Factors Contributing to Citizen Onboarding Abandonment in Government

1-in-5 people drop out of digital registration

Top factors causing dropouts:

Too many steps / takes too long

Too much manual entry or repetition of required information

Proof of identity process too difficult

Unsatisfactory communication

Missing a human element

Missing the necessary information or documents

Need to download an additional app



Respondents believe technology improves customer experience up to 43%

Government IT decisions makers' plans to improve onboarding

45% add more technology 32% add more human interaction 20% add a mix of tech and human



The top 3 technologies planned for use in onboarding:

21% intelligent document processing

21% process intelligence

20% mobile capture

Effects of high abandonment

21% of decision makers believe high abandonment hindered financial goals

19% of decision makers believe high abandonment damaged their organization's reputation



Respondents hypothesized that a 50% reduction in abandonment would increase revenue by 20% and increase customer acquisition by 26%



Methodology

This research was conducted by Sapio Research in September 2022 on behalf of ABBYY. The survey was conducted among 1,623 IT decision makers across the UK, US, France, Germany, and Japan and highlights government responses on the challenges and drivers organizations face with digital onboarding. The survey also included responses from IT decision makers in banking, finance, and transportation and logistics.