



GenForward April 2020

The Coronavirus Pandemic by Party Identification

The first of its kind bi-monthly survey of racially and ethnically diverse young adults

GenForward is a survey associated with the University of Chicago

Interviews:
04/03 – 04/16/2020
Total N: 3,217 adults
Age Range: 18-36

NOTE: All results indicate percentages unless otherwise labeled.

MARGIN OF ERROR ESTIMATES (% pts)

<i>Group</i>	<i>Estimate</i>
Full Sample	+/- 2.39%
Democrats	+/- 3.06%
Republicans	+/- 4.66%
Independents	+/- 5.58%

NOTE: All estimates are calculated at the 95% level of confidence

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Politics Findings

- When thinking about the **most important problem facing this country today, significant percentages of young adults across partisanship say it is the coronavirus pandemic.**
 - When randomized with the other response options, a plurality of young adults—39% of Democrats, 33% of Independents, and 37% of Republicans—say the coronavirus pandemic. The second most popular response across party was health care.
 - When the coronavirus pandemic is always presented first to respondents among a list of other issues, 70% of Democrats, 57% of Independents, and 67% of Republicans say the coronavirus pandemic is the most important problem.
- Across party identification, majorities of young adults agree with the statement “we need a strong government to handle today’s complex economic problems” compared to the belief that the free market alone can handle problems today.
- A majority of young adult Democrats (64%) and Independents (51%) and a near majority of Republicans (47%) say the **nation’s economy is somewhat or very poor these days.**
- Half of young adult Democrats (50%) and Republicans (50%) say **the United States is either headed to or already in a recession**, compared to 41% of Independents.
- Significant percentages of young adult Democrats (44%), Independents (40%), and Republicans (35%) say **the United States is headed to or already in a depression.**
- Many young adult Democrats (47%), Independents (43%) and Republicans (35%) are extremely or very worried about being able to pay an unexpected bill of \$1000 right away.
- Significant percentages of young adult Democrats (48%), Independents (44%) and Republicans (45%) say that are a little or not at all worried about keeping their current job or finding a good job in the future.
- A majority of young adult Democrats (57%) support **Bernie Sanders** by a 20-point margin against **Joe Biden**. A majority of Republicans (52%) and a near majority of Independents (49%) say they support someone else. Between the two Democratic candidates, Independents (30%) prefer Bernie and Republicans (29%) prefer Biden.
- Majorities of young Democrats (68%) and Independents (52%) believe Donald Trump will lose in 2020. Large majorities of young Republicans (84%) believe Trump will win.
- The 2020 presidential election were being held today between Trump and Biden, 90% of young adult Democrats, 61% of Independents and 19% of young adult Republicans say they would vote for Biden. In contrast, 9% of Democrat, 35% of Independent and 81% or Republican young adults indicate they would vote for Trump.

- Majorities of young adult Republicans (65%) strongly or somewhat approve of Donald Trump's handling of his job as president compared to 13% of Democrats and 20% of Independents.

Coronavirus Pandemic Findings

- Majorities of young adult Democrats (55%) and Republicans (62%) say their **local government** is responding good or excellent to the coronavirus pandemic. In contrast, only 39% of young adult Independents rate their local governments as doing an excellent or good job. A plurality of Independents (38%) rate their local government as doing a fair job.
- Regarding the response of state governments, 55% of Democrats and 59% of Republicans say their state government is doing an excellent or good job. Again, Independent young adults are less enthusiastic with 40% saying their state government is doing an excellent or good job. The plurality of Independents (34%) say their **state government** is doing a fair job.
- Majorities of young adult Democrats (78%) and Independents (71%) and near majorities of young adult Republicans (46%) **rate the federal government as doing a fair or poor job** of responding to the coronavirus pandemic.
 - Young adult Republicans are much supportive of the current administration with 54% saying the **federal government is responding good or excellent to the pandemic**, compared to 22% of young adult Democrats and 27% of Independents who rate the federal government as doing an excellent or good job in responding.
- Young Republicans are also more supportive of President Trump with 59% saying they believed **President Donald Trump is responding good or excellent** to the pandemic, compared to 12% of young adult Democrats and 22% of young adult Independents.
- 65% of Democrats and 70% of young adult Republicans say **public health officials** response to the pandemic is good or excellent. Independents are a bit more skeptical with 46% of young adult Independents believing public health officials have been excellent or good in terms of their response.
- In terms of **trusting information about the coronavirus** a great deal or a good amount, the most trusted sources among young adult Democrats are **public health experts** (86%), **local government** (70%), and **state government** (70%). A much smaller percentage of young adult Democrats (46%) say they trust information from the **federal government** a great deal or good amount.
- In terms of **trusting information about the coronavirus** a great deal or a good amount, the most trusted sources among young adult Republicans are **public health experts** (81%), **local government** (71%), and **state government** (68%). A larger percentage of young adult Republicans (62%) say they trust information from the **federal government** a great deal or good amount.

- While less overall support, the sources of information about the coronavirus pandemic generating the highest trust among Independents are **public health experts** (63%), **local government** (49%), and **state government** (48%). Only 37% of young adult Independents say they trust information about the pandemic from the federal government a great deal or good amount.
- While most young adult Republicans (62%) say they trust information from **Donald Trump** about the coronavirus pandemic a great deal or good amount, only 25% of Independents and 17% of Democrats say the same.
- A bare majority of young adult Democrats (50%) say they trust the information they hear from the **news media** a great deal or good amount. In contrast, only 27% of young Independents and 34% of young Republicans say they trust the information on the pandemic from the **news media** a great deal or good amount.
- A majority of Democrats (60%) say the **media is paying the right amount of attention to the coronavirus pandemic**, compared to 45% of Republicans and 36% of Independents. Almost a quarter of Democrats (24%) say the **media is paying too much attention to the coronavirus pandemic**, compared to 34% of Independents and 41% of Republicans.
- A majority of young adult Republicans (60%) say the **news media has slightly or greatly exaggerated the risks of the coronavirus pandemic**, compared to 42% of Independents and 35% of Democrats who say the same. Only 13% of Democrats say the media **greatly exaggerated the risks**, compared to 20% of Independents and 29% of Republicans.
- A plurality of Republicans (30%), Independents (28%), and Democrats (24%) say they **rely most on television nightly news programs for information about the coronavirus pandemic**.
- Regarding testing, 28% of Republicans, 26% of Democrats, and 18% of Independents say **either they or someone they know has tested positive for the coronavirus**.
- Regarding hospitalization, 17% of Democrats, 14% of Independents, and 14% of young adult Republicans say **either they have been or know someone who has been hospitalized because of the coronavirus**.
- Substantial majorities of young adults across partisanship say they are concerned or very concerned about **personally getting seriously sick due to the coronavirus** (68% Democrats, 55% Independents, 55% Republicans), or about **their family getting seriously sick due to the coronavirus** (81% Democrats, 63% Independents, 67% Republicans).
- Substantial majorities of young adults across partisanship also say they are worried or very worried about **spreading the coronavirus to family and friends** (76% Democrats, 55% Independents, 61% Republicans), or **spreading it to other people** (75% Democrats, 56% Independents, 62% Republicans).

