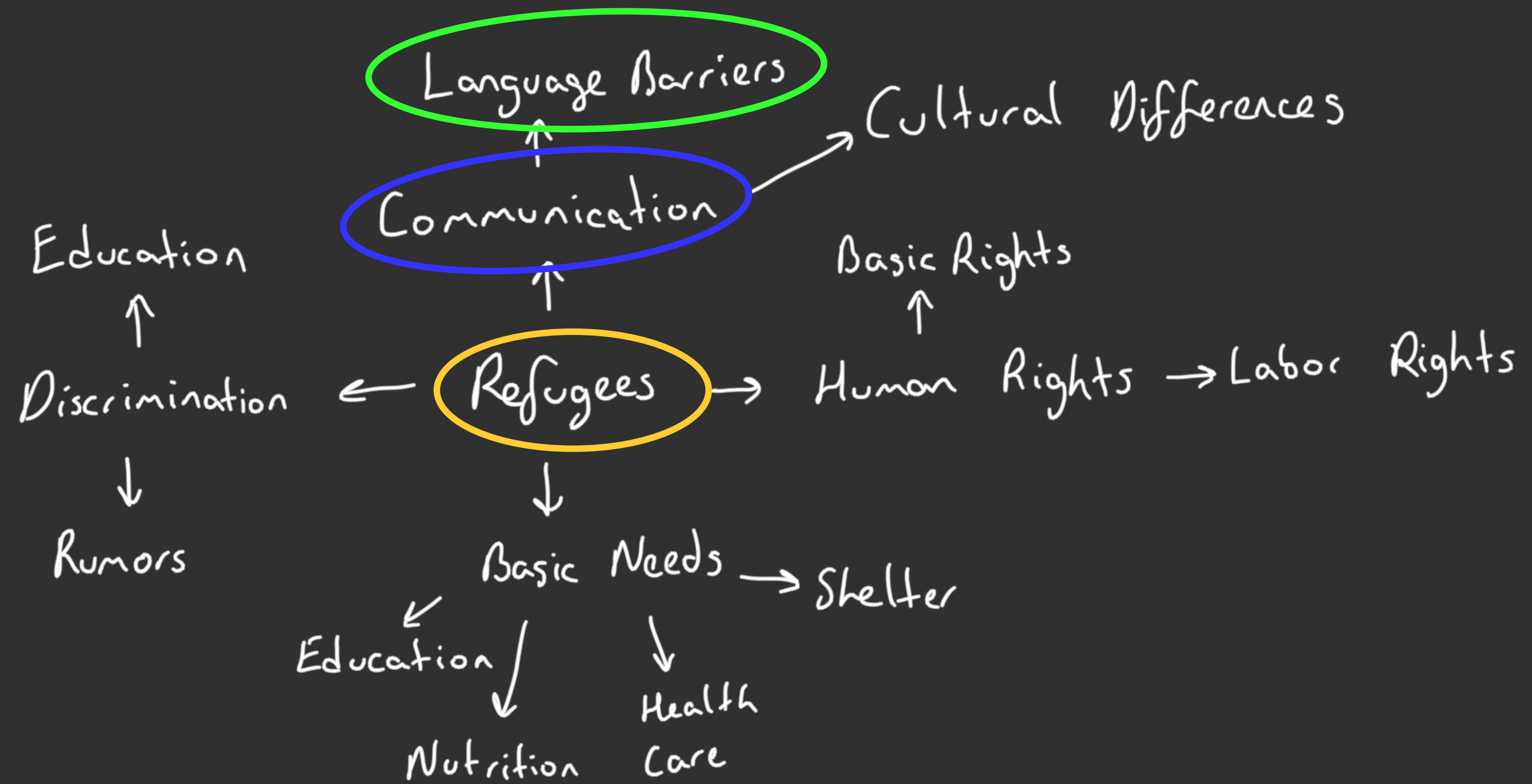


Refugee: Person that displaced.

