



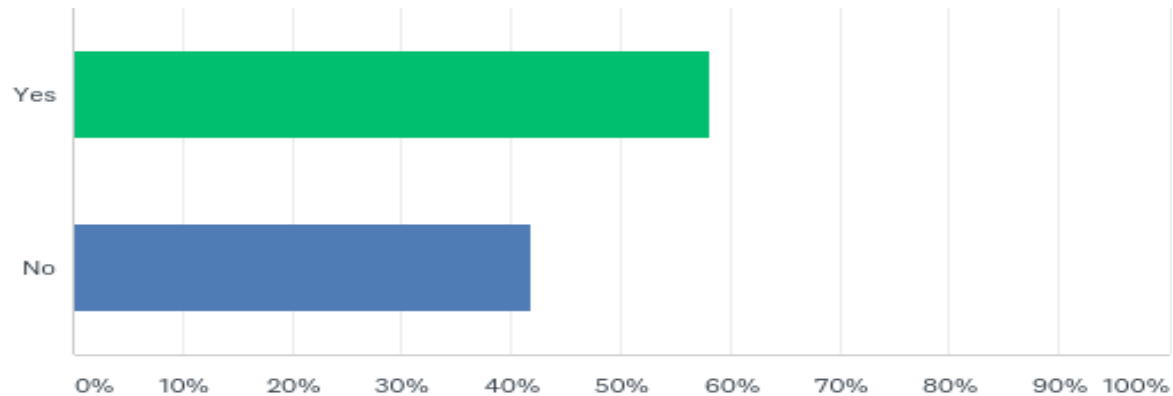
Child Maintenance Survey 2019

Number of respondents: 1063

Date: May 2019

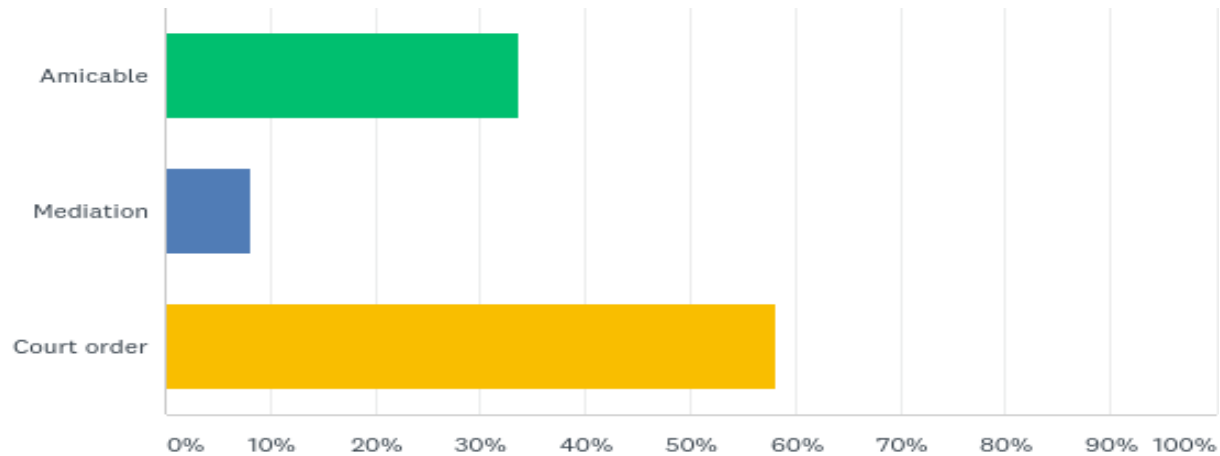
Primary Carer

Do you receive a financial contribution/child maintenance from your child(rens) other parent?



