

OHIO POLL #138 (OHIO HEALTH ISSUES POLL)

FIELD VERSION

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- I. INTRODUCTION: “Hello, this is _____ calling for the University of Cincinnati for the Ohio Poll. I am conducting a CONFIDENTIAL study of public opinion and health issues in Ohio. Approximately 800 adults from throughout Ohio will participate in this research study and I'd really appreciate your help and cooperation.”

“In order to determine who to interview in your household, I need to speak to the adult 18 or older -- including yourself -- who had the most recent birthday. Would that be yourself or is it someone else?”

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- This is your opportunity to give your opinions on what you like or dislike about your community and how to improve your community.
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- You can call collect to speak with the project director. Dr. Eric Rademacher can be reached at (513) 556-5028.

A. (IF RESPONDENT) -- “Then you're the one I want to talk to.”
SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE

B. (IF SOMEONE ELSE) -- “May I speak to that person?”

(IF RESPONDENT IS NOT HOME) ASK -- “Could you suggest a convenient time for me to call back when I might be able to reach him/her?” GIVE SHIFT TIMES IF NECESSARY. GET FIRST NAME OF RESPONDENT.

C. (DON'T KNOW ALL BIRTHDAYS, ONLY SOME) ASK -- “Of the ones that you do know, who had the most recent birthday?”

IF RESPONDENT, INTERVIEW THAT PERSON. SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE.

IF SOMEONE ELSE, FOLLOW SAME PROCEDURE AS B.

D. DON'T KNOW ANY BIRTHDAYS OTHER THAN OWN. “Then you're the one I want to talk to.” SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE.

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“I know I am calling you on a cell phone. This is not a sales call.”

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SCREEN 1: “We realize that we are contacting people on their cell phones. Your safety is important to me. Are you driving a car or operating another motor vehicle right now?”

1. Yes (SKIP TO CBACK)
2. No/Don't Know/Refused (SKIP TO SCREEN2)

SCREEN 2: “Are you in a location where talking on the phone could jeopardize your safety or confidentiality?”

1. Yes (SKIP TO CBACK)
2. No/Don't Know/Refused (SKIP TO SCREEN3)

SCREEN 3: “Thank you, are you 18 years of age or older?”

1. Yes (SKIP TO SCREEN4)
2. No/Don't Know/Refused (TERMINATE: “Thank you very much, but we are only interviewing people age 18 and older.”)

SCREEN 4: “And are you a resident of Ohio?”

1. Yes (SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE)
2. No/Don't Know/Refused (TERMINATE: “Thank you very much, but we are only interviewing people who are residents of Ohio.”)

CBACK: (IF RESPONDENT CANNOT CONDUCT INTERVIEW AT THIS TIME)

READ/ASK – “Thank you. We will contact you at another time. Can I just have your first name so I know who to call back?”

Q 1. "First, please tell me in what county do you live?"

: : :
: : :
: : : RECORD

COUNTY _____

"Now I would like to ask you some questions about health and health care..."

Q 2. "In general, would you say your health is . . . (READ 1 THRU 5)

1. excellent,
2. very good,
3. good,
4. fair, or
5. poor?"

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking...")
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 3. "About how long has it been since you personally last visited a health care professional for a routine checkup . . . was it . . . (READ 1 THRU 6)

1. in the past 1 year,
2. in the past 2 years,
3. in the past 3 years,
4. in the past 5 years,
5. more than 5 years ago, or
6. never?"

8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (PROBE: "Approximately ...")
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 4. "Next, a retail health clinic is a type of clinic in a store, supermarket, or pharmacy that offers preventative health care services and treats minor illnesses like cold and flu. Keeping this in mind, have you used a retail clinic in the past year?"

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIP TO Q 7**

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) → **SKIP TO Q 7**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 7**

Q 5. "In your most recent visit, what kind of services did you receive at this retail clinic? Was it... (READ 1 THRU 4)

1. an annual checkup or sports physical,
2. vaccinations, including a yearly flu shot,
3. illness, or
4. some other type of service?" _____(RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

Q 6. "What is the main reason you chose to use a retail clinic?"

998. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking...")

999. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

Q 7. "During the past 5 years, has a doctor, dentist, or other medical professional prescribed a pain reliever for you that you could not purchase 'over the counter' . . . such as OxyContin, Vicodin, Percocet, or codeine?"

1. YES

2. NO → **SKIP TO Q 10**

8. DON'T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE) → **SKIP TO Q 10**

9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 10**

Q 8. "And, thinking about the MOST RECENT TIME a doctor, dentist or other medical professional prescribed a pain reliever for you ... did you feel they prescribed . . . (READ 1 TO 3)

1. more pills than you needed to control your pain,

2. less pills than you needed to control your pain, or

3. the right amount of pills you needed to control your pain?"

8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DO NOT PROBE)

9. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

Q 9. "What type of medical professional prescribed the pain reliever for you? Was it... (READ 1 THRU 5)

1. your primary care doctor,

2. a dentist

3. a surgeon,

4. a doctor in an emergency room, or

5. some other type of medical professional?" _____ (RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)

8. DON'T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE)

9. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

“Next, I’d like to talk to you about telemedicine...”

“Telemedicine allows health care providers to diagnose and treat patients remotely using audio and video technology. One method allows for live, real-time audio and video communication between doctor and patient.”

Q 10. “Keeping this definition in mind, have you ever used live, real-time video telemedicine to interact with your health care provider?”

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIP TO Q12**

8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) → **SKIP TO Q 12**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 13**

Q 11. “Overall, how satisfied were you with your experience using telemedicine? Would you say... (READ 1 THRU 4)

1. very satisfied,
2. fairly well satisfied,
3. not too satisfied, or
4. not at all satisfied?”

8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: “Generally speaking...”)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

Q 12. “How interested would you be in using real time video to interact with your health care provider in the future? Would you say... (READ 1 THRU 4)

1. very interested,
2. somewhat interested,
3. a little interested, or
4. not at all interested?”

8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: “Generally speaking...”)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

“Next I would like to ask you some questions about electronic cigarettes ...”

“Electronic cigarettes or e-cigarettes are battery-powered devices used to inhale vaporized liquid. The vaporized liquid often contains nicotine, and some have flavorings and other ingredients. Users of e-cigarettes sometimes refer to the activity as “vaping,” as opposed to smoking.”

Q 13. “Have you ever used an electronic cigarette or e-cigarette?”

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIP TO Q 15**

8. DON’T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE) → **SKIP TO Q 15**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 15**

Q 14. “Do you now use e-cigarettes or other electronic “vaping” products every day, some days, or not at all?”

1. EVERY DAY
2. SOME DAYS
3. NOT AT ALL

8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: “In general...”)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

“Now I’d like to ask you some questions about Medicaid, the government health insurance and long-term care program for low-income adults and children ... ”

“First...”

Q 15. “In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Medicaid?”

(IF FAVORABLE): "Would you say your opinion is VERY favorable or that it is SOMEWHAT favorable?"

(IF UNFAVORABLE): "Would you say your opinion is VERY unfavorable or that it is SOMEWHAT unfavorable?"

(PROBE DON'T KNOW: "Generally speaking...")

1. VERY FAVORABLE
2. SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE

3. SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE
4. VERY UNFAVORABLE

8. DON’T KNOW
9. NA/REFUSED

“Next, I’d like to ask you some general questions about addiction – not related specifically to your family members or friends, but just your more general observations.”

Q 16. “Do you believe addiction is or is not a disease?”

1. IS DISEASE
2. IS NOT DISEASE → **SKIP TO Q 18**

8. DON’T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE) → **SKIP TO Q 18**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 18**

Q 17. “Do you believe it is a physical disease, a psychological disease, or both?”

1. PHYSICAL/PHYSIOLOGICAL
2. PSYCHOLOGICAL
3. BOTH

8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: “In general...”)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

“Next...”