- Substantial numbers of young adults across partisanship are worried or very worried **about hospitals and medical centers in their area being unable to handle the medical needs of people who are seriously ill during the coronavirus pandemic** (86% of Democrats, 71% of Independents, 70% of Republicans).
- When asked about how much of a threat the coronavirus pandemic is, 81% Democrats, 65% Independents, and 60% Republicans say it is **a major threat to the health of the US population**. Similarly, 83% of Democrats, 75% of Independents, and 78% of Republicans say it is **a major threat to the US economy**.
- When thinking about their personal health, fewer young adults characterize the threat posed by the coronavirus as major. Specifically, 40% of Democrats, 39% of Independents, and 30% of Republicans say the coronavirus is a major threat to **their personal health**.
- When asked about the threat posed by the COVID-19 pandemic to their personal financial situation, majorities of young adult Democrats (52%) and Independents (56%), and a near majority of Republicans (47%) say the coronavirus pandemic is **a major threat to their personal financial situation**.
- Substantial majorities of young adults across partisanship say many steps that have been taken to address the pandemic have been and/or are necessary, such as **social distancing and avoiding groups of more than 10 people** (85% Democrats, 69% Independents, 80% Republicans), **restricting international travel to the U.S.** (81% Democrats, 73% Independents, 85% Republicans), and **requiring most businesses other than grocery stores and pharmacies to close** (72% Democrats, 56% Independents, 61% Republicans), among others.
- The step meant to address the pandemic that is supported least across partisanship is **postponing state primary elections** (55% Democrats, 39% Independents, 49% Republicans).
- Substantial majorities of young adults prefer **imposing a national stay at home order for as long as it takes** (88% Democrats, 73% Independents, 73% Republicans) rather than beginning to open the country and allowing more people to go back to work.
- With people working or staying at home, there is an increased dependency on WiFi, and while most say they have reliable access, 17% of Democrats, 26% of Independents, and 20% of Republicans say they have **unreliable, very little, or no access to WiFi**.
- About two-fifths of young adults across partisanship say **they or someone in their household have been laid off or lost a job due to the coronavirus pandemic** (43% Democrats, 43% Independents, 41% Republicans)
- Majorities or near majorities of young adults across partisanship say **they or someone in their household had to take a cut in pay due to reduced hours or demand for their work** (51% Democrats, 46% Independents, 48% Republicans).

- Pluralities of young adults across partisanship say the coronavirus pandemic has had a **moderate impact on their economic situation** (38% Democrats, 37% Independents, 38% Republicans). Many young adults across partisanship say the coronavirus pandemic has had a **severe impact on their economic situation** (27% Democrats, 29% Independents, 25% Republicans).
- Pluralities of young adults across partisanship say the coronavirus pandemic has had a **moderate emotional impact on them** (49% Democrats, 35% Independents, 44% Republicans). Many young adults across partisanship say the coronavirus pandemic has had a **severe emotional impact on them** (28% Democrats, 24% Independents, 20% Republicans).
- **Anxious** is the word most selected among young adult Democrats (28%) and Republicans (23%), while **unsure** is most selected among Independents (21%). The second most chosen among Democrats (13%) were **scared** and **frustrated**. The second most chosen among Independents (15%) was **scared**, and the second most chosen among Republicans (19%) was **frustrated**.
- Pluralities of young adult Democrats (44%), Independents (38%), and Republicans (40%) say they are **just trying to make it through the pandemic, so they cannot be involved in volunteer work right now**. Only 6% of Democrats, 6% of Independents, and 7% of Republicans say they are **engaging in more volunteer activities to support their community and their family**.
- Substantial majorities of young adults across partisanship (86% Democrats, 73% Independents, 85% Republicans) say they somewhat or strongly agree that **too many young people have disregarded requirements for social distancing and other such measures and have contributed significantly to the spread of the virus**.
- When asked about how long until things get back to “normal,” a majority of young adult Democrats (53%), and pluralities of Independents (42%) and Republicans (47%) think **it will be 3 months to a year before life is back to “normal”**.
- Thinking about the negative effects from the coronavirus pandemic on different groups, majorities of young adults across partisanship say it is **more likely to impact poor people** (77% Democrats, 59% Independents, 63% Republicans).
- Majorities of Republicans (70%) and Independents (69%) and 43% of young adult Democrats say the coronavirus will **impact people of color about the same as everyone else**. A plurality of young adult Democrats (47%) and only 18% of Independents and 16% of Republicans say it is **more likely to impact people of color**.
- Among students, a majority of Democrats (61%), Independents (52%), and Republicans (53%) say they are concerned or very concerned that the coronavirus pandemic **will make it more difficult to finish their degree**.

- A majority of young adult Democrats (76%) say **President Trump calling the coronavirus the “Chinese virus” is racist**, compared to a majority of Republicans (77%) who say it is not racist. Independents were split (49%/49%) on whether or not they thought his language was racist.
- Pluralities of young adult Democrats (48%), Independents (34%), and Republicans (32%) say the **government coronavirus bailout will most benefit corporations**.
- When asked about whether **the government should have an obligation to take care of people whose jobs are displaced by the coronavirus pandemic**, a majority of young adult Democrats (63%), a plurality of Independents (43%), and 35% of Republicans strongly agree.
 - When the caveat is attached that this would mean raising taxes substantially, strong agreement drops to 36% among Democrats, 28% among Independents, and 23% among Republicans.
 - Majorities across partisanship do strongly or somewhat agree with this policy independent of the condition for its adoption.
- Substantial majorities of young adults across partisanship somewhat or strongly support a **universal basic income benefit of \$1,000 each month for each American 18 or older** (84% Democrats, 73% Independents, 65% Republicans).
- Pluralities of young adult Democrats (35%), Independents (29%), and Republicans (30%) say their preferred form of health care expansion would be **establishing a public option like Medicare-for-all but letting people stay on their private insurance if they want to**.
- Some states and localities have taken **a number of measures to address the coronavirus pandemic**. Respondents were asked to indicate whether they agree or disagree with the policy during the pandemic only or with the policy even after the pandemic:
 - **Stopping landlords from evicting tenants:** 67% of Democrats, 54% of Independents, and 73% of Republicans agree with the policy during the pandemic
 - 23% of Democrats, 26% of Independents, and 13% of Republicans agree with the policy even after the pandemic.
 - **Stopping the repayment of student loans:** 49% of Democrats, 50% of Independents, and 66% of Republicans agree with the policy during the pandemic
 - 40% of Democrats, 32% of Independents, and 21% of Republicans agree with the policy even after the pandemic.
 - **Releasing those incarcerated for non-violent crimes:** 37% of Democrats, 29% of Independents, and 30% of Republicans agree with the policy during the pandemic

