Topline

KFF Health Tracking Poll – Early April 2020

METHODOLOGY

This *KFF Health Tracking Poll* was designed and analyzed by public opinion researchers at the Kaiser Family Foundation (KFF). The survey was conducted March 25-30th, 2020, among a nationally representative random digit dial telephone sample of 1,226 adults ages 18 and older, living in the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii (note: persons without a telephone could not be included in the random selection process). The sample included 293 respondents reached by calling back respondents that had previously completed an interview on the KFF Tracking poll at least nine months ago. Computer-assisted telephone interviews conducted by landline (253) and cell phone (973, including 689 who had no landline telephone) were carried out in English and Spanish by SSRS of Glen Mills, PA. To efficiently obtain a sample of lower-income and non-White respondents, the sample also included an oversample of prepaid (pay-as-you-go) telephone numbers (25% of the cell phone sample consisted of prepaid numbers) as well as a subsample of respondents who had previously completed Spanish language interviews on the SSRS Omnibus poll (*n*=10). Both the random digit dial landline and cell phone samples were provided by Marketing Systems Group (MSG). For the landline sample, respondents were selected by asking for the youngest adult male or female currently at home based on a random rotation. If no one of that gender was available, interviewers asked to speak with the youngest adult of the opposite gender. For the cell phone sample, interviews were conducted with the adult who answered the phone. KFF paid for all costs associated with the survey.

The combined landline and cell phone sample was weighted to balance the sample demographics to match estimates for the national population using data from the Census Bureau's 2018 American Community Survey (ACS) on sex, age, education, race, Hispanic origin, and region along with data from the 2010 Census on population density. The sample was also weighted to match current patterns of telephone use using data from the July-December 2018 National Health Interview Survey. The weight takes into account the fact that respondents with both a landline and cell phone have a higher probability of selection in the combined sample and also adjusts for the household size for the landline sample, and design modifications, namely, the oversampling of prepaid cell phones and likelihood of non-response for the re-contacted sample. All statistical tests of significance account for the effect of weighting.

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

Group	N (unweighted)	M.O.S.E.
Total	1,226	±3 percentage points
Party Identification		
Democrats	364	±6 percentage points
Republicans	311	±6 percentage points
Independents	418	±6 percentage points
Registered voters		
Democratic voters	304	±7 percentage points
Republican voters	266	±7 percentage points
Independent voters	312	±6 percentage points
Swing voters	298	±7 percentage points

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

All trends shown in this document come from the Kaiser Health Tracking Polls except:
03/20: Kaiser Family Foundation, Coronavirus Poll- March 2020 (March 11-15, 2020)
07/19: Kaiser Family Foundation/Washington Post, *Climate Change Survey 2019* (July 9-August 5, 2019)

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

RECAGE2 VARIABLE

	Early 4/20
18-29	20
30-49	34
50-64	25
65+	21
Don't know/Refused	*

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

	Early 4/20
Covered by health insurance	86
Not covered by health insurance	13
Don't know	*
Refused	*

AGECOV VARIABLE

	Early 4/20
Insured less than 65	84
Uninsured less than 65	16
	n=835

Q12.   How much, if at all, has your life been disrupted by the coronavirus outbreak? (READ LIST)

Table I

	Early 4/20	3/20
A lot/Some/A little (NET)	90	69
A lot	45	16
Some	27	24
Just a little	17	29
Not at all	10	31
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*	*

Table II

	Early 4/20	3/20
A lot/Some (NET)	72	40
A lot	45	16
Some	27	24
Just a little/Not at all (NET)	28	60
Just a little	17	29
Not at all	10	31
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*	*

Q21.   Do you have a computer, smart phone or tablet with internet access at home?

	Early 4/20
Yes	88
No	12
Don't know	-
Refused	*

Q22.   In the past two weeks, have you used a smart phone, tablet or computer to talk by video to (INSERT ITEM)?

Based on those who have a computer, smart phone or tablet with internet access

	Yes	No	Don't know/Refused (NET)	
a. Friends or family				
Early 4/20	71	29	*	*n=1,083*
b. A co-worker				
Early 4/20	32	68	-	*n=1,083*
c. A doctor or health care provider				
Early 4/20	12	88	-	*n=1,083*

Q22 SUMMARY TABLE (Yes to any)

Based on those who have a computer, smart phone or tablet with internet access (n=1,083)

	Early 4/20
Have used a computer, smart phone or tablet to talk by video	35
Have not used a computer, smart phone or tablet to talk by video	65
Don't know/Refused to all	-

Q21/Q22 Combo table

Based on total

	Early 4/20
Has a computer, smart phone or tablet with internet access at home	88
Have used a computer, smart phone or tablet to talk by video	65
Have not used a computer, smart phone or tablet to talk by video	23
Don't know/Refused to all	-
Does not have a computer, smart phone or tablet with internet access at home	12
Don't know/Refused to all	*

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

	Early 4/20
Yes	73
No	27
Don't know	1
Refused	-

Q1.   How important will each of the following issues be in making your decision about who to vote for in this year's presidential election? Will (INSERT ITEM) be very important, somewhat important, not too important, or not at all important in your decision about who to vote for in the presidential election? (scramble a-g; ask half sample A items d and f; ask half sample C items c, e, and g)

Based on those who are registered voters

Items a and b asked of full sample, items d and f asked of half-sample A, items c, e, and g asked of half-sample B.

