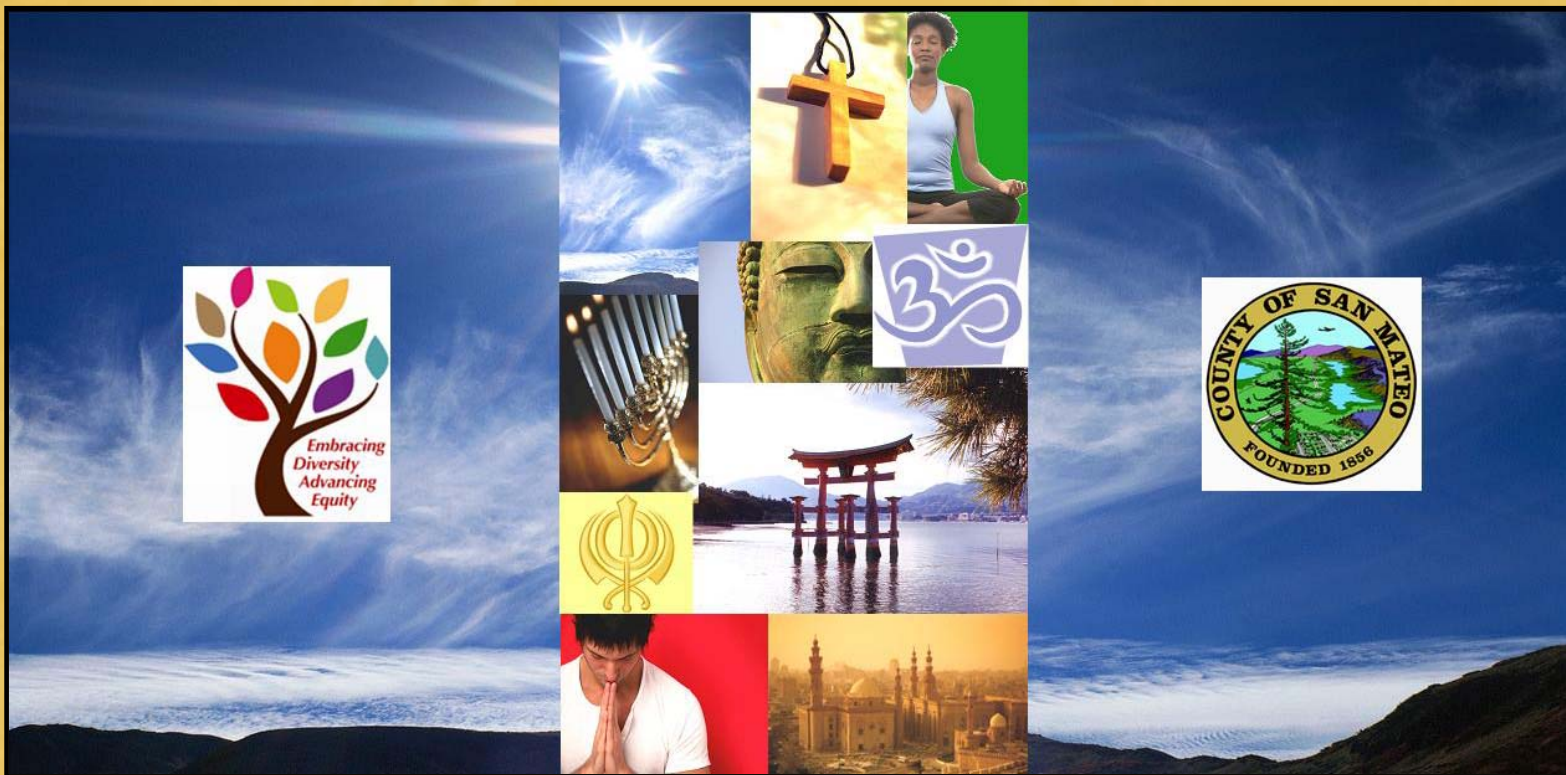


# Welcome





***Welcome***

***Bill Kruse***

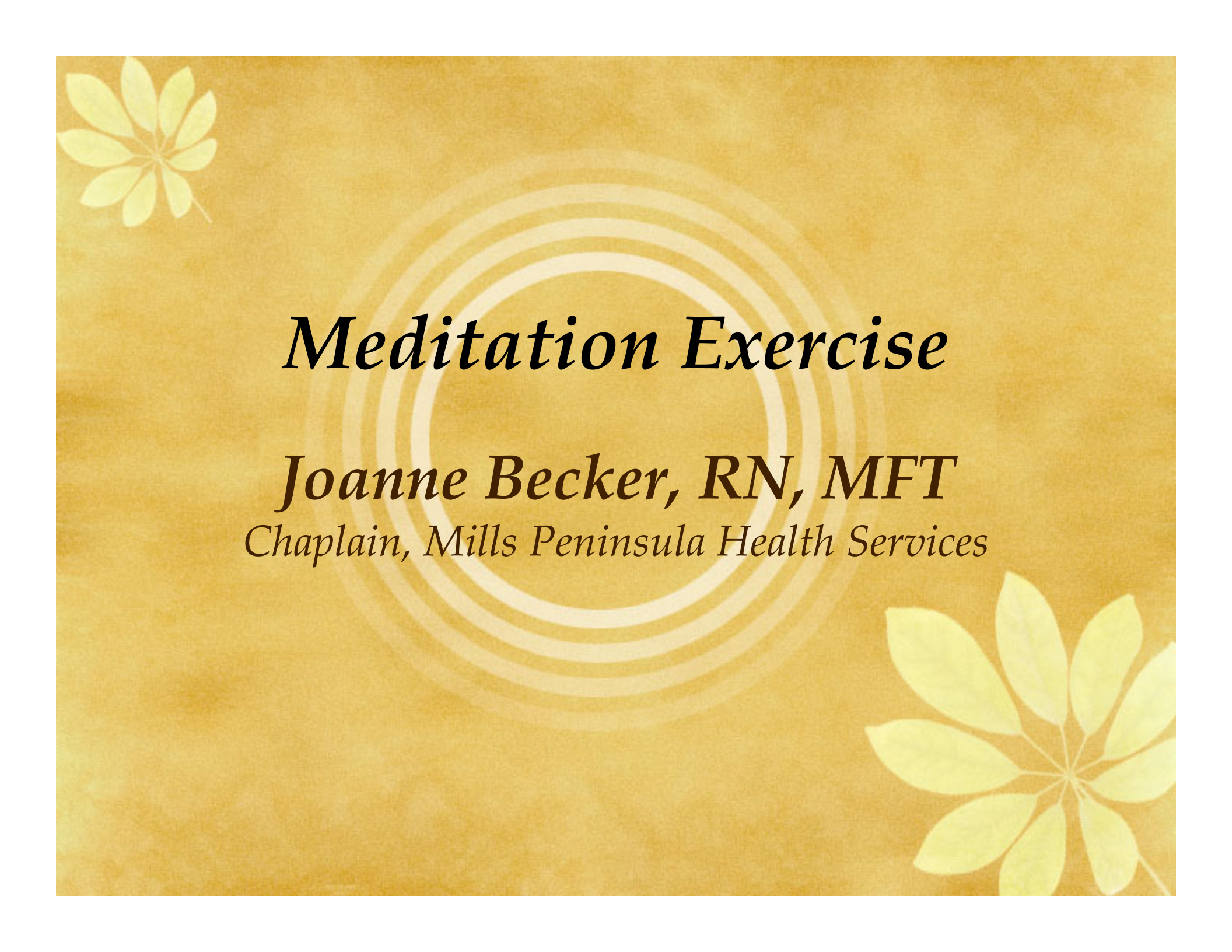
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***Welcome***

***Louise Rogers***

*Director, Behavioral Health & Recovery Services*



# *Meditation Exercise*

*Joanne Becker, RN, MFT*

*Chaplain, Mills Peninsula Health Services*



*Introduction to the  
Spirituality Initiative*

*Jeji Africa*

*Manager, Office of Diversity and Equity*



# *Introduction to the Spirituality Initiative*

*Maria Carretero &  
Mary Taylor Fullerton  
Spirituality Initiative Data Committee*





