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In fall of 2023, the Office of Institutional Effectiveness conducted a survey of National University of Natural Medicine (NUNM) alumni. The purpose of the survey was to obtain alumni opinions on the success of the university in meeting its education goals.



Programs

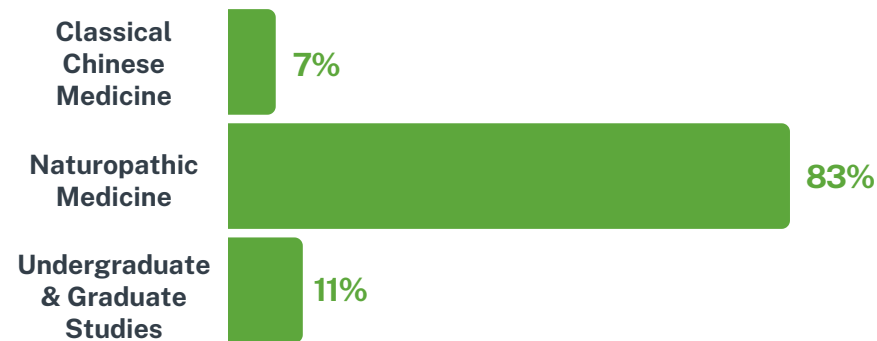
This survey was sent to alumni from the following degree programs:

- Bachelor of Science in Integrative Health Sciences (BSIHS)
- Bachelor of Science in Nutrition (BScN)
- Master of Arts in Community Organizing and Social Activism (COSA)
- Doctor of Acupuncture with a Chinese Herbal Medicine Specialization (DAcCHM, formerly DSOM)
- Doctor of Naturopathic Medicine (ND)
- Master of Acupuncture (MAc)
- Master of Acupuncture with a Chinese Herbal Medicine Specialization MAcCHM, formerly MSOM)
- Master of Arts in International Development and Service (IDS)
- Master of Science in Clinical Research (MSCR, formerly MSiMR)
- Master of Science in Integrative Mental Health (MSiMH)
- Master of Science in Global Health (MScGH)
- Master of Science in Nutrition (MScN)

