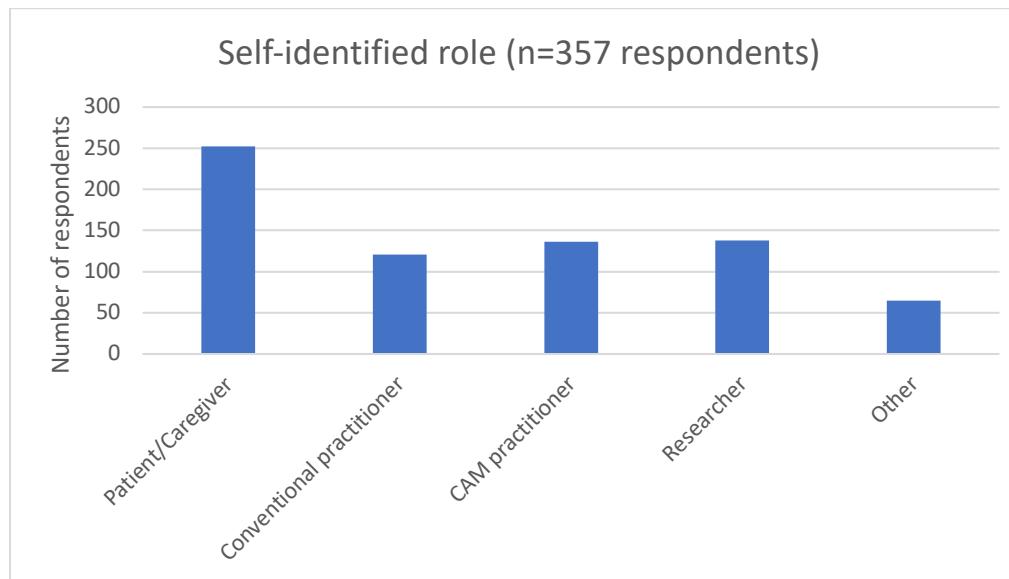
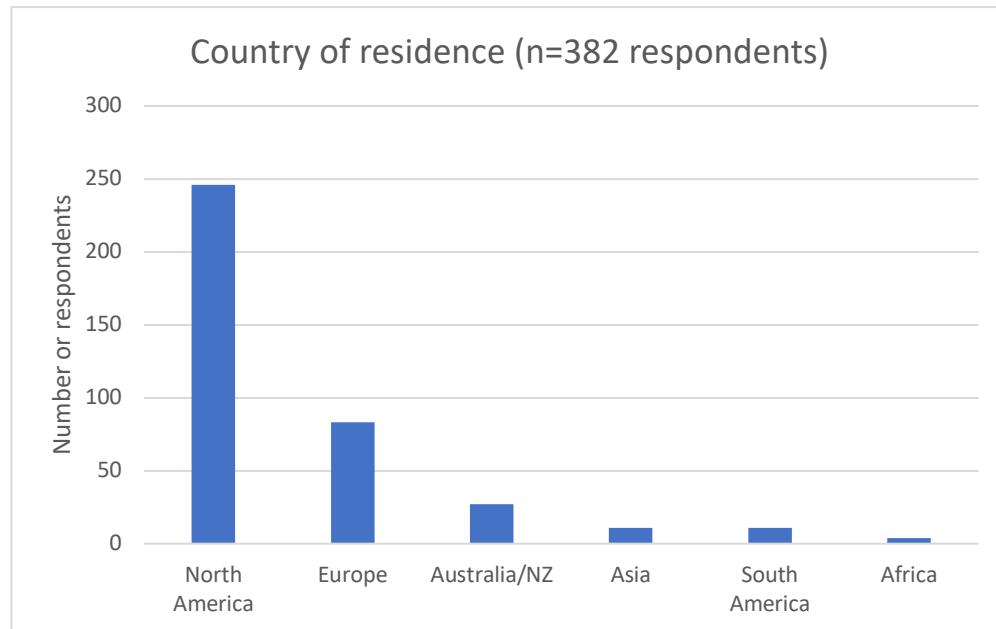


