

CHART 1

African Americans View AIDS as Urgent and Growing Problem for the Nation

Percent who say...

■ African Americans ■ National Sample of All Americans

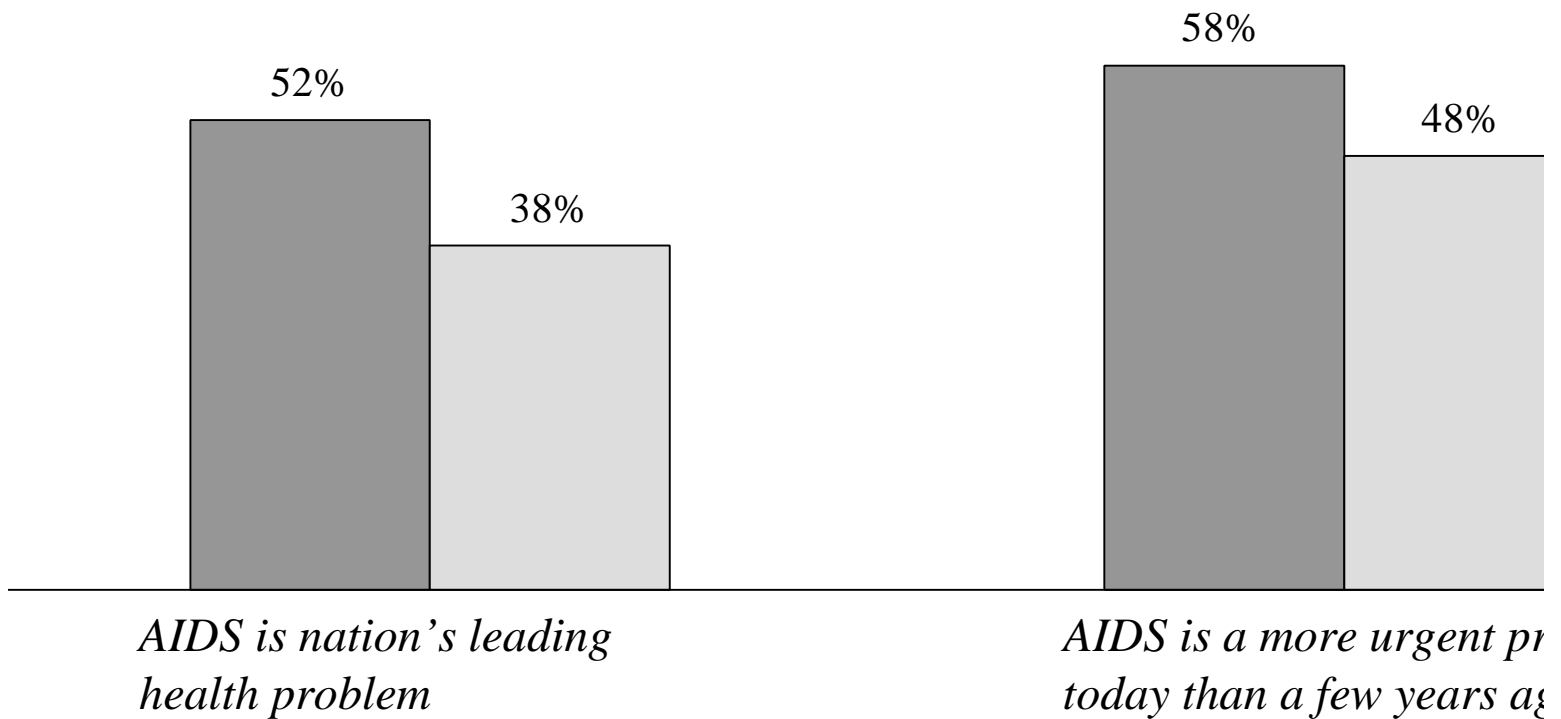
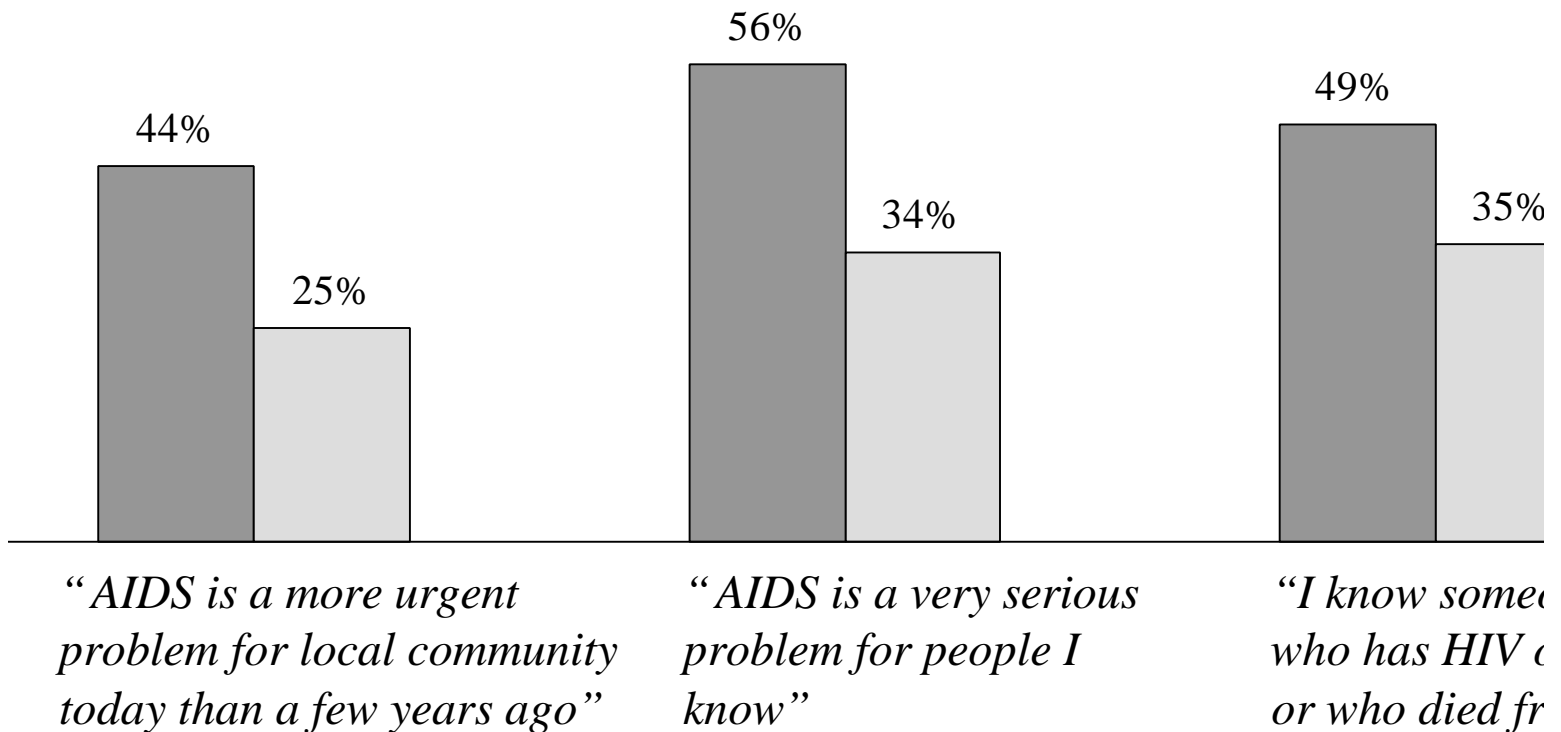