Q 18. “Naloxone, also known as Narcan, is a drug that can prevent people from dying if they are experiencing an overdose of heroin or a prescription painkiller. From what you have seen or heard, how familiar would you say you are with the use of Narcan to prevent people from dying if they are experiencing an overdose? Would you say you are... (READ 1 TO 4)

1. very familiar,
2. somewhat familiar,
3. not very familiar,
4. or not at all familiar ?”

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “Generally speaking...”)

9. NA/REFUSED

Q 19. “Which of the following statements best describes your view about making Narcan available to people who overdose... (ROTATE ITEMS) (READ NUMBERS 1 TO 2)

1. making Narcan available to people who overdose gives them the chance to continue using heroin or prescription painkillers, or

2. making Narcan available to people who overdose gives them the chance to seek treatment for their addiction.”

7. BOTH (VOL.)

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “Generally speaking...”)

9. NA/REFUSED

Q 20. “The Surgeon General of the United States recently issued an advisory emphasizing the importance of the overdose-reversing drug naloxone, also known as Narcan. The advisory encourages Americans who come into contact with people at risk for opioid overdose to have naloxone available and to know how to use it.

So, suppose you were in contact with people at risk for opioid overdose. How likely would you be to carry Narcan... (READ 1 THRU 4)

1. very likely,
2. somewhat likely,
3. not very likely, or
4. not at all likely?”

7. ALREADY CARRY NARCAN (VOL.) → **SKIP TO Q 22**

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “In general...”)

9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 22**

Q 21. “Narcan is currently available without a prescription in the State of Ohio. Given this information, and still supposing that you were in contact with people at risk for opioid overdose, how likely would you be to carry Narcan... (READ 1 THRU 4)

1. very likely,
2. somewhat likely,
3. not very likely, or
4. not at all likely?”

7. ALREADY CARRY NARCAN (VOL.)

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “In general...”)

9. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

“Now I’d like to ask you some questions about policy issues in Ohio ... ”

Q 22. “Some people favor increasing the minimum legal age that you can sell someone tobacco products from 18 years of age to 21 years of age throughout the state of Ohio... while others do not. What about you? Do you favor or oppose increasing the minimum legal age of sale for products from 18 years of age to 21 years of age?”

(IF FAVOR): “Would you say that you **STRONGLY** favor this, or that you favor it only **SOMEWHAT**?”

(IF OPPOSE): “Would you say that you **STRONGLY** oppose this, or that you oppose it only **SOMEWHAT**?”

(IF NEITHER/ NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward **FAVORING** or **OPPOSING** this?”

1. **STRONGLY FAVOR**
2. **FAVOR SOMEWHAT**
3. **LEAN TOWARD FAVORING**

4. **NEITHER/NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW**

5. **LEAN TOWARD OPPOSING**
6. **OPPOSE SOMEWHAT**
7. **STRONGLY OPPOSE**

9. **NA/REFUSED**

Q 23. “Some people say the State of Ohio’s tax on a pack of cigarettes should be raised by \$1.00 per pack because the additional tax will lead to a reduction in the number of Ohioans who smoke cigarettes. Others argue that a \$1.00 per pack tax increase would not lead to a reduction in the number of Ohioans who smoke cigarettes. What about you... would you favor or oppose a **ONE DOLLAR** per pack tax increase in the cost of cigarettes?”

(IF FAVOR): “Would you say that you **STRONGLY** favor this, or that you favor it only **SOMEWHAT**?”

(IF OPPOSE): “Would you say that you **STRONGLY** oppose this, or that you oppose it only **SOMEWHAT**?”

(IF NEITHER/ NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward **FAVORING** or **OPPOSING** this?”

1. **STRONGLY FAVOR**
2. **FAVOR SOMEWHAT**
3. **LEAN TOWARD FAVORING**

4. **NEITHER/NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW**

5. **LEAN TOWARD OPPOSING**
6. **OPPOSE SOMEWHAT**
7. **STRONGLY OPPOSE**

9. **NA/REFUSED**

Q 24. “The State of Ohio currently places BOTH a sales tax and a \$1.60 per pack excise tax on the sale of cigarettes. E-cigarettes are ONLY subject to sales taxes. Do you favor or oppose the State of Ohio placing an excise tax on the sale of e-cigarettes so that e-cigarettes are taxed at a rate similar to a pack of cigarettes?”