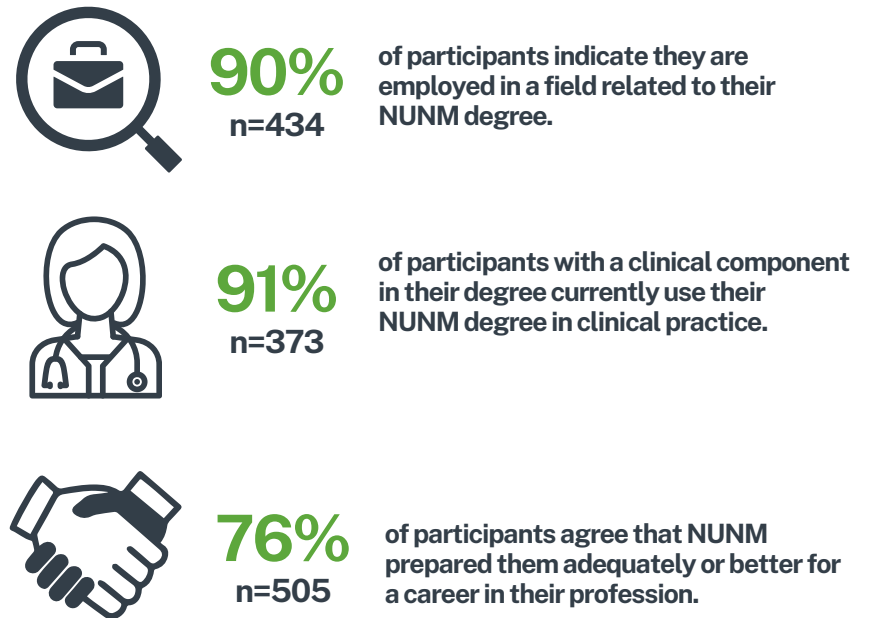
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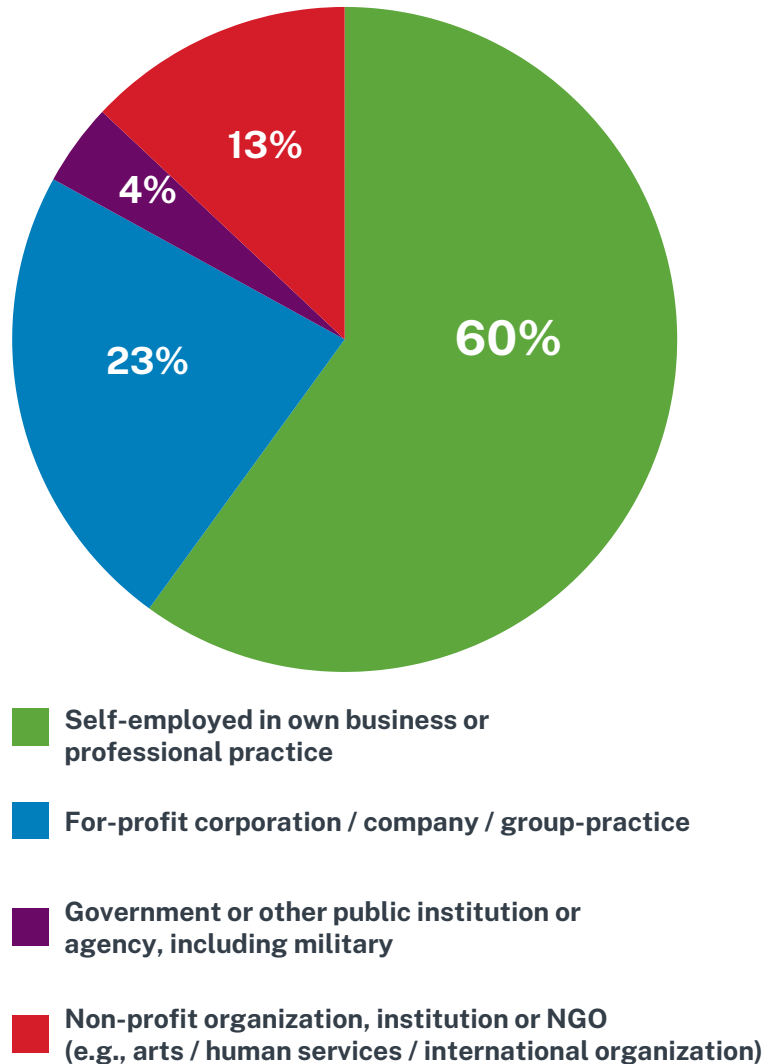


Quick Facts on the Results



Please note: The data contained in this survey report are self-reported and participation was anonymous. It is not possible to verify the results of participant responses.

Which of the following sectors best describes your occupation(s)?

