

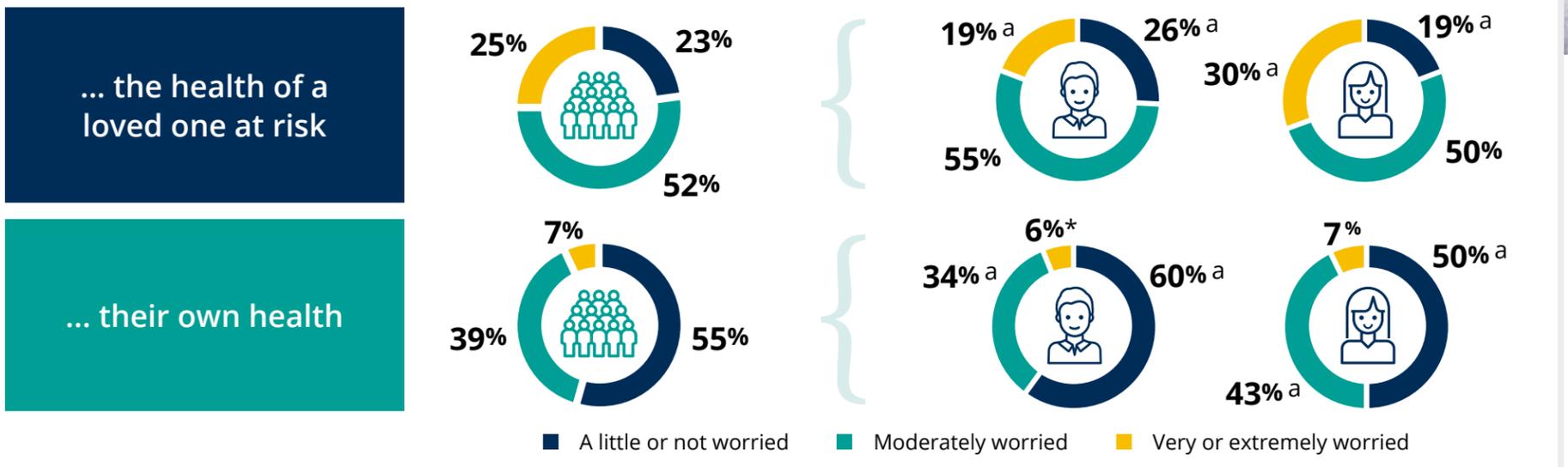
Young Adults and the COVID-19 Pandemic: Perceptions of the Situation in the Summer of 2020

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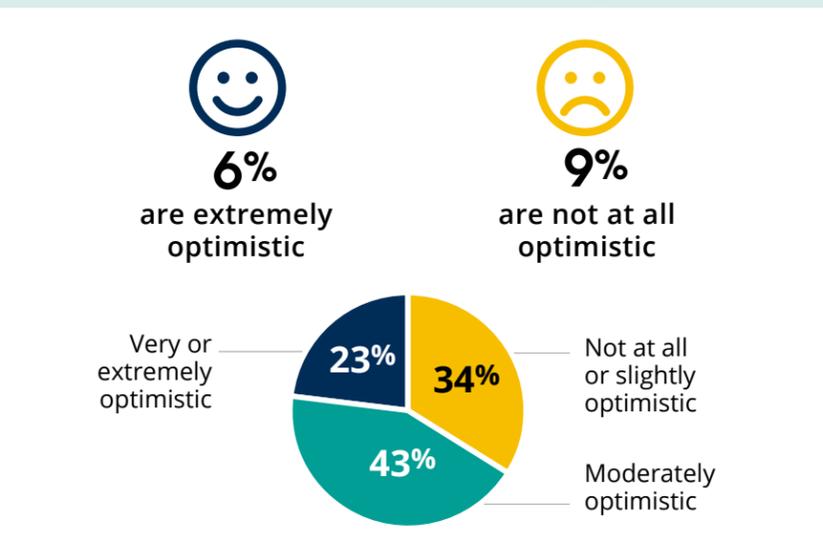
First results from a special round of the *Québec Longitudinal Study of Child Development (QLSCD)* on the perceptions and experiences of young adults born in Québec in 1997-1998



Worry felt by young adults since mid-March 2020 about...



Optimism of young adults that the COVID-19 pandemic will be brought under control in Québec (within the next year)



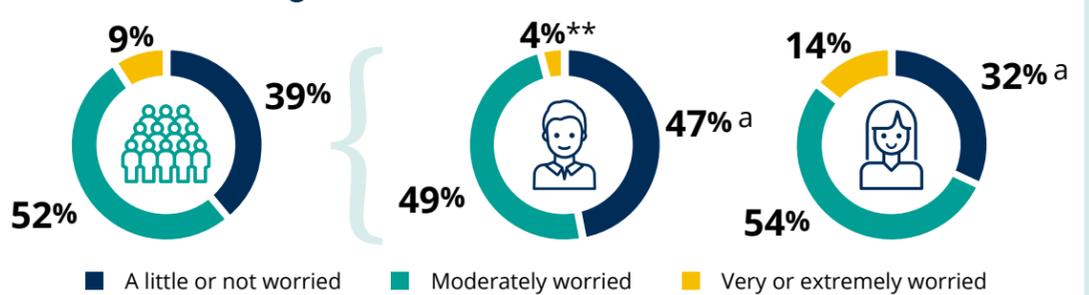
Young adults' perception of their own mental health in the summer of 2020



Among young adults who were working in the summer of 2020, **27%** reported having been or possibly having been in **contact at work** with one or more people infected with COVID-19



Worry among young adults about the possibility of being infected with COVID-19 at work



Note: The results exclude young adults for whom this possibility did not exist (those working at home).

* Accuracy fair; result must be interpreted with caution.
** Accuracy low; data provided for information purposes only.

^a Statistically significant difference between men and women.

Study population

The *Québec Longitudinal Study of Child Development (QLSCD)*, also known as the *I am, I'll be study*, is carried out by the Institut de la statistique du Québec (ISQ) and follows a cohort of children born in Québec in 1997-1998 in order to study their social and school adjustment as well as their overall well-being. In the summer of 2020, when they were about 22 years of age, the participants answered questions about some of the effects the pandemic has had on their lives, including their experiences and well-being. The results presented here are weighted and are representative of the study population. Data collection took place from mid-July to the end of August 2020.

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