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Kaiser Health Tracking Poll: July 2016

## METHODOLOGY

This Kaiser Health Tracking Poll was designed and analyzed by public opinion researchers at the Kaiser Family Foundation (KFF). The survey was conducted July 5-11, 2016, among a nationally representative random digit dial telephone sample of 1,212 adults ages 18 and older, living in the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii (note: persons without a telephone could not be included in the random selection process). Computer-assisted telephone interviews conducted by landline (426) and cell phone (786, including 477 who had no landline telephone) were carried out in English and Spanish by Princeton Data Source under the direction of Princeton Survey Research Associates International (PSRAI). Both the random digit dial landline and cell phone samples were provided by Survey Sampling International, LLC. For the landline sample, respondents were selected by asking for the youngest adult male or female currently at home based on a random rotation. If no one of that gender was available, interviewers asked to speak with the youngest adult of the opposite gender. For the cell phone sample, interviews were conducted with the adult who answered the phone. KFF paid for all costs associated with the survey.

The combined landline and cell phone sample was weighted to balance the sample demographics to match estimates for the national population using data from the Census Bureau's 2014 American Community Survey (ACS) on sex, age, education, race, Hispanic origin, and region along with data from the 2010 Census on population density. The sample was also weighted to match current patterns of telephone use using data from the January-June 2015 National Health Interview Survey. The weight takes into account the fact that respondents with both a landline and cell phone have a higher probability of selection in the combined sample and also adjusts for the household size for the landline sample. All statistical tests of significance account for the effect of weighting.

The margin of sampling error including the design effect for the full sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points. Numbers of respondents and margins of sampling error for key subgroups are shown in the table below. For results based on other subgroups, the margin of sampling error may be higher. Sample sizes and margins of sampling error for other subgroups are available by request. Note that sampling error is only one of many potential sources of error in this or any other public opinion poll. Kaiser Family Foundation public opinion and survey research is a charter member of the Transparency Initiative of the American Association for Public Opinion Research.

| Group | $N$ (unweighted) | M.O.S.E. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 1212 | $\pm 3$ percentage points |
| Registered Voters |  |  |
| Total RV | 1015 | $\pm 3$ percentage points |
| Democratic RV | 311 | $\pm 6$ percentage points |
| Republican RV | 257 | $\pm 7$ percentage points |
| Independent RV | 366 | $\pm 6$ percentage points |
| Female RV | 419 | $\pm 5$ percentage points |
| RV 18-29 years of age | 141 | $\pm 9$ percentage points |
| RV 65 and older | 314 | $\pm 6$ percentage points |
| Health Care Voters |  |  |
| Total | 918 | $\pm 4$ percentage points |
| Democratic Health Care Voters | 266 | $\pm 7$ percentage points |
| Republican Health Care Voters | 182 | $\pm 8$ percentage points |
| Independent Health Care Voters | 268 | $\pm 7$ percentage points |
| Party Identification |  |  |
| Democrats | 365 | $\pm 6$ percentage points |
| Republicans | 295 | $\pm 6$ percentage points |
| Independents | 450 | $\pm 5$ percentage points |
| Heard/Read Anything About |  |  |
| Zika virus | 1107 | $\pm 3$ percentage points |

All trends shown in this document come from Kaiser Health Tracking Polls except:
03/16 GH: Kaiser Family Foundation Kaiser Global Health Survey 2016 (March 1-26, 2016)
01/11: Kaiser Family Foundation/Harvard School of Public Health The Public's Health Care Agenda for the 112th Congress (January 4-14, 2011)

1. Thinking ahead to the November elections for president, how important will each of the following be to your vote for president this year? First (INSERT AND RANDOMIZE A-I, AND THEN ASK J)... (READ FOR FIRST ITEM, THEN AS NECESSARY): Will that be extremely important, very important, somewhat important, not too important to your vote for president this year, or not at all important?) How about (INSERT NEXT ITEM)?

|  | Extremely/ <br> Very important <br> (NET) | Extremely important | Very important | Somewhat important | Not too important | Not at all important ${ }^{1}$ | Don't <br> know | Refused ${ }^{2}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| a. The economy and jobs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 84 | 38 | 45 | 12 | 2 | 2 | * | * |
| 07/16 RVs | 83 | 37 | 46 | 13 | 2 | 2 | -- | * |
| b. Healthcare, including healthcare costs and the Affordable Care Act |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 77 | 35 | 42 | 14 | 4 | 4 | * | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 77 | 37 | 40 | 14 | 4 | 4 | * | 1 |
| c. Immigration |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 63 | 28 | 35 | 22 | 10 | 5 | * | * |
| 07/16 RVs | 62 | 27 | 34 | 23 | 10 | 5 | * | * |
| d. Taxes |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 65 | 25 | 39 | 27 | 5 | 2 | * | * |
| 07/16 RVs | 64 | 25 | 39 | 27 | 6 | 2 | * | * |
| e. The federal budget deficit |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 67 | 28 | 39 | 21 | 5 | 5 | 2 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 68 | 29 | 39 | 21 | 5 | 4 | 1 | * |
| f. Terrorism and national security |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 82 | 45 | 37 | 12 | 2 | 2 | * | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 83 | 46 | 37 | 12 | 3 | 2 | * | 1 |
| g. Education |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 78 | 37 | 41 | 16 | 3 | 3 | * | * |
| 07/16 RVs | 76 | 35 | 40 | 17 | 4 | 3 | * | 1 |
| h. Foreign policy |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 66 | 25 | 40 | 25 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 67 | 27 | 40 | 24 | 5 | 2 | 1 | * |
| i. Gun policy |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 71 | 36 | 35 | 16 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 72 | 38 | 34 | 16 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 1 |
| j. The candidate's personal characteristics, including their leadership ability, character, values, and experience |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 84 | 44 | 40 | 11 | 2 | 2 | 1 | * |
| 07/16 RVs | 85 | 46 | 39 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 1 | * |

