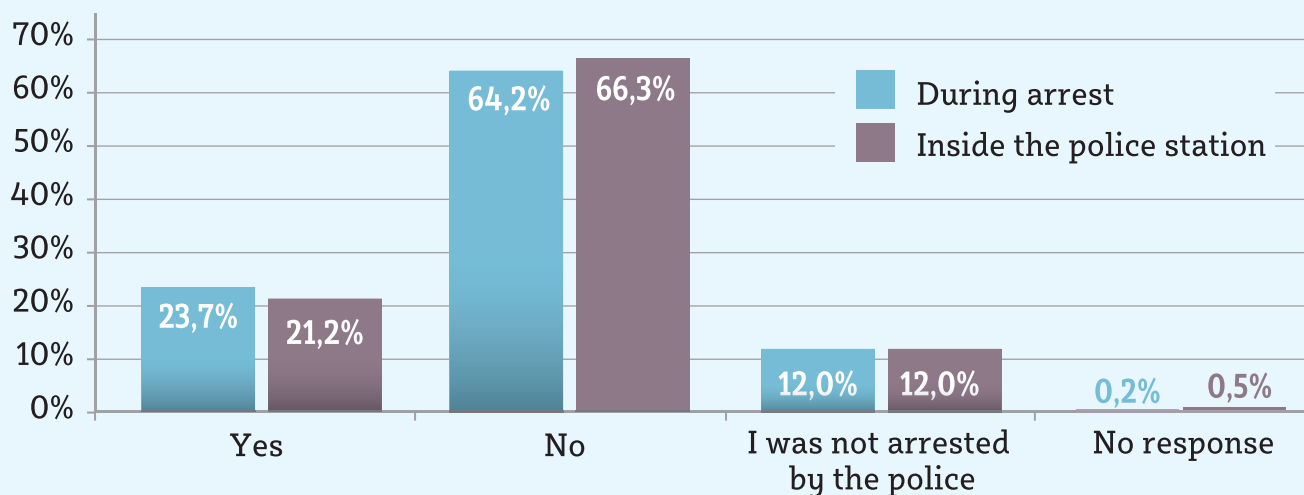
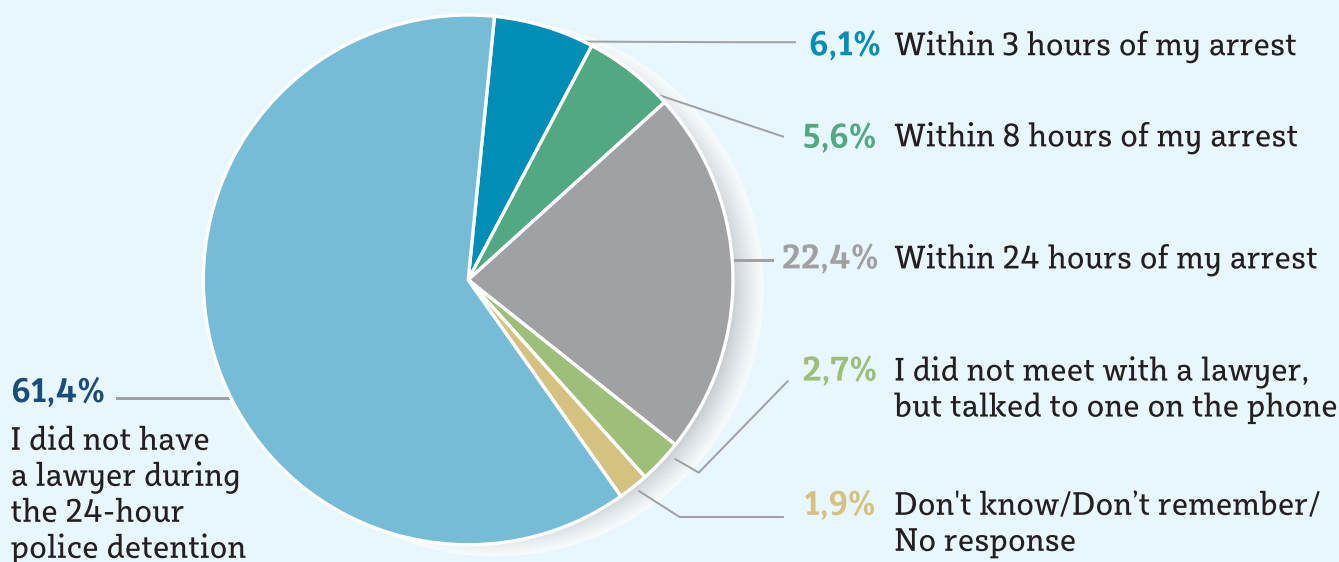