CHART 2

African Americans Experience AIDS Close to Home Impact on Local Communities, Individuals

Percent who say...

■ African Americans □ National Sample of All Americans



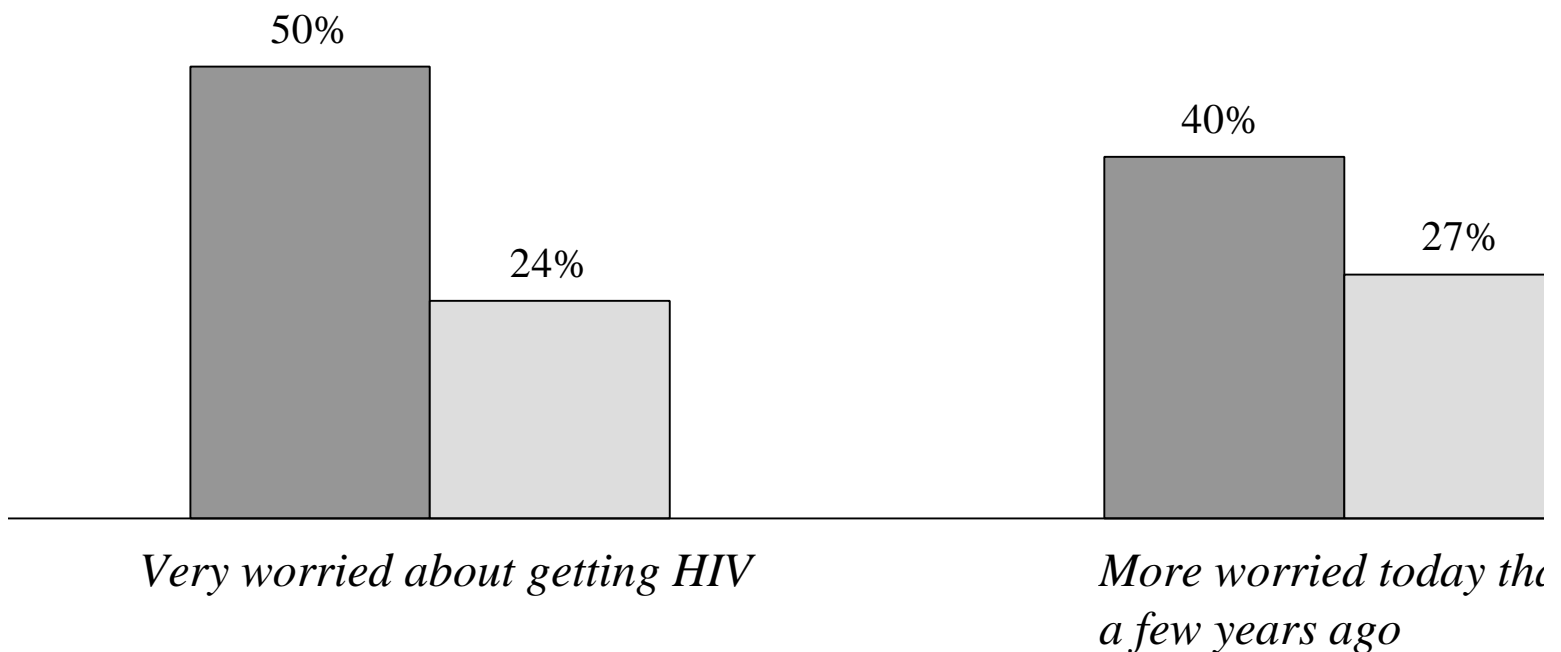
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African Americans Worry Personally About HIV/AIDS

Percent who say they are...

