

Topline

KFF Health Tracking Poll/
KFF COVID-19 Vaccine Monitor
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METHODOLOGY

This *KFF Health Tracking Poll/ KFF COVID-19 Vaccine Monitor* was designed and analyzed by public opinion researchers at the Kaiser Family Foundation (KFF). The survey was conducted February 15-23, 2021, among a nationally representative random digit dial telephone sample of 1,874 adults ages 18 and older (including interviews from 506 Hispanic adults and 507 non-Hispanic Black adults), living in the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii (note: persons without a telephone could not be included in the random selection process). Phone numbers used for this study were randomly generated from cell phone and landline sampling frames, with an overlapping frame design, and disproportionate stratification aimed at reaching Hispanic and non-Hispanic Black respondents. Stratification was based on incidence of the race/ethnicity subgroups within each frame. Specifically, the cell phone frame was stratified as: (1) High Hispanic: Cell phone numbers associated with rate centers from counties where at least 35% of the population is Hispanic; (2) High Black: Cell phone numbers associated with remaining rate centers from counties where at least 35% of the population is non-Hispanic Black; (3) Else: numbers from all remaining rate centers. The landline frame was stratified as: (1) High Black: landline exchanges associated with Census block groups where at least 35% of the population is Black; (2) Else: all -remaining landline exchanges. The sample also included 190 respondents reached by calling back respondents that had previously completed an interview on the KFF Health Tracking poll at least nine months ago. Another 387 interviews were completed with respondents who had previously completed an interview on the SSRS Omnibus poll (and other RDD polls) and identified as Hispanic ($n = 180$; including 50 in Spanish) or non-Hispanic Black ($n=207$). Computer-assisted telephone interviews conducted by landline (339) and cell phone (1,535, including 1,143 who had no landline telephone) were carried out in English and Spanish by SSRS of Glen Mills, PA. To efficiently obtain a sample of lower-income and non-White respondents, the sample also included an oversample of prepaid (pay-as-you-go) telephone numbers (25% of the cell phone sample consisted of prepaid numbers) Both the random digit dial landline and cell phone samples were provided by Marketing Systems Group (MSG). 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 2019 U.S. American Community Survey (ACS), on sex, age, education, race, Hispanic origin, and region, within race-groups, 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 2020 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, and design modifications, namely, the oversampling of prepaid cell phones and likelihood of non-response for the re-contacted 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](#).

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Group	N (unweighted)	M.O.S.E.
Total	1,874	± 3 percentage points
COVID-19 Vaccination Status		
Have gotten at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine	390	± 7 percentage points
Have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine	1,481	± 4 percentage points
Race/Ethnicity		
White, non-Hispanic	733	± 4 percentage points
Black, non-Hispanic	507	± 6 percentage points
Hispanic	506	± 5 percentage points
Party Identification		
Democrats	764	± 5 percentage points
Republicans	328	± 7 percentage points
Independents	555	± 6 percentage points

Notes for reading the topline:

- Percentages may not always add up to 100 percent due to rounding.
- Values less than 0.5 percent are indicated by an asterisk (*).
- "Vol." indicates a response was volunteered by the respondent, not offered as an explicit choice
- Questions are presented in the order asked; question numbers may not be sequential.

All trends shown in this document come from the KFF Health Tracking Polls except for:

01/11: Kaiser Family Foundation/Harvard School of Public Health, The Public's Health Care Agenda for the 112th Congress (January 4-14, 2011)

09/20: KFF/The Undefeated Poll on Race and Health (August 20-September 14, 2020)

12/20: KFF Health Tracking Poll/KFF COVID-19 Vaccine Monitor (conducted November 30-December 8, 2020)

01/21: KFF COVID-19 Vaccine Monitor (conducted January 11-18, 2021)

HISPANIC. Are you, yourself, of Hispanic or Latino background, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Spanish background?

	2/21
Yes	16
No	83
Don't know	-
Refused	1

RACE. 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? CODE AS WHITE (1) OR BLACK (2). IF RESPONDENTS REFUSED TO PICK WHITE OR BLACK HISPANIC, RECORD HISPANIC AS "OTHER," CODE 97)

Race/Hispanic Combo Table

Based on total

	2/21
White, non-Hispanic	62
Total non-White	38
Black or African-American, non-Hispanic	12
Hispanic	16
Asian, non-Hispanic	3
Other/Mixed race, non-Hispanic	5
Undesignated	2

NATIVITY. Were you born in the United States (IF HISPANIC=1 INSERT, on the island of Puerto Rico), or in another country?

Based on Hispanics

	2/21
U.S.	50
Puerto Rico	3
Another country	46
Don't know	*
Refused	1
	<i>n=506</i>

Q1. How much do you trust the U.S. government to look out for the interests of people like you?

