

Topline

KFF Health Tracking Poll

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METHODOLOGY

This *KFF Health Tracking Poll* was designed and analyzed by public opinion researchers at KFF. The survey was conducted May 9-19, 2023, online and by telephone among a nationally representative sample of 1,674 U.S. adults in English (1,594) and in Spanish (80) including 799 women aged 18-49. The sample includes 1,393 adults reached through the SSRS Opinion Panel either online or over the phone ($n=45$ in Spanish). The SSRS Opinion Panel is a nationally representative probability-based panel where panel members are recruited randomly in one of two ways: (a) Through invitations mailed to respondents randomly sampled from an Address-Based Sample (ABS) provided by Marketing Systems Groups (MSG) through the U.S. Postal Service's Computerized Delivery Sequence (CDS); (b) from a dual-frame random digit dial (RDD) sample provided by MSG. For the online panel component, invitations were sent to panel members by email followed by up to three reminder emails. 1,360 panel members completed the survey online and panel members who do not use the internet were reached by phone (33).

Another 281 ($n=35$ in Spanish) interviews were conducted from a random digit dial telephone sample of prepaid cell phone numbers obtained through MSG. Phone numbers used for the prepaid cell phone component were randomly generated from a cell phone sampling frame with disproportionate stratification aimed at reaching Hispanic and non-Hispanic Black respondents. Stratification was based on incidence of the race/ethnicity groups within each frame. Respondents in the phone samples received a \$15 incentive via a check received by mail, and web respondents received a \$5 electronic gift card incentive (some harder-to-reach groups received a \$10 electronic gift card).

The online questionnaire included two questions designed to establish that respondents were paying attention. Cases that failed both attention check questions, those with over 30% item non-response, and cases with a length less than one quarter of the mean length by mode were flagged and reviewed. Cases were removed from the data if they failed two or more of these quality checks. Based on this criterion, 3 cases were removed.

The combined cell phone and panel samples were weighted to match the sample's demographics to the national U.S. adult population using data from the Census Bureau's 2021 Current Population Survey (CPS). The sample of female respondents 18-49 years old was weighted separately from other respondents to ensure representativeness of this group. Weighting parameters included sex, age, education, race/ethnicity, region, and education. The sample was weighted to match patterns of civic engagement from the September 2017 Volunteering and Civic Life Supplement data from the CPS and to match frequency of internet use from the National Public Opinion Reference Survey (NPORS) for Pew Research Center. Finally, the sample was weighted to match patterns of political party identification based on a parameter derived from recent ABS polls conducted by SSRS polls. The weights take into account differences in the probability of selection for each sample type (prepaid cell phone and panel). This includes adjustment for the sample design and geographic stratification of the cell phone sample, within household probability of selection, and the design of the panel-recruitment procedure.

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. Sampling error is only one of many potential sources of error and there may be other unmeasured error in this or any other public opinion poll. KFF 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	1,674	± 3 percentage points
Women ages 18-49	799	± 4 percentage points
Race/Ethnicity		
White, non-Hispanic	896	± 4 percentage points
Black, non-Hispanic	287	± 9 percentage points
Hispanic	351	± 8 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.
- No answer includes those who said 'Don't know' or refused to answer the question on the phone and those who skipped the question on the web.

Trended data prior to July 2022 were conducted using RDD methods. See footnotes for changes in question wording, and answer options when applicable. See previous methodology statements for differences in methodology for trended data.

All trends shown in this document come from KFF Health Tracking Polls or KFF COVID-19 Vaccine Monitor Polls except:

06/15: The Washington Post/KFF Feminism Survey (conducted May 21-June 17, 2015)

12/19: KFF Polling and Policy Insights: Abortion and STIs (conducted December 20-30, 2019)

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)

RECAGE2 VARIABLE

	5/23
18-29	21
30-49	33
50-64	24
65+	22
No answer	-

RGENDER. Do you describe yourself as a man, a woman, or in some other way?

	5/23
Man	48
Woman	51
Some other way	1
No answer	*

RVOTE. Are you registered to vote at your present address?

