

## YouGov / EAW Survey Results

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Thinking about when you have gone out in the evening over the past year, how often, if at all, have you done each of the following to make sure you're safe?

Avoided using public transport and paid for a taxi

Never	32	29	28	39	33	35	28	41	33	32	28	28
Sometimes	25	30	29	27	15	26	25	34	24	25	22	30
<b>TOTAL NEVER / SOMETIMES</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>58</b>
Regularly	8	15	10	3	6	7	9	9	5	7	12	9
All the time	9	12	11	7	5	9	8	3	11	10	6	9
<b>TOTAL REGULARLY / ALL THE TIME</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>
Not applicable, I have not gone out in the evening over the past year	22	11	18	20	36	18	25	9	23	23	26	20
Don't know	4	4	4	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	6	4

Left early to travel home with friends

Never	25	14	24	30	27	26	24	30	23	29	23	27
Sometimes	28	30	30	29	21	31	24	35	27	26	27	30
<b>TOTAL NEVER / SOMETIMES</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>57</b>
Regularly	10	20	12	9	4	10	10	8	13	9	9	9
All the time	9	19	9	8	7	8	10	13	10	7	9	8
<b>TOTAL REGULARLY / ALL THE TIME</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>17</b>
Not applicable, I have not gone out in the evening over the past year	22	13	19	21	35	19	26	6	21	26	27	23
Don't know	5	4	7	3	6	5	5	8	6	4	6	3

Walked a different route than you would in the day

Never	29	23	26	33	34	29	29	29	31	32	28	23
Sometimes	30	35	36	31	16	31	29	44	29	25	29	35
<b>TOTAL NEVER / SOMETIMES</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>58</b>
Regularly	8	19	8	6	4	9	7	9	6	10	7	11
All the time	4	8	4	3	3	4	3	5	6	3	3	3
<b>TOTAL REGULARLY / ALL THE TIME</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>
Not applicable, I have not gone out in the evening over the past year	23	11	20	23	36	20	27	9	23	26	27	23
Don't know	5	4	6	3	7	6	5	4	6	5	6	5

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**Would you say you have, or have not, ever felt unsafe in a public place?**

Have felt unsafe in a public place	<b>63</b>	91	67	57	47	65	60	67	64	61	61	64
Have NOT felt unsafe in a public place	<b>30</b>	7	27	36	41	29	31	24	30	31	31	33
Don't know	<b>7</b>	2	6	7	12	6	8	10	6	8	8	3

**How old were you when you first felt unsafe in a public place?**

[Asked to respondents who have ever felt unsafe in public; n=561]

21 or older	<b>39</b>	6	35	47	68	37	41	36	36	42	39	39
16 to 21	<b>35</b>	43	38	30	23	33	37	30	32	37	37	35
10 to 15	<b>14</b>	33	11	11	4	18	8	18	17	8	12	15
Under 10	<b>6</b>	10	6	4	1	5	6	9	4	6	5	5
Don't know	<b>8</b>	7	9	8	4	8	8	6	10	7	6	5

**Thinking about your experiences in public spaces (i.e. the street, public transport parks, shops etc.) Have any of the following ever happened to you?**

**Unwanted attention (non-contact) (e.g. shouts, insults, staring, name calling etc.)**

Yes, in the past 12 months	<b>13</b>	45	14	6	4	15	11	23	14	11	10	14
Yes, but not in the last 12 months	<b>42</b>	35	48	47	30	40	45	34	40	43	44	50
<b>TOTAL YES</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>64</b>
No, never	<b>41</b>	12	33	45	65	42	39	36	41	43	43	33
Don't know	<b>4</b>	8	6	2	1	3	5	6	5	3	4	2

**Unwanted attention (non-contact) of a sexual nature (e.g. wolf whistling, sexual comments, staring, exposure etc.)**

Yes, in the past 12 months	<b>14</b>	52	16	2	1	15	11	20	14	14	12	9
Yes, but not in the last 12 months	<b>50</b>	33	50	61	46	49	50	55	53	49	41	58
<b>TOTAL YES</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>67</b>
No, never	<b>33</b>	11	29	35	51	33	34	22	29	34	43	31
Don't know	<b>4</b>	5	5	2	2	3	5	4	4	3	5	2