	2/21
A lot/Some (NET)	53
A lot	15
Some	38
Not too much/Not at all (NET)	45
Not too much	23
Not at all	22
Don't know/Refused	1

Q2. Overall, do you (approve) or (disapprove) of the way President Biden is handling the coronavirus pandemic in the United States? (Rotate text in parentheses)

	2/21
Approve	62
Disapprove	30
Don't know/Refused	8

Q3. Do you think President Biden is doing (too much), about the right amount, or (not enough) to help people who have lost jobs or income due to the coronavirus pandemic? (Rotate text in parentheses)

	2/21
Too much	6
About the right amount	41
Not enough	45
Don't know/Refused	7

Q4. Do you think Congress is doing (too much), about the right amount, or (not enough) to help people who have lost jobs or income due to the coronavirus pandemic? (Rotate text in parentheses)

	2/21
Too much	6
About the right amount	18
Not enough	73
Don't know/Refused	4

ACA. As you may know a health reform bill was signed into law in 2010, known commonly as the Affordable Care Act or Obamacare. 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?]

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know/Refused
2/21	26	28	15	24	7
12/20	32	21	11	23	13
10/20	29	26	14	26	6
9/20	26	23	14	28	9
7/20	31	20	11	25	13
5/20	24	27	14	27	8
Early 4/20	22	28	17	22	12
02/20	24	31	14	23	9
01/20	28	25	11	26	10
11/19	26	26	12	29	7
10/19	30	21	12	28	8
09/19	29	24	15	26	7
07/19	26	22	12	29	12
06/19	27	19	13	27	12
04/19	29	21	11	27	13
03/19	27	23	11	28	11
02/19	28	22	12	25	12
01/19	29	22	12	28	10
11/18	28	25	14	26	8
09/18	23	26	15	27	9
08/18	26	24	13	27	10
07/18	28	20	12	28	11
06/18	26	24	13	28	8
04/18	27	22	15	28	9
03/18	26	24	15	28	7

ACA continued...

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know/Refused
02/18	33	21	12	30	5
01/18	27	23	12	30	8
11/17	29	21	17	29	5
10/17	29	22	13	27	9
09/17	27	19	14	30	10
08/17	30	22	10	29	8
07/17	28	22	12	32	6
06/17	29	22	14	27	8
05/17	29	20	13	29	9
Late 04/17 ¹	24	24	15	26	12
Early 04/17	20	26	16	30	9
03/17	21	28	15	29	6
02/17	20	28	15	27	10
12/16	21	22	16	30	11
11/16	19	24	17	28	11
10/16	19	26	13	32	10
09/16	18	26	17	30	9
08/16	19	21	14	28	17
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

¹ January 2012 through Late April 2017 trend wording was "As you may know, a health reform bill was signed into law in 2010..."

ACA continued...

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know/Refused
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 ²	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
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 ³	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 ⁴	23	23	10	30	14

² February 2011 through December 2011 trend wording was “As you may know, a health reform bill was signed into law early last year. Given what you know about the 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?)”

³ May 2010 through December 2011 trend wording was “As you may know, a health reform bill was signed into law earlier this year...”

⁴ 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?)”

Q5. What would you like to see the Biden administration and Congress do when it comes to the health care law? (rotate 1-4/4-1)

	Build on what the law does	Keep the law as it is	Scale back what the law does	Repeal the entire law	None of these/ Something else (Vol.)	Don't know	Refused ⁵
2/21	49	13	8	23	2	4	*
12/20 ⁶	48	14	9	20	2	7	1
11/16 ⁷	30	19	17	26	3	3	1
10/16 ⁸	31	18	9	32	6	3	1
06/16 ⁹	28	17	11	33	5	7	--
04/16	30	14	11	32	6	7	--
01/16	30	20	12	30	2	5	--
12/15	22	18	14	35	4	7	--
11/15	26	16	12	30	6	10	--
10/15	28	16	11	32	5	7	--
09/15	25	18	11	31	5	9	--
08/15	28	22	12	28	4	5	--
06/29/15	25	22	12	27	5	7	--
06/09/15	24	19	12	29	7	10	--
04/15	24	22	12	29	5	8	--
03/15	23	23	10	30	7	7	--
01/15	23	19	14	32	5	7	--
12/14	24	21	12	31	4	7	--
11/14	22	20	17	29	5	8	--

Q6. Do you (favor) or (oppose) (INSERT ITEM)? (rotate items a-b; rotate text in parentheses)

	Favor	Oppose	Don't know	Refused
a. Expanding government financial help for people who buy their own health insurance				
2/21	69	23	7	*
b. Providing more federal funding to states that have not yet expanded Medicaid if they expand their Medicaid program to cover more low-income adults				
2/21	76	20	3	*

READ TO ALL: Moving on to another topic...

⁵ Don't know and Refused were recorded separately for this question and some other questions throughout the survey. Prior to October 2016, Don't know/Refused was combined into one category. Trend results prior to 2016 for "Refused" are shown in the "Don't know" category.

⁶ December 2020 question wording was: "What would you like to see the next presidential administration and Congress do when it comes to the health care law?"

⁷ November 2016 question wording was: "What would you like to see President-elect Donald Trump and the next Congress do when it comes to the health care law? Expand what the law does, move forward with implementing the law as it is, scale back what the law does, or repeal the entire law?"

⁸ October 2016 question wording was "What would you like to see the next president and Congress do when it comes to the health care law?"

⁹ November 2014 to April 2016 question wording was "What would you like to see Congress do when it comes to the health care law?"

Q7. Generally speaking, how often do you think our health care system treats people unfairly based on their race or ethnic background?