# *A peak at the data...*

## *Surveys in late 2010*


*Consumer/family members (482)*

*Providers (261)*

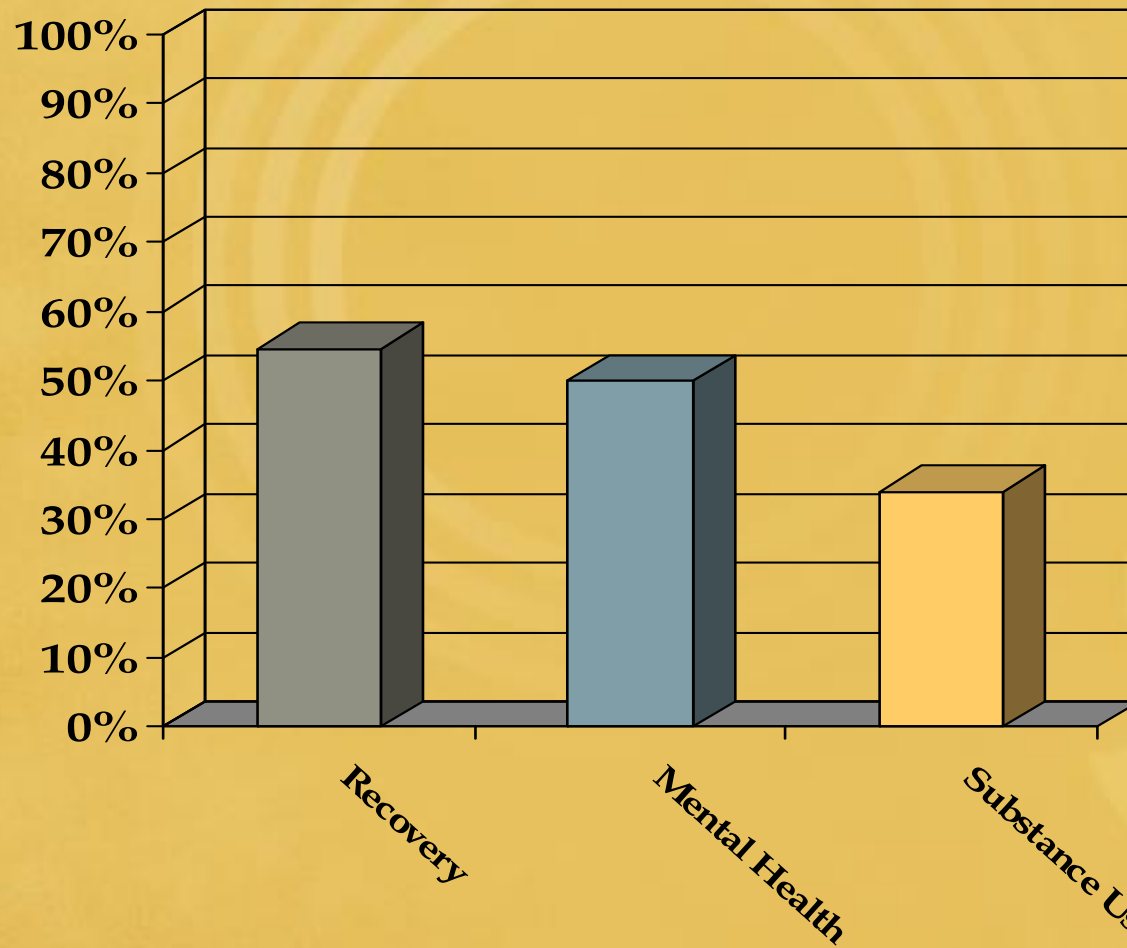
## *Highlight a couple of issues*

*Significance of spirituality (consumer/family member and provider)*

*Discussion of spirituality*



