Figure 1: Beliefs in causes of mental illness

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- Poverty causes mental illness
- Biological factors other than brain disease or genetic inheritance cause mental illness
- Brain Disease causes mental illness
- God’s punishment causes mental illness
- Genetic/familial causes mental illness
- Traumatic events or shock cause mental illness
- Possession by evil spirits causes mental illness
- Drug or Alcohol misuse causes mental illness

Percentage holding belief

- Yes
- No