	2/21	9/20 ¹⁰	10/99
Very/Somewhat often (NET)	57	45	48
Very often	29	15	13
Somewhat often	28	30	34
Not too often/Never (NET)	39	50	43
Not too often	28	31	34
Never	11	18	9
Don't know	4	4	9
Refused/Blank	*	1	*
	<i>n</i> =1,874	<i>n</i> =1,769	<i>n</i> =3,884

Q8. Was there a time in the last twelve months when you felt you were treated unfairly because of your racial or ethnic background while getting health care for yourself or a family member?

	2/21	9/20 ¹¹	6/20
Yes	12	10	8
No	87	88	91
Not applicable	-	1	1
Don't know/Refused/Blank	1	*	*
	<i>n</i> =1,874	<i>n</i> =1,769	<i>n</i> =1,296

READ TO ALL: Now I want to ask you some questions about coronavirus, also known as COVID-19.

Q9. Thinking about what is said in the news, in your view is the seriousness of coronavirus (generally exaggerated), generally correct, or is it (generally underestimated)? (rotate text in parentheses)

	2/21	1/21	12/20
Generally exaggerated	31	28	35
Generally correct	41	47	36
Generally underestimated	27	22	25
Don't know	1	3	3
Refused	*	1	1
	<i>n</i> =1,874	<i>n</i> =1,563	<i>n</i> =1,676

Q10. How worried, if at all, are you that you or someone in your family will get sick from the coronavirus? Are you very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried, or not at all worried?

	Very/ Somewhat worried (NET)	Very worried	Somewhat worried	Not too/Not at all worried (NET)	Not too worried	Not at all worried	Not Applicable (Vol) ¹²	Don't Know/ Refused (NET)	
2/21	63	32	31	33	20	12	4	*	<i>n</i> =1,874
1/21	65	33	32	30	19	11	4	*	<i>n</i> =1,563
12/20	68	30	38	29	15	14	3	*	<i>n</i> =1,676
10/20	66	35	31	31	18	12	3	*	<i>n</i> =1,207
Early 4/20	53	28	24	41	17	24	6	*	<i>n</i> =1,226
3/20	62	27	36	37	21	16	-	*	<i>n</i> =1,216
2/20 ¹³	43	22	21	56	33	23	-	1	<i>n</i> =1,207

¹⁰ Trend from KFF/Undeclared Survey on Race and Health, September 2020

¹¹ Trend from KFF/Undeclared Survey on Race and Health, September 2020

¹² They or a family member has already gotten sick from coronavirus (Vol.)

¹³ February 2020 trend wording was "How concerned, if at all, are you that you or someone in your family will get sick from the coronavirus" They or a family member has already gotten sick from coronavirus was volunteered response.

VACC1. Have you personally received the COVID-19 vaccine, or not? **IF YES ASK:** Did you receive a single dose or have you received both doses of the vaccine?

	2/21	1/21 ¹⁴
Yes (NET)	18	6
Yes, single dose	9	-
Yes, both doses	9	-
No	82	94
Don't know	-	*
Refused	*	*
	<i>N=1,874</i>	<i>N=1,563</i>

Q11. Did someone else help you find or schedule a vaccine appointment, or did you complete the process on your own?

Based on those who have gotten at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Someone else helped find or schedule vaccine appointment	39
Completed process on their own	59
Don't know	1
Refused	*
	<i>n=390</i>

VACC1/Q11 Combo table

Based on total

	2/21
Yes received at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine	18
Someone else helped find or schedule vaccine appointment	7
Completed process on their own	11
Don't know/Refused	*
No, did not receive the COVID-19 vaccine	82
Don't know/Refused	*

VACHES. When an FDA approved vaccine for COVID-19 is available to you for free, do you think you will...? (READ LIST) (rotate 1-4,4-1)

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21	1/21	12/20 ¹⁵
As soon as you can/Wait and see (NET)	72	77	73
Get the vaccine as soon as you can	46	44	34
Wait until it has been available for a while to see how it is working for other people	27	34	39
Only if required/Definitely not (NET)	26	21	24
Only get the vaccine if you are required to do so for work, school, or other activities	8	7	9
Definitely not get the vaccine	18	14	15
Don't know	1	1	2
Refused	*	*	*
	<i>n=1,481</i>	<i>n=1,454</i>	<i>n=1,676</i>

¹⁴ January 2021 question wording: "Have you personally received at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, or not?"

¹⁵ December 2020 question wording: "When a vaccine for COVID-19 is approved by the FDA and widely available to anyone who wants it, do you think you will...?"

VACC1/VACHES Combo table

Based on total

	2/21	1/21	12/20
Yes, received at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine	18	6	--
No, did not receive COVID-19 vaccine	82	94	--
As soon as you can/Wait and see (NET)	59	72	73
Get vaccine as soon as you can	37	41	34
Wait until it has been available for a while to see how it is working for other people	22	31	39
Only if required/Definitely not (NET)	22	20	24
Only get the vaccine if you are required to do so for work, school, or other activities	7	7	9
Definitely not get the vaccine	15	13	15
Don't know/Refused	1	1	3
	<i>N=1,874</i>	<i>N=1,563</i>	<i>N=1,676</i>

Q12. Which comes closer to your view: getting vaccinated against COVID-19 (is a personal choice) OR getting vaccinated (is part of everyone's responsibility to protect the health of others)? (rotate text in parentheses)

	2/21	1/21	12/20
Getting vaccinated is a personal choice	45	44	49
Getting vaccinated is part of everyone's responsibility to protect the health of others	52	51	49
Both (Vol.)	2	3	2
Neither (Vol.)	*	*	*
Don't know	1	1	1
Refused	*	*	*
	<i>n=1,874</i>	<i>n=1,563</i>	<i>n=1,676</i>

VACC2. Do you personally know anyone who has been vaccinated for COVID-19, or not? IF YES ASK: Is that someone in your household, another family member or close friend, or someone else?