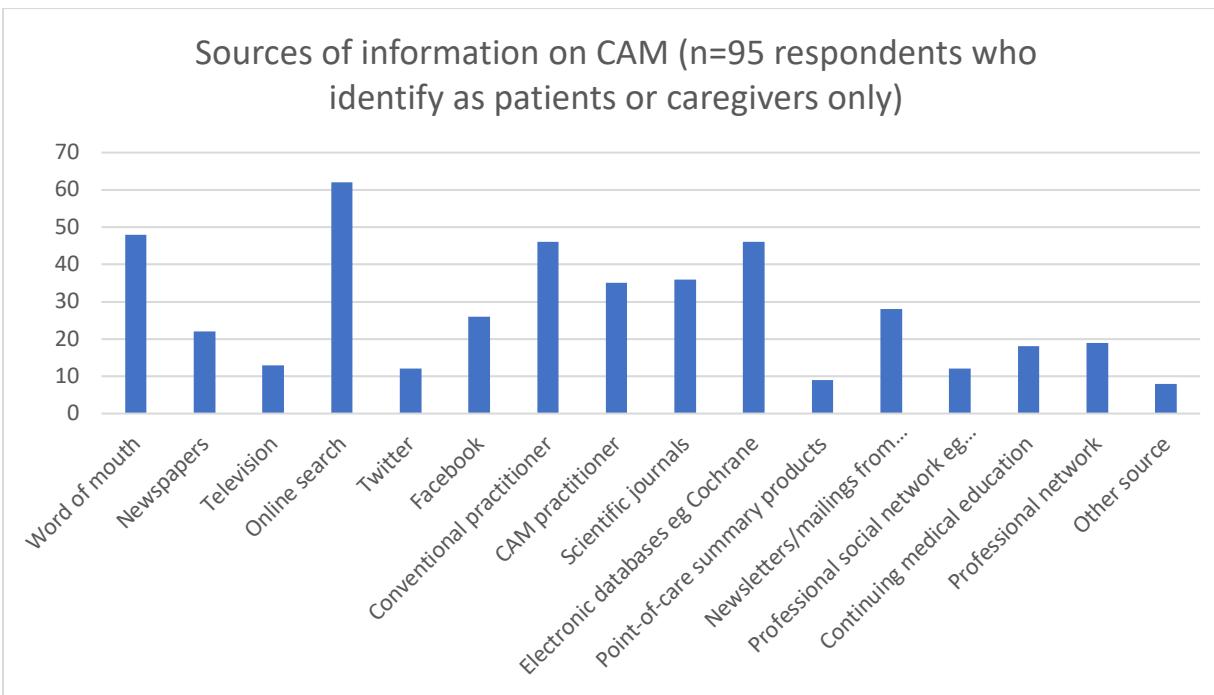
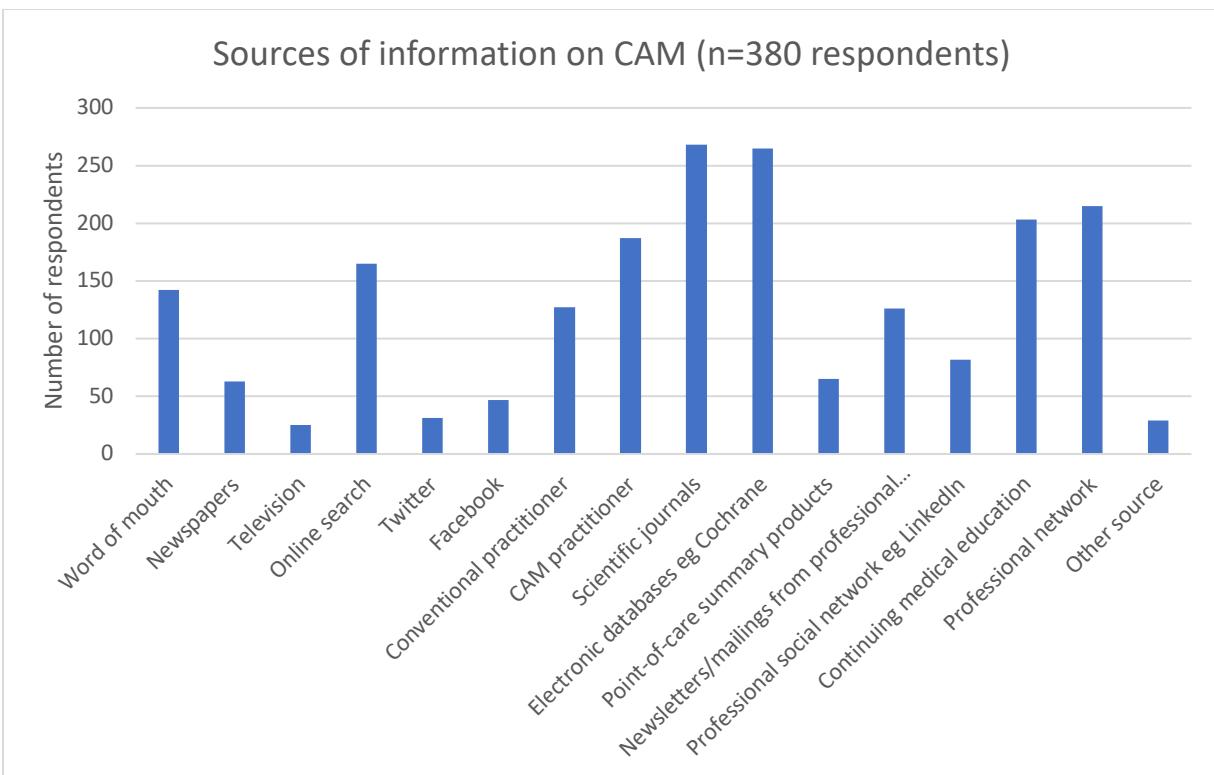
## **Summary of stakeholder survey on priority topics in mind-body therapies for chronic pain**

Total responses: n=619

Complete responses: n=385 (defined as the respondent answered all required questions they saw and clicked Done on the last page of the survey.)