	Very/ Somewhat important (NET)	Very important	Somewhat important	Not too/not at all important (NET)	Not too important	Not at all important	Don't plan to vote (Vol.)	Don't Know/ Refused (NET)	
a. Health care									
Early 4/20	88	63	25	12	6	6	-	*	n=948
2/20	89	63	25	11	6	5	-	*	n=998
b. The economy									
Early 4/20	92	60	32	8	4	4	*	*	n=948
2/20	92	67	25	8	6	2	*	*	n=998
c. Climate change									
Early 4/20	61	37	24	39	17	21	*	*	n=474
2/20	65	43	22	34	15	20	*	*	n=998
d. Immigration									
Early 4/20	78	38	40	21	13	8	-	*	n=474
2/20	81	49	31	19	12	7	*	*	n=998
e. Taxes									
Early 4/20	83	47	36	16	11	5	-	1	n=474
2/20	86	49	37	13	9	4	*	*	n=998
f. International trade and tariffs									
Early 4/20	75	31	44	24	17	7	*	1	n=474
2/20	80	34	46	19	13	6	*	1	n=998
g. Foreign policy and national security									
Early 4/20	90	54	36	10	4	6	-	*	n=474
2/20	92	60	32	7	5	3	*	*	n=998

Q2.   When you say health care is one of the most important issues in making your decision about who to vote for president this year, what specifically do you mean?

Table I

Based on registered voters who say health care is very important in making their decision about who to vote for (n=833)

	Early 4/20
Increasing access (NET)	35
Increasing access to health care	19
Increasing health insurance access	9
Wants universal coverage (specific mention)	7
The cost of health care and health insurance (NET)	24
Health care costs (NET)	20
Cost and affordability (general mention)	8
Health care should be affordable	7
Lowering health care costs	4
Prescription drug costs	2
Health insurance costs (NET)	4
Cost of health insurance	2
Health care premiums	1
Out-of-pocket costs	1
In favor of single-payer/Medicare-for-all (NET)	6
In favor of single-payer/Medicare-for-all/national health plan	5
Wants a national health plan like in other countries	1
Medicare/senior concerns	4
Against single-payer/Medicare-for-all (NET)	4
Happy with/being able to keep my insurance/maintain current private insurance system/free market system/be able to make own choices	2
Against single payer/Medicare-for-all/government healthcare	2
Who will pay for Medicare-for-all/don't want to pay for others who don't pay their fair share/don't want my costs/taxes going up	*
Concern about quality of coverage/care/provider choice	3
Coronavirus Outbreak (NET)	3
Coronavirus outbreak (general mention)	2
Cost of care for patients with coronavirus	*
Health care policy (general mention)	2
Expand/improve the ACA	2
Health care system (general mention)	2
Opposition to/repealing the ACA	2
Improving health care (general)	1
Nothing, not an issue, not health care mention	1
Pre-existing conditions	1
Affordable care act (general mention)	*
Medical debt and bankruptcy	*
Medicaid	*
Other	8
Don't Know/Refused (NET)	2

Table II

Based on those who are registered voters (n=948)

	Early 4/20
Health care is important issue (NET)	88
Increasing access (NET)	29
Increasing access to health care	16
Increasing health insurance access	8
Wants universal coverage (specific mention)	5
The cost of health care and health insurance (NET)	20
Health care costs (NET)	17
Cost and affordability (general mention)	6
Health care should be affordable	6
Lowering health care costs	3
Prescription drug costs	1
Health insurance costs (NET)	3
Cost of health insurance	1
Health care premiums	1
Out-of-pocket costs	1
Against single-payer/Medicare-for-all (NET)	5
Happy with/being able to keep my insurance/maintain current private insurance system/free market system/be able to make own choices	2
Against single payer/Medicare-for-all/government healthcare	2
Who will pay for Medicare-for-all/don't want to pay for others who don't pay their fair share/don't want my costs/taxes going up	*
In favor of single-payer/Medicare-for-all (NET)	4
In favor of single-payer/Medicare-for-all/national health plan	3
Wants a national health plan like in other countries	1
Medicare/senior concerns	4
Concern about quality of coverage/care/provider choice	3
Health care policy (general mention)	3
Coronavirus outbreak (NET)	2
Coronavirus outbreak (general mention)	2
Cost of care for patients with coronavirus	*
Expand/improve the ACA	1
Opposition to/repealing the ACA	1
Health care system (general mention)	1
Improving health care (general)	1
Nothing, not an issue, not health care mention	1
Pre-existing conditions	1
Affordable care act (general mention)	*
Medical debt and bankruptcy	*
Medicaid	*
Other	7
Don't Know/Refused (NET)	4
Health care not important issue	12
Don't plan to vote (Vol.)	-
Don't know	*
Refused	*

Q3.   When you say the economy is one of the most important issues in making your decision about who to vote for president this year, what specifically do you mean?

