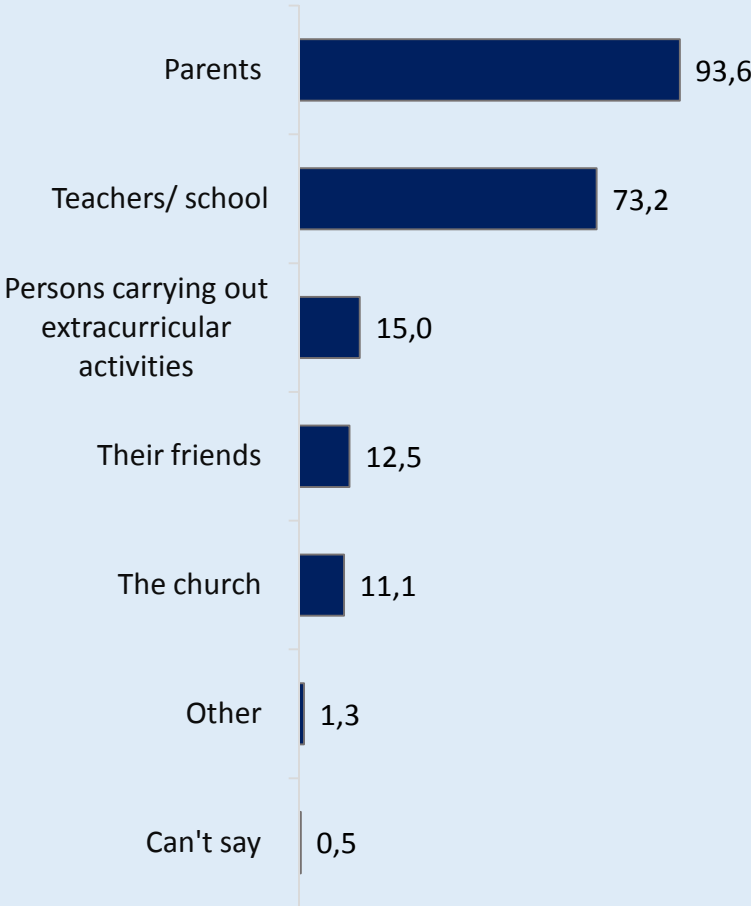
# TOPICS

Socio-demographic data Horizontal %		Structure of the sample	Violence	Stranger danger	Setting boundaries	Right to sharing and support	Sexual and reproductive matters **	Name of the intimate parts **	Sexual education - relations**	Sexual relations – not specified **	Dangers on internet **	Good and bad touch **
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	36	36	22	17	16	16	12	7	8	8
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	33	30	15	30	15	4	15	15	11	7
Age o	5-7	52.8	37	30	16	19	11	17	11	10	5	11
	8-11	58.0	35	38	22	21	15	8	12	9	10	7
Family status	Single	7.4	29	29	14	*	14	29	*	*	14	14
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	37	36	20	19	16	11	15	7	8	8
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	28	28	28	28	11	22	6	22	11	6
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	32	42	16	11	5	11	21	5	*	5
	501-800 BGN	22.1	28	38	18	15	10	8	15	10	20	10
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	35	43	22	22	14	16	8	5	8	3
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	40	25	30	20	25	10	*	15	5	15
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	38	31	13	25	38	31	13	6	6	*
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	50	20	20	20	20	10	40	*	*	10
	Refuse to respond	8.8	43	21	29	29	7	14	7	14	*	14

