How do our elicitations compare
to "gold standard" interviews?

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Assessing Our Elicitation Efforts:
Methods

- **Matched Sample**
  - 54 elicitations paired with interviews to test fidelity
  - Even mix of web- and phone-based elicitations
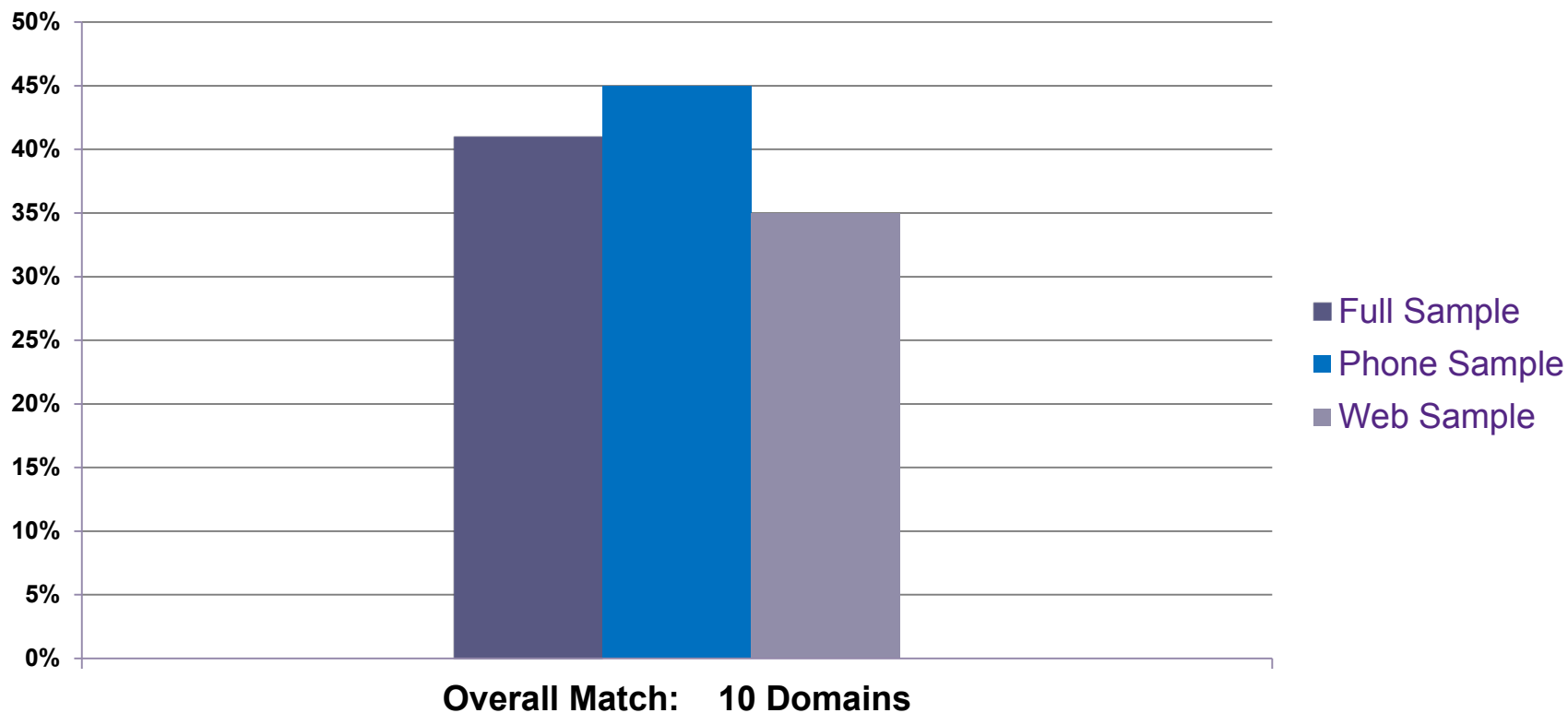
- **Expanded Web Sample**
  - Additional elicitations to test for SES response biases
  - Total of 378 web elicitations

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Assessing Our Elicitation Efforts:
Overview of Results

