

Highly Skilled Migrants in the Leiden Region

Why Move To The Netherlands?

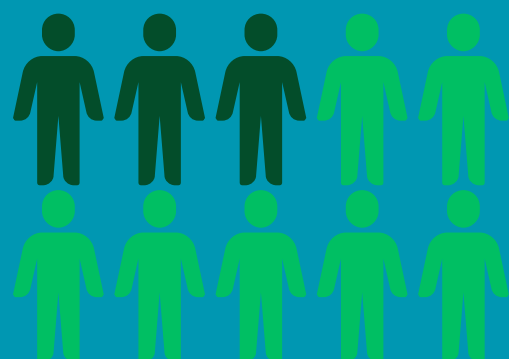


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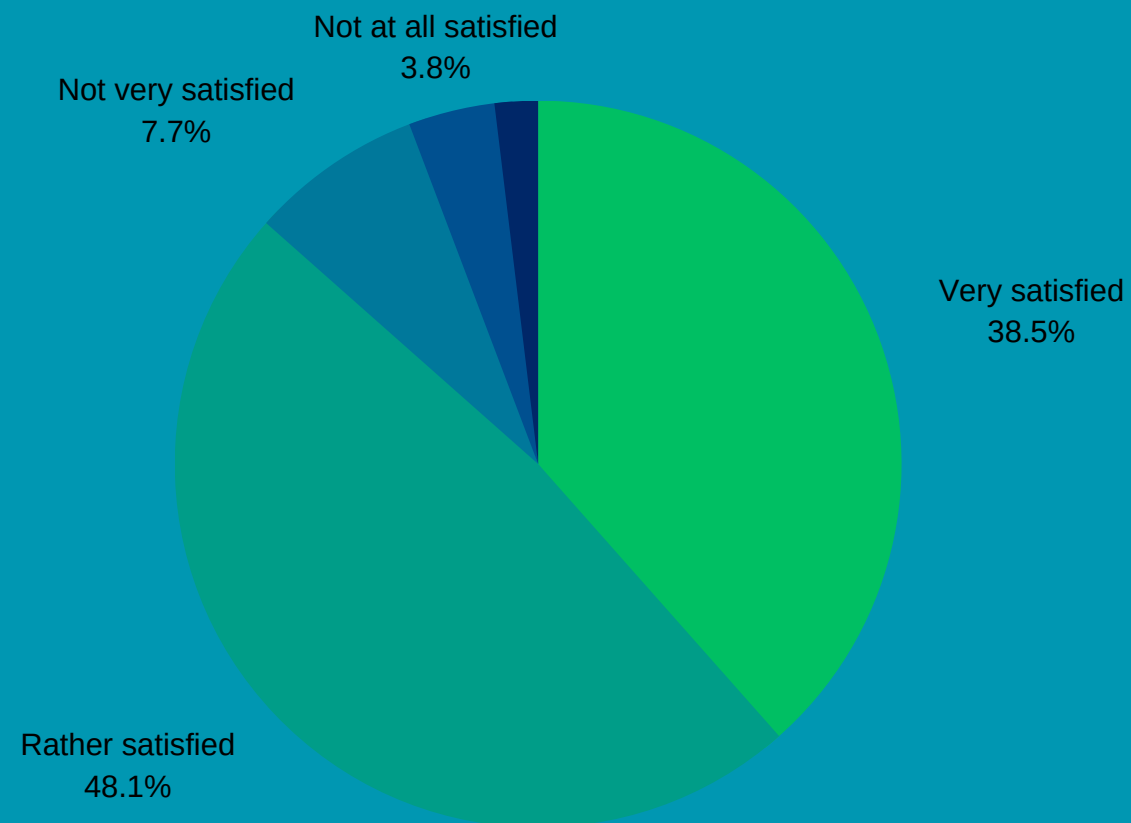
more than 50% of internationals stated that lifestyle was a very important factor influencing them to move.

Other popular reasons for moving to the Netherlands include education, career, and family.

