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#### **Goals for Today**

- 1. Help you understand industry trends in 2020
- 2. Identify specific tools and technology
- 3. Discuss what's next in staffing



#### 1. The State of Staffing Industry Growth

- i. Start of 2020, Pandemic, Post-Pandemic
- Communication & Candidate Experience
- Technology Insights
- COVID-19 Impact on Staffing

#### 2. Future of Staffing Discussion

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#### If not now, when?

If you had the opportunity to transform your staffing business, would you take it?

# One source of truth.

A complete staffing solution for accessibility, mobility and agility.

Video Interviewing

Mobile Onboarding

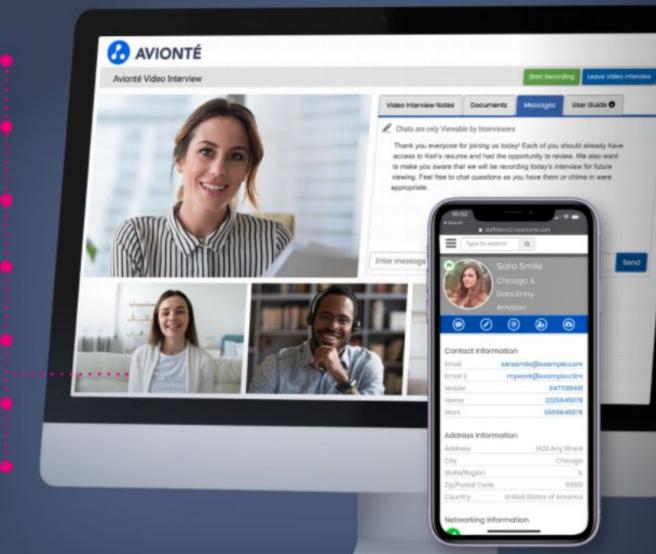
**Two-way Texting** 

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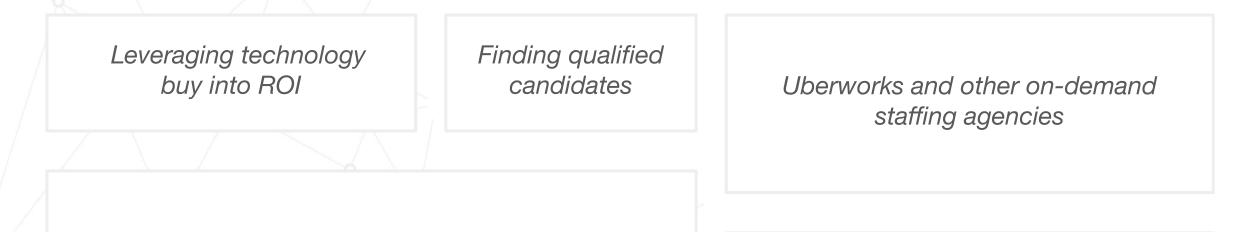
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# The State of Staffing Industry Growth

The staffing industry had a strong start to 2020, followed by rapid decrease due to COVID-19.

### Start of 2020: Biggest Challenges

Finding qualified candidates remained the top challenge in 2020.



Automation, technology advancements, mobile app, referral management process

Technology and reputation management

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### Start of 2020: Biggest Opportunities

Many staffing firms indicated growth opportunities in Q1 that are more relevant than ever in the wake of COVID-19

Expanding into new verticals

Automation without losing personal touch

PR, Social Media, Marketing and Word of Mouth

In this labor climate, it is imperative you partner with your clients so that they don't hop around to different agencies hoping for different results. If you "get in the trenches" with your client, you will capture them, understand their REAL needs, guarantee loyalty and DRIVE growth. Diversification - providing staffing in various industries

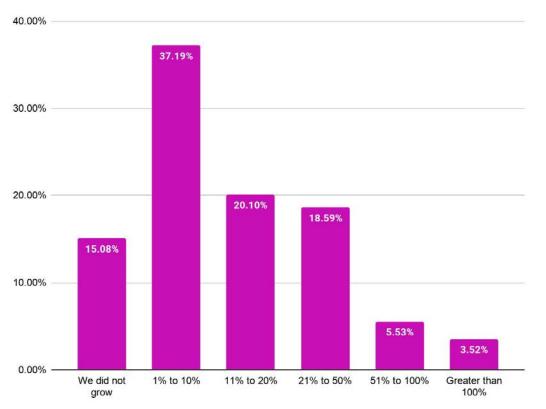
Focus on the supply that best fits the culture and business model of the firm.