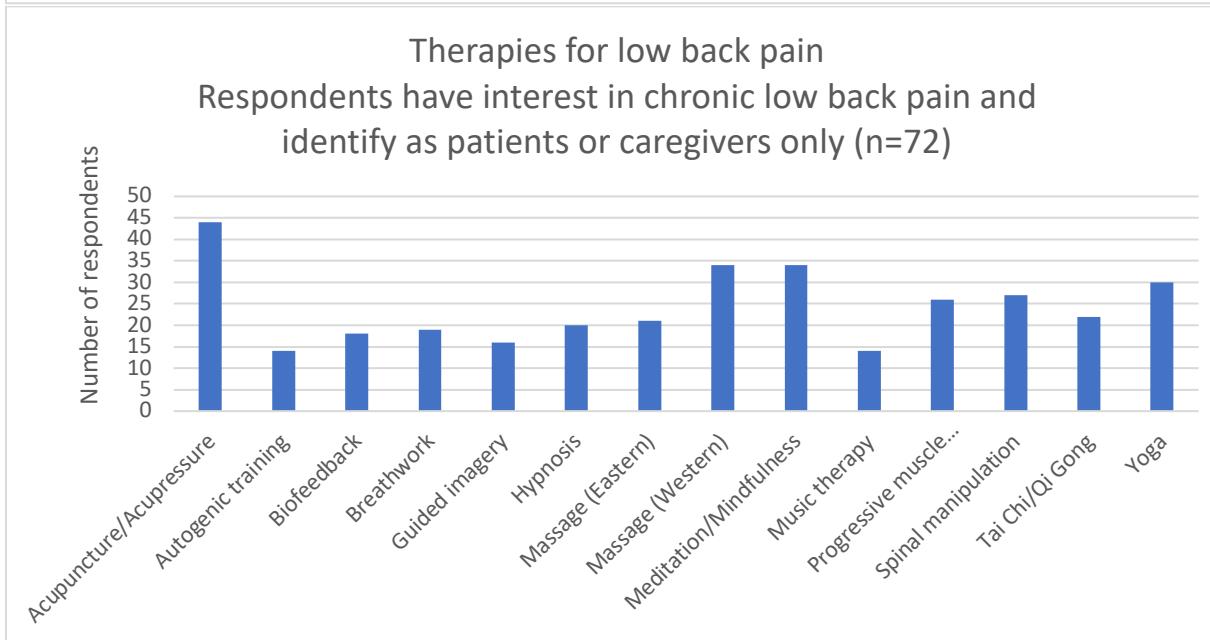
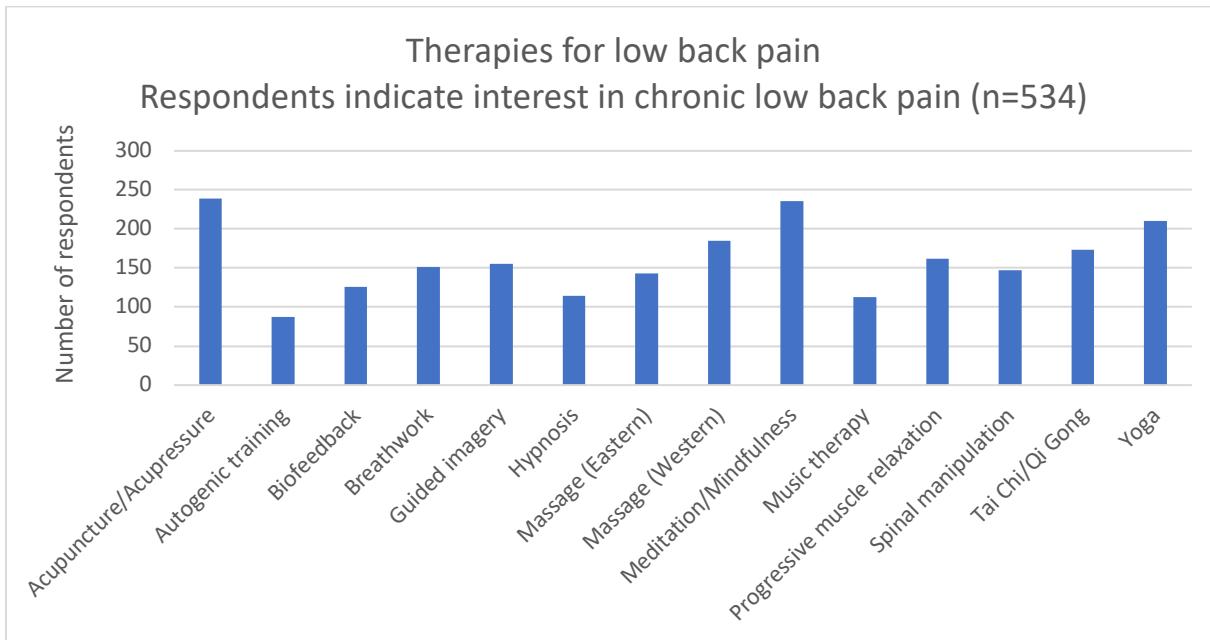


Persons who self-identified as patients or caregivers and did not also self-identify as conventional or CAM practitioners or researchers: n=97



Top source of information for patients/caregivers is online search, followed by word of mouth, electronic databases such as PubMed or Cochrane, and conventional medical practitioners.