(IF FAVOR): “Would you say that you STRONGLY favor this, or that you favor it only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF OPPOSE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY oppose this, or that you oppose it only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF NEITHER/ NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward FAVORING or OPPOSING this?”

1. STRONGLY FAVOR
2. FAVOR SOMEWHAT
3. LEAN TOWARD FAVORING

4. NEITHER/NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW

5. LEAN TOWARD OPPOSING
6. OPPOSE SOMEWHAT
7. STRONGLY OPPOSE

9. NA/REFUSED

Q 25. “And, would you favor or oppose a law that prohibited the sale of tobacco products in stores that are located near schools?”

(IF FAVOR): “Would you say that you STRONGLY favor this, or that you favor it only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF OPPOSE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY oppose this, or that you oppose it only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF NEITHER/ NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward FAVORING or OPPOSING this?”

1. STRONGLY FAVOR
2. FAVOR SOMEWHAT
3. LEAN TOWARD FAVORING

4. NEITHER/NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW

5. LEAN TOWARD OPPOSING
6. OPPOSE SOMEWHAT
7. STRONGLY OPPOSE

9. NA/REFUSED

Q 26. “Would you favor or oppose a law that prohibited discounts such as coupons or special offers for tobacco products sold in stores?”

(IF FAVOR): “Would you say that you **STRONGLY** favor this, or that you favor it only **SOMEWHAT**?”

(IF OPPOSE): “Would you say that you **STRONGLY** oppose this, or that you oppose it only **SOMEWHAT**?”

(IF NEITHER/ NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward **FAVORING** or **OPPOSING** this?”

1. **STRONGLY FAVOR**
2. **FAVOR SOMEWHAT**
3. **LEAN TOWARD FAVORING**

4. **NEITHER/NOT SURE/DON’T KNOW**

5. **LEAN TOWARD OPPOSING**
6. **OPPOSE SOMEWHAT**
7. **STRONGLY OPPOSE**

9. **NA/REFUSED**

“Next, I would like to ask you some questions about health insurance . . .”

“First . . .”

Q 27. “Do you have any kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as HMOs, or government plans such as Medicare or Medicaid?”

1. **YES → SKIP TO Q 29**
2. **NO**

8. **DON’T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)**
9. **NA/REFUSED → SKIP TO Q 31**

Q 28. “Health insurance or some other type of health care plan may include health insurance obtained through employment or purchased directly as well as government and military programs such as Medicare, Medicaid, Healthy Families, TRICARE or Champ-VA and the Indian Health Service. Health insurance may also include coverage under a law called COBRA that allows an employee who leaves a company to continue to be covered under a company's health plan.”

“Keeping this in mind, are you currently covered by health insurance or some other type of health care plan?”

1. **YES**
2. **NO → SKIP TO Q 31**

8. **DON’T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) → SKIP TO Q 31**
9. **NA/REFUSED → SKIP TO Q 31**
0. **INAP**

Q 29. “Which type of health insurance do you now have? Is it...(READ NUMBERS 1 TO 9)

1. a plan through your employer,
 2. a plan through your spouse's employer,
 3. a plan you purchased yourself either from an insurance company or through a health insurance exchange or marketplace,
 4. MEDICARE, the insurance program for people over 65 and some people with disabilities,
 5. MEDICARE ADVANTAGE, a private insurance program that is paid for by Medicare for some people who are over 65,
 6. MEDICAID, the insurance program for people with lower incomes, children and some people with disabilities,
 7. both MEDICARE AND MEDICAID,
 8. a military plan such as TRI-CARE or CHAMP-VA, or
 9. do you get your health insurance from somewhere else?”
- [RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE] _____

98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)

99. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

Q 30. “Next ... during the past 12 months, was there any time that you did not have any health insurance or health care coverage?”