Adopt gig economy

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# Staffing Industry Growth (Pre-COVID)

The majority of respondents (**84.92%**) experienced some growth last year. Nearly half (**47.74%**) of firms report growth rates of 11% or more in 2019.



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What was your company's growth rate for 2019 compared to 2018?



## **Growth Segments**

To provide actionable data for you and your team, we've segmented the data into two main groups; **no-growth firms (15.1% of respondents)** which said they did not grow in 2019, and **fast-growth firms (47.74% of respondents)** which grew by 11% or more.

Our goal with our segmentation is to identify which strategies, tools, and tactics delivered above average growth.



Fast-growth firms in 2019



No-growth firms in 2019

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#### Business-class Texting Software

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# Communication and Candidate Experience

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Communication strategy is closely linked to growth rate

## **Communication Challenges**

No-growth firms have a harder time getting ahold of candidates.

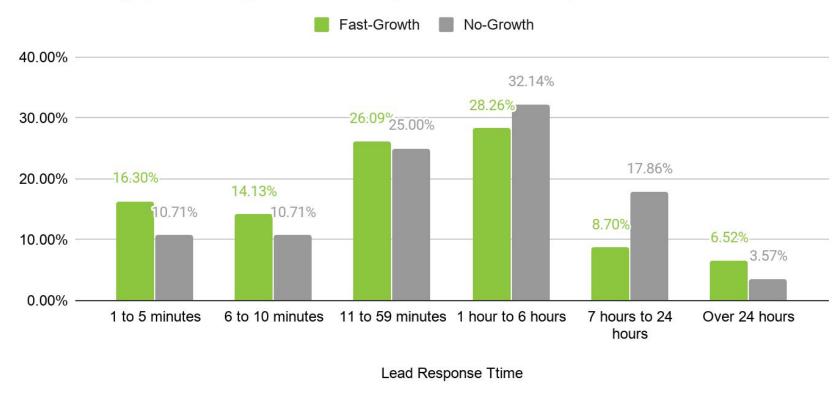


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### **Respond Faster to Grow Faster**

For the fourth consecutive year, the companies that respond the fastest to leads reported the fastest growth rates.

In fact, more than half of no-growth firms (**53.57%**) take more than an hour to respond to a lead.



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On average, how long does it take your team to respond to a lead?



## **Use Text to Follow Up Initially**

According to survey responses, using text messaging for initial follow-up and for interview scheduling appear to be key differentiators for fast-growth firms.

Fast-growth firms are **51% more likely** than no-growth firms to follow up initially with candidates over text message.

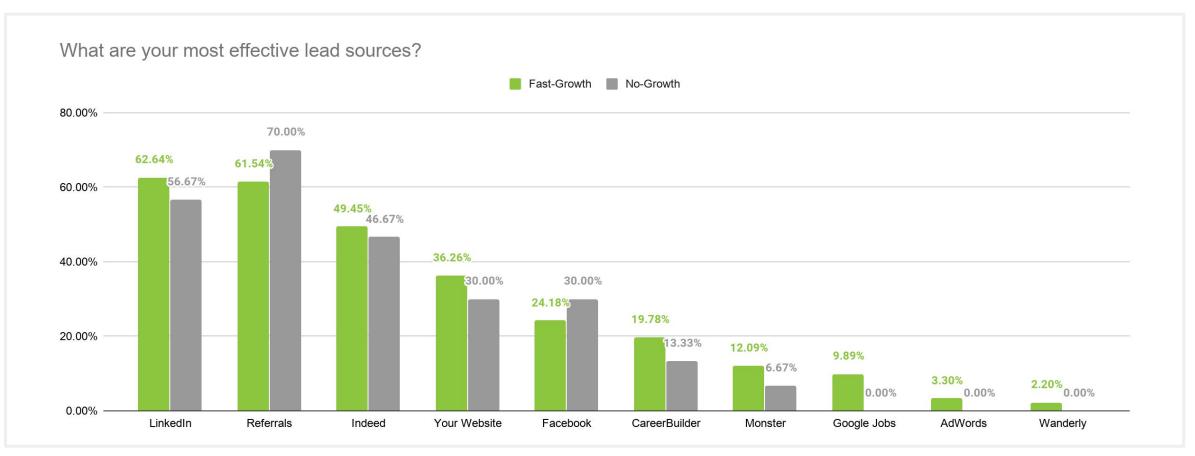
Fast-Growth No-Growth 100.00% 88,10% 75.00% 75.00% 69:05% 65.52% 65.48% 63.10% 59.52% 58.62% 58.62% 58.62% 45.24% 44.83% 50.00% 37.93% 34.48% 30.95% 25.00% 10.34% 0.00% To follow up initially To schedule and To solicit referrals To stay in contact To touch base with To help with To schedule and To share new job with active and opportunities with with candidates confirm from candidates inactive candidates credentialing confirm appointments and placed candidates every few months appointments and talent interviews with interviews with candidates clients

