

making the difference in medication

2019 Medicines Shortages Survey results

3 168 total responses

Physicians:

209 responses from 22 countries

72% of physicians said that shortages of medicines are currently a problem



32% of physicians found their national public reporting system on shortages to be useful and regularly updated

58% of physicians are aware that the shortage experienced had an impact on patient care

Type of medicines most frequently in shortage

43% Antimicrobial agents

31%

s m 23% Blood derivate products

Preventative medicines

41% physicians didn't receive feedback from their national competent authority/authorities when reporting a medicine shortage