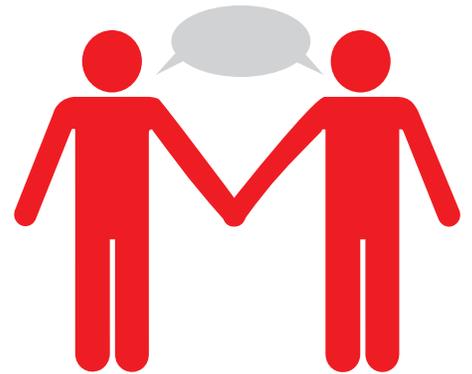


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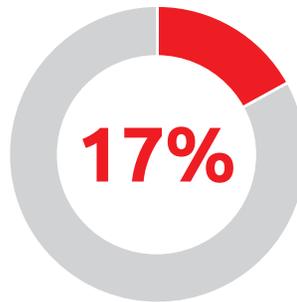
Only **50%** of people report that their **city/area is a good place for people with intellectual disabilities.**



79%

of Unified football partners reported their **understanding of people with intellectual disabilities improved** after participating in Special Olympics.

In Japan and China, only **17%** of people believe that people with intellectual disabilities are **very capable of participating in sports with other people with intellectual disabilities.**



65%
of parents

report that Special Olympics had **raised their expectations** of their children who participated in Special Olympics.



Despite 85% of people with intellectual disabilities being only mildly impaired, **there is a widespread belief that they are not capable of being included in sports or school activities.**