How does your company use text messaging in day-to-day communication?



#### **Most Effective Lead Source**

LinkedIn, referrals, and Indeed hold the top spots for most effective lead sources for all companies that completed the survey.





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#### Net Promoter Score®

A Net Promoter Score®, or NPS®, measures customer satisfaction. It runs from -100 to 100.

Fast-growth firms see NPSs that are **37% higher** on average than their no-growth counterparts.

#### Fast-Growth No-Growth 60 56 40 41 20 Avg. Net Promoter Score

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Staffing Firms' Net Promoter Score by Growth Rate





#### Find Qualified Candidates Faster

Automated Referral Management with Integrated Interview Scheduling

We were frankly stunned by the return that we've had on Staffing Referrals and Great Recruiters.

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# **Technology Insights**

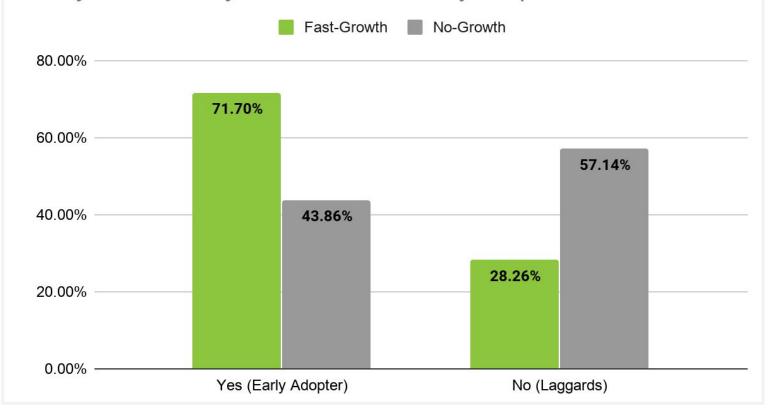
Attitudes about technological change and the tech choices agencies make directly tie to growth rates.

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### **Early Adopters Grow Faster**

Increasingly, the staffing industry is shaped and defined by technology trends. The tech choices that firms make help them build better relationships, operate more efficiently, and grow faster.

So, it's no surprise that fast-growing firms self-reported as early adopters more often than their no-growth counterparts -- **63.3% more often**.