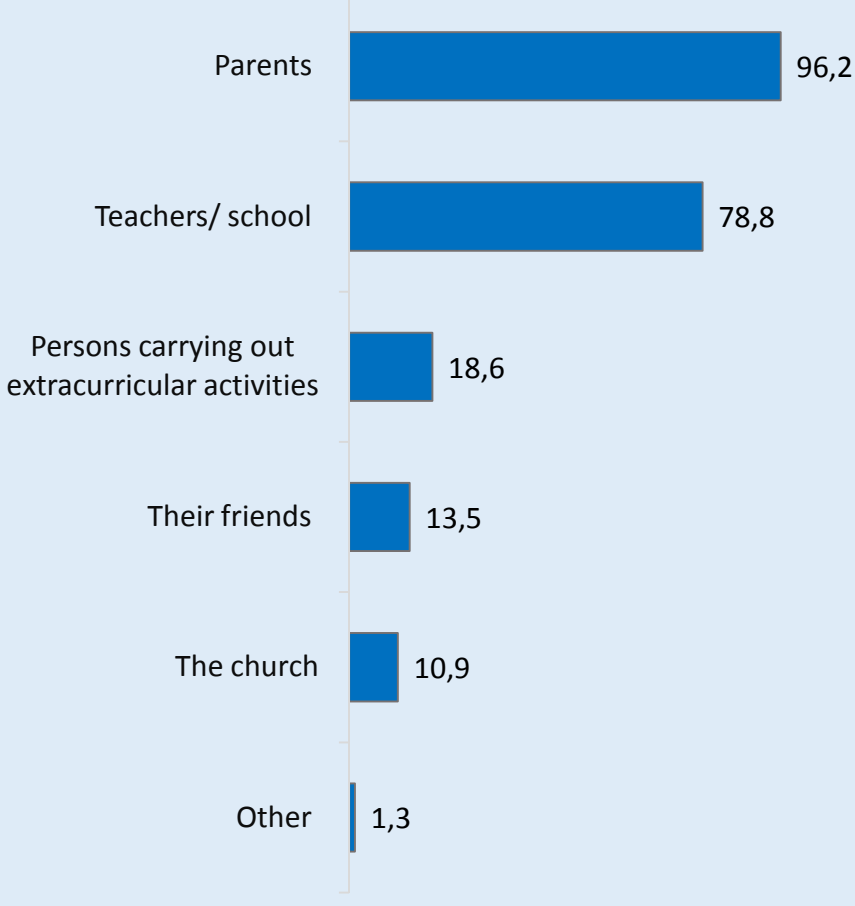
Base: all parents who declared they have personally had such a conversation with their child (n=156)

# Which of the following groups of people do you think should be responsible for talking to children about staying safe from sexual abuse?

Base: all parents/ caregivers of children aged 5-11 years (n=407)



Base: all parents who declared they have personally had such a conversation with their child (n=156)



\* More than one answer possible



## Which of the following groups of people do you think should be responsible for talking to children about staying safe from sexual abuse?

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Parents	School	Extracurricular ...	Their peers	The church	Parents	School	Extracurricular ...	Their peers	The church
Gender	Male	38.1	37	37	51	45	60	91	70	20	15	17
	Female	61.9	63	63	49	55	40	95	75	12	11	7
Age	Under 34	28.3	29	25	31	25	24	95	64	17	11	10
	35-44	54.1	54	56	44	39	42	93	76	12	9	9
	45+	17.7	18	19	25	35	33	93	79	21	25	21
Education	University degree	35.9	38	38	56	49	40	98	78	23	17	12
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	49	48	30	39	40	94	73	9	10	9
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	14	14	15	12	20	83	64	14	9	14
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	17	17	18	14	18	97	79	17	11	12
	Regional center	36.9	38	39	43	41	38	95	77	17	14	11
	Other city	27.5	27	27	25	25	22	93	71	13	12	9
	Village	19.4	18	17	15	20	22	89	65	11	13	13
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	84	84	89	90	78	96	75	16	14	10
	Turkish	7.6	7	7	3	6	7	81	68	6	10	10
	Rome	7.9	7	7	8	4	16	84	66	16	6	22
	Other	2.2	2	2	*	*	*	89	67	*	*	*

Base: all parents who declared they have personally had such a conversation with their child (n=156)

## Which of the following groups of people do you think should be responsible for talking to children about staying safe from sexual abuse?

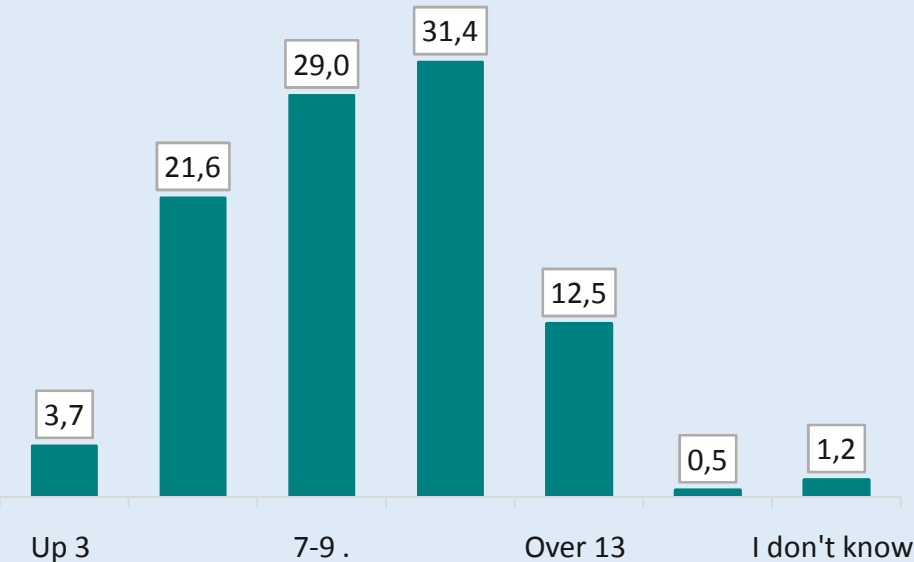
Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Parents	School	Extracurricular ...	Their peers	The church	Parents	School	Extracurricular ...	Their peers	The church
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	82	83	89	92	89	93	74	16	14	12
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	18	17	11	8	11	94	71	10	6	7
Age o	5-7	52.8	53	51	49	53	44	94	70	14	13	9
	8-11	58.0	57	61	59	49	60	92	77	15	11	11
Family status	Single	7.4	8	9	13	12	13	97	87	27	20	20
	Married/ cohabitation	83.8	84	83	82	78	78	94	72	15	12	10
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	9	9	5	10	9	92	72	8	14	11
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	15	16	15	10	20	86	71	13	7	13
	501-800 BGN	22.1	22	21	20	20	27	92	69	13	11	13
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	26	24	26	24	24	98	72	16	12	11
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	10	10	5	10	4	95	78	8	13	5
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	10	10	18	22	9	100	77	28	28	10
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	8	8	7	8	9	94	75	13	13	13
	Refuse to respond	8.8	9	10	10	8	7	92	81	17	11	8

