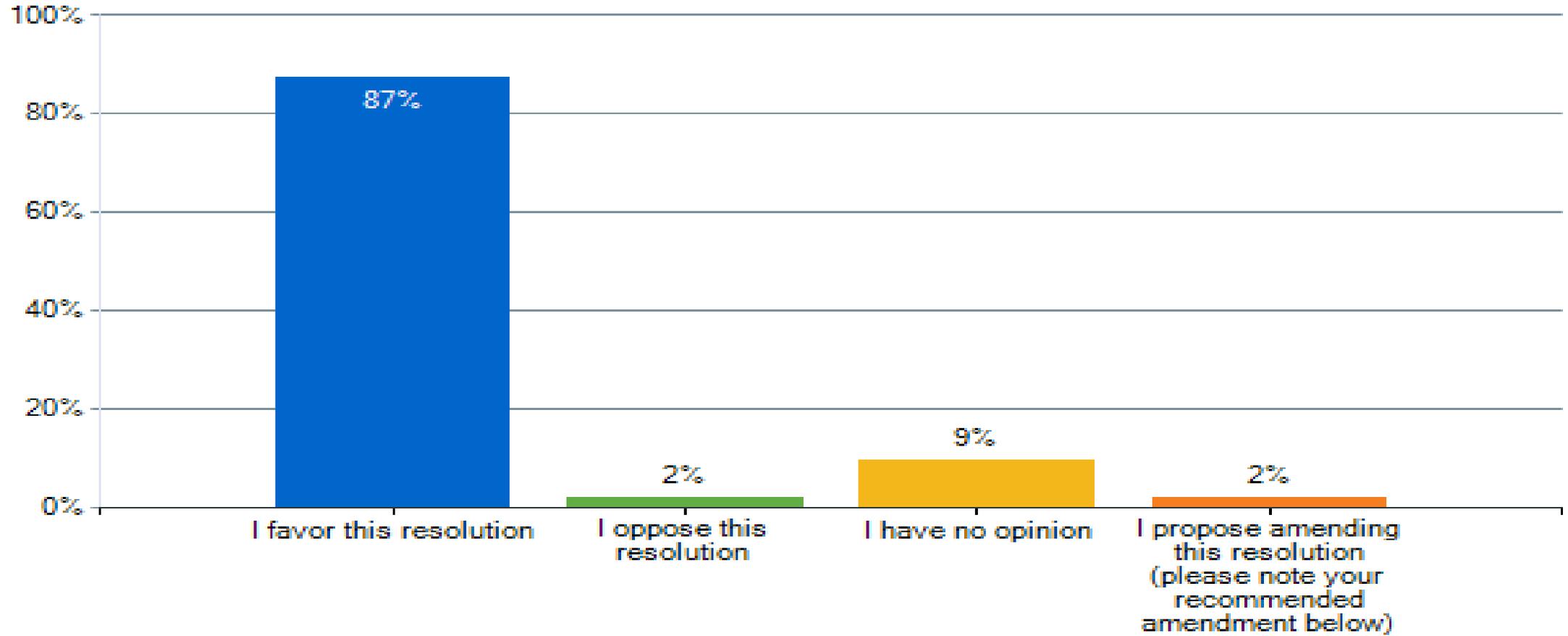
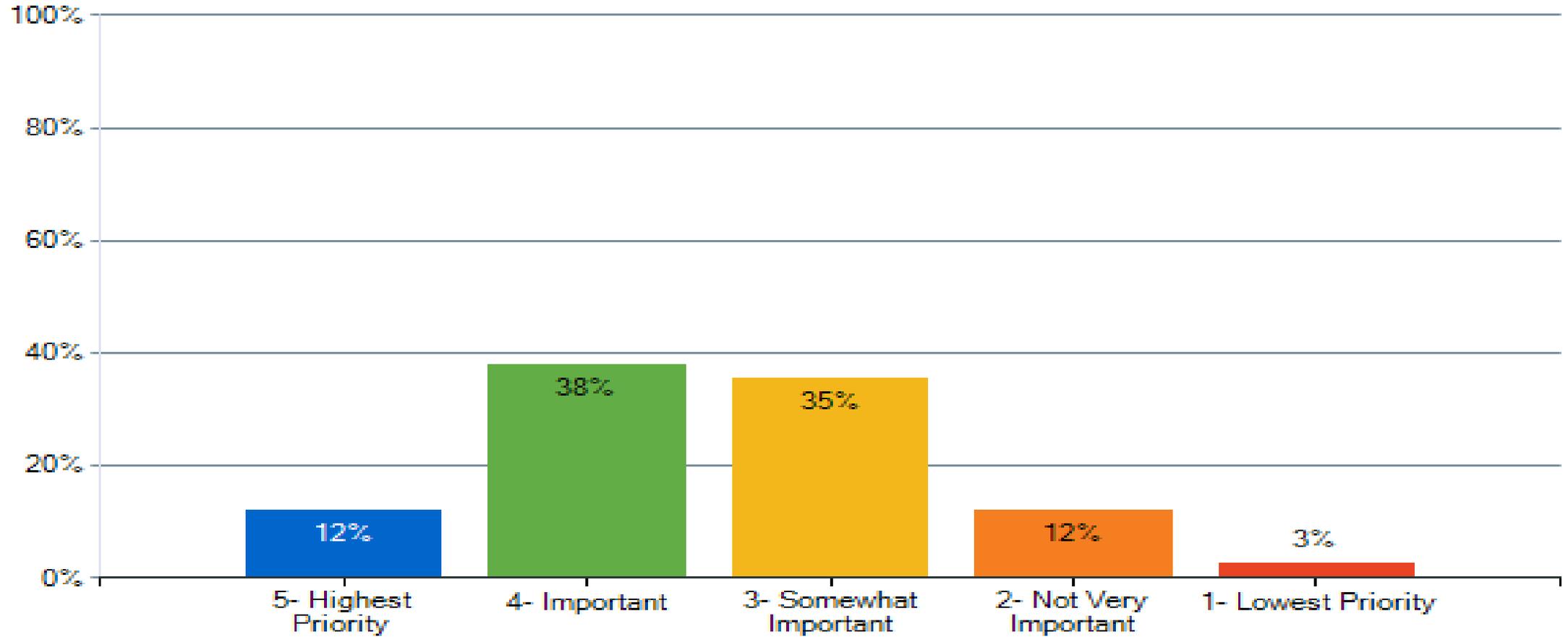


Coroner's Fees for Autopsy Report



118 responses

Please indicate your view of this resolution as an ISMS priority.



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Comments		
SR No.	Response No.	Response Text
1	13	Is this resolution does not address why the position requires a copy of the corners report. Which position does this resolution a drive is it intended to be the primary care physician or all physicians or merely disposition tended to the patient at the time of death? Are these reports available through the freedom of information act?
2	14	The coroner is a public servant and owes service to the physician as well as to the general public. It'll cost more to assess a fee and collect than it is worth. Medical info is valuable to the public and a fee is a restriction to providing good medical feedback.
3	23	No brainer. Of course.
4	27	This is not within the primary mission of ISMS. Oppose.
5	54	agree
6	58	Excellent proposal, but a poorly worded document. Needs edits and revisions.
7	64	seems reasonable
8	65	As a pediatrician, I don't usually get coroner's reports. I was shocked to hear that there was a fee for that.
9	79	I agree that the primary care physician should be able to obtain a copy of his patient's death certificate without a fee.
10	98	Don't really feel well educated enough on this issue to have a strong opinion but it seems like a reasonable proposal on the face of it.
11	125	I have not been subjected to these charges so am not familiar with this issue but would agree that the providers for that patient should have access to the autopsy reports without charge Charges may apply to other agencies, physicians, lawyers, etc
12	129	I fully agree. Making a physician pay for such a report is ridiculous.
13	133	Having results from Autopsy is a potentially important aspect of CME for physicians and a way to help with Quality Improvement. Could ISMS consider adding autopsy to the reimbursed fees that hospitals may charge to encourage increasing use of Autopsy services for above reasons
14	162	what are the taxes for?
15	136	As an ophthalmologist I had no idea that there were charges for an autopsy report. They seem trivial but shouldn't be charged at all.
16	146	I was not aware of this fee