## Chronic low back pain

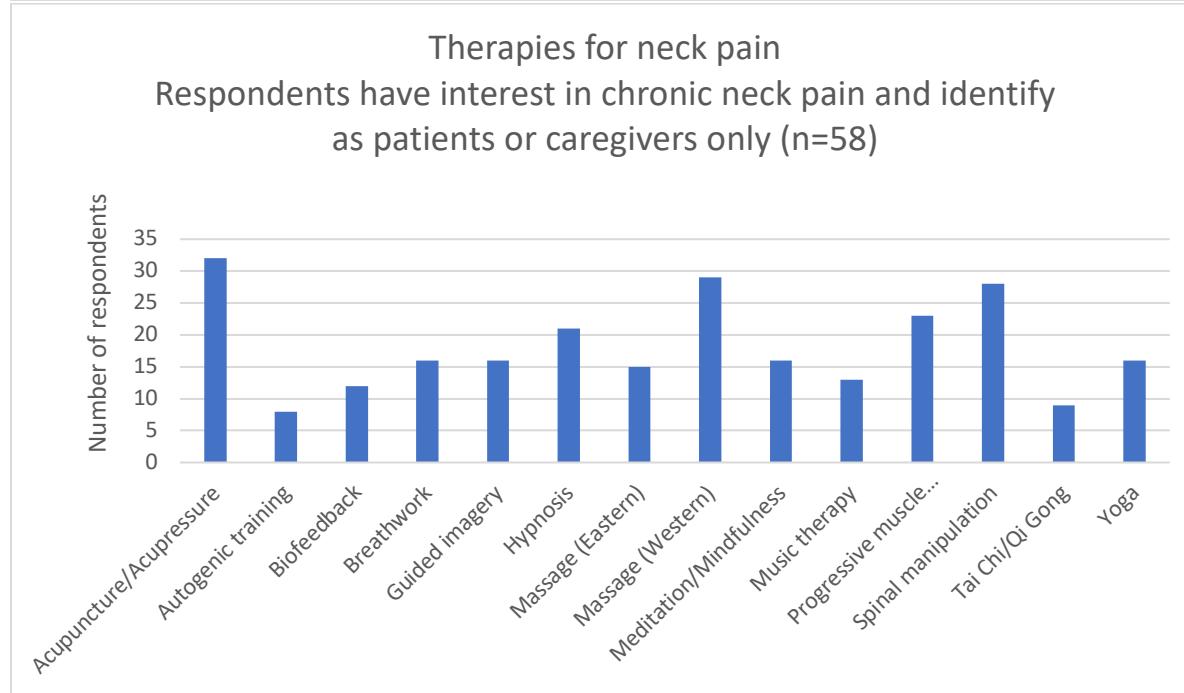
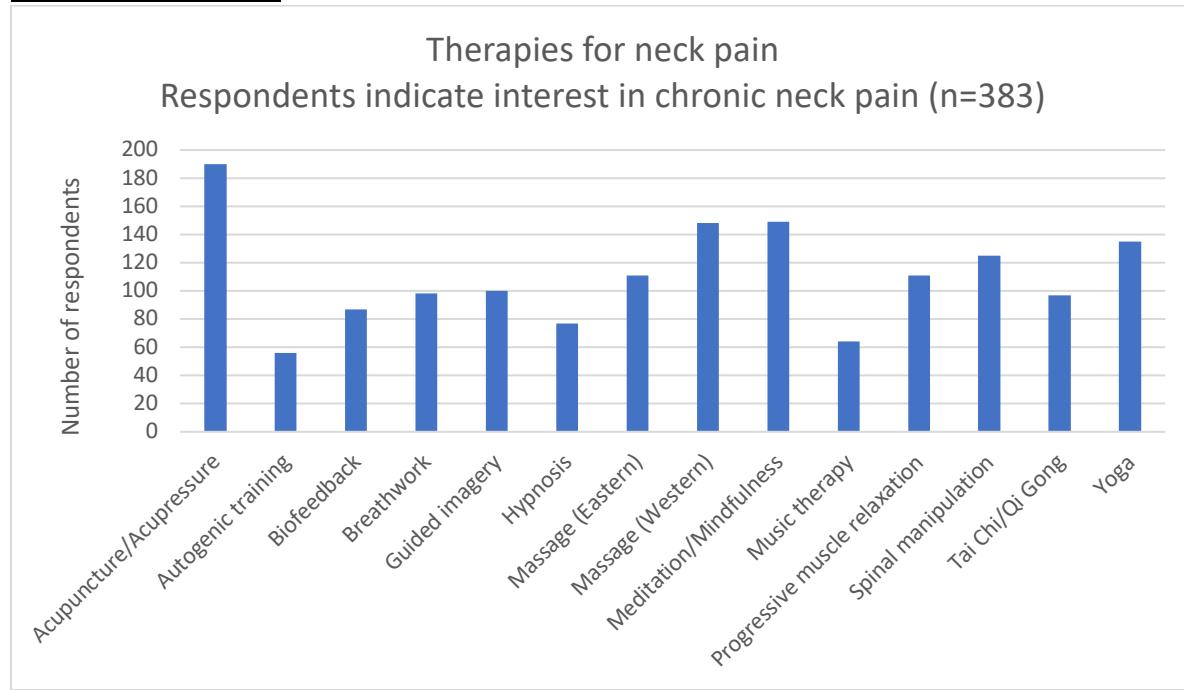


Top five therapies in sample as a whole:  
 Acupuncture/Acupressure  
 Meditation/Mindfulness  
 Yoga  
 Massage (Western)  
 Tai Chi/Qi Gong

Top five therapies among patients/caregivers:  
 Acupuncture/Acupressure  
 Meditation/Mindfulness (tie)  
 Massage (Western) (tie)  
 Yoga  
 Spinal manipulation  
 Progressive relaxation

Top priorities (top 3 from each of the prior lists):  
 Acupuncture/Acupressure  
 Meditation/Mindfulness  
 Massage (Western)  
 Yoga

## Chronic neck pain



Top five therapies in sample as a whole:

Acupuncture/Acupressure

Meditation/Mindfulness

Massage (Western)

Yoga

Spinal manipulation

Top five therapies among patients/caregivers:

Acupuncture/Acupressure

Massage (Western)

Spinal manipulation

Progressive relaxation

Hypnosis

Top priorities (top 3 from each of the prior lists):