Table I

Based on those who are registered voters and say the economy is very important in making their decision about who to vote for (n=865)

	Early 4/20
Job security/unemployment	21
Concerns over current U.S. economic situation (NET)	13
Coronavirus' impact on the economy (explicit mention)	9
Worried about economic recession	4
Economy (general mention)	10
Working class/middle-class/living wage (NET)	8
Living wage/working class	6
Income inequality	2
Economic policy (general mention)	7
Stock market/retirement/savings	7
Free market/capitalism/less regulation	4
Consumer spending	2
President Trump (positive mention)	2
Small businesses	2
Personal economic concerns	2
Keep jobs in U.S.	1
Tax cuts	1
Economy (positive mention)	1
Government spending/national debt	1
More regulation/ less Wall Street bailouts/pro regulation	1
Other (NET)	14
Don't Know/Refused (NET)	4
Don't Know	3
Refused	1

Table II

Based on those who are registered voters (n=948)

	Early 4/20
Economy is important issue (NET)	92
Job security/unemployment	18
Concerns over current U.S. economic situation (NET)	11
Coronavirus' impact on the economy (explicit mention)	7
Worried about economic recession	4
Economy (general mention)	9
Economic policy (general mention)	8
Working class/middle-class/living wage (NET)	8
Living wage/working class	6
Income inequality	2
Stock market/retirement/savings	5
Free market/capitalism/less regulation	3
Consumer spending	2
Economy (positive mention)	1
Tax cuts	1
Government spending/national debt	1
Small businesses	1
President Trump (positive mention)	1
Personal economic concerns	1
Keep jobs in U.S.	1
More regulation/ less Wall Street bailouts/pro regulation	1
Other (NET)	14
Don't Know/Refused (NET)	6
Don't Know	4
Refused	2
Economy not important issue	8
Don't plan to vote (Vol.)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	-

Read to all: Moving onto another topic....

ACA. As you may know a health reform bill was signed into law in 2010, known commonly as the Affordable Care Act or Obamacare. Given what you know about the health reform law, do you have a generally (favorable) or generally (unfavorable) opinion of it? [GET ANSWER THEN ASK: Is that a very (favorable/unfavorable) or somewhat (favorable/unfavorable) opinion?]

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know/ Refused
Early 4/20	22	28	17	22	12
02/20	24	31	14	23	9
01/20	28	25	11	26	10
11/19	26	26	12	29	7
10/19	30	21	12	28	8
09/19	29	24	15	26	7
07/19	26	22	12	29	12
06/19	27	19	13	27	12
04/19	29	21	11	27	13
03/19	27	23	11	28	11
02/19	28	22	12	25	12
01/19	29	22	12	28	10
11/18	28	25	14	26	8
09/18	23	26	15	27	9
08/18	26	24	13	27	10
07/18	28	20	12	28	11
06/18	26	24	13	28	8
04/18	27	22	15	28	9
03/18	26	24	15	28	7
02/18	33	21	12	30	5
01/18	27	23	12	30	8
11/17	29	21	17	29	5
10/17	29	22	13	27	9
09/17	27	19	14	30	10
08/17	30	22	10	29	8
07/17	28	22	12	32	6
06/17	29	22	14	27	8
05/17	29	20	13	29	9
Late 04/17[1]	24	24	15	26	12
Early 04/17	20	26	16	30	9
03/17	21	28	15	29	6
02/17	20	28	15	27	10
12/16	21	22	16	30	11
11/16	19	24	17	28	11
10/16	19	26	13	32	10
09/16	18	26	17	30	9
08/16	19	21	14	28	17
07/16	18	22	17	29	14
06/16	18	24	12	32	14
04/16	15	23	17	32	13
03/16	21	20	17	30	13
02/16	19	22	12	34	14
01/16	21	20	16	28	16
12/15	19	21	13	33	14
11/15	19	19	17	28	17
10/15	21	21	15	27	16
09/15	21	20	15	30	14
08/15	23	21	16	25	14
06/29/15	23	20	13	27	17
06/09/15	19	20	16	26	19
04/15	22	21	15	27	14
03/15	22	19	15	28	16
01/15	19	21	16	30	15

