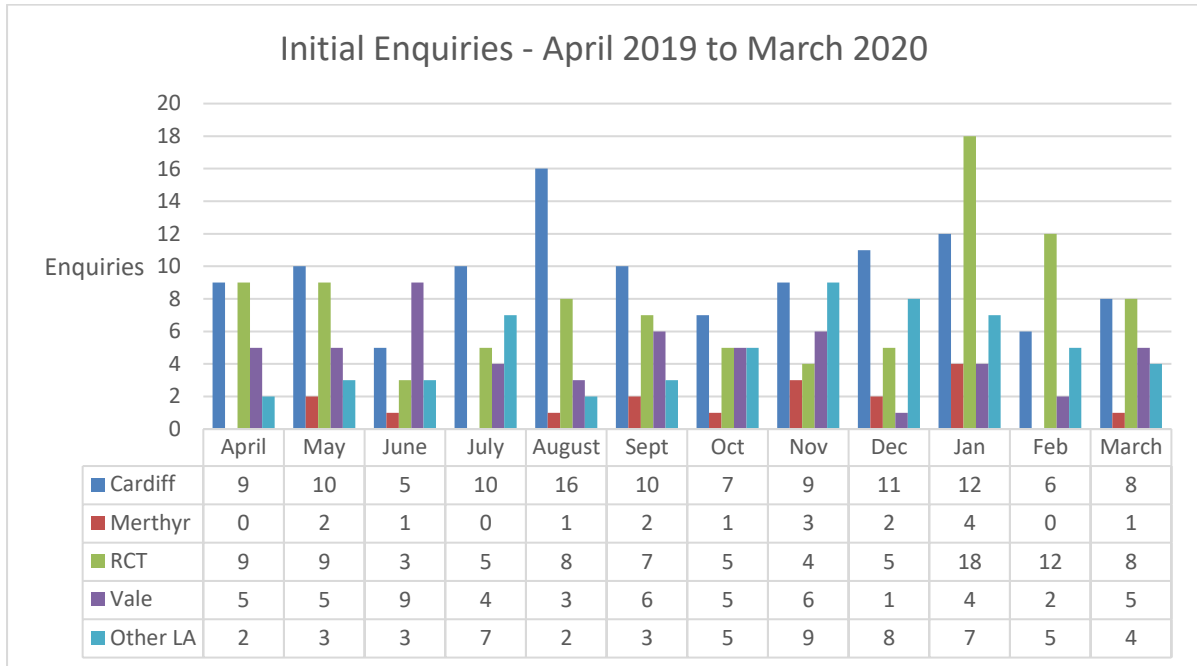


## Appendix 2 – Recruitment and Assessment

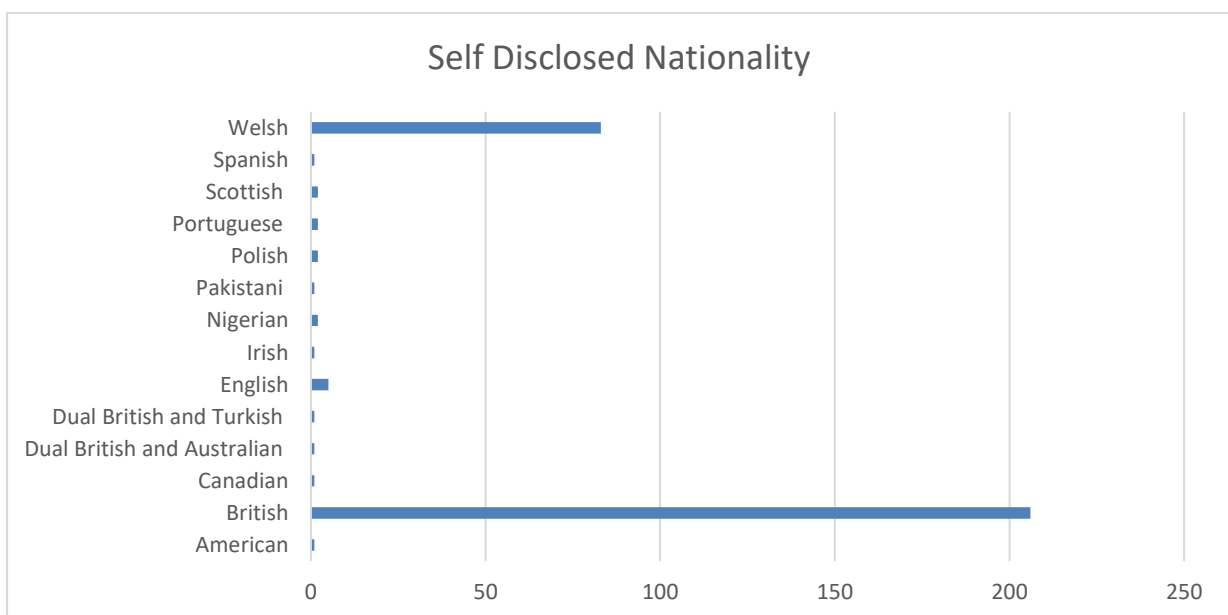
### Initial Enquiries

278 enquiries were received from people living within our region. In addition, 58 enquiries were received from people living outside our area. There was a total of 336 enquiries.

