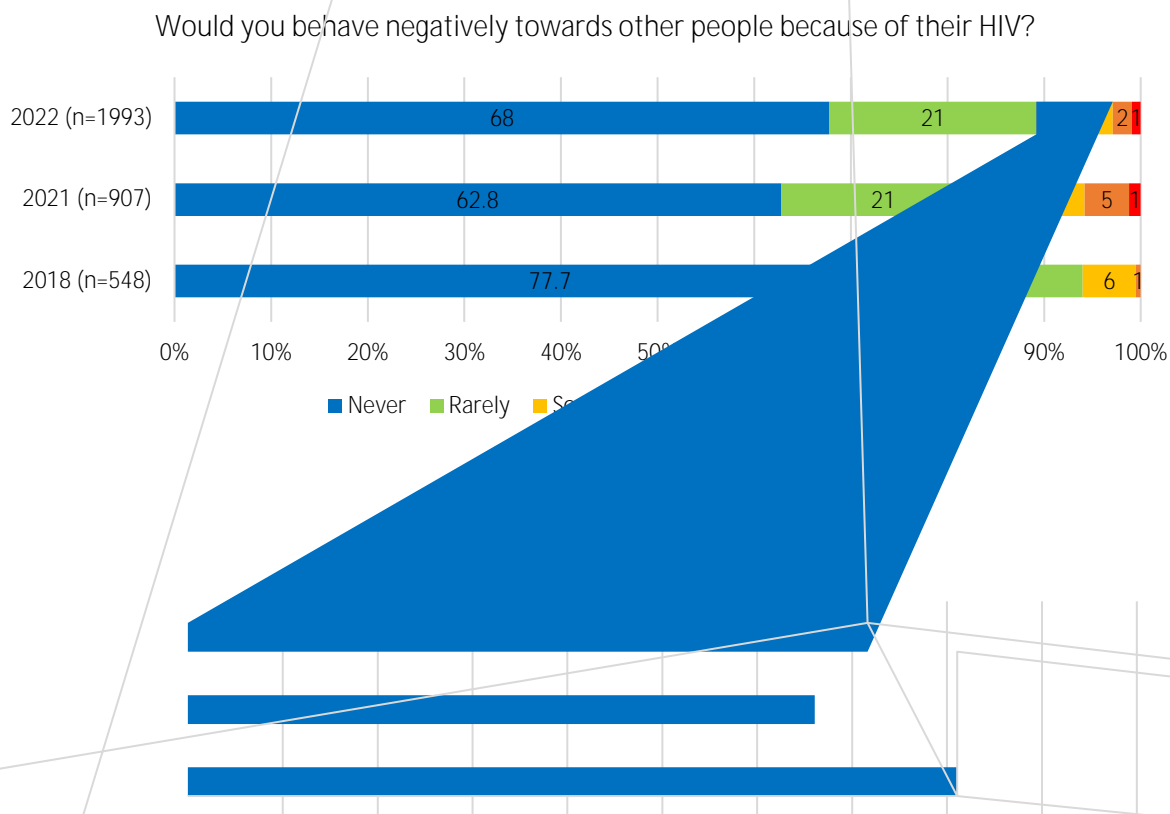




The proportion of health care workers who indicated they would behave negatively towards other people because of their HIV decreased from 37% in 2021 to 32% in 2022. Similar decreases were evident in the proportions who would behave negatively towards others because of their hepatitis B (from 34% in 2021 to 28% in 2022) and hepatitis C (from 36% in 2021 to 30% in 2022).



Although participants in 2021 and 2022 were more likely to indicate they would behave negatively towards other people than those in 2018, these differences should be considered in light of the different recruitment methods and participant profiles. Results highlight that stigma and negative beha