Base: all parents/ caregivers of children aged 5-11 years (n=407)

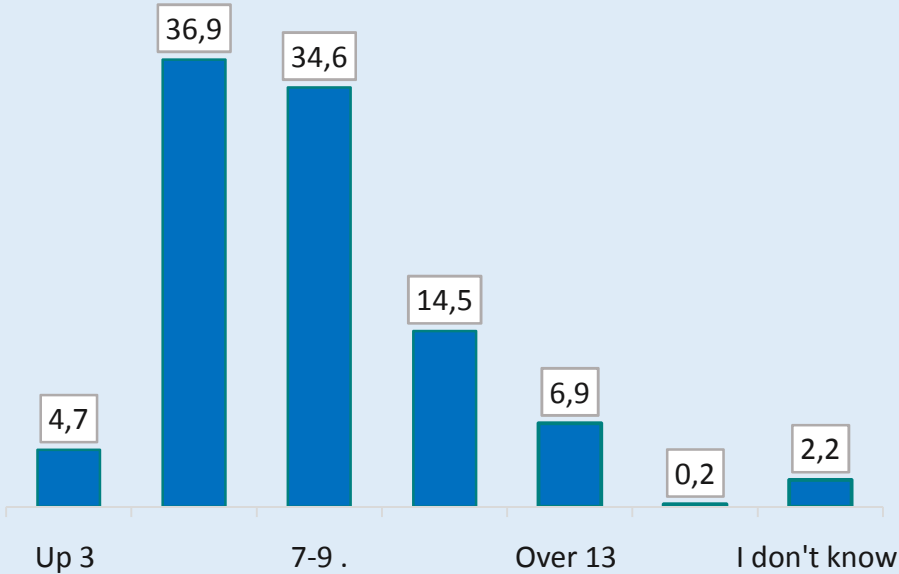


Which of the following topics should be included in the program of education on staying safe from sexual abuse? Please indicate the age groups to which following topics should be addressed