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21	1/21 ¹⁶
Yes (NET)	75	44
Yes, someone in household	8	-
Yes, another family member or close friend	55	-
Yes, someone else	11	-
No	24	56
Don't know	1	*
Refused	*	-
	<i>n=1,481</i>	<i>n=1,454</i>

¹⁶ January 2021 question wording was: "Do you personally know anyone who has been vaccinated for COVID-19, or not?"

VACC1/VACC2 Combo table

Based on total

	2/21	1/21
Yes, received at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine	18	6
No, did not receive COVID-19 vaccine	82	94
Yes, know someone who has been vaccinated	61	41
No, do not know someone who has been vaccinated	20	53
Don't know/Refused	*	-
Don't know/Refused	*	*
	<i>n=1,874</i>	<i>n=1,563</i>

Q13. Has what you have heard from people you know about their experience getting vaccinated made you (more likely) or (less likely) to want to get vaccinated yourself, or has it made no difference?

Based on those who know someone who has gotten vaccine

	2/21
More likely	21
Less likely	8
No difference	69
Don't know	1
Refused	*
	<i>n=1,070</i>

VACC1/VACC2/Q13 Combo Table

Based on total

	2/21
Yes, received COVID-19 vaccine	18
No, did not receive COVID-19 vaccine	82
Yes, know someone who has been vaccinated	61
More likely to get vaccinated	13
Less likely to get vaccinated	5
No difference	43
Don't know/Refused	1
No, do not know someone who has been vaccinated	20
Don't know/Refused	*
Don't know/Refused	*

Q14. Do you feel you have enough information about (INSERT ITEM), or not? (scramble a-c)

Table I

Item a based on total

Items b and c based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	Have enough information	Do not have enough information	Don't know	Refused	
a. The potential side effects of the COVID-19 vaccine					
2/21	51	48	1	*	n=1,874
1/21	45	54	1	*	n=1,563
b. Where you will be able to get a COVID-19 vaccine					
2/21	55	45	1	*	n=1,481
1/21	43	55	1	*	n=1,454
c. When you will be able to get the COVID-19 vaccine					
2/21	36	63	1	1	n=1,481
1/21	37	60	2	1	n=1,454

Table II

Based on those who have gotten covid-19 vaccine

	Have enough information	Do not have enough information	Don't know	Refused	
a. The potential side effects of the COVID-19 vaccine					
2/21	78	20	1	-	n=390

Table III

Based on those who have not gotten covid-19 vaccine

	Have enough information	Do not have enough information	Don't know	Refused	
a. The potential side effects of the COVID-19 vaccine					
2/21	45	54	1	*	n=1,481 N=390

Q15. Having gotten your COVID-19 vaccine, do you think you will now (strictly follow social distancing guidelines), probably follow most social distancing guidelines, but not as strictly, or will you (no longer follow social distancing guidelines)? (rotate text in parentheses)

Based on those who have gotten at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Strictly follow social distancing guideline	75
Probably follow most social distancing guidelines	23
No longer follow social distancing guidelines	2
Don't know	*
Refused	-

Q16. Have you personally tried to (INSERT ITEM), or not?

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	Yes	No	Don't know	Refused	
a. Find information about when and where you can get the COVID-19 vaccine 2/21	44	56	*	-	<i>n=1,481</i>
b. Get an appointment for the COVID-19 vaccine for yourself 2/21	16	84	-	-	<i>n=1,481</i>

Q17. Were you able to get an appointment for the COVID-19 vaccine, or not?

Based on those who have tried to get an appointment to get a COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Yes	25
No	74
Don't know/Refused	1
	<i>n=291</i>

Q16b/Q17 Combo table

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Tried to get an appointment for the COVID-19 vaccine	16
Yes, got an appointment	4
No, did not get an appointment	12
Don't know/Refused	*
Did not try to get an appointment for the COVID-19 vaccine	84
Don't know/Refused	-
	<i>n=1,481</i>

Q18. Overall, how (easy) or (difficult) was it to (INSERT)? (Rotate text in parentheses; scramble a-c)

Table I

Item a based on those who have gotten at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine or tried to get information about when and where to get vaccinated

Item b based on those who have gotten at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine or tried to get vaccine appointment

Item c based on those who have gotten at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine

	Very/ Somewhat Easy (NET)	Very easy	Somewhat easy	Somewhat/ Very difficult (NET)	Somewhat difficult	Very difficult	Not applicable (Vol.)	Don't know/ Refused	
a. Find information about when and where to get the vaccine 2/21	63	37	26	36	23	13	1	*	n=1,064
b. Get an appointment to be vaccinated 2/21	52	38	14	42	16	26	5	1	n=681
c. Travel to and from the place where you were vaccinated 2/21	91	80	10	9	8	1	*	*	n=390