[^0]Now thinking specifically about health care, what two health care issues would you most like to hear the 2016 presidential election candidates talk about? IF RESPONDENT GIVES ONE ISSUE PROBE FOR SECOND: Is there another health care issue you'd like to hear about? (OPEN ENDED. ACCEPT UP TO TWO RESPONSES)

|  | 07/16 | 07/16 RV | 04/16 | 08/07 ${ }^{3}$ | 6/07 | 3/07 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Health care cost (including Rx) (NET) | 37 | 38 | 34 | 32 | 27 | 32 |
| Affordable healthcare/high cost of health care services |  | 14 | 15 | 11 | 14 | 15 |
| Cost/high cost (unspecified) |  | 13 | 7 | 5 | * | 5 |
| Fairness/Funding/How will it be paid for/Sustainability/Accountability |  | 5 | 4 | -- | -- | -- |
| Affordable insurance |  | 5 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 6 |
| Prescription drug costs/affordable drugs/Rx insurance/plan |  | 4 | 6 | 9 | 9 | 10 |
| Uninsured/access/expanding coverage (NET) | 27 | 28 | 26 | 37 | 36 | 35 |
| Other accessibility mentions (includes health care unspecified) |  | 9 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 4 |
| Socialized medicine/single payer/Medicare-for-all/Universal coverage/Free |  | 8 | 9 | $13^{4}$ | 12 | 10 |
| Coverage for everyone/everyone being insured |  | 5 | 7 | 13 | 8 | 11 |
| Accessibility to healthcare for poor |  | 3 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Coverage/Better insurance coverage |  | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 |
| Health insurance/care for children |  | 1 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 4 |
| Affordable Care Act/Health care law/Obamacare (NET) | 26 | 27 | 34 | -- | -- | -- |
| Repeal/ oppose health care law/Obamacare |  | 13 | 13 | -- | -- | -- |
| Improve/Reform/Fix Obamacare/health care system |  | 5 | 8 | -- | -- | -- |
| Health care law general mention |  | 4 | 6 | -- | -- | -- |
| More options/competition/Fewer restrictions for purchasing plans |  | 3 | 3 | -- | -- | -- |
| Keep/ expand/ favor Obamacare |  | 3 | 5 | -- | -- | -- |
| Get rid of individual mandate/ penalty |  | 1 | 3 | -- | -- | -- |
| Medicare (NET) | 10 | 10 | 9 | 12 | 16 | 22 |
| Healthcare for the elderly (no mention of prescriptions, drugs) |  | 6 | 4 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| Medicare (general) |  | 5 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 8 |
| Medicare drug benefit |  | 1 | -- | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| Other Medicare mentions |  | -- | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Quality/Lack of quality healthcare/Better/equal quality health care | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Specific diseases (NET) | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 2 |
| Specific diseases (general) |  | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Medical research/for diseases/illness/breakthroughs |  | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| Zika |  | -- | * | -- | -- | -- |
| Insurance company issues (Net) | 3 | 3 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| Health insurance/insurance (unspecified) |  | 3 | 1 | 2 | * | 2 |
| Insurance companies have too much control |  | 1 | 1 | 2 | -- | * |
| HMOs |  | -- | * | 1 | 1 | * |
| Veterans' health care | 2 | 2 | 2 | -- | -- | -- |
| Medicaid (NET) | 2 | 2 | 2 | -- | -- | -- |
| Other Medicaid mentions |  | 1 | 1 | -- | -- | -- |
| Expand Medicaid |  | 1 | * | -- | -- | -- |
| Coverage for illegal immigrants | 2 | 1 | 1 | -- | -- | -- |
| Women's health (NET) | 1 | 1 | 2 | * | * | -- |
| Abortion |  | 1 | 1 | * | * | -- |
| Women's health/Reproductive health/Birth control |  | 1 | 1 | -- | -- | -- |
| Mental health | 1 | 1 | 1 | -- | -- | -- |
| Oral/ dental health | 1 | * | 1 | -- | -- | -- |
| Legalize marijuana | * | * | 1 | -- | -- | -- |
| Preventive health care/medicine | * | * | * | * | * | * |
| Substance abuse/ addiction services | * | * | * | -- | -- | -- |
| Other issue/comment | 10 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 12 | 13 |
| Nothing | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | * |
| Don't know/Refused | 12 | 11 | 13 | 17 | 17 | 17 |

[^1]3. As you may know, a health reform bill was signed into law in 2010. Given what you know about the health reform law, do you have a generally (favorable) or generally (unfavorable) opinion of it? [GET ANSWER THEN ASK: Is that a very (favorable/unfavorable) or somewhat (favorable/unfavorable) opinion?] [INTERVIEWER NOTE: If respondent asks if the health reform law refers to the Affordable Care Act or Obamacare, please answer "yes"] (ROTATE OPTIONS IN PARENTHESES)

