



Topline

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National Survey of Young Adults on HIV/AIDS

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The 2017 Kaiser Family Foundation National Survey of Young Adults on HIV/AIDS is based on interviews with a probability-based sample of 1,794 people between 18 and 30 years of age conducted January 25 through February 16, 2017. Interviews were administered online and by telephone in English using an instrument developed by staff at the Kaiser Family Foundation. NORC at the University of Chicago conducted sampling, interviewing, and tabulation for the survey using the GenForward panel, a representative panel of adults ages 18-30 living in the United States. The GenForward panel was built from two sample sources: NORC's AmeriSpeak Panel, a probability-based panel that uses address-based sample sourced from the NORC National Sample Frame; and the Black Youth Project panel, a probability-based address-based sample from a registered voter database of the entire United States. Panel members who do not have internet access complete surveys via telephone, and internet users complete surveys via the web (for the current survey, 1,647 participated via the web and 147 via telephone).

A random sample of 18 - 30 year-olds was selected from the GenForward panel, including an oversample of Black Americans and Latinos. The combined results have been weighted to adjust for the fact that not all survey respondents were selected with the same probability, to address the implications of sample design, and to account for systematic nonresponse along known population parameters. The first weighting stage addressed differences in probability of selection for the panel and to account for differential nonresponse to the panel screening interview. At this stage, an adjustment was also made to account for the oversampling of Black and Latino panelists. In the second weighting stage, the sample was adjusted to match known demographic distributions of the U.S. population ages 18-30 by age, gender, Census region, race/ethnicity, and education. Demographic weighting parameters were based on the U.S. Census Bureau's Current Population Survey. 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. All statistical tests of significance account for the effect of weighting. Numbers of respondents and margin 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.

Population	Number interviewed	Margin of sampling error
Total Young Adults (18-30 years old)	1,794	±3 percentage points
White Young Adults	630	±5 percentage points
Black Young Adults	523	±7 percentage points
Latino Young Adults	521	±7 percentage points

Please note:

- Values less than 0.5% are indicated by an asterisk (*).
- Due to rounding, percentages may not always add up to 100 percent.
- Questions are presented in the order asked; question numbers may not be sequential

1. Let's start with some questions about your health care...Thinking about your ability to see medical providers and get health care when you need it, how well would you say your health care needs are being met today?

	Very well	Somewhat well	Not too well	Not at all	Don't know	No answer ¹
Total	44	40	10	6	*	*
White	49	37	8	6	*	--
Black	41	41	12	5	1	*
Latino	36	44	14	6	--	*

2. In the last 12 months, have you been to any of the following for your own personal health care, or not?

	Yes	No	Don't know	No answer
a. A private doctor's office				
	Total	55	44	* 1
	White	65	34	-- 1
	Black	46	53	* 1
	Latino	37	62	-- 2
b. A Planned Parenthood health center or clinic				
	Total	8	89	-- 3
	White	5	92	-- 3
	Black	16	82	-- 2
	Latino	10	87	-- 3
c. Another type of health center or clinic				
	Total	39	59	-- 2
	White	41	57	-- 2
	Black	42	56	-- 2
	Latino	35	63	-- 2
d. A hospital emergency room				
	Total	27	70	-- 3
	White	28	39	-- 3
	Black	35	63	-- 2
	Latino	25	72	-- 3
e. Some other place, specify				
	Total	7	89	-- 5
	White	7	87	-- 5
	Black	7	90	-- 3
	Latino	5	92	-- 4
f. Any of the above (at least one)				
	Total	78	22	-- *
	White	83	17	-- 1
	Black	80	19	-- *
	Latino	67	33	-- *

¹ "No answer" includes those who skipped the question (web) and those who refused to answer (phone).