Name of intimate parts



Setting boundaries

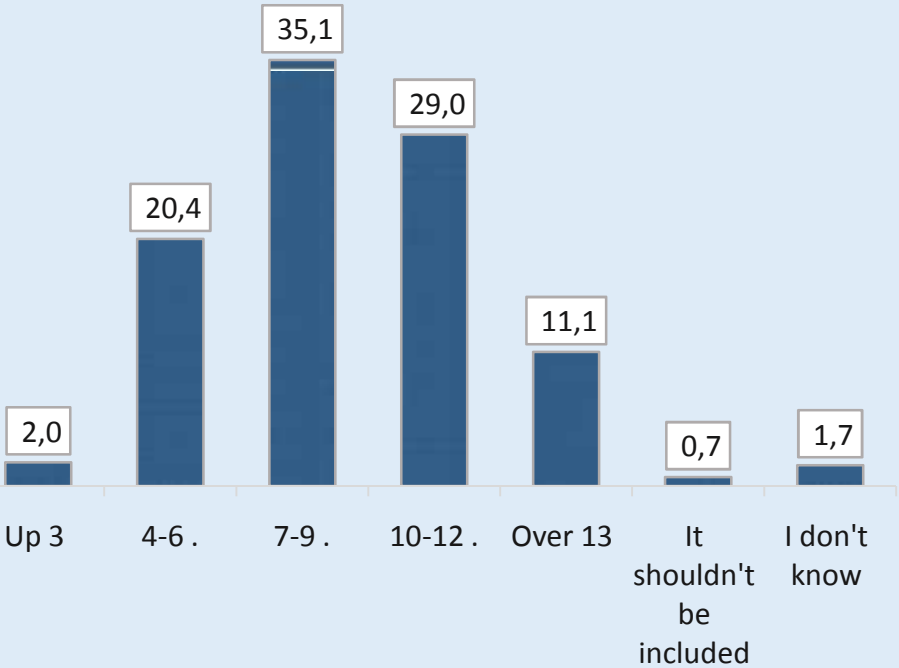


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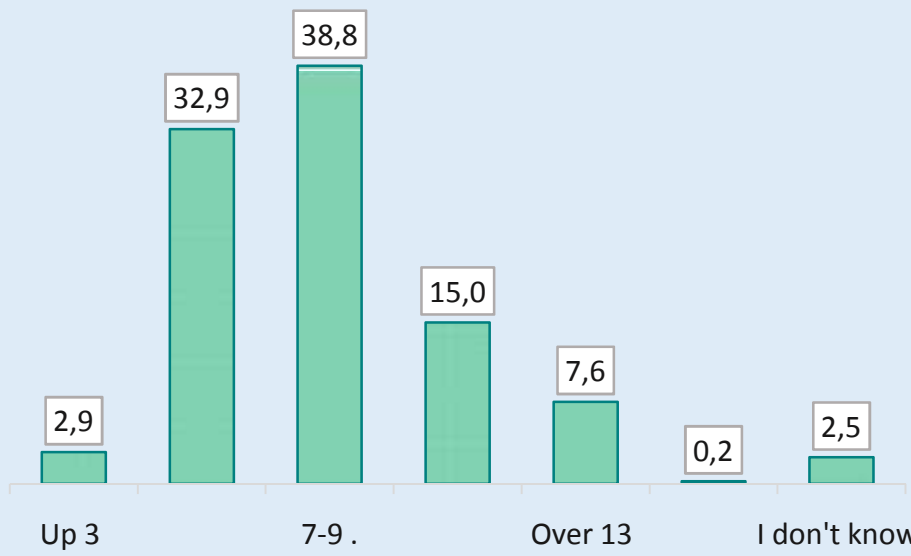


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Where the babies come from



Information of the possibility of seeking help from adults (parents , teachers, etc)