Table II

Based on those who have gotten at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine

	Very/ Somewhat Easy (NET)	Very easy	Somewhat easy	Somewhat/ Very difficult (NET)	Somewhat difficult	Very difficult	Not applicable (Vol.)	Don't know/ Refused	
a. Find information about when and where to get the vaccine 2/21	75	57	18	24	14	10	1	1	n=390
b. Get an appointment to be vaccinated 2/21	69	54	15	27	14	13	3	1	n=390
c. Travel to and from the place where you were vaccinated 2/21	91	80	10	9	8	1	*	*	n=390

Table III

Item a based on those who have not gotten at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine and have tried to find information about when/where to get the vaccine

Item b based on those who have not gotten at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine and have tried to get an appointment to be vaccinated

	Very/ Somewhat Easy (NET)	Very easy	Somewhat easy	Somewhat/ Very difficult (NET)	Somewhat difficult	Very difficult	Not applicable (Vol.)	Don't know/ Refused	
a. Find information about when and where to get the vaccine									
2/21	57	27	30	42	27	14	1	*	n=674
b. Get an appointment to be vaccinated									
2/21	27	16	11	62	20	42	9	2	n=291

Q19. Have you helped someone else try to (INSERT ITEM), or not?

	Yes	No	Don't know	Refused
a. Find information about when and where to get the COVID-19 vaccine				
2/21	33	67	-	-
b. Get an appointment for the COVID-19 vaccine				
2/21	23	77	*	-

Q20. Was the person you were helping able to get at least one dose of the vaccine, did they get an appointment but haven't gotten their first dose yet, or have they not gotten the vaccine and do not have an appointment scheduled?

Based on those who have helped someone try to get information or an appointment

	2/21
Gotten at least one dose of the vaccine	42
Gotten an appointment, but have not gotten their first dose	15
Have not gotten the vaccine and do not have an appointment	37
Don't know	6
Refused	*
	n=709

Q21. Thinking about the person you were helping, overall, how (easy) or (difficult) was it to (INSERT)? (Rotate text in parentheses; scramble a-c)

Item a based on those who helped someone find information

Item b based on those who helped someone get an appointment

	Very/ Somewhat Easy (NET)	Very easy	Somewhat easy	Somewha t/Very difficult (NET)	Somewha t difficult	Not applicable (Vol.)	Very difficult	Don't know/ Refused	
a. Find information about when and where they get the vaccine									
2/21	62	34	28	38	25	*	13	*	n=679
b. Get them a vaccination appointment									
2/21	46	26	21	49	24	4	26	1	n=471

SPVACINFO. Overall, how (easy) or (difficult) was it to find information about the COVID-19 vaccine in Spanish? (Rotate text in parentheses; Rotate 1-4/4-1)

Based on those who interviewed in Spanish who have tried to find vaccine information for themselves or someone else

Insufficient sample size to report

Q22. Have you asked a doctor or other health care professional for information about the COVID-19 vaccine, or not?

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21	1/21
Yes	25	26
No	75	74
Don't know	-	*
Refused	-	*
	n=1,481	n=1,563

Q23. Were you personally contacted by a health care provider, health insurance provider, public health agency or other organization with information about how to get the COVID-19 vaccine, or not?

Table I

Based on total respondents

	2/21
Yes	24
No	76
Don't know	*
Refused	-

Table II

Based on those who have gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Yes	50
No	49
Don't know	1
Refused	-
	<i>n=390</i>

Table III

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Yes	18
No	82
Don't know	*
Refused	-
	<i>n=1,481</i>

Q24. Have you seen any messaging or advertising in the media or online urging people to get the COVID-19 vaccine, or not?

Table I

Based on total respondents

	2/21
Yes	71
No	28
Don't know	1
Refused	-

Table II

Based on those who have gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Yes	76
No	24
Don't know	*
Refused	-
	<i>n=390</i>

Table III

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Yes	71
No	29
Don't know	1
Refused	-
	<i>n=1,481</i>

Q27. How worried, if at all, are you that the currently available COVID-19 vaccines might not be effective against new strains of coronavirus?
 Are you very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried, or not at all worried?

Table I

Based on total

	2/21
Very/Somewhat worried (NET)	53
Very worried	17
Somewhat worried	36
Not too/Not at all worried (NET)	47
Not too worried	27
Not at all worried	20
Don't know	*
Refused	*

Table II

Based on those who have gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Very/Somewhat worried (NET)	45
Very worried	10
Somewhat worried	35
Not too/Not at all worried (NET)	55
Not too worried	35
Not at all worried	20
Don't know	*
Refused	*
	<i>n=390</i>

Table III

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Very/Somewhat worried (NET)	55
Very worried	18
Somewhat worried	36
Not too/Not at all worried (NET)	45
Not too worried	25
Not at all worried	20
Don't know	*
Refused	*
	<i>n=1,481</i>

Q28. How concerned are you, if at all, that (INSERT FIRST ITEM)? (READ FOR FIRST ITEM AND IF NECESSARY FOR NEXT ITEMS: Are you very concerned, somewhat concerned, not too concerned, or not at all concerned?) (scramble a-e)