3. Have you ever put off getting any type of health care for any of the following reasons, or not?

		Yes, have put off health care for this reason	No, have not put off health care for this reason	Don't know	No answer
a.	You didn't know where to go				
	Total	21	78	--	1
	White	23	77	--	1
	Black	16	84	--	*
	Latino	20	78	--	1
b.	You were worried about cost				
	Total	45	55	--	*
	White	43	57	--	*
	Black	47	53	--	*
	Latino	46	53	--	1
c.	You were embarrassed				
	Total	18	81	--	1
	White	20	79	--	1
	Black	9	90	--	1
	Latino	18	80	--	1
d.	You didn't have insurance				
	Total	27	72	--	1
	White	22	77	--	1
	Black	38	61	--	*
	Latino	33	66	--	1

4. How worried are you about not being able to pay for health care if you need it?

	Very worried	Somewhat worried	Not too worried	Not at all worried	Don't know	No answer
Total	24	37	25	14	--	*
White	19	36	28	17	--	--
Black	31	34	20	15	--	*
Latino	29	41	20	9	--	--

5. Next we'd like to ask you some questions about different health issues. How serious of a concern are each of the following for people you know?

		Very serious	Somewhat serious	Not too serious	Not a concern	Don't know	No answer
a.	HIV/AIDS						
	Total	26	11	19	44	--	--
	White	15	10	24	50	--	--
	Black	46	8	11	35	--	--
	Latino	41	12	12	35	--	--
b.	Other sexually transmitted diseases (STDs), such as chlamydia or gonorrhea						
	Total	25	19	21	35	--	*
	White	15	20	27	38	--	--
	Black	45	14	12	28	--	--
	Latino	39	15	13	33	--	*
c.	Unplanned pregnancy						
	Total	25	25	23	27	*	*
	White	18	25	28	30	--	--
	Black	40	24	13	23	--	*
	Latino	36	23	15	26	*	--

6. How concerned are you personally about each of the following?

		Very concerned	Somewhat concerned	Not too concerned	Not at all concerned	Don't know	No answer
a.	HIV/AIDS						
	Total	22	9	18	51	--	--
	White	11	8	20	61	--	--
	Black	44	9	14	33	--	--
	Latino	35	12	13	40	--	--
b.	Other sexually transmitted diseases (STDs), such as chlamydia or gonorrhea						
	Total	22	12	21	45	--	*
	White	12	12	23	53	--	*
	Black	42	11	16	30	--	--
	Latino	35	12	16	36	--	--
c.	Unplanned pregnancy						
	Total	21	18	21	40	*	*
	White	14	18	23	45	--	--
	Black	35	16	19	30	--	*
	Latino	28	19	18	35	*	*

7. Thinking about what you know about HIV, how much of that information have you gotten from each of the following?

		A lot	Some	Only a little	Nothing at all	Don't know	No answer
a.	Family members						
	Total	9	23	29	39	--	*
	White	5	23	29	43	--	*
	Black	18	31	25	26	--	1
	Latino	12	21	29	38	--	--
b.	Friends						
	Total	7	25	31	37	--	*
	White	3	23	34	40	--	*
	Black	16	31	25	27	--	1
	Latino	10	27	27	36	--	--
c.	Doctors or other health care providers						
	Total	20	32	25	23	--	*
	White	14	31	29	25	--	*
	Black	41	31	14	14	--	*
	Latino	25	32	21	22	--	--
d.	Social media						
	Total	15	29	30	26	--	1
	White	7	26	36	30	--	1
	Black	26	35	21	18	--	--
	Latino	21	35	21	22	--	*
e.	Other types of media, such as TV, radio, film, magazines						
	Total	14	37	30	18	--	*
	White	8	37	35	20	--	*
	Black	30	37	23	10	--	*
	Latino	20	35	26	19	--	*
f.	Searching the internet						
	Total	30	34	18	17	--	*
	White	22	35	21	22	--	*
	Black	46	32	14	7	--	*
	Latino	41	30	17	12	--	--
g.	Classes or programs at school						
	Total	34	34	18	15	--	*
	White	33	33	20	15	--	*
	Black	38	35	13	13	--	*
	Latino	35	33	16	16	--	--
h.	Church or other religious institutions						
	Total	2	8	13	77	*	*
	White	1	5	10	84	--	*
	Black	5	17	24	55	*	--
	Latino	4	10	14	72	--	--