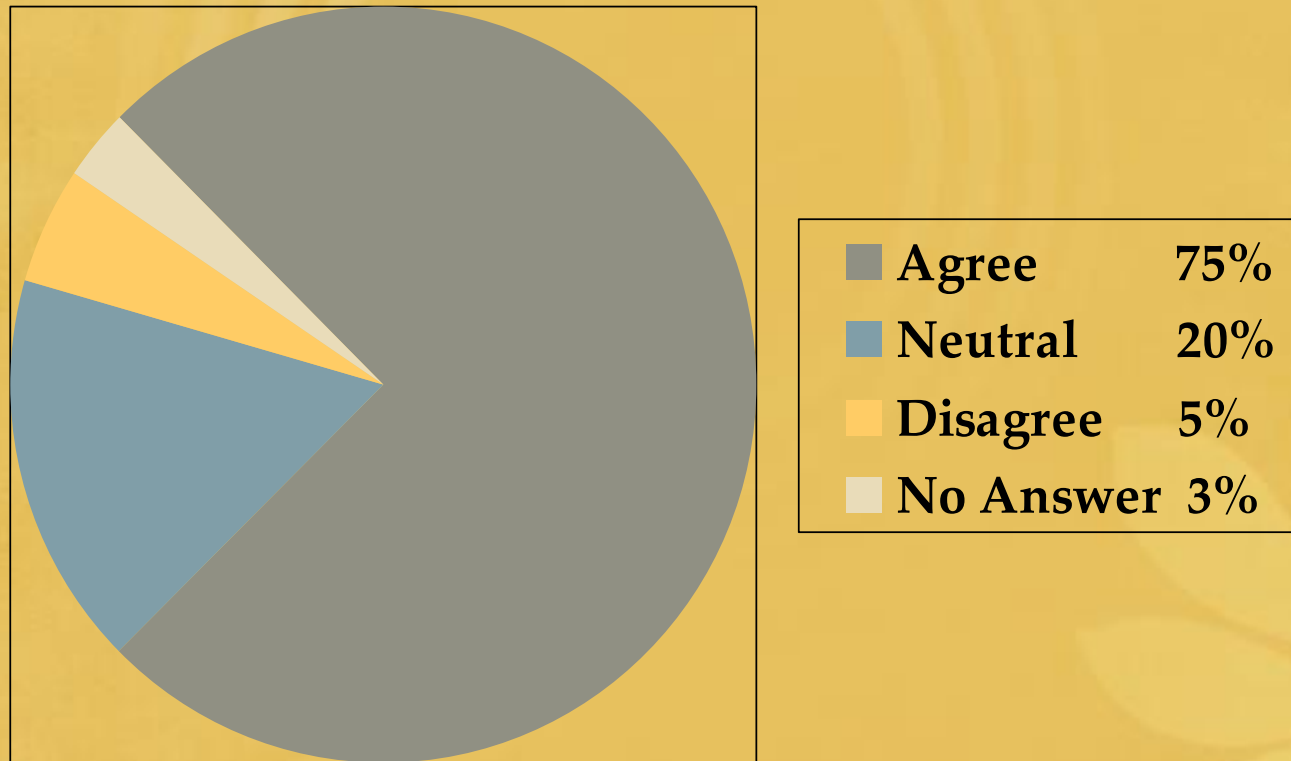
**“My involvement with a spiritual community  
has been helpful in working on my...”**  
*(please select all that apply)\**



**Consumer/Family Member Survey**

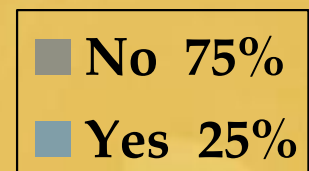
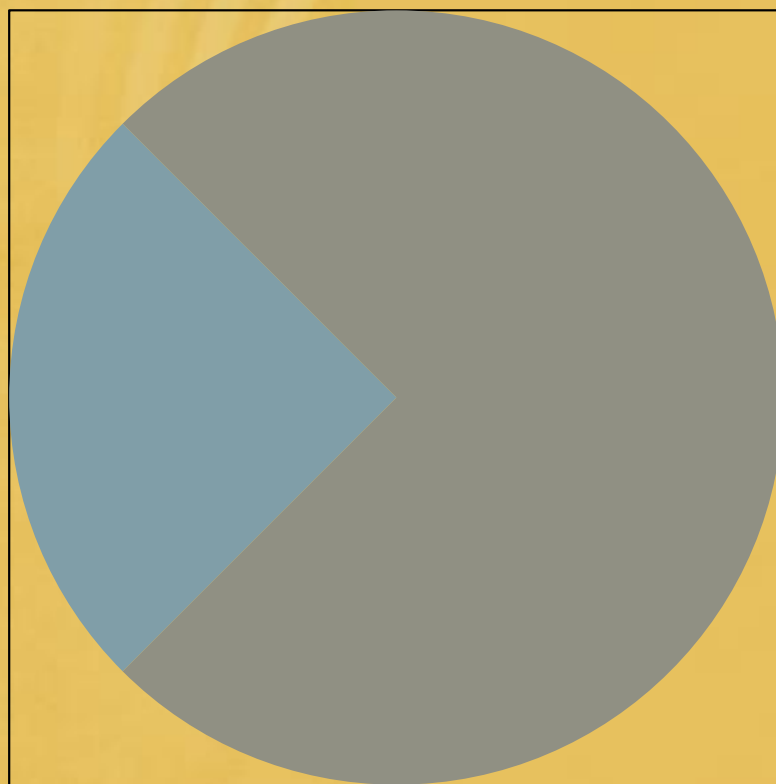