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	Very/ Somewhat Concerned (NET)	Very concerned	Somewhat Concerned	Not too/Not at all concerned (NET)	Not too concerned	Not at all concerned	Not applicable (Vol.)	Don't know/ Refused (NET)	
a. You might get COVID-19 from the vaccine									
2/21	33	16	16	66	15	51	1	1	n=1,481
1/21	31	15	15	68	22	46	-	1	n=1,454
b. You might experience serious side effects from the COVID-19 vaccine									
2/21	56	28	27	43	18	25	*	1	n=1,481
1/21	59	31	28	40	23	17	-	*	n=1,454
c. You might need to take time off work to go and get the COVID vaccine									
2/21	17	8	9	78	17	61	5	*	n=1,481
d. You might have to pay an out-of-pocket cost to get the COVID-19 vaccine									
2/21	35	19	16	64	18	46	1	1	n=1,481
e. It will be difficult for you to travel to a vaccination site to get the COVID-19 vaccine									
2/21	20	9	11	79	14	65	1	1	n=1,481
f. You won't be able to get the vaccine from a place you trust									
2/21	30	15	15	69	18	51	1	*	n=1,481
g. You might need to miss work if the side effects of the vaccine make you feel sick for a day or more									
2/21	34	19	15	61	17	45	4	*	n=1,481

Q29. As you may know, the current COVID-19 vaccines available in the U.S. require two doses. Would you be more likely to get the COVID-19 vaccine if only one dose was required, or would it make no difference?

Based on those who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
More likely	15
Would make no difference	83
Would be less likely to get if required one dose (Vol.)	1
Don't know	1
Refused	*
	<i>n=1,481</i>

Q30. If the COVID-19 vaccine was available at (INSERT ITEM), how likely would you be to go there to get it? Would you be very likely, somewhat likely not too likely or not at all likely? How about if the COVID-19 vaccine was available at (INSERT NEXT ITEM)? READ IF NECESSARY: Would you be very likely, somewhat likely not too likely or not at all likely to go there to get the vaccine? (scramble a-i)

Based on those who have not received the COVID-19 vaccine, and would get vaccine as soon as possible, wait and see, or if required

	Very/ Somewhat Likely (NET)	Very likely	Somewhat likely	Not too/Not at all likely (NET)	Not too likely	Not at all likely	Not applicabl e (Vol.)	Don't know/ Refused (NET)	
a. A local pharmacy 2/21	86	61	25	14	6	8	-	*	<i>n=1,228</i>
b. Your workplace 2/21	62	48	15	29	9	20	9	*	<i>n=1,228</i>
c. A grocery store 2/21	53	31	22	46	20	27	-	*	<i>n=1,228</i>
d. A local church or religious center 2/21	64	37	27	35	14	21	*	*	<i>n=1,228</i>
e. A local school 2/21	69	41	27	31	12	18	*	*	<i>n=1,228</i>
f. A community health clinic 2/21	78	49	29	22	11	11	*	1	<i>n=1,228</i>
g. A hospital 2/21	81	55	26	19	11	8	-	*	<i>n=1,228</i>
h. Your own doctor's office 2/21	89	75	14	10	5	5	*	*	<i>n=1,228</i>
i. A large vaccination site run by the government 2/21	67	44	23	32	14	18	-	1	<i>n=1,228</i>

Q31. Of the following places, where would you MOST like to be able to get the vaccine?

Asked of those who named more than one location where they would be very or somewhat likely to get vaccinated.

Q30/Q31 Combo Table

Based on those who have not received the COVID-19 vaccine, and would get vaccine as soon as possible, wait and see, or if required -- includes those who said only one very or somewhat likely in Q30

	2/21
Your own doctor's office	38
A local pharmacy	15
A hospital	9
Your workplace	8
A large vaccination site run by the government	5
A community health clinic	4
A grocery store	4
A local school	4
A local church or religious center	3
No preference (Vol)	3
None of these	6
Don't Know/Refused	*
	<i>n=1,228</i>

Q33. How confident are you, if at all, that the distribution of the COVID-19 vaccine in the U.S. is taking the needs of Black people into account?

Table I

Based on total Black adults

	2/21	1/21
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	49	46
Very confident	16	10
Somewhat confident	33	36
Not too/Not at all confident (NET)	47	52
Not too confident	25	31
Not at all confident	22	21
Don't know	3	1
Refused	1	*
	<i>n=507</i>	<i>n=310</i>

Table II

Based on total Black adults who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	48
Very confident	15
Somewhat confident	33
Not too/Not at all confident (NET)	48
Not too confident	25
Not at all confident	23
Don't know	3
Refused	1
	<i>n=414</i>

Q33a. How confident are you, if at all, that the COVID-19 vaccines were adequately tested for safety and effectiveness specifically among Black people?

Table I

Based on total Black adults

	2/21
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	48
Very confident	15
Somewhat confident	33
Not too/Not at all confident (NET)	50
Not too confident	25
Not at all confident	25
Don't know	1
Refused	1
	<i>n=507</i>

Table II

Based on total Black adults who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	45
Very confident	14
Somewhat confident	32
Not too/Not at all confident (NET)	53
Not too confident	25
Not at all confident	28
Don't know	1
Refused	1
	<i>n=414</i>

Q34. How confident are you, if at all, that the distribution of the COVID-19 vaccine in the U.S. is taking the needs of Hispanic or Latino people into account?