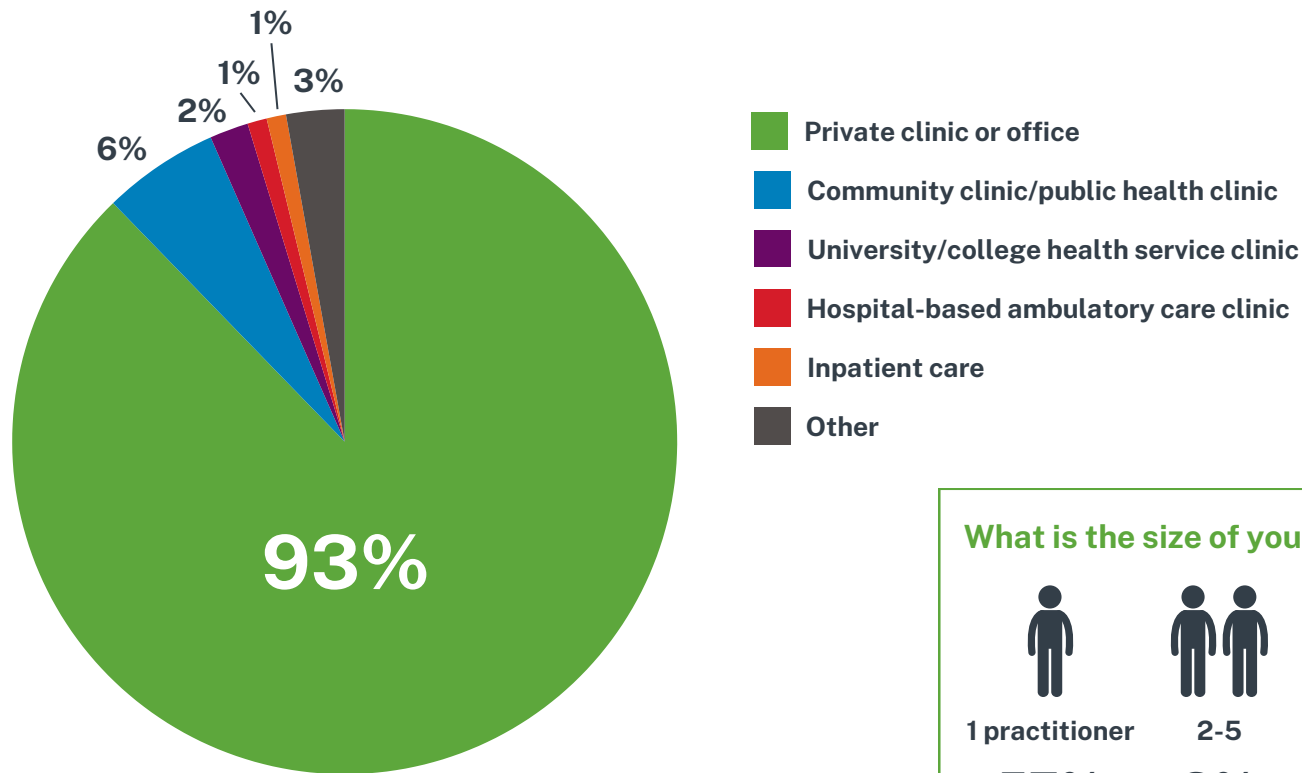


By Program

*Participants may select all that apply. Responses for categories less than 3 are suppressed. The percentage total may differ from the total above due to the suppression of program participation of less than 3.

	Self-employed in own business or professional practice	For-profit corporation / company / group-practice	Government or other public institution or agency, including military	Non-profit organization, institution or NGO
Undergraduate	44%	22%	0%	33%
CCM	71%	23%	0%	6%
Graduate	21%	40%	17%	21%
ND + ND/Masters	64%	22%	3%	11%
ND and CCM	67%	20%	3%	10%