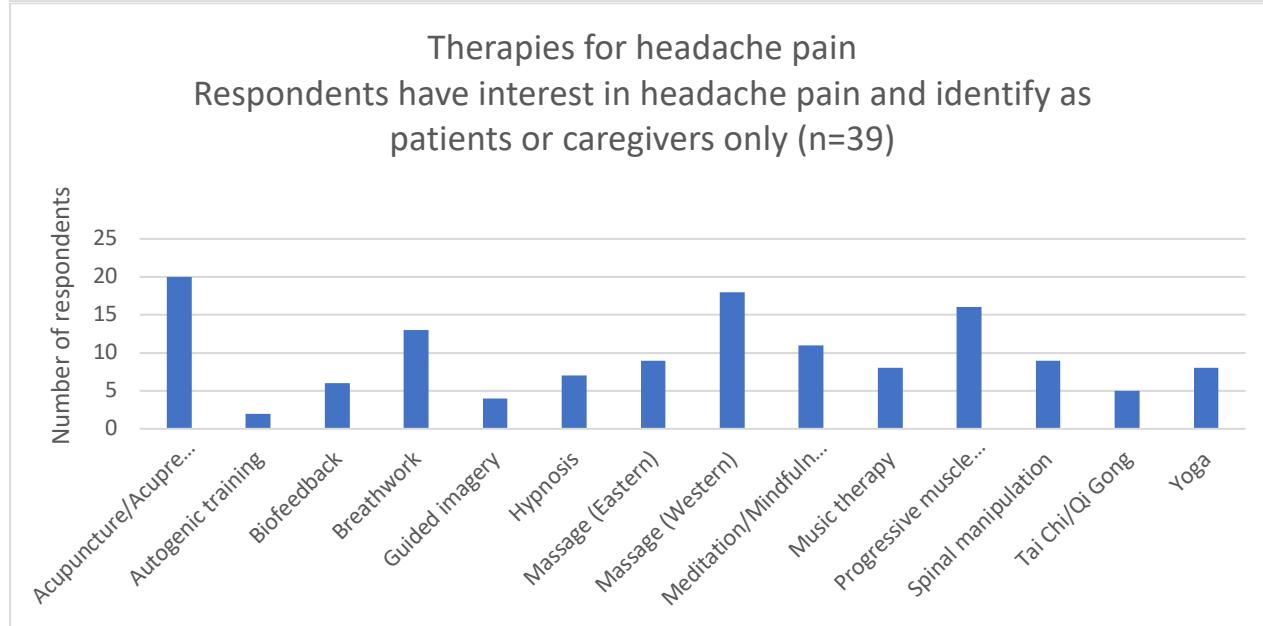
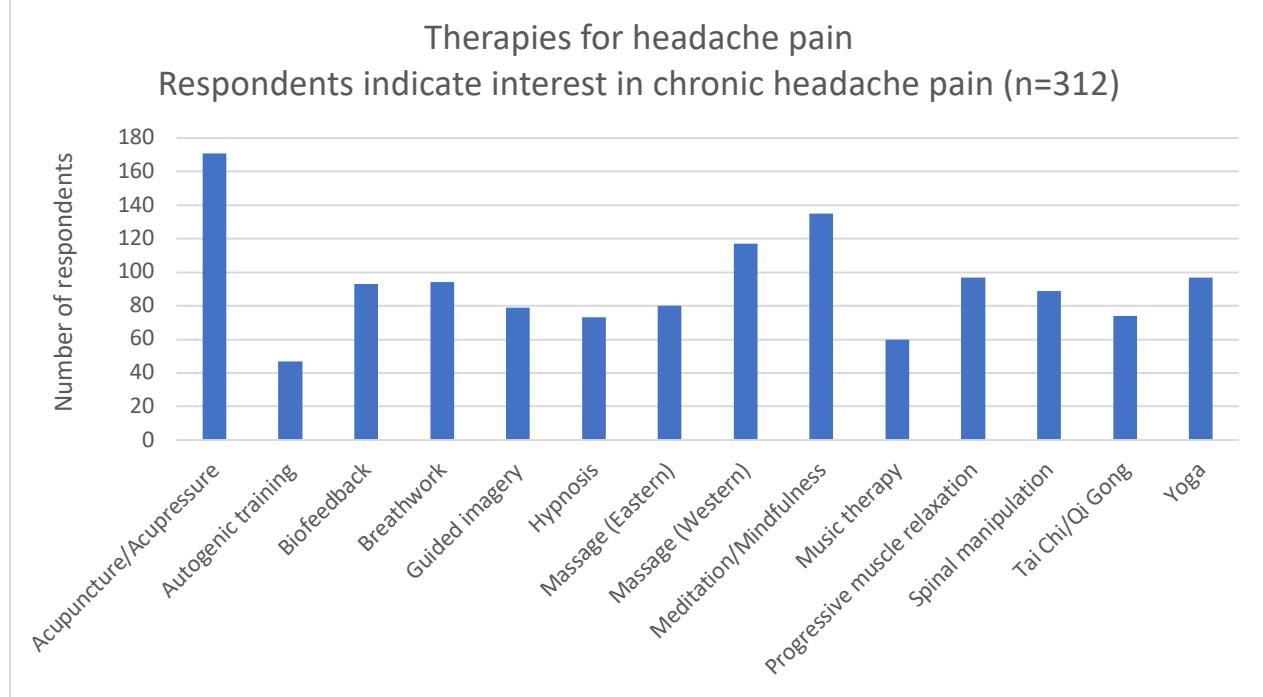
Acupuncture/Acupressure

Meditation/Mindfulness

Massage (Western)

Spinal manipulation

## Headache pain



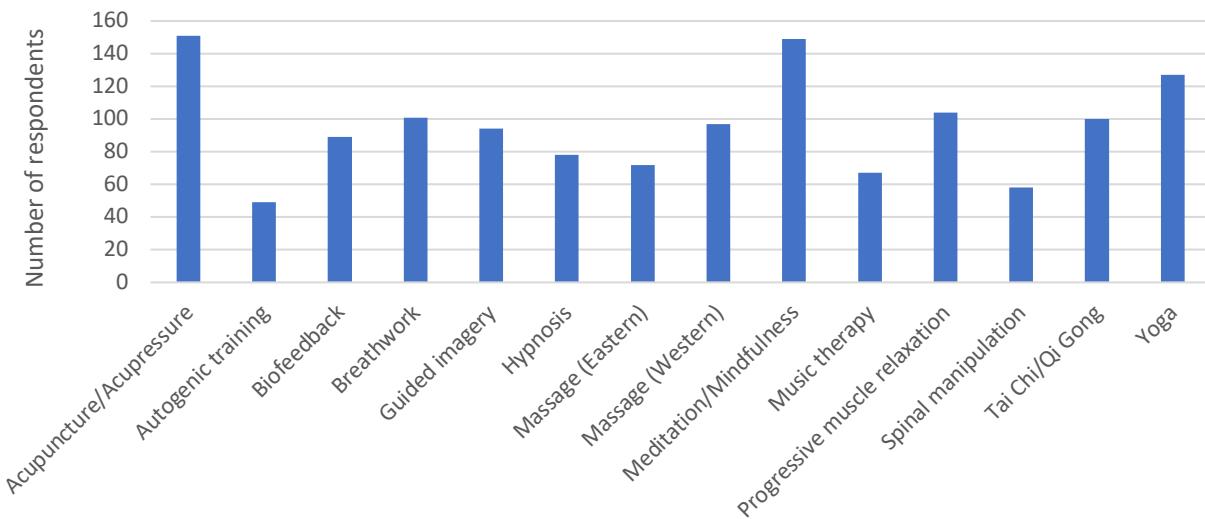
Top five therapies in sample as a whole:  
 Acupuncture/Acupressure  
 Meditation/Mindfulness  
 Massage (Western)  
 Progressive relaxation (tie)  
 Yoga (tie)  
 Breathwork

