

Attitudes and Adaptations of U.S. and non-U.S. Endodontists to the SARS-CoV-2 Pandemic: A South Texas Oral Network Collaboration

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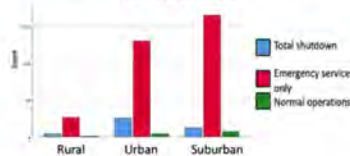
BACKGROUND

- COVID-19 pandemic and US/non-US endodontists
- Challenges with staff retention
- Workplace modifications
- Disruption of patient continuity of care
- Loss of income



RESULTS

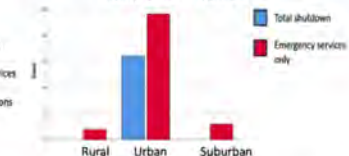
Area of practice vs. Practice response to stay-at-home order – US



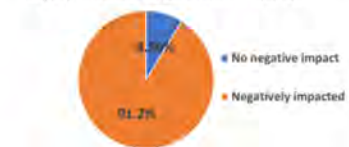
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Area of practice vs. Practice response to stay-at-home order – Non-US



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CONCLUSIONS



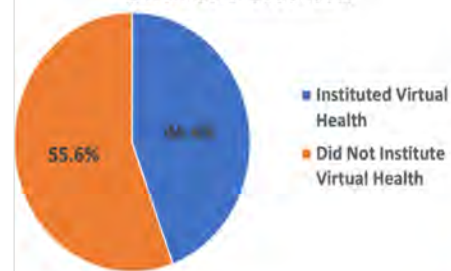
- Endodontists instituted practice modifications in response to COVID-19 (increased PPE, distanced layout, screening, etc.)
- Most endodontic practices reduced staff and limited procedures
- COVID-19 significantly disrupted patient continuity of care
- Non-US endodontists trusted the actions of their national government's COVID-19 policy-making body more than US endodontists

METHODS

- Implemented and developed by STOHN with the help of MPresD at University of Maryland
 - 33-item cross-sectional Qualtrics XM™ survey
 - Distributed internationally
- 419 endodontists, 374 from the U.S. and 45 from non-U.S. countries



Implementation of Virtual Health – US & Non-US Endodontists



I trust the actions and decisions of my government's COVID-19 policy making body. - US



I trust the actions and decisions of my government's COVID-19 policy making body. - Non-US



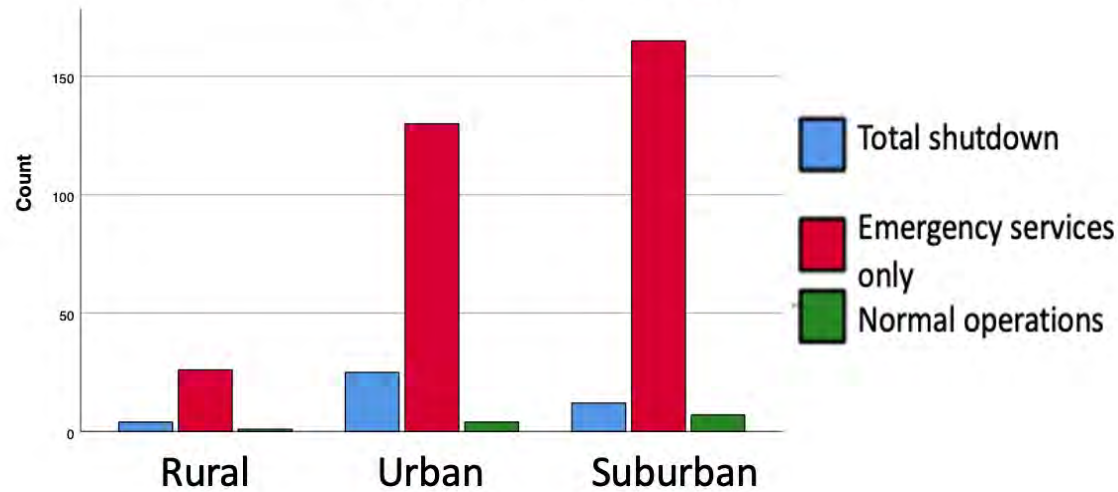
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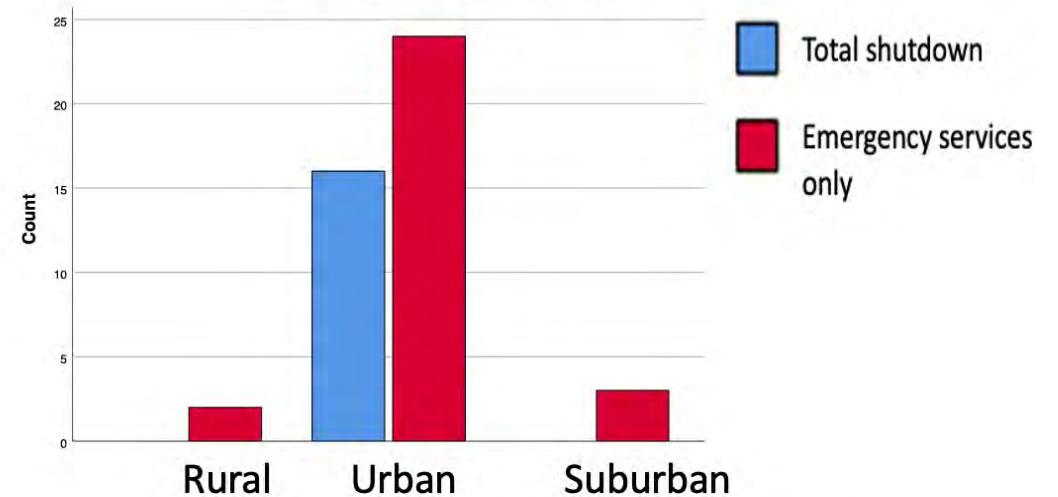


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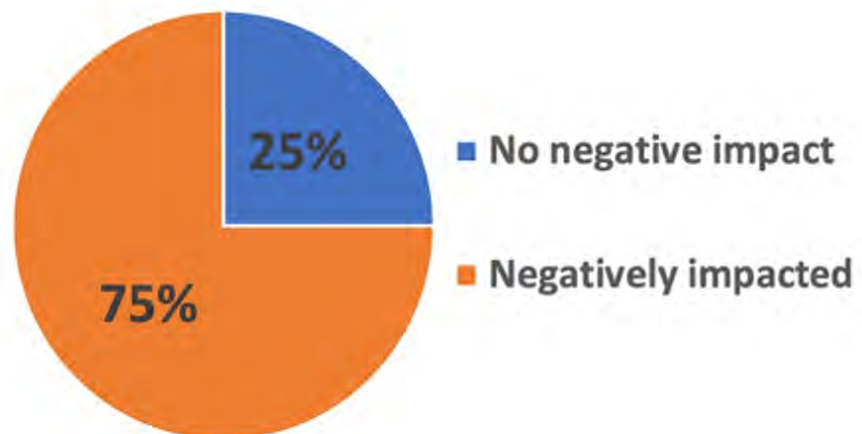
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