PROBLEMS WITH THE EQUAL TREATMENT OF ACCUSED PERSONS IN PRE-TRIAL PROCEEDINGS IN BULGARIA

Did the police use physical force during arrest/inside the police station?



When was the first time you met with a lawyer in police custody?

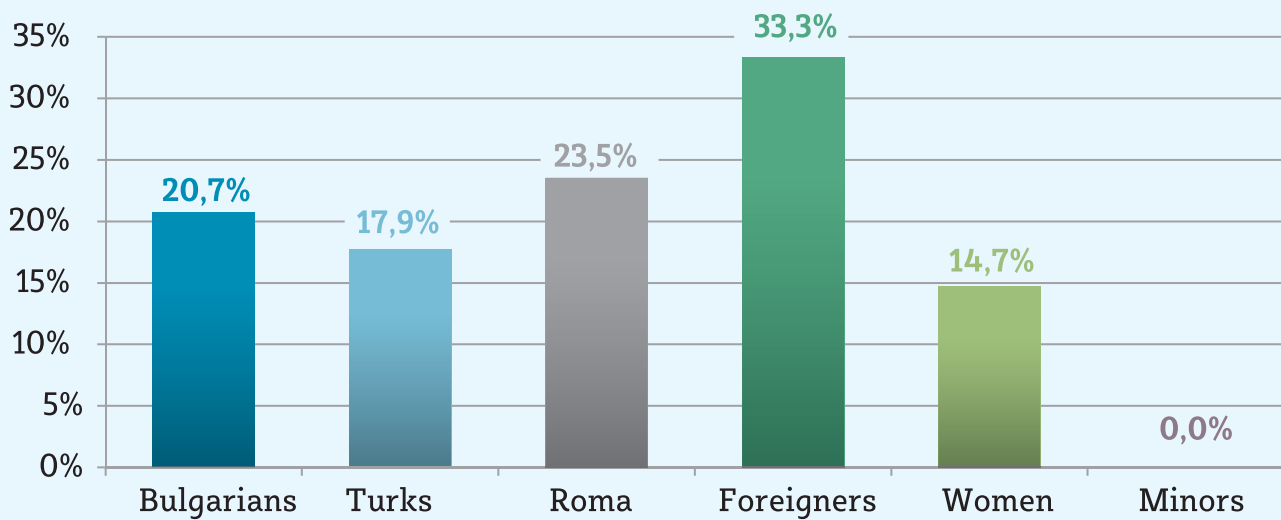


Differences in use of physical force during arrest and in the police station

(% of affirmative answers)

Was physical force used against you during arrest?			Was physical force used against you inside the police station?		
Bulgarians	Turks	Roma	Bulgarians	Turks	Roma
18.4%	16.7%	28.8%	14.2%	19.4%	30.19%

When were you first examined by a doctor/medical professional after being detained in a pre-trial facility/prison after charges were brought against you?



Differences in access to a lawyer in pre-trial proceedings

Did you have a lawyer after being charged?				
	<i>I had from the very start</i>	<i>I did, but not for all the time</i>	<i>I did not have a lawyer</i>	<i>Don't know/ Don't remember/ No response</i>
Bulgarians	71.6%	22.5%	2.3%	3.6%
Turks	77.8%	18.1%	1.4%	2.8%
Roma	59.4%	33.5%	4.5%	2.6%
Foreigners	46.9%	31.2%	3.1%	18.8%