Top five therapies for patients/caregivers:  
 Acupuncture/Acupressure  
 Massage (Western)  
 Progressive relaxation  
 Breathwork  
 Meditation/mindfulness

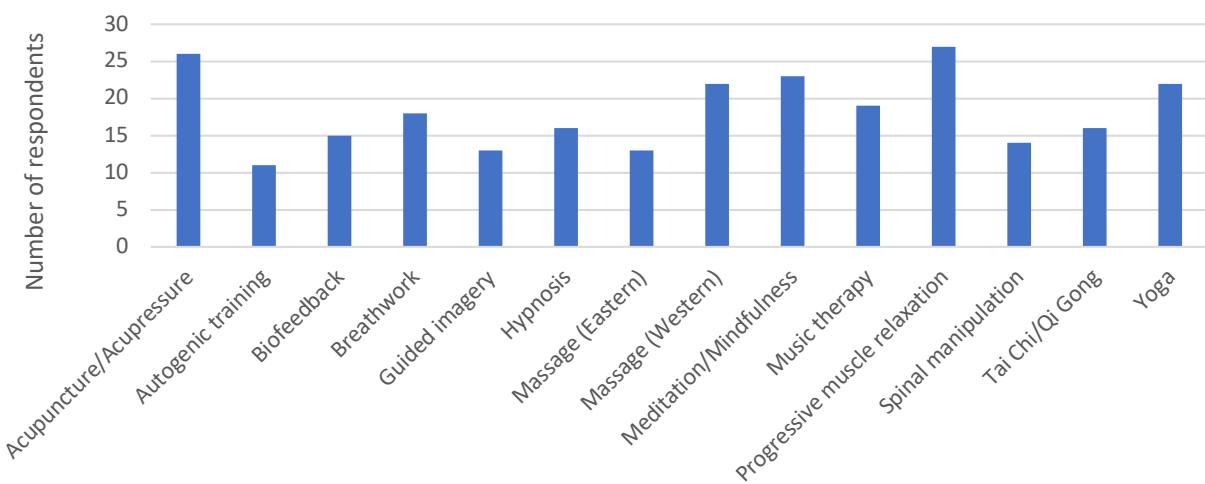
Top priorities (top 3 from each of the prior lists):  
 Acupuncture/Acupressure  
 Meditation/Mindfulness  
 Massage (Western)  
 Progressive relaxation

## Fibromyalgia

Therapies for fibromyalgia pain  
Respondents indicate interest in fibromyalgia (n=265)



Therapies for fibromyalgia pain  
Respondents have interest in fibromyalgia and identify as patients or carers only (n=42)



Top five therapies in sample as a whole:

Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Meditation/Mindfulness  
Yoga  
Progressive relaxation  
Breathwork (near tie)

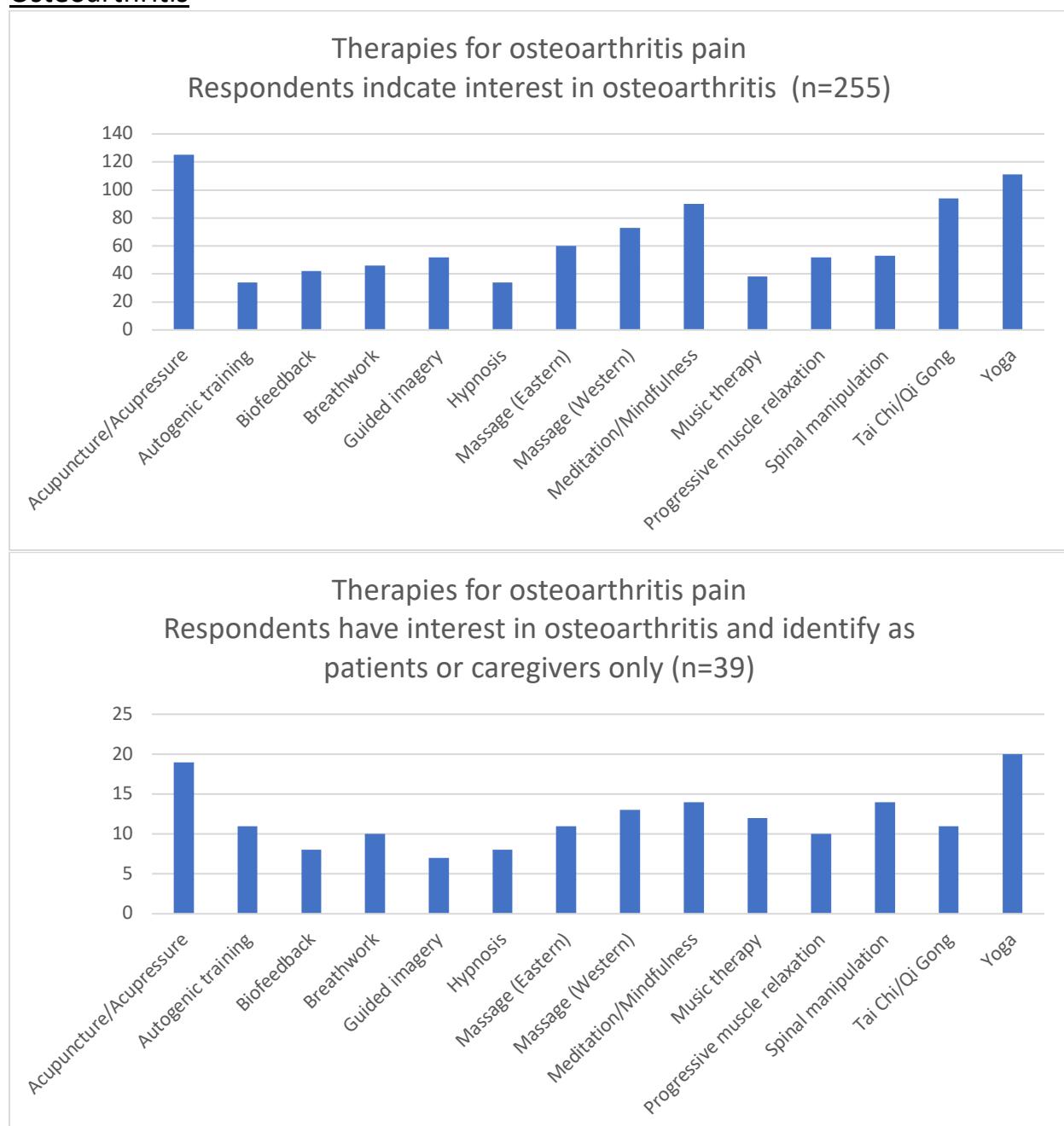
Top five therapies among patients/caregivers:

