



CONTRACEPTIVE SERVICES SURVEY

How to submit your survey responses:

- Complete the survey online at gov.je/contraceptiveservices
- Alternatively, you can fill in this paper survey and post it to:
*Strategic Health Policy Team
Strategic Policy, Planning and Performance
Cabinet Office
Government of Jersey
19-21 Broad Street
St Helier
Jersey, JE2 3RR*
- Responses must be submitted no later than 21st May 2024.

Introduction

The Minister for Health and Social Services has launched a consultation on contraceptive services in Jersey to understand:

- if islanders are using their contraception of choice and if not, why not
- where they go to get their contraception and why
- where they want to go to get their contraception

The consultation seeks input from all Islanders. The findings of the consultation will be published in a report and used to inform potential changes to contraception services in Jersey.

If you wish to give your views on women's health and wellbeing in Jersey at the same time, go to gov.je/womenshealth and complete the women's health and wellbeing and contraceptive services survey.

Completing the survey

The survey should take approximately 5 minutes to complete. It begins with some demographic questions which will help us analyse results and then asks for your views on contraceptive services in Jersey.

Responses must be submitted no later than 21st May 2024. Please answer as openly and honestly as possible. There are no right or wrong answers to our questions, we are simply looking to hear your views and experiences.



Important: Do not include any personally identifying information in your free text responses.

Data Protection

Your responses will be treated confidentially and in line with Jersey's data protection legislation. Any comments you provide will remain anonymous. Learn more about how we handle personal data for this consultation here:

gov.je/PublicHealthPrivacy

1. Do you give permission for your comments to be published in relevant reports? Any quotes published would be anonymised.

Yes No

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Section 1 - About you

We ask these questions to help us analyse the results of the survey.

2. What is your sex?

Female Male Prefer not to say

3. Is your gender the same as the sex you were registered at birth?

Yes No Prefer not to say

4. What age-group are you in?

Under 13* 20 to 24 45 to 54 75 to 84

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13 to 15 25 to 34 55 to 64 85 and over

16 to 19 35 to 44 65 to 74 Prefer not to say

*You must be aged 13 or older to take part in this survey.



5. What is your cultural and ethnic background? *Select one option which best describes your ethnic group or background.*

White:

- Jersey
- British
- Irish
- French

- Polish
- Portuguese / Madeiran
- Romanian
- South African

Black, Black British, Black Jersey:

- African
- Caribbean

Mixed:

- Asian and Black
- Black and White
- White and Asian

Asian, Asian British or Asian Jersey:

- Indian
- Chinese
- Thai

Other:

- Prefer not to say
- Other (please specify):

6. Which of the following best describes your current employment status? *Select all that apply.*

- Working one job full-time
- Working one job part-time
- Working more than one full-time job
- Working more than one part-time job
- School or studying full-time
- School or studying part-time
- Looking after home and / or family
- Retired
- Unable to work because of long-term sickness or disability
- Unemployed
- Prefer not to say
- Other (please specify):

Section 2 - Contraceptive Services in Jersey

We are asking these questions to understand if you are using your contraception of choice and if not, why not.

7. Do you use contraception?

- Yes, always
- Yes, sometimes
- No → go to Q16
- Prefer not to say → go to Q16

8. Is the contraception you use your contraception of choice? *(for example, if you are using the contraceptive pill, are you happy using the pill or would you prefer to use a different type of contraception, such as a coil?)*

- Yes, I am happy with the type of contraception I am currently using → go to Q10
- No, I would rather use a different type of contraception → go to Q9
- Maybe, I'm not sure → go to Q9
- Prefer not to say → go to Q10



9. Why are you not using your contraception of choice? Select all that apply

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I cannot afford my contraception of choice | <input type="checkbox"/> I am concerned about side effects or pain related to my contraception of choice |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I do not have enough information about other types of contraception to decide what to use | <input type="checkbox"/> I am anxious or embarrassed about getting my contraception of choice (for example, a doctor or nurse asking questions about sex or examining me) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I do not know where to get my contraception of choice | <input type="checkbox"/> I cannot use my contraception of choice due to a medical condition |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am too busy to get my contraception of choice (e.g., long appointment to fit a coil or implant) | <input type="checkbox"/> My partner does not want me to use my contraception of choice |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to say | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |

10. Where do you get your contraception? Select all that apply

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Contraception Clinic (Le Bas Centre) | <input type="checkbox"/> Pharmacy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GUM (sexual health) Clinic | <input type="checkbox"/> Supermarket or shop |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Brook Jersey (under 21s only) | <input type="checkbox"/> Online |
| <input type="checkbox"/> My doctor / GP in Jersey | <input type="checkbox"/> Jersey General Hospital (female sterilisation or vasectomy) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to say | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |



11. If you use the contraception clinic (Le Bas Centre) to get your contraception, why do you go there? Select all that apply

- I am confident that the doctors or nurses who work here have good knowledge about contraception
- It is cheaper to get my contraception here
- I can get my contraception for free
- It is easy to book an appointment
- I feel comfortable with the doctor or nurse I see
- A family member or friend goes here
- Appointments generally run on time
- The location is convenient
- I do not know where else to go to get contraception I want
- Female doctor or nurse is guaranteed
- I can park nearby
- I can see a doctor or nurse that I know
- I get a better service than from other clinics or places
- Not applicable – I do not use the contraception clinic (Le Bas Centre)
- Don't know

Other (please specify):

12. If you use the GUM clinic to get your contraception, why do you go there? Select all that apply

- I am confident that the doctors or nurses who work here have good knowledge about contraception
- It is cheaper to get my contraception here
- I can get my contraception for free
- It is easy to book an appointment
- I feel comfortable with the doctor or nurse I see
- A family member or friend goes here
- Appointments generally run on time
- The location is convenient
- I do not know where else to go to get contraception I want
- Female doctor or nurse is guaranteed
- I can park nearby
- I can see a doctor or nurse that I know
- I get a better service than from other clinics or places
- Not applicable – I do not use the GUM clinic
- Don't know

Other (please specify):



13. If you use Brook Jersey to get your contraception, why do you go there?

Select all that apply

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I am confident that the doctors or nurses who work here have good knowledge about contraception | <input type="checkbox"/> It is cheaper to get my contraception here | <input type="checkbox"/> I can get my contraception for free |
| <input type="checkbox"/> It is easy to book an appointment | <input type="checkbox"/> I feel comfortable with the doctor or nurse I see | <input type="checkbox"/> A family member or friend goes here |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appointments generally run on time | <input type="checkbox"/> The location is convenient | <input type="checkbox"/> I do not know where else to go to get contraception I want |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Female doctor or nurse is guaranteed | <input type="checkbox"/> I can park nearby | <input type="checkbox"/> I can see a doctor or nurse that I know |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I get a better service than from other clinics or places | <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable – I do not use Brook Jersey | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): | | |

14. If you use your GP to get your contraception, why do you go there? Select all that apply.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I am confident that the doctors or nurses who work here have good knowledge about contraception | <input type="checkbox"/> It is cheaper to get my contraception here | <input type="checkbox"/> I can get my contraception for free |
| <input type="checkbox"/> It is easy to book an appointment | <input type="checkbox"/> I feel comfortable with the doctor or nurse I see | <input type="checkbox"/> A family member or friend goes here |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appointments generally run on time | <input type="checkbox"/> The location is convenient | <input type="checkbox"/> I do not know where else to go to get contraception I want |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Female doctor or nurse is guaranteed | <input type="checkbox"/> I can park nearby | <input type="checkbox"/> I can see a doctor or nurse that I know |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I get a better service than from other clinics or places | <input type="checkbox"/> I can speak to my doctor about other health matters during the same appointment | <input type="checkbox"/> People do not know that I am there to get contraception; my appointment could be for something else |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable – I do not use my GP | <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |



15. If you use the contraceptive pill, would you prefer to get it:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> from your GP | <input type="checkbox"/> from a local pharmacy without having to see your GP or any other contraceptive services first (e.g. Le Bas Centre, Brook, GUM clinic) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> from Contraception Clinic (Le Bas Centre) | <input type="checkbox"/> no preference |
| <input type="checkbox"/> from GUM (sexual health) clinic | <input type="checkbox"/> don't know |
| <input type="checkbox"/> from Brook Jersey (if under 21) | <input type="checkbox"/> not applicable – I do not use the contraceptive pill |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): | |

16. We are nearly at the end of the survey. Is there anything else you would like to say about contraceptive services in Jersey? OPTIONAL

Thank you for completing this survey!

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