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

ACA continued…

	Very favorable	Somewhat favorable	Somewhat unfavorable	Very unfavorable	Don't know/ Refused
12/14	18	23	16	30	14
11/14	18	19	16	30	18
10/14	16	20	16	27	20
09/14	15	20	15	32	19
07/14	15	22	18	35	11
06/14	19	20	15	30	16
05/14	19	19	12	33	17
04/14	19	19	16	30	16
03/14	18	20	14	32	15
02/14	16	19	14	33	18
01/14	17	17	15	35	16
12/13	17	17	12	36	18
11/13	15	18	13	36	18
10/13	21	17	13	31	18
09/13	20	19	13	30	17
08/13	17	20	14	28	20
06/13	15	20	13	30	23
04/13	16	19	12	28	24
03/13	17	20	13	27	23
02/13	18	18	13	29	23
11/12	19	24	12	27	19
10/12	20	18	14	29	19
09/12	25	20	12	28	14
08/12	21	17	13	30	19
07/12	20	18	13	31	17
06/12	25	16	11	30	18
05/12	17	20	12	32	19
04/12	20	22	9	34	15
03/12	18	23	11	29	19
02/12	17	25	16	27	15
01/12	18	19	14	30	19
12/11[2]	19	22	15	28	17
11/11	17	20	15	29	19
10/11	12	22	20	31	15
09/11	18	23	14	29	16
08/11	16	23	17	27	17
07/11	20	22	12	31	15
06/11	15	27	16	30	12
05/11	19	23	15	29	14
04/11	20	21	14	27	18
03/11	21	21	15	31	13
02/11	16	27	19	29	8
01/11	19	22	16	34	9
12/10[3]	22	20	14	27	18
11/10	19	23	12	28	18
10/10	18	24	15	29	15
09/10	19	30	15	25	11
08/10	19	24	13	32	12
07/10	21	29	10	25	14
06/10	20	28	16	25	10
05/10	14	27	12	32	14
04/10[4]	23	23	10	30	14

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[2] February 2011 through December 2011 trend wording was "As you may know, a health reform bill was signed into law early last year. Given what you know about the health reform law, do you have a generally (favorable) or generally (unfavorable) opinion of it? (Is that a very favorable/unfavorable or somewhat favorable/unfavorable opinion?)"

[3] May 2010 through December 2011 trend wording was "As you may know, a health reform bill was signed into law earlier this year…"

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

(Rotate M4ALL with PUBLICOPTION)

M4ALL. Do you (favor) or (oppose) having a national health plan, sometimes called Medicare-for-all, in which all Americans would get their insurance from a single government plan? (GET ANSWER THEN ASK: Is that strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?) (rotate items in parentheses)

	Strongly/ Somewhat favor (NET)	Strongly favor	Somewhat favor	Somewhat/ Strongly oppose (NET)	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	Don't know/ Refused	
Early 4/20	54	33	21	41	13	28	5	n=1,226
02/20	52	29	22	44	13	31	5	n=1,207
01/20	56	32	23	41	11	30	4	n=1,212
11/19	53	31	22	43	10	33	4	n=1,205
10/19	51	30	21	47	11	35	2	n=1,205
09/19	53	31	21	45	12	33	2	n=1,205
07/19[5]	51	29	21	42	9	34	7	n=608
04/19	56	36	20	38	10	28	6	n=1,203
03/19	56	35	21	39	8	30	5	n=1,211
02/19	57	33	24	37	11	26	6	n=1,440
01/19	56	34	22	42	10	32	2	n=1,190
03/18	59	37	22	38	10	28	3	n=1,212
09/17	55	33	22	43	12	31	3	n=581
06/17	57	34	23	38	12	26	5	n=611

PUBLICOPTION. Do you (favor) or (oppose) having a government-administered health plan, sometimes called a public option, that would compete with private health insurance plans and be available to all Americans? (GET ANSWER THEN ASK: Is that strongly (favor/oppose) or somewhat (favor/oppose)?) (rotate items in parentheses)

	Early 4/20	2/20	1/20	11/19	10/19	9/19	7/19[6]
Strongly/Somewhat Favor (NET)	69	66	68	65	73	69	65
Strongly favor	35	30	36	37	46	38	40
Somewhat favor	34	36	31	29	27	31	26
Somewhat/Strongly Oppose (NET)	25	29	28	29	24	28	31
Somewhat oppose	10	10	12	9	7	9	10
Strongly oppose	15	19	17	20	17	19	21
Don't know/Refused	6	5	4	6	3	3	4
	n=1,226	n=1,207	n=1,212	n=1,205	n=1,205	n=1,205	n=588

TRUMPAPPROVE. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as President? [GET ANSWER, THEN ASK: Do you strongly or somewhat (approve/disapprove)?]

	Early 4/20	2/20
Approve (NET)	48	42
Strongly approve	30	24
Somewhat approve	18	18
Disapprove (NET)	49	54
Somewhat disapprove	12	12
Strongly disapprove	37	42
Don't know	2	2
Refused	1	2

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[5] July 2019 trend was asked of half sample A.
[6] July 2019 trend was asked of half sample B.