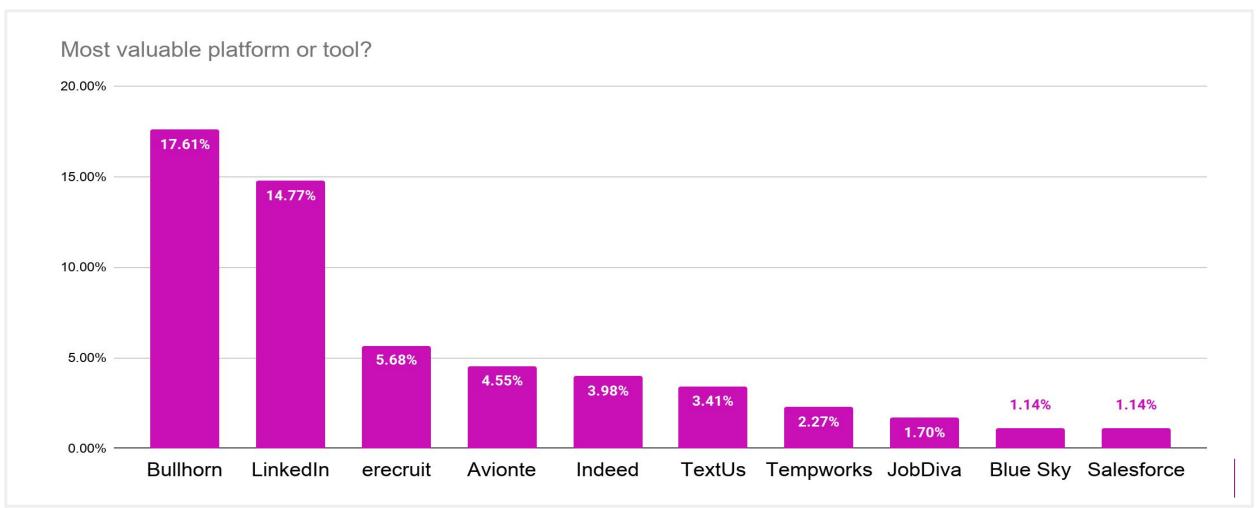


Do you consider yourself to be an early adopter?



#### **Top 10 Most Valuable Platforms**

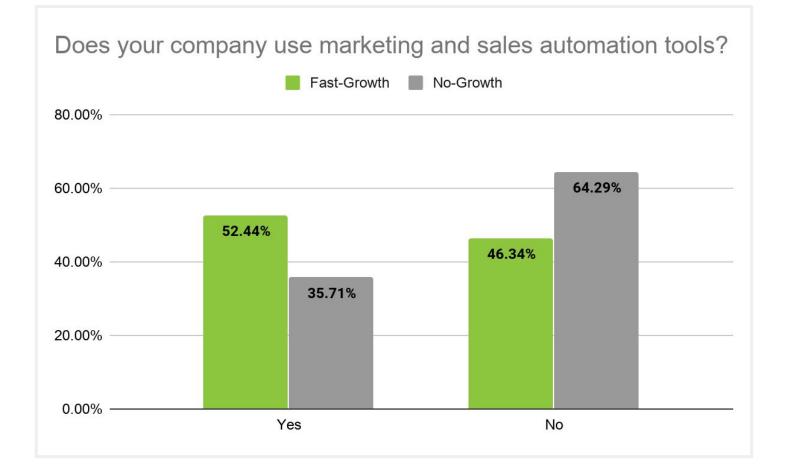
Firms listed their ATS, LinkedIn, and TextUs as the most valuable software for their company in 2019



### **Automate and Grow**

A few years ago, automation was more or less a buzzword in the industry. Now, for leading firms, it's hard to imagine operating efficiently without it.

Fast-growing firms prioritize automation and candidate engagement software at higher rate than no-growth firms -**nearly 65%** of no-growth firms still do not use marketing and sales automation tools.



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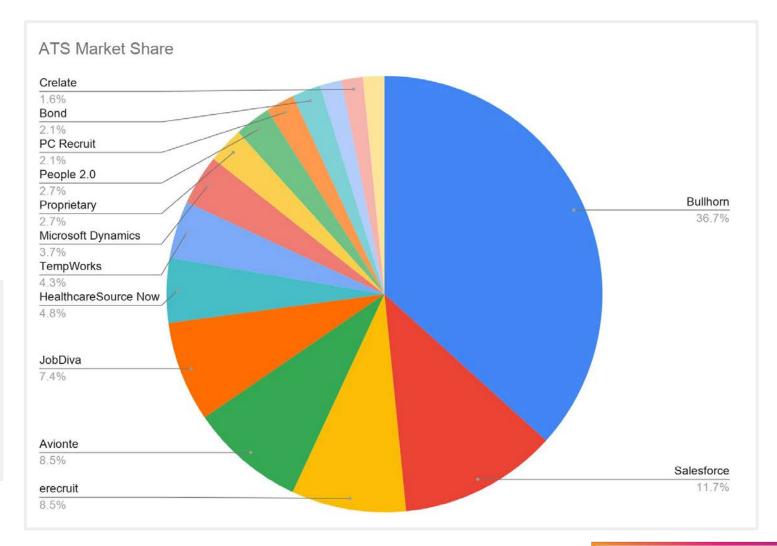
### **ATS Market Share**

Bullhorn maintains the lead with majority of the market share.