■ African Americans ■ National Sample of All Americans

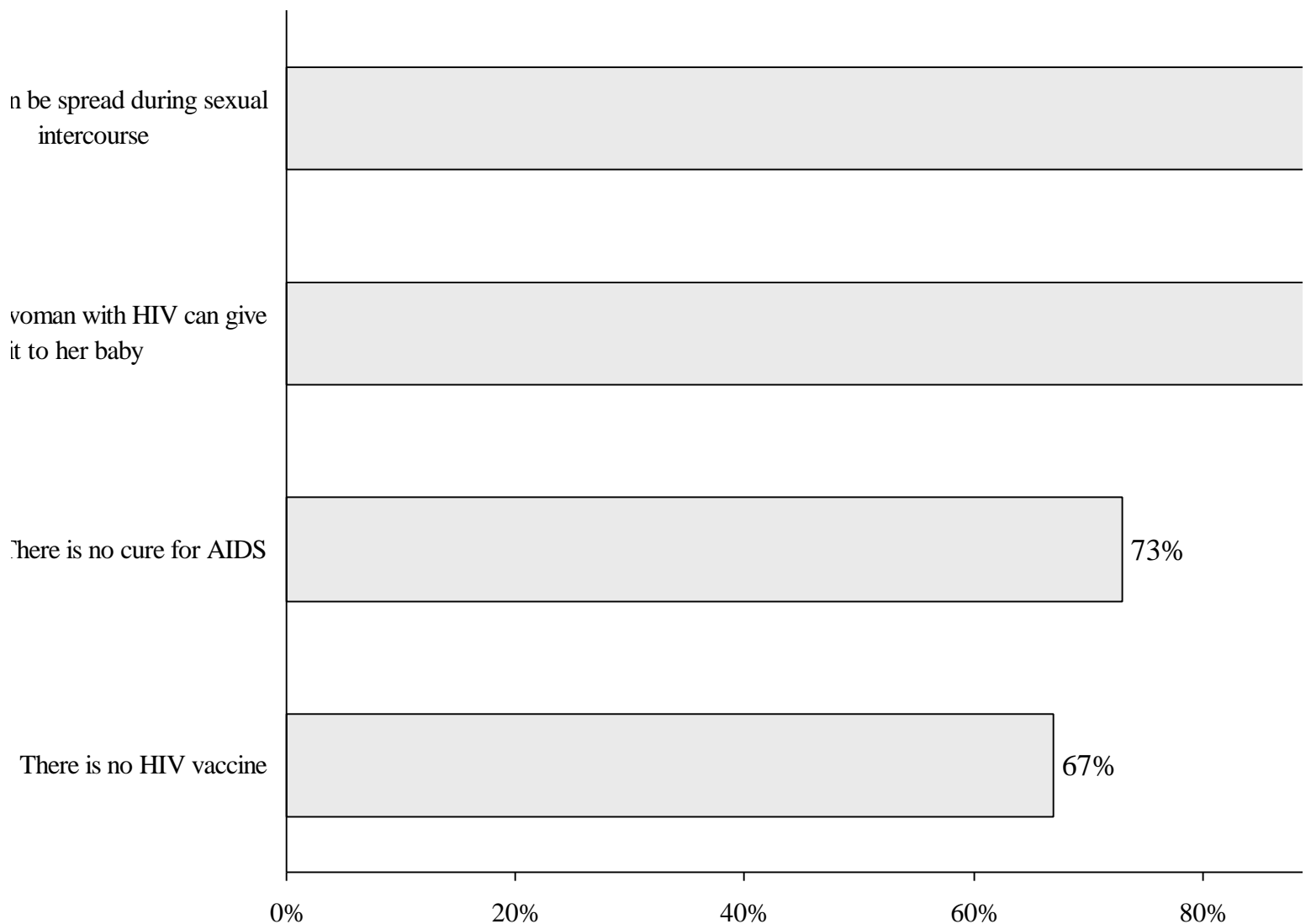


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African Americans Knowledgeable About Prevention and Spread of HIV/AIDS

Percent of African Americans who know...