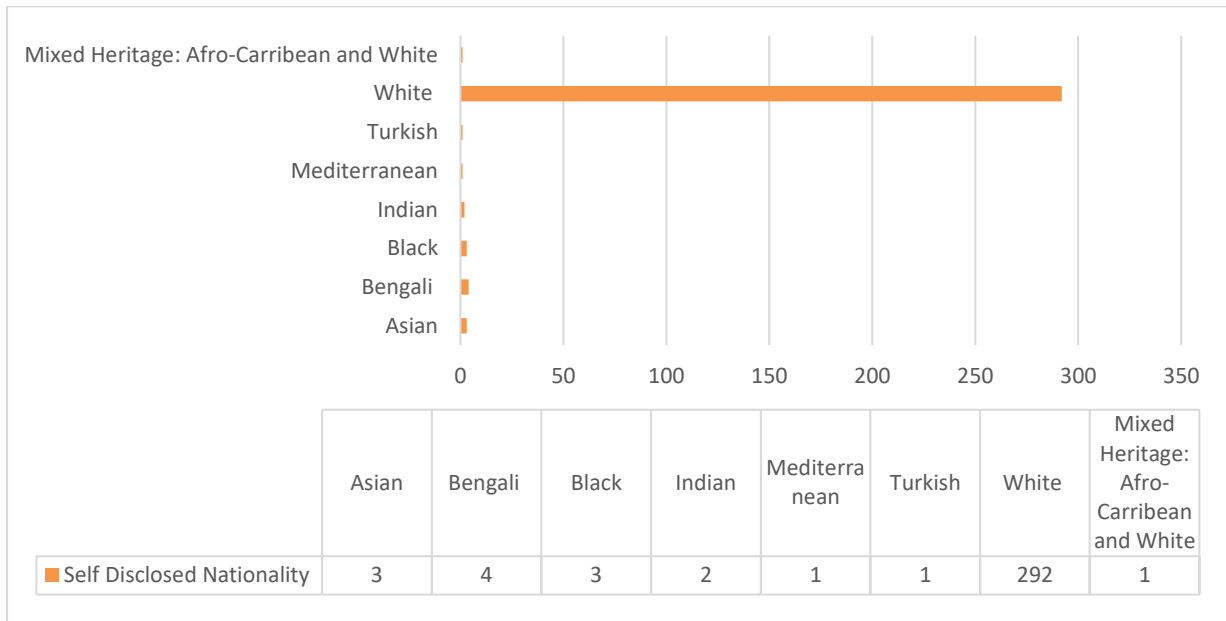


### Demographics of Initial Enquiries

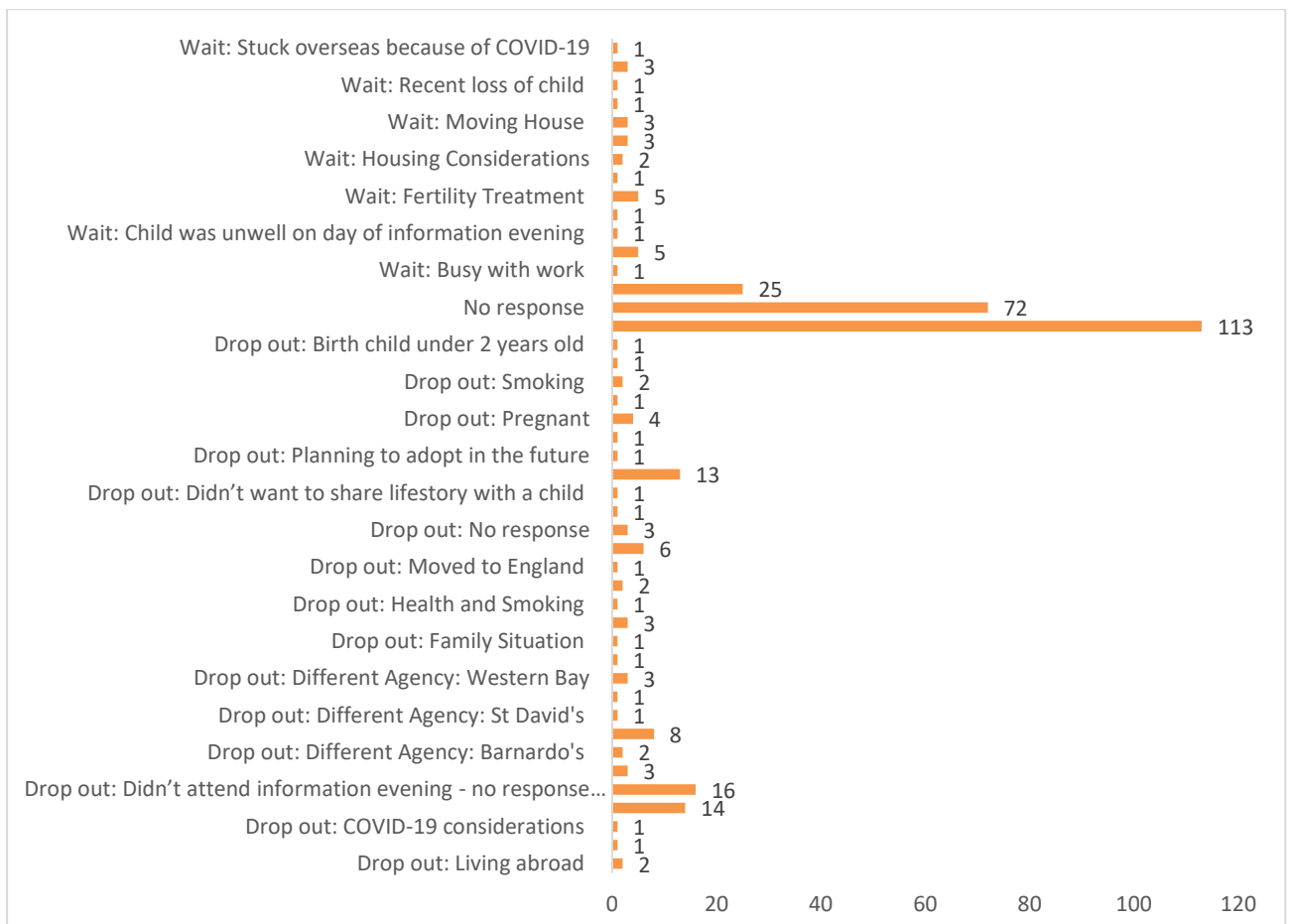
