Customer Satisfaction Survey: Waste and Recycling February- April 2011

Between February and April an automated telephone customer satisfaction survey was conducted. The survey measured customer satisfaction on Waste & Recycling calls handled by Customer Services Advisers in the Contact Centre. 30% of callers were asked to participate, and 213 responses have been analysed.

How the survey works:

- When the call comes through on the telephony options (IVR), the customer is provided with a recorded message asking them to participate in a survey.
- If they select to take part, the system captures their contact telephone number & confirms this with the caller.
- The call will then come through to the Customer Service Adviser (CSA) as normal.
- Once the caller has hung up, the system will automatically call back the customer and proceed to ask the survey questions.
- Callers respond by using their telephone keypad.

Key Highlights

The following results were from the highest scoring areas;

- 85% of callers stated that the first person they spoke to was able to deal with their enquiry
- 82% of callers thought that the Customer Service Adviser was helpful.
- 80% of callers stated that they would not need to call the council back

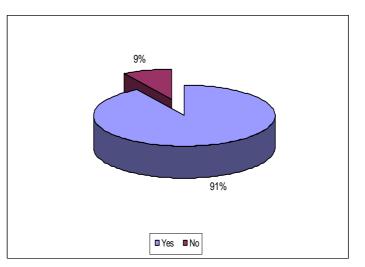
<u>Details</u>

The responses for these questions were either Yes or No

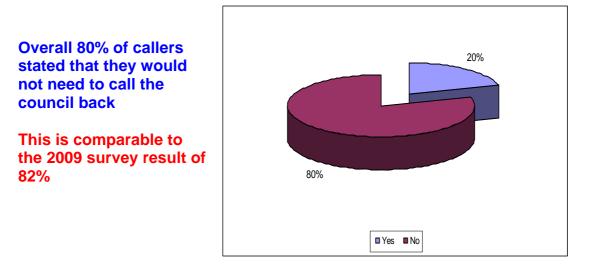
Was your call answered within a satisfactory time period?

Overall 91% of callers were satisfied that their call was answered within a satisfactory time period

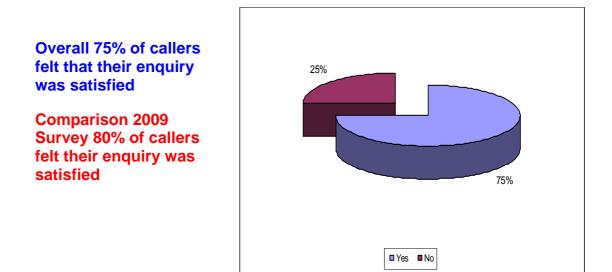
This is comparable to the 2009 survey result of 92%



Based on this phone call will you need to call the Council back?



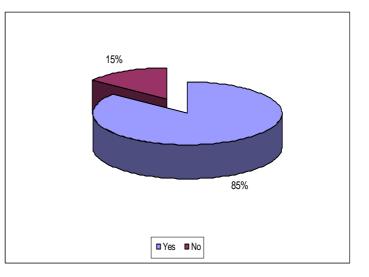
Did we satisfy your enquiry during this call?



Was the first person you spoke to able to deal with your enquiry?

Overall 85% of callers stated that the first person they spoke to was able to deal with their enquiry

This is comparable to the 2009 survey result of 84%.



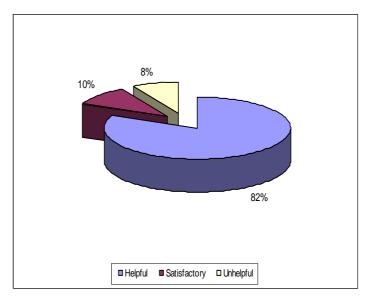
The responses for these questions were based on a scale of 1-9, with 1 being very good and 9 being very poor.

Was the agent helpful?

Overall 82% of callers thought that the Customer Service Adviser was helpful.

71% of advisers were scored as excellent

This is comparable to the 2009 survey where 85% of callers thought that the Customer Service Adviser was helpful.



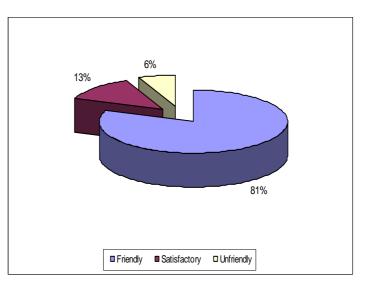
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Was the agent friendly?

Overall 81% of callers thought that the Customer Service Advisor was friendly

70% of advisers were scored as excellent

Comparison with 2009 86% of callers scored the adviser as friendly; with 82% of advisers scored as excellent

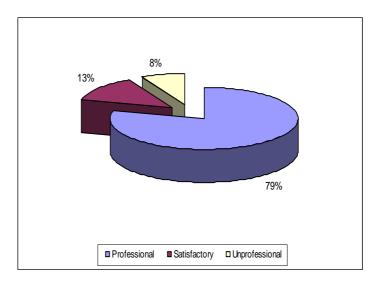


Was the agent professional?

Overall 79% of callers thought that the Customer Service Adviser was professional

69% of advisors were scored as excellent

Comparison with 2009 90% of callers rated the Customer Service Adviser as professional; with 80% of advisors scored as excellent



Action

To provide additional training for advisers who may have scored below average in the survey.