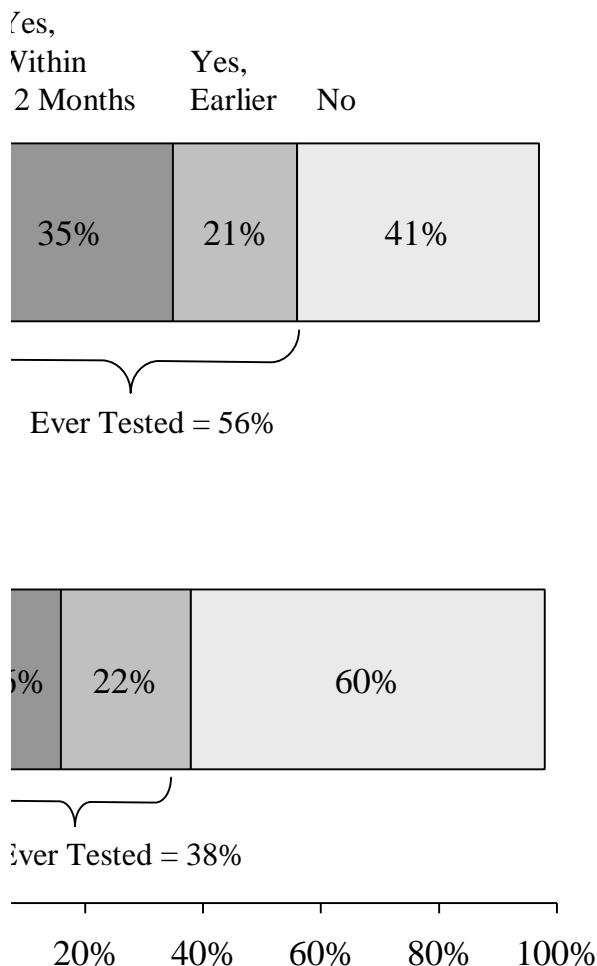
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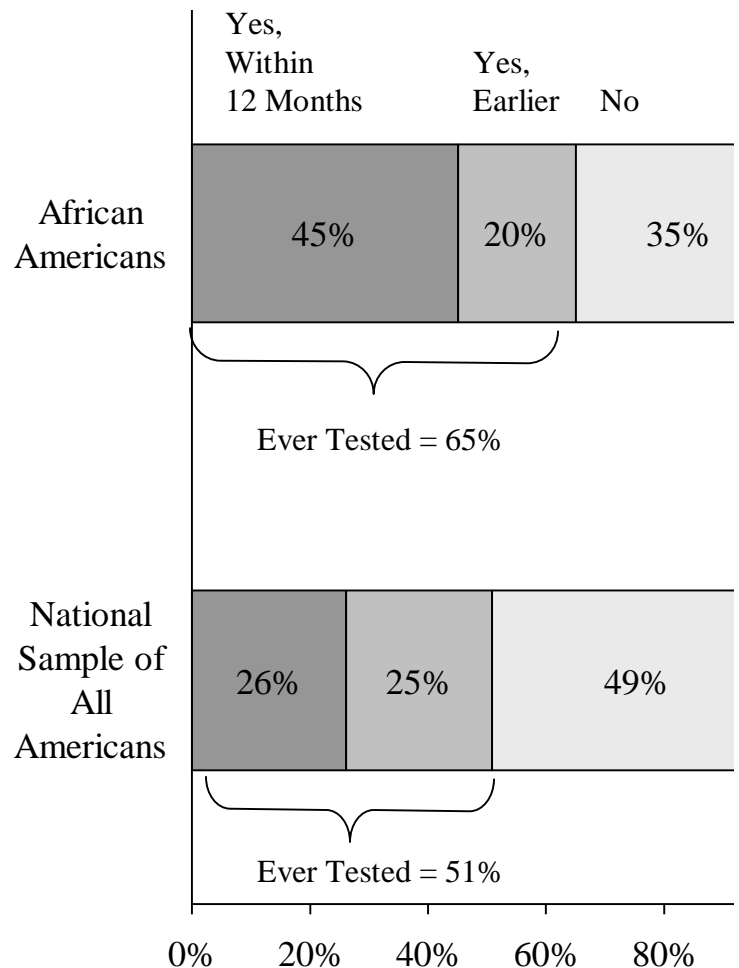
One in Two African Americans Have Tested for HIV Testing Especially High Among Young

“Have you ever been tested for HIV?”

