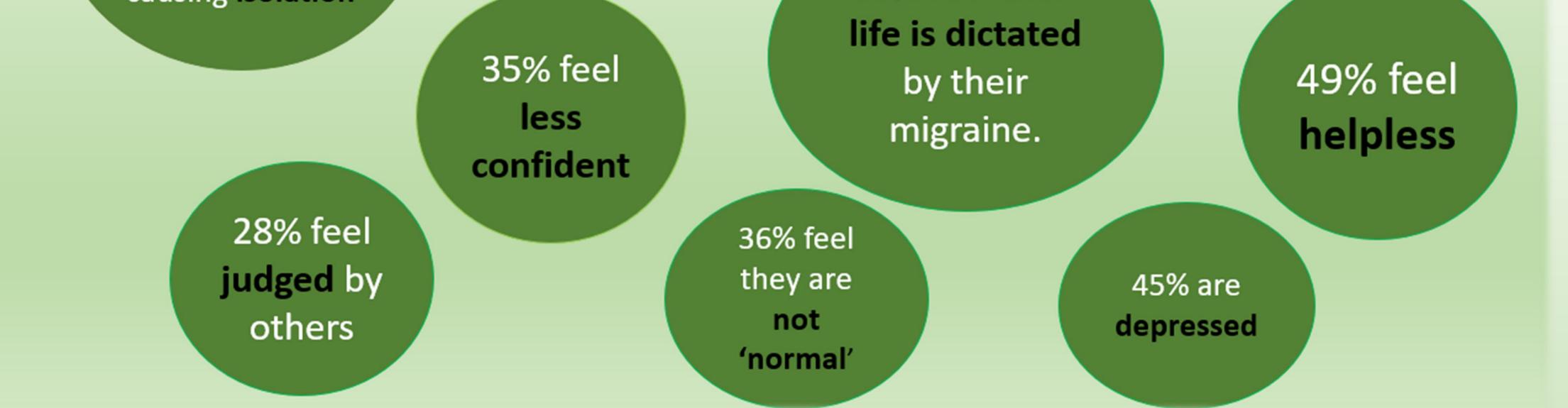


Emotional Impact of Migraine

For the vast majority migraine had a significant impact on quality of life causing isolation 67% felt others did not understand their pain 63% said they felt guilt for letting family and friends down

59% feel their



SURVEYS REPORTED AN OVERWHELMING **NEGATIVE** IMPACT ON **EDUCATION**, **CAREER** PROGRESSION AND **EARNINGS** FOR THOSE AFFECTED BY MIGRAINE.

24% (1/4) ARE BETWEEN THE AGES OF 18 & 29
14% DID LESS WELL IN OR GAVE UP EARLY ON EDUCATION
84% STATED THAT MIGRAINE HAD AFFECTED THEIR

- PROFESSIONAL LIFE.
- ▶ 15% REPORTED THEY HAD TO CHANGE JOBS BECAUSE OF MIGRAINE
- 13% SAID THEY CHANGED CAREER PATH/PROFESSION BECAUSE OF MIGRAINE
- 12% STATED THEY HAD LOST THEIR JOB BECAUSE OF THEIR MIGRAINE.

MANY MIGRAINE SUFFERERS IN EMPLOYMENT ARE NOT IN RECEIPT OF SICK PAY FOR WORKDAYS LOST TO MIGRAINE.

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STATISTICS FROM THE IRISH RESULTS OF THE PAN-EUROPEAN EUROLIGHT SURVEY AND MY MIGRAINE VOICE SURVEY BY NOVARTIS