8. How often do you talk about HIV with each of the following?

		Often	Sometimes	Rarely	Never	Not applicable	Don't know	No answer
a.	Your family members							
	Total	2	7	24	59	8	*	--
	White	1	4	19	69	8	--	--
	Black	7	13	37	36	8	*	--
	Latino	5	12	27	44	12	--	--
b.	Your friends							
	Total	3	10	32	47	7	*	*
	White	2	5	30	56	7	--	*
	Black	9	22	30	33	6	*	--
	Latino	4	15	37	34	9	--	--
c.	Your sexual partners							
	Total	7	16	24	38	14	--	*
	White	4	12	25	46	12	--	*
	Black	17	23	24	21	15	--	--
	Latino	10	20	24	28	18	--	*

9. For each of the following, please indicate if this is something you would like to have more information about or not.

		Yes	No	Don't know	No answer
a.	How HIV is and is not spread				
	Total	29	70	*	*
	White	22	78	--	--
	Black	40	60	--	*
	Latino	36	63	*	*
b.	How often to get tested for HIV				
	Total	30	70	--	*
	White	23	76	--	*
	Black	41	58	--	1
	Latino	36	64	--	*
c.	Where to go to get tested for HIV				
	Total	28	72	--	*
	White	20	80	--	*
	Black	37	62	--	*
	Latino	36	64	--	*
d.	How to bring up the topic of HIV with a partner				
	Total	19	80	--	*
	White	14	86	--	*
	Black	30	70	--	--
	Latino	28	72	--	*
e.	Prevention options for HIV				
	Total	29	71	*	*
	White	20	80	--	*
	Black	39	61	--	--
	Latino	40	60	*	*
f.	Treatment options for HIV				
	Total	25	75	--	*
	White	19	81	--	--
	Black	33	66	--	*
	Latino	31	69	--	*
g.	Any of the above (at least one)				
	Total	41	58	--	*
	White	33	67	--	*
	Black	53	46	--	*
	Latino	50	50	--	*

10. How comfortable would you be, personally, in each of the following situations?

		Very comfortable	Somewhat comfortable	Somewhat uncomfortable	Very uncomfortable	Don't know	No answer
a.	Working with someone who has HIV						
	Total	34	32	24	9	*	*
	White	37	33	23	7	--	--
	Black	33	29	21	17	--	--
	Latino	29	32	33	6	--	*
b.	Having your food prepared by someone who has HIV						
	Total	18	24	33	25	*	*
	White	20	24	34	22	--	--
	Black	16	23	27	34	*	*
	Latino	18	25	34	24	--	*
c.	Having a roommate who has HIV						
	Total	22	27	30	21	*	*
	White	24	28	31	18	--	--
	Black	25	23	25	28	1	--
	Latino	19	26	32	22	*	*
d.	Having a close friendship with someone who has HIV						
	Total	35	30	24	11	*	*
	White	36	30	24	10	--	--
	Black	37	27	18	17	*	--
	Latino	32	32	29	6	--	*
e.	Being in a sexual relationship with someone who has HIV						
	Total	3	5	18	73	*	*
	White	2	4	18	75	1	--
	Black	4	8	13	75	*	--
	Latino	6	6	22	65	*	1

11. How worried are you about getting HIV?

		Very worried	Somewhat worried	Not too worried	Not at all worried	Already have HIV	Don't know	No answer
	Total	10	12	31	46	*	--	*
	White	6	10	31	53	*	--	*
	Black	22	12	30	35	1	--	*
	Latino	15	20	29	36	--	--	--

12. As far as you know, what is the risk, if any, of HIV being passed from one person to another in each of the following ways?