|  | Very favorable | Somewhat favorable | Somewhat unfavorable | Very unfavorable | Don't know/ Refused |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 07/16 | 18 | 22 | 17 | 29 | 14 |
| 06/16 | 18 | 24 | 12 | 32 | 14 |
| 04/16 | 15 | 23 | 17 | 32 | 13 |
| 03/16 | 21 | 20 | 17 | 30 | 13 |
| 02/16 | 19 | 22 | 12 | 34 | 14 |
| 01/16 | 21 | 20 | 16 | 28 | 16 |
| 12/15 | 19 | 21 | 13 | 33 | 14 |
| 11/15 | 19 | 19 | 17 | 28 | 17 |
| 10/15 | 21 | 21 | 15 | 27 | 16 |
| 09/15 | 21 | 20 | 15 | 30 | 14 |
| 08/15 | 23 | 21 | 16 | 25 | 14 |
| 06/29/15 | 23 | 20 | 13 | 27 | 17 |
| 06/09/15 | 19 | 20 | 16 | 26 | 19 |
| 04/15 | 22 | 21 | 15 | 27 | 14 |
| 03/15 | 22 | 19 | 15 | 28 | 16 |
| 01/15 | 19 | 21 | 16 | 30 | 15 |
| 12/14 | 18 | 23 | 16 | 30 | 14 |
| 11/14 | 18 | 19 | 16 | 30 | 18 |
| 10/14 | 16 | 20 | 16 | 27 | 20 |
| 09/14 | 15 | 20 | 15 | 32 | 19 |
| 07/14 | 15 | 22 | 18 | 35 | 11 |
| 06/14 | 19 | 20 | 15 | 30 | 16 |
| 05/14 | 19 | 19 | 12 | 33 | 17 |
| 04/14 | 19 | 19 | 16 | 30 | 16 |
| 03/14 | 18 | 20 | 14 | 32 | 15 |
| 02/14 | 16 | 19 | 14 | 33 | 18 |
| 01/14 | 17 | 17 | 15 | 35 | 16 |
| 12/13 | 17 | 17 | 12 | 36 | 18 |
| 11/13 | 15 | 18 | 13 | 36 | 18 |
| 10/13 | 21 | 17 | 13 | 31 | 18 |
| 09/13 | 20 | 19 | 13 | 30 | 17 |
| 08/13 | 17 | 20 | 14 | 28 | 20 |
| 06/13 | 15 | 20 | 13 | 30 | 23 |
| 04/13 | 16 | 19 | 12 | 28 | 24 |
| 03/13 | 17 | 20 | 13 | 27 | 23 |
| 02/13 | 18 | 18 | 13 | 29 | 23 |
| 11/12 | 19 | 24 | 12 | 27 | 19 |
| 10/12 | 20 | 18 | 14 | 29 | 19 |
| 09/12 | 25 | 20 | 12 | 28 | 14 |
| 08/12 | 21 | 17 | 13 | 30 | 19 |
| 07/12 | 20 | 18 | 13 | 31 | 17 |
| 06/12 | 25 | 16 | 11 | 30 | 18 |
| 05/12 | 17 | 20 | 12 | 32 | 19 |
| 04/12 | 20 | 22 | 9 | 34 | 15 |
| 03/12 | 18 | 23 | 11 | 29 | 19 |
| 02/12 | 17 | 25 | 16 | 27 | 15 |
| 01/12 | 18 | 19 | 14 | 30 | 19 |
| 12/11 ${ }^{5}$ | 19 | 22 | 15 | 28 | 17 |
| 11/11 | 17 | 20 | 15 | 29 | 19 |
| 10/11 | 12 | 22 | 20 | 31 | 15 |
| 09/11 | 18 | 23 | 14 | 29 | 16 |
| 08/11 | 16 | 23 | 17 | 27 | 17 |
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[^2]|  | Very <br> favorable | Somewhat <br> favorable | Somewhat <br> unfavorable | Very <br> unfavorable | Don’t know/ <br> Refused |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $07 / 11$ | 20 | 22 | 12 | 31 | 15 |
| $06 / 11$ | 15 | 27 | 16 | 30 | 12 |
| $05 / 11$ | 19 | 23 | 15 | 29 | 14 |
| $04 / 11$ | 20 | 21 | 14 | 27 | 18 |
| $03 / 11$ | 21 | 21 | 15 | 31 | 13 |
| $02 / 11$ | 16 | 27 | 19 | 29 | 8 |
| $01 / 11$ | 19 | 22 | 16 | 34 | 9 |
| $12 / 10$ | 22 | 20 | 14 | 27 | 18 |
| $11 / 10$ | 19 | 23 | 12 | 28 | 18 |
| $10 / 10$ | 18 | 24 | 15 | 29 | 15 |
| $09 / 10$ | 19 | 30 | 15 | 25 | 11 |
| $08 / 10$ | 19 | 24 | 13 | 32 | 12 |
| $07 / 10$ | 21 | 29 | 10 | 25 | 14 |
| $06 / 10$ | 20 | 28 | 16 | 25 | 10 |
| $05 / 10$ | 14 | 27 | 12 | 32 | 14 |
| $04 / 10^{6}$ | 23 | 23 | 10 | 30 | 14 |

[^3]4. Next, please tell me how closely you have followed these stories that have been in the news recently. (First/Next,) (INSERT--READ AND RANDOMIZE). READ FOR FIRST ITEM THEN AS NECESSARY: Did you follow this story very closely, fairly closely, not too closely, or not at all closely?