	5/23
Yes	82
No	17
No answer	1

Q1. How much do you trust the Supreme Court to make the right decisions about cases related to (INSERT ITEM)? (ROTATE ITEMS A-D)

	A lot/ Somewhat (NET)	A lot	Somewhat	Not too much/Not at all (NET)	Not too much	Not at all	No answer
a. Science and technology 5/23	55	12	43	45	30	15	*
b. Reproductive and sexual health 5/23	37	12	25	63	28	34	*
c. The role of the federal government 5/23	53	13	40	47	31	16	*
d. The future of the Affordable Care Act 5/23	49	11	38	50	32	18	*

Q2. Overall, do you (approve) or (disapprove) of the way the U.S. Supreme Court is handling its job? (ROTATE ITEMS IN PARENTHESES)

	5/23
Approve	41
Disapprove	58
No answer	1

SHOW TO ALL: Now changing topics to talk about the Food and Drug Administration, known as the FDA...

Q24. How much confidence do you have in the FDA to ensure that medications sold in the U.S. are safe and effective? (ROTATE ANSWER OPTIONS 1-4/4-1)

	5/23
A lot/Some confidence (NET)	65
A lot of confidence	23
Some confidence	42
A little/Not at all (NET)	35
A little confidence	21
No confidence at all	14
No answer	*

Q25. Do you think it is (appropriate) or (inappropriate) for a court to overturn the FDA's approval of a medication? (ROTATE ITEMS IN PARENTHESES)

	5/23
Appropriate	39
Inappropriate	60
No answer	1

SHOW TO ALL: Moving onto some questions about health care legislation...

ACA. In general, do you have a (favorable) or (unfavorable) opinion of the health reform bill signed into law in 2010, known commonly as the Affordable Care Act or Obamacare? (ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1; ROTATE TEXT IN PARENTHESES)

	5/23	3/23	3/22
Very/Somewhat favorable (NET)	59	62	55
Very favorable	24	24	21
Somewhat favorable	35	38	34
Somewhat/Very unfavorable (NET)	40	36	42
Somewhat unfavorable	20	20	22
Very unfavorable	20	17	20
No answer	1	2	2
	<i>n</i> =1,674	<i>n</i> =1,271	<i>n</i> =1,243

ACA Reference Table

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know/ Refused
10/21	23	35	21	20	2
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
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

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

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know/ Refused
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 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

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...”

ACA continued...

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know/Refused
06/10	20	28	16	25	10
05/10	14	27	12	32	14
04/10 ⁴	23	23	10	30	14

Q3. As you may know, the Affordable Care Act eliminated out-of-pocket costs for many preventive services such as annual check-ups for women and children and screenings for cancer or diabetes, making these services free to people with health insurance. Do you have a (favorable) or (unfavorable) opinion of this part of the law? (ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1; ROTATE TEXT IN PARENTHESES)

	5/23
Very/Somewhat favorable (NET)	82
Very favorable	52
Somewhat favorable	30
Somewhat/Very unfavorable (NET)	18
Somewhat unfavorable	11
Very unfavorable	7
No answer	*

Q3 Reference Table. Next, I'm going to read you several elements of the health care law. As I read each one, please tell me whether you feel very favorable, somewhat favorable, somewhat unfavorable, or very unfavorable about it. The law eliminates out-of-pocket costs for many preventive services such as annual check-ups and cholesterol screenings.

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know	Refused	
11/18	56	23	9	10	2	1	n=583
11/16	55	29	6	8	2	1	n=603
3/14	49	28	10	9	4	-	n=738
8/12	43	28	10	13	6	-	n=599
3/12	42	27	15	13	3	-	n=601
11/11	33	31	19	12	6	-	n=589

SHOW TO ALL: As you may have heard, a federal judge recently ruled the Affordable Care Act's requirement for private insurers to cover the full cost of some of these preventive services is unconstitutional and should not be in effect.

Q4. How much have you heard, if anything, about this ruling?

	5/23
A lot/Some (NET)	25
A lot	4
Some	20
Not too much/Nothing at all (NET)	75
Not too much	37
Nothing at all	38
No answer	*

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?)"
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Q5. Do you think you will personally have to pay more for your health care because of this ruling, or not, or are you not sure?

[SHOW/READ TO ALL: As a reminder, a federal judge recently ruled the Affordable Care Act's requirement for private insurers to cover the full cost of some preventive services, such as lung cancer screening and medications to prevent heart disease, is unconstitutional and should not be in effect.]

	5/23
Yes, I will have to pay more	32
No, I will not have to pay more	19
Not sure	49
Refused/Web blank	-

SHOW TO ALL: Moving onto another topic, the next several questions ask about your views on abortion and reproductive health.