Causes: War, civil-war
Human rights violations
Environment and climate
Economic hardship
Gender based violence
Exploits of displaced people
Political responses

**70.8 Million
people / 2018**
~30 Million people
under 18 years old



Person → different country
different culture
different population
different language → language barriers

UNHCR - “language barrier is a major problem for Syrian refugees in Turkey.”

“Turkey spent \$37 Billion on the care of Syrian refugees. Language remains the largest barrier”

“This is largely visible in health and education, even though the services continue to be provided free of charge, Syrians under temporary protection face difficulties in understanding procedures and instructions.”

“Language is also an obstacle in accessing the labor market, lack of information about their rights.”

Turkey

hosts the largest numbers of refugees

3.6 Million
registreted Syrian

Over 365,000
from other nationalities

“There is nothing difficult here, except for the language.”

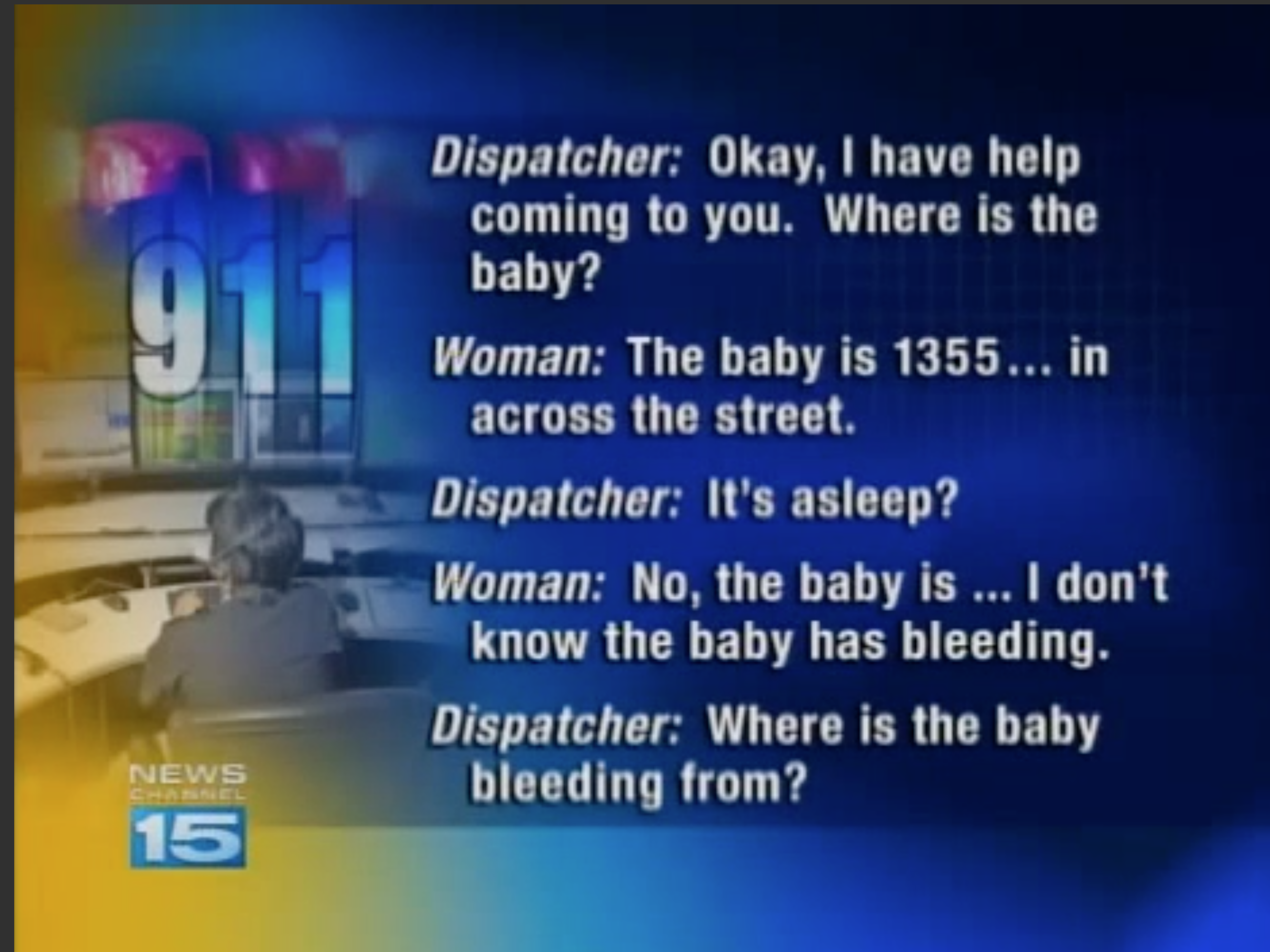
Syrian refugees in Turkey

Turkey 2020 planning figures - 65,000 people of concern will be enrolled in language classes.

in 2015, **UNHCR**,
provided Turkish Language courses approximately 100 men, 900 women and 400 children in Language Training Centre in Şanlıurfa.
established, two dedicated Turkish Language Teaching Centres in SE. Turkey to enable Syrian children to integrate in Turkish schools.

UNHCR also works closely with TÖMER to enable promising students to learn enough Turkish to gain access to university.