|  | Closely (NET) | Very closely | Fairly closely | Not closely (NET) | Not too closely | Not at all closely | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Don't } \\ & \text { know/ } \\ & \text { Refused } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| a. 2016 presidential campaigns |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 | 83 | 52 | 31 | 17 | 11 | 6 | * |
| 06/16 | 79 | 53 | 27 | 20 | 11 | 9 | * |
| 04/16 | 77 | 47 | 30 | 22 | 12 | 10 | 1 |
| 03/16 | 81 | 51 | 30 | 18 | 11 | 7 | 1 |
| 02/16 | 73 | 39 | 34 | 26 | 14 | 12 | 1 |
| 01/16 | 73 | 39 | 34 | 26 | 18 |  | * |
| 12/15 | 71 | 35 | 36 | 28 | 15 | 14 | 1 |
| 11/15 | 74 | 39 | 35 | 25 | 15 | 10 | 1 |
| 10/15 | 67 | 36 | 31 | 32 | 18 | 14 | 1 |
| 09/15 | 74 | 40 | 34 | 25 | 12 | 13 | 1 |
| 08/15 | 69 | 33 | 36 | 31 | 17 | 13 | 1 |
| 06/29/15 | 54 | 22 | 32 | 45 | 22 | 22 | 1 |
| 06/09/15 | 55 | 25 | 31 | 43 | 18 | 26 | 1 |
| b. Britain's Brexit vote to leave the European Union |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 | 53 | 25 | 28 | 46 | 22 | 25 | 1 |
| c. Congressional debate about gun control legislation |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 | 72 | 42 | 31 | 27 | 16 | 11 | * |
| d. Terrorist attacks in Istanbul and Baghdad, and other conflicts involving ISIS or other Islamic militant groups |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 | 78 | 45 | 33 | 22 | 15 | 7 | * |
| 06/16 ${ }^{7}$ | 80 | 49 | 30 | 19 | 11 | 8 | 1 |
| 03/16 | 72 | 36 | 35 | 27 | 16 | 11 | 1 |
| 02/16 | 73 | 35 | 38 | 26 | 15 | 11 | 1 |
| 01/16 ${ }^{8}$ | 76 | 41 | 35 | 24 | 16 | 8 | * |
| 11/15 | 74 | 39 | 34 | 25 | 15 | 10 | 1 |
| 06/09/15 | 69 | 33 | 36 | 30 | 17 | 13 | 1 |
| 12/14 | 70 | 32 | 38 | 29 | 15 | 14 | 1 |
| 11/14 | 70 | 34 | 37 | 29 | 17 | 12 | 1 |
| e. The ongoing heroin and prescription painkiller addiction epidemic in the U.S. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 | 52 | 25 | 27 | 48 | 23 | 25 | * |
| 06/16 | 54 | 30 | 25 | 45 | 22 | 23 | 1 |
| f. The Zika virus outbreak |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 | 52 | 21 | 31 | 47 | 29 | 18 | * |
| 06/16 | 57 | 26 | 31 | 42 | 22 | 19 | 1 |
| 04/16 | 61 | 29 | 32 | 38 | 20 | 18 | 1 |
| 03/16 | 54 | 23 | 31 | 45 | 22 | 23 | 1 |
| 02/16 | 57 | 20 | 37 | 41 | 21 | 20 | 1 |
| g. The Supreme Court decision on Texas abortion clinics |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 | 46 | 22 | 23 | 54 | 25 | 29 | 1 |
| Based on July 7-11 interviews only ( $n=779)^{9}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $h$. The recent fatal police shootings of black men, such as Alton Sterling in Baton Rouge or Philando Castile in Minnesota |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 | 81 | 53 | 28 | 18 | 11 | 7 | 1 |

[^4]5. Do you think (INSERT AND RANDOMIZE) is paying (too much), (too little) or about the right amount of attention to issues of health care? How about (INSERT NEXT ITEM)? READ AS NECESSARY: (Is he/she/Are they) paying (too much), (too little) or about the right amount of attention to issues of health care? (RANDOMIZE ITEMS IN PARENTHESES)

|  | Too much <br> attention | Too little <br> attention | Right <br> amount | Don't <br> know | Refused |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

6. Do you think there are major differences, minor differences, or no differences between the Republican Party and the Democratic Party on health care issues?

|  | $07 / 16$ <br> Total | $07 / 16$ <br> RVs |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Major differences | 62 | 65 |
| Minor differences | 22 | 21 |
| No differences | 9 | 9 |
| Don't know | 6 | 5 |
| Refused | 1 | 1 |

7. And still thinking about U.S. political parties, which political party best represents your own views on health care? Is it the (Republican Party), or the (Democratic Party)? (RANDOMIZE ITEMS IN PARENTHESES)

|  | $07 / 16$ <br> Total | $07 / 16$ <br> RVs |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Republican Party | 34 | 35 |
| Democratic Party | 46 | 47 |
| Neither (VOL.) | 1 | 11 |
| Another political party (VOL.) | 1 | 2 |
| Don't know | 5 | 3 |
| Refused | 2 | 1 |

8. Thinking about the candidates for president in 2016, regardless of political party or who you intend to vote for, which candidate best represents your own views on health care? Is it (Hillary Clinton), or (Donald Trump)? (RANDOMIZE ITEMS IN PARENTHESES)

|  | $07 / 16$ <br> Total | $07 / 16$ <br> RVs |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| Hillary Clinton | 46 | 46 |
| Donald Trump | 31 | 32 |
| Neither (VOL.) | 16 | 15 |
| Another presidential candidate (VOL.) | 3 | 2 |
| Don't know | 4 | 3 |
| Refused | 1 | 1 |

D8. In politics today, do you consider yourself a [ROTATE: Republican, Democrat/Democrat, Republican], an Independent, or what?

| Republican | 23 |
| :--- | :---: |
| Democrat | 31 |
| Independent | 38 |
| Or what/Other/None/No preference/Other party | 7 |
| Don't know | $*$ |
| Refused | 2 |

D8a. Do you LEAN more towards the [ROTATE: Republican Party or the Democratic Party/Democratic Party or the Republican Party]? (ROTATE OPTIONS IN SAME ORDER AS D8)

| Summary D8 and D8a based on total |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Republican/Lean Republican | 39 |
| Democrat/Lean Democratic | 49 |
| Other/Don't lean/Don't know | 12 |
| Five-Point Party ID | 31 |
| Democrat | 18 |
| Independent Lean Democratic | 11 |
| Independent/Don't lean | 16 |
| Independent Lean Republican | 23 |
| Republican | 1 |

9. As you may know, both the Republican and Democratic parties will be holding their 2016 conventions over the next few weeks. Thinking specifically about the (INSERT AND RANDOMIZE), how interested are you in what happens during that convention? Are you very interested, somewhat interested, not too interested, or not interested at all? How about the (NEXT ITEM)? IF NEEDED: Are you very interested, somewhat interested, not too interested, or not interested at all in what happens during that convention?