Progressive relaxation  
Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Meditation/Mindfulness  
Yoga (tie)  
Massage (Western) (tie)  
Breathwork

Top priorities (top 3 from each of the prior lists):

Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Meditation/Mindfulness  
Yoga  
Progressive relaxation

## Osteoarthritis



Top five therapies in sample as a whole:

Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Yoga  
Tai Chi/Qi Gong  
Meditation/Mindfulness  
Massage (Western)

Top five therapies among patients/caregivers:

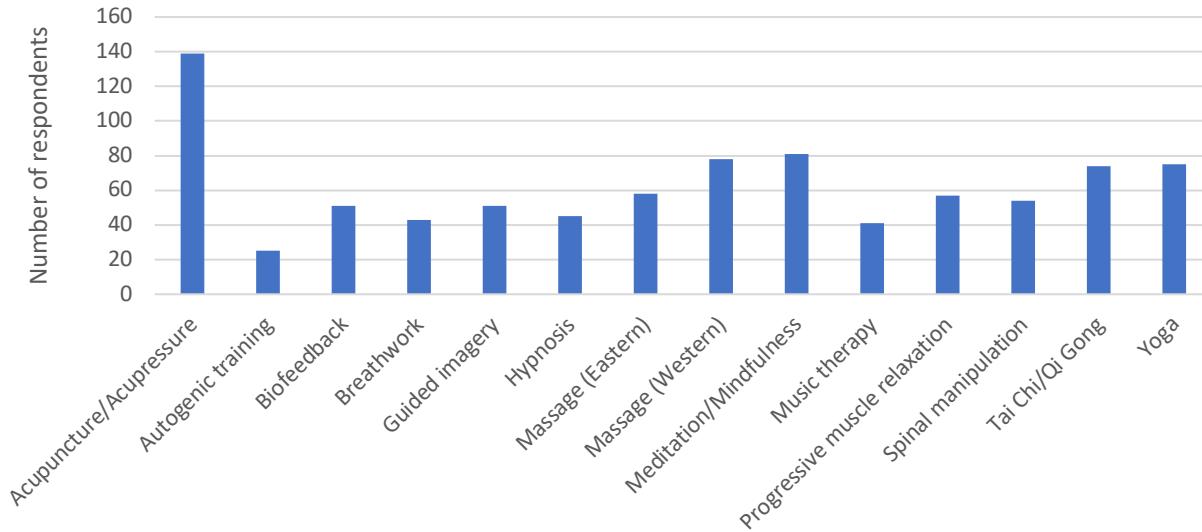
Yoga  
Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Meditation/Mindfulness (tie)  
Spinal manipulation (tie)  
Massage (Western)  
Music therapy

Top priorities: (top 3 from each of the prior lists):

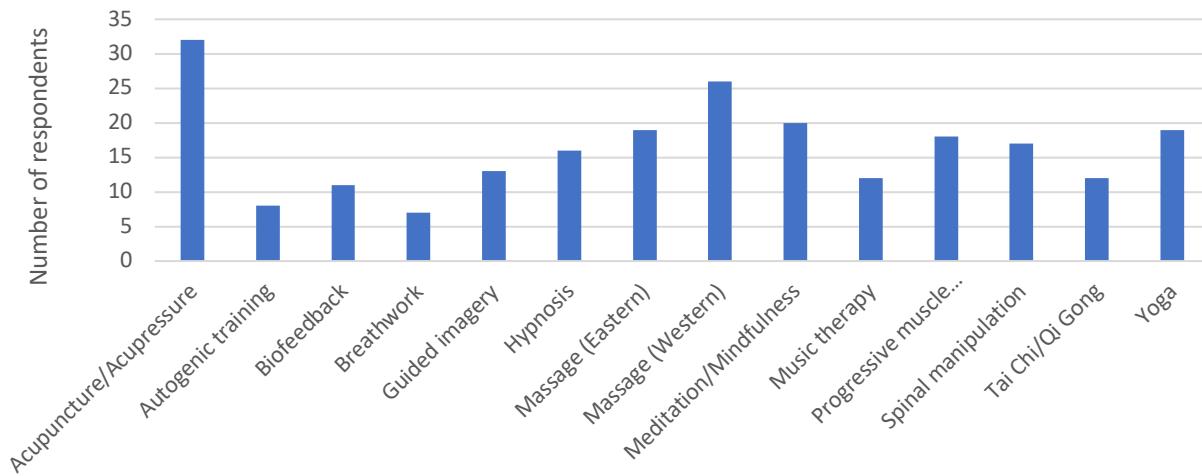
Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Yoga  
Meditation/Mindfulness  
Tai Chi/Qi Gong