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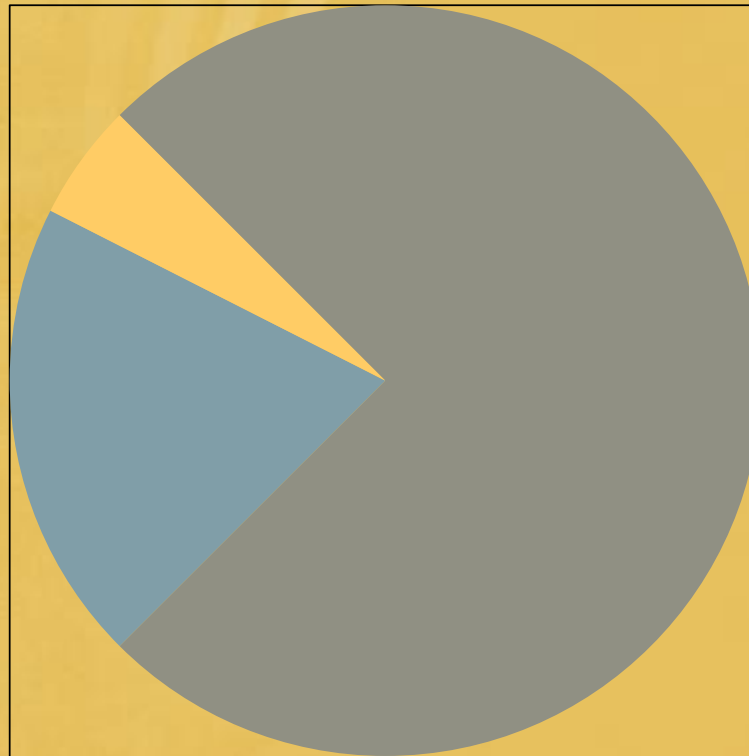
**Consumer/Family Member Survey**

**“Do you discuss spirituality with your  
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**Consumer/Family Member Survey**

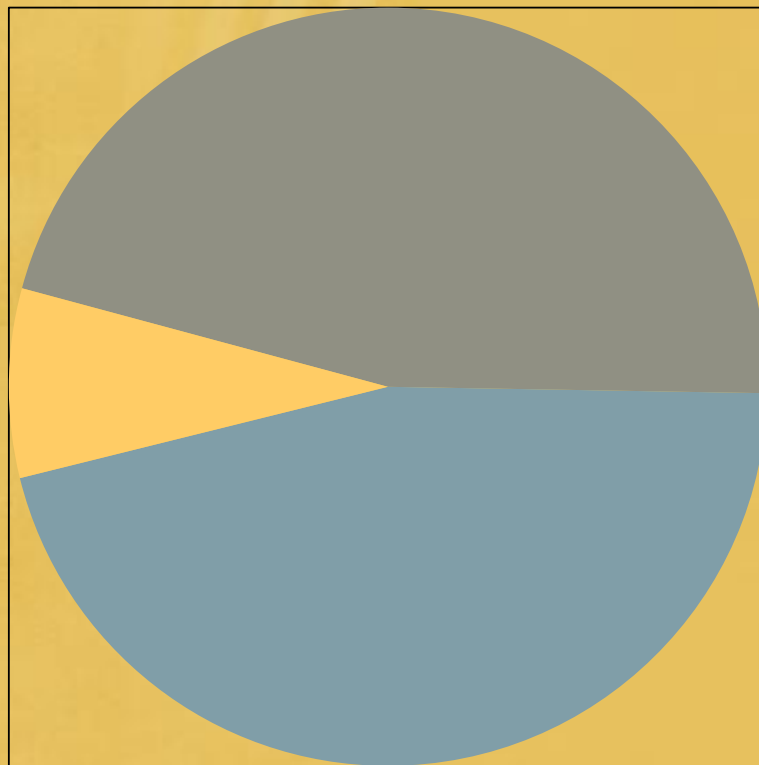
**“Spirituality is an important aspect of well-being and wellness & recovery, and it should be incorporated in a client’s mental health and/or substance abuse care.”**