|  | Interested (NET) | Very interested | Somewhat interested | Not too interested | Not at all interested | Don't know | Refused |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| a. Republican National Convention |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 70 | 41 | 29 | 12 | 17 | * | * |
| 07/16 RVs | 71 | 44 | 28 | 11 | 17 | * | * |
| b. Democratic National Convention |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 65 | 35 | 30 | 14 | 20 | * | * |
| 07/16 RVs | 65 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 20 | * | * |

READ TO ALL:
As you may know, during the national conventions each political party decides which issues are in the party's platform. This means the issues are generally supported by the party and the party's candidates.
10. How much do you care, if at all, about what is included in your party's platform? A lot, Some, only a little, or none at all?

|  | $\begin{gathered} 07 / 16 \\ \text { Total } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 07 / 16 \\ \text { RVs } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A lot/Some (NET) | 79 | 81 |
| A lot | 55 | 59 |
| Some | 24 | 22 |
| Only a little/None at all (NET) | 20 | 18 |
| Only a little | 10 | 9 |
| None at all | 10 | 9 |
| Don't know | * | * |
| Refused | 1 | * |

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12. Overall, which party, the (Democrats) or the (Republicans), do you trust to do a better job (INSERT AND RANDOMIZE)? (ROTATE OPTIONS IN PARENTHESES ACROSS INTERVIEWS, BUT NOT WITHIN SAME INTERVIEW) [READ IF NECESSARY: "Which party, the (Democrats) or (Republicans), do you trust to do a better job (INSERT ITEM)?]

|  | Democratic Party | Republican Party | (VOL.) <br> Both | (VOL.) Neither/ Other | Don't know | Refused ${ }^{10}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| a. Dealing with the future of the 2010 health care law |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 49 | 37 | * | 8 | 5 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 49 | 38 | * | 8 | 4 | 1 |
| 01/16 Total | 49 | 35 | 1 | 10 | 5 | -- |
| 01/16 RVs | 48 | 37 | 1 | 10 | 4 | -- |
| 09/14 Total | 43 | 37 | 1 | 13 | 7 | -- |
| 09/14 RVs | 42 | 39 | 1 | 12 | 6 | -- |
| b. Determining the future role of government in health care |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 48 | 36 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 49 | 37 | * | 9 | 3 | 1 |
| c. Lowering the cost of prescription drugs |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 51 | 30 | 1 | 12 | 5 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 50 | 32 | * | 13 | 4 | 1 |
| 01/16 Total | 48 | 31 | 1 | 13 | 7 | -- |
| 01/16 RVs | 48 | 32 | 1 | 13 | 6 | -- |
| d. Lowering health care costs for people like you |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 48 | 36 | 1 | 11 | 5 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 47 | 38 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 1 |
| 01/16 Total | 48 | 34 | 1 | 11 | 6 | -- |
| 01/16 RVs | 48 | 35 | 1 | 12 | 4 | -- |
| 09/14 Total | 43 | 35 | 1 | 14 | 7 | -- |
| 09/14 RVs | 42 | 36 | 1 | 14 | 6 | -- |
| e. Determining the future of the Medicare program |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 50 | 35 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 49 | 37 | 1 | 9 | 4 | * |
| 01/16 Total ${ }^{11}$ | 48 | 34 | 1 | 11 | 6 | -- |
| 01/16 RVs | 47 | 35 | 1 | 12 | 5 | -- |
| 09/14 Total | 43 | 34 | 1 | 15 | 7 | -- |
| 09/14 RVs | 42 | 36 | 1 | 15 | 6 | -- |
| f. Determining the future of the Medicaid program |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 50 | 34 | 1 | 9 | 5 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 50 | 36 | 1 | 9 | 4 | 1 |
| 01/16 Total ${ }^{12}$ | 49 | 33 | 1 | 11 | 5 | -- |
| 01/16 RVs | 49 | 34 | 1 | 11 | 5 | -- |
| 09/14 Total | 42 | 33 | 1 | 15 | 8 | -- |
| 09/14 RVs | 42 | 35 | 1 | 15 | 7 | -- |
| g. Making decisions about women's reproductive health choices and services, including abortion, family planning, and contraception |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 57 | 29 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 58 | 30 | * | 7 | 3 | 1 |
| h. Dealing with the ongoing heroin and prescription painkiller addiction epidemic in the U.S. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 41 | 34 | 3 | 14 | 7 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 41 | 34 | 3 | 14 | 7 | 1 |
| i. Funding efforts to limit the effects of the Zika virus outbreak in the U.S |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 07/16 Total | 45 | 30 | 3 | 13 | 9 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 45 | 31 | 3 | 12 | 8 | 1 |

[^5]13. How much have you heard or read about the Zika virus? A lot, some, only a little, or nothing at all?

|  | 07/16 | 06/16 | 03/16 GH | 02/16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| A lot/Some (NET) | 65 | 58 | 55 | 61 |
| A lot | 28 | 26 | 23 | 28 |
| Some | 37 | 32 | 32 | 33 |
| Only a little/Nothing (NET) | 35 | 42 | 45 | 38 |
| Only a little | 25 | 27 | 25 | 23 |
| Nothing at all | 10 | 15 | 20 | 16 |
| Don't know | -- | * | * | 1 |
| Refused | * | * | * | -- |

14. How worried are you, if at all, that (INSERT AND RANDOMIZE)? How about (INSERT AND RANDOMIZE)? READ FOR FIRST ITEM THEN AS NECESSARY: Are you very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried, or not at all?