## Peripheral neuropathy

Therapies for peripheral neuropathy  
Respondents indicate interest in peripheral neuropathy (n=264)



Therapies for peripheral neuropathy  
Respondents have interest in peripheral neuropathy and identify  
as patients or caregivers only (n=59)



Top five therapies in sample  
as a whole:

Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Meditation/Mindfulness  
Massage (Western)  
Yoga  
Tai Chi/Qi Gong

Top five therapies for  
patients/caregivers:

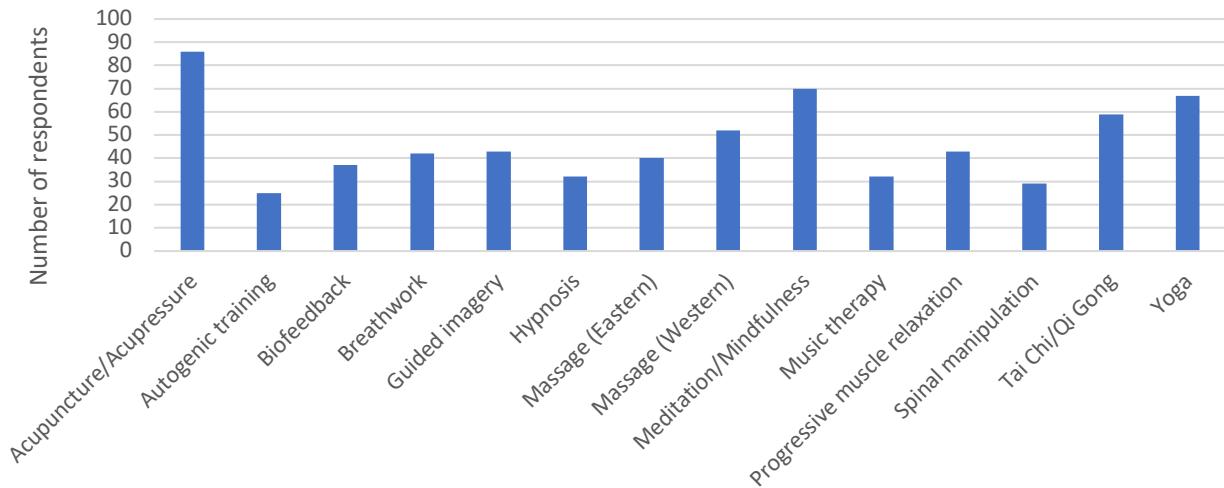
Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Massage (Western)  
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Massage (Eastern) (tie)  
Yoga (tie)  
Progressive muscle relaxation

Top priorities (top 3 from  
each of the prior lists):

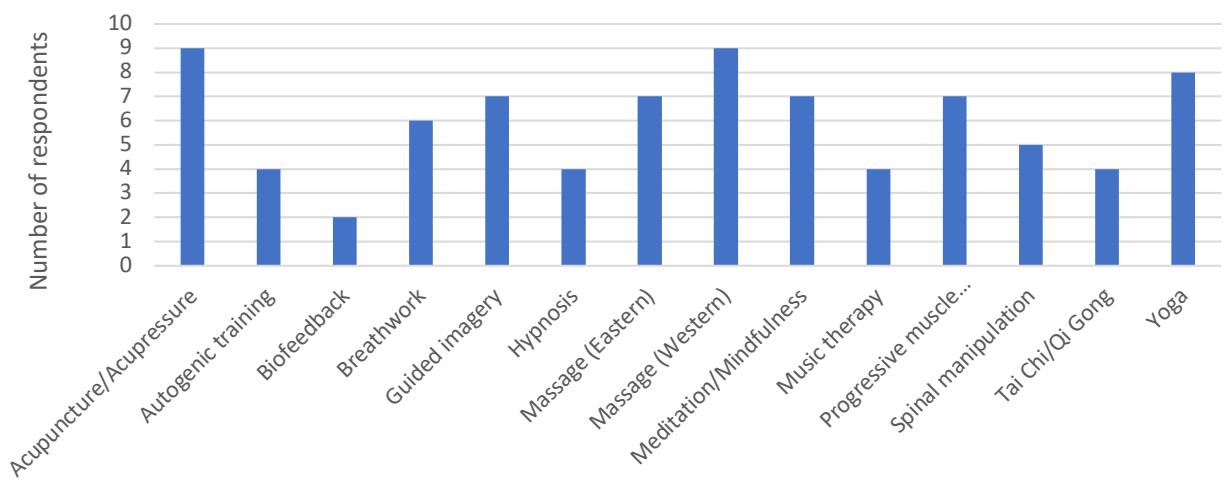
Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Massage (Western)  
Meditation/Mindfulness

## Rheumatoid arthritis

Therapies for rheumatoid arthritis pain  
Respondents indicate interest in rheumatoid arthritis (n=167)



Therapies for rheumatoid arthritis pain  
Respondents have interest in rheumatoid arthritis and identify as patients or caregivers only (n=19)



Top five therapies in sample as a whole:

Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Meditation/Mindfulness  
Yoga  
Tai Chi/Qi Gong  
Massage (Western)

Top five therapies among patients/caregivers:

Acupuncture/Acupressure (tie)  
Massage (Western) (tie)  
Yoga  
Guided imagery (tie)  
Massage (Eastern) (tie)

Top priorities (top 3 from each of the prior lists):

Acupuncture/Acupressure  
Massage (Western)  
Yoga  
Meditation/Mindfulness  
Guided imagery  
Massage (Eastern)