- 32% of Democrats, 23% of Independents, and 16% of Republicans agree with the policy even after the pandemic.
- **Stop the cutoff of utilities such as water and electricity:** 56% of Democrats, 48% of Independents, and 70% of Republicans agree with the policy during the pandemic
 - 32% of Democrats, 29% of Independents, and 15% of Republicans agree with the policy even after the pandemic.
- **U.S. Immigrations and Customs Enforcement (ICE) releasing *all immigrants* in US immigrant detention centers:** 31% of Democrats, 28% of Independents, and 28% of Republicans agree with the policy during the pandemic
 - 47% of Democrats, 29% of Independents, and 17% of Republicans agree with the policy even after the pandemic.
- **U.S. Immigrations and Customs Enforcement (ICE) releasing *immigrants at risk for COVID-19* in US immigrant detention centers:** 37% of Democrats, 33% of Independents, and 34% of Republicans agree with the policy during the pandemic
 - 41% of Democrats, 26% of Independents, and 13% of Republicans agree with the policy even after the pandemic.

Q1. Overall, do you approve, disapprove, or neither approve nor disapprove of the way Congress is handling its job?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly approve	5	4	9	6
Somewhat approve	19	15	32	22
Neither approve nor disapprove	23	37	26	27
Somewhat disapprove	32	23	21	27
Strongly disapprove	20	19	12	17
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	2	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q2. For both parties, please select if you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of that party. If you don't know enough about the party to have an opinion, you can say that too. The Republican Party

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very favorable	2	3	27	10
Somewhat favorable	8	11	45	20
Somewhat unfavorable	28	23	19	24
Very unfavorable	55	24	5	33
Don't know enough to say	7	39	5	13
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q3. For both parties, please select if you have a favorable or unfavorable impression of that party. If you don't know enough about the party to have an opinion, you can say that too. The Democratic Party

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very favorable	20	3	3	11
Somewhat favorable	51	13	12	31
Somewhat unfavorable	19	22	32	24
Very unfavorable	5	24	45	21
Don't know enough to say	4	38	7	12
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	1	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Split-ballot

Q4. What do you think is the most important problem facing this country today? Please select which one of these is the most important. (“The coronavirus pandemic” as first response option)

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
The coronavirus pandemic	70	57	67	66
National debt	1	2	2	2
Environment and climate change	2	5	1	2
Gay rights/LGBT issues	1	*	1	1
Gun control	1	1	*	1
Health care	6	7	4	5
Immigration	*	3	2	2
Poverty	2	3	1	2
Income inequality	4	3	1	3
Unemployment	1	7	4	3
Economic growth	1	2	5	3
Military strength	*	-	-	*
Morality and religion in society	1	-	2	1
Racism	2	2	1	1
Social Security	*	-	1	*
Taxes	1	*	1	1
Women’s rights	1	*	*	*
Crime	1	*	2	1
Foreign policy	*	*	1	1
Education	2	3	1	2
Terrorism and homeland security	*	-	1	*
Police brutality	1	*	1	1
Sexual harassment	1	1	*	*
Free trade	*	-	*	*
Mass incarceration	*	1	1	1
Too many wars	*	1	*	*
Abortion	*	1	1	1
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	-	*
N	899	279	426	1,604

What do you think is the most important problem facing this country today? Please select which one of these is the most important. (“The coronavirus pandemic” randomized order with other response options)

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
The coronavirus pandemic	39	33	37	37
National debt	2	1	4	2
Environment and climate change	6	4	2	4
Gay rights/LGBT issues	1	1	*	1
Gun control	3	5	3	3
Health care	13	11	8	11
Immigration	2	4	5	3
Poverty	4	5	4	4
Income inequality	7	5	2	5
Unemployment	5	9	4	5
Economic growth	2	3	7	4
Military strength	*	-	*	*
Morality and religion in society	*	1	3	1
Racism	4	4	1	3
Social Security	1	1	1	1
Taxes	*	4	1	1
Women’s rights	2	1	1	2
Crime	1	2	1	1
Foreign policy	*	1	1	1
Education	2	3	1	2
Terrorism and homeland security	1	*	2	1
Police brutality	1	*	1	1
Sexual harassment	1	*	3	1
Free trade	*	1	*	*
Mass incarceration	*	*	*	*
Too many wars	1	3	1	1
Abortion	1	-	4	2
SKIPPED/REFUSED	-	1	*	*
N	902	282	409	1,593

Q5. Which of the following statements comes closer to your view?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
We need a strong government to handle today’s complex economic problems	86	76	68	78
The free market can handle these problems without government being involved	14	20	32	21
DON'T KNOW	-	1	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	3	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q6. How would you describe the nation's economy these days?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very good	4	3	7	5
Somewhat good	8	10	19	12
Neither good nor poor	21	28	25	24
Somewhat poor	34	26	30	31
Very poor	30	25	17	25
Not sure	3	8	2	4
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q7. Do you believe the United States is currently in or headed to an economic recession, depression, or not?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Headed to a recession	27	22	26	25
Already in a recession	23	19	24	22
Headed to a depression	36	29	30	33
Already in a depression	8	11	5	8
In neither a recession or depression	6	20	15	12
DON'T KNOW	-	*	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q8. Generally speaking, how optimistic are you about your personal future—think about things like finding and keeping a good job, paying off your student loan debt, and being able to afford the lifestyle you want?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very optimistic	15	12	24	17
Somewhat optimistic	33	28	42	35
Neither optimistic nor pessimistic	24	34	21	25
Somewhat pessimistic	19	15	10	15
Very pessimistic	8	11	3	7
SKIPPED ON WED	*	1	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q9. How worried are you about being able to pay an unexpected bill of \$1,000 right away?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Extremely worried	29	29	21	27
Very worried	18	14	14	16
Somewhat worried	23	30	24	25
A little worried	13	8	20	14
Not at all worried	16	18	20	18
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q10. How worried are you about being able to pay your rent or mortgage?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Extremely worried	14	17	9	13
Very worried	12	9	11	11
Somewhat worried	21	22	21	21
A little worried	20	14	18	18
Not at all worried	20	23	29	23
I do not pay rent or a mortgage	12	16	12	13
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q11. How worried are you about keeping your current job or finding a good job in the future?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Extremely worried	18	18	11	16
Very worried	15	14	16	15
Somewhat worried	24	24	22	24
A little worried	24	18	23	22
Not at all worried	18	26	29	23
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	-	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Response options randomized