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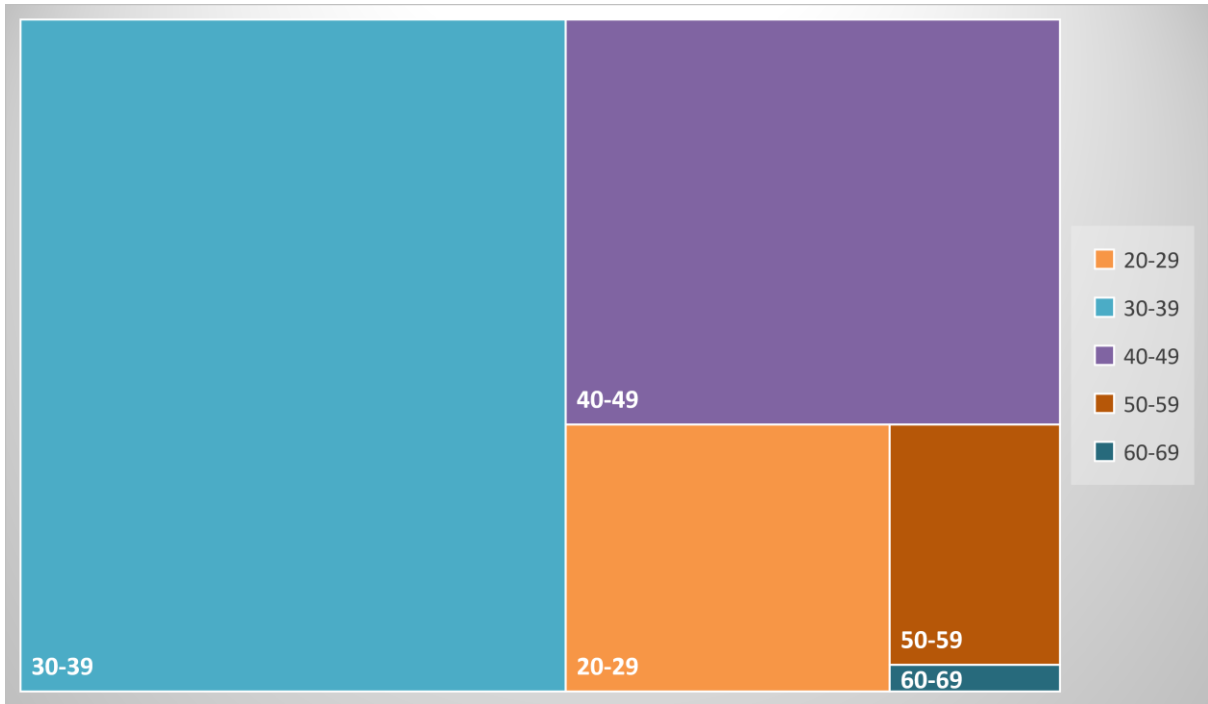
## Self-disclosed ethnicity