All Ages



Under 30 years of age



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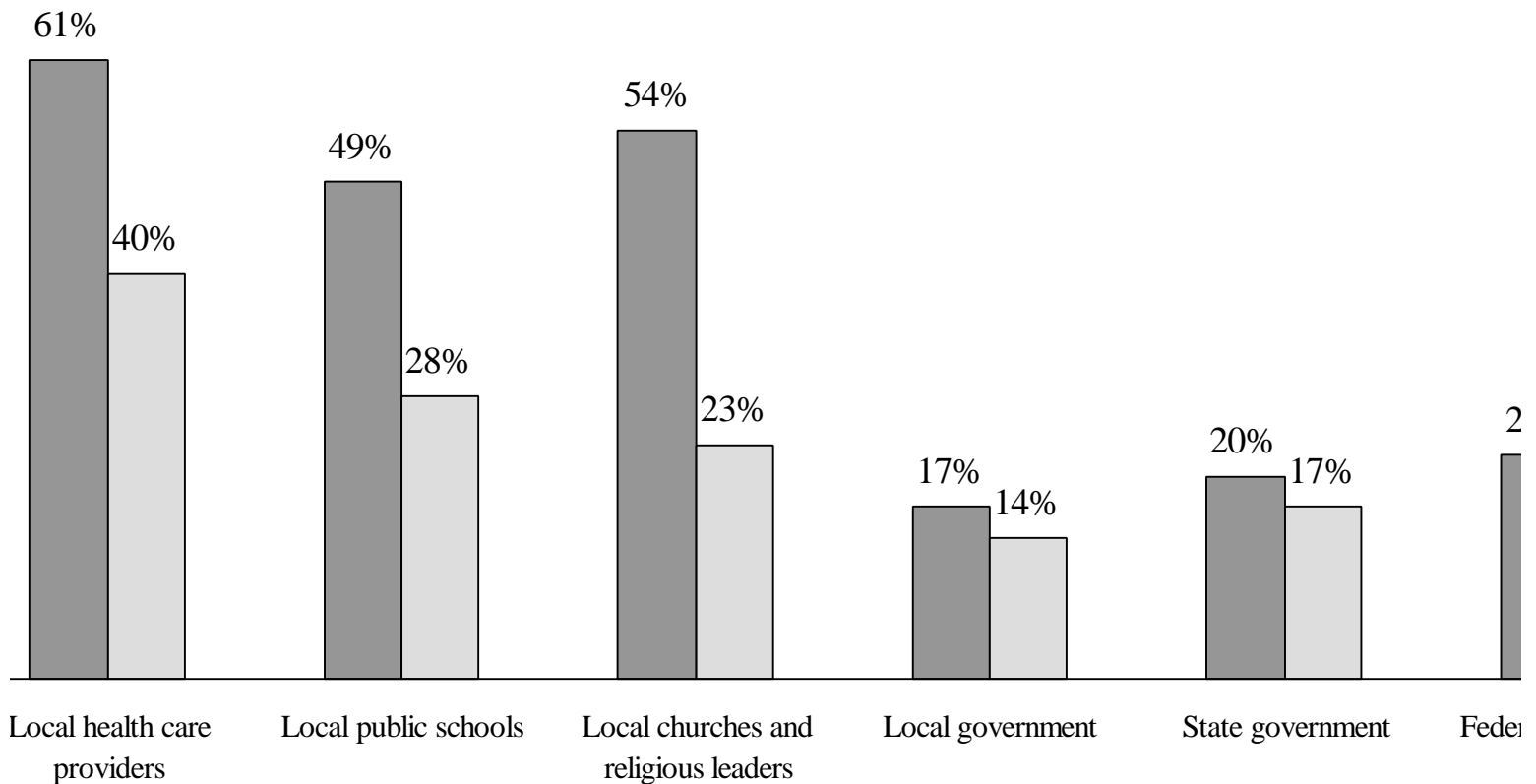
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Plan and Action: African Americans Say Local Community Groups *Care* and *Do* More in the Fight Against AIDS

Percent of African Americans who say each group...

■ Cares "A Lot"

□ Does "A Lot"



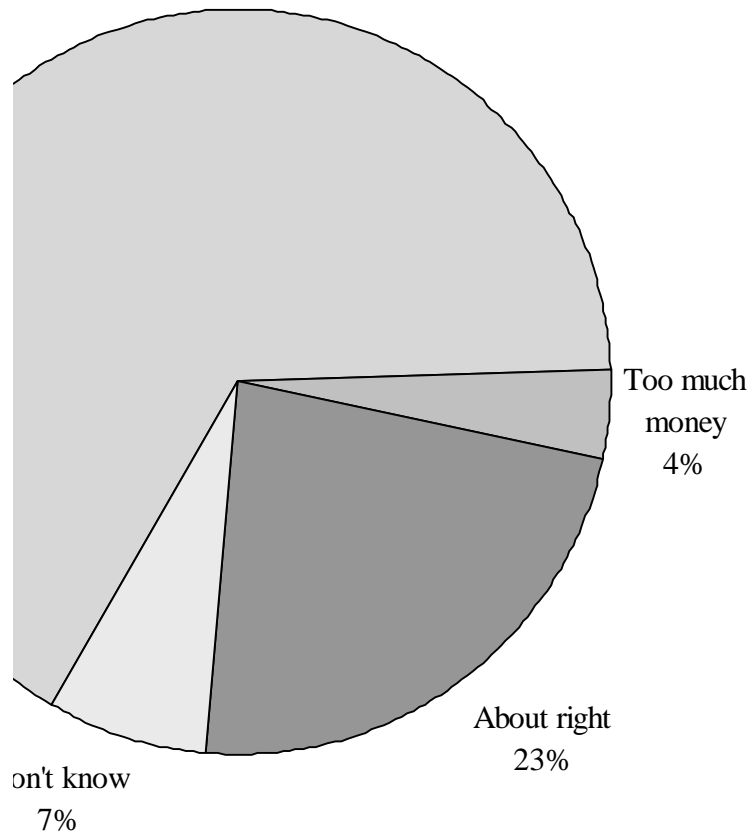
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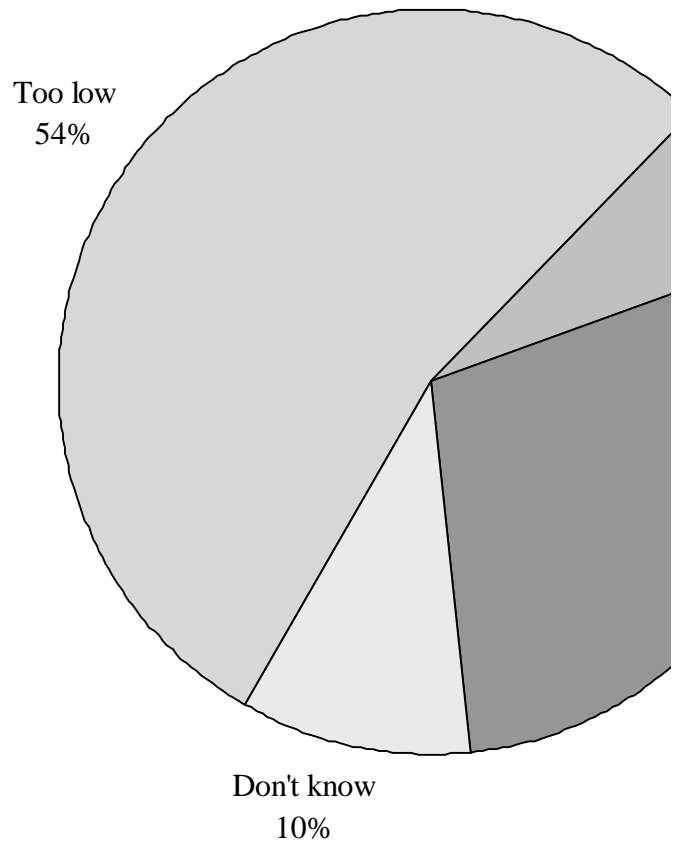
African Americans Support Increased Spending on AIDS