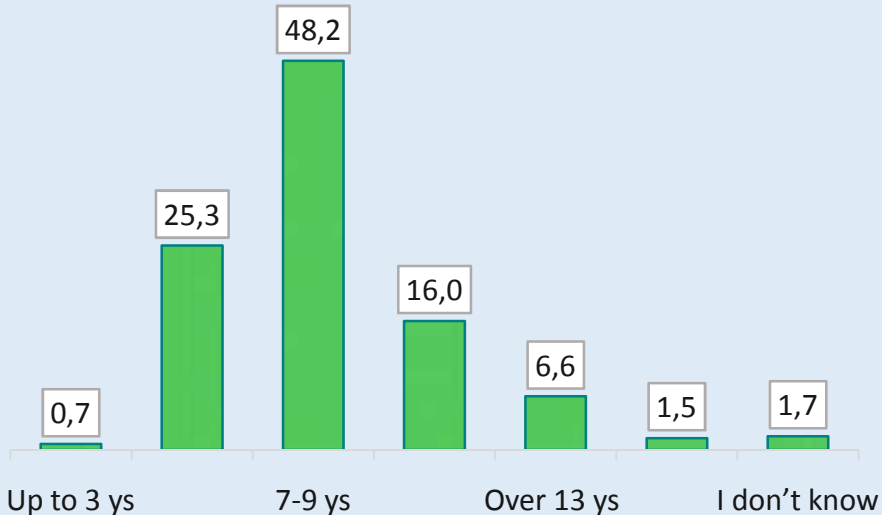


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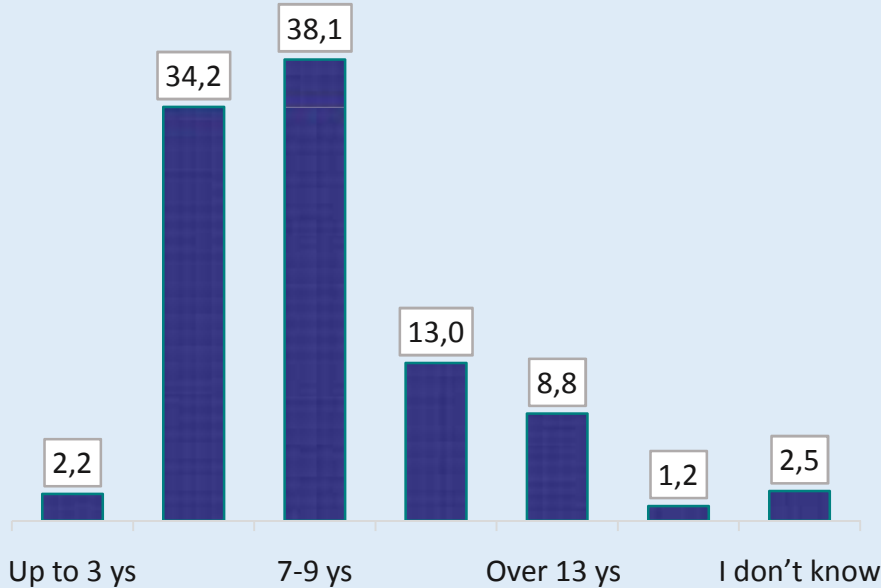


# Which of the following topics should be included in the program of education on staying safe from sexual abuse? Please indicate the age groups to which following topics should be addressed

Information, that there are some people who can sexually abuse children



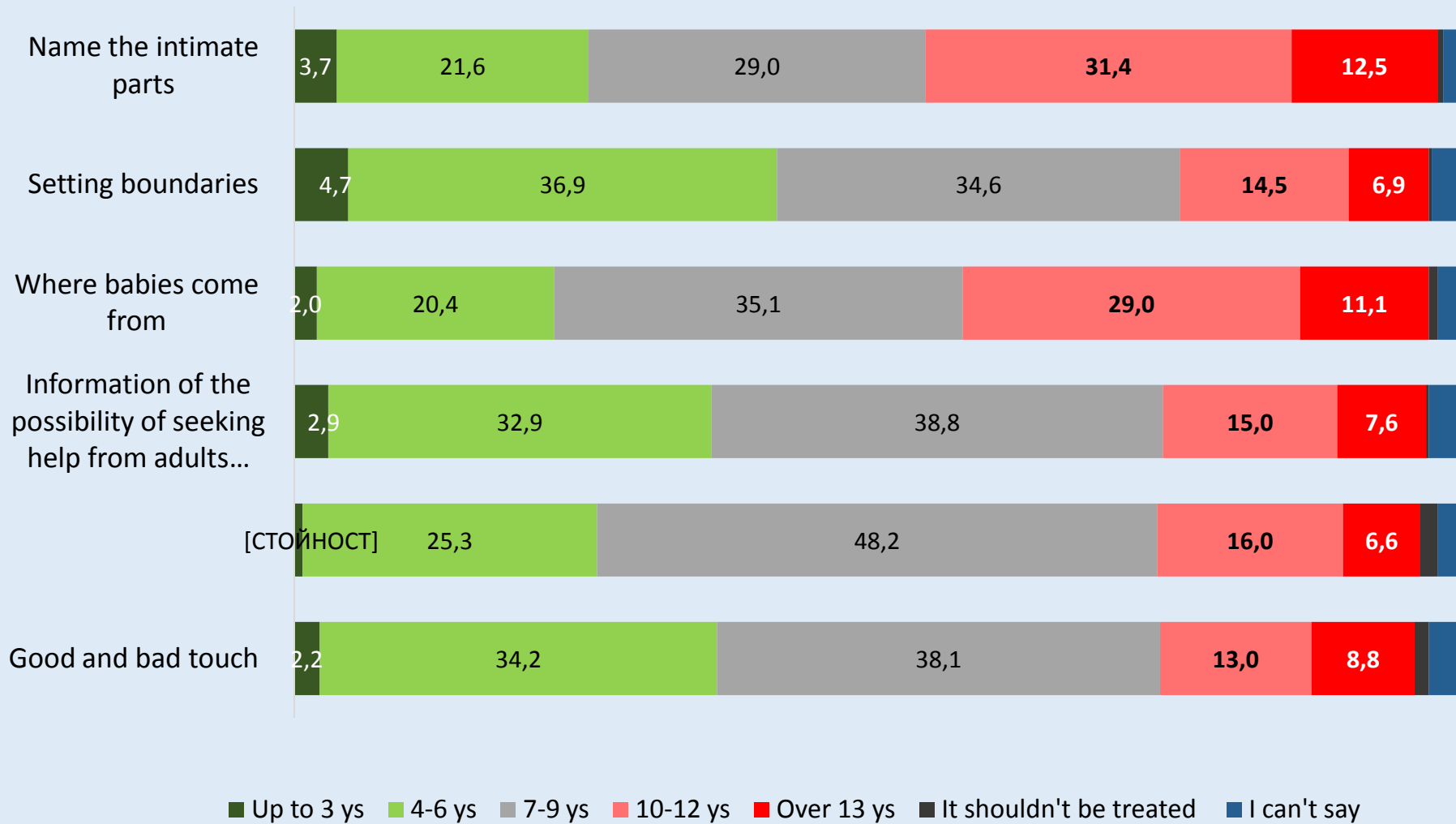
Differences between a good and bad touch