1. YES

2. NO

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)

9. NA/REFUSED

Q 31. “In the past 12 months, was there a time when you personally thought that you needed medical care but did not get it, or delayed getting it?”

1. YES

2. NO → **SKIP TO Q 33**

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) → **SKIP TO Q 33**

9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 33**

Q 32. “What is the most important reason that you did not get medical care or delayed getting medical care?”

[NOTE TO INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT SAYS MORE THAN ONE, ASK WHICH WAS THE MAIN REASON FOR NOT RECEIVING CARE.]

1. COST TOO MUCH
2. DON'T HAVE INSURANCE
3. DOCTOR/HOSPITAL WOULDN'T ACCEPT HEALTH INSURANCE
4. INSURANCE DIDN'T COVER/PAY FOR TREATMENT
5. UNABLE TO GET A REFERRAL FROM A DOCTOR
6. COULDN'T GET AN APPOINTMENT SOON ENOUGH
7. COULDN'T GET THERE WHEN DOCTOR'S OFFICE/CLINIC WAS OPEN
8. TAKES TOO LONG TO GET TO THE DOCTOR'S OFFICE/CLINIC

(PROBE FOR ONLY ONE RESPONSE: “What was the MAIN reason ... ?”)

(PROBE FOR SPECIFICS: “Could you be more specific please?”)

998. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “Generally speaking . . .”)
999. NA/REFUSED
00. INAP

“Now, some final questions . . .”

Q 33. DEMOGRAPHIC SCREENER

[LANDLINE SAMPLE SKIP TO Q 34]

[CELL PHONE SAMPLE SKIP TO Q 36]

Q 34. “Not counting business lines, extension phones or cellular phones -- on how many different telephone numbers can your household be reached?”

1. ONE → **SKIP TO Q 36**
2. TWO
3. THREE
4. FOUR
5. FIVE
6. SIX
7. SEVEN
8. EIGHT
9. NINE
10. TEN OR MORE

98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) → **SKIP TO Q 36**

99. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 36**

Q 35. “How many of those (insert number) telephone numbers are used ONLY for electronic equipment--such as computers and fax machines . . . and never answered for personal calls?”

RECORD # ____ ____ (ENTER NUMBER OF LINES)

96. NONE
98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
99. NA/REFUSED
00. INAP

Q 36. “INCLUDING YOURSELF, how many people aged 18 or older, CURRENTLY live in your household?”

RECORD # ____ ____

8. EIGHT OR MORE
9. NA/DON'T KNOW/REFUSED

Q 37. “How many of the persons who CURRENTLY live in your household are under 18 years of age, including babies and small children?”

RECORD # ____ ____

7. SEVEN OR MORE
8. NONE
9. NA/REFUSED

[LANDLINE SAMPLE ONLY]

Q 38. "Now thinking about your telephone use ... Do you have a working cell phone?"

1. YES, HAVE CELL PHONE
2. NO, DO NOT HAVE CELL PHONE

9. DON'T KNOW/REFUSED (**VOLUNTEERED**)
0. INAP

[CELL PHONE SAMPLE ONLY]

Q 39. "Now thinking about your telephone use... Is there at least one telephone INSIDE your home that is currently working and is not a cell phone?"

1. YES HOME TELEPHONE
2. NO, HOME TELEPHONE

9. DON'T KNOW/REFUSED (**VOLUNTEERED**)
0. INAP

**[IF CELL PHONE ONLY OR LANDLINE ONLY SKIP OUT OF
REMAINING CELL PHONE QUESTIONS]**

[IF DUAL (CELL+LANDLINE)]

Q 40. "Of all the telephone calls that you receive, do you get . . . (READ 1 THRU 5)

[READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 5 -- KEEP 3 ALWAYS IN THE MIDDLE]

1. all calls on a cell phone,
2. almost all calls on a cell phone,
3. some on a cell phone and some on a regular home phone,
4. almost all calls on a regular home phone, or
5. all calls on a regular home phone?"

