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Results of Graduate Mental Health Referendum

From date 8:00 AM on Thursday, March 14th, 2024

To date 10:01 PM on Friday, March 15th, 2024

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| Number of invitees | 4,970 |
| Number of valid responses | 1,139 |
| Invitee response rate | 22.92% |

Health and Counselling Services has seen a 50% increase in demand for mental health supports. Currently, Carleton students' fee is the lowest in the province (more than 50% below the provincial average). Due to this overwhelming demand for increased mental health supports, Health and Counselling Services is proposing a mental health fee.

Do you support the creation of a \$25 per term mental health fee indexed to the Consumer Price Index, starting in Fall of 2024?

| Response | Number of Votes | % of Valid Votes |
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| Yes, I support the introduction of a mental health fee, starting in Fall 2024 | 561 | 51.8% |
| No, I do not support the introduction of a mental health fee, starting in Fall 2024 | 522 | 48.2% |
| Abstain | 56 | N/A |

March 16th, 2024

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