

BACP Grants 2023 demographics report

Following the conclusion of the application process for BACP research grants 2023, this report contains the demographic information relating to the principal investigator (PI) for applications received. Anonymised data has been used to prepare this report in line with our commitment to Equality, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI).

Demographic information is presented for the 31 applications received. For further detail on the demographics specific to each grant type (collaborative, secondary data analysis), please see Appendix A.

Demographic information for all grant applications received

Demographic information was completed by 32 applicants as co-PIs were included in 1 application. 1 applicant selected 'prefer not to say' for all demographic questions.

Applicants were included in all age ranges from 25 to 74 years, with a relatively even distribution across ages ranging from 25 to 64 years. 2 applicants were aged 65+. Approximately two-thirds were female and one-third male with 21 applicants identifying as a woman, 9 as a man and 1 non-binary. Regarding sexual orientation, the majority of applicants indicated heterosexual/straight with 3 gay men and 1 gay woman. When asked their ethnic group, results show that applicants were mainly White, 1 Arab and 1 mixed or multiple ethnic groups. 3 applicants considered themselves to be disabled, each indicating that psychological (mental health) was the barrier they encountered. Approximately half of applicants were married or in a registered civil partnership, 7 partnered and 5 single (2 applicants preferred not to say). 3 applicants were currently/recently (in the last 18 months) pregnant or on parental/adoption leave.

See tables below for a more detailed breakdown:

Age Category	Count
16-24	0
25-34	7
35-44	8
45-54	6
55-64	8
65-74	2
75+	0
Prefer not to say	1
Total	32

Sex	Count
Female	21
Male	10
Prefer not to say	1
Total	32

Gender Identity	Count
Man	9
Woman	21
Non-Binary	1
Prefer not to say	1
Prefer to self-describe	0
Total	32

Sexual Orientation	Count
Bi/Bisexual	0
Gay Man	3
Gay Woman/Lesbian	1
Heterosexual/Straight	27
Prefer not to say	1
Prefer to self-describe	0
Total	32

Ethnic Group	Count
Arab	1
Asian/Asian British	0
Black/African/Caribbean or Black British	0
Mixed or multiple ethnic groups	1
White	29
Any other ethnic group	0
Prefer not to say	1
Total	32

Disability & Barriers	Count
No	28
Prefer not to say	1
Yes	3
Auditory	0
Cognitive (e.g. neurodiversity)	0
Physical	0
Psychological (e.g. Mental Health)	3
Speech	0
Visual	0
Other	0
Prefer not to say	0
Total	32

Relationship Status	Count
Single	5
Married/Registered Civil Partnership	17
Partnered	7
Separated	0
Divorce/Former Civil Partnership now legally dissolved	1
Widowed/Surviving Partner from Registered Civil Partnership	0
Prefer not to say	2
Prefer to self-describe	0
Total	32

Pregnant/Parental/Adoption Leave In Past 18 Months	Count
Yes	3
No	28
Prefer not to say	1
Total	32

Appendix A

Collaborative grants - applicant demographics

Age Category	Count
16-24	0
25-34	5
35-44	5
45-54	5
55-64	5
65-74	1
75+	0
Prefer not to say	1
Total	22

Sex	Count
Female	15
Male	6
Prefer not to say	1
Total	22

Gender Identity	Count
Man	5
Woman	15
Non-Binary	1
Prefer not to say	1
Prefer to self-describe	0
Total	22

Sexual Orientation	Count
Bi/Bisexual	0
Gay Man	2

Gay Woman/Lesbian	1
Heterosexual/Straight	18
Prefer not to say	1
Prefer to self-describe	0
Total	22

Ethnic Group	Count
Arab	0
Asian/Asian British	0
Black/African/Caribbean or Black British	0
Mixed or multiple ethnic groups	1
White	20
Any other ethnic group	0
Prefer not to say	1
Total	22

Disability & Barriers	Count
No	19
Prefer not to say	1
Yes	2
Auditory	0
Cognitive (e.g. neurodiversity)	0
Physical	0
Psychological (e.g. Mental Health)	2
Speech	0
Visual	0
Other	0
Total	22

Relationship Status	Count
Single	2
Married/Registered Civil Partnership	11
Partnered	7
Separated	0

Divorce/Former Civil Partnership now legally dissolved	0
Widowed/Surviving Partner from Registered Civil Partnership	0
Prefer not to say	2
Prefer to self-describe	0
Total	22

Pregnant/Parental/Adoption Leave In Past 18 Months	Count
Yes	2
No	19
Prefer not to say	1
Total	22

Secondary data analysis - applicant demographics

Age Category	Count
16-24	0
25-34	2
35-44	3
45-54	1
55-64	3
65-74	1
75+	0
Prefer not to say	0
Total	10

Sex	Count
Female	6
Male	4
Prefer not to say	0
Total	10

Gender Identity	Count
Man	4
Woman	6
Non-Binary	0
Prefer not to say	0
Prefer to self-describe	0

Total	10
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Sexual Orientation	Count
Bi/Bisexual	0
Gay Man	1
Gay Woman/Lesbian	0
Heterosexual/Straight	9
Prefer not to say	0
Prefer to self-describe	0
Total	10

Ethnic Group	Count
Arab	1
Asian/Asian British	0
Black/African/Caribbean or Black British	0
Mixed or multiple ethnic groups	0
White	9
Any other ethnic group	0
Prefer not to say	0
Total	10

Disability & Barriers	Count
No	9
Prefer not to say	0
Yes	1
Auditory	0
Cognitive (e.g. neurodiversity)	0
Physical	0
Psychological (e.g. Mental Health)	1
Speech	0
Visual	0
Other	0
Prefer not to say	0
Total	10

Relationship Status	Count
Single	3
Married/Registered Civil Partnership	6
Partnered	0
Separated	0

Divorce/Former Civil Partnership now legally dissolved	1
Widowed/Surviving Partner from Registered Civil Partnership	0
Prefer not to say	0
Prefer to self-describe	0
Total	10

Pregnant/Parental/Adoption Leave In Past 18 Months	Count
Yes	1
No	9
Prefer not to say	0
Total	10