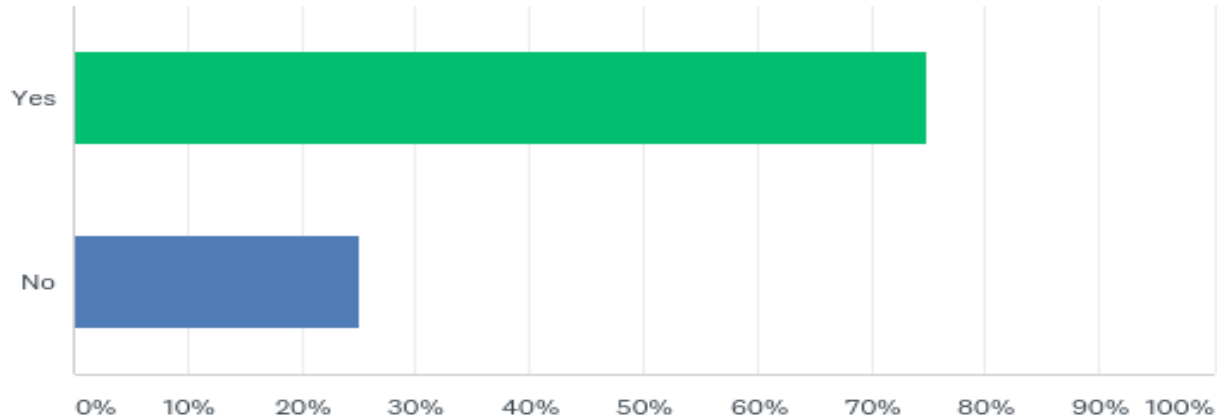
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	58.21%	578
No	41.79%	415
TOTAL		993

If yes, how did you come to the arrangement that is in place?



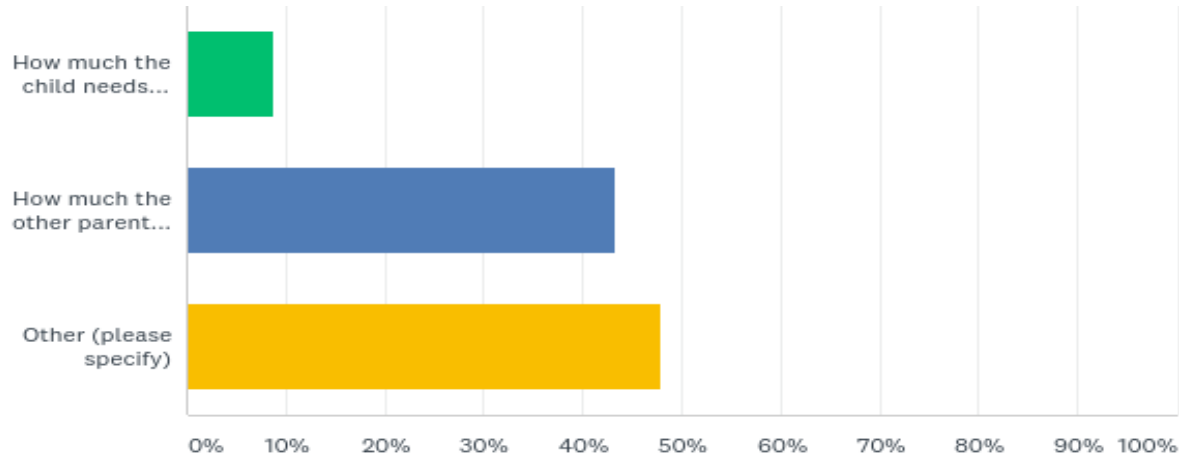
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Amicable	33.69% 190
Mediation	8.16% 46
Court order	58.16% 328
TOTAL	564

Is the child maintenance regularly paid?