Table I

Based on total Hispanic adults

	2/21	1/21
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	61	53
Very confident	24	15
Somewhat confident	37	38
Not too/Not at all confident (NET)	35	44
Not too confident	26	30
Not at all confident	9	14
Don't know	4	3
Refused	1	-
	<i>n=506</i>	<i>n=306</i>

Table II

Based on total Hispanic adults who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	61
Very confident	24
Somewhat confident	36
Not too/Not at all confident (NET)	35
Not too confident	26
Not at all confident	9
Don't know	4
Refused	1
	<i>n=432</i>

Q34a. How confident are you, if at all, that the COVID-19 vaccines were adequately tested for safety and effectiveness specifically among Hispanic people?

Table I

Based on total Hispanic adults

	2/21
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	63
Very confident	23
Somewhat confident	41
Not too/Not at all confident (NET)	33
Not too confident	21
Not at all confident	13
Don't know	3
Refused	1
	<i>n=506</i>

Table II

Based on total Hispanic adults who have not gotten the COVID-19 vaccine

	2/21
Very/Somewhat confident (NET)	61
Very confident	21
Somewhat confident	40
Not too/Not at all confident (NET)	36
Not too confident	22
Not at all confident	14
Don't know	2
Refused	*
	<i>n=432</i>

READ TO ALL: Moving on to another topic related to the coronavirus pandemic...

Q35. In the past three months, have you or any other adult in your household (INSERT ITEM), or not? (scramble a-g)

	Yes	No	Don't know/ Refused (NET)	Don't know	Refused	
a. fallen behind in paying your rent or mortgage						
2/21	16	84	*	*	*	<i>n=1,874</i>
7/20	17	83	*	*	-	<i>n=1,313</i>
b. had problems paying for food						
2/21	17	83	*	*	*	<i>n=1,874</i>
7/20	17	82	*	*	-	<i>n=1,313</i>
d. fallen behind in paying credit card or other bills						
2/21	23	76	1	*	*	<i>n=1,874</i>
7/20	22	77	1	1	*	<i>n=1,313</i>
e. had problems affording health insurance coverage						
2/21	16	81	1	1	*	<i>n=1,874</i>
7/20	18	81	1	1	*	<i>n=1,313</i>
g. had problems paying your medical bills						
2/21	16	84	*	*	*	<i>n=1,874</i>
7/20	17	83	*	*	*	<i>n=1,313</i>

INCLOSSTOTAL. Since February 2020, have you or another adult in your household lost a job, been placed on furlough, or had your income or hours reduced because of the coronavirus outbreak, or not?

	2/21
Yes	44
No	55
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	*

READ TO ALL: Now I have a few questions we will use to describe the people who took part in our survey...

AGE. What is your age?

AGE2. (ASK IF DON'T KNOW OR REFUSED AGE) Could you please tell me if you are between the ages of... (READ LIST)

RECA2 VARIABLE

	2/21
18-29	21
30-49	34
50-64	24
65+	21
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*

CHILD. Are you the parent or guardian of any child under the age of 18 living in your household?

	2/21
Yes	30
No	70
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	-

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

	2/21
Married	44
Living with a partner	10
Widowed	6
Divorced	11
Separated	3
Never been married	25
Don't know/Refused (NET)	1
Don't know	*
Refused	*

EMPLOY. What best described your employment situation today?

	2/21
Employed (NET)	56
Employed full-time	45
Employed part-time	11
Unemployed (NET)	9
Unemployed and currently seeking employment	7
Unemployed and not seeking employment	2
A student	5
Retired	18
On disability and can't work	6
Or, a homemaker or stay at home parent?	6
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	*

ESSENTIAL. Have you been deemed an essential worker, meaning you are still required to work outside your home during the coronavirus outbreak?

Table I

Based on total employed

	2/21
Yes	62
No	38
Don't know/Refused (NET)	1
Don't know	1
Refused	-
	<i>n=970</i>

Table II

Based on total employed in a non-healthcare setting

	2/21
Yes	57
No	42
Don't know/Refused (NET)	1
Don't know	1
Refused	-
	<i>n=852</i>

HEAL1a. Do you or anyone in your household work in a health care delivery setting, such as a doctor's office, clinic, hospital, nursing home, or provide in-home health care? (IF YES ASK: Is that you or someone else in your household?)

	2/21
Yes (NET)	18
Yes, they work in health care delivery setting	7
Yes, someone else in household works in health care delivery setting	9
Yes, both they and someone else in household work in health care delivery setting	2
No one in household works in health care delivery setting	82
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*

DELAYEDCARE. In the past 30 days, have you or a family member in your household skipped or postponed any type of medical or dental care due to the ongoing coronavirus outbreak, or not? (IF YES ASK: And was that you, a family member, or both you and a family member who skipped or postponed medical or dental care?)

	2/21	12/20	10/20
Yes (NET)	28	25	25
Yes, respondent	12	10	9
Yes, a family member in household	5	5	4
Yes, both respondent and a family member in household	11	9	12
No	71	75	74
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*	*	1
	<i>n=1,874</i>	<i>n=1,676</i>	<i>n=1,207</i>

COVERAGE. 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])?

