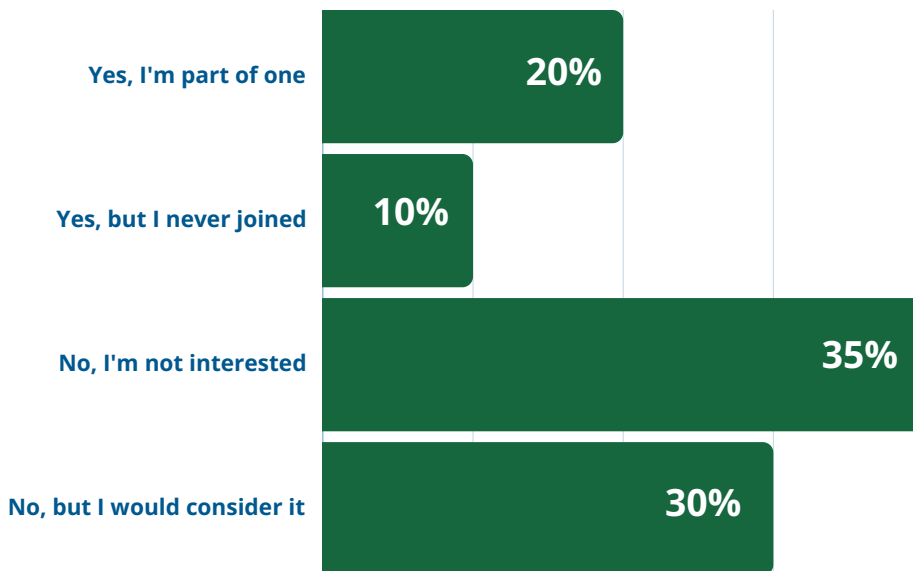


# The Question of the Month of March - Results

## Have you ever considered joining the patient and family council of a healthcare organization?

April's question is about patient and family councils. We're looking to find out how engaged Francophones in the North are with patient and family councils. Patient and family councils allow patients and families to provide feedback on the care they have received, enabling service providers to better understand the needs and expectations of service users. Participation in these councils enables patients and families to feel valued and heard. This strengthens their commitment and motivation to actively participate in their own health.



20% of respondents indicated they were part of a patient and family council, 10% considered joining but never did, 35% of respondents had no interest in joining a council, and 30% indicated they had never considered it but would now. Respondents also shared that time and lack of information were barriers to their participation in a patient and family council.

For more information on patient and family councils in your area, consult the following resources:

[Family Councils Ontario](#)

[Réseau francophone des Conseils de Familles Ontario](#)

Your local hospital or healthcare provider's website

Your region's [Ontario Health Team's website](#)



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