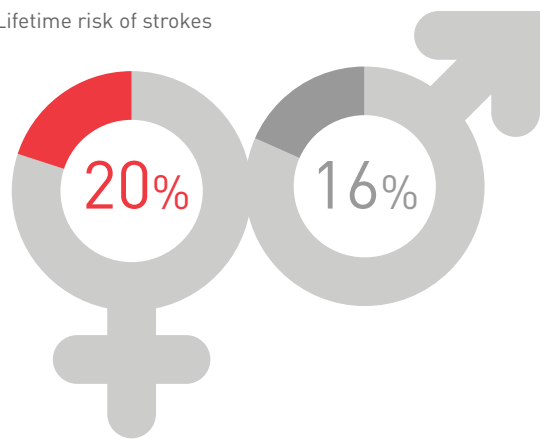


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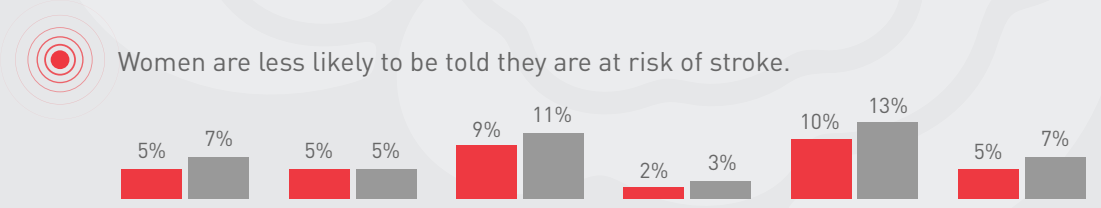
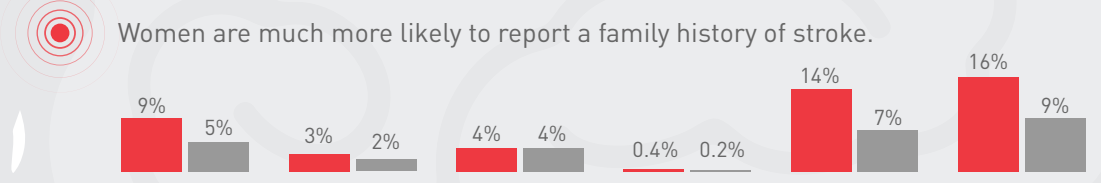
Knowing the Risks, Taking Preventive Steps

● Male ● Female

The lifetime risk of stroke is **1 in 5** for women, and 1 in 6 for men.
% Lifetime risk of strokes



Women have a higher stroke mortality rate than men.
Six in 10 strokes cause death in women, largely due to stroke occurring later in life in women, when strokes are more dangerous¹.



Stroke is largely preventable through lifestyle management, yet to beat stroke, women need sex-specific information on their risks and preventive practices.

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