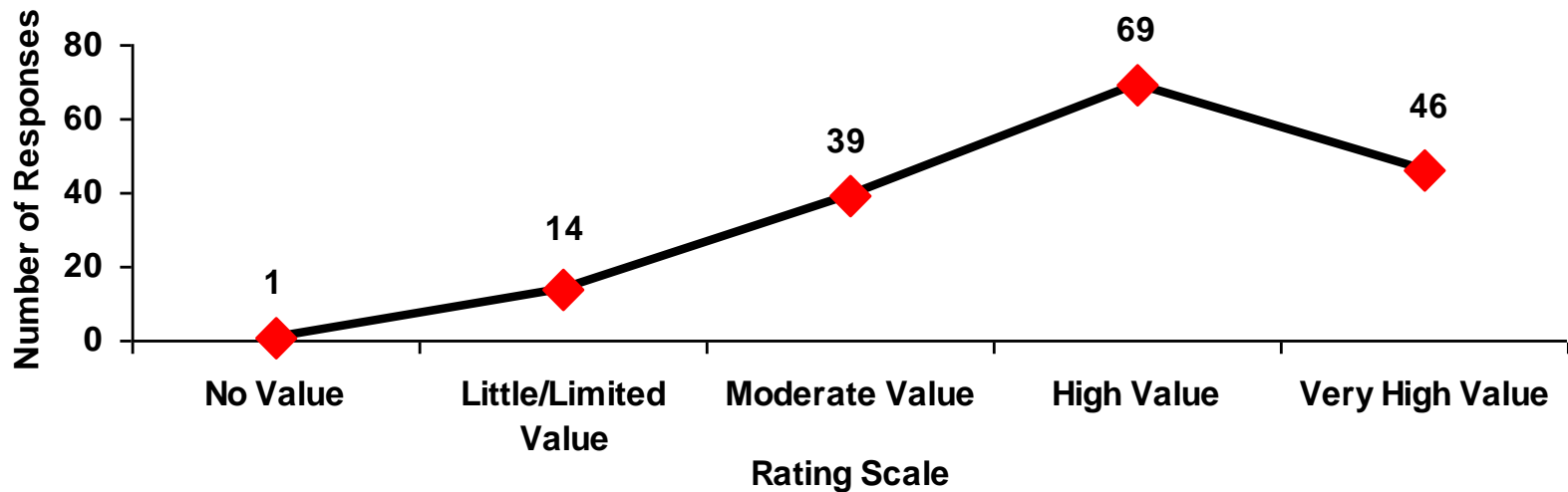


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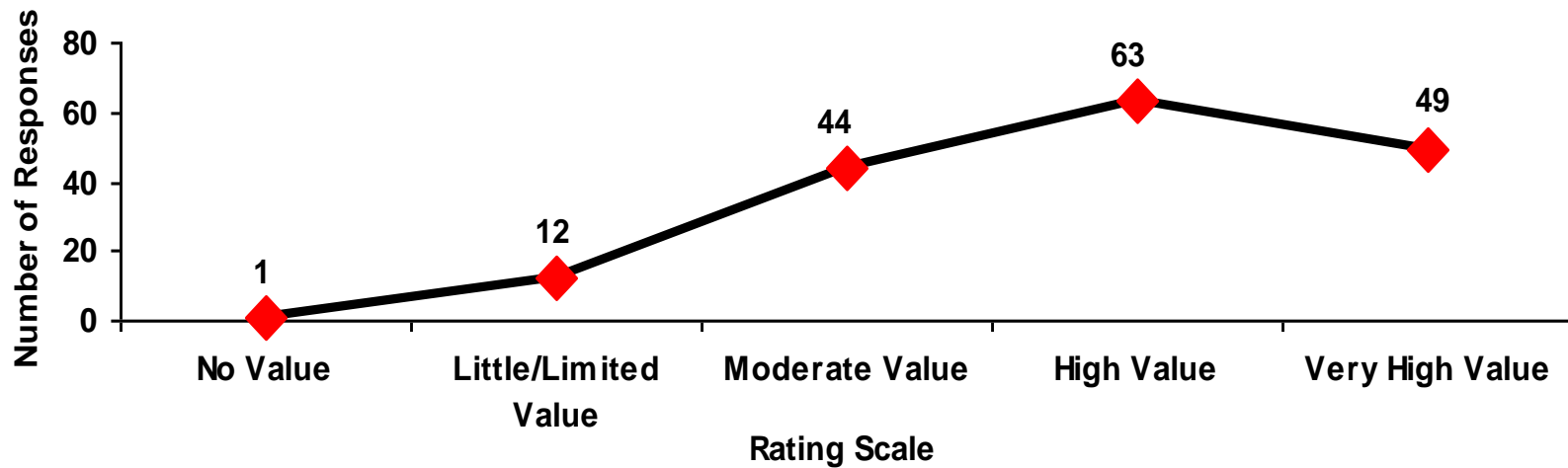
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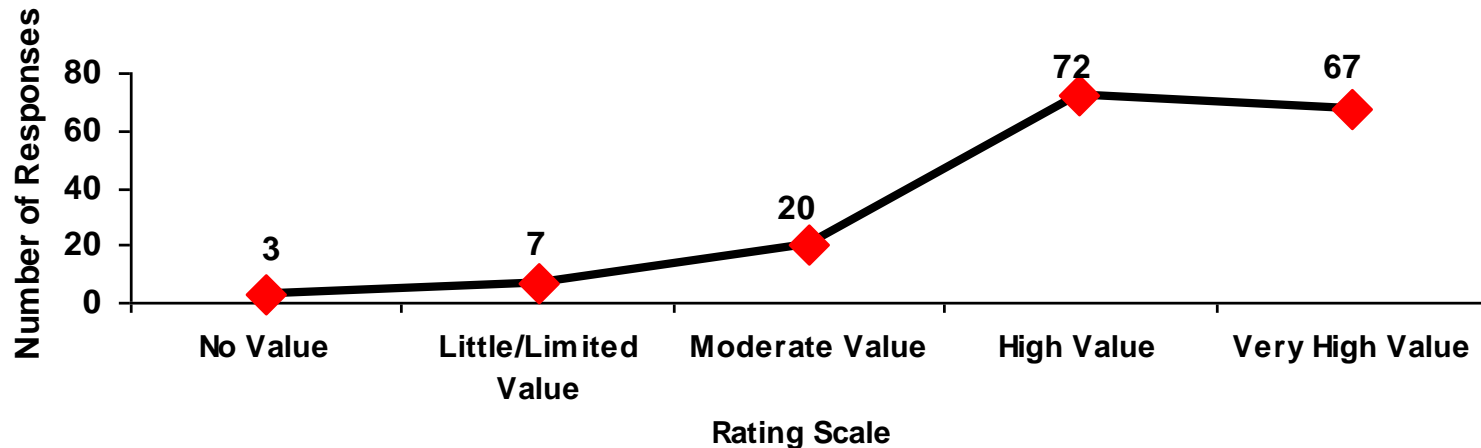


