



CRITICAL ISSUES POLL

With Nielsen Scarborough

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American Attitudes toward Coronavirus

Survey Methodology

The survey was carried out March 12-20, 2020 online from a nationally representative sample of Nielsen Scarborough's probability-based panel, originally recruited by mail and telephone using a random sample of adults. The national poll was conducted among 2,395 respondents, with a margin of error of +/- 2%. Overall, the sample was adjusted to reflect population estimates (Scarborough USA+/Gallup) for Americans.

The survey variables balanced through weighting were: age, gender, race/ethnicity, household income, level of education, census regional division, and political party affiliation.

Note: These questions were fielded as part of a larger poll on foreign and domestic issues. Participants in this study were provided by Nielsen from Nielsen's sample of respondents.

ALL RESPONDENTS

Q22. When each of the following candidates speaks, do you believe he is being truthful?
[RANDOMIZE ROWS]

Q22A. Donald Trump

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
1. All of the time	21%	1%	3%	10%
2. Most of the time	49	2	13	24
3. Some of the time	23	16	33	20
4. Never	7	79	50	45
Refused	1	2	1	2

Q22B. Bernie Sanders

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
1. All of the time	4%	22%	14%	13%
2. Most of the time	20	55	28	38
3. Some of the time	37	19	38	29
4. Never	37	2	18	19
Refused	2	2	2	2

Q22C. Joe Biden

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
1. All of the time	2%	17%	4%	9%
2. Most of the time	13	56	34	35
3. Some of the time	41	22	42	32
4. Never	43	3	18	22
Refused	2	2	2	2

Coronavirus – ALL RESPONDENTS

Q74. Are you worried about personally contracting coronavirus (COVID-19)?

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
1. Yes, I am worried a great deal	6%	18%	12%	12%
2. Yes, I am somewhat worried	38	50	41	44
3. No, I am not worried	54	28	42	40
4. Don't know	2	3	3	3
Refused	1	2	1	1

Q75. Are you worried about the threat that coronavirus (COVID-19) poses to the United States as a whole?

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
1. Yes, I am worried a great deal	21%	46%	32%	34%
2. Yes, I am somewhat worried	47	40	44	43
3. No, I am not worried	31	11	21	20
4. Don't know	1	2	2	1
Refused	1	2	1	1

Q76. How satisfied are you with the Trump administration's response to coronavirus (COVID-19)?

	Rep	Dem	Ind	Total
1. Very satisfied	52%	3%	13%	25%
2. Somewhat satisfied	27	7	16	17
3. Neither satisfied nor unsatisfied	11	8	18	10
4. Somewhat unsatisfied	5	14	13	10
5. Very unsatisfied	5	67	38	37
Refused	<1	1	2	1