## Self-disclosed Follow up - reasons for delay or withdrawal from adoption process before Information Evening



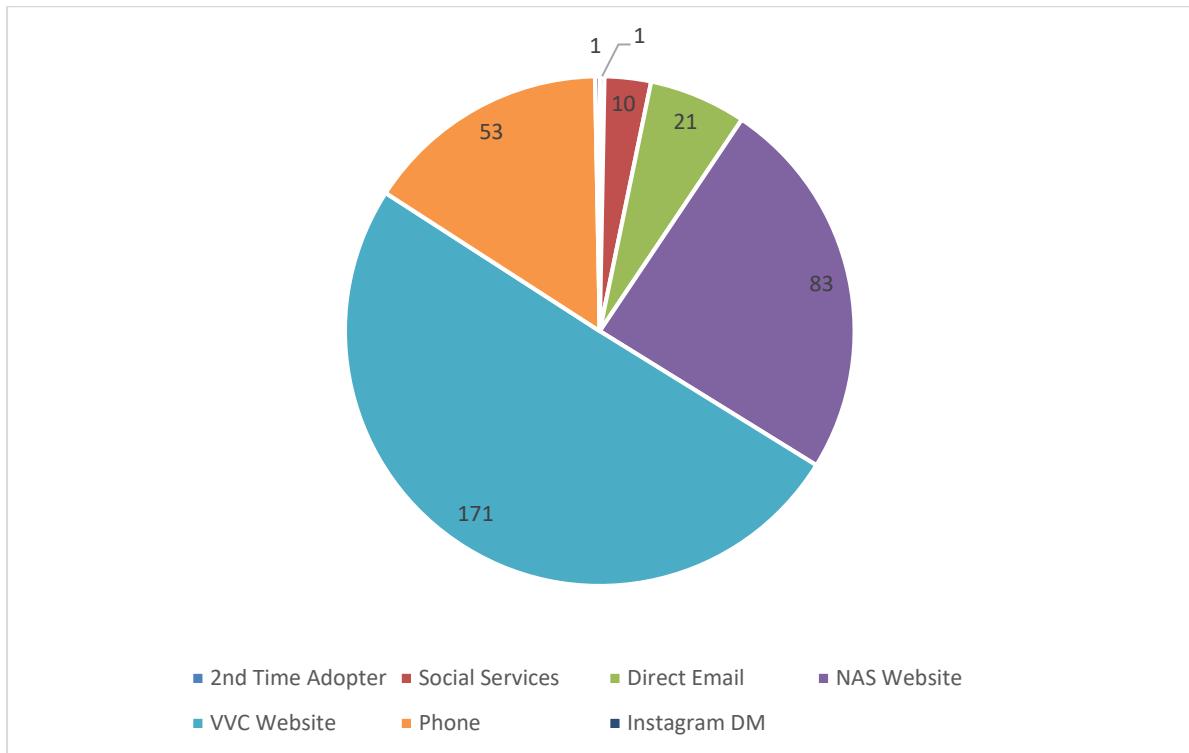
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