Based on those who have heard about the Zika virus

| Worried | Very | Some- <br> what <br> worried | Not <br> Worried <br> $(N E T)$ | Not too <br> worried | Not at all <br> worried | Don't <br> know | Refused | (n) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |

a. The U.S. will see a large number of cases of the Zika virus in the next 12 months

| $07 / 16$ | 59 | 20 | 40 | 40 | 26 | 15 | $*$ | $*$ | $(1,107)$ |
| ---: | ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $06 / 16$ | 63 | 21 | 41 | 37 | 28 | 9 | $*$ | $*$ | $(1,057)$ |
| $03 / 16 \mathrm{GH}$ | 51 | 17 | 34 | 49 | 33 | 15 | $*$ | $*$ | $(1,264)$ |
| $02 / 16$ | 51 | 19 | 32 | 48 | 34 | 14 | 1 | -- | $(1,048)$ |

b. You or someone in your family will be affected by the Zika virus

| $07 / 16$ | 39 | 17 | 21 | 61 | 30 | 31 | $*$ | $*$ | $(1,107)$ |
| ---: | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $06 / 16$ | 44 | 20 | 24 | 56 | 30 | 26 | $*$ | $*$ | $(1,057)$ |
| $03 / 16 \mathrm{GH}$ | 34 | 15 | 19 | 65 | 32 | 33 | $*$ | -- | $(1,264)$ |
| $02 / 16$ | 33 | 14 | 19 | 66 | 37 | 29 | 1 | -- | $(1,048)$ |

c. The upcoming Summer Olympics will cause an increase in the number of cases of the Zika virus

| $07 / 16$ | 59 | 23 | 36 | 40 | 24 | 17 | 1 | $*$ | $(1,107)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $06 / 16$ | 62 | 22 | 40 | 37 | 23 | 13 | 1 | 1 | $(1,057)$ |

Summary of Q13 and Q14a based on total

|  | $07 / 16$ | $06 / 16$ | $03 / 16 \mathrm{GH}$ | $02 / 16$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Have heard or read about Zika virus | 89 | 85 | 80 | 84 |
| Worried U.S. will see a large number of cases of Zika virus in the next 12 months (NET) | 53 | 53 | 41 | 43 |
| Very worried | 17 | 18 | 14 | 16 |
| $\quad$ Somewhat worried | 35 | 35 | 27 | 27 |
| Not worried U.S. will see a large number of cases of Zika virus in the next 12 months (NET) | 36 | 31 | 39 | 40 |
| Not too worried | 23 | 24 | 27 | 28 |
| Not at all worried | 13 | 7 | 12 | 12 |
| Have not heard or read about Zika virus | 10 | 15 | 20 | 16 |
| Don't know | -- | $*$ | $*$ | 1 |
| Refused | $*$ | $*$ | $*$ | -- |

Summary of Q13 and Q14b based on total

|  | 07/16 | 06/16 | 03/16 GH | 02/16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Have heard or read about Zika virus | 89 | 85 | 80 | 84 |
| Worried you or someone in your family will be affected by the Zika virus (NET) | 34 | 37 | 27 | 28 |
| Very worried | 15 | 17 | 12 | 12 |
| Somewhat worried | 19 | 20 | 15 | 16 |
| Not worried you or someone in your family will be affected by the Zika virus (NET) | 54 | 48 | 52 | 55 |
| Not too worried | 27 | 26 | 25 | 31 |
| Not at all worried | 27 | 22 | 27 | 24 |
| Have not heard or read about Zika virus | 10 | 15 | 20 | 16 |
| Don't know | -- | * | * | 1 |
| Refused | * | * | * | -- |

Summary of Q13 and Q14c based on total

|  | 07/16 | 06/16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Have heard or read about Zika virus | 89 | 85 |
| Worried the upcoming Summer Olympics will cause an increase in the number of cases of the Zika virus (NET) | 53 | 53 |
| Very worried | 20 | 19 |
| Somewhat worried | 33 | 34 |
| Not worried the upcoming Summer Olympics will cause an increase in the number of cases of the Zika virus (NET) | 36 | 31 |
| Not too worried | 21 | 20 |
| Not at all worried | 15 | 11 |
| Have not heard or read about Zika virus | 10 | 15 |
| Don't know | -- | * |
| Refused | * | * |

15. Do you think the Zika virus poses a major threat, a minor threat, or no threat at all to (INSERT AND RANDOMIZE)? Next, to (INSERT AND RANDOMIZE), does the Zika virus pose a major threat, a minor threat, or no threat at all?

Based on those who have heard about the Zika virus

|  |  | Threat <br> $($ NET $)$ | Major <br> threat | Minor <br> threat | Not a <br> threat | Don't <br> know | Refused | $(\mathrm{n})$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| a. You, personally |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $07 / 16$ | 57 | 15 | 41 | 43 | $*$ | $*$ | $(1,107)$ |
| b. Pregnant women | $06 / 16$ | 58 | 13 | 45 | 41 | 1 | $*$ | $(1,057)$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $07 / 16$ | 93 | 70 | 23 | 4 | 3 | $*$ | $(1,107)$ |
|  | $06 / 16$ | 94 | 74 | 20 | 3 | 3 | -- | $(1,057)$ |

Summary of Q13 and Q15a based on total

|  | 07/16 | 06/16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Have heard or read about Zika virus | 89 | 85 |
| Zika poses a threat to you (NET) | 51 | 49 |
| Major threat | 14 | 11 |
| Minor threat | 37 | 38 |
| Zika does not pose a threat to you | 38 | 35 |
| Have not heard or read about Zika virus | 10 | 15 |
| Don't know | -- | * |
| Refused | * | * |
| Summary of Q13 and Q15b based on total |  |  |
|  | 07/16 | 06/16 |
| Have heard or read about Zika virus | 89 | 85 |
| Zika poses a threat to pregnant women (NET) | 83 | 80 |
| Major threat | 62 | 63 |
| Minor threat | 21 | 17 |
| Zika does not pose a threat to pregnant women | 3 | 3 |
| Have not heard or read about Zika virus | 10 | 15 |
| Don't know | -- | * |
| Refused | * | * |

## RSEX.

Are you male or female?
Male 50

Female 50
Other (VOL.) --
Refused ${ }^{13}$--

D5. What is your age? (RECORD EXACT AGE AS TWO-DIGIT CODE.)
D6. (ASK IF DON'T KNOW OR REFUSED AGE) Could you please tell me if you are between the ages of... (READ LIST)
18-29 22

30-49 32
50-64 27
65 and older 19
Don't know/Refused *

D4. Are you, yourself, now covered by any form of health insurance or health plan or do you not have health insurance at this time? (READ IF NECESSARY: A health plan would include any private insurance plan through your employer or a plan that you purchased yourself, as well as a government program like Medicare or [Medicaid/Medi-CAL])?