Percent of African Americans who say...

“About all the money the government now spends on AIDS, do you think the government should spend...”



“Compared to the amount of money the government spends on other health problems, such as heart disease and cancer, do you think spending on AIDS is...”



Source: Kaiser Family Foundation National Survey of African Americans on HIV/AIDS, March 1998.

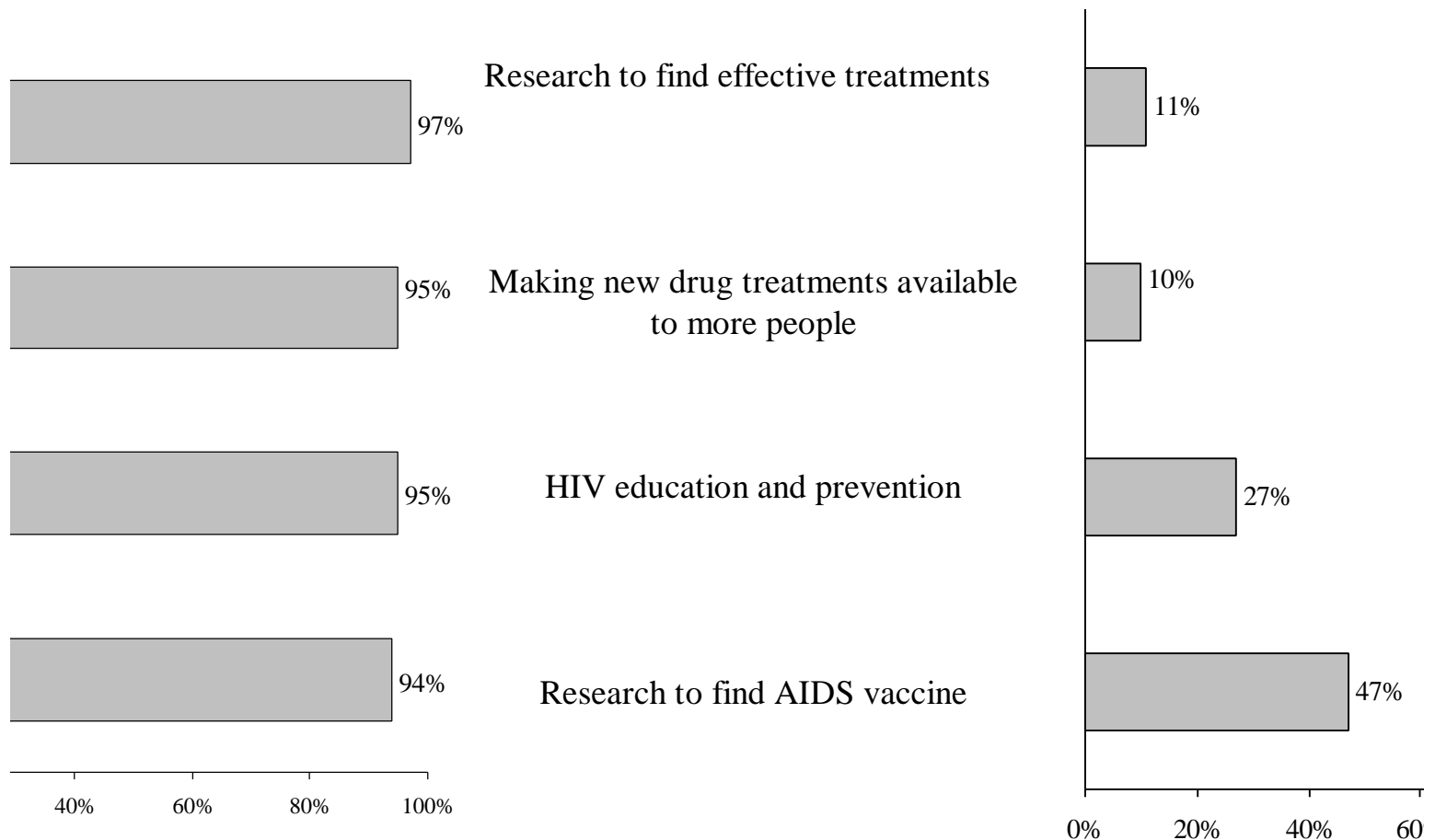
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Most African Americans Favor Spending in a Wide Range of Areas

Percent of African Americans who say...

