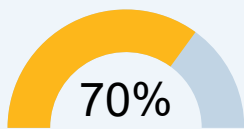
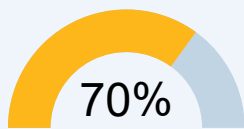


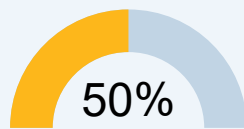
Physician Confidence in Delivering Palliative Care



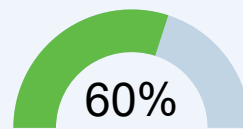
Feel confident addressing **physical needs** of children.



Feel confident addressing **emotional needs** of children.



Feel confident addressing **spiritual care needs** of children.

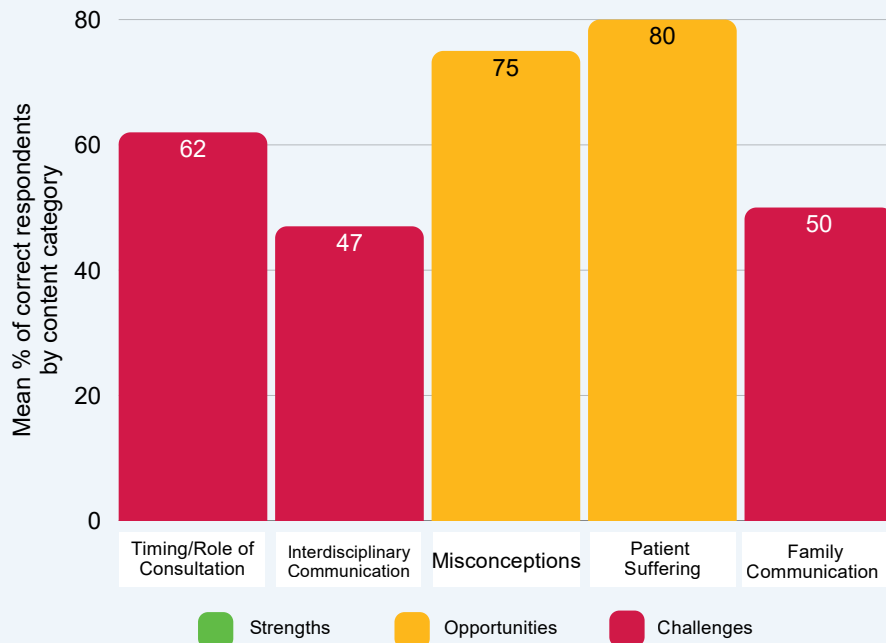


Feel confident providing **grief and bereavement** support.



Feel burdened by their inability to control the suffering of children at end-of-life.

Physician Understanding of Pediatric Palliative Care



Opportunities to strengthen PC knowledge include clarifying consultation timing, its role in alleviating suffering and facilitating communication, and addressing PC misconceptions.

63% median score for palliative care knowledge in accordance with WHO guidance.

60% reported no previous palliative care education.

100% desired more education on how to provide palliative care to their patients.

Strengths



General alignment with WHO guidance (63%).



Some access to pediatric palliative care consultation (30%).



Recognized need for palliative care training of clinicians to improve access (100%).

Recommended Next Steps for Cambodia



Foster collaborative palliative care research to inform policy, improve care quality, and strengthen academic-industry partnerships.



Integrate palliative care concepts into the training of multidisciplinary clinicians, including doctors, nurses, social workers, and psychologists.



Develop and implement guidelines to optimize the timing of palliative care integration for children with cancer and other serious illnesses.



Collaborate with stakeholders to improve access to essential medicines and advocate for dedicated funding, integration of palliative care into policy.



Regional Implementation of ADAPT in Cambodia

Country-adapted pediatric palliative care curriculum based on identified knowledge gaps.

Collaborate with the WHO Regional Office and partner organizations on initiatives aimed at strengthening access to palliative care services for children across the region.

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