Q4.   Do you approve or disapprove of the way President Trump is handling (INSERT ITEM)? How about (INSERT NEXT ITEM)? READ IF
        NECESSARY: Do you approve or disapprove of the way President Trump is handling (INSERT ITEM)? (scramble a-c; always show d last)

	Approve	Disapprove	Don't know	Refused	
a. The economy					
Early 4/20	57	38	3	1	*n=1,226*
7/19	46	46	*	1	*n=2,706*
b. Health care					
Early 4/20	42	50	7	1	*n=1,226*
7/19	34	57	1	1	*n=2,706*
c. Immigration					
Early 4/20	42	53	4	1	*n=1,226*
7/19	34	58	*	*	*n=2,706*
d. The current coronavirus outbreak in the U.S.					
Early 4/20	50	47	3	*	*n=1,226*

READ TO ALL: Moving onto the current coronavirus outbreak in the U.S…

(Rotate Q6 & Q7)

Q6.   Who do you think should be primarily responsible for the response to the coronavirus outbreak? Is it the (federal government) or (your
        state government)? (rotate text in parentheses)

	Early 4/20
Federal government	60
Your state government	32
Don't know	6
Refused	1

Q7.   Who do you think is currently leading the response for the current coronavirus outbreak in your area? Is it the (federal government) or
        (your state government)? (rotate text in parentheses)

	Early 4/20
Federal government	37
Your state government	52
Both the federal and state governments (Vol.)	3
No one (Vol.)	1
Something else (Vol.)	*
Don't Know/Refused (NET)	6
Don't Know	5
Refused	*

Q8.   Which comes closer to your view? (READ LIST) (rotate response options 1-2/2-1, keep Option A and Option B from rotating)

	Early 4/20
Option A: The U.S. should take measures aimed at slowing the spread of the coronavirus while more widespread testing becomes available, even if that means many businesses will have to stay closed	80
Option B: The U.S. should ease up on measures aimed at slowing the spread of the coronavirus soon, in order to open businesses and get the U.S. economy going again, even if that means more people would get coronavirus and could die	14
The U.S. can slow the spread of coronavirus and get the economy going again at the same time (Vol.)	1
Don't know/Refused	4

Q9. How much do you trust (INSERT ITEM) to provide reliable information on coronavirus? How about (INSERT NEXT ITEM)? (READ IF NECESSARY: Do you trust (Him/Them) a great deal, a fair amount, not much or not at all to provide reliable information on coronavirus?) (READ LIST) (rotate items a-g; ask all a-b; ask half sample A items d and f; ask half sample B items e and g)

	Trust (Net)	A great deal	A fair amount	Don't Trust (Net)	Not much	Not at all	Depends (Vol)	Don't know/ Refused (NET)	
a. President Trump									
Early 4/20	46	21	25	53	21	32	*	1	*n= 1,226*
3/20	46	23	23	51	18	33	*	3	*n= 1,216*
b. Your state government officials									
Early 4/20	74	28	46	25	18	6	*	1	*n= 1,226*
3/20	71	28	43	27	18	9	*	2	*n= 1,216*
d. The U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, or CDC									
Early 4/20	83	43	41	16	13	3	-	1	*n= 1,226*
3/20	85	48	37	13	10	3	*	2	*n= 1,216*
e. The World Health Organization, or WHO									
Early 4/20	70	28	42	27	18	8	*	3	*n= 609*
3/20	77	41	37	19	12	7	*	4	*n= 1,216*
f. The news media									
Early 4/20	47	14	33	51	29	22	1	1	*n= 617*
3/20	47	15	31	51	26	25	1	1	*n= 1,216*
g. Dr. Anthony Fauci, the director of the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases									
Early 4/20	78	41	37	12	10	2	-	10	*n= 609*

Q10.   What would you say worries you the MOST about the coronavirus outbreak in the U.S. at this time?

	Early 4/20
It is getting worse/it is spreading	15
I/someone in my family will get it	12
Economy (NET)	11
Unemployment/loss of wages	3
Economic recession/destroy economy	3
The economic impact	2
Businesses are closing/loss of revenue	1
Economy (general mention)	1
Social security	*
People are not taking it seriously	9
People are dying	8
The impact on at-risk groups (NET)	7
The impact on seniors/elderly adults	5
The impact on at-risk populations	2
The impact on the homeless	*
Government response (NET)	6
Lack of trust in government/government not doing enough	3
President trump's lack of leadership/ poor federal govt. response	3
Too much government overreach	*
Hospitals running out of supplies/concerns for health care workers	5
Lack of information	4
How long it is going to last	3
The lack of testing	3
People are panicking/overreacting	2
Running out of food or household supplies	2
We were unprepared	2
Vaccine	1
Lack of trust in media	1
Having to self-isolate/quarantine	1
Not worried	3
Other worry	6
Don't Know/Refused (NET)	1
Don't Know	1
Refused	*

Q14.   Do you feel that worry or stress related to coronavirus has had a negative impact on your mental health, or not? (IF YES ASK: Was that a major impact or a minor impact?)