Emergency Responders Dealing with Language Barrier

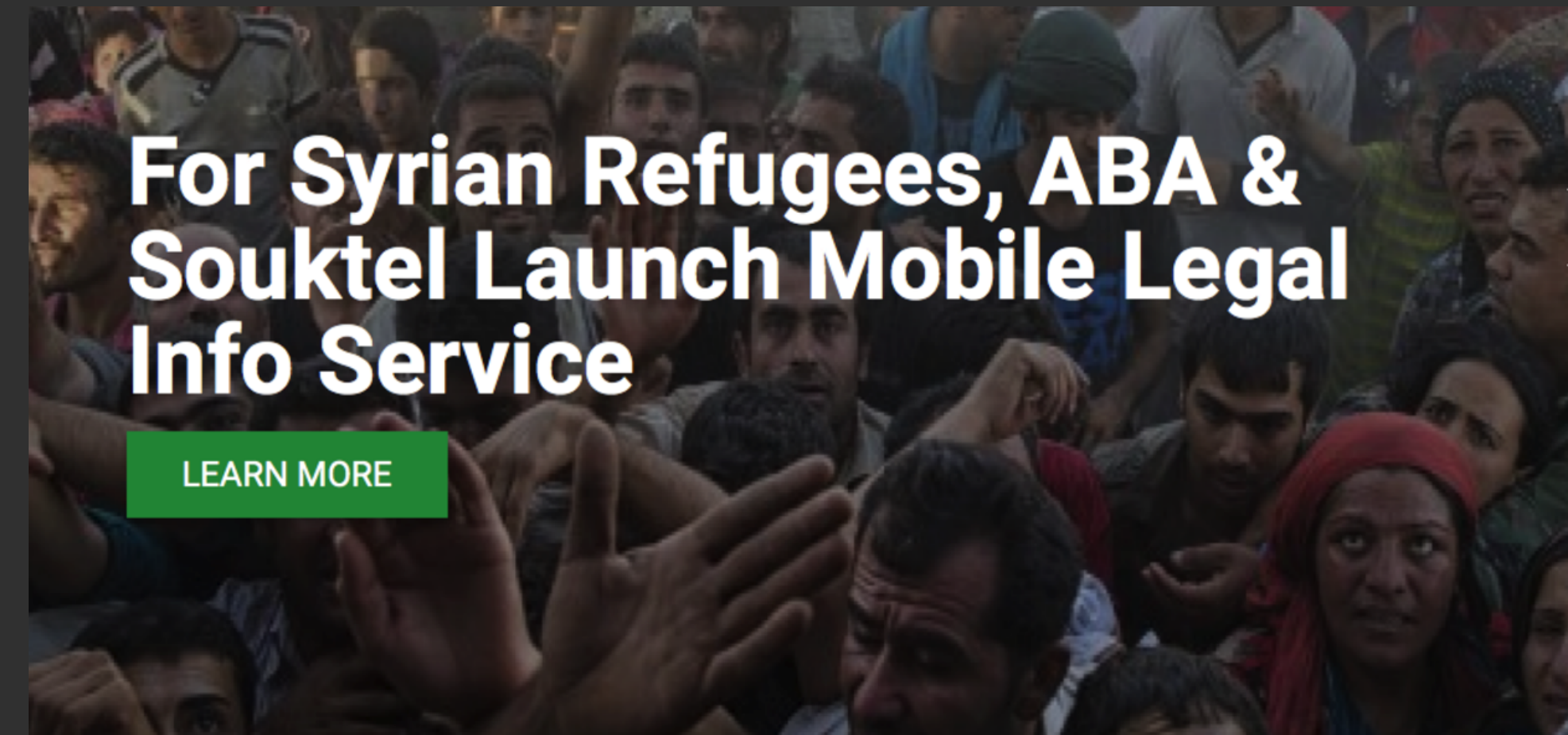
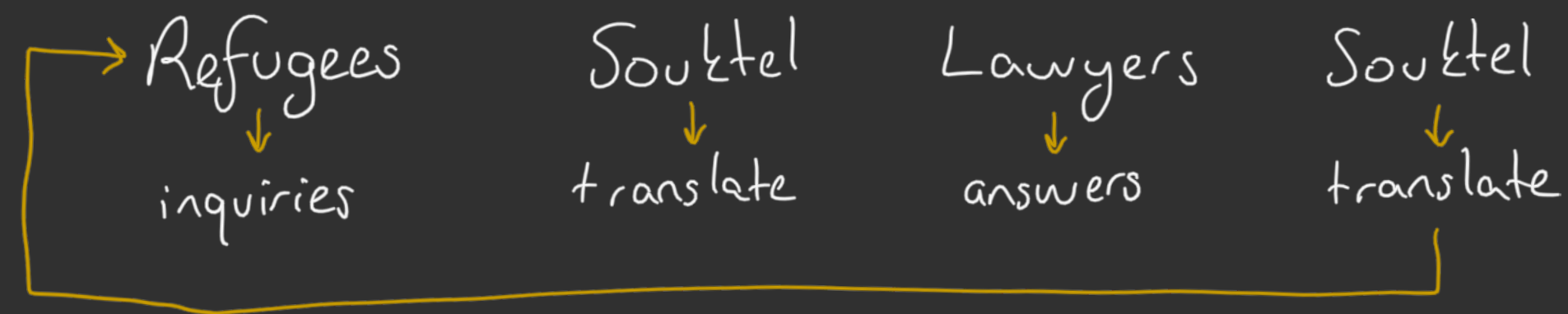


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These language barriers not only make it harder for refugees to find work and get an education, but also leave them vulnerable to legal systems they may not fully understand.

Souktel is a Palestinian-based start-up, and it has since partnered with the American Bar Association to distribute legal advice to Syrians now living in Turkey.

The service is accessible through SMS, iMessage, and voice message. *“Our core technology platform allows content to be delivered across multiple channels—SMS, mobile audio, mobile messenger—at the same time, so that smartphone users and basic mobile users have equitable access to life-changing information,”* explains Jacob Korenblum, CEO and founder of Souktel.



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Collaborative, user-centered research and scoping.