The government should spend more on... or...

The government's priority should be.



Source: Kaiser Family Foundation National Survey of African Americans on HIV/AIDS, March 1998.

CHART 9

Most African Americans Favor Needle Exchange But Influenced By How Issue Presented

Percent of African Americans who say...

Question Version 1:

“For or oppose needle exchange programs, which
provide clean needles to IV drug users in exchange for used
needles to help stop the spread of HIV?”



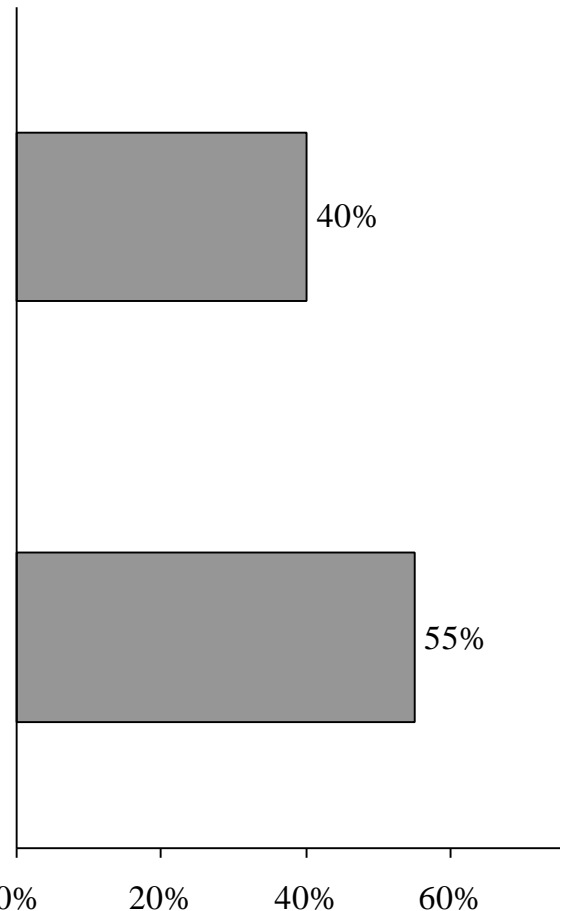
Some people favor offering
clean needles to IV drug
users in exchange for used
needles because it helps
reduce the spread of HIV.”

“Other oppose needle
exchange programs because
they feel these programs
send the message that it’s
okay to use illegal drugs.”

20% 40% 60% 80% 100%

Question Version 2:

“Which comes closer to your own view?”