	2/21
Covered by health insurance	86
Not covered by health insurance	14
Don't know	*
Refused	*

AGECOV VARIABLE

	2/21
Insured less than 65	83
Uninsured less than 65	17
	<i>n</i> = 1,333

COVTYPE. 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? [INTERVIEWER NOTE: IF R SAYS THEY GOT INSURANCE THROUGH HEALTHCARE.GOV, OBAMACARE, OR A STATE HEALTH INSURANCE MARKETPLACE/EXCHANGE, CODE AS 3].

Based on those who are insured

	2/21
Plan through your employer	33
Plan through your spouse's employer	11
Plan you purchased yourself	7
Medicare	23
Medicaid	13
Somewhere else	5
Plan through your parents/mother/father (Vol.)	6
Don't know	*
Refused	*
	<i>n</i> =1,587

COVERAGE/COVTYPE Combo Table

Based on total

	2/21
Covered by health insurance	86
Employer	29
Spouse's employer	10
Self-purchased plan	6
Medicare	20
Medicaid	11
Somewhere else	5
Plan through parents/mother/father (Vol.)	5
Don't know/Refused	1
Not covered by health insurance	14
Don't know/Refused	*

AGECOVTYPE VARIABLE

Based on those ages 18-64

	2/21
Covered by health insurance	83
Employer	35
Spouse's employer	11
Self-purchased plan	7
Medicare	6
Medicaid	13
Somewhere else	5
Plan through parents/mother/father (Vol.)	7
Don't know/Refused	1
Not covered by health insurance	17
Don't know/Refused	*
	<i>n=1,336</i>

RSEX. Are you male or female?

	2/21
Male	49
Female	51
Other (Vol.)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	*

FLU. Do you normally get a flu vaccine each year, or not?

	2/21
Yes	56
No	44
Don't know	*
Refused	*

TEST1. Have you or someone you know tested positive for coronavirus, or not? IF YES ASK: Was that you, someone else in your household, or someone else? [IF BOTH RESPONDENT AND SOMEONE ELSE IN HOUSEHOLD OR SOMEONE ELSE GOT TESTED CODE AS 1] [IF SOMEONE IN HOUSEHOLD AND SOMEONE ELSE GOT TESTED CODE AS 2]

	2/21
Yes (NET)	69
Yes, respondent tested positive	10
Yes, someone else in household tested positive	8
Yes, someone else tested positive	51
No	31
They or someone they know have a test with results pending (Vol.)	*
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	*

CHRONICCOVID. Do you or anyone in your household have a serious health condition such as high blood pressure, heart disease, lung disease, cancer or diabetes, or not?

	2/21
Yes (NET)	48
Yes, respondent	22
Yes, someone else in household	16
Yes, both respondent and someone else in household	10
No one in household has serious health condition	51
Don't know/Refused (NET)	1
Don't know	*
Refused	*

PARTY. In politics today, do you consider yourself a: (Republican), (Democrat), an Independent, or what? (rotate items in parentheses)

	2/21
Republican	23
Democrat	33
Independent	32
Or what/Other/None/No preference	8
Don't know	2
Refused	2

PARTYLEAN. Do you LEAN more towards the (Republican) Party or the (Democratic) Party? (rotate items in parentheses in same order as PARTY)

Based on those who are not Republican or Democrat

	2/21
Republican	29
Democratic	35
Independent/don't lean to either party (Vol.)	23
Other party (Vol.)	1
Don't know	7
Refused	5
	<i>n=782</i>

Summary PARTY and PARTYLEAN

Based on total

	2/21
Republican/Lean Republican	36
Democrat/Lean Democratic	49
Pure Independent	12
Undesignated	3

Five-Point Party ID

	2/21
Democrat	33
Independent Lean Democrat	16
Independent/Don't lean	10
Independent Lean Republican	13
Republican	23
Undesignated	6

IDEOLOGY. Would you say your views in most political matters are liberal, moderate, or conservative?

	2/21
Liberal	26
Moderate	34
Conservative	33
Don't know	5
Refused	2

EDUC. What is the highest level of school you have completed or the highest degree you have received? (DO NOT READ LIST) [INTERVIEWER NOTE: Enter code 3-HS graduate if R completed vocational, business, technical, or training courses after high school that did NOT count toward an associate degree from a college, community college or university (e.g., training for a certificate or an apprenticeship)]

	2/21
HS grad or less (NET)	38
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 (NET)	31
Some college, no degree (includes some community college)	18
Two-year associate degree from a college or university	12
College grad+ (NET)	31
Four-year college or university degree/Bachelor's degree	18
Some postgraduate or professional schooling, no postgraduate degree	1
Postgraduate or professional degree, including master's, doctorate, medical or law degree	12
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*

INCOME. Last year – that is, in 2020 – what was your total family income from all sources, before taxes? Just stop me when I get to the right category. (READ LIST)

	2/21
Less than \$20,000	15
\$20,000 to less than \$30,000	12
\$30,000 to less than \$40,000	10
\$40,000 to less than \$50,000	7
\$50,000 to less than \$75,000	14
\$75,000 to less than \$90,000	6
\$90,000 to less than \$100,000	5
\$100,000 or more	22
Don't know/Refused (NET)	9

HHADULTS. How many adults, age 18 and over, currently live in your household including yourself?

	2/21
1	22
2	48
3	16
4	8
5	4
6 or greater	1
Don't know/Refused (NET)	1



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