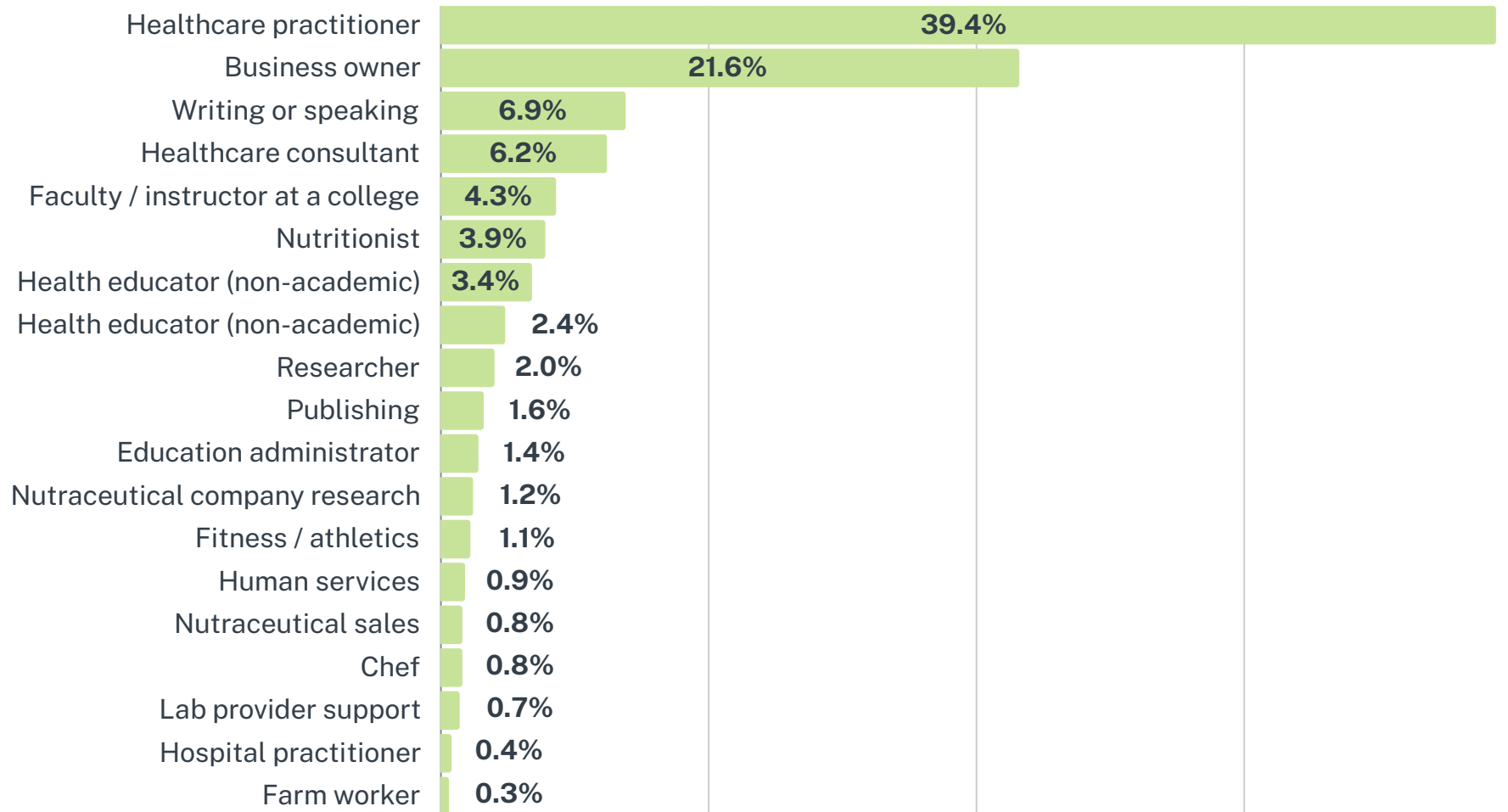
Which of the following best describes your practice setting?



Includes all programs for which participants indicated that they are currently using their NUNM degree in clinical practice. Responses for categories of less than 3 are suppressed.