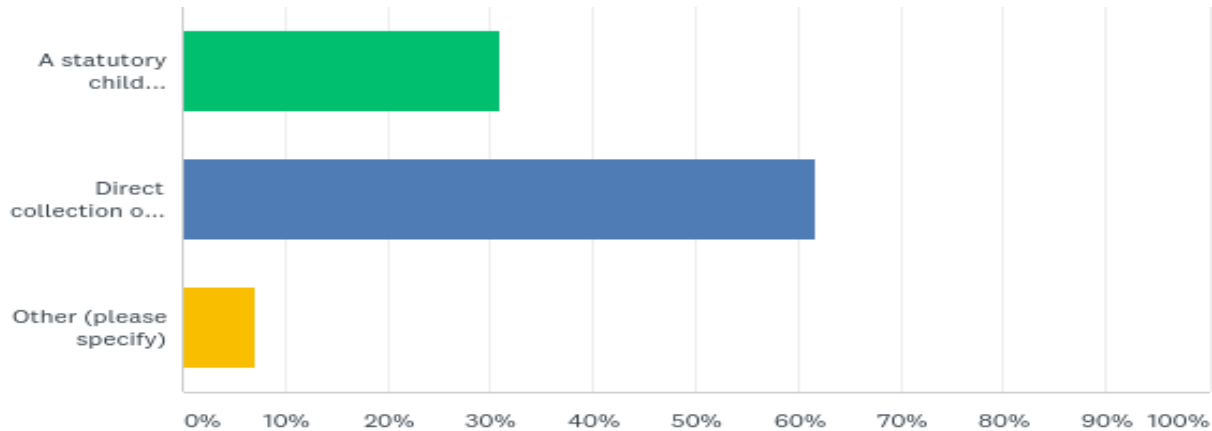
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	74.87%	426
No	25.13%	143
TOTAL		569

How did you determine how much child maintenance should be paid?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
How much the child needs based on my income	8.79%	50
How much the other parent can afford to pay	43.23%	246
Other (please specify)	47.98%	273
TOTAL		569

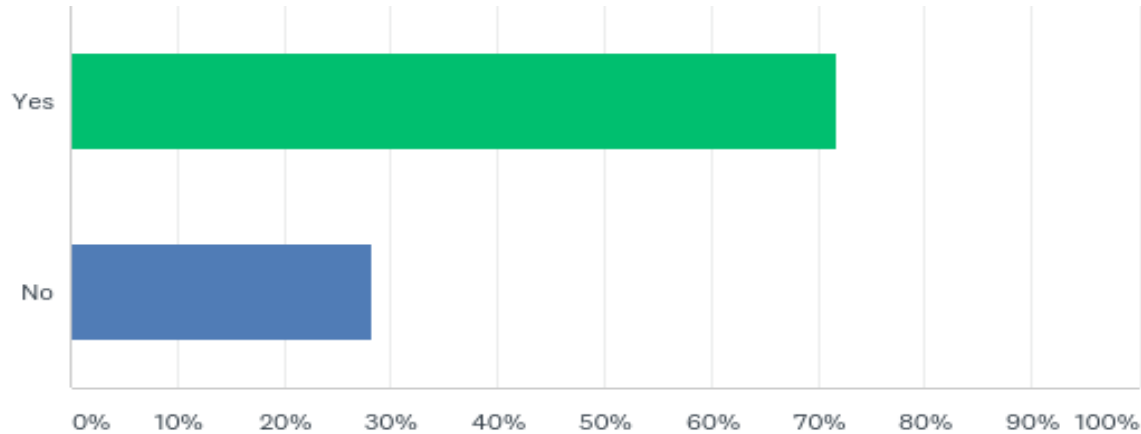
Is there anything you think would be helpful in ensuring child maintenance is paid?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
A statutory child maintenance agency	31.00%	297
Direct collection of maintenance from other parent's salary or earnings	61.80%	592
Other (please specify)	7.20%	69
TOTAL		958