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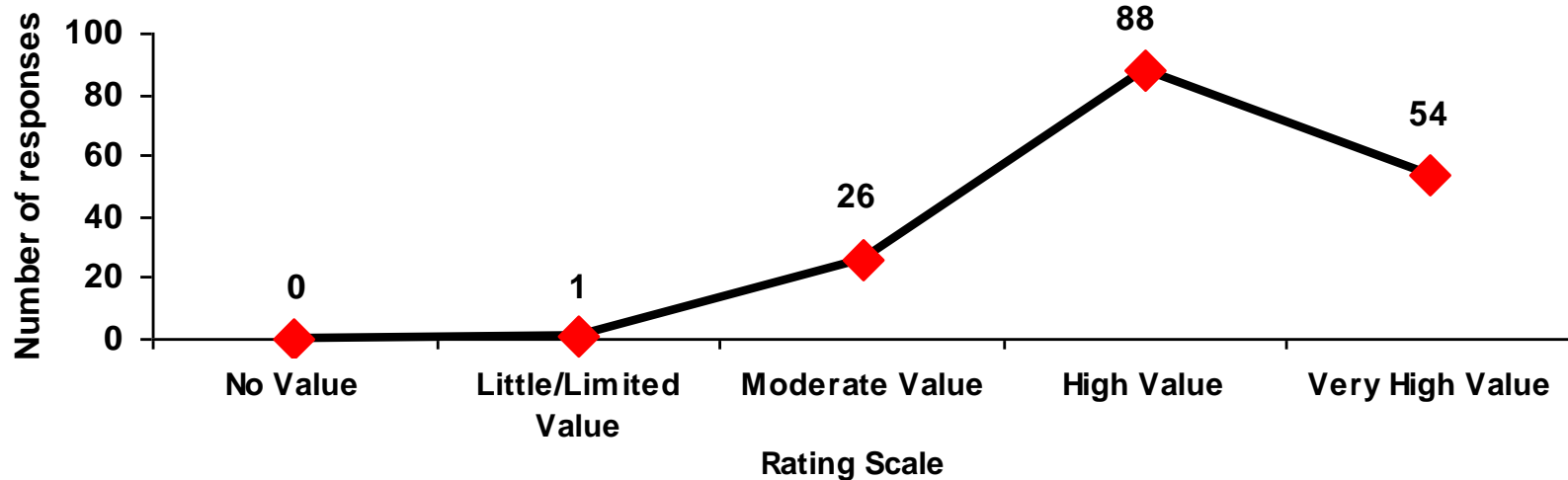