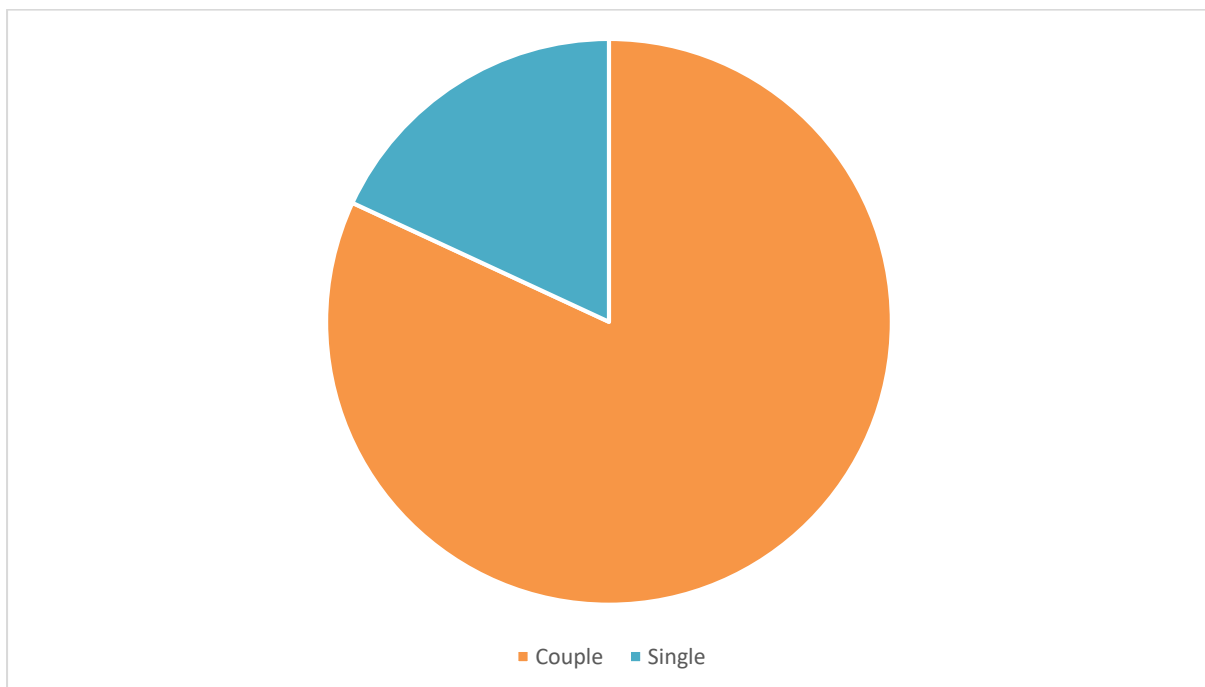
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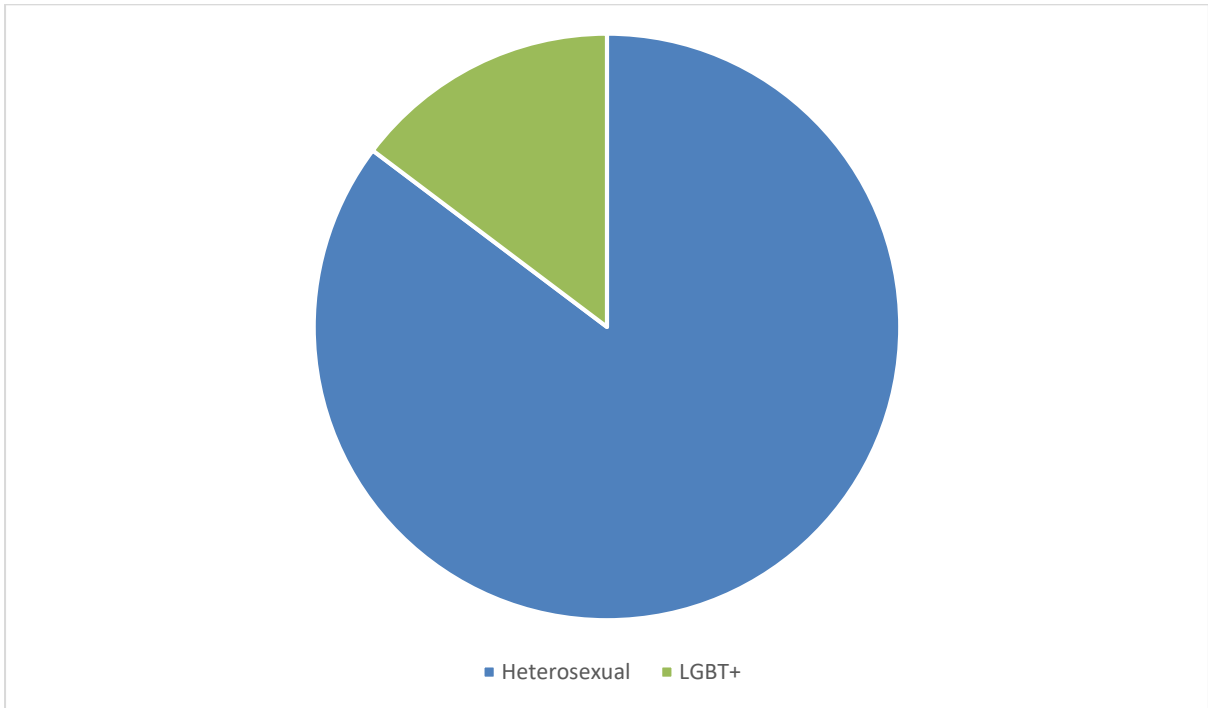
### How they contacted us