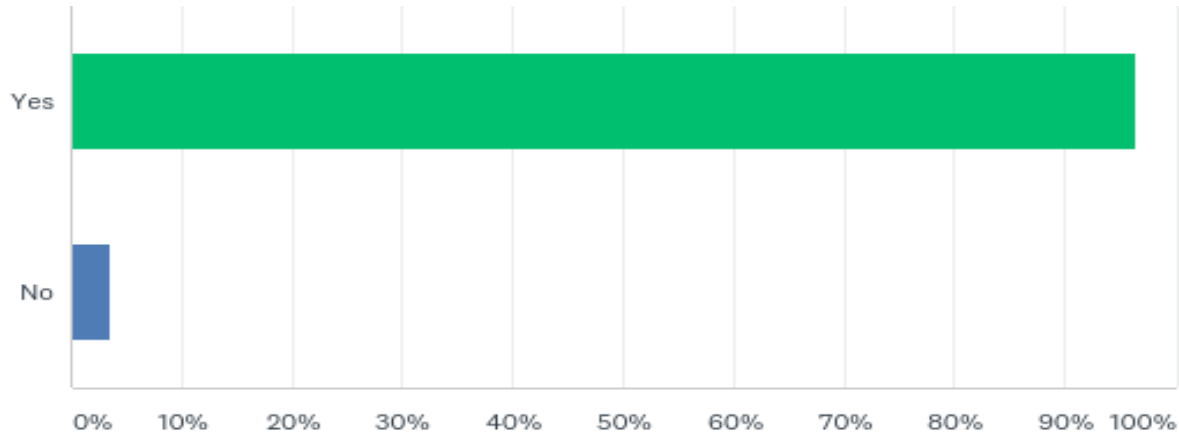
Non - Primary Carer

Do you make a financial contribution/child maintenance to your child(rens) other parent?



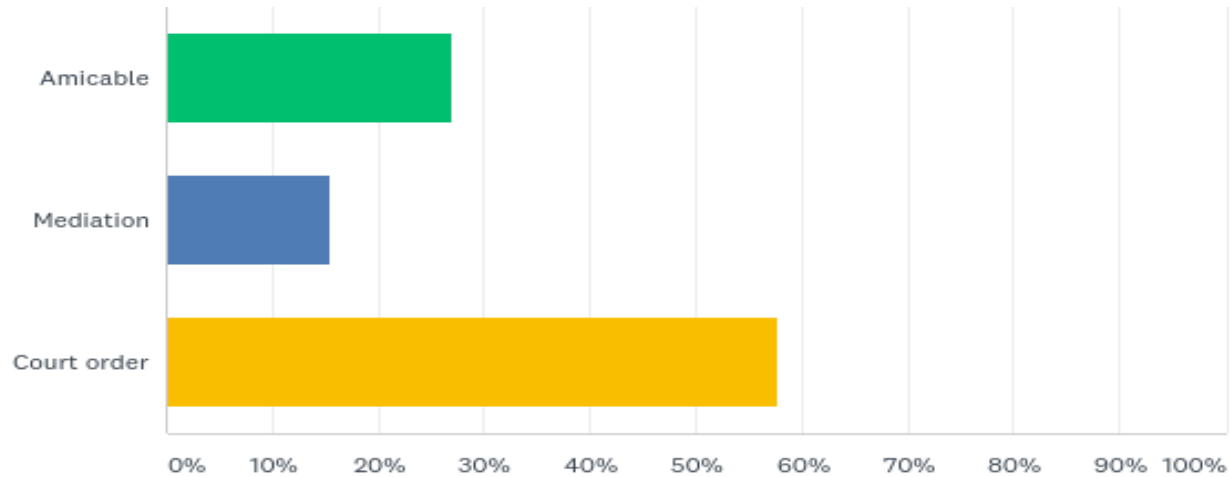
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	71.79%	28
No	28.21%	11
TOTAL		39

Is the child maintenance regularly paid?



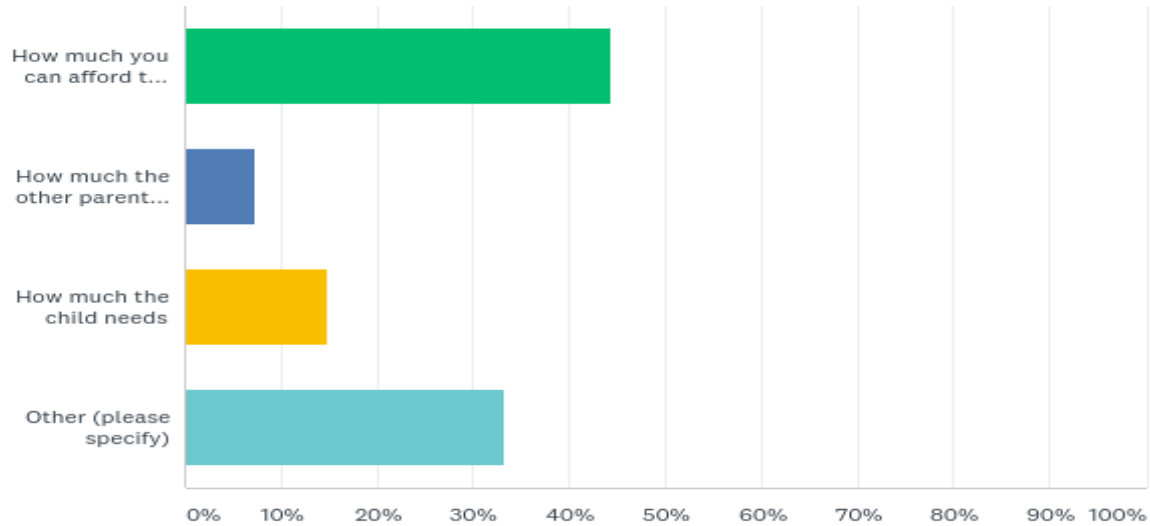
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	96.43%	27
No	3.57%	1
TOTAL		28