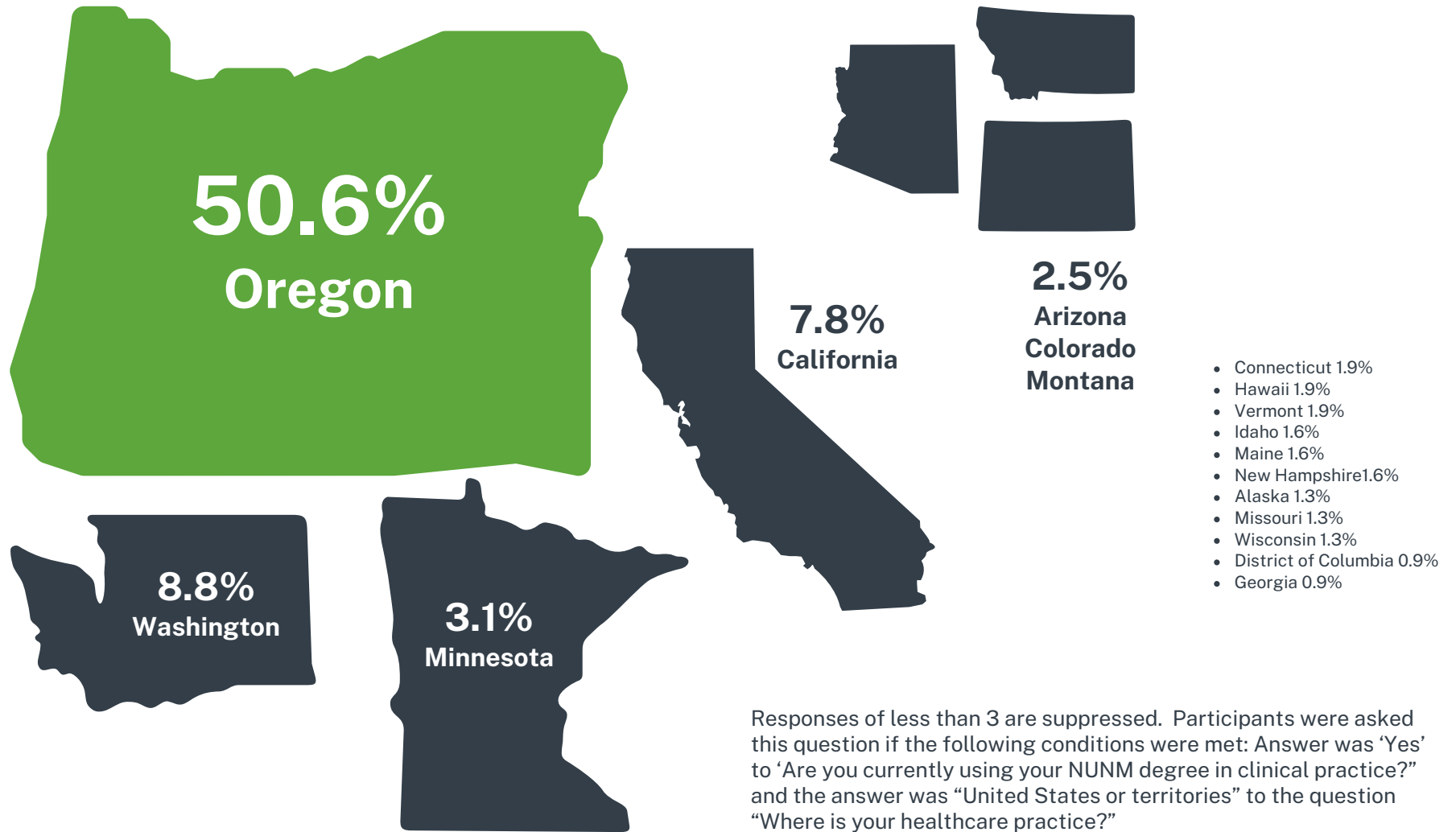


Please select the categories that best describe your current occupation(s):



Responses of less than 3 are suppressed. Participant programs of those who responded to this question include