Q12. [Former Vice President Joe Biden and Vermont Senator Bernie Sanders / Vermont Senator Bernie Sanders and Former Vice President Joe Biden] are running in the Democratic primaries to be the party's presidential nominee. If the primary or caucus in your state was happening today, who would you vote for?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Former Vice President Joe Biden	37	20	29	31
Vermont Senator Bernie Sanders	57	30	19	40
Someone else	6	49	52	29
DON'T KNOW	-	*	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q13. As of now, do you think Donald Trump will win re-election in 2020, or do you think he will lose?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Trump will win	32	47	84	51
Trump will lose	68	52	15	49
DON'T KNOW	*	-	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q14. Now thinking about the general election, if the 2020 presidential election were being held today, and the candidates were Donald Trump, the Republican, and Joe Biden, the Democrat, for whom would you vote?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Donald Trump	9	35	81	37
Joe Biden	90	61	19	62
DON'T KNOW	-	1	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	4	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q15. Now thinking about the general election, if the 2020 presidential election were being held today, and the candidates were Donald Trump, the Republican, and Bernie Sanders, the Democrat, for whom would you vote?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Donald Trump	9	31	83	36
Bernie Sanders	90	65	16	62
DON'T KNOW	-	1	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	4	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q16. How well do you think your local government is doing in responding to the coronavirus pandemic in your community?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Excellent	16	9	15	14
Good	39	30	47	40
Fair	31	38	30	32
Poor	15	23	9	14
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	-	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q17. How well do you think your state government is doing in responding to the coronavirus pandemic in your community?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Excellent	20	12	17	17
Good	35	28	42	36
Fair	28	34	27	29
Poor	17	24	13	17
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	2	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q18. How well do you think the federal government is doing in responding to the coronavirus pandemic in your community?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Excellent	5	6	13	8
Good	17	21	41	25
Fair	38	39	33	37
Poor	40	32	13	30
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	2	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q19. How well do you think President Donald Trump is doing in responding to the coronavirus pandemic in your community?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Excellent	3	8	23	10
Good	9	15	36	19
Fair	16	29	26	22
Poor	71	47	15	49
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q20. How well do you think public health officials are doing in responding to the coronavirus pandemic in your community?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Excellent	23	17	23	22
Good	42	29	47	41
Fair	25	30	22	25
Poor	9	22	7	11
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	2	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q21. Do you trust the information you hear about coronavirus from local governments a great deal, a good amount, not very much, or not at all?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A great deal	15	10	16	14
A good amount	55	39	55	52
Not very much	22	31	25	25
Not at all	8	19	5	9
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q22. Do you trust the information you hear about coronavirus from state government a great deal, a good amount, not very much, or not at all?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A great deal	20	10	18	17
A good amount	50	38	50	48
Not very much	22	33	25	25
Not at all	7	19	7	10
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	1	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q23. Do you trust the information you hear about coronavirus from the federal government a great deal, a good amount, not very much, or not at all?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A great deal	10	7	14	11
A good amount	36	30	48	38
Not very much	37	39	30	35
Not at all	17	23	7	15
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q24. Do you trust the information you hear about coronavirus from President Donald Trump a great deal, a good amount, not very much, or not at all?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A great deal	5	7	18	9
A good amount	12	18	44	23
Not very much	26	34	25	27
Not at all	57	40	13	40
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q25. Do you trust the information you hear about coronavirus from the news media a great deal, a good amount, not very much, or not at all?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A great deal	11	7	9	9
A good amount	39	20	25	31
Not very much	38	44	41	40
Not at all	12	27	24	19
DON'T KNOW	*	-	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q26. Do you trust the information you hear about coronavirus from public health experts a great deal, a good amount, not very much, or not at all?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A great deal	45	24	33	37
A good amount	41	39	48	43
Not very much	11	20	15	14
Not at all	3	17	3	6
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q27. Do you agree or disagree that as a society we trust too much in science?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly agree	8	8	10	9
Somewhat agree	17	29	28	23
Somewhat disagree	31	35	42	35
Strongly disagree	43	28	19	32
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q28. Which of the following statements is closest to your opinion, even if none is exactly right?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
The media is paying too much attention to the coronavirus pandemic	24	34	41	31
The media is paying the right amount of attention to the coronavirus pandemic	60	36	45	50
The media is paying too little attention to the coronavirus pandemic	6	10	6	7
Don't know	9	19	8	11
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	*	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q29. Thinking about the coronavirus pandemic, how in general do you think the news media has responded?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Greatly exaggerated the risks	13	20	29	19
Slightly exaggerated the risks	22	22	31	25
Gotten the risks about right	43	31	26	35
Not taken the risks quite seriously enough	18	16	12	16
Not taken the risks seriously at all	4	10	2	4
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q30. How closely have you been following news about the coronavirus pandemic, known as COVID-19?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very closely	40	27	39	37
Fairly closely	46	45	47	46
Not too closely	12	18	12	14
Not at all	1	10	2	3
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	1	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q31. What source do you rely on most for information about the coronavirus pandemic?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Television nightly news programs	24	28	30	27
Traditional print and online newspapers, such as the New York Times, Wall Street Journal and USATODAY	21	12	15	17
Radio programs that claim to be unbiased such as those on National Public Radio	9	6	6	7
Explicitly conservative radio programs such as Rush Limbaugh	2	1	4	2
Explicitly liberal radio programs such as Democracy Now!	2	2	1	2
Online newspapers, such as Politico and Drudge Report	9	11	8	9
News obtained from social networking sites like Facebook and Twitter	16	21	17	17
Cable news shows that claim to be unbiased such as those on CNN or Public Broadcasting Station	13	6	6	9
Explicitly liberal cable news shows such as those on MSNBC	1	3	1	2
Explicitly conservative cable news shows such as those on Fox	2	6	10	5
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	3	2	2
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q32. Have you or someone you know tested positive for the coronavirus? Please select all that apply.

