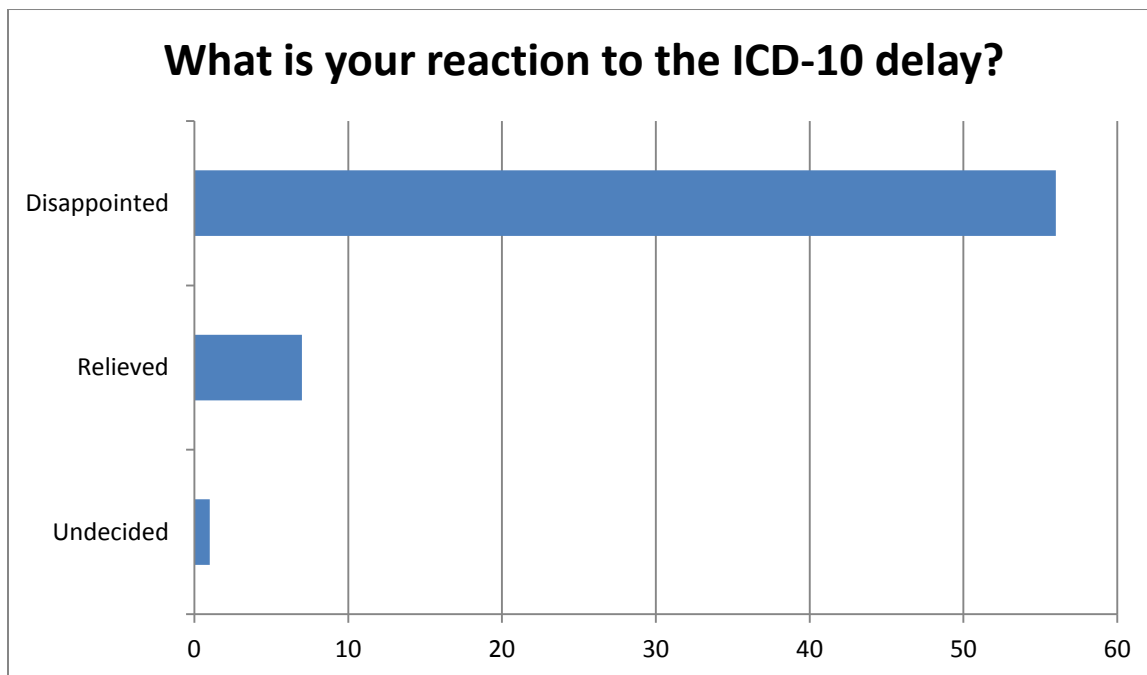


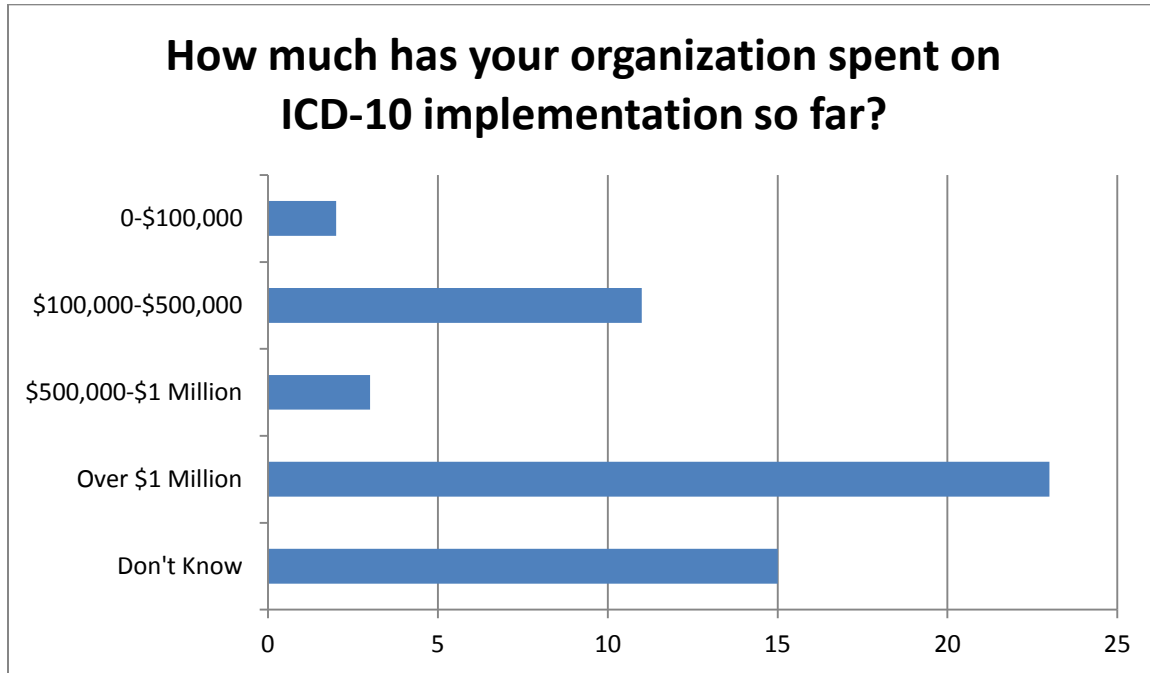
WASHINGTON, D.C. – April 24, 2014 – Participants at AHIMA’s ICD-10 summit in Washington, DC, April 22-23, had an opportunity to offer their views on the delay and next steps for the industry during a real-time poll. Summit participants answered questions via text message and addressed a variety of key questions on ICD-10 implementation and next steps for moving forward.