When combined with Erecruit, which Bullhorn acquired in 2019, Bullhorn holds **45.2%** of the ATS market.



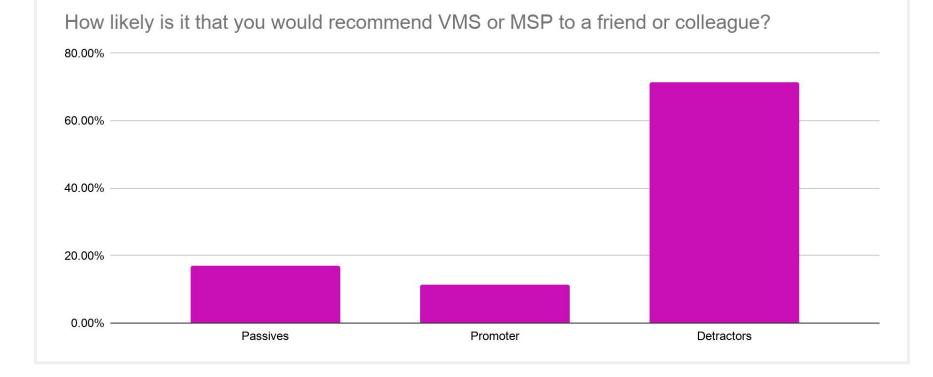
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### MSP/VMS NPS®: -60

Overall, the industry showed dissatisfaction with their MSP/VMS providers across the board, with a **-60 NPS®** 







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# COVID-19 Impact on Staffing

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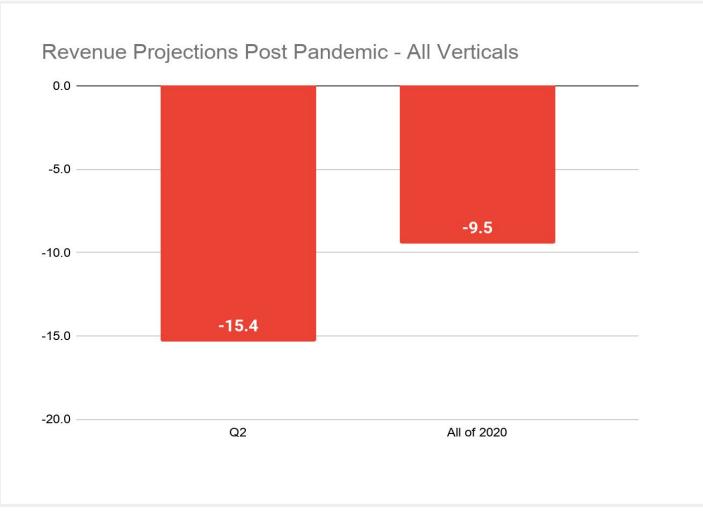