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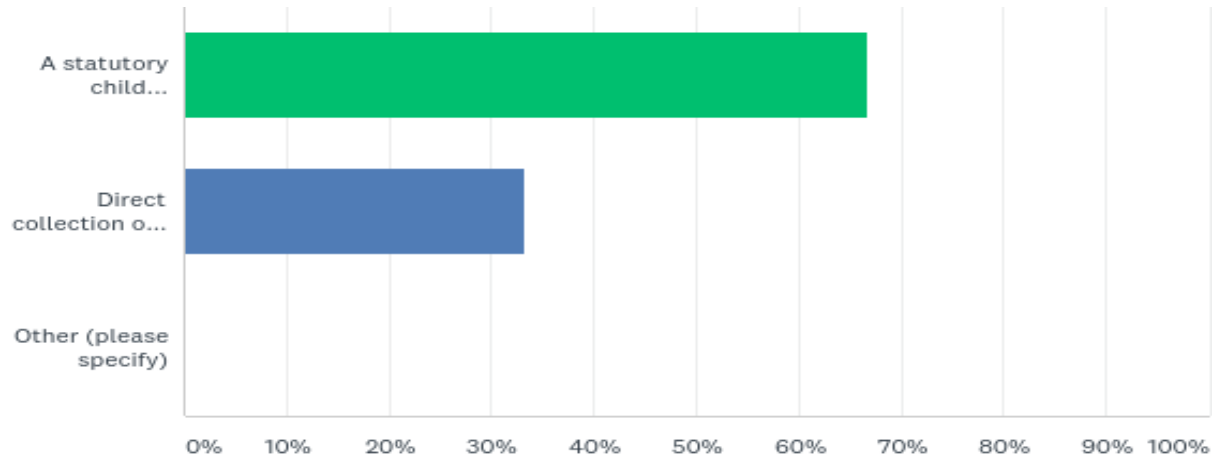
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Amicable	26.92%	7
Mediation	15.38%	4
Court order	57.69%	15
TOTAL		26

How did you determine how much child maintenance should be paid?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
How much you can afford to pay	44.44%	12
How much the other parent can afford based on income	7.41%	2
How much the child needs	14.81%	4
Other (please specify)	33.33%	9
TOTAL		27

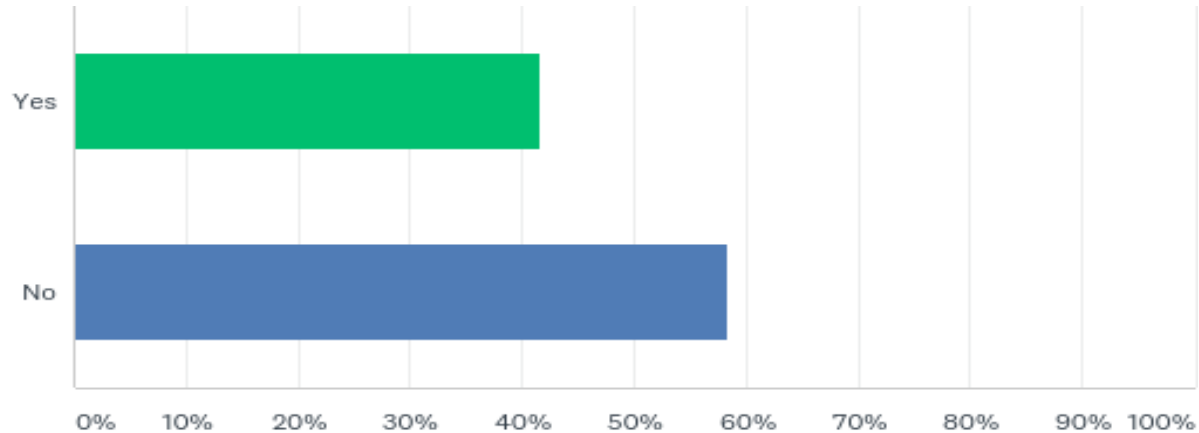
Is there anything you think would be helpful in paying child maintenance?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
A statutory child maintenance agency	66.67%	12
Direct collection of maintenance from salary or earnings	33.33%	6
Other (please specify)	0.00%	0
TOTAL		18