		High risk	Low risk	Not a way HIV is spread	Don't know	No answer
a.	By sharing plates, glasses or silverware					
	Total	11	27	63	*	*
	White	9	25	66	--	--
	Black	16	27	57	--	*
	Latino	13	29	57	*	*
b.	From a toilet seat					
	Total	10	28	61	1	*
	White	7	28	65	*	--
	Black	16	27	56	1	1
	Latino	16	26	58	*	*
c.	By spitting					
	Total	20	34	46	*	*
	White	16	33	50	*	--
	Black	29	32	38	*	*
	Latino	25	34	40	*	*
d.	By kissing					
	Total	22	36	42	*	*
	White	18	38	45	*	--
	Black	25	43	31	*	*
	Latino	31	30	39	*	--

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		High or Low Risk	Not a way HIV is spread	Don't know	No answer
Any of the above (at least one)					
	Total	71	28	*	*
	White	68	32	--	--
	Black	78	20	1	*
	Latino	72	28	*	--

13. As far as you know, how effective, if at all, are the following at preventing HIV?

		Very effective	Somewhat effective	Not too effective	Not at all effective	Don't know	No answer
a.	Condoms						
	Total	32	51	11	5	*	*
	White	30	54	11	5	*	*
	Black	34	49	9	7	--	1
	Latino	34	48	15	3	--	*
b.	Birth control pills						
	Total	3	6	9	81	*	*
	White	2	2	7	89	*	--
	Black	4	16	9	70	*	1
	Latino	6	9	10	74	*	*

14. As far as you know, is there a pill that people who do not have HIV can take to protect themselves from getting HIV, or does such a pill not exist?

	Yes, there is a pill	No, such a pill does not exist	Don't know	No answer
Total	13	55	32	*
White	13	57	29	*
Black	13	50	37	*
Latino	12	50	38	--

15. Antiretrovirals (sometimes called ART or ARVs) are the medications to treat people living with HIV. As far as you know, how effective, if at all, are current treatment options in terms of each of the following?

		Very effective	Somewhat effective	Not too effective	Not at all effective	Don't know	No answer
a.	Helping people with HIV live longer						
	Total	25	57	12	4	1	1
	White	26	56	11	4	1	1
	Black	29	50	13	6	2	--
	Latino	17	63	15	2	1	1
b.	Improving the health of people with HIV						
	Total	26	56	12	4	1	1
	White	27	57	9	4	1	1
	Black	31	46	15	6	2	*
	Latino	19	58	16	4	1	1
c.	Preventing the spread of HIV to sexual partners						
	Total	11	36	29	23	1	1
	White	9	34	30	25	1	1
	Black	18	38	23	19	2	*
	Latino	12	38	27	21	*	1
d.	Preventing the spread of HIV from a pregnant woman to her baby						
	Total	13	38	28	18	2	1
	White	10	36	30	20	2	1
	Black	19	42	22	13	3	1
	Latino	14	41	26	16	1	2

16. Thinking again about antiretrovirals, the medications used to treat HIV. As far as you know, if someone who has HIV takes their treatment as prescribed, does this reduce the risk of passing HIV to their sexual partners, or not?

	Yes, it significantly reduces the risk	Yes, it somewhat reduces the risk	No, it does not reduce the risk	Don't know	No answer
Total	10	36	52	1	1
White	10	34	54	1	1
Black	14	39	45	2	*
Latino	9	39	50	1	1

17. With ongoing antiretroviral treatment, some people with HIV can become “undetectable.” Have you heard this term before, or not?

	Yes, I’ve heard of it and know what it means	Yes, I’ve heard of it but don’t know what it means	No, I’ve never heard of it before	Don’t know	No answer
Total	25	18	57	--	1
White	23	15	62	--	1
Black	32	18	49	--	1
Latino	22	26	51	--	1

18. 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?

	A lot	A fair amount	Only a little	Nothing at all	Don’t know	No answer
Total	3	7	17	74	--	*
White	2	6	17	75	--	--
Black	4	8	21	66	--	*
Latino	2	8	16	73	--	--

19. PrEP, also known as Truvada, is a pill to protect against getting HIV. Do you personally know anyone, including yourself, who has ever taken this prescription medication for HIV protection?