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Yes, me	4	2	5	4
Yes, someone I know	22	16	23	21
No	74	82	73	75
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	-	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q33. Have you or someone you know been hospitalized because of the coronavirus? Please select all that apply.

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Yes, me	2	2	3	2
Yes, someone I know	15	12	11	13
No	83	85	85	84
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Split-ballot**Q34. How concerned are you about [you] getting seriously sick due to the coronavirus?**

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very concerned	25	23	18	23
Concerned	43	32	37	39
Not very concerned	25	29	34	28
Not concerned at all	7	15	11	10
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	*	*
N	898	287	414	1,599

How concerned are you about [your family] getting seriously sick due to the coronavirus?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very concerned	39	35	28	35
Concerned	42	28	39	38
Not very concerned	15	13	25	18
Not concerned at all	3	23	8	9
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	1	1
N	903	274	421	1,598

Split-ballot**Q35. How worried are you about spreading the coronavirus to [family and friends]?**

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very worried	38	28	31	34
Worried	38	27	30	33
Not very worried	16	19	31	21
Not worried at all	7	23	8	11
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	2	*	1
N	886	295	410	1,591

How worried are you about spreading the coronavirus to [other people]?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very worried	37	24	21	29
Worried	38	32	41	38
Not very worried	17	24	24	20
Not worried at all	8	20	14	13
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	-	1	*
N	915	266	425	1,606

Q36. How worried, if at all, are you that hospitals and medical centers in your area will not be able to handle the medical needs of people who are seriously ill during the coronavirus pandemic?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very worried	48	35	31	40
Worried	38	36	39	38
Not very worried	11	15	26	16
Not worried at all	2	14	4	5
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	1	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q37. How much of a threat, if any, is the coronavirus pandemic for...Health of US population

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A major threat	81	65	60	71
A minor threat	16	23	33	23
Not a threat	2	12	6	6
DON'T KNOW	*	-	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	1	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q38. How much of a threat, if any, is the coronavirus pandemic for...Your personal health

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A major threat	40	39	30	37
A minor threat	49	38	54	48
Not a threat	10	22	16	15
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	1	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q39. How much of a threat, if any, is the coronavirus pandemic for...The US economy

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A major threat	83	75	78	80
A minor threat	13	16	17	15
Not a threat	3	8	4	4
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q40. How much of a threat, if any, is the coronavirus pandemic for...Your personal financial situation

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A major threat	52	56	47	51
A minor threat	39	27	39	37
Not a threat	8	17	13	11
DON'T KNOW	-	-	*	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q41. Thinking about some steps that have been announced in some areas to address the coronavirus pandemic, in general which of the following do you think have been and/or are necessary? Please select all that apply.

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Restricting international travel to the U.S.	81	73	85	81
Requiring most businesses other than grocery stores and pharmacies to close	72	56	61	65
Social distancing and avoiding groups of more than 10 people	85	69	80	80
Cancelling major sports and entertainment events	80	64	73	75
Closing K-12 schools	81	70	76	77
Closing colleges and universities	79	63	73	74
Limiting restaurants to carry-out only	77	64	72	73
Postponing state primary elections	55	39	49	50
Restricting domestic travel between states	63	62	58	61
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q42. Which do you think is the best strategy for dealing with coronavirus pandemic?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Imposing a national stay at home order for as long as it takes	88	73	73	81
Beginning to open up the country and allowing more people to go back to work	12	26	26	19
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q43. With people working or staying at home, there is increased dependency on WiFi. Regarding WiFi, which applies to you?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
I have reliable WiFi access	83	74	80	80
I have some WiFi access, but it is not reliable	11	13	11	11
I have very little access to WiFi	3	6	5	4
I do not have WiFi access	3	7	4	4
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	-	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q44. For each of the following, indicate whether or not it is something that happened to you or someone in your household because of the coronavirus pandemic. Please select all that apply. Been laid off or lost a job.

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Yes, me	22	21	21	21
Yes, someone in my household	21	22	20	21
No	60	59	63	61
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q45. For each of the following, indicate whether or not it is something that happened to you or someone in your household because of the coronavirus pandemic. Please select all that apply. Had to take a cut in pay due to reduced hours or demand for your work.

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Yes, me	26	23	25	25
Yes, someone in my household	25	23	23	24
No	54	58	56	55
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	1	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q46. The COVID-19 (novel coronavirus) pandemic has had global impacts on people's lives. Thinking about the pandemic's impact on your economic situation, which of the following applies to you?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Severe economic impact	27	29	25	27
Moderate economic impact	38	37	38	38
Little economic impact	25	19	26	24
No economic impact	10	15	11	11
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q47. The COVID-19 (novel coronavirus) pandemic has had global impacts on people's lives. Thinking about the pandemic's impact on your own emotions, which of the following applies to you?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Severe emotional impact	28	24	20	25
Moderate emotional impact	49	35	44	45
Little emotional impact	18	24	30	23
No emotional impact	4	15	6	7
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q48. Which word below best describes your feeling in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Hopeful	7	11	8	8
Proud	1	*	1	1
Strong	2	3	2	2
Connected	1	3	2	2
Happy	1	1	1	1
Secure	1	2	3	2
Lonely	6	5	5	5
Anxious	28	17	23	24
Scared	13	15	7	11
Angry	3	3	3	3
Frustrated	13	11	19	15
Depressed	7	6	8	7
Alienated	2	1	2	2
Embarrassed	1	*	1	1
Unsure	13	21	16	16
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q49. Reflecting on the impact of this global pandemic and helping others, which one of the following statements is closer to your experience?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
I am seeing how other people are working hard to respond to this crisis and feel inspired by their work and wish I was doing more	36	24	36	34
I am just trying to make it through the pandemic, so I cannot be involved in volunteer work right now	44	38	40	41
I am engaging in more volunteer activities to support my community and my family	6	6	7	6
I have not felt the need to do more volunteering during this time	14	31	16	18
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	2	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q50. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: Too many young people have disregarded requirements for social distancing and other such measures and have contributed significantly to the spread of the virus.

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly agree	48	40	40	44
Somewhat agree	38	33	45	39
Somewhat disagree	11	14	11	12
Strongly disagree	3	13	4	5
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q51. How long do you think it will be before life is back to “normal”?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
A few weeks	3	6	4	4
1-2 months	21	21	27	23
3 months to a year	53	42	47	49
At least a year	20	15	19	19
Never	3	14	3	5
DON'T KNOW	*	-	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	2	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

If respondent is a student...