**Unwanted body/ physical contact of a sexual nature**

Yes, in the past 12 months	<b>4</b>	16	4	1	1	4	5	6	4	4	5	1
Yes, but not in the last 12 months	<b>31</b>	29	34	33	24	34	28	42	31	31	24	37
<b>TOTAL YES</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>38</b>
No, never	<b>62</b>	50	58	66	74	61	64	49	62	64	68	61
Don't know	<b>2</b>	5	4	0	1	2	3	3	3	1	3	1

**For each of the following, please tell us at what age you were when they FIRST happened to you?**

**Unwanted attention (non-contact) (e.g. shouts, insults, staring, name calling etc.)**

[Asked to respondents that have ever experienced unwanted attention (non-contact); n = 508]

21 or older	<b>22</b>	3	21	29	41	19	26	21	24	25	20	21
16 to 21	<b>37</b>	39	38	37	33	36	39	40	35	38	40	36
10 to 15	<b>29</b>	49	30	24	13	32	27	28	31	26	30	31
Under 10	<b>6</b>	6	6	7	5	7	5	2	5	10	5	6
Don't know	<b>5</b>	4	5	4	7	7	3	9	6	2	5	6

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**Unwanted attention (non-contact) of a sexual nature (e.g. wolf whistling, sexual comments, staring, exposure etc.)**

[Asked to respondents that have ever experienced unwanted attention (non-contact) of a sexual nature; n = 566]

21 or older	<b>22</b>	4	20	29	34	20	25	23	22	29	19	15
16 to 21	<b>49</b>	53	48	46	53	48	50	45	48	47	54	49
10 to 15	<b>24</b>	36	27	21	11	26	21	23	24	21	23	32
Under 10	<b>2</b>	2	1	3	1	2	2	4	1	1	4	0
Don't know	<b>3</b>	5	4	1	2	5	2	5	5	2	1	4

**Unwanted body/ physical contact of a sexual nature**

[Asked to respondents that have ever experienced unwanted body/ physical contact of a sexual nature; n = 328]

21 or older	<b>22</b>	5	24	20	32	21	23	23	22	27	18	12
16 to 21	<b>48</b>	64	47	48	39	46	52	40	52	50	45	51
10 to 15	<b>22</b>	24	23	23	17	27	16	29	16	16	29	35
Under 10	<b>6</b>	2	4	7	12	5	7	6	6	6	8	0
Don't know	<b>2</b>	6	2	1	0	2	2	2	4	1	0	3

**For each of the following, please tell us whether or not someone tried to intervene on your behalf**

**Unwanted attention (non-contact) (e.g. shouts, insults, staring, name calling etc.)**

[Asked to respondents that have ever experienced unwanted attention (non-contact); n = 508]

Yes, someone did intervene on my behalf	<b>8</b>	13	8	6	7	5	12	1	11	10	8	5
No, nobody intervened on my behalf	<b>64</b>	62	63	71	54	69	58	70	59	68	62	69
Not applicable, nobody was around to intervene	<b>23</b>	18	22	20	36	21	24	27	24	18	26	18
Don't know	<b>5</b>	7	7	2	3	4	6	3	6	4	4	9

**Unwanted attention (non-contact) of a sexual nature (e.g. wolf whistling, sexual comments, staring, exposure etc.)**

[Asked to respondents that have ever experienced unwanted attention (non-contact) of a sexual nature; n = 566]

Yes, someone did intervene on my behalf	<b>4</b>	6	5	3	2	4	4	2	6	3	3	7
No, nobody intervened on my behalf	<b>68</b>	67	67	66	75	69	66	65	64	72	69	72
Not applicable, nobody was around to intervene	<b>24</b>	20	22	31	21	22	26	27	25	22	25	17
Don't know	<b>4</b>	7	6	0	2	4	4	7	5	3	3	4

**Unwanted body/ physical contact of a sexual nature**

[Asked to respondents that have ever experienced unwanted body/ physical contact of a sexual nature; n = 328]

Yes, someone did intervene on my behalf	<b>11</b>	13	13	8	5	9	13	9	7	21	7	9
No, nobody intervened on my behalf	<b>61</b>	64	58	68	59	64	58	68	65	55	60	56
Not applicable, nobody was around to intervene	<b>25</b>	13	24	24	36	23	27	21	25	19	31	28
Don't know	<b>4</b>	10	5	0	0	4	3	3	3	4	1	7

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And if each of the following happened to you, do you think you would or would not want someone to intervene on your behalf?