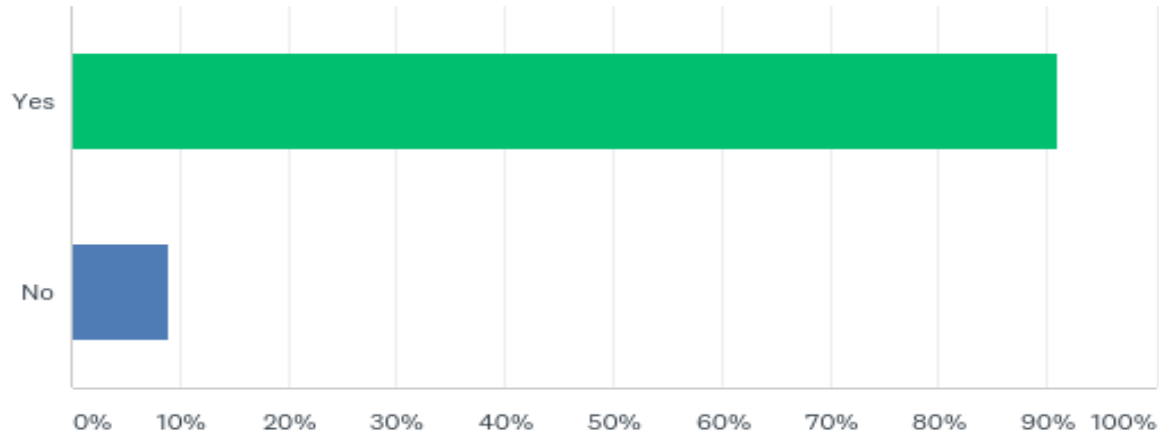
Equal caring responsibilities

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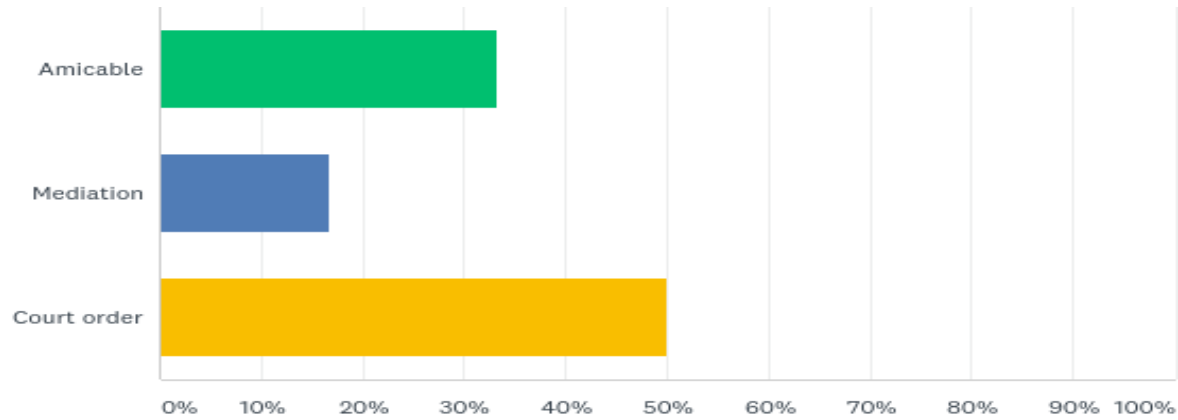
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	41.67%	15
No	58.33%	21
TOTAL		36

