2019 Medicines Shortages Survey results
3,168 total responses

Nurses:
149 responses from 18 countries

62% of nurses said that shortages of medicines are currently a problem

Type of impact medicines shortages had on patient care in the hospital

- 26% Delays in care or therapy
- 25% Cancellation of care
- 25% Suboptimal treatment
- 19% Increased length of stay

2% of nurses are aware of the task force group or dedicated team situated in the hospital or at national level

42% of nurses stated that medicines shortages had not affected the administration of treatment

33% of nurses got feedback from their national competent authority/authorities when reporting a medicine shortage