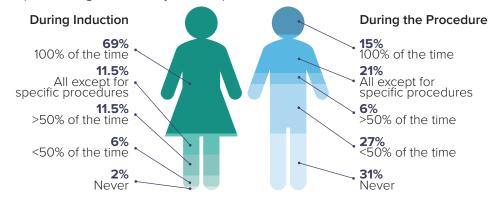


**PATIENT & FAMILY** CENTERED EXPERIENCE, **EFFECTIVENESS, & EQUITABLE CARE** of SPS Institutional **Member Programs** 

### Presence of Parent/Guardian

A parent or quardian may remain present with their child:



# **Child Life Specialists**

at SPS member institutions are present for:

All sedation encounters 21% >50% of sedation 42% encounters <50% of sedation 27% encounters No sedation encounters 10% (no child life available)

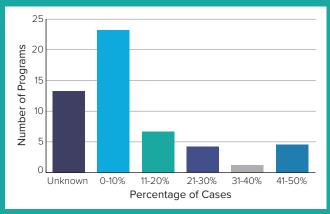


Child life specialists are part of the sedation service at 27 of 52 programs.

50% of programs offer specific processes, locations, and/or staff for children with autism and other developmental or behavioral differences.

# **Grouping Multiple Procedures**

**75%** of SPS institutional member programs have specific mechanisms to group multiple sedated procedures together when possible



## **Measures of Sedation Effectiveness of 52 Programs**



#### **Contact & Communication**

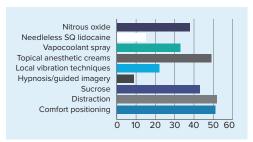
Pre-sedation contact methods at 50 programs performing outpatient, nonemergency procedures include:



- 48 programs use phone calls
- programs use mail
- programs **14** via referring provider
- programs email

## **Comfort Measures & Education**

SPS programs offer a variety of comfort measures to decrease pain associated with minor procedures.



SPS programs utilize a variety of methods to educate staff, patients, and families about comfort techniques.



- Unit meetings
- Educational modules
- Posters
- Mentoring programs
- Patient/family education
- Conversations with care teams