- **Overall performance** of elicitation protocol

  - Fulsomeness: *Moderate fidelity*

  - Balance of positive/negative: *High fidelity*

  - Understandable: *Fairly high fidelity*

  - Representativeness: *Modest variation*

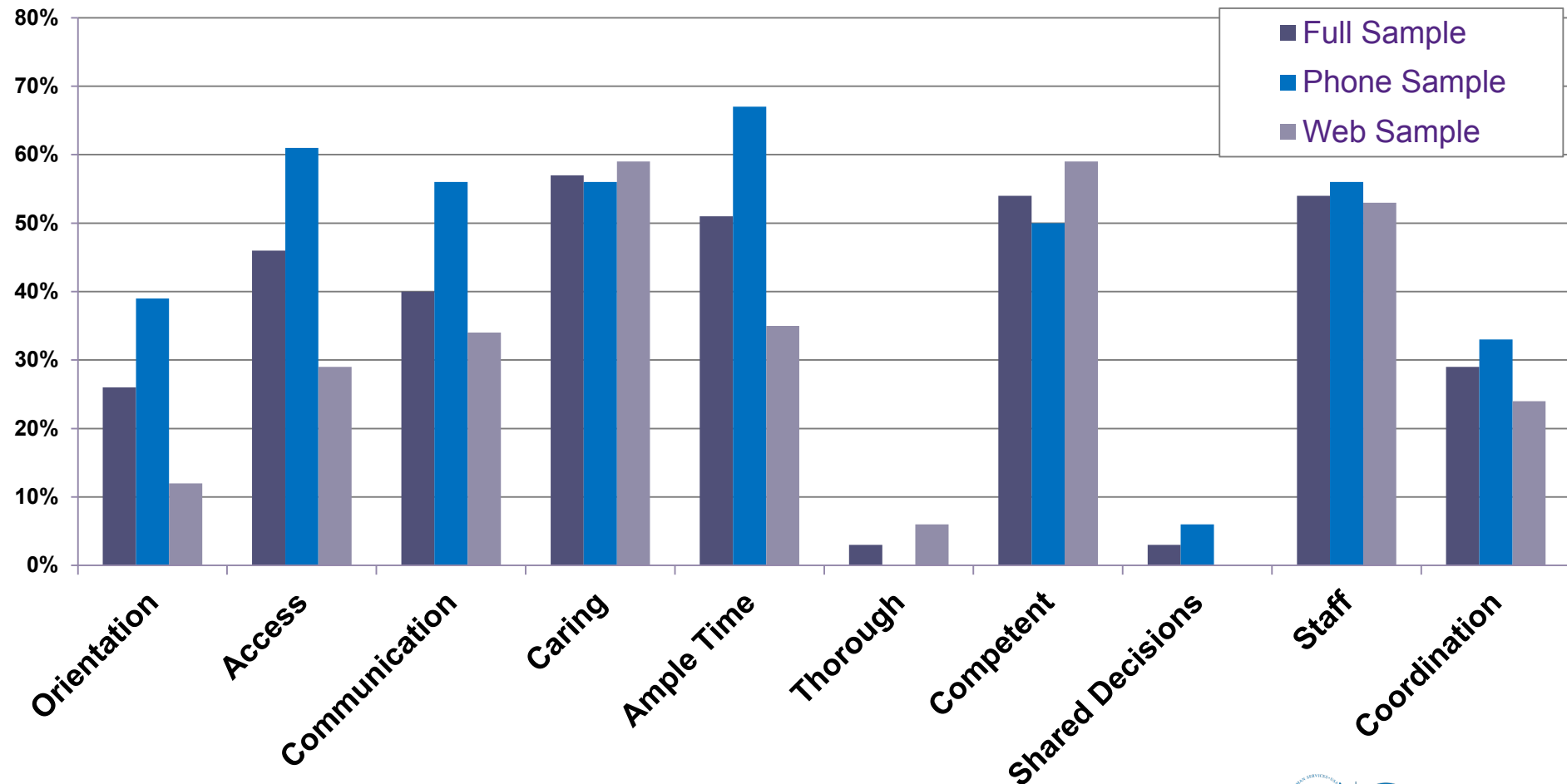- **Elicitation mode** comparisons:

  - Phone outperforms web

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Assessing Our Elicitation Efforts: Fulsomeness 1

