

Sample Size: 630 people private sector workers (Director level or above) with some personal involvement in staffing / recruitment decision making

Fieldwork: 26th June - 2 July 2015

	Total
Thinking about employing people from each of the groups below, how would you best describe your views ...? - Long-term unemployed	
Unweighted base	630
Base (all employers)	630
Would definitely not consider employing	6%
Would probably not consider employing	12%
Would probably consider employing	45%
Would definitely consider employing	31%
Unsure	7%
Net: Would consider	76%
Net: Would not consider	17%

Thinking about employing people from each of the groups below, how would you best describe your views ...? - Homeless people or those at risk of becoming homeless	
Unweighted base	630
Base (all employers)	630
Would definitely not consider employing	12%
Would probably not consider employing	20%
Would probably consider employing	41%
Would definitely consider employing	17%
Unsure	11%
Net: Would consider	57%
Net: Would not consider	32%

Total

In your current workplace, which of the following applies for each group of people? Please tick all that apply. - Long-term unemployed

Unweighted base	630
Base (all employers)	630
We receive applications from this group	32%
We interview people from this group	24%
We employ people from this group	21%
None of the above	39%
Not sure	20%

If you recruited people from these groups, please tick if you would be worried about any of the following? Please tick all that apply. - Offenders and ex-offenders

Unweighted base	629
Base (all employers)	630
How to interact with them	30%
Their social skills	42%
Their work skills and capability	33%
They may upset their colleagues	37%
They may damage the public image of the business	42%
They may have health issues that affect their work	14%
They may be unreliable	44%
None of the above	16%
Not sure	12%