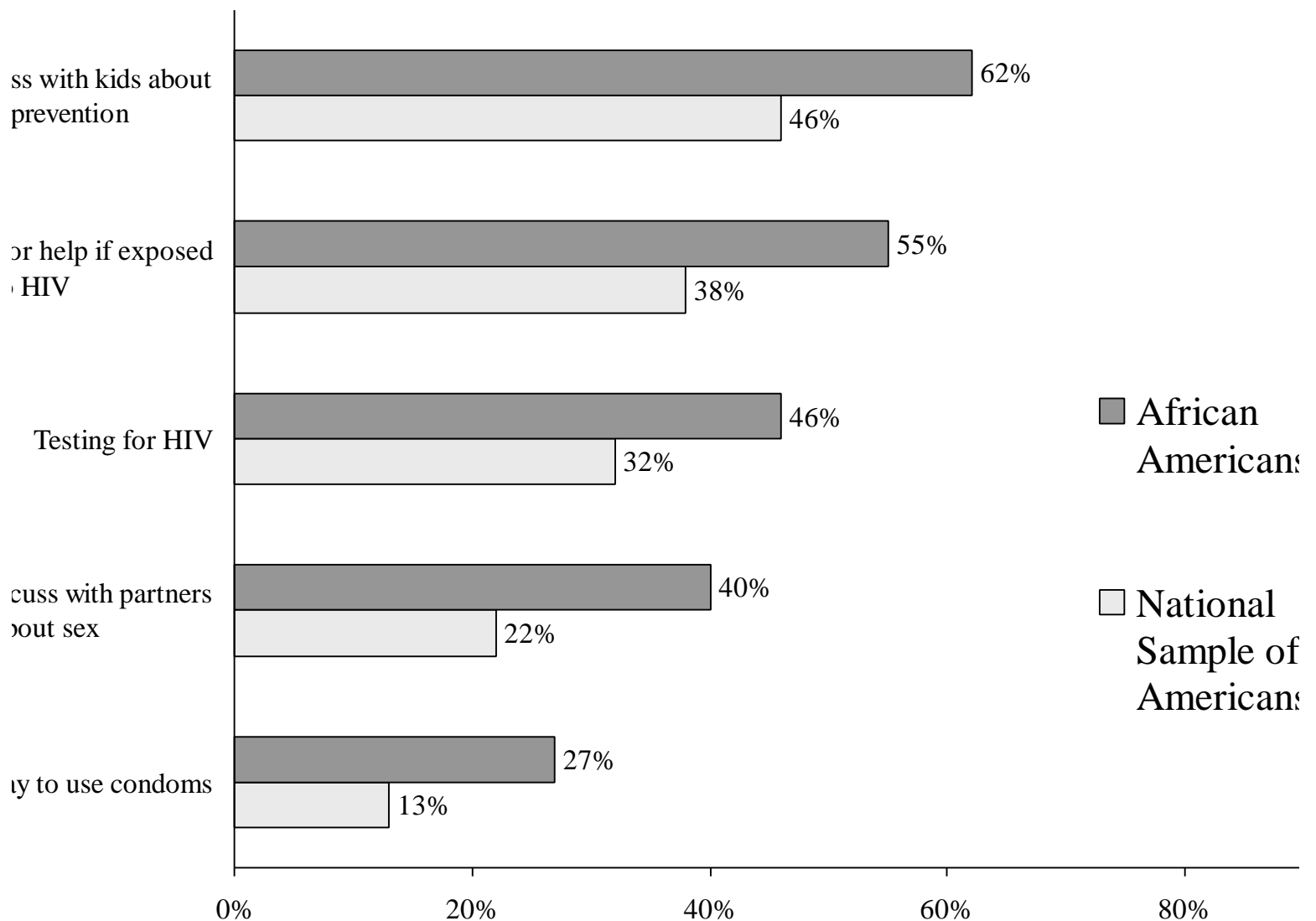


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CHART 10

African Americans Want Practical Help With HIV/AIDS

Percent who say they want information about...

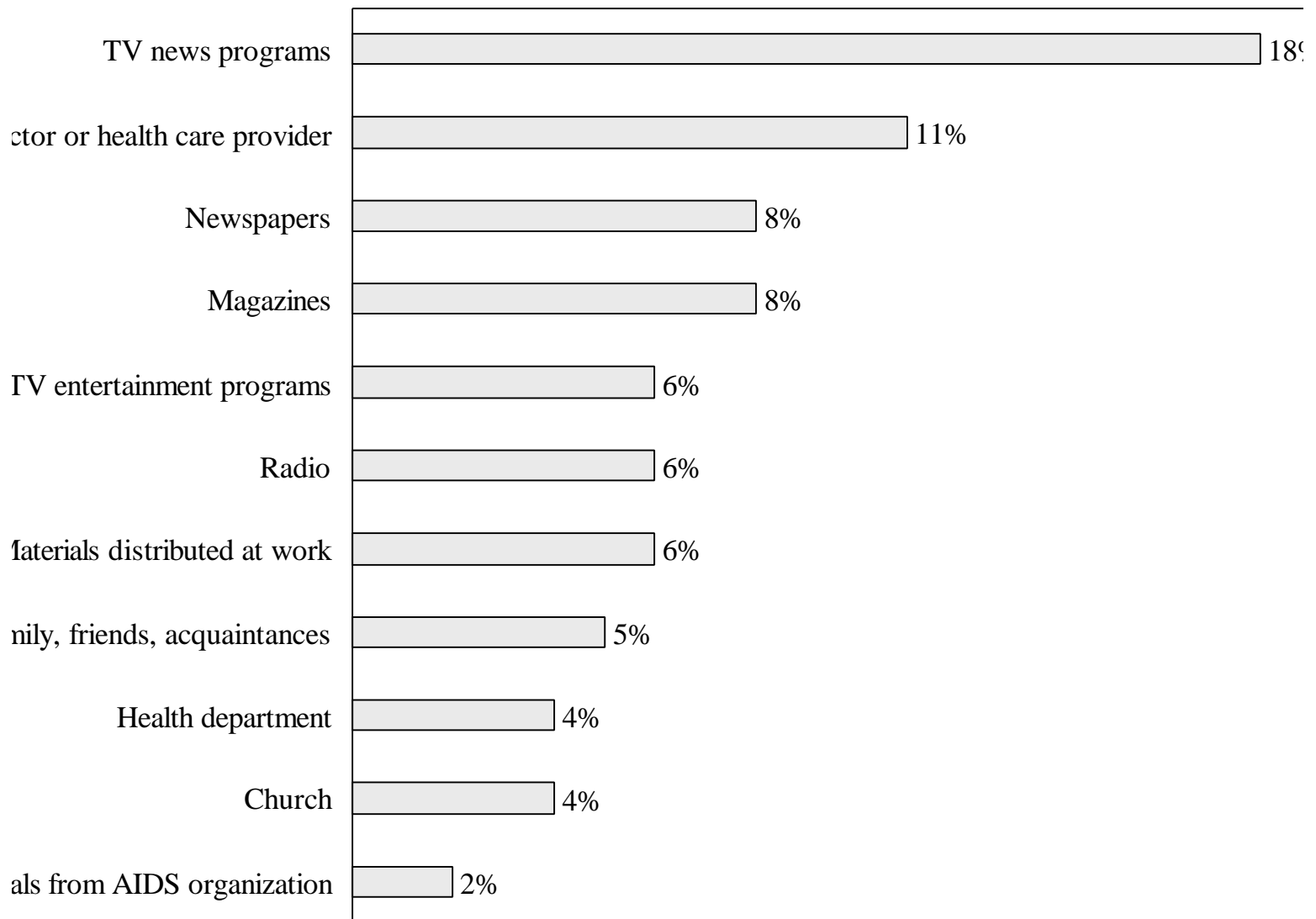


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CHART 11

African Americans Cite Media as Leading Source of Information About HIV/AIDS in the Past Month

Percent of African Americans who say...



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