	Early 4/20	3/20
Yes (Net)	45	32
Yes – major impact	19	14
Yes – minor impact	26	18
No	54	67
I don't have worry or stress related to coronavirus (Vol.)	*	-
Don't know/Refused (NET)	1	1
Don't know	1	1
Refused	-	*

Q11.   How worried, if at all, are you that (INSERT ITEM)? Are you very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried, or not at all worried? How about that (INSERT NEXT ITEM)? IF NECESSARY: Are you very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried or not at all worried that (INSERT ITEM)? (scramble a-e)

	Worried (NET)	Very worried	Somewhat worried	Not worried (NET)	Not too worried	Not at all worried	Not applicable (Vol.)	Don't Know/ Refused (NET)
a. Your local hospital will run out of necessary equipment like beds or ventilators to treat patients								
Early 4/20	78	47	31	21	15	7	*	*
b. Health care workers will not have the necessary personal protective equipment such as masks to protect themselves								
Early 4/20	87	62	26	13	8	5	*	*
c. The country's health care system will be overrun and people won't be able to get needed medical care								
Early 4/20	82	51	31	18	12	6	-	*
d. Local businesses will close permanently because of the loss of revenue during the outbreak								
Early 4/20	85	48	36	15	11	5	*	*
e. The U.S. economy will head into a recession because of the coronavirus pandemic								
Early 4/20	79	40	39	20	15	5	*	1

Q13. How worried, if at all, are you that (INSERT ITEM)? Are you very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried, or not at all worried? How about that (INSERT NEXT ITEM)? IF NECESSARY: Are you very worried, somewhat worried, not too worried or not at all worried that (INSERT ITEM)? (scramble a-f; always ask item e after d)

	Very/ Somewhat worried (NET)	Very worried	Somewhat worried	Not too/Not at all worried (NET)	Not too worried	Not at all worried	Not Applicable (Vol)	Don't Know/ Refused (NET)	
a. You or someone in your family will get sick from the Coronavirus									
Early 4/20	53	28	24	41	17	24	6	*	n=1,226
3/20	62	27	36	37	21	16	-	*	n=1,216
2/20	43	22	21	56	33	23	-	1	n=1,207
b. You will not be able to afford testing or treatment for coronavirus if you need it									
Early 4/20	53	29	23	40	16	24	7	*	n=1,226
3/20	36	19	17	64	20	43	*	1	n=1,216
c. You will put yourself at risk of exposure to coronavirus because you can't afford to stay home and miss work									
Early 4/20	57	32	25	39	16	23	4	*	n=1,226
3/20	35	19	17	60	18	42	4	1	n=1,216
d. You will be laid off, or lose your job due to the coronavirus									
Early 4/20	52	30	22	43	17	26	5	*	n=1,226
e. You will lose income due to a workplace closure or reduced hours because of coronavirus									
Early 4/20	45	25	20	46	14	32	9	-	n=1,226
3/20	46	25	21	50	13	36	4	*	n=1,216
f. Your investments such as retirement or college savings will be negatively impacted for a long time by the impact of the coronavirus									
Early 4/20	59	35	24	37	15	22	4	*	n=1,226
3/20	51	25	26	46	20	27	1	1	n=1,216

Q15.   Which of the following best describes your feelings about the coronavirus outbreak in the United States? (rotate response options 1-2/2-1, keep Option A and Option B from rotating)

	Early 4/20
Option A: The worst is behind us	13
Option B: The worst is yet to come	74
Do you not think the coronavirus is or will be a major problem in the U.S.?	10
Don't know	2
Refused	*

Q17   Please tell me if you have taken any of the following actions because of the recent coronavirus outbreak. Have you (INSERT ITEM), or not? Have you (INSERT NEXT ITEM) because of the recent coronavirus outbreak, or not? (scramble items a-f)

	Yes	No	Don't know/Refused (NET)	
a. Decided not to travel or changed travel plans				
Early 4/20	69	31	*	n=1,226
3/20	42	57	1	n=1,216
2/20	13	86	1	n=1,207
c. Stocked up on items such as food, household supplies, or prescription medications				
Early 4/20	60	39	*	n=1,226
3/20	35	65	*	n=1,216
d. Stayed home instead of going to work, school, or other regular activities				
Early 4/20	75	24	1	n=1,226
3/20	26	74	*	n=1,216
e. Canceled plans to attend large gatherings such as concerts or sporting events				
Early 4/20	66	34	1	n=1,226
3/20	40	60	*	n=1,216
f. Sheltered in place, meaning that you haven't left your home except for essential service such as food, medicine, and health care				
Early 4/20	82	18	*	n=1,226

SOCIALDISTANCING

	Early 4/20
Have taken a social distancing action	92
Have not taken a social distancing action	8
Don't know/Refused to all	*

SHELTERED/SOCIALDISTANCING

	Early 4/20
Have taken a social distancing action or sheltered in place	96
Have not taken a social distancing action or sheltered in place	4
Don't know/Refused to all	*

Q18.   Have you (INSERT ITEM) because of the coronavirus, or not? (scramble items a-d)

	Yes	No	Don't know/Refused (NET)	
Lost income from a job or business/Lost your job, been laid off, or had your hours reduced without pay (NET)	39	60	1	*n=1,226*
a. Lost income from a job or business				
Early 4/20	26	73	1	*n=1,226*
3/20	9	91	*	*n=1,216*
b. Lost your job, been laid off, or had your hours reduced without pay				
Early 4/20	28	71	1	*n=1,226*
c. Been unable to get groceries				
Early 4/20	29	70	*	*n=1,226*
3/20	19	81	1	*n=1,216*
d. Been unable to get cleaning supplies or hand sanitizer				
Early 4/20	27	73	*	*n=1,226*
3/20	42	57	1	*n=1,216*
e. Been unable to get prescription medication				
Early 4/20	24	75	1	*n=1,226*
3/20	4	95	1	*n=1,216*
f. Been unable to get medical care for conditions or concerns not related to the coronavirus				
Early 4/20	34	66	*	*n=1,226*

Q23.   Have you personally been tested for coronavirus, or not?

