

APPENDIX 2 | Supplemental Results

2.1 Study Participation

Of the 33 eligible individuals, 22 consented to participate. Among those who consented, 1 individual withdrew from the study before completing the survey or interview and another 1 failed to follow-up after submitting consent. Of the remaining 20 participants, 18 completed both the survey and interview, 1 participant completed only the survey portion, and 2 did not respond to the survey but completed the interview.

2.2 Specialty Referral Frequencies

Table A: Specialties with Highest and Lowest Referral Frequencies

High Frequency Specialties			
Specialty	Frequency of Referral (# of patients)	N	%
Cardiology	Not At All (0)	0	0.0
	Infrequently (1-20)	2	10.5
	Frequently (20-40)	13	68.4
	Very Frequently (50+)	4	21.1
General Surgery	Not At All (0)	0	0.0
	Infrequently (1-20)	2	10.5
	Frequently (20-40)	13	68.4
	Very Frequently (50+)	4	21.1
Orthopedic Surgery	Not At All (0)	0	0.0
	Infrequently (1-20)	5	26.3
	Frequently (20-40)	11	57.9
	Very Frequently (50+)	3	15.8
Low Frequency Specialties			
Specialty	Frequency of Referral (# of patients)	N	%
Anesthesiology	Not At All (0)	5	26.3
	Infrequently (1-20)	10	52.6
	Frequently (20-40)	3	15.8
	Very Frequently (50+)	1	5.3
Critical Care	Not At All (0)	5	26.3
	Infrequently (1-20)	11	57.9
	Frequently (20-40)	2	10.5
	Very Frequently (50+)	1	5.3