

2011 Health Manpower Survey on Optometrists
2011 年有關視光師的醫療衛生服務人力統計調查
Key Findings
結果摘要

- The optometrists covered in the 2011 HMS were optometrists registered with the Optometrists Board of Hong Kong under the Supplementary Medical Professions Ordinance (Chapter 359) as at the survey reference date - 31.3.2011.
 - The number of optometrists covered was 2 000.
 - Of the 2 000 registered optometrists covered, 1 391 had responded to the survey, giving an overall response rate of 69.6%. Of the 1 391 responding optometrists, 1 303 (93.7%) were economically active*† (active) whereas 88 (6.3%) reported to be economically inactive*‡ (inactive) in the local optometry profession (See Chart).
 - Of the 1 303 active optometrists, 1 297 (99.5%) were practising in the local optometry profession, three (0.2%) were seeking jobs and three (0.2%) were starting business in optometry profession at subsequent date, waiting to take up new jobs in the local optometry profession or having temporary sickness during the 30 days before the survey.
 - The survey findings presented below were based on the 1 297 responding optometrists practising in the local optometry profession as at 31.3.2011. As some information was missing from certain questionnaires, percentages presented below may not add up to 100%.
 - (i) Four optometrists did not indicate their sex. Of the remaining 1 293 active optometrists enumerated, 1 018 (78.7%) were male and 275 (21.3%) were female, giving an overall sex ratio (males per 100 females) of 370. Ten optometrists did not indicate the age and the median age of the remaining 1 287 active optometrists enumerated was 47.0 years.
 - (ii) Distribution by sector of the main job§ showed that 1 193 (92.0%) were working in the private sector, followed by 64 (4.9%) in the Government, academic and subvented sectors and 34 (2.6%) in the Hospital Authority.
 - (iii) 91.8% spent most of their working time on service of optometric care, followed by 4.3% on administration / management, 1.1% on teaching and 1.1% on research.
- 2011 年的醫療衛生服務人力調查，涵蓋截至調查點算當日(即 2011 年 3 月 31 日)已根據《輔助醫療業條例》(第 359 章)的規定，向香港視光師管理委員會註冊的視光師。
 - 所涵蓋視光師的人數為 2 000 名。
 - 在統計調查所涵蓋的 2 000 名註冊視光師中，有 1 391 名作出回應，整體回應率為 69.6%。在回應的 1 391 名註冊視光師中，有 1 303 名(93.7%)在本港視光學專業從事經濟活動*†(在職)，有 88 名(6.3%)據報並非在本港視光學專業從事經濟活動*‡(非在本港從事業內工作)(見圖)。
 - 在 1 303 名在職視光師中，1 297 名(99.5%)在本港從事視光學專業，在統計日前 30 天內，三名(0.2%)正在找尋視光學專業工作及三名(0.2%)即將開展視光學專業的生意、正等待上任新的視光學專業工作或暫時有病在身。
 - 下文所載的統計調查結果，是根據 1 297 名於 2011 年 3 月 31 日在本港從事視光學專業的視光師所提供的資料而製備的。由於部分問卷資料不全，下文所載的百分比總和可能不等於 100%。
 - (i) 四名視光師沒有註明性別，在餘下 1 293 名經點算的在職視光師中，1 018 名(78.7%)為男性，275 名(21.3%)為女性，整體性別比率(每百名女性的男性人數)為 370。十名視光師沒有註明年齡，而餘下 1 287 名經點算在職視光師的整體年齡中位數為 47.0 歲。
 - (ii) 按主要職位§所屬機構類型劃分的分布資料顯示，1 193 名(92.0%)視光師在私營機構工作，其餘依次為 64 名(4.9%)在政府、學術及資助機構工作及 34 名(2.6%)在醫院管理局工作。
 - (iii) 91.8% 把大部分工作時間用於視光護理服務，其餘依次為行政／管理(4.3%)、教學(1.1%)及研究(1.1%)。