Q6. Which political party, (the Democratic Party) or (the Republican Party), best represents your own views on abortion, or does neither party represent your views on abortion? (ROTATE ITEMS IN PARENTHESES)

	5/23
Republican Party	26
Democratic Party	42
Neither party	32
No answer	1

Q7. Thinking about how the issue of abortion might affect your vote next year, which comes closer to your view:

Based on those who are registered to vote

	5/23
I would only vote for a candidate who shares my views on abortion	30
A candidate's position on abortion is just one of many important factors	53
Abortion is not an important factor in my vote choice	16
No answer	*
	n=1,335

Q8. How well would you say you understand the abortion laws in your state? (ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1)

	5/23
Very/Somewhat well (NET)	75
Very well	30
Somewhat well	45
Not too well/Not at all (NET)	25
Not too well	20
Not at all	5
No answer	*

Q9. As you may know, the 1973 Supreme Court Case Roe v. Wade established a woman's constitutional right to have an abortion. As far as you know, (is Roe v. Wade still the law of the land), (has Roe v. Wade been overturned by the Supreme Court), or are you not sure? (ROTATE ITEMS IN PARENTHESES)

	5/23	7/22
Roe v. Wade is still the law of the land	5	5
Roe v. Wade has been overturned by the Supreme Court	71	78
Not sure	24	18
Refused/Web blank	*	-
	n=1,674	n=1,847

SHOW TO ALL: As you may or may not have heard, the Supreme Court overturned Roe v. Wade last summer and now abortion access varies from state to state.

Q10. In the past year, have you or someone you know done each of the following because of concerns about being able to access an abortion?
(ROTATE ITEMS A-F)

	Yes	No	No answer
a. Started using long-term birth control like an IUD or contraceptive implant			
5/23	16	83	*
b. Gotten a vasectomy or had "tubes tied"			
5/23	13	87	*
c. Delayed getting pregnant			
5/23	12	87	*
d. Gotten a new prescription for an oral contraceptive			
5/23	15	84	*
e. Stocked up or gotten more than 6 months' worth of oral contraceptive			
5/23	9	91	1
f. Bought Plan B or emergency contraception in case it was needed in the future			
5/23	16	84	*

SHOW TO ALL: The next few questions are about mifepristone, or the abortion pill...

Q11. Have you heard of Mifepristone [miff-ah-PRISS-tone], or a medication abortion, which is a drug available in the form of a pill that can be taken to end a pregnancy, or is this not something you've heard of? Medication abortion is not Plan B or the Morning After pill.

	5/23	1/23	5/22	12/19
Yes, have heard of it	64	31	27	21
No, have not heard of it	36	68	73	79
No answer	-	1	*	*
	n=1,674	n=1,234	n=1,537	n=1,215

Q12. As far as you know is medication abortion currently legal or illegal in (INSERT STATE)?

	5/23	1/23
Yes, it is legal in (INSERT STATE)	40	37
No, it is not legal in (INSERT STATE)	14	17
Unsure	45	45
Refused/Web blank	*	2
	n=1,674	n=1,234

Q12_CORR

	5/23
Correct response, medication abortion is legal in their state	38
Correct response, medication is abortion is illegal in their state	7
Incorrect response, medication abortion is legal in their state	7
Incorrect response, medication abortion is illegal in their state	3
Unsure, medication abortion is legal	34
Unsure, medication abortion is illegal	11
No answer	*

Q12_CORR2

	5/23
Correct response to Q12	45
Incorrect response to Q12	10
Unsure	45
No answer	*

Q13. Do you think medication abortion or abortion pills should be: (ROTATE RESPONSE OPTION 1-4/4-1)

	5/23
Legal in all/Most cases (NET)	72
Legal in all cases	37
Legal in most cases	35
Illegal in all/Most cases (NET)	27
Illegal in most cases	20
Illegal in all cases	8
No answer	1

Q14. As far as you know, can mifepristone [miff-ah-PRISS-tone], or medication abortion pills, be used to treat a miscarriage or not, or are you not sure?

	5/23
Yes	19
No	7
Unsure	74
Refused/Web blank	*

Q15. As you may not have known, medication abortion can be used to treat a miscarriage. Now knowing this, do you think the abortion pill should be legal or illegal?

