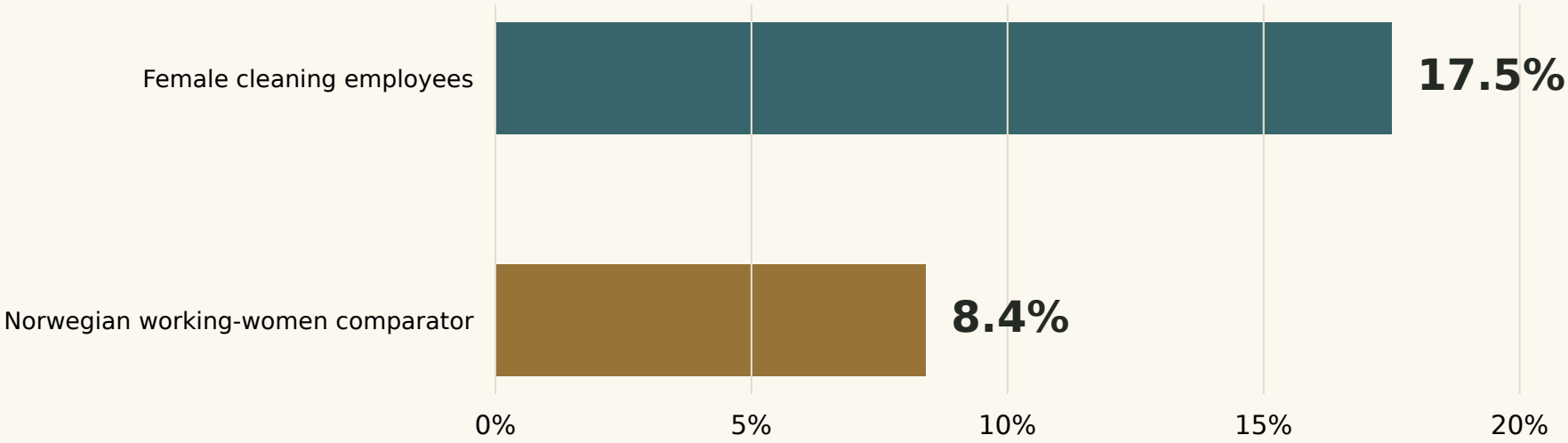
CLEANERS & PSYCHOLOGICAL DISTRESS

Observed historical Norwegian study (1999 data; published 2006), NOT a causal or job-role comparative experiment.



354 female cleaners completed HSCL-25; 17.5% reached the study distress threshold.

Leadership and coworker relationships were associated with mental-health outcomes.

NOT ESTABLISHED: that feces caused distress, that crime increased, or that all cleaners face the same risk.

External comparison is observational, historical, and subject to sampling and confounding.

SOURCE: Gamperiene et al. 2006, J Occup Med Toxicol, PMCID PMC1636641.
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