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# Which of the following topics should be included in the program of education on staying safe from sexual abuse? Please indicate the age groups to which following topics should be addressed



Base: all parents/ caregivers of children aged 5-11 years (n=407)



## Name the intimate parts

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
Gender	Male	38.1	13	25	39	41	55	1	14	30	34	18
	Female	61.9	87	75	61	59	45	5	26	29	30	9
Age	Under 34	28.3	47	24	26	27	41	6	18	27	30	18
	35-44	54.1	40	60	55	52	49	3	24	30	30	11
	45+	17.7	13	16	19	20	10	3	19	31	36	7
Education	University degree	35.9	60	48	41	31	10	6	29	33	27	3
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	33	48	52	51	45	3	21	31	33	12
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	7	5	8	18	45	2	6	14	36	36
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	20	18	19	16	8	5	24	33	32	6
	Regional center	36.9	47	41	34	36	37	5	24	27	31	13
	Other city	27.5	20	28	30	26	25	3	22	31	29	12
	Village	19.4	13	13	18	22	29	3	14	27	35	19
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	93	91	87	85	49	4	24	31	33	7
	Turkish	7.6	7	7	6	6	16	3	19	23	26	26
	Rome	7.9	*	2	7	6	24	*	6	25	25	38
	Other	2.2	*	*	*	2	12	*	*	*	33	67

Data for categories "It shouldn't be treated" and "I can't say" are not represented

## Name the intimate parts

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	87	88	88	78	67	4	23	31	30	10
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	13	13	12	22	33	3	15	19	39	24
Age o	5-7	52.8	67	59	51	47	59	5	24	28	28	14
	8-11	58.0	33	47	53	69	71	2	17	26	37	15
Family status	Single	7.4	7	3	9	8	6	3	10	37	33	10
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	87	82	83	85	86	4	21	29	32	13
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	7	15	8	7	8	3	36	25	25	11
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	7	10	12	20	33	1	13	20	36	25
	501-800 BGN	22.1	7	20	22	23	31	1	20	29	32	18
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	27	23	29	25	20	4	20	34	32	10
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	7	10	8	13	8	3	23	25	40	10
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	27	16	10	6	*	10	36	31	21	*
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	20	10	8	5	4	9	28	31	22	6
	Refuse to respond	8.8	7	10	10	9	4	3	25	33	31	6

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# Setting boundaries

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
Gender	Male	38.1	16	37	35	42	57	2	35	32	16	10
	Female	61.9	84	63	65	58	43	6	38	37	13	5
Age	Under 34	28.3	37	27	26	31	46	6	35	31	16	11
	35-44	54.1	42	61	55	49	36	4	41	35	13	5
	45+	17.7	21	13	20	20	18	6	26	39	17	7
Education	University degree	35.9	42	42	40	24	14	5	43	39	10	3
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	47	49	49	54	32	5	37	35	16	5
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	11	9	11	22	54	3	22	23	20	23
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	11	22	13	20	*	3	50	29	18	*
	Regional center	36.9	37	37	38	32	46	5	37	35	13	9
	Other city	27.5	26	28	31	20	18	4	38	39	11	4
	Village	19.4	26	13	18	27	36	6	24	32	20	13
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	89	88	84	73	57	5	39	36	13	5
	Turkish	7.6	11	4	9	7	14	6	19	42	13	13
	Rome	7.9	*	6	4	17	25	*	28	19	31	22
	Other	2.2	*	2	2	3	4	*	33	33	22	11

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# Setting boundaries

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	84	83	87	75	68	5	37	36	13	6
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	16	17	13	25	32	4	35	26	21	13
Age o	5-7	52.8	32	67	45	42	61	3	47	30	12	8
	8-11	58.0	63	47	57	80	61	5	30	34	20	7
Family status	Single	7.4	16	7	5	8	14	10	33	23	17	13
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	74	85	84	86	75	4	38	35	15	6
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	11	8	11	5	11	6	33	42	8	8
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	16	12	13	31	32	4	26	28	26	13
	501-800 BGN	22.1	21	21	20	24	36	4	36	31	16	11
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	42	22	29	20	18	8	33	41	12	5
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	5	9	13	10	7	3	33	45	15	5
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	5	13	9	5	4	3	51	33	8	3
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	5	12	6	8	*	3	56	25	16	*
	Refuse to respond	8.8	5	11	10	2	4	3	44	39	3	3