BScN, BSiHS, COSA, DAcCHM, MAcCHM, MScN, MAc, MScGH, MScN, MScR, and ND.

In what state do you currently practice?



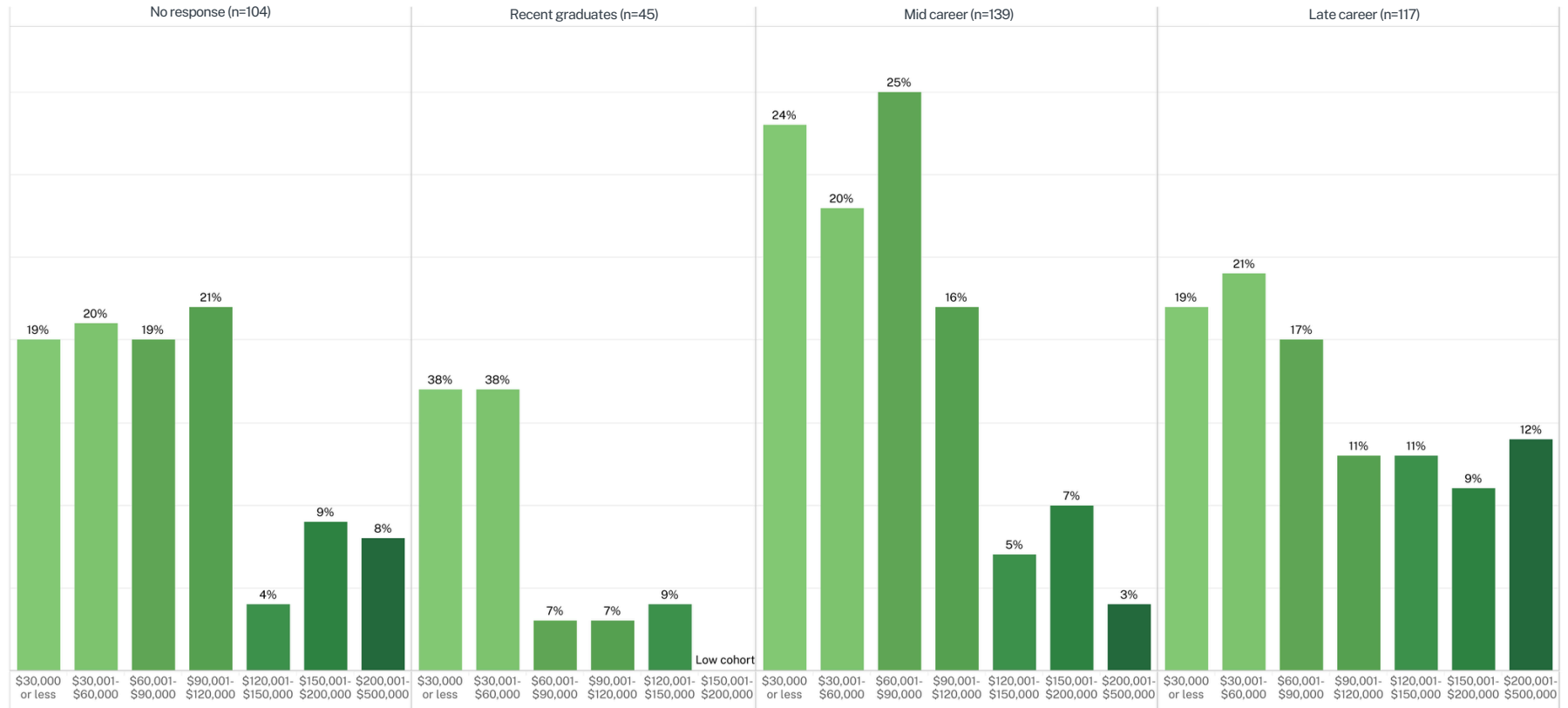
Are you networked with other NUNM alumni, professionally or personally?