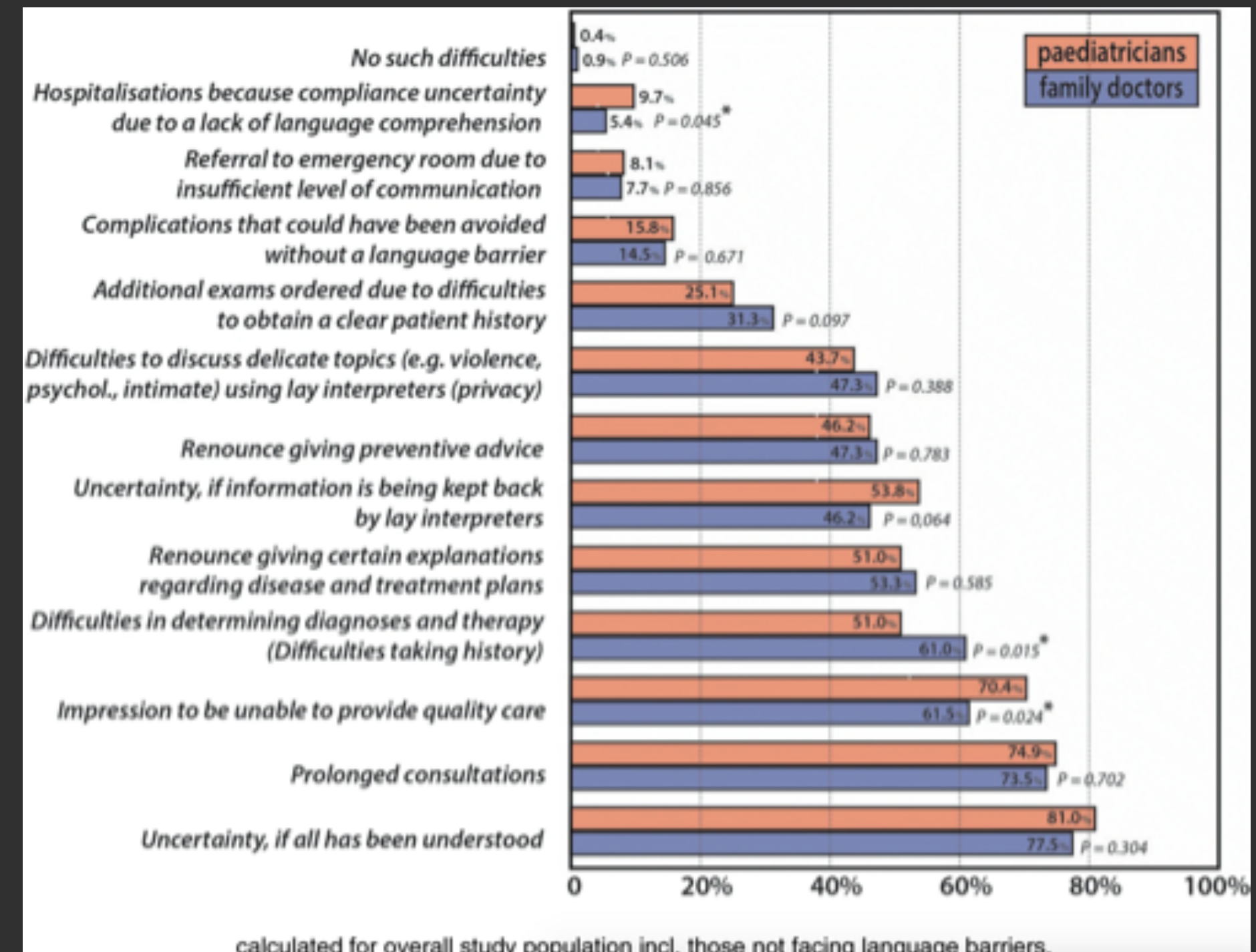
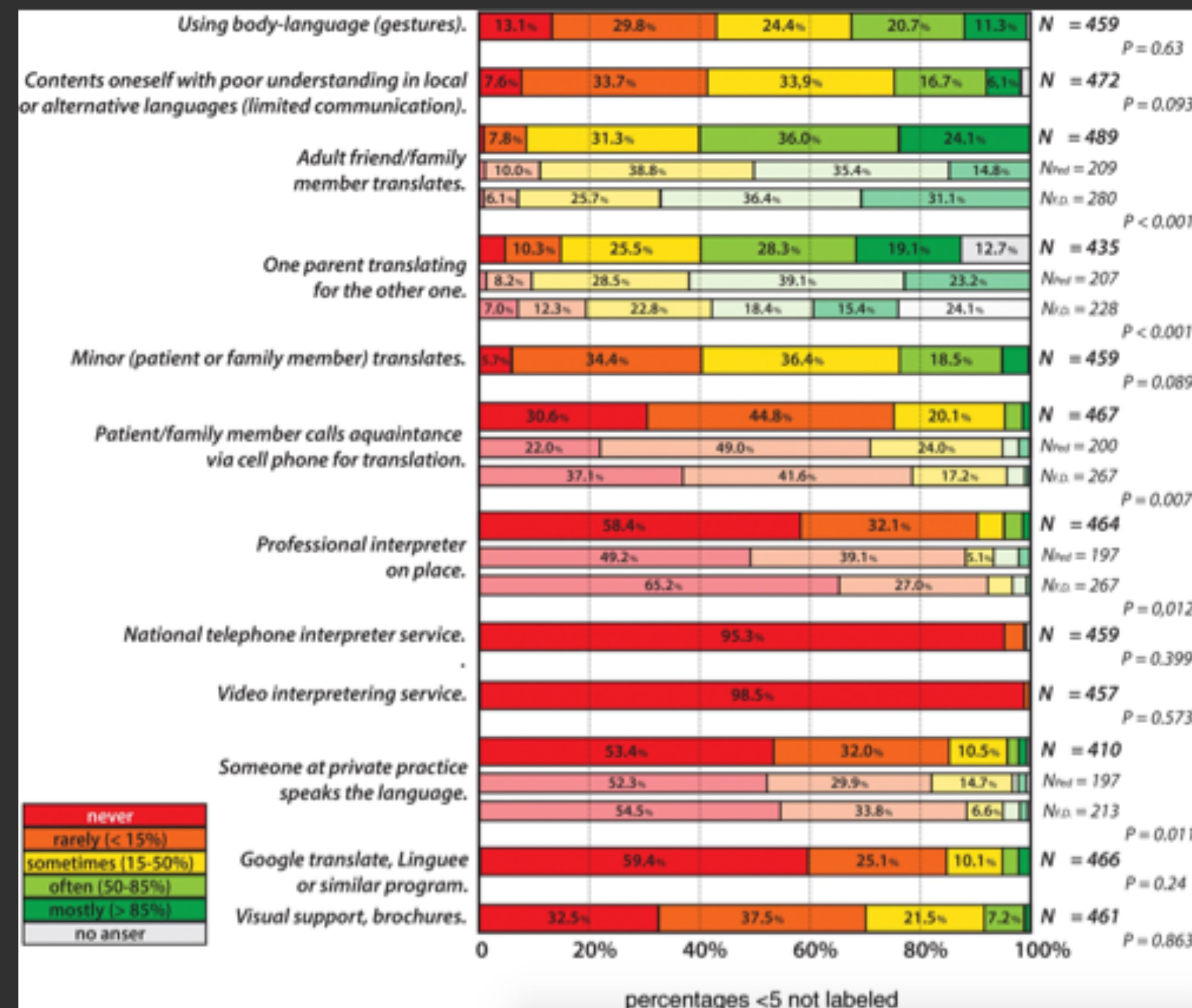
Development

Custom mobile & web software creation. Direct network connectivity.



Delivery

Live support for roll-out, scale up, and sustainability planning.





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Language Barriers in Health Care

The most important
communication subject
for people

Problem → Language Barriers

Effects → Seeking Rights

Labor

Education

Health Care

Communication

Some Solutions

→ *Souktel, relatives, NPO*

→ *Applications, relatives*

→ *Language courses, games, applications*

→ *Interpreter support, applications, relatives*

→ *Applications*

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