### **Revenue Impact Overview**



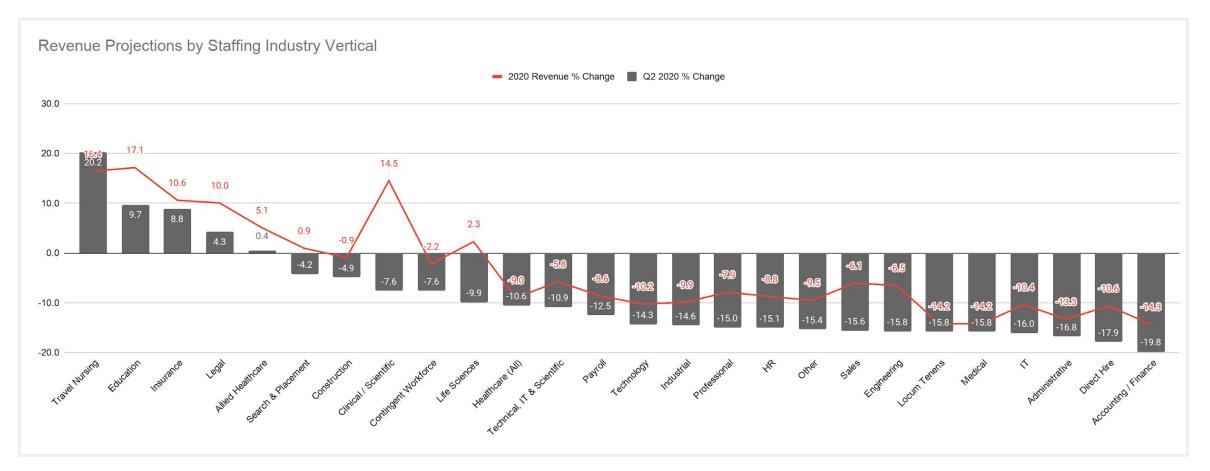
Staffing firms expect business revenue to decrease by **-15.4%** in Q2 2020 and **-9.5%** in 2020.





### **Revenue Impact by Vertical**

Most verticals anticipate revenue declines in 2020, but staffing firms in travel nursing, education, clinical/scientific, and insurance verticals expect to see growth.

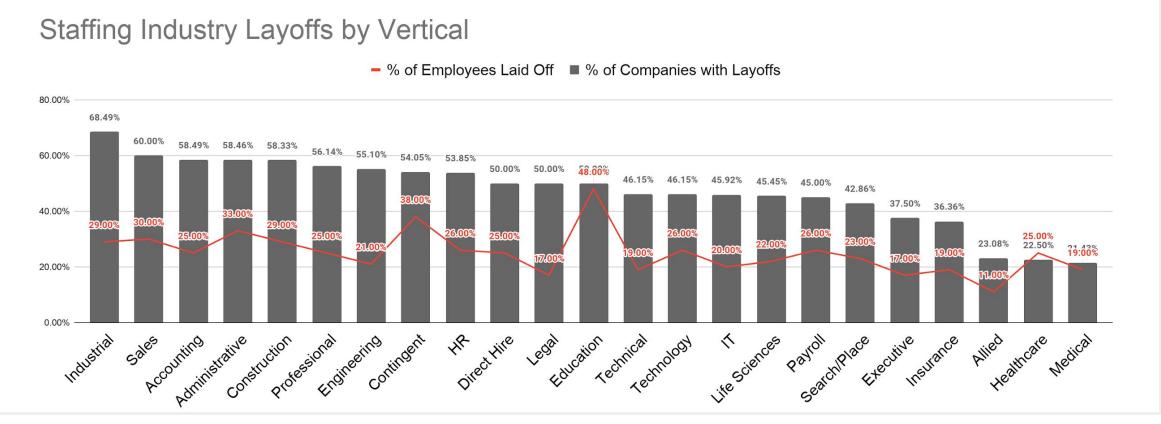


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# Layoffs by Vertical

**45%** of staffing firms reported layoffs due to COVID-19, with an average of **30%** of the workforce being laid off. Education firms and contingent workforce solutions saw the deepest cuts, laying off **48%** and **38%** of their employees respectively.







# **Overall Change in Business Strategy**

Firms are looking to shift priorities and change the type of business they go after. As firms adjust to the new realities of working remotely they are focused on building stronger relationships with clients and candidates.

Focusing on building relationships		Focused on essential business' staffing needs
Leveraging the time to train the team	No longer allow longer payment terms	Opening two new lines of
Yes, marketing more to the essential businesses and other industries that could see a spike in business once things are back like bankruptcy firms and credit and collection.		business. One of which is not related to recruiting.
		Very much day by day, priority of take care of our nurses

and clients.