All responses.

What is your annual individual net income, after business expenses and before taxes?

Includes all graduates who selected a program and provided wages.

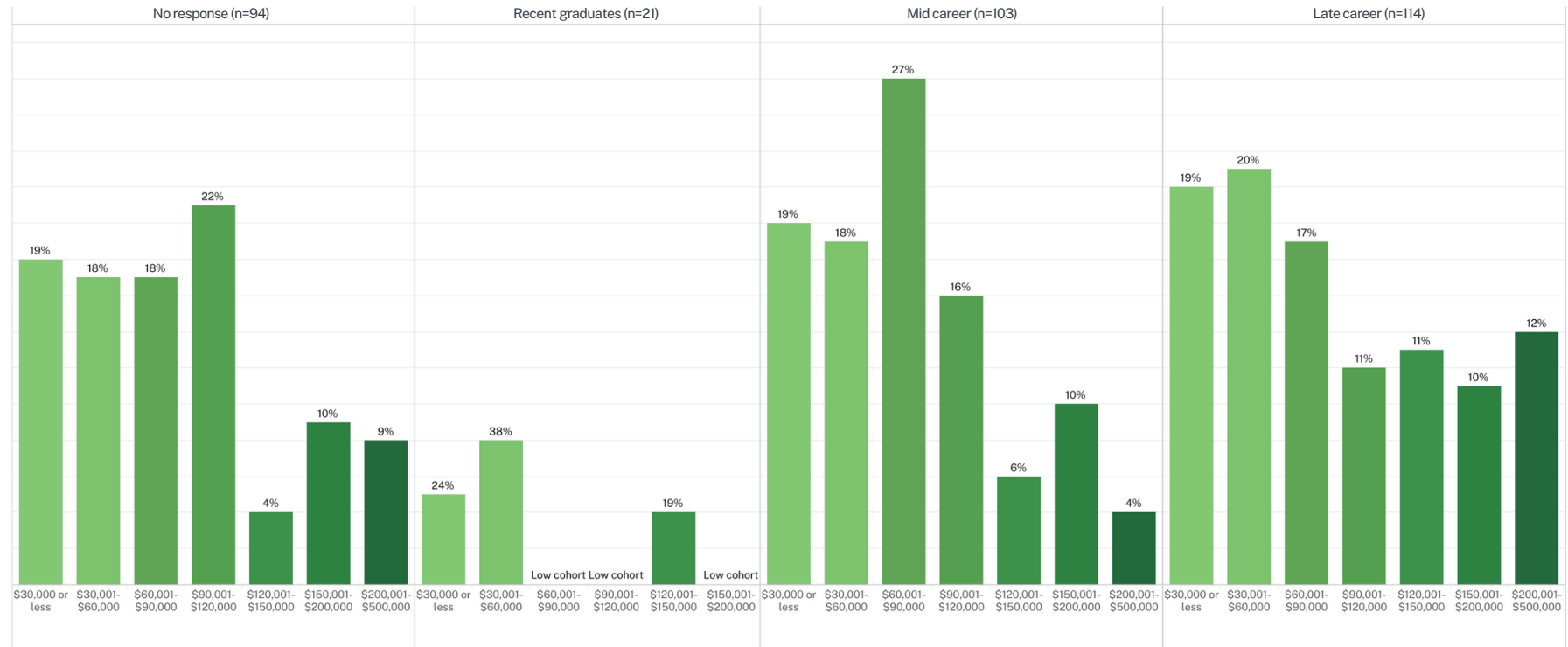


Recent graduate is defined as participants who are between 0 and 4 years since graduation, mid-career between 5 and 14 years since graduation, and later career from 15 years or more since graduation.

Some participants noted that their answer to the question, “What is your net income, after business expenses and before taxes” was in Canadian dollars. Some participants indicated that they were working in Canada but did not state whether their salary was in US or Canadian dollars. Of the 14 participants who indicated they were in Canada, 3 participants stated their net income was in Canadian dollars. For participants who stated their net income was in Canadian dollars, we converted their net income effective September 19, 2024 using the following website: <https://www.xe.com/currencyconverter/>.

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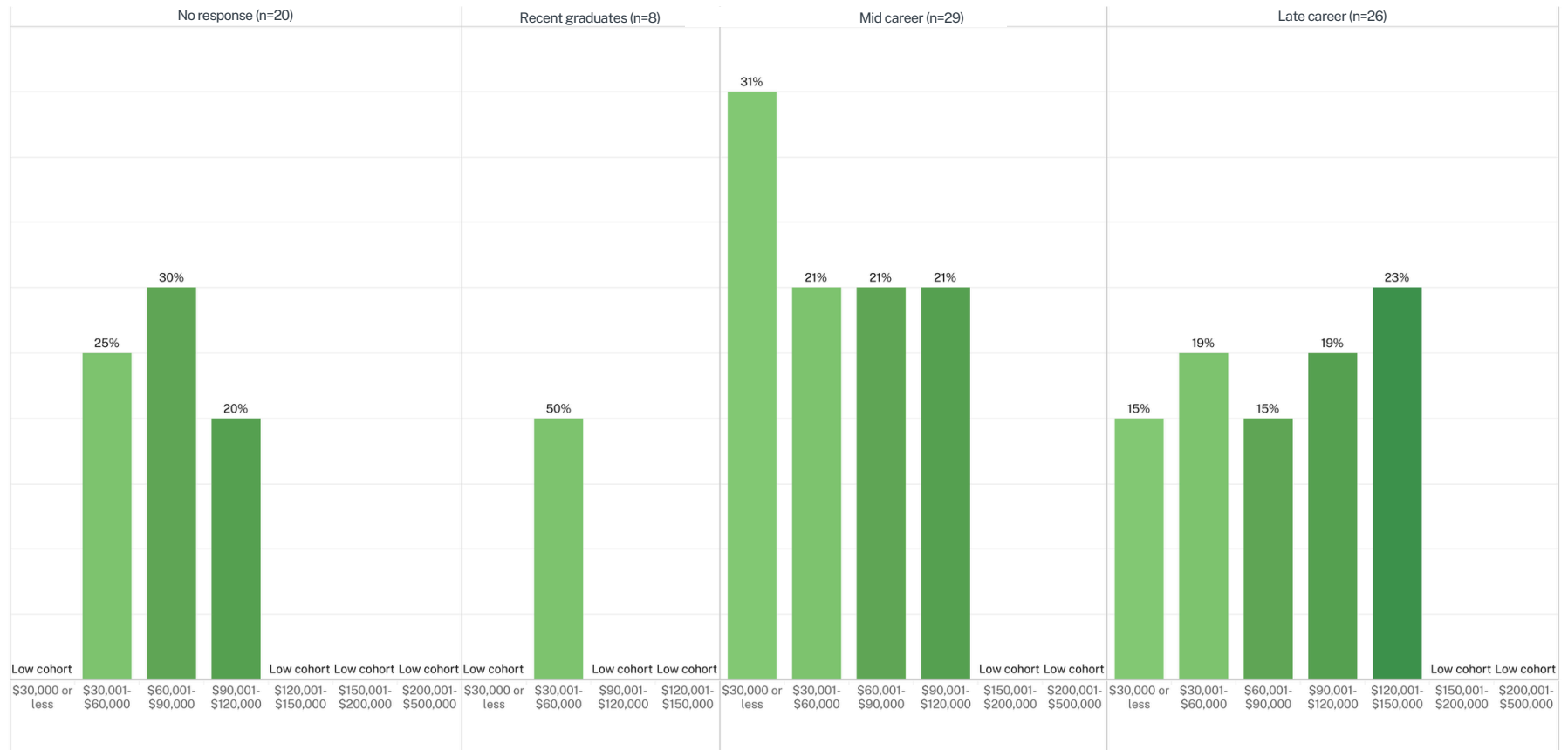