Based on those who report knowing something about PrEP

	Yes	No	Not sure	No answer
Total (n = 515)	15	68	17	1
White (n = 149)	13	73	14	--
Black (n = 178)	10	65	23	1
Latino (n = 152)	16	58	24	2

20. As far as you know, how effective is PrEP (also known as Truvada) in protecting people who take it from getting HIV?

Based on those who report knowing something about PrEP

	Very effective	Somewhat effective	Not too effective	Not at all effective	Don’t know	No answer
Total (n = 515)	18	55	17	5	3	1
White (n = 149)	20	57	14	6	3	1
Black (n = 178)	12	50	31	6	1	*
Latino (n = 152)	15	58	17	4	3	3

21. Do you think most people in the U.S. who want PrEP (also known as Truvada) are able to get it, or not?

Based on those who report knowing something about PrEP

	Yes, most are able to get PrEP	No, most are not able to get PrEP	Don't know	No answer
Total (n = 515)	35	64	1	*
White (n = 149)	38	62	--	*
Black (n = 178)	29	70	1	--
Latino (n = 152)	34	64	1	1

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

	Yes	No	Don't know	No answer
Total	11	70	19	*
White	11	71	19	--
Black	16	61	23	1
Latino	9	77	13	*

23. You stated that you know someone who is currently living with HIV. Who is that person or persons?

Based on those who report knowing anyone, including themselves, who is currently living with HIV (n = 234); Sample size insufficient to report results for subgroups

	Yes	No	Don't know	No answer
a. Yourself	5	92	--	3
b. A current or past sexual partner, including a spouse	5	91	--	4
c. A family member, other than spouse or sexual partner	30	67	--	3
d. A close friend	26	72	--	2
e. An acquaintance	63	36	--	1
f. Someone else	14	79	--	7

Summary 22 and 23 based on total

	Total	White	Black	Latino
Know someone currently living with HIV	11	11	16	9
Themselves	1	*	1	1
A current or past sexual partner, including a spouse	1	1	1	*
A family member, other than spouse or sexual partner	3	2	7	3
A close friend	3	3	5	2
An acquaintance	7	8	9	4
Someone else	2	2	2	1
Does not know someone currently living with HIV	70	71	61	77
Don't know	19	19	23	13
No answer	*	--	1	*

24. Do you personally know anyone who has died from HIV/AIDS?

	Yes	No	Don't know	No answer
Total	10	90	--	*
White	8	92	--	*
Black	21	79	--	*
Latino	9	91	--	--

25. You stated that you know someone who has died from HIV. Who is that person or persons?

Based on those who report knowing anyone who has died from HIV/AIDS; Sample size insufficient to report results for white and Latino subgroups

	Yes	No	Don't know	No answer
a. A past sexual partner, including a spouse				
	Total (n = 231)	5	94	--
	Black (n = 113)	3	94	--
b. A family member, other than spouse or sexual partner				
	Total (n = 231)	46	53	--
	Black (n = 113)	53	45	--
c. A close friend				
	Total (n = 231)	21	78	--
	Black (n = 113)	24	74	--
d. An acquaintance				
	Total (n = 231)	33	66	--
	Black (n = 113)	28	72	--
e. Someone else				
	Total (n = 231)	15	83	--
	Black (n = 113)	13	84	--

Summary 24 and 25 based on total

	Total	White	Black	Latino
Know someone who has died from HIV	10	8	21	9
A past sexual partner, including a spouse	*	*	1	1
A family member, other than spouse or sexual partner	4	3	11	4
A close friend	2	1	5	2
An acquaintance	3	3	6	3
Someone else	1	1	3	3
Does not know someone who has died from HIV	90	92	79	91
Don't know	--	--	--	--
No answer	*	*	*	--

Combined 22 and 24 based on total

Do you personally know anyone, including yourself, who is currently living with HIV and/or who has died from HIV/AIDS?