Figure 1: Fulsomeness of Reported Experiences

Overall Match: 10 Domains

Figure 2: Varied Fulsomeness of Reported Experiences

Assessing Our Elicitation Efforts: Balance

Figure 3: Balance of Positive vs. Negative Assessments
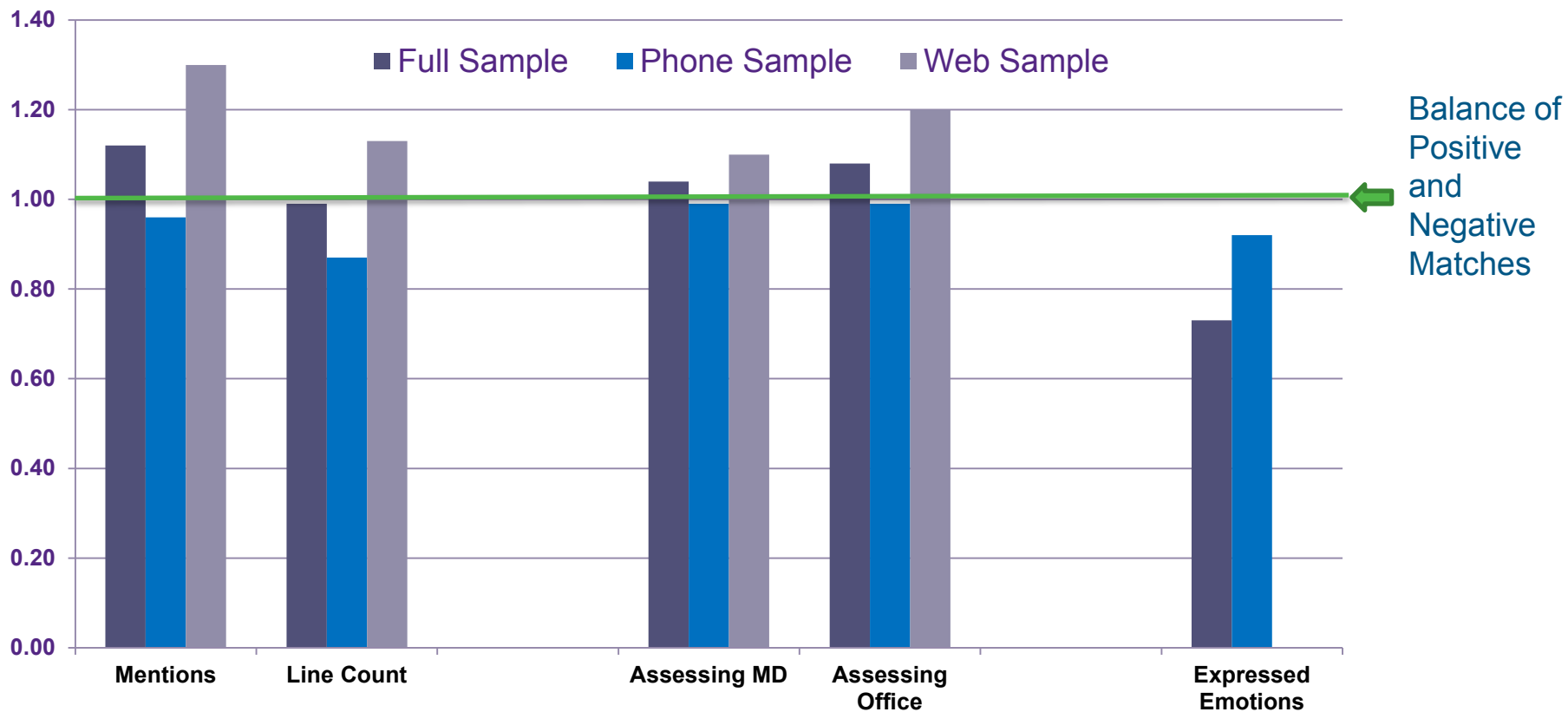
Figure 4: Comprehensibility of Narrative