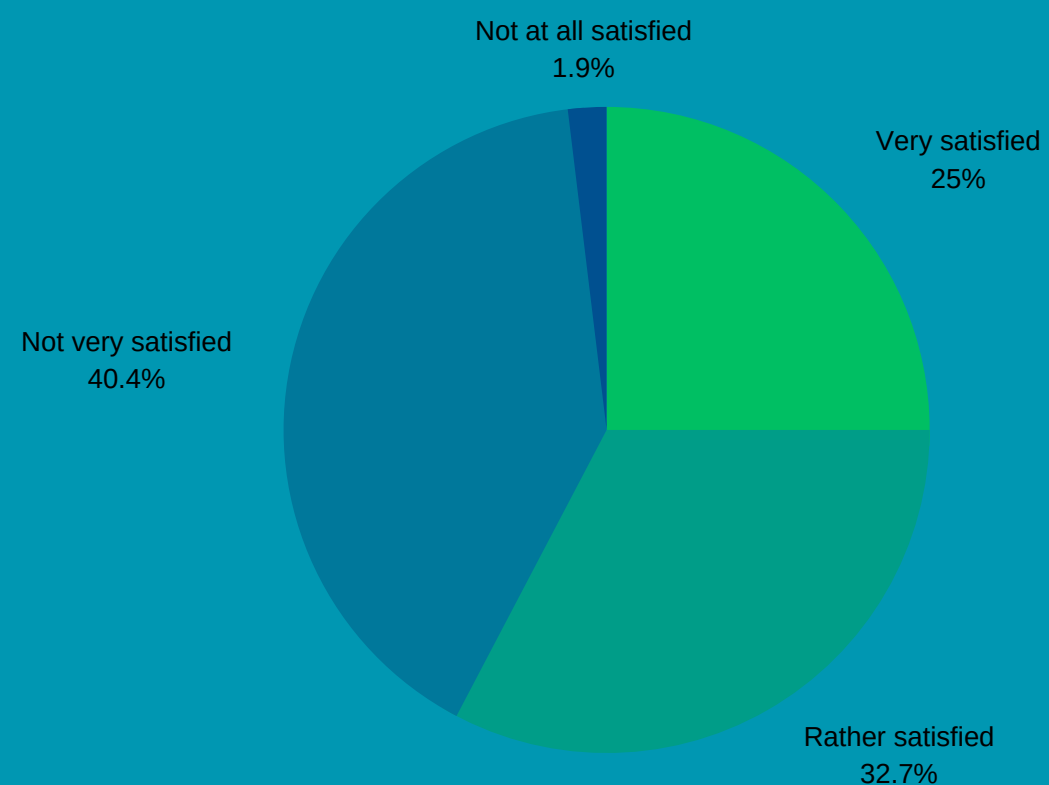


more than 30% of internationals did not know anybody in the Netherlands before moving here.

Overall Quality of Life in NL

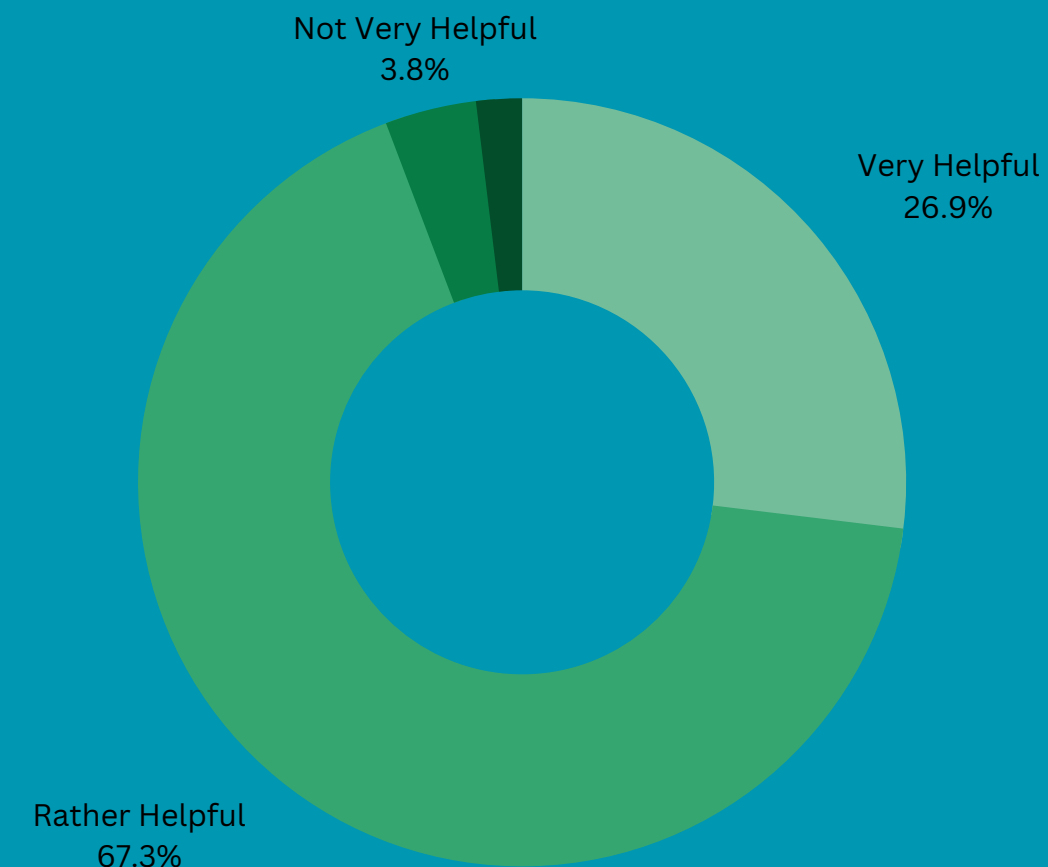


Social Life Satisfaction in NL



What Would Have Been Helpful For New Arrivals?

Social Events (such as Meet&Mingles)



60% of internationals who had **not** made local friends felt 'not very' satisfied with their social life.

Improving Connections to Local Community Can Include Taking Part In:



sports associations



hobby groups



volunteering



Dutch language learning