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Axios /Ipsos Poll – Wave 2

Conducted by Ipsos using KnowledgePanel®
A survey of the American general population (ages 18+)

Wave 2 Interview dates: March 20 – March 23, 2020

Wave 1 Interview dates: March 13- March 16, 2020

Number of wave 2 interviews, adults: 998

Number of wave 1 interviews, adults: 1,092

Margin of error for the total Wave 2 sample: +/- 3.3 percentage points at the 95% confidence level

NOTE: All results show percentages among all respondents, unless otherwise labeled. Reduced bases are unweighted values.

NOTE: * = less than 0.5%, - = no respondents

Annotated Questionnaire:

1. How have the following changed in the last week, if at all?

Your physical health	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	2	2
Improved a little	6	3
No different	82	81
Gotten a little worse	7	12
Gotten a lot worse	1	1
Skipped	1	*
Total improved (Net)	9	5
Total worse (Net)	8	14

Your mental health	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	3	2
Improved a little	4	3
No different	71	60
Gotten a little worse	19	30
Gotten a lot worse	3	4
Skipped	*	1
Total improved (Net)	6	5
Total worse (Net)	22	35



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1. How have the following changed in the last week, if at all?

Your emotional well being	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	2	2
Improved a little	4	5
No different	64	50
Gotten a little worse	25	37
Gotten a lot worse	4	6
Skipped	1	*
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>7</i>
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>43</i>

Your ability to take care of your household	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	3	3
Improved a little	4	5
No different	80	73
Gotten a little worse	11	17
Gotten a lot worse	2	2
Skipped	1	1
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>7</i>
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>19</i>



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Your ability to access health care	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	2	2
Improved a little	2	2
No different	86	70
Gotten a little worse	6	21
Gotten a lot worse	3	5
Skipped	1	1
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>25</i>

The physical health of others in your household or immediate family	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	3	3
Improved a little	4	3
No different	86	83
Gotten a little worse	6	9
Gotten a lot worse	1	1
Skipped	1	1
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>10</i>



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1. How have the following changed in the last week, if at all?

Your ability to protect the health of you and your household	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	3	5
Improved a little	6	8
No different	73	59
Gotten a little worse	15	22
Gotten a lot worse	2	5
Skipped	1	1
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>13</i>
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>27</i>

2. Have you done the following in the last week?

Self-quarantined – that is, stayed at home and avoided contact with others for 14 days	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	10	39
No	90	60
Skipped	1	*

Washed your hands a minimum of 20 seconds with soap	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	93	97
No	7	3
Skipped	1	*

Stopped shaking hands	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	64	87
No	35	13
Skipped	1	*



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2. Have you done the following in the last week?

Canceled or skipped attending large gatherings	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	46	74
No	53	26
Skipped	1	*

Canceled travel plans	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	30	48
No	70	51
Skipped	1	*

Gone out to eat	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	56	25
No	43	74
Skipped	1	*

Visited elderly relatives	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	17	13
No	82	86
Skipped	1	*

Visited friends or relatives	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	48	32
No	51	68
Skipped	1	*

Attended' a large gathering via online streaming or social media	Total Wave 2
Yes	20
No	79
Skipped	*



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3. How have the following changed in the last few weeks, if at all?

Your ability to effectively do your job <i>Base: Employed</i>	Total Wave 1 (N=672)	Total Wave 2 (N=627)
Improved a lot	1	2
Improved a little	2	3
No different	72	51
Gotten a little worse	18	29
Gotten a lot worse	7	15
Skipped	*	1
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	3	5
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	25	44

Your ability to afford household goods	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	2	1
Improved a little	3	2
No different	79	73
Gotten a little worse	12	18
Gotten a lot worse	3	6
Skipped	1	1
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	5	2
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	15	24

Access to food and household needs	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	2	1
Improved a little	2	2
No different	51	31
Gotten a little worse	31	46
Gotten a lot worse	14	20
Skipped	1	1
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	4	3
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	44	66



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3. How have the following changed in the last few weeks, if at all?

Your 401k or retirement plan	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	1	*
Improved a little	2	1
No different	52	50
Gotten a little worse	19	15
Gotten a lot worse	25	31
Skipped	1	2
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	3	2
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	43	46

Your ability to pay rent or your mortgage	Total Wave 2
Improved a lot	1
Improved a little	1
No different	80
Gotten a little worse	12
Gotten a lot worse	5
Skipped	1
<i>Total improved (Net)</i>	2
<i>Total worse (Net)</i>	17



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4. Have you personally experienced the following in the last few weeks?