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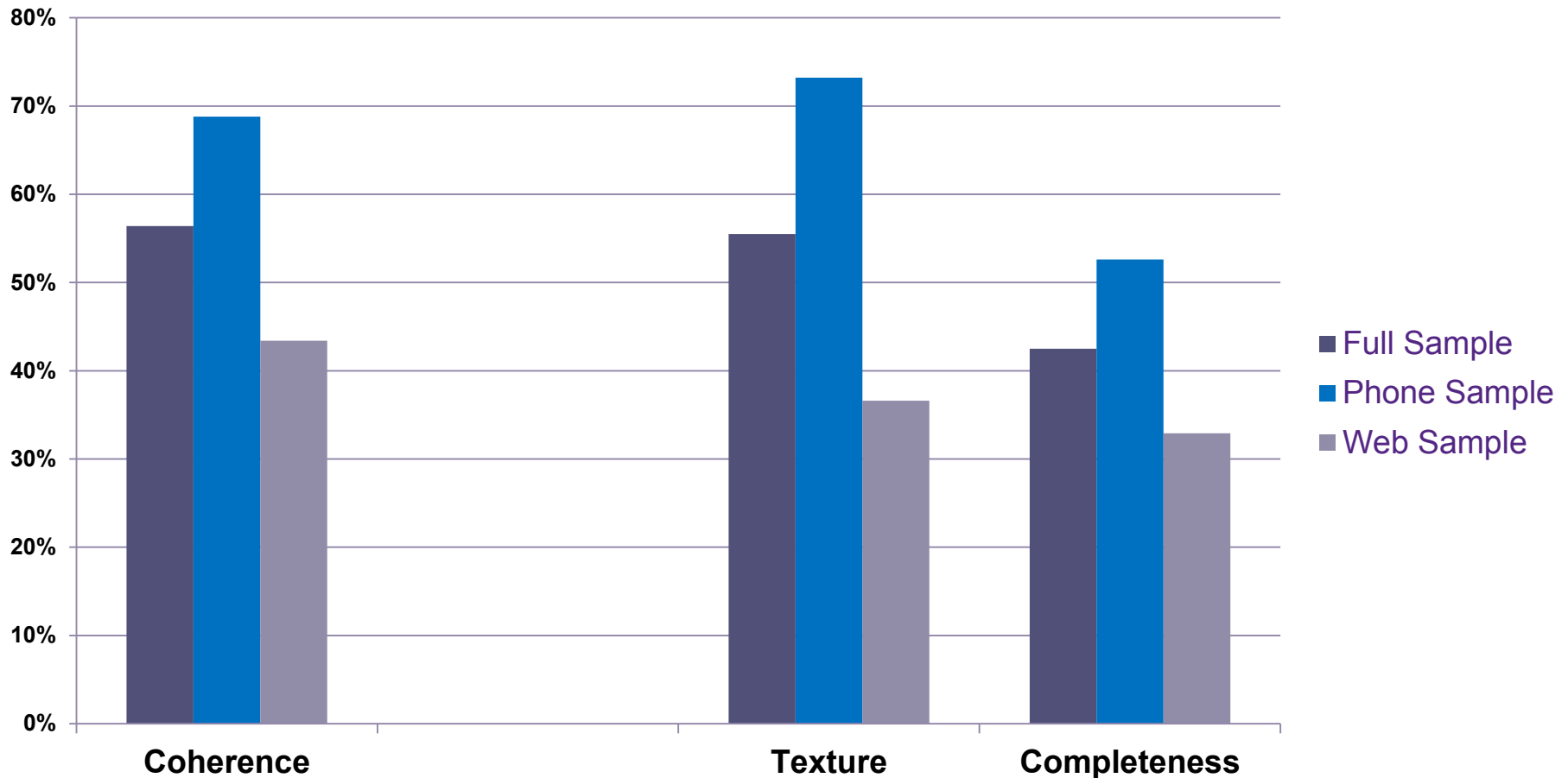
Assessing Our Elicitation Efforts: Representativeness

- **Participation rates** similar across socio-demographic groups

- **Depth of responses** varied across groups

  - Men 60% as responsive as women

  - High school educated 60% as responsive as those with post-graduate education

  - Healthy respondents 70% as responsive as those with chronic conditions

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Assessing Our Elicitation Efforts:
Second Round Elicitation

- **Recall**: Revised protocol for second round addressing shortfalls from the initial elicitation

- *Very* preliminary findings:

  - Word counts up almost 40 percent in web elicitation

  - Substantially richer depictions of expectations, emotions, and other aspects of relationships