■ Agree	78%
■ Neutral	21%
■ Disagree	1%

**Provider Survey**

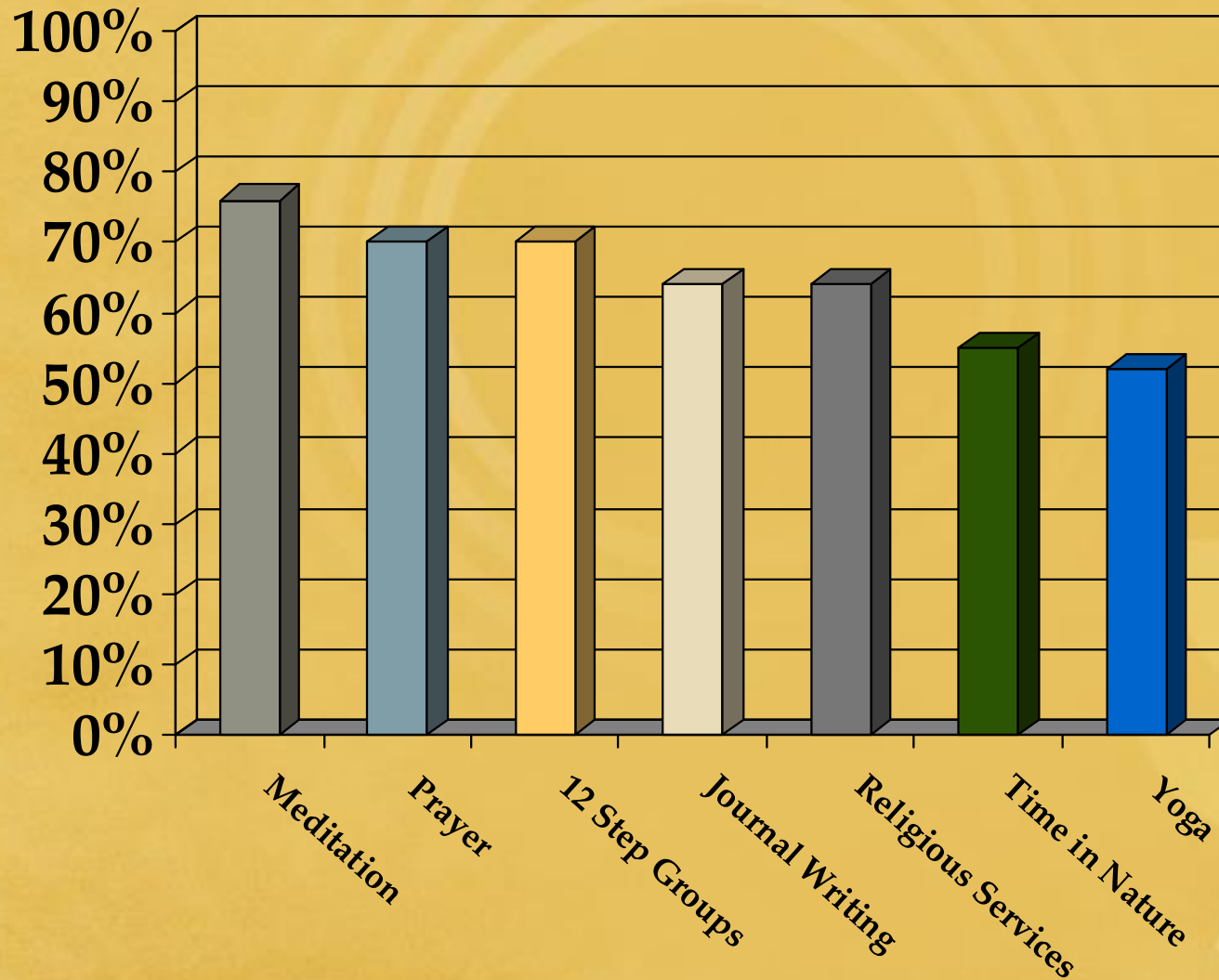
**“Do you discuss spirituality with your clients during counseling/therapy?”**