Being told to work remotely or from home <i>Base: Employed</i>	Total Wave 1 (N=672)	Total Wave 2 (N=627)
Yes	21	40
No	79	60
Skipped	*	1

Your employer shutting down business completely <i>Base: Employed</i>	Total Wave 1 (N=672)	Total Wave 2 (N=627)
Yes	10	18
No	90	82
Skipped	1	*

Being furloughed, suspended, or otherwise told not to work <i>Base: Employed</i>	Total Wave 1 (N=672)	Total Wave 2 (N=627)
Yes	10	22
No	89	78
Skipped	*	*

Being told to use telephone or video conferences instead of in-person meetings <i>Base: Employed</i>	Total Wave 1 (N=672)	Total Wave 2 (N=627)
Yes	34	53
No	65	47
Skipped	*	*



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4. Have you personally experienced the following in the last few weeks?

Attempting to visit or use a store or business that is closed due to the coronavirus	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	11	40
No	88	60
Skipped	1	*

An event, conference, or other public meeting canceled due to coronavirus	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	47	61
No	52	38
Skipped	*	1

5. Have you bought or tried to buy any of the following in the last week?

Soap	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes, tried to buy and <u>was able to</u>	27	31
Yes, tried to buy but <u>was unable to</u>	8	10
No, did not try to buy	64	58
Skipped	1	1

Hand sanitizer	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes, tried to buy and <u>was able to</u>	9	9
Yes, tried to buy but <u>was unable to</u>	30	40
No, did not try to buy	60	50
Skipped	1	1

Toilet paper	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes, tried to buy and <u>was able to</u>	29	25
Yes, tried to buy but <u>was unable to</u>	24	37
No, did not try to buy	47	37
Skipped	1	1



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5. Have you bought or tried to buy any of the following in the last week?

Disinfecting spray or wipes	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes, tried to buy and <u>was able to</u>	18	15
Yes, tried to buy but <u>was unable to</u>	25	38
No, did not try to buy	56	46
Skipped	1	1

Basic foods	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes, tried to buy and <u>was able to</u>	71	66
Yes, tried to buy but <u>was unable to</u>	10	23
No, did not try to buy	18	10
Skipped	1	1

Over the counter medicine	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes, tried to buy and <u>was able to</u>	25	28
Yes, tried to buy but <u>was unable to</u>	6	9
No, did not try to buy	68	62
Skipped	1	1

6. How concerned are you, if at all, about the coronavirus or COVID-19 outbreak? (Select one)

	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Extremely concerned	16	27
Very concerned	21	32
Somewhat concerned	42	31
Not very concerned	15	7
Not at all concerned	5	2
Haven't heard of it/Don't know	*	*
Skipped	*	1
<i>Total concerned (Net)</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>90</i>
<i>Total not concerned (Net)</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>10</i>



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7. How concerned are you, if at all, with the following?

The government's response to the coronavirus outbreak	Total Wave 2
Extremely concerned	27
Very concerned	26
Somewhat concerned	26
Not very concerned	11
Not at all concerned	7
Haven't heard of it/Don't know	1
Skipped	1
<i>Total concerned (Net)</i>	<i>53</i>
<i>Total not concerned (Net)</i>	<i>18</i>

Having to quarantine or 'social distance' for a long time	Total Wave 2
Extremely concerned	17
Very concerned	22
Somewhat concerned	33
Not very concerned	18
Not at all concerned	8
Haven't heard of it/Don't know	1
Skipped	1
<i>Total concerned (Net)</i>	<i>39</i>
<i>Total not concerned (Net)</i>	<i>26</i>

Your job security Base: Employed	Total Wave 2 (N=627)
Extremely concerned	11
Very concerned	12
Somewhat concerned	28
Not very concerned	26
Not at all concerned	22
Haven't heard of it/Don't know	1
Skipped	*
<i>Total concerned (Net)</i>	<i>23</i>
<i>Total not concerned (Net)</i>	<i>48</i>

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7. How concerned are you, if at all, with the following?