	Yes	No	Don't know	No answer
Total	18	64	17	*
White	16	66	17	*
Black	30	49	20	1
Latino	16	71	13	*

Combined 23 and 25 based on those who report knowing anyone currently living with HIV and/or who has died from HIV/AIDS

You stated that you know someone (currently living with/who has died from HIV. Who is that person or persons?

	Yes	No	Don't know	No answer
a. A past sexual partner, including a spouse				
Total (n=401)	6	92	--	3
White (n=105)	5	93	--	3
Black (n=175)	7	91	--	2
Latino (n=97)	6	93	--	1
b. A family member, other than spouse or sexual partner				
Total (n=401)	39	59	--	2
White (n=105)	28	69	--	3
Black (n=175)	48	51	--	1
Latino (n=97)	44	56	--	--
c. A close friend				
Total (n=401)	25	74	--	2
White (n=105)	25	74	--	1
Black (n=175)	27	72	--	1
Latino (n=97)	25	74	--	1
d. An acquaintance				
Total (n=401)	51	48	--	1
White (n=105)	58	42	--	--
Black (n=175)	45	55	--	1
Latino (n=97)	41	59	--	1

Summary 23 and 25

	Total	White	Black	Latino
Know someone who is living with or died from HIV (NET)	18	16	30	16
Close connection (NET)	10	8	20	9
A past sexual partner, including a spouse	1	1	2	1
A family member, other than spouse or sexual partner	7	5	14	7
A close friend	5	4	8	4
Not close connection (NET)	11	11	17	8
An acquaintance	9	9	14	6
Someone else	3	3	5	3
Does not know someone who is living with or died from HIV	64	66	49	71
Don't know	17	17	20	13
No answer	0	0	1	0

26. Have you ever talked with a doctor or other health care provider about HIV?

	Yes, within the past 12 months	Yes, longer than 12 months ago	No, never talked about HIV with a health provider	Don't know	No answer
Total	11	26	63	--	*
White	8	25	67	--	*
Black	25	28	47	--	*
Latino	10	20	62	--	*

27. Has a doctor or other health care provider ever suggested that you be tested for HIV, or not?

	Yes, within the past 12 months	Yes, longer than 12 months ago	No, health provider has never suggested HIV testing	Don't know	No answer
Total	12	19	69	*	*
White	8	19	72	*	*
Black	25	16	59	*	1
Latino	14	22	64	--	1

28. Have you, yourself, ever been tested for HIV?

	Yes, within the past 12 months	Yes, but longer than 12 months ago	No, never been tested for HIV	Don't know	No answer
Total	20	26	54	--	*
White	16	26	58	--	--
Black	34	27	39	--	*
Latino	25	24	51	--	*

29. The last time you were tested for HIV, did you go specifically to get an HIV test, or was it part of another health visit, such as a routine check-up?

Based on those who report ever being tested for HIV

	Specifically to get an HIV test	As part of another health visit	Don't know	No answer
Total (n = 932)	21	79	*	--
White (n = 290)	22	78	--	--
Black (n = 342)	27	73	*	--
Latino (n = 245)	16	84	--	--

30. The last time you were tested for HIV, how did you know the test was being done?

Based on those who report ever being tested for HIV

	You asked to be tested	The doctor or nurse told you this test was being done	It was your impression that this test was being done, but it was not discussed	You were tested during a blood drive/donation	Don't know	No answer
Total (n = 932)	38	43	10	9	*	*
White (n = 290)	39	40	10	11	--	--
Black (n = 342)	48	37	8	6	1	--
Latino (n = 245)	24	58	12	6	--	*