	Early 4/20	3/20
Yes, have been tested	2	2
No, have not been tested	97	98
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*	*
Don't know	*	*
Refused	*	-

Q24.   Have you tried to get tested for coronavirus, or not?

Based on those who have not been tested for coronavirus

	Early 4/20	3/20
Yes	3	1
No	97	98
Don't know/Refused (NET)	-	*
Don't know	-	*
Refused	-	-
	n=1,199	*n=1,197*

Q23/Q24 Combo table

Based on total

	Early 4/20	3/20
Been tested for coronavirus	2	2
Have not been tested for coronavirus	97	98
Yes, tried to get tested	3	1
No, have not tried to get tested	95	97
Don't know/Refused	-	*
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*	*
	n=1,226	*n=1,216*

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

RSEX.   Are you male or female?

	Early 4/20
Male	48
Female	51
Other (Vol.)	*
Don't know	-
Refused	*

COVTYPE. Which of the following is your MAIN source of health insurance coverage? Is it a plan through your employer, a plan through your spouse's employer, a plan you purchased yourself either from an insurance company or a state or federal marketplace, are you covered by Medicare or (Medicaid/[INSERT STATE-SPECIFIC MEDICAID NAME]), or do you get your health insurance from somewhere else? [INTERVIEWER NOTE: IF R SAYS THEY GOT INSURANCE THROUGH HEALTHCARE.GOV, OBAMACARE, OR A STATE HEALTH INSURANCE MARKETPLACE/EXCHANGE, CODE AS 3].

Based on those who are insured

	Early 4/20
Plan through your employer	34
Plan through your spouse's employer	11
Plan you purchased yourself	8
Medicare	22
Medicaid/State-specific Medicaid name	15
Somewhere else	4
Plan through your parents/mother/father (Vol.)	6
Don't know	*
Refused	*
	n=1,083

COVERAGE/COVTYPE Combo Table

Based on total

	Early 4/20
Covered by health insurance	86
Employer	30
Spouse's employer	10
Self-purchased plan	7
Medicare	19
Medicaid/State-specific Medicaid name	13
Somewhere else	3
Plan through parents/mother/father (Vol.)	5
Don't know/Refused	*
Not covered by health insurance	13
Don't know/Refused	*

AGECOVTYPE VARIABLE

Based on those ages 18-64

	Early 4/20
Covered by health insurance	84
Employer	34
Spouse's employer	11
Self-purchased plan	8
Medicare	6
Medicaid/State-specific Medicaid name	15
Somewhere else	4
Plan through parents/mother/father (Vol.)	6
Don't know/Refused	*
Not covered by health insurance	16
Don't know/Refused	*
	n=839

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

	Early 4/20
Excellent/Very Good/Good (NET)	83
Excellent	21
Very good	35
Good	27
Only fair/Poor (NET)	17
Only fair	13
Poor	3
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*

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

	Early 4/20
Yes	46
No	54
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	-

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

	Early 4/20
Married	45
Living with a partner	9
Widowed	7
Divorced	10
Separated	2
Never been married	25
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	*

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

	Early 4/20
Yes	30
No	70
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	-

EMPLOY. What best describes your employment situation today? [READ IN ORDER]

	Early 4/20
Employed (NET)	51
Employed full-time	40
Employed part-time	11
Unemployed and currently seeking employment	7
Unemployed and not seeking employment	5
A student	6
Retired	17
On disability and can't work	7
Or, a homemaker or stay at home parent?	6
Don't know/Refused	*

SELFEMPLOY.   Are you self-employed or do you work for someone else?

Based on those employed full-time or part-time

	Early 4/20
Self-employed	16
Work for someone else	83
Other (Vol.)	1
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
	n=612

EMPLOY/SELFEMPLOY Combo table

Based on total

	Early 4/20
Employed (NET)	51
Self-employed	9
Work for someone else	40
Other (Vol.)	*
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Not employed	48
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*

Q20.   Does your employer offer you paid time off if you are sick or ill, or not?

Based on those employed full-time or part-time

	Early 4/20
Yes	69
No	27
Not applicable (Vol)	4
Don't know/Refused (NET)	1
Don't know	1
Refused	-
	n=612

EMPLOY/Q20 Combo table

Based on total

	Early 4/20
Employed (NET)	51
Employer offers paid time off if sick or ill	34
Employer does not offer paid time off if sick or ill	14
Not applicable (Vol.)	2
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Not employed	48
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*

Q19.   Does your employer offer you paid time off to care for a family member who is sick or ill, or not?