■ Yes	46%
■ Sometimes	46%
■ No	8%

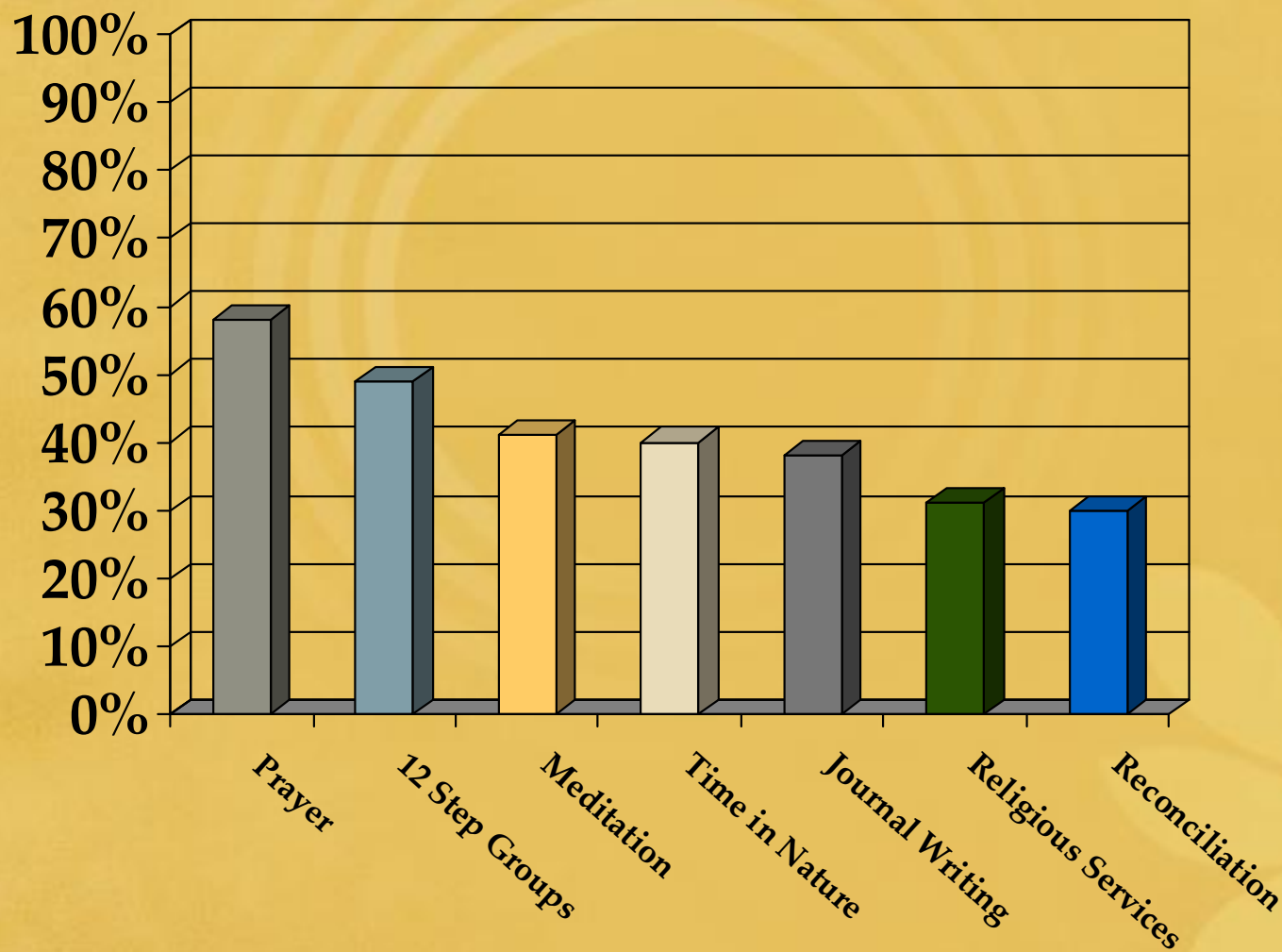
**Provider Survey**

**“The following spiritual practices have been helpful in my clients’ wellness and recovery”**



**Provider Survey**

**“The following spiritual practices have been helpful in my wellness and recovery”**




**Consumer/Family Member Survey**



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*Performance by  
The MIME Ministry*