31. For each of the following items, please indicate if it was a reason why you decided to get tested for HIV, or not.

Based on those who report ever being tested for HIV

		Yes, a reason	No, not a reason	Don't know	No answer
a.	You were concerned that you might have been exposed to HIV				
	Total (n = 932)	20	79	*	*
	White (n = 290)	21	79	--	1
	Black (n = 342)	20	80	--	*
	Latino (n = 245)	20	80	--	--
b.	Your doctor or health care provider suggested you get tested				
	Total (n = 932)	46	53	--	1
	White (n = 290)	44	54	--	1
	Black (n = 342)	39	61	--	--
	Latino (n = 245)	56	43	--	1
c.	It is something you do every year				
	Total (n = 932)	39	61	--	*
	White (n = 290)	35	65	--	*
	Black (n = 342)	52	48	--	*
	Latino (n = 245)	39	61	--	*
d.	It just seemed like a good idea				
	Total (n = 932)	69	31	--	*
	White (n = 290)	65	35	--	*
	Black (n = 342)	77	23	--	--
	Latino (n = 245)	70	30	--	--
e.	A partner suggested you get tested				
	Total (n = 932)	10	89	--	1
	White (n = 290)	11	88	--	1
	Black (n = 342)	12	88	--	*
	Latino (n = 245)	9	91	--	--

32. For each of the following items, please indicate if this is a reason why you have not been tested for HIV.

Based on those who report never being tested for HIV

		Yes, a reason	No, not a reason	Don't know	No answer
a.	You are worried about the cost of testing				
	Total (n = 859)	12	88	--	*
	White (n = 340)	11	89	--	--
	Black (n = 179)	7	92	--	*
	Latino (n = 275)	18	82	--	*
b.	You don't think you're at risk				
	Total (n = 859)	67	33	*	*
	White (n = 340)	71	29	--	--
	Black (n = 179)	50	50	--	--
	Latino (n = 275)	61	39	--	*
c.	You don't know where to get tested				
	Total (n = 859)	13	87	--	*
	White (n = 340)	11	89	--	--
	Black (n = 179)	11	89	--	--
	Latino (n = 275)	13	87	--	*
d.	You are worried about confidentiality				
	Total (n = 859)	7	93	--	*
	White (n = 340)	7	93	--	1
	Black (n = 179)	7	93	--	--
	Latino (n = 275)	8	92	--	--
e.	You're afraid you'll test positive				
	Total (n = 859)	6	94	--	*
	White (n = 340)	7	93	--	--
	Black (n = 179)	10	90	--	--
	Latino (n = 275)	6	94	--	*
f.	Your doctor or health care provider never suggested that you get tested				
	Total (n = 859)	41	58	--	1
	White (n = 340)	45	54	--	1
	Black (n = 179)	36	64	--	--
	Latino (n = 275)	34	66	--	*
g.	You are worried about being judged, or felt embarrassed to bring it up				
	Total (n = 859)	13	87	--	--
	White (n = 340)	13	87	--	--
	Black (n = 179)	11	89	--	--
	Latino (n = 275)	14	86	--	--

33. Thinking about your sexual partners, both current and past, how many have you ever talked with about HIV?

	All	Most	A few	None	Not applicable/never had a sexual partner	Don't know	No answer
Total	14	8	25	40	12	--	*
White	12	8	24	46	11	--	--
Black	17	9	29	28	17	--	*
Latino	17	8	25	36	13	--	*

34. People have different reasons for not talking about HIV with sexual partners. For each of the following, has this ever been a reason why you personally have not talked about HIV with a sexual partner?

Based on those who do not report talking about HIV with all sexual partners

		Yes	No	Don't know	No answer
a.	You were embarrassed to talk about HIV				
	Total (n = 1262)	13	87	--	*
	White (n = 495)	10	89	--	*
	Black (n = 324)	14	86	--	*
	Latino (n = 362)	19	81	--	*
b.	You didn't know how to bring it up				
	Total (n = 1262)	22	78	1	*
	White (n = 495)	17	83	1	--
	Black (n = 324)	33	66	--	1
	Latino (n = 362)	26	74	--	*
c.	You were waiting for your partner to bring it up				
	Total (n = 1262)	9	91	--	*
	White (n = 495)	7	93	--	--
	Black (n = 324)	16	84	--	*
	Latino (n = 362)	13	87	--	*
d.	You never thought about it				
	Total (n = 1262)	48	52	--	*
	White (n = 495)	49	51	--	--
	Black (n = 324)	38	62	--	*
	Latino (n = 362)	51	49	--	*
e.	You did not think you were at risk				
	Total (n = 1262)	63	37	--	*
	White (n = 495)	68	32	--	--
	Black (n = 324)	44	56	--	*
	Latino (n = 362)	57	43	--	*