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## Where the babies come from

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
Gender	Male	38.1	25	29	37	41	47	1	15	34	31	14
	Female	61.9	75	71	63	59	53	2	23	36	28	10
Age	Under 34	28.3	63	25	27	27	36	4	18	34	28	14
	35-44	54.1	25	61	55	53	47	1	23	36	29	10
	45+	17.7	13	13	17	19	18	1	15	35	32	11
Education	University degree	35.9	50	34	38	42	18	3	19	37	34	5
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	50	61	50	42	36	2	26	37	25	8
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	*	5	12	15	47	*	6	27	28	33
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	13	19	15	19	11	2	24	32	35	8
	Regional center	36.9	50	40	35	36	40	3	22	33	28	12
	Other city	27.5	25	24	29	28	27	2	18	38	29	11
	Village	19.4	13	17	21	17	22	1	18	38	25	13
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	100	93	85	85	53	2	23	36	30	7
	Turkish	7.6	*	5	7	8	13	*	13	32	29	19
	Rome	7.9	*	1	6	5	31	*	3	28	19	44
	Other	2.2	*	1	2	3	2	*	11	33	33	11

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## Where the babies come from

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	100	87	85	81	71	2	21	36	28	10
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	*	13	15	19	29	*	15	31	32	18
Age o	5-7	52.8	63	69	50	47	47	2	27	33	26	10
	8-11	58.0	25	42	55	69	69	1	15	33	35	13
Family status	Single	7.4	13	8	6	4	20	3	23	27	17	30
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	88	81	85	90	71	2	20	35	31	9
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	*	11	10	6	9	*	25	39	19	11
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	*	13	15	18	27	*	16	32	30	17
	501-800 BGN	22.1	25	19	21	20	31	2	18	33	27	16
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	*	23	25	31	20	*	19	36	36	9
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	25	13	7	10	11	5	28	25	30	13
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	25	16	9	6	7	5	33	33	18	8
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	25	5	10	9	*	6	13	47	34	*
	Refuse to respond	8.8	*	11	12	6	4	*	25	47	19	6

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# Information about seeking help

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
Gender	Male	38.1	17	31	42	41	45	1	26	43	16	9
	Female	61.9	83	69	58	59	55	4	37	37	14	7
Age	Under 34	28.3	33	28	25	36	39	3	32	34	19	10
	35-44	54.1	58	54	57	46	45	3	33	41	13	6
	45+	17.7	8	18	18	18	16	1	33	40	15	7
Education	University degree	35.9	50	43	40	25	10	4	39	43	10	2
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	42	49	48	51	45	3	34	39	16	7
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	8	8	12	25	45	2	17	30	23	22
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	42	20	13	13	3	8	41	32	12	2
	Regional center	36.9	33	37	39	36	39	3	33	41	15	8
	Other city	27.5	25	32	28	23	16	3	38	40	13	4
	Village	19.4	*	10	20	28	42	*	18	39	22	16
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	100	84	89	77	42	4	33	42	14	4
	Turkish	7.6	*	8	5	8	19	*	35	26	16	19
	Rome	7.9	*	6	4	11	35	*	25	19	22	34
	Other	2.2	*	2	2	3	3	*	33	33	22	11

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## Information about seeking help

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	67	87	85	74	61	2	35	40	13	6
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	33	13	15	26	39	6	24	32	22	17
Age o	5-7	52.8	58	61	49	46	52	3	38	36	13	7
	8-11	58.0	50	49	57	74	74	3	28	38	19	10
Family status	Single	7.4	25	10	3	8	6	10	47	17	17	7
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	58	81	89	84	77	2	32	41	15	7
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	17	9	8	8	16	6	33	33	14	14
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	25	16	9	25	42	4	30	22	22	19
	501-800 BGN	22.1	25	16	27	20	32	3	24	47	13	11
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	*	22	28	34	10	*	30	44	21	3
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	17	10	9	13	6	5	33	35	20	5
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	8	16	9	2	*	3	56	38	3	*
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	17	7	10	7	*	6	28	50	13	*
	Refuse to respond	8.8	8	13	8	*	10	3	47	33	*	8

Data for categories "It shouldn't be treated" and "I can't say" are not represented