Based on those employed full-time or part-time

	Early 4/20
Yes	54
No	40
Not applicable (Vol.)	3
Don't know/Refused (NET)	4
Don't know	4
Refused	-
	n=612

EMPLOY/Q19 Combo table

Based on total

	Early 4/20
Employed (NET)	51
Employer offers paid time off if family member is sick or ill	26
Employer does not offer paid time off if family member is sick or ill	20
Not applicable (Vol.)	2
Don't know/Refused (NET)	2
Not employed	48
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*

EMPLOY/Q20/Q19 Combo table

	Early 4/20
Employed (NET)	51
Employer offers paid sick leave and paid family leave	25
Employer offers only paid sick leave	7
Employer offers only paid family leave	1
Employer does not offer paid sick leave or family leave	13
Not employed	48
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*

PAID.　Which of the following best describes how you get paid at work--you are paid an hourly rate, you are paid a salary, or you are paid by the job?

Based on those employed full-time or part-time

	Early 4/20
Hourly rate	50
Salary	37
By the job	11
Other (Vol,)	2
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
	n=612

HCWorker.　Do you or anyone in your household work in a health care delivery setting, such as a doctor's office, clinic, hospital, nursing home, or dentist's office?

	Early 4/20
Yes	16
No	84
Don't know/Refused (NET)	*
Don't know	*
Refused	*

SWING.　Thinking about the upcoming presidential election, do you think you are definitely going to vote for President Trump, probably going to vote for President Trump, probably going to vote for the Democratic nominee, or are you definitely going to vote for the Democratic nominee?(rotate1-4, 4-1)

Based on those who are registered voters

	Early 4/20	02/20	07/19	06/19
Definitely going to vote for President Trump	28	28	30	27
Definitely going to vote for the Democratic nominee	33	39	35	33
Swing voters (NET)	34	28	28	32
Probably going to vote for President Trump	11	10	10	9
Probably going to vote for the Democratic nominee	14	11	12	14
Undecided (Vol.)	9	7	7	9
Vote for someone else (Vol.)	1	1	2	2
Don't plan to vote (Vol.)	1	2	1	1
Don't know/Refused	3	2	5	4
	n=948	*n=998*	*n=1,010*	*n=1,020*

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

	Early 4/20
Republican	23
Democrat	31
Independent	34
Or what/Other/None/No preference	8
Don't know	2
Refused	1

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

Based on those who are not Republican or Democrat

	Early 4/20
Republican	32
Democratic	36
Independent/don't lean to either party (Vol.)	21
Other party (Vol.)	1
Don't know	8
Refused	2
	n=551

Summary PARTY and PARTYLEAN

Based on total

	Early 4/20
Republican/Lean Republican	38
Democrat/Lean Democratic	47
Pure Independent	11
Undesignated	3

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	Early 4/20
Democrat	31
Independent Lean Democrat	17
Independent/Don't lean	10
Independent Lean Republican	15
Republican	23
Undesignated	5

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

	Early 4/20
Liberal	24
Moderate	37
Conservative	34
Don't know	4
Refused	1

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

	Early 4/20
HS grad or less (NET)	38
Less than high school (Grades 1-8 or no formal schooling)	5
High school incomplete (Grades 9-11 or Grade 12 with no diploma)	5
High school graduate (Grade 12 with diploma or GED certificate)	29
Some college (NET)	30
Some college, no degree (includes some community college)	18
Two-year associate degree from a college or university	13
College grad+ (NET)	31
Four-year college or university degree/Bachelor's degree	17
Some postgraduate or professional schooling, no postgraduate degree	1
Postgraduate or professional degree, including master's, doctorate, medical or law degree	12
Don't know/Refused	1

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

	Early 4/20
Yes	16
No	83
Don't know	*
Refused	1

RACE. What is your race? Are you white, black, Asian or some other race? (IF RESPONDENT SAYS HISPANIC ASK: Do you consider yourself a white Hispanic or a black Hispanic? CODE AS WHITE (1) OR BLACK (2). IF RESPONDENTS REFUSED TO PICK WHITE OR BLACK HISPANIC, RECORD HISPANIC AS "OTHER," CODE 97)

Race/Hispanic Combo Table

Based on total

	Early 4/20
White, non-Hispanic	63
Total non-White	37
Black or African-American, non-Hispanic	12
Hispanic	16
Asian, non-Hispanic	4
Other/Mixed race, non-Hispanic	5
Undesignated	1

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

Based on Hispanics

	Early 4/20
U.S.	51
Puerto Rico	2
Another country	46
Don't know	-
Refused	1
	n=159

INCOME. Last year – that is, in 2019 – what was your total family income from all sources, before taxes? Just stop me when I get to the right category. [READ LIST]

	Early 4/20
Less than $20,000	14
$20,000 to less than $30,000	12
$30,000 to less than $40,000	10
$40,000 to less than $50,000	9
$50,000 to less than $75,000	12
$75,000 to less than $90,000	9
$90,000 to less than $100,000	5
$100,000 or more	19
Don't know/Refused	9

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

	Early 4/20
1	21
2	49
3	18
4	7
5	3
6 or greater	1
Don't know/Refused	2