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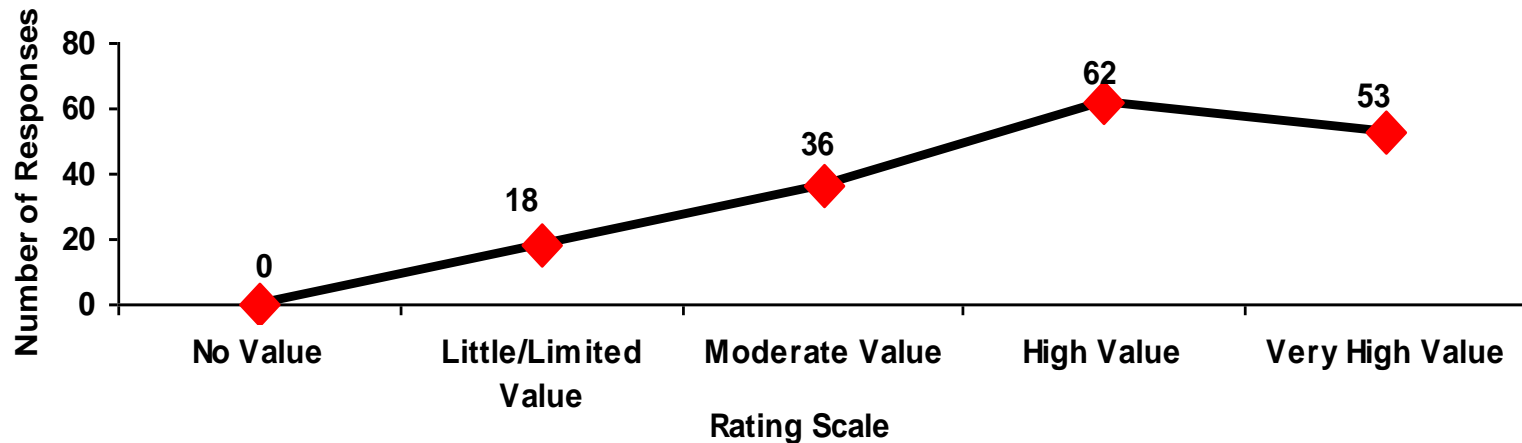


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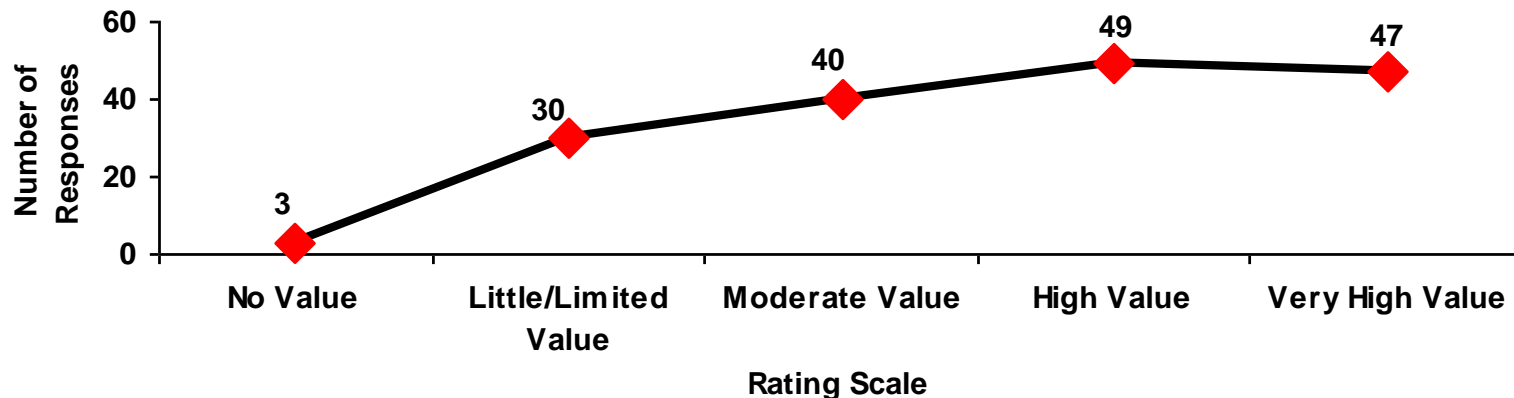


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Retaining researchers in the Australian health and hospital system



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Summary - Benefits For Australia of Industry Sponsored Clinical Research in Australia, from the points of view of Australian investigators:

- creates and maintains high-skilled **jobs**;
 - attracts foreign **investment**;
 - facilitates early **patient access** to new medicines;
 - enhances uptake of **new evidence** into clinical practice;
 - improves the **standard of care**;
 - supports **academic research**;
 - provides **technical experience** and **global recognition** to Australian researchers; and
 - assists **retention** of researchers in the **Australian health care system**.
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Summary - Economic Benefits For Australia of Industry Sponsored Clinical Research in Australia (from these two surveys only):

- The industry directly or indirectly supported at least 1698 clinical research jobs in 2008:
 - 33 companies reported 870 employees involved in trial/direct support activities in 2008;
 - 129 investigator and 699 study coordinator positions were funded via industry trials;
- More than \$262,520,000* expenditure on research in 2008
- More than 1,388* trials/projects reported in 2008 in 26 therapeutic areas



Thank you