# There are some people who can sexually abuse children

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
Gender	Male	38.1	33	42	30	45	48	1	28	38	19	8
	Female	61.9	67	58	70	55	52	1	24	54	14	6
Age	Under 34	28.3	33	23	27	32	48	1	21	46	18	11
	35-44	54.1	67	62	58	43	26	1	29	51	13	3
	45+	17.7	*	15	15	25	26	*	21	42	22	10
Education	University degree	35.9	33	40	41	25	22	1	28	55	11	4
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	67	51	45	62	37	1	27	45	20	5
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	*	9	14	14	41	*	14	42	14	17
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	67	21	15	14	7	3	33	45	14	3
	Regional center	36.9	33	36	39	37	22	1	25	51	16	4
	Other city	27.5	*	28	30	23	30	*	26	53	13	7
	Village	19.4	*	15	16	26	41	*	19	39	22	14
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	100	90	85	80	52	1	28	50	16	4
	Turkish	7.6	*	7	6	8	19	*	23	35	16	16
	Rome	7.9	*	2	8	6	22	*	6	50	13	19
	Other	2.2	*	1	1	6	7	*	11	22	44	22

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## There are some people who can sexually abuse children

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	67	89	84	78	67	1	27	49	15	5
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	33	11	16	22	33	1	15	44	19	13
Age o	5-7	52.8	100	54	52	48	56	1	26	47	14	7
	8-11	58.0	33	52	57	63	70	0	23	47	17	8
Family status	Single	7.4	33	6	8	8	7	3	20	53	17	7
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	33	85	84	82	81	0	26	48	16	6
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	33	9	8	11	11	3	25	42	19	8
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	33	15	14	22	26	1	22	39	20	10
	501-800 BGN	22.1	*	17	23	22	37	*	19	50	16	11
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	*	22	28	28	22	*	23	53	18	6
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	*	8	10	14	11	*	20	50	23	8
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	33	15	11	2	4	3	38	54	3	3
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	*	12	7	8	*	*	38	41	16	*
	Refuse to respond	8.8	33	13	8	6	*	3	36	44	11	*

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# Good and bad touch

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
Gender	Male	38.1	22	34	39	36	50	1	30	39	12	12
	Female	61.9	78	66	61	64	50	3	37	38	13	7
Age	Under 34	28.3	44	26	27	30	36	3	31	37	14	11
	35-44	54.1	44	59	53	57	44	2	37	37	14	7
	45+	17.7	11	15	20	13	19	1	29	43	10	10
Education	University degree	35.9	56	40	43	26	8	3	38	45	10	2
	Upper secondary (highschool)	48.4	44	52	45	53	47	2	37	36	14	9
	Elementary or lower education	15.7	*	8	12	21	44	*	17	30	17	25
Type of settlement	Capital	16.2	11	24	14	15	3	2	50	32	12	2
	Regional center	36.9	78	37	32	40	39	5	35	33	14	9
	Other city	27.5	*	28	35	21	17	*	35	48	10	5
	Village	19.4	11	11	19	25	42	1	19	38	16	19
Ethnicity	Bulgarian	82.3	100	88	86	83	44	3	37	40	13	5
	Turkish	7.6	*	5	8	8	17	*	23	39	13	19
	Rome	7.9	*	4	5	6	36	*	19	22	9	41
	Other	2.2	*	2	1	4	3	*	33	22	22	11

Data for categories "It shouldn't be treated" and "I can't say" are not represented

## Good and bad touch

Socio-demographic data		Structure of the sample	Vertical %					Horizontal %				
			Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13	Up to 3 years.**	4-6	7-9	10-12	Over 13
No. of children	One (5-11)	82.3	100	86	84	81	64	3	36	39	13	7
	Two + children (5-11 .)	17.7	*	14	16	19	36	*	28	35	14	18
Age o	5-7	52.8	22	65	48	43	47	1	42	35	11	8
	8-11	58.0	67	45	61	68	75	3	27	40	15	11
Family status	Single	7.4	22	9	5	6	14	7	43	23	10	17
	Married/ cohabitaion	83.8	78	82	86	85	75	2	33	39	13	8
	Divorced/ widow-er	8.8	*	9	9	9	11	*	33	39	14	11
Family income	Up to 500 BGN	17.0	22	12	15	21	31	3	25	35	16	16
	501-800 BGN	22.1	22	20	20	23	39	2	31	34	13	16
	801-1200 BGN	24.8	22	20	29	34	19	2	28	45	18	7
	1201-1500 BGN	9.8	11	9	10	9	8	3	33	40	13	8
	1501-2000 BGN	9.6	22	14	9	4	*	5	51	36	5	*
	Over 2001 BGN	7.9	*	12	7	8	*	*	50	34	13	*
	Refuse to respond	8.8	*	12	9	2	3	*	47	39	3	3

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