Q52. How concerned are you that COVID-19 will make it more difficult to finish your degree?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Very concerned	30	29	25	28
Somewhat concerned	31	23	28	29
A little concerned	23	24	30	25
Not concerned at all	16	21	15	17
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	3	2	1
N	1,002	292	477	1,771

Split-ballot

Q53. Do you think the negative effects from coronavirus are more likely to impact [poor people], less likely to impact [poor people], or impact [poor people] about the same as everyone else?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
More likely to impact poor people	77	59	63	69
Less likely to impact poor people	8	10	12	10
Impact poor people about the same as everyone else	14	30	24	21
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	1	1
N	924	272	391	1,587

Do you think the negative effects from coronavirus are more likely to impact [people of color], less likely to impact [people of color], or impact [people of color] about the same as everyone else?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
More likely to impact people of color	47	18	16	31
Less likely to impact people of color	9	13	13	11
Impact people of color about the same as everyone else	43	69	70	57
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	*	1
N	877	289	444	1,610

Q54. Have you recently experienced discrimination because of your race or ethnicity?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Yes	19	13	12	16
No	81	86	87	84
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	1	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q55. Do you believe that President Trump calling the coronavirus the “Chinese virus” is racist, or not?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Racist	76	49	23	54
Not racist	23	49	77	45
DON'T KNOW	*	-	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q56. The federal government authorized a bailout to help reduce the negative impact from the coronavirus pandemic for workers and businesses. Who do you think will benefit most from the government bailout?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Workers	18	21	25	21
Small and medium businesses	21	18	29	23
Corporations	48	34	32	40
Local and state governments	6	11	9	8
Hospitals and healthcare entities	7	13	5	8
DON'T KNOW	*	*	*	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	2	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Split-ballot

Q57. Please indicate whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree with the following statement: The government should have an obligation to take care of people whose jobs are displaced by the coronavirus pandemic [].

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly agree	63	43	35	50
Somewhat agree	29	36	44	35
Somewhat disagree	5	12	18	10
Strongly disagree	2	9	2	3
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	1	1
N	900	295	429	1,624

Please indicate whether you strongly agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or strongly disagree with the following statement: The government should have an obligation to take care of people whose jobs are displaced by the coronavirus pandemic [even if that meant raising taxes substantially.]

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly agree	36	28	23	31
Somewhat agree	45	39	37	41
Somewhat disagree	16	22	27	20
Strongly disagree	3	10	12	7
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	1	*
N	901	266	406	1,573

Q58. Do you support or oppose a universal basic income benefit of \$1,000 each month for each American 18 or older?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly support	51	44	31	43
Somewhat support	33	29	34	32
Somewhat oppose	12	14	22	16
Strongly oppose	4	11	12	8
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	2	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q59. Which of the following approaches to expanding health care coverage to more Americans would you prefer?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Repeal the Affordable Care Act	6	9	18	10
Keep and build on the existing Affordable Care Act	27	16	23	24
Replace the affordable care act with a national Medicare-for-all plan that everyone must register for	25	18	10	19
Establish a public option like Medicare-for-all but let people stay on their private insurance if they want to	35	29	30	32
None of these	7	26	18	15
DON'T KNOW	-	*	*	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	2	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q60. Some states and localities have stopped landlords from evicting tenants during the coronavirus pandemic. Do you...

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Agree with this policy only during the pandemic	67	54	73	66
Disagree with this policy during the pandemic	7	9	7	7
Agree with this policy and think it should stay in place even after the pandemic	23	26	13	20
Disagree with this policy in general	3	10	5	5
DON'T KNOW	-	*	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q61. Some states and localities have stopped the repayment of student loans during the coronavirus pandemic. Do you...

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Agree with this policy only during the pandemic	49	50	66	54
Disagree with this policy during the pandemic	8	8	6	7
Agree with this policy and think it should stay in place even after the pandemic	40	32	21	32
Disagree with this policy in general	2	10	6	5
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q62. Some states and localities have released those incarcerated for non-violent crimes during the coronavirus pandemic. Do you...

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Agree with this policy only during the pandemic	37	29	30	33
Disagree with this policy during the pandemic	17	16	20	17
Agree with this policy and think it should stay in place even after the pandemic	32	23	16	25
Disagree with this policy in general	14	29	33	23
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	3	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q63. Some states and localities have stopped the cutoff of utilities such as water and electricity during the coronavirus pandemic. Do you...

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Agree with this policy only during the pandemic	56	48	70	59
Disagree with this policy during the pandemic	7	8	9	8
Agree with this policy and think it should stay in place even after the pandemic	32	29	15	26
Disagree with this policy in general	5	13	4	6
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	2	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Split-ballot

Q64. Some states and localities have considered having U.S. Immigrations and Customs Enforcement (ICE) release [all immigrants] in US immigrant detention centers during the coronavirus pandemic. Do you...

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Agree with this policy only during the pandemic	31	28	28	29
Disagree with this policy during the pandemic	12	14	14	13
Agree with this policy and think it should stay in place even after the pandemic	47	29	17	35
Disagree with this policy in general	10	28	39	21
DON'T KNOW	*	-	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	1	2	1
N	904	297	383	1,584

Some states and localities have considered having U.S. Immigrations and Customs Enforcement (ICE) release [immigrants at risk for COVID-19] in US immigrant detention centers during the coronavirus pandemic. Do you...

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Agree with this policy only during the pandemic	37	33	34	35
Disagree with this policy during the pandemic	12	15	17	14
Agree with this policy and think it should stay in place even after the pandemic	41	26	13	29
Disagree with this policy in general	9	21	35	20
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	4	1	2
N	897	264	452	1,613

Q65. Please tell us how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements: Generally, I feel like a full and equal citizen in this country with all the rights and protections that other people have.

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly agree	36	24	54	39
Somewhat agree	41	38	32	38
Somewhat disagree	17	23	11	16
Strongly disagree	6	14	3	7
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q66. Please tell us how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements: Irish, Italian, Jewish, and many other minorities overcame prejudice and worked their way up. Blacks should do the same without any special favors.