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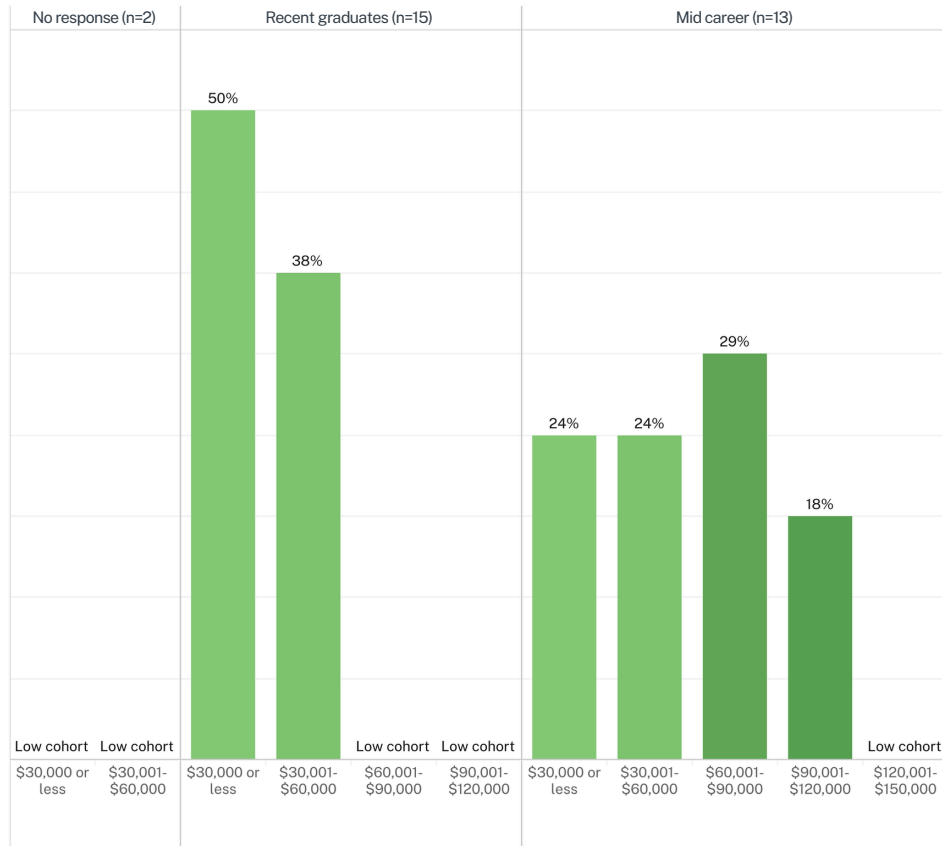
DAcCHM/DSOM, MAcCHM/MSOM, and MAc including dual program graduates.



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Graduate degree program graduates includes dual degrees (COSA, MScGH, MScN, MScN/MSCR, MSCR).



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