*D'Angelo Theus & Kameron Theus  
Alameda County*







*Personal Stories of  
Faith-based Recovery*

*Calvin Shelton*  
*Consumer*





*Personal Stories of  
Faith-based Recovery*

*Kristy Manuel*  
*Family Member*






# *Faith-based Speaker*

*Father Jay Maharaj*

*Sree Raadha Krishna Mandir, San Mateo*





*Faith-based Speaker*

*Reverend Mary Frazier*

*Bread of Life Evangelistic Outreach, East Palo Alto*



# *Faith-based Speaker*

*Ismael Nass*

*Islamic Networks Group (ING)*



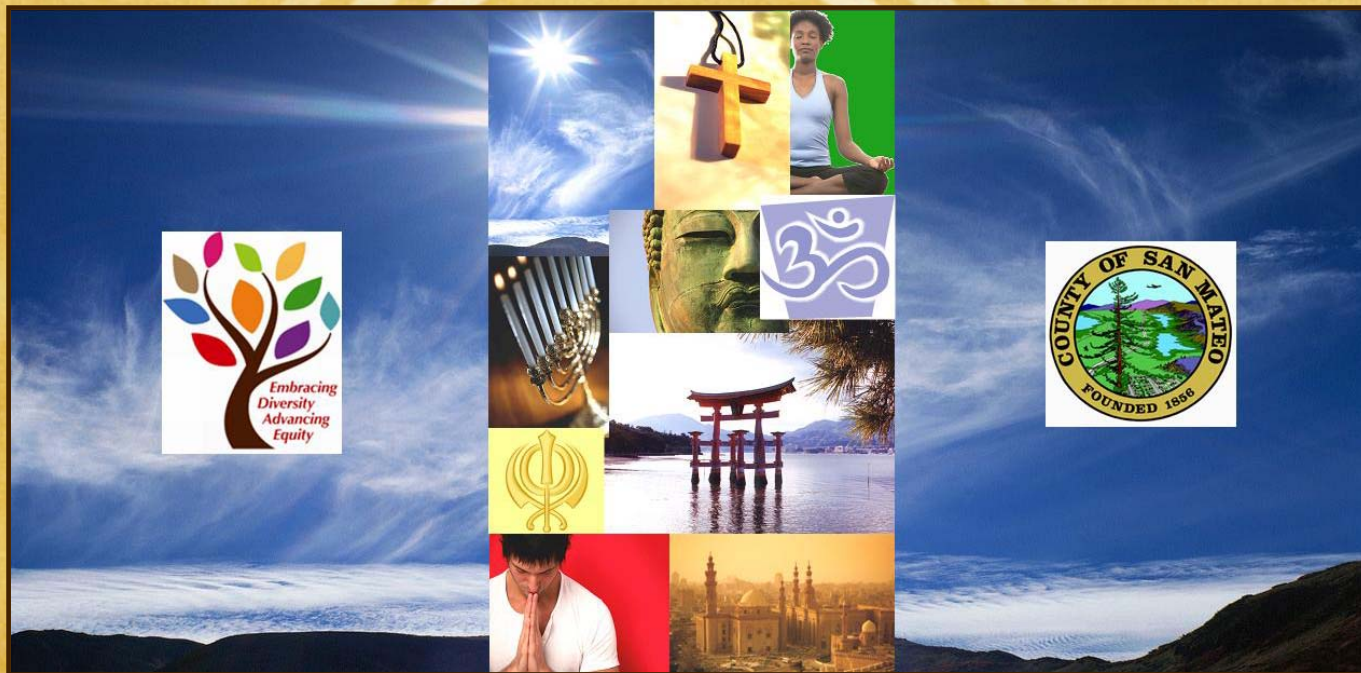
*Closing*

*Bill Kruse*

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*Thank you for coming!*

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