* In the survey, the criteria used in defining economically active / inactive followed those recommended by the International Labour Organization, which are also being used by the Census and Statistics Department in Hong Kong.
是次統計調查中用以界定從事經濟活動及非從事經濟活動的準則，均參照國際勞工組織所提出並獲香港政府統計處所採用的建議。

† “Economically active” optometrists comprised all “employed” and “unemployed” optometrists. “Employed” optometrists referred to those optometrists practising in the optometry profession in Hong Kong during the survey period, while “unemployed” optometrists referred to those optometrists who (a) were not practising in the optometry profession during the survey period; (b) had been available for work during the seven days before the survey; and (c) had sought work in the optometry profession during the 30 days before the survey.

‡ “Economically inactive” optometrists comprised the optometrists who were not practising in the optometry profession in Hong Kong during the survey period, excluding those who had been on leave during the survey period and who were “economically active” but “unemployed”.

§ Main jobs referred to the jobs in which the optometrists had spent most of their working time.
主要職位是指佔視光師大部分工作時間的職位。

(iv) The median number of hours of work (excluding meal breaks) per week of the 1 297 active optometrists enumerated was 55.0 hours. 72 (5.6%) optometrists were required to undertake on-call duty (excluding normal duty), with a median number of 9.5 hours of on-call duty (excluding normal duty) per week.

➤ Among the 88 inactive optometrists (*See Chart*):

(i) 20 optometrists reported practising overseas and ten optometrists reported practising in the Mainland.

(ii) 58 optometrists reported not practising in the optometry profession in Hong Kong and not seeking job in the local optometry profession during the 30 days before the survey. The reasons reported for not seeking job included: 30 (51.7%) were working in other professions, nine (15.5%) were engaged in household duties, eight (13.8%) were retired and five (8.6%) wanted to take rest / having no motive to work / having no financial need, etc.