**Unwanted attention (non-contact) (e.g. shouts, insults, staring, name calling etc.)**

Would want someone to intervene on my behalf	<b>53</b>	54	58	50	47	51	55	56	49	58	53	54
Would not have wanted someone to intervene on my behalf	<b>29</b>	24	22	35	36	31	26	30	34	26	25	24
Don't know	<b>18</b>	22	20	15	17	17	19	14	16	16	23	22

**Unwanted attention (non-contact) of a sexual nature (e.g. wolf whistling, sexual comments, staring, exposure etc.)**

Would want someone to intervene on my behalf	<b>51</b>	56	53	52	45	49	54	56	47	54	50	55
Would not have wanted someone to intervene on my behalf	<b>31</b>	24	27	36	38	34	28	29	38	29	29	26
Don't know	<b>18</b>	20	20	12	16	17	18	15	15	17	21	19

**Unwanted body/ physical contact of a sexual nature**

Would want someone to intervene on my behalf	<b>81</b>	81	82	81	81	83	80	84	80	85	79	81
Would not have wanted someone to intervene on my behalf	<b>8</b>	6	6	11	8	8	7	10	9	6	7	7
Don't know	<b>11</b>	13	13	7	12	9	13	6	11	9	14	12

**Has a man you do not know exposed his genitals to you in a public place?**

Yes, in the past 12 months	<b>1</b>	5	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
Yes, but not in the last 12 months	<b>28</b>	18	24	33	36	28	29	35	28	23	32	26
No, never	<b>69</b>	71	74	66	63	70	68	61	70	75	65	70
Don't know	<b>1</b>	6	1	1	0	1	2	2	1	1	2	4

**Please tell us at what age you were when a man FIRST exposed his genitals to you in a public place?**

[Asked to respondents who have experienced a man exposing his genitals to them in a public place; n = 266]

21 or older	<b>26</b>	17	25	14	40	27	24	34	23	26	25	24
16 to 21	<b>32</b>	35	33	38	23	32	32	37	33	27	28	45
10 to 15	<b>35</b>	39	38	39	27	33	38	30	34	38	41	23
Under 10	<b>6</b>	9	3	5	10	6	5	0	7	10	6	0
Don't know	<b>1</b>	0	1	4	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	8

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Which, two or three, if any of the following measures do you think should be taken to reduce the likelihood of women experiencing unwanted sexual harassment? (Please select up to three.)

More police on the streets	<b>53</b>	35	47	62	63	49	57	45	51	55	57	52
More security staff working in public places	<b>40</b>	38	39	36	46	39	41	36	42	44	40	25
Better street lighting	<b>38</b>	43	41	35	32	36	40	42	38	36	34	42
More transport staff on trains, busses and at stations	<b>38</b>	28	32	46	45	39	37	40	41	37	35	36
Public awareness campaigns encouraging other people step in when they see a woman experiencing harassment	<b>35</b>	44	35	31	33	36	33	45	35	35	29	38
Public awareness campaigns aimed at men who harass women	<b>28</b>	32	30	27	23	28	28	38	24	30	23	38
Improved design of stations and bus stops	<b>17</b>	11	17	21	15	20	13	19	17	15	17	13
Subsidised safe transport for women	<b>14</b>	19	15	14	9	15	13	8	13	18	13	18
Something else	<b>4</b>	8	5	1	2	4	3	3	3	4	4	3
No measures should be taken	<b>0</b>	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0
Don't know	<b>4</b>	7	5	2	5	5	3	2	5	2	6	5