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COVID-19 PULSE SURVEY



#### **2020 Overview**

#### Start of 2020

- 1. Finding candidates
- 2. Identifying automation
- 3. Improving experience

#### **Start of Pandemic**

- 1. Uncertainty
- 2. Shift to finding clients
- 3. Working from home
- 4. Managing layoffs

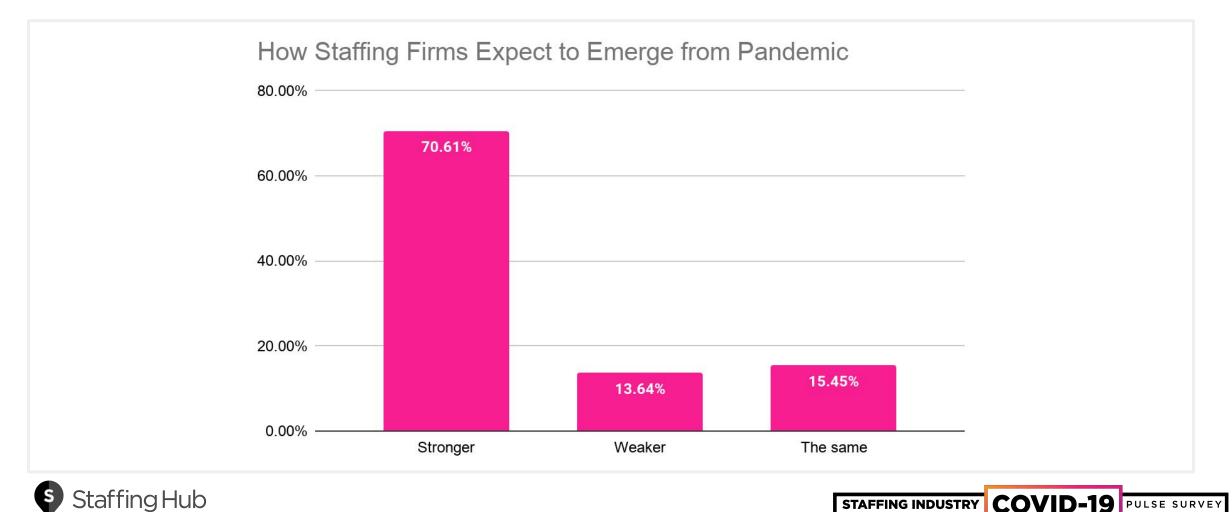
#### **Now & Going Forward**

- 1. Dynamic demand (clients/candidates)
- 2. Focus on experience
- 3. Gig-economy
- 4. More software/automation



# **Emerge from COVID-19 Stronger**

The staffing industry isn't going to be knocked down: the vast majority of respondents think the industry will come back from the pandemic stronger than before.



#### Grow Faster with Real-time Feedback

The Only Experience & Reputation Management Platform For Staffing Firms

"We're seeing a 50% response rate on reviews from Great Recruiters — we were only seeing a fraction of that with the other services we've tried."

Tara Sprakel Chief Marketing Technologist **Fusion Medical Staffing**  **Great** recruiters



#### The Future of Staffing Roundtable

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# The Staffing Show

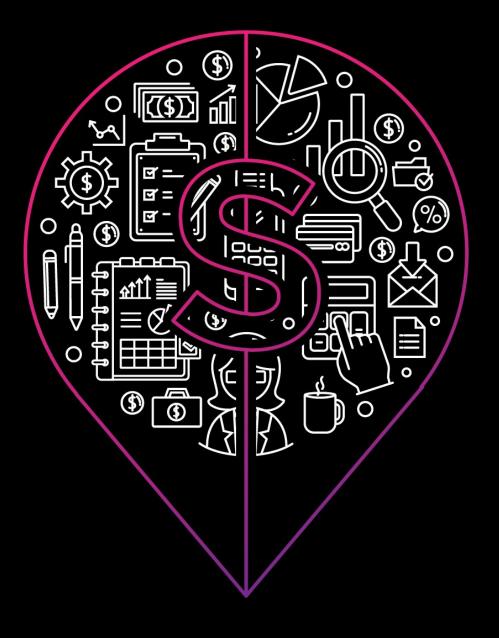
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- <u>Mary Lucas</u>, Chief Talent Officer at Supplemental Health Care
- Ralph Henderson, CEO of AMN Healthcare



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