Covered by health insurance 89
Not covered by health insurance 11
Don't know/Refused

D4a. Which of the following is your MAIN source of health insurance coverage? Is it a plan through your employer, a plan through your spouse's employer, a plan you purchased yourself either from an insurance company or a state or federal marketplace, are you covered by Medicare or (Medicaid/[INSERT STATE-SPECIFIC MEDICAID NAME]), or do you get your health insurance from somewhere else?

Based on those who are insured ( $n=1,109$ )
Plan through your employer 36
Plan through your spouse's employer 11
Plan you purchased yourself 11
Medicare 20
Medicaid/[STATE-SPECIFIC MEDICAID NAME] 10
Somewhere else 7
Plan through your parents/mother/father (VOL.) 4
Don't know/Refused 1

Summary D4 and D4a based on total
Covered by health insurance 86
Employer 37
Spouse's employer 12
Self-purchased plan 9
Medicare 6
Medicaid/State-specific Medicaid name 10
Somewhere else 7
Plan through parents/mother/father (VOL.) 4
Don't know/Refused 1
Not covered by health insurance 14
Don't know/Refused *
${ }^{13}$ Refusals were coded by observation.

D2. In general, would you say your health is excellent, very good, good, only fair, or poor?

| Excellent/very good/good (NET) | 85 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Excellent |  | 26 |
| Very good | 33 |  |
| $\quad$ Good | 26 |  |
| Only fair/poor (NET) | 15 |  |
| Only fair |  | 11 |
| Poor | $*$ | 3 |
| Don't know/Refused |  |  |

D2b. Are you currently married, living with a partner, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?

| Married | 48 |
| :--- | :---: |
| Living with a partner | 8 |
| Widowed | 7 |
| Divorced | 10 |
| Separated | 3 |
| Never been married | 23 |
| Don't know/Refused | 1 |

D3. What best describes your employment situation today? (READ IN ORDER)
Employed full-time 48
Employed part-time 10
Unemployed and currently seeking employment 5
Unemployed and not seeking employment 2
A student 5
Retired 17
On disability and can't work 7
Or, a homemaker or stay at home parent 6
Don't know/Refused (VOL.) *

D8b. Would you say your views in most political matters are liberal, moderate or conservative?
Liberal 28
Moderate 32
Conservative 35
Don't know/Refused 4

READ TO ALL: Next, I have a couple questions about prescription painkillers. When we ask about prescription painkillers in this poll, we mean strong ones, sometimes called opioids, such as Percocet, OxyContin or Vicodin.
16. Do you personally know anyone who has ever been addicted to prescription painkillers, or not?

|  | $07 / 16$ | $04 / 16$ | $11 / 15$ |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Yes | 43 | 44 | 39 |
| No | 57 | 55 | 60 |
| Don't know | $*$ | $*$ | 1 |
| Refused | $*$ | $*$ | $*$ |

17. Who do you know that has ever been addicted to prescription painkillers? Is it (INSERT, READ IN ORDER), or not? Next, is it (INSERT NEXT ITEM), or not?

Based on those who know someone who has been addicted to prescription painkillers

|  |  | Yes | No | Don't know/ Refused | ( n ) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| a. Yourself |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 07/16 | 7 | 93 | * | (487) |
|  | 04/16 | 5 | 95 | * | (530) |
|  | 11/15 | 5 | 95 | * | (536) |
| b. A family member |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 07/16 | 44 | 55 | 1 | (487) |
|  | 04/16 | 46 | 53 | 1 | (530) |
|  | 11/15 | 39 | 60 | 1 | (536) |
| c. A close friend |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 07/16 | 56 | 43 | 1 | (487) |
|  | 04/16 | 48 | 50 | 1 | (530) |
|  | 11/15 | 43 | 56 | 1 | (536) |
| d. An acquaintance |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 07/16 | 60 | 37 | 2 | (487) |
|  | 04/16 | 58 | 40 | 1 | (530) |
|  | 11/15 | 62 | 38 | 1 | (536) |


| Summary of Q16 and Q17 based on total |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | $07 / 16$ | $04 / 16$ | $11 / 15$ |
| Know someone who has been addicted to prescription painkillers | 43 | 44 | 39 |
| Self | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Family member | 19 | 20 | 15 |
| Close friend | 24 | 21 | 17 |
| Acquaintance | 26 | 26 | 24 |
| Don't know anyone who has been addicted to prescription painkillers | 57 | 55 | 60 |
| Don't know/Refused | $*$ | 1 | 1 |

D9. Are you registered to vote at your present address, or not?

| Yes | 79 |
| :--- | :---: |
| No | 20 |
| Don't know/Refused | $*$ |

D10. I'd like you to rate the chances that you will vote in the presidential election in November: Are you absolutely certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances $50-50$, or less than that?