Your ability to pay your bills	Total Wave 2
Extremely concerned	11
Very concerned	12
Somewhat concerned	29
Not very concerned	26
Not at all concerned	20
Haven't heard of it/Don't know	*
Skipped	1
<i>Total concerned (Net)</i>	<i>23</i>
<i>Total not concerned (Net)</i>	<i>47</i>

8. How much trust do you have in each of the following to provide you with accurate information about coronavirus or COVID-19?

Cable News	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	10	10
A fair amount	40	43
Not very much	31	31
None at all	18	15
Skipped	2	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>53</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>46</i>

National newspapers	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	11	11
A fair amount	40	45
Not very much	29	29
None at all	17	13
Skipped	2	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>57</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>43</i>



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8. How much trust do you have in each of the following to provide you with accurate information about coronavirus or COVID-19?

Social media	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	5	4
A fair amount	20	21
Not very much	42	45
None at all	32	29
Skipped	1	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>25</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>74</i>

Digital or online news companies	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	7	7
A fair amount	40	40
Not very much	36	38
None at all	16	14
Skipped	2	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>47</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>52</i>

The federal government	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	13	14
A fair amount	40	44
Not very much	30	28
None at all	16	13
Skipped	1	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>58</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>41</i>

Your state government	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	19	22
A fair amount	51	55
Not very much	21	17
None at all	8	5
Skipped	1	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>77</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>23</i>



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8. How much trust do you have in each of the following to provide you with accurate information about coronavirus or COVID-19?

Your local government	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	17	17
A fair amount	50	56
Not very much	24	21
None at all	8	5
Skipped	1	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>74</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>26</i>

The Centers for Disease Control, or CDC	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	43	46
A fair amount	42	42
Not very much	10	9
None at all	4	2
Skipped	1	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>84</i>	<i>88</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>11</i>

The World Health Organization	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	37	36
A fair amount	40	44
Not very much	15	14
None at all	6	5
Skipped	1	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>78</i>	<i>80</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>19</i>



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8. How much trust do you have in each of the following to provide you with accurate information about coronavirus or COVID-19?

Your friends and family	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	15	16
A fair amount	48	48
Not very much	29	29
None at all	7	6
Skipped	1	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>64</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>35</i>

Network TV News (ABC, CBS, NBC)	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
A great deal	14	15
A fair amount	41	46
Not very much	26	25
None at all	17	13
Skipped	2	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>61</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>38</i>



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9. How much trust do you have in each of the following to look out for the best interests of you and your family?

The federal government	Total Wave 2
A great deal	11
A fair amount	42
Not very much	30
None at all	17
Skipped	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>53</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>47</i>

Your state government	Total Wave 2
A great deal	18
A fair amount	53
Not very much	22
None at all	7
Skipped	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>71</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>28</i>

Your local government	Total Wave 2
A great deal	16
A fair amount	55
Not very much	22
None at all	6
Skipped	1
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>71</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>28</i>

Your employer Base: Employed	Total Wave 2
A great deal	25
A fair amount	43
Not very much	21
None at all	11
Skipped	*
<i>A great deal/a fair amount (Net)</i>	<i>68</i>
<i>Not very much/none at all (Net)</i>	<i>32</i>



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10. Do you know what to do if you feel ill and think you might have the virus?

	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	85	87
No	14	13
Skipped	1	1

11. Do you know anyone in the U.S. who... (Wave 1 working)
Do you personally know anyone in the U.S. who...

Has tested positive for the coronavirus	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	4	5
No	95	94
Skipped	*	1

Tried to be tested for the coronavirus but was turned away	Total Wave 1	Total Wave 2
Yes	5	8
No	94	91
Skipped	*	1

12. Have you personally been tested for the coronavirus?

	Total Wave 2
Yes	1
No	98
Skipped	1



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13. Which of these is your main source of news?

	Total Wave 2
FOX News	14
CNN	7
MSNBC	4
ABC / CBS / NBC News	28
New York Times or Washington Post	3
Digital or online news	14
Your local newspaper	3
Public television or radio	10
Social media	5
Other	6
None of these	5
Skipped	*

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About the Study

This Axios/Ipsos Poll was conducted March 20th to 23rd, 2020 by Ipsos using our KnowledgePanel®. This poll is based on a nationally representative probability sample of 998 general population adults age 18 or older.

The survey was conducted using KnowledgePanel, the largest and most well-established online probability-based panel that is representative of the adult US population. Our recruitment process employs a scientifically developed addressed-based sampling methodology using the latest