Key results included:

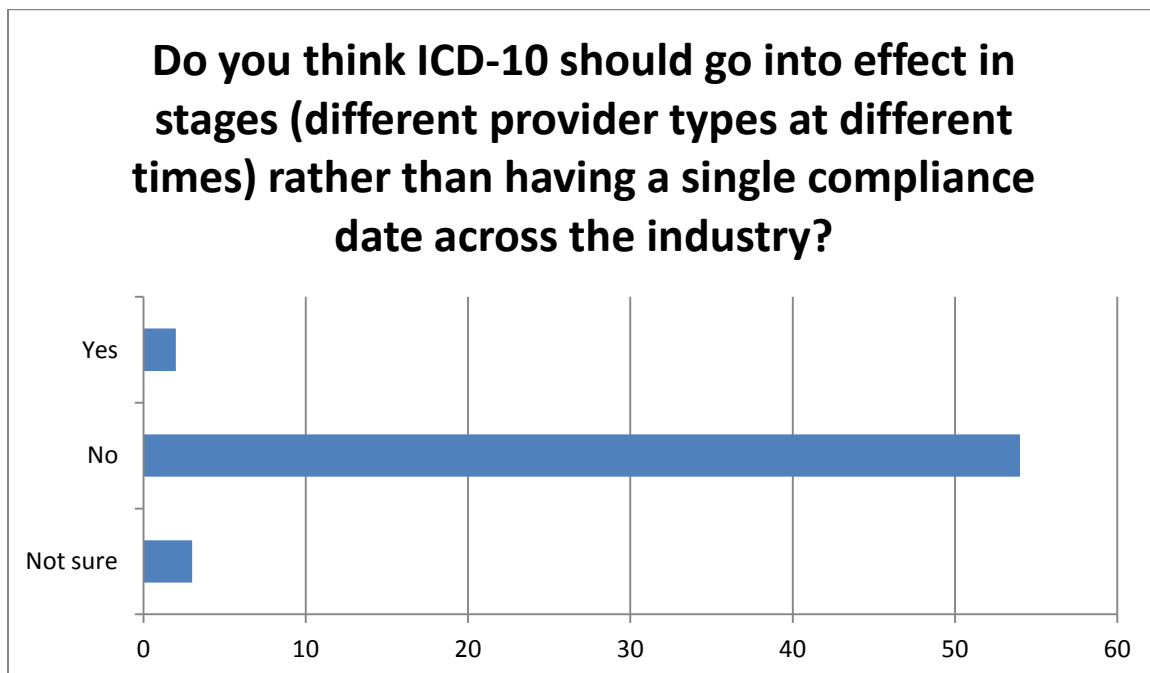
- 88 percent were disappointed by the ICD-10 delay (69 total respondents).



- 42 percent said their organization has spent more than \$1 million on implementation (54 total respondents)



- 91 percent said ICD-10 should not go into effect in stages (59 total respondents)



- 50 percent would – if allowed – be interested in voluntary reporting of ICD-10 codes beginning on Oct. 1 2014 (62 total respondents)



- 54 percent did not want the partial code set freeze lifted (57 total respondents)