9. DON'T KNOW/REFUSED [**VOLUNTEERED DO NOT READ**]
0. INAP

Q 41. "Have you smoked at least 100 cigarettes in your entire life?"

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIP TO Q 43**

8. DON'T KNOW → **SKIP TO Q 43**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 43**

Q 42. "Do you smoke cigarettes every day, some days, or not at all?"

1. EVERY DAY
2. SOME DAYS
3. NOT AT ALL

8. DON'T KNOW
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

Q 43. “Keeping in mind that all of your answers in the survey are confidential, have you, yourself, ever happened to try marijuana?”

1. YES

2. NO → **SKIP TO Q 45**

8. DON’T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE) → **SKIP TO Q 45**

9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIP TO Q 45**

Q 44. “And, have you used marijuana in the past year, or not?”

1. YES

2. NO

8. DON’T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE)

9. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

Q 45. “GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you usually think of yourself as a REPUBLICAN, a DEMOCRAT, an INDEPENDENT or what?”

(IF REPUBLICAN): “Would you call yourself a STRONG Republican or a NOT VERY STRONG Republican?”

(IF DEMOCRAT): “Would you call yourself a STRONG Democrat or a NOT VERY STRONG Democrat?”

(IF INDEPENDENT, NO PREFERENCE, OR OTHER): “Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or to the Democratic party?”

1. STRONG DEMOCRAT

2. NOT VERY STRONG DEMOCRAT

3. INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO DEMOCRAT

4. INDEPENDENT--CLOSER TO NEITHER

5. INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO REPUBLICAN

6. NOT VERY STRONG REPUBLICAN

7. STRONG REPUBLICAN

9. OTHER / NA / REFUSED

Q 46. “We hear a lot of talk these days about liberals and conservatives. What about yourself—that is, in politics, do you GENERALLY think of yourself as a liberal, a moderate, or a conservative?”

(IF LIBERAL): “Would you say you are EXTREMELY liberal, FAIRLY liberal, or just SOMEWHAT liberal?”

(IF CONSERVATIVE): “Would you say you are EXTREMELY conservative, FAIRLY conservative, or just SOMEWHAT conservative?”

(IF MODERATE, MIDDLE OF THE ROAD): “Would you say that you LEAN a little more toward the LIBERAL side or the CONSERVATIVE side?”

1. EXTREMELY LIBERAL
2. FAIRLY LIBERAL
3. SOMEWHAT LIBERAL

4. MODERATE--LEANS LIBERAL
5. MODERATE--LEANS NEITHER
6. MODERATE--LEANS CONSERVATIVE

7. SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE
8. FAIRLY CONSERVATIVE
9. EXTREMELY CONSERVATIVE

97. REFUSED
98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “In general . . .”)
99. NA

Q 47. “Some people are registered to vote and others are not. Are you CURRENTLY registered to vote at your PRESENT address?”

1. YES
2. NO / DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT PROBE**)

9. NA/REFUSED

Q 48. “What is your current age?”

_____ (RECORD EXACT NUMBER OF YEARS OLD -- E.G., 45)

95. NINETY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER
97. REFUSED (**DO NOT PROBE**)
98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
99. NA

Q 49. “Are you, yourself, of Hispanic origin or descent, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Spanish background?”

1. YES
2. NO

8. DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT PROBE**)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 50. “What is your race? Is it black, white, or some other race?”

1. BLACK/AFRICAN-AMERICAN
2. WHITE

4. NATIVE AMERICAN
5. ASIAN-PACIFIC ISLANDER

6. MULTI-RACIAL
7. OTHER (PROBE) _____ (RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

Q 51. HOUSEHOLD SIZE CATI CALCULATION

Q 52. “Next, was the total income you and your family received in 2017, not just from wages or salaries but from all sources . . .