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly agree	17	21	40	25
Somewhat agree	28	30	33	30
Somewhat disagree	26	28	19	24
Strongly disagree	29	19	5	20
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	2	2	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

**Q67. Please tell us how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements:
Generations of slavery and discrimination have created conditions that make it difficult for
Blacks to work their way out of the lower class.**

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly agree	42	18	14	28
Somewhat agree	37	30	26	33
Somewhat disagree	13	27	30	21
Strongly disagree	7	22	29	17
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	2	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

**Q68. Please tell us how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements:
Through no fault of their own, whites are economically losing ground today compared to
other racial and ethnic groups.**

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly agree	9	12	15	11
Somewhat agree	21	24	34	25
Somewhat disagree	35	38	38	37
Strongly disagree	33	23	12	25
DON'T KNOW	*	-	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	1	3	2	2
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

**Q69. Please tell us how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements:
Discrimination against whites has become as big a problem as discrimination against blacks
and other minorities.**

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly agree	9	16	25	16
Somewhat agree	18	26	35	25
Somewhat disagree	24	27	26	25
Strongly disagree	48	28	13	33
DON'T KNOW	*	*	-	*
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	3	1	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

Q70. Overall, do you approve, disapprove, or neither approve nor disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strongly approve	3	7	27	11
Somewhat approve	10	13	38	19
Neither approve nor disapprove	13	34	18	19
Somewhat disapprove	17	14	11	14
Strongly disapprove	57	31	6	36
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	1	*	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

EMBARGOED

DEMOGRAPHICS

PID1. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an independent, or what?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Democrat	68	-	-	33
Republican	-	-	71	22
Independent	27	55	24	32
Something else	5	45	5	13
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	-	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

PIDI. Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or to the Democratic Party?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Closer to the Republican Party	-	-	100	20
Closer to the Democratic Party	100	-	-	35
Neither	-	100	-	45
N	444	561	199	1,204

PIDA. Would you call yourself a strong Democrat or a not very strong Democrat?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%
Strong Democrat	43	43
Not very strong Democrat	57	57
N	1,357	1,357

PIDB. Would you call yourself a strong Republican or a not very strong Republican?

	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%
Strong Republican	37	37
Not very strong Republican	63	63
N	636	636

Party ID. Combines PID1, PIDI, PIDA, and PIDB

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strong Dem	29	-	-	14
Not Strong Dem	39	-	-	19
Close to Dem	32	-	-	16
Independent	-	100	-	20
Close to Rep	-	-	29	9
Not Strong Rep	-	-	45	14
Strong Rep	-	-	26	8
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

AGE

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
18-24	38	38	29	35
25-30	32	34	34	33
31-36	30	29	36	32
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

GENDER

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Male	45	46	58	50
Female	55	54	42	50
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

RACE/ETHNICITY

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Black	21	16	4	15
Asian	11	7	5	8
Latino	24	29	13	22
White	44	47	78	55
Other	1	1	*	1
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

MARITAL STATUS

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Married	21	28	39	28
Widowed	*	*	*	*
Divorced	2	3	2	2
Separated	1	2	2	2
Never married	61	54	42	54
Living with partner	14	13	14	14
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

EMPLOYMENT STATUS

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Employed	68	54	71	66
Not employed	32	46	29	34
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

EDUCATION

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
No HS diploma	8	15	8	9
HS graduate or equivalent	24	39	25	27
Some college	31	31	35	32
BA or above	38	14	32	31
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

HOUSEHOLD INCOME

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Under \$10,000	8	17	7	10
\$10,000 to under \$20,000	9	11	7	9
\$20,000 to under \$30,000	13	17	11	13
\$30,000 to under \$40,000	12	12	10	12
\$40,000 to under \$50,000	7	7	7	7
\$50,000 to under \$75,000	19	15	20	19
\$75,000 to under \$100,000	13	9	15	13
\$100,000 to under \$150,000	11	8	15	12
\$150,000 or more	7	3	6	6
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

What is your present religion, if any?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Protestant	17	9	33	20
Roman Catholic	16	16	18	17
Mormon	1	3	2	2
Orthodox	1	-	*	*
Jewish	1	*	2	1
Muslim	2	1	1	2
Buddhist	2	2	1	1
Hindu	1	1	*	1
Atheist	8	3	1	5
Agnostic	7	3	7	6
Nothing in particular	27	38	12	25
Just Christian	15	19	22	18
Unitarian	1	-	*	*
Something else	2	5	1	2
N	924	262	353	1,539

Would you describe yourself as a 'born-again' or evangelical Christian, or not?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Yes	26	36	41	34
No	74	64	59	66
N	491	139	251	881

How often do you attend religious services?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Never	35	41	17	31
Less than once per year	13	16	15	14
About once or twice a year	15	13	15	15
Several times a year	14	6	11	12
About once a month	5	4	7	5
2-3 times a month	4	5	7	5
Nearly every week	5	5	6	5
Every week	7	7	15	9
Several times a week	2	5	7	4
N	911	258	352	1,521

UNWEIGHTED DEMOGRAPHICS**UNWEIGHTED PID1. Generally speaking, do you think of yourself as a Republican, a Democrat, an independent, or what?**

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Democrat	75	-	-	42
Republican	-	-	76	20
Independent	20	59	19	27
Something else	4	40	4	11
SKIPPED/REFUSED	*	*	-	*
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

UNWEIGHTED PID1. Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican Party or to the Democratic Party?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Closer to the Republican Party	-	-	100	17
Closer to the Democratic Party	100	-	-	37
Neither	-	100	-	47
N	444	561	199	1,204

UNWEIGHTED PIDA. Would you call yourself a strong Democrat or a not very strong Democrat?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%
Strong Democrat	55	55
Not very strong Democrat	45	45
N	1,357	1,357

UNWEIGHTED PIDB. Would you call yourself a strong Republican or a not very strong Republican?