Based on registered voters ( $n=1,015$ )

| Absolutely certain to vote | 77 |
| :--- | :---: |
| Probably vote | 8 |
| Chances 50-50 | 9 |
| Less than that | 4 |
| Don't think will vote (VOL.) | 2 |
| Don't know/Refused | $*$ |


| Summary D9 and D10 based on total |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  | 79 |  |
| Yes, registered to vote |  |  |
| $\quad$ Absolutely certain to vote | 61 |  |
| $\quad$ Probably vote | 6 |  |
| Chances 50-50 | 7 |  |
| $\quad$ Less than that | 3 |  |
| Don't think will vote (VOL.) | 1 |  |
| $\quad$ Don't know/Refused |  | $*$ |
| No, not registered | 20 |  |
| Don't know/Refused | $*$ |  |

D10a. Compared to previous presidential elections, this year are you (more) enthusiastic about voting than usual, (less) enthusiastic, or about the same as in previous elections? (ROTATE ITEMS IN PARENS)

|  | More enthusiastic | Less enthusiastic | About the same | (VOL.) <br> Don't vote/ plan to/ Not registered | Don't know/ Refused |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 07/16 Total | 29 | 35 | 33 | 3 | 1 |
| 07/16 RVs | 30 | 37 | 31 | * | 1 |
| 06/16 Total | 27 | 36 | 32 | 4 | 1 |
| 06/16 RVs | 28 | 38 | 32 | 1 | 1 |
| 04/16 Total | 28 | 36 | 32 | 3 | 1 |
| 04/16 RVs | 30 | 38 | 31 | * | 1 |
| 03/16 Total | 31 | 24 | 40 | 3 | 2 |
| 03/16 RVs | 32 | 25 | 41 | * | 2 |
| 02/16 Total | 30 | 25 | 40 | 4 | 2 |
| 02/16 RVs | 32 | 24 | 42 | 1 | 2 |
| 01/16 Total | 31 | 22 | 44 | 2 | 1 |
| 01/16 RVs | 33 | 20 | 45 | 1 | 1 |

Vote1. If the presidential election were being held today and the candidates were (Hillary Clinton, the Democrat) and (Donald Trump, the Republican), for whom would you vote? (RANDOMIZE ITEMS IN PARENTHESES - RANDOMIZE ANSWER LIST TO MATCH QUESTION)

Vote2. (IF OTHER UNNAMED/NEITHER/DK/REF) Would you lean toward (Clinton) or toward (Trump)? (ROTATE ORDER OF ITEMS IN PARENTHESES IN SAME ORDER AS VOTE1- RANDOMIZE ANSWER LIST TO MATCH QUESTION)

Based on registered voters ( $n=1,015$ )
Clinton/Lean Clinton 48
Trump/Lean Trump 38
Other (VOL.) 3
Neither (VOL.) 5
Would not vote (VOL.) 2
Don't know 2
Refused 2

D11. What is the highest level of school you have completed or the highest degree you have received? (DO NOT READ)
Less than high school (Grades 1-8 or no formal schooling) ..... 4
High school incomplete (Grades 9-11 or Grade 12 with NO diploma) ..... 4
High school graduate (Grade 12 with diploma or GED certificate) ..... 30
Some college, no degree (includes some community college) ..... 19
Two year associate degree from a college/university ..... 13
Four year college or university degree/Bachelor's degree ..... 16
Some postgraduate or professional schooling, no postgraduate degree ..... 1
Postgraduate or professional degree, including master's, doctorate, medical or law degree ..... 11
Don’t know/Refused ..... 1

D12. Are you, yourself, of Hispanic or Latino background, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Spanish background?
D13. What is your race? Are you white, black, Asian or some other race? (IF RESPONDENT SAYS HISPANIC ASK: Do you consider yourself a white Hispanic or a black Hispanic?)

| White, non-Hispanic | 63 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Total non-White | 34 |  |
| $\quad$ Black or African-American, non-Hispanic | 12 |  |
| Hispanic | 15 |  |
| Asian, non-Hispanic | 4 |  |
| Other/Mixed race, non-Hispanic |  | 3 |
| Undesignated | 3 |  |

D12a. Were you born in the United States, on the island of Puerto Rico, or in another country?

Based on Hispanics ( $n=164$ )

| U.S. | 44 |
| :--- | :---: |
| Puerto Rico | 6 |
| Another country | 49 |
| Don't know/Refused | $*$ |

D14. Last year-that is, in 2015-what was your total family income from all sources, before taxes? Just stop me when I get to the right category. (READ)

Less than \$20,000 16
$\$ 20,000$ to less than $\$ 30,000 \quad 13$
$\$ 30,000$ to less than $\$ 40,00010$
$\$ 40,000$ to less than $\$ 50,000$
$\$ 50,000$ to less than \$75,000 13
$\$ 75,000$ to less than $\$ 90,0008$
$\$ 90,000$ to less than $\$ 100,0004$
\$100,000 or more 18
Don't know/Refused (VOL.) 10

END OF INTERVIEW: That's all the questions I have. Thanks for your time.

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[^0]:    1 "Not at all important" was not an answer option in the January 2016 survey.
    2 Don't know and Refused were combined in previous surveys. Trend results for "Refused" are shown in the "Don't know" category.

[^1]:    3 Trends based on random half sample.
    4 Trend results combine mentions of "Accessibility to health care for all" and "Should have national health plan/federalized healthcare/government funded"

[^2]:    5 May 2010 through December 2011 trend wording was "As you may know, a health reform bill was signed into law early last year..."

[^3]:    6 April 2010 trend wording was "[President Obama did sign a health reform bill into law last month...] Given what you know about the new health reform law, do you have a generally (favorable) or generally (unfavorable) opinion of it? (Is that a very favorable/unfavorable or somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?)"

[^4]:    7 February through June 2016 trend wording for this item was "Conflicts involving ISIS and other Islamic militant groups"
    8 November 2014 through January 2016 trend wording for this item was "Conflicts involving ISIS and other Islamic militant groups in Iraq and Syria"
    9 This item was added on July 7.

[^5]:    10 Don't know and Refused were combined in previous surveys. Trend results for "Refused" are shown in the "Don't know" category.
    11 September 2014 through January 2016 trend wording for this item was "Handling the Medicare program".
    12 September 2014 through January 2016 trend wording for this item was "Handling the Medicaid program".