Based on those who say medication abortion should be illegal in all/most cases and did not know it can treat miscarriages

	5/23
Legal	37
Illegal	62
No answer	1
	<i>n=385</i>

Q16. As far as you know, how safe are medication abortion pills for the person taking them when taken as directed by a doctor? (ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1)

	5/23
Very/Somewhat safe (NET)	55
Very safe	30
Somewhat safe	25
Somewhat/Very unsafe (NET)	9
Somewhat unsafe	6
Very unsafe	3
Not sure	35
Refused/Web blank	*

Q17. Thinking about other medications and their potential risk of death, do you think mifepristone [miff-ah-PRISS-tone], the abortion pill, is (**safer**), (**less** safe), or about as safe as (INSERT ITEM), when taken as directed, or are you not sure? (SCRAMBLE ITEMS A-C; ROTATE ITEMS IN PARENTHESES)

	Mifepristone is safer	Mifepristone is less safe	Mifepristone is about as safe	Not sure	Refused/Web blank
a. Penicillin, a common antibiotic used to treat bacterial infections like pneumonia					
5/23	8	23	28	41	*
b. Viagra, a drug used to treat erectile dysfunction					
5/23	16	13	27	44	*
c. Tylenol, a drug used to relieve mild or chronic pain and to reduce fever					
5/23	7	28	25	40	*

Q26. How much have you heard about an ongoing lawsuit to suspend the FDA’s approval of mifepristone [miff-ah-PRISS-tone], a medication used for abortion?

	5/23
A lot/Some (NET)	32
A lot	9
Some	23
A little/Nothing at all (NET)	68
A little	24
Nothing at all	44
No answer	-

SHOW TO ALL: Now thinking about abortions where a patient goes to a clinic or doctor’s office to have a procedure to have the pregnancy terminated, also known as an abortion procedure...

Q18. Do you think abortion procedures should be: (ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1)

	5/23
Legal in all/Most cases (NET)	70
Legal in all cases	30
Legal in most cases	40
Illegal in all/Most cases (NET)	30
Illegal in most cases	23
Illegal in all cases	7
No answer	*

Q18 Reference Table – Do you think abortion should be:

	12/19	6/15
Legal in all/Most cases (NET)	59	58
Legal in all cases	27	23
Legal in most cases	32	35
Illegal in all/Most cases	41	37
Illegal in most cases	30	23
Illegal in all cases	11	14
Don’t know	1	4
Refused/Web blank	*	1
	<i>n=1,215</i>	<i>n=1,610</i>

Q19. As far as you know, how safe is an abortion procedure when performed in a medical setting? (ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1)

	5/23
Very/Somewhat safe (NET)	74
Very safe	44
Somewhat safe	30
Somewhat/Very unsafe (NET)	11
Somewhat unsafe	8
Very unsafe	4
Not sure	14
Refused/Web blank	*
	<i>n=1,674</i>

Q19 Reference Table...

	12/19 ⁵
Very/Somewhat safe (NET)	83
Very safe	47
Somewhat safe	36
Somewhat/Very unsafe (NET)	16
Somewhat unsafe	8
Very unsafe	7
No answer	1
	n=1,215

Q20. Thinking about other medical procedures and their risk of major complications, do you think an abortion procedure is (**safer**), (**less safe**), or about as safe as (INSERT ITEM)? (ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-2/2-1; ROTATE ITEMS A-C)

	Abortion procedures are safer	Abortion procedures are less safe	Abortion procedures are about as safe	No answer	
a. giving birth					
5/23	28	27	44	1	n=1,674
12/19 ⁶	26	30	43	1	n=1,215
b. getting your appendix removed					
5/23	23	23	52	1	n=1,674
12/19	23	28	47	2	n=1,215
c. a medication abortion					
5/23	20	30	48	2	n=1,674

Q21. Do you think bans on abortion make it more difficult for doctors to safely take care of pregnant patients who experience major complications?

	5/23
Yes, make it more difficult	73
No, do not make it more difficult	26
No answer	1

Q22. How concerned are you that bans on abortion would lead to unnecessary health problems among pregnant patients who experience complications? (ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1)

Based on those who think bans on abortion would be more difficult for doctors to safely take care of pregnant patients who experience major complications

	5/23
Very/Somewhat concerned (NET)	90
Very concerned	58
Somewhat concerned	32
Not too/Not at all concerned (NET)	10
Not too concerned	7
Not at all concerned	3
No answer	*

⁵ December 2019 trend wording was "How safe is abortion when performed in a medical setting?"