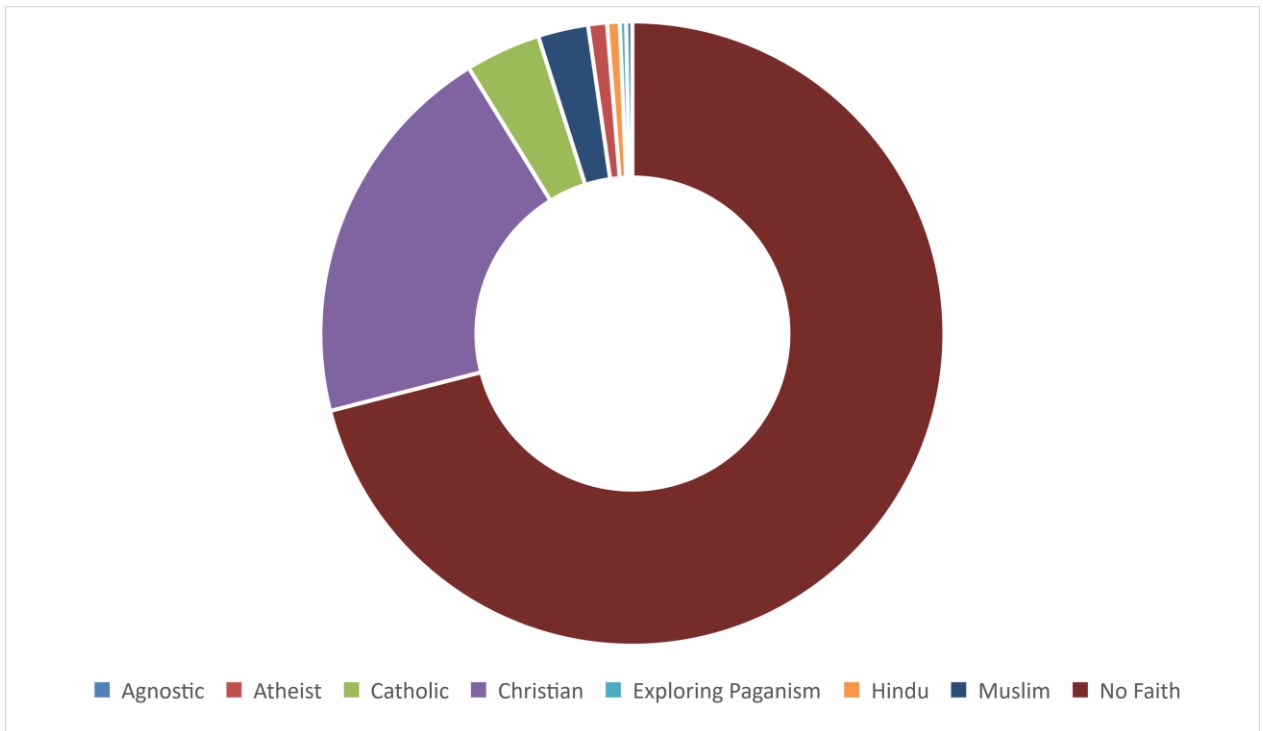
### Couples and Singles



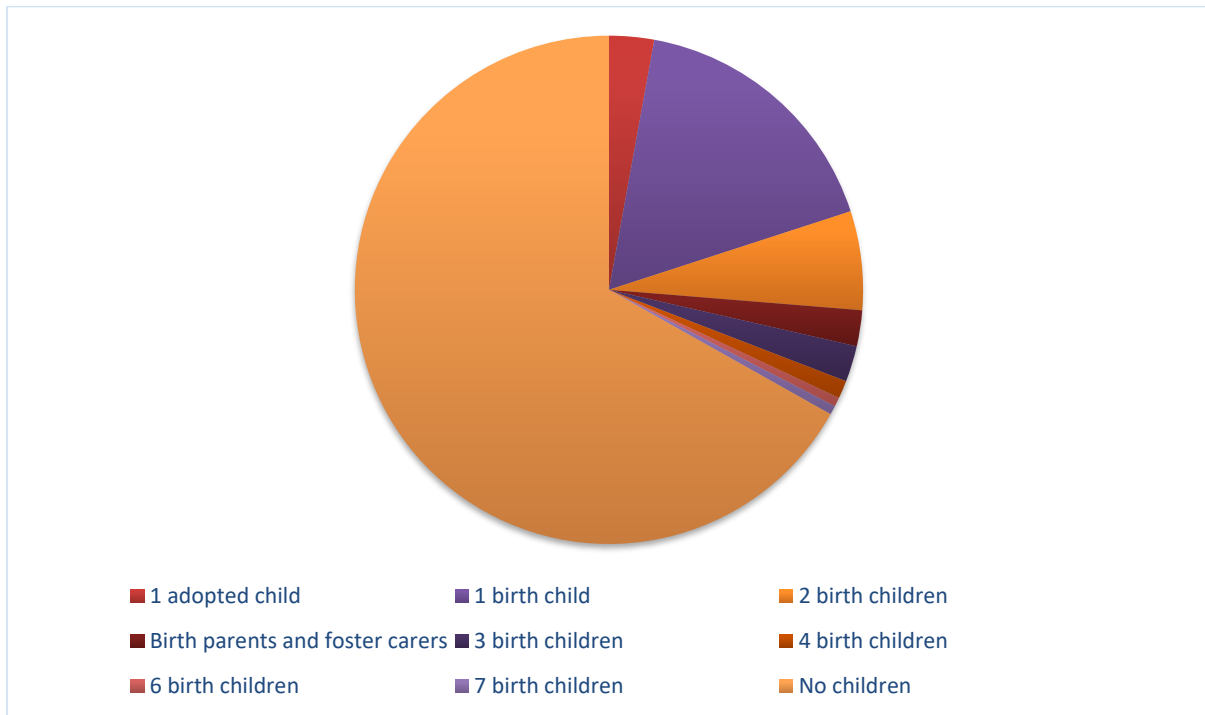
### Couples: self-reported LGBT+ and Heterosexual



