

Family Support Service & Children's Centre consultation

Scrutiny – Children's and Families update

8th December 2017

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Headline Figures

488 responses to the consultation questionnaire

346 people were spoken to at consultation drop in sessions (6 across the County) or at targeted focus groups (such as young parents, breastfeeding, stay and play etc.)

44 emails received from individuals or groups with feedback, sometimes in addition to completing the consultation questionnaire

682 signatures on a petition we received called *"Save Wellington Children's Centre it plays a vital part in our community to families!"*

38 responses via Diversity Voice from Polish, Romanian and Hungarian families

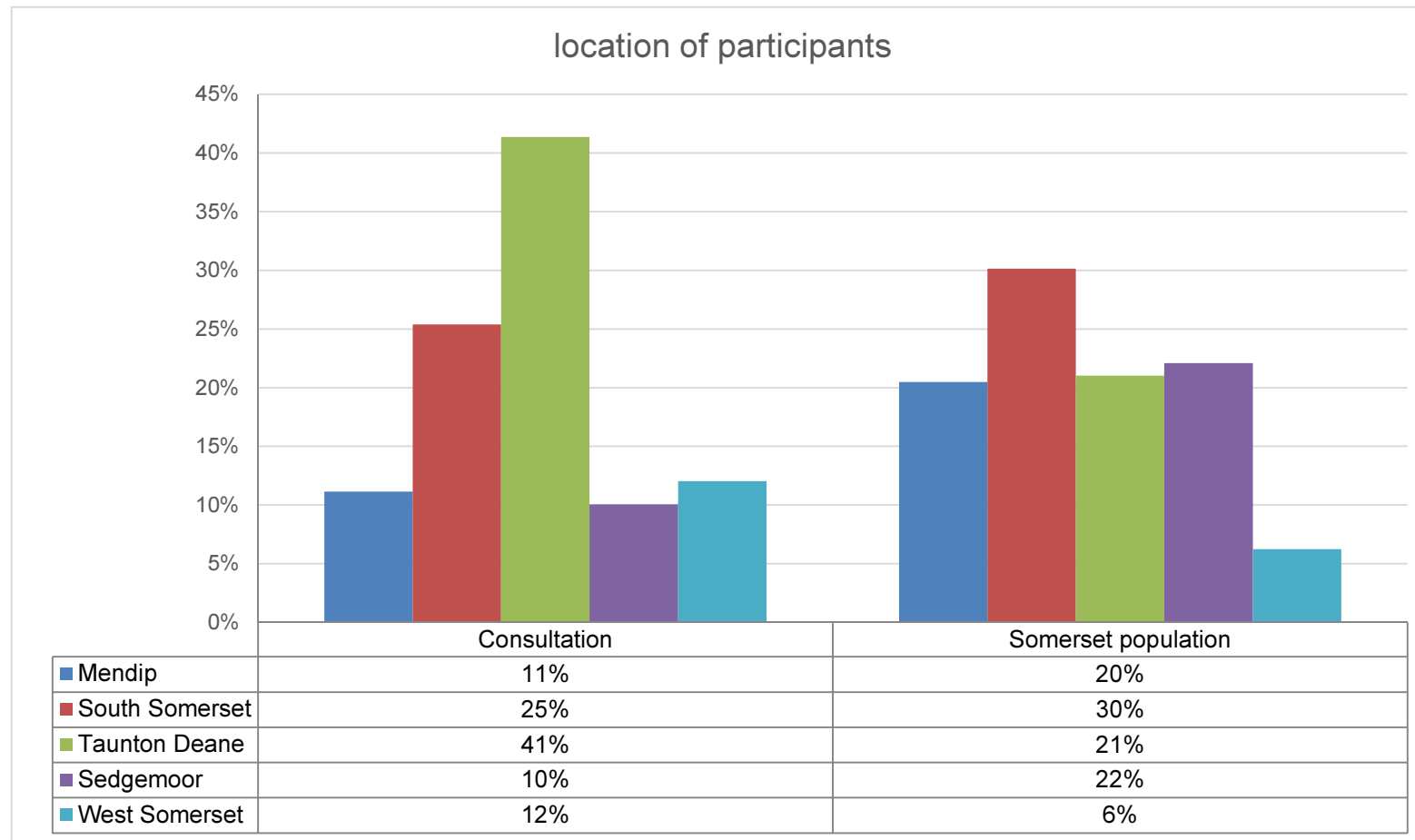
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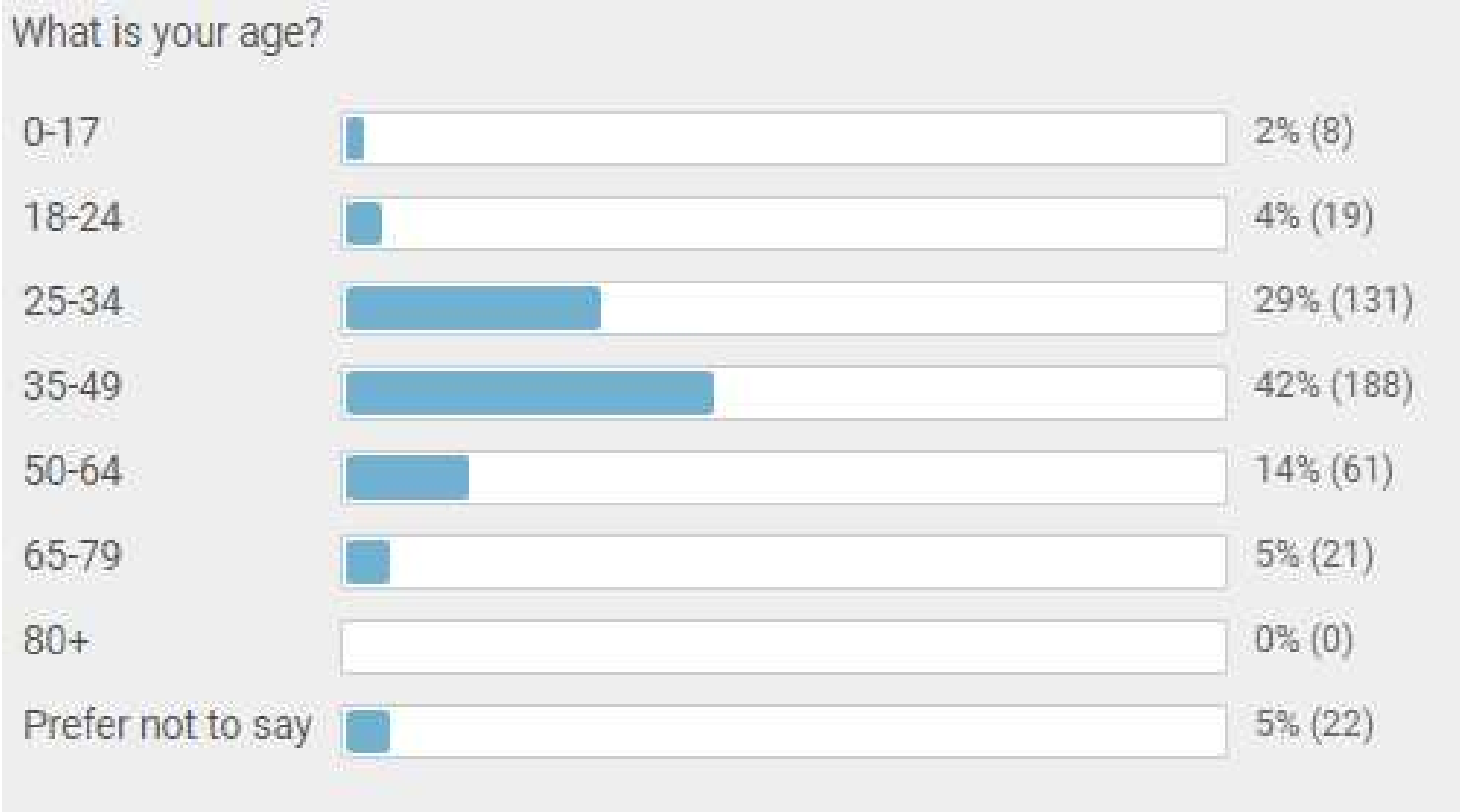
Where have the consultation questionnaire responses come from?

The graph below (on the left) shows where people stated they lived. On the right is a population breakdown from the Somerset 2011 census, so it can be seen that more responses were received from certain districts:



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What age were the people who have responded to the consultation questionnaire?



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Next Steps

Dialogue analysing all consultation feedback and drafting a summary report

- § Draft report being shared with project team on 8th December
- § Final report to be sent in by 14th December

Workshop scheduled for 11th December to look at how the consultation feedback will affect:

- § Final Proposals for main hub locations
- § Associated Impact Assessments
- § How the Family Support Service will look going forward

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Timeline for decision making

2017	
SLT/CCB Meeting	12 th December 2017
Commissioning Board	13 th December 2017
Cabinet Member briefings	w/b 11 th December 2017
Cabinet/SLT	18 th December 2017
2018	
Staff Engagement	w/b 8 th January
Scrutiny Pre-Meet	11 th January
Scrutiny Publication	18 th January
Scrutiny Meeting	26 th January
Cabinet/SLT	15 th January
Cabinet pre-agenda	22 nd January
Cabinet Papers published	2 nd February
Cabinet Meeting	12 th February

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