⁶ December 2019 trend wording was "Thinking about other medical procedures, do you think an abortion is safer, less safe, or about as safe as...?"

Q21/Q22 Combo Table

	5/23
Yes, make it more difficult for doctors	73
Very/Somewhat concerned about bans on abortion leading to unnecessary health problems	66
Very concerned about bans on abortion leading to unnecessary health problems	42
Somewhat concerned about bans on abortion leading to unnecessary health problems	23
Not too/Not at all concerned about bans on abortion leading to unnecessary health problems	7
Not too concerned about bans on abortion leading to unnecessary health problems	5
Not at all concerned about bans on abortion leading to unnecessary health problems	2
No answer	*
No, does not make it more difficult for doctors	26
No answer	1

SHOW TO ALL: And thinking about forms of birth control...

Q23. Do you think (INSERT ITEM) should be: (ROTATE 1-4/4-1; ROTATE ITEMS A-B)

	Legal in all/Most cases (NET)	Legal in all cases	Legal in most cases	Illegal in most/All cases (NET)	Illegal in most cases	Illegal in all cases	No answer
a. emergency contraception like Plan B							
5/23	82	50	33	17	11	5	1
b. IUDs or intrauterine devices							
5/23	89	61	28	9	5	5	1

SHOW TO ALL: Moving on...

Q27. How serious of an issue do you think HIV/AIDS is for the U.S. today? Is it... (ROTATE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1)

	5/23	03/19
Very/Somewhat serious (NET)	76	80
Very serious	29	34
Somewhat serious	47	46
Not too/Not at all serious (NET)	24	17
Not too serious	22	13
Not at all serious	2	4
No answer	*	3
	n=1,674	n=1,211

Q28. As far as you know, are most people in the U.S. who need medication to prevent getting HIV able to get it, or not, or are you unsure?

	5/23
Yes, able to get it	27
No, not able to get it	10
Unsure	63
Refused/Web blank	-

Q29. As you may know, there is medication to protect people from getting HIV, sometimes known as PrEP. How much, if anything, have you heard about PrEP?

	5/23	03/19 ⁷
A lot/Fair amount (NET)	15	13
A lot	5	4
A fair amount	11	9
Only a little/Nothing at all (NET)	84	87
Only a little	34	29
Nothing at all	50	58
No answer	*	*
	n=1,674	n=1,211

SHOW TO ALL: The cost of PrEP was previously covered by private insurance companies under the ACA, but recently a judge ruled that insurance companies should not be required to cover the cost of PrEP.

Q30. If PrEP is no longer required to be covered by insurance, do you think this will make it more difficult to reduce the number of new HIV infections in the U.S., or do you not think it will have an impact?

	5/23
Make it more difficult	82
Not have an impact	18
No answer	1

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

PREG2. Are you or your partner pregnant, trying to become pregnant, or planning to become pregnant in the next few years?

Based on those who are less than 50 years old

	5/23
Yes	21
No	79
No answer	-
	n=1,085

ABORT2. Do you personally know someone (IF GENDERVAR=2 or 3; including yourself,) who has ever had an abortion?

	5/23
Yes	60
No	40
No answer	*

Q31. Do you personally know anyone, including yourself, who is currently living with HIV?

	5/23
Yes	14
No	86
No answer	-

⁷ March 2019 trend wording was "As you may know, there is now a pill to protect people from getting HIV, sometimes known as PrEP or by the brand name Truvada. How much, if anything, have you heard about this pill? "

Q32. How concerned are you, personally, about getting HIV?

	5/23
Very/Somewhat concerned (NET)	17
Very concerned	9
Somewhat concerned	8
Not too/Not at all concerned (NET)	83
Not too concerned	26
Not at all concerned	58
No answer	-

LGBT. Do you think of yourself as: (Select all that apply)

	5/23
Lesbian	1
Gay	2
Bisexual	6
Trans or Transgender	1
None of these	91
No answer	*

LGBT_TOTAL

	5/23
LGBT	9
Non LGBT	91

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)]

	5/23
HS grad or less (NET)	37
Less than high school (Grades 1-8 or no formal schooling)	3
High school incomplete (Grades 9-11 or Grade 12 with no diploma)	6
High school graduate (Grade 12 with diploma or GED certificate)	28
Some college (NET)	27
Some college, no degree (includes some community college)	20
Two-year associate degree from a college or university	7
College grad+ (NET)	36
Four-year college or university degree/Bachelor's degree	17
Some postgraduate or professional schooling, no postgraduate degree	4
Postgraduate or professional degree, including master's, doctorate, medical or law degree	15
No answer	*