### Self-reported Faith

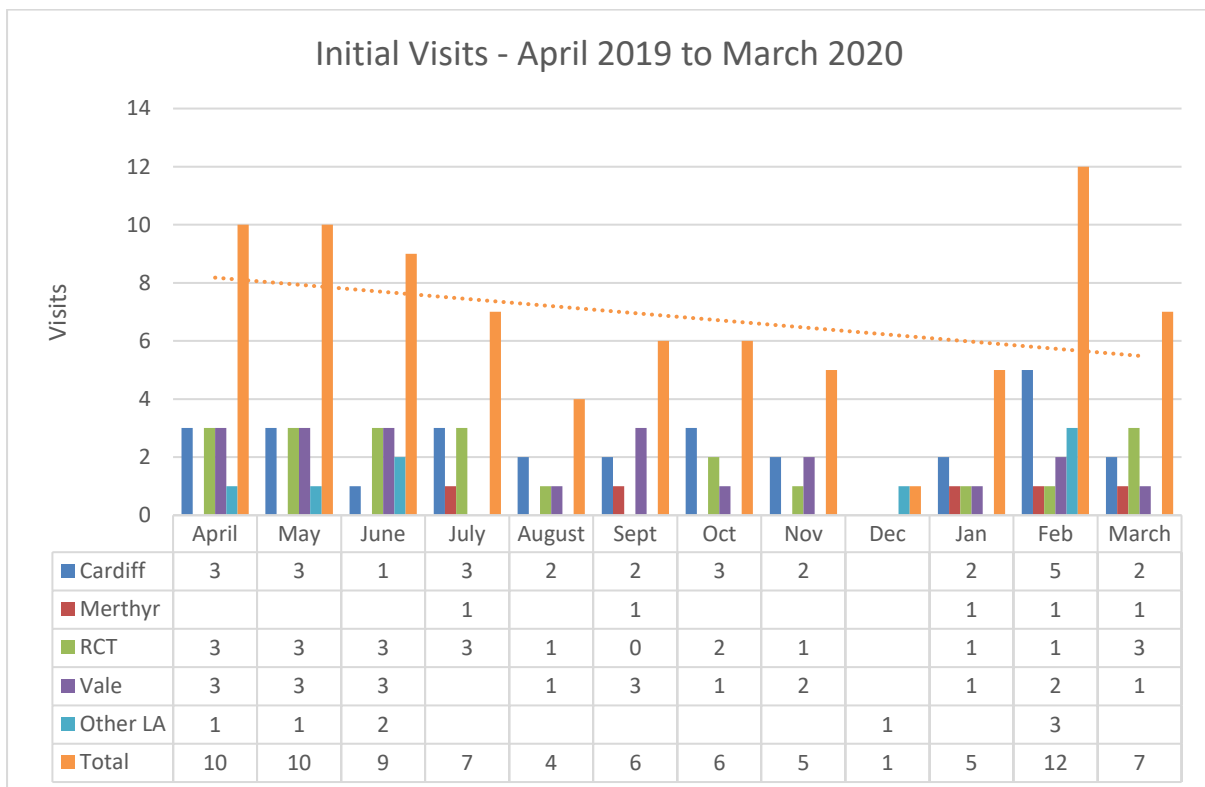


## Adopting with children already in the household



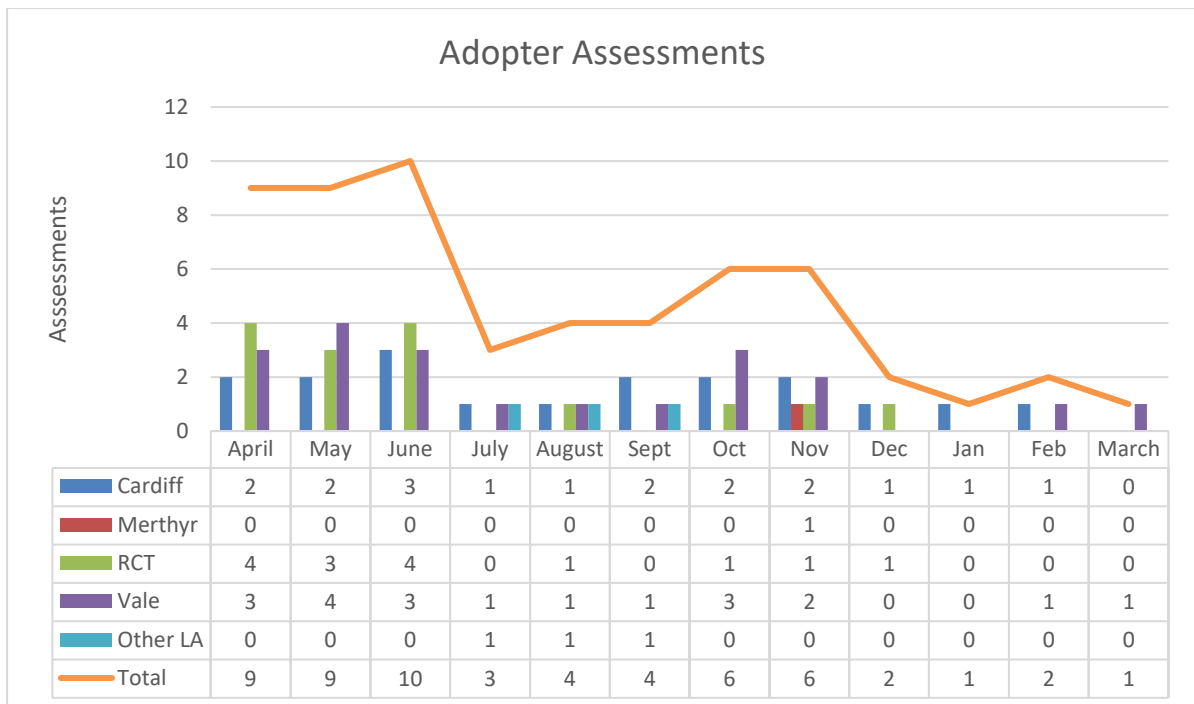
## Initial Visits

82 initial enquiries took place during the reporting period.



## Adopter Assessments

57 adopter assessments were carried out during the reporting period



## Adopter Approvals

75 adopter approvals were presented to the adoption panel, of these 69 adopter approvals were ratified during the reporting period.