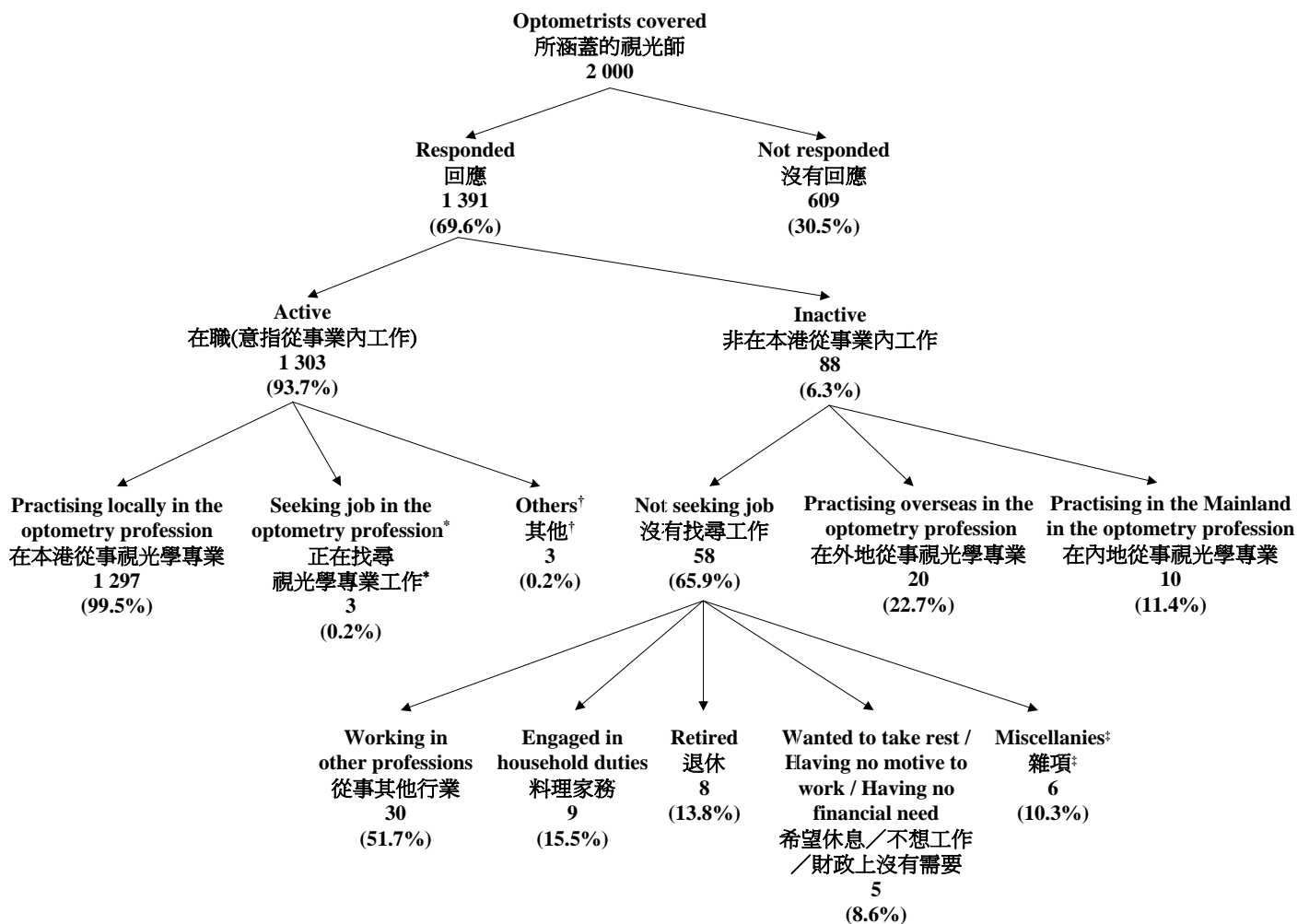
(iv) 經點算的1 297名在職視光師每週工作時數中位數(不計用膳時間)為55.0小時。72名(5.6%)視光師在現任職位中需作隨時候召工作(不計日常職務時間)，每週隨時候召工作(不計日常職務時間)時數的中位數為9.5小時。

➤ 非在本港從事業內工作的88名視光師(見圖):

(i) 20名視光師據報在外地執業及有十名在內地執業。

(ii) 58名視光師據報並非在本港從事視光學專業工作，而在統計日前30天內亦無找尋業內工作。當中沒有尋找業內工作的原因包括：30名(51.7%)從事其他行業、九名(15.5%)料理家務、八名(13.8%)退休及五名(8.6%)希望休息／不想工作／財政上沒有需要等項目。

Activity Status of Optometrists Covered 所涵蓋視光師的經濟活動身分



Notes: 註釋
* Figure refers to the number of responding optometrists who (a) were not practising in the optometry profession in Hong Kong during the survey period; (b) had been available for work during the seven days before the survey; and (c) had sought work in the optometry profession during the 30 days before the survey.

有關數字指(a)在統計調查期間並非在本港從事視光學專業；(b)在統計日前7天內能夠上班；及(c)在統計日前30天內正在找尋視光學專業工作的視光師人數。

† Figure refers to the number of responding optometrists who (a) were not practising in the optometry profession in Hong Kong during the survey period; (b) had not been available for work during the seven days before the survey; and (c) were starting business in optometry profession at subsequent date, waiting to take up new jobs in optometry profession or having temporary sickness during the 30 days before the survey.

有關數字指(a)在統計調查期間並非在本港從事視光學專業；(b)在統計日前7天內不能上班；及(c)在統計日前30天內即將開展視光學專業的生意、正等待上任新的視光學專業工作或暫時有病在身的視光師人數。

‡ Figure refers to the number of responding optometrists who reported emigrated, undertaking study, etc.
有關數字指填報移民、進修等項目的視光師人數。

Percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding.
由於進位關係，百分比的總和可能不等於100%。