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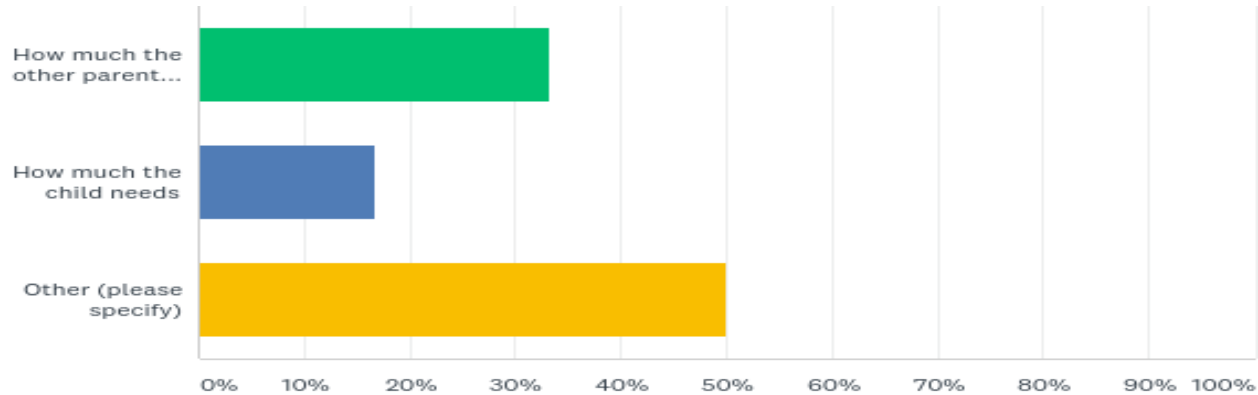
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	90.91%	10
No	9.09%	1
TOTAL		11

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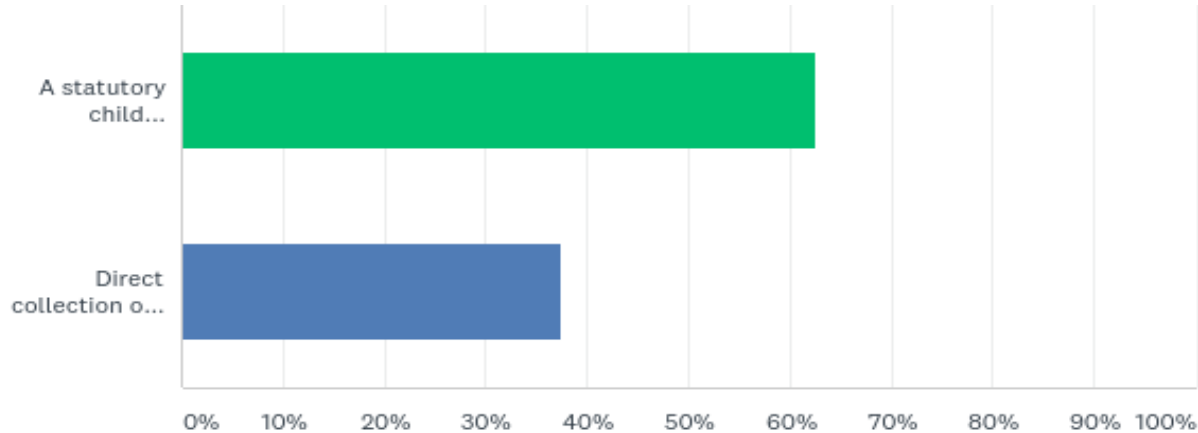
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Amicable	33.33%	4
Mediation	16.67%	2
Court order	50.00%	6
TOTAL		12

How did you determine how much child maintenance should be paid?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
How much the other parent can afford based on income	33.33%	4
How much the child needs	16.67%	2
Other (please specify)	50.00%	6
TOTAL		12

Is there anything you think would be helpful in paying child maintenance?



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
A statutory child maintenance agency	62.50% 10
Direct collection of maintenance from salary or earnings	37.50% 6
TOTAL	16