	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%
Strong Republican	54	54
Not very strong Republican	46	46
N	636	636

UNWEIGHTED Party ID. Combines PID1, PIDI, PIDA, and PIDB

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Strong Dem	42	-	-	24
Not Strong Dem	34	-	-	19
Close to Dem	25	-	-	14
Independent	-	100	-	18
Close to Rep	-	-	24	6
Not Strong Rep	-	-	35	9
Strong Rep	-	-	41	11
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

UNWEIGHTED AGE

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
18-24	36	34	32	35
25-30	31	35	31	31
31-36	33	31	37	34
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

UNWEIGHTED GENDER

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Male	46	47	58	49
Female	54	53	42	51
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

UNWEIGHTED MARITAL STATUS

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Married	23	29	41	29
Widowed	*	*	1	*
Divorced	2	3	2	2
Separated	1	3	2	2
Never married	59	55	42	54
Living with partner	14	11	11	13
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

UNWEIGHTED EMPLOYMENT STATUS

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Employed	71	59	73	69
Not employed	29	41	27	31
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

UNWEIGHTED EDUCATION

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
No HS diploma	6	12	9	8
HS graduate or equivalent	17	29	17	19
Some college	33	35	31	33
BA or above	43	25	43	40
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

UNWEIGHTED HOUSEHOLD INCOME

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Under \$10,000	10	16	10	11
\$10,000 to under \$20,000	9	14	7	10
\$20,000 to under \$30,000	12	17	11	13
\$30,000 to under \$40,000	11	11	9	10
\$40,000 to under \$50,000	7	7	6	7
\$50,000 to under \$75,000	19	16	17	18
\$75,000 to under \$100,000	13	9	15	13
\$100,000 to under \$150,000	11	7	15	11
\$150,000 or more	8	4	9	8
N	1,801	561	835	3,197

UNWEIGHTED What is your present religion, if any?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Protestant	19	10	31	20
Roman Catholic	16	15	18	16
Mormon	1	2	3	1
Orthodox	1	-	*	*
Jewish	1	1	2	1
Muslim	3	2	1	2
Buddhist	2	2	3	2
Hindu	2	2	1	2
Atheist	6	3	1	4
Agnostic	6	3	5	5
Nothing in particular	25	33	13	24
Just Christian	16	22	20	18
Unitarian	1	-	*	1
Something else	2	5	2	3
N	924	262	353	1,539

UNWEIGHTED Would you describe yourself as a 'born-again' or evangelical Christian, or not?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Yes	28	38	43	34
No	72	62	57	66
N	491	139	251	881

UNWEIGHTED How often do you attend religious services?

	<i>Democrat</i>	<i>Independent</i>	<i>Republican</i>	<i>Total</i>
	%	%	%	%
Never	31	34	17	28
Less than once per year	14	15	15	14
About once or twice a year	16	12	13	15
Several times a year	15	8	12	13
About once a month	5	6	7	6
2-3 times a month	4	7	5	5
Nearly every week	6	4	6	6
Every week	7	8	17	9
Several times a week	2	4	8	4
N	911	258	352	1,521

STUDY METHODOLOGY

The GenForward April survey is a project of Professor Cathy J. Cohen at the University of Chicago. Interviews were conducted with a representative sample from GenForwardSM, a nationally representative survey panel of adults ages 18-36 recruited and administered by NORC at the University of Chicago.

A total of 3,217 interviews were conducted between April 3rd and April 16th, 2019 with adults ages 18-36, including completed interviews with 849 African American young adults, 515 Asian American young adults, 819 Latinx young adults, 1012 white young adults, and 22 young adults with other racial and ethnic backgrounds. The survey was offered in English and Spanish and via telephone and web modes.

The GenForward survey was built from two sample sources:

- Fifty-one percent of the completed interviews are sourced from NORC's AmeriSpeak[®] Panel and from the Black Youth Project (BYP) panel of young adults recruited by NORC. AmeriSpeak is a probability-based panel that also uses address-based sample but sourced from the NORC National Frame with enhanced sample coverage. During the initial recruitment phase of the AmeriSpeak panel, randomly selected U.S. households were sampled with a known, non-zero probability of selection and then contacted by U.S. mail, email, telephone, and field interviewers (face-to-face). The BYP sample is from a probability-based household panel that uses an address-based sample from a registered voter database of the entire U.S. Households were selected using stratified random sampling to support over-sampling of households with African Americans, Latinxs, and Asian Americans ages 18-36. NORC contacted sampled households by U.S. mail and by telephone, inviting them to register and participate in public opinion surveys twice a month.
- The AmeriSpeak panel sample was supplemented with respondents from the Dynata nonprobability online opt-in panel. Forty-nine percent of the completed interviews are sourced from the Dynata panel. To help to reduce potential bias in the nonprobability sample, Dynata attempted to balance the nonprobability respondent sample by age, race and ethnicity, gender, and partisanship. In order to incorporate the nonprobability sample, NORC used TrueNorth calibration services, an innovative hybrid calibration approach developed at NORC based on small area estimation methods in order to explicitly account for potential bias associated with the nonprobability sample. The purpose of TrueNorth calibration is to adjust the weights for the nonprobability sample so as to bring weighted distributions of the nonprobability sample in line with the population distribution for characteristics correlated with the survey variables. Such calibration adjustments help to reduce potential bias, yielding more accurate population estimates.

Panelists on both the BYP and AmeriSpeak panels are invited to register for the panel via the web or by telephone to participate in public opinion surveys.

Of the 3,217 completed interviews in the GenForward July survey, 94 percent were completed by web and 6 percent by telephone. The survey completion rate is 18.5 percent. The weighted AAPOR RR3 panel recruitment rate is 15.9 percent and the weighted household panel retention rate is 85.2 percent, for a cumulative AAPOR Response Rate 3 of 2.5 percent. The overall margin of sampling error is +/- 2.39 percentage points at the 95 percent confidence level, including the design effect. Among subgroups, the margin of sampling error at the 95 percent confidence level is +/- 4.20 percentage points for African Americans, +/- 5.30 percentage points for Asian Americans, +/- 4.91 percentage points for Latinxs, and +/- 3.62 percentage points for whites. The margin of sampling error at the 95 percent confidence level is +/- 3.06 percentage points for Democrats, +/- 4.66 percentage points for Republicans, +/- 5.58 percentage points for Independents.

To encourage cooperation, respondents were offered incentives for completing the survey that ranged from the cash-equivalent of \$3 to the cash-equivalent of \$10.

The interviews from the two probability-based sample sources were combined for statistical weighting and analysis. The combined panel samples provide sample coverage of approximately 97% of the U.S. household population. Those excluded from the sample include people with P.O. Box only addresses, some addresses not listed in the USPS Delivery Sequence File, and some newly constructed dwellings. The statistical weights incorporate the appropriate probability of selection for the BYP and AmeriSpeak samples, nonresponse adjustments, and also, raking ratio adjustments to population benchmarks for 18-64-year-old adults. A poststratification process is used to adjust for any survey nonresponse as well as any non-coverage or under- and over-sampling resulting from the study-specific sample design. The poststratification process was done separately for each racial/ethnic group and involved the following variables: age, gender, education, and census region. The weighted data, which reflect the U.S. population of adults ages 18-36, and the 18-36-year-old populations for African Americans, Latinxs, Asian Americans, and non-Latinx whites, were used for all analyses.