1. **[INSERT APPROPRIATE 138% POVERTY FOR HHSIZE]** or less,
2. Between **[INSERT 138%+\$1.00]** and **[INSERT 200% POVERTY FOR HHSIZE]**,
- or
3. More than **[INSERT 200%+\$1.00]**? ”

97. REFUSED
98. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: “Approximately ...”)
99. NA

NOTE: INCOME SOURCES TO BE INCLUDED:

- | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. Wages & Salaries | 6. Welfare |
| 2. Interest on Savings | 7. Unemployment Compensation |
| 3. Dividends | 8. Alimony |
| 4. Social Security | 9. Child Support |
| 5. Pensions | |

Q 53. “Next, are you currently married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?”

1. MARRIED
2. WIDOWED
3. DIVORCED
4. SEPARATED
5. NEVER MARRIED (INCLUDING ANNULMENTS)
6. PARTNERS NOT MARRIED (VOLUNTEERED)

9. NA/REFUSED

Q 54. “Last week . . . were you working full-time, part-time, going to school, keeping house, or what?” (CIRCLE ONE CODE ONLY. IF MORE THAN ONE RESPONSE, GIVE PREFERENCE TO SMALLEST [LOWEST] CODE NUMBER THAT APPLIES.)

1. WORKING FULL-TIME
2. WORKING PART-TIME
3. WITH A JOB BUT NOT AT WORK BECAUSE OF TEMPORARY ILLNESS, VACATION, STRIKE
4. UNEMPLOYED, LAID OFF, LOOKING FOR WORK
5. DISABLED, TOO ILL TO WORK (PERMANENT)
6. RETIRED
7. IN SCHOOL
8. KEEPING HOUSE

9. NA/REFUSED

Q 55. “What is the highest grade or year of school you completed?”

1. NEVER ATTENDED SCHOOL OR ONLY ATTENDED KINDERGARTEN
2. GRADES 1 THROUGH 8 (ELEMENTARY)
3. GRADES 9 THROUGH 11 (SOME HIGH SCHOOL)
4. GRADE 12 OR GED (HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE)
5. COLLEGE 1 YEAR TO 3 YEARS (SOME COLLEGE OR TECHNICAL SCHOOL)
6. COLLEGE 4 YEARS OR MORE (COLLEGE GRADUATE)
7. ADVANCED DEGREE (PhD OR MASTERS)

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 56. “And, can you please tell me your zip code?”

_____ (CODE EXACT ZIP CODE -- E.G., 45111)

99998. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
99999. NA/REFUSED

“IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS PROJECT, PLEASE CONTACT DR. ERIC RADEMACHER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI INSTITUTE FOR POLICY RESEARCH AT (513) 556-5028. IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR RIGHTS AS A RESEARCH PARTICIPANT, YOU MAY CONTACT THE UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW BOARD AT (513) 558-5259 OR EMAIL THE IRB OFFICE AT IRB@UCMAIL.UC.EDU.”

“AS A REMINDER, IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS PROJECT, PLEASE CONTACT DR. ERIC RADEMACHER AT 513-556-5028.”

“That's all the questions I have . . . You've been very helpful.
Thank you for your cooperation. Goodbye.”

INTERVIEWER SUPPLEMENT

Q 57. CIRCLE SEX OF RESPONDENT

1. MALE
2. FEMALE

Q 58. ENTER AREA CODE FROM CALL RECORD.

- (216)
- (330)
- (419)
- (440)
- (513)
- (614)
- (740)
- (937)

Q 59. RECORD CATI CODE

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Q 60. RECORD NUMBER OF CALLS FOR THIS COMPLETION

___ ___ ___ ___

Q 61. RECORD DATE INTERVIEW COMPLETED

___ ___ -- ___ ___ (E.G. 07-14)

Q 62. RECORD YOUR INTERVIEWER NUMBER

___ ___ ___ ___

Q 63. RECORD FINAL STATUS CODE

0. COMPLETION FROM RAW NUMBER
1. COMPLETION FROM APPOINTMENT
2. COMPLETION FROM REFUSAL
3. COMPLETION FROM PARTIAL (REG OR RF)
4. FINAL PARTIAL