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

	5/23
Yes	17
No	83
No answer	*

RACE_5CAT. What is your race? (Select all that apply)

	5/23
White	76
Black or African American	14
Asian	7
American Indian	2
Alaska Native	*
Native Hawaiian	*
Pacific Islander	*
Mixed race	*
Some other race (Specify)	4
No answer	1

RACETHN

	5/23
White	63
Black	12
Asian	6
AIAN	*
NHPI	*
Some other race	*
Hispanic	17
Multiple races	2
Race undetermined	*

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

Based on those who are of Latino or Hispanic origin or descent

	5/23
U.S.	50
Puerto Rico	5
Another country	45
No answer	-
	<i>n=351</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/SHOW TO ALL ON WEB: 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])?

	5/23
Covered by health insurance	91
Not covered by health insurance	9
No answer	*

AGECOV VARIABLE

	5/23
Insured less than 65	89
Uninsured less than 65	11
	<i>n=1,420</i>

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

	5/23
Plan through your employer	32
Plan through your spouse's employer	11
Plan you purchased yourself	9
Medicare	26
Medicaid	17
Somewhere else (specify)	2
Plan through your parents/mother/father (Vol.)	4
No answer	*
	<i>n=1,510</i>

PARTY. In politics today, do you consider yourself a: (Republican), (Democrat), an Independent, or something else? (RANDOMIZE REPUBLICAN/DEMOCRAT)

	5/23
Republican	29
Democrat	31
Independent	26
Something else	13
No answer	1

PARTYLEAN. Do you LEAN more towards the (Republican) Party or the (Democratic) Party? (RANDOMIZE ITEMS IN SAME ORDER AS PARTY)

Based on those who are not Republican or Democrat

	5/23
Republican	20
Democratic	31
Independent/Don't lean to either party (Vol. on phone)/I don't lean toward either party (Web response option)	45
Other party (Vol.)	*
No answer	3
	<i>n=682</i>

Summary PARTY and PARTYLEAN

	5/23
Republican/Lean Republican	37
Democrat/Lean Democrat	44
Pure Independent	18
Undesignated	1

Five-Point Party ID

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Democrat	31
Independent Lean Democrat	12
Independent/Don't lean	18
Independent Lean Republican	8
Republican	29
Undesignated	1

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

	5/23
Liberal	24
Moderate	44
Conservative	32
No answer	1

PPD. Do you use a prepaid plan for your cellphone? Prepaid plans, also known as pay-as-you-go or no-contract phone, are plans where the user pays for a specific amount of data usage or minutes in advance.

Asked among SSRS Opinion Panel members

	5/23
Yes	9
No	91
No answer	*
	<i>n=1,393</i>

INT5. About how often do you use the Internet?

	5/23
IF PHONE: Never	2
Almost constantly	44
Several times a day	43
About once a day	5
Several times a week	3
Less often	2
No answer	*

CE1. In the past 12 months, how often did you talk with any of your neighbors?

Asked among CATI sample

	5/23
Basically, every day	16
A few times a week	34
A few times a month	14
Once a month	17
Less than once a month	6
Not at all	13
No answer	*
	<i>n=281</i>

OWNHOME. Do you own or rent your home?

Asked among CATI sample

	5/23
Own	53
Rent	45
No answer	2
	<i>n=281</i>

CE2. We are interested in volunteer activities for which people are not paid, except perhaps expenses. In the last 12 months, have you done any volunteer activities through or for an organization?

Asked among CATI sample

	5/23
Yes	21
No	78
No answer	1
	<i>n=281</i>

INCOME. Last year – that is, in 2022– what was your total family income from all sources, before taxes?

	5/23
Less than \$20,000	13
\$20,000 to less than \$30,000	10
\$30,000 to less than \$40,000	10
\$40,000 to less than \$50,000	10
\$50,000 to less than \$75,000	17
\$75,000 to less than \$90,000	8
\$90,000 to less than \$100,000	5
\$100,000 to less than \$200,000	19
\$200,000 or more	7
No answer	1

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

	5/23
1	22
2	53
3	15
4	8
5	2
6 or greater	1
No answer	*



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