35. Do you currently have health insurance, or not?

	Total	White	Black	Latino
Yes, I have a plan through an employer or my spouse's employer	36	41	22	28
Yes, I have a plan that I purchased myself – from a state or federal health insurance marketplace	4	3	3	5
Yes, I have a plan that I purchased myself – directly from an insurance company or don't know	4	4	4	4
Yes, I have a plan through one of my parents	23	26	18	18
Yes, I have Medicaid	18	15	27	21
Yes, I have some other type of health insurance	1	1	2	1
No, I do not have health insurance	13	9	22	20
Don't know	*	*	--	*
No answer	1	1	2	3

36. Did you purchase your insurance directly from an insurance company, or from a state or federal health insurance marketplace, such as healthcare.gov?

Based on those who report having a health insurance plan they purchased themselves

	Directly from an insurance company	From a state or federal health insurance marketplace	Don't Know	Refused
Total	43	47	10	*
White	43	43	14	*
Black	42	47	11	*
Latino	44	53	3	*

37. Do you describe yourself as male, female, or something else?

	Male	Female	Something else – please specify	Prefer not to say	Don't know	No answer
Total	48	49	1	2	--	*
White	48	51	1	1	--	*
Black	46	50	2	2	--	--
Latino	48	47	2	4	--	--

38. Do you consider yourself to be straight, gay or lesbian, bisexual, or something else?

	Straight	Gay or lesbian	Bisexual	Something else	Prefer not to say	Don't know	No answer
Total	86	4	8	1	2	--	*
White	87	3	9	*	1	--	*
Black	84	5	5	2	3	--	*
Latino	84	5	7	1	4	--	*

MARITAL STATUS

	Married	Widowed	Divorced	Separated	Never married	Living with partner
Total	21	*	2	1	64	12
White	23	*	2	*	63	11
Black	8	--	3	*	81	7
Latino	21	--	1	2	60	16

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA STATUS

	Non-Metro	Metro (as defined US OMB Core-Based Statistical Area)
Total	9	91
White	11	89
Black	5	95
Latino	5	95

HOME INTERNET ACCESS

	Non-internet household	Internet household
Total	15	85
White	13	87
Black	18	82
Latino	22	78

TELEPHONE SERVICE

	Landline telephone only	Have a landline, but mostly use cellphone	Have cellphone, but mostly use landline	Cellphone only	No telephone service
Total	2	23	3	71	1
White	1	23	3	72	1
Black	3	31	4	60	1
Latino	3	20	2	74	1

OWNERSHIP OF LIVING QUARTERS

	Owned or being bought by you or someone in your household	Rented for cash	Occupied without payment of cash rent
Total	43	51	6
White	51	45	4
Black	37	54	10
Latino	33	61	6

REGION: 4 CATEGORIES

	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Total	18	20	38	24
White	20	26	34	20
Black	17	16	58	8
Latino	14	10	36	40

REGION: 9 CATEGORIES

	New England	Mid-Atlantic	East-North Central	West-North Central	South Atlantic	East-South Central	West-South Central	Mountain	Pacific
Total	5	13	14	6	21	6	11	8	16
White	6	14	18	8	18	7	9	9	11
Black	3	15	13	3	39	9	10	2	6
Latino	2	12	6	4	19	2	16	8	32

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATUS

	Working - as a paid employee	Working - self-employed	Not working - on temporary layoff from a job	Not working - looking for work	Not working - retired	Not working - disabled	Not working - other
Total	58	5	1	20	--	3	13
White	59	4	1	19	--	4	13
Black	52	6	1	31	--	3	7
Latino	57	7	1	19	--	1	14



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