

# BBC Victoria Derbyshire – Mental Health Poll

## METHODOLOGY NOTE

ComRes interviewed 1,002 GB adults by telephone between 17th and 19th July 2015. Data were weighted to be demographically representative of all GB adults. ComRes is a member of the British Polling Council and abides by its rules.

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## Mental Health Study

### CATI Fieldwork : 17th - 19th July 2015

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1

**Q1. Thinking about the way people with mental health illnesses are treated by society, generally speaking, do you think that most people in Britain judge people with mental health illnesses more positively or negatively than those with physical illnesses?**

**Base: All respondents**

	Gender			Age						Class				Region										Do you think that most people in Britain judge people with mental health illnesses more positively or negatively than those with physical illnesses?			
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	Scotland	North East	North West	Yorkshire & Humberside	West Midlands	East Midlands	Wales	East-ern	London	South East	South West	More positively	More negatively	About the same
Unweighted base	1002	469	533	84	154	160	206	150	248	369	238	168	227	92	43	110	96	81	64	50	96	124	152	94	148	704	129
Weighted base	1002	488	514	116	173	164	178	144	225	270	269	218	245	87	42	115	85	90	74	51	97	132	140	88	155	695	134
More positively	155 15%	86 18%	69 13%	14 12%	25 14%	25 15%	21 12%	25 17%	44 20%	30 11%	35 13%	37 17%	53 22%	15 17%	8 20%	25 21%	15 18%	11 12%	11 15%	8 15%	12 12%	22 17%	17 12%	11 12%	155 100%	-	-
More negatively	695 69%	320 66%	375 73%	85 73%	119 69%	117 71%	131 74%	97 67%	145 64%	198 73%	207 77%	146 67%	143 59%	60 69%	26 63%	80 69%	58 68%	61 68%	52 70%	35 68%	73 75%	88 66%	105 75%	58 65%	-	695 100%	-
About the same	134 13%	77 16%	57 11%	17 14%	27 15%	20 12%	20 11%	22 15%	29 13%	37 14%	22 8%	32 15%	44 18%	11 13%	6 15%	8 7%	9 11%	17 19%	12 16%	8 16%	10 10%	19 14%	17 12%	16 18%	-	-	134 100%
Don't know	18 2%	5 1%	13 3%	-	2 1%	2 1%	6 3%	1 1%	7 3%	5 2%	6 2%	3 1%	4 2%	1 1%	1 2%	2 2%	2 3%	1 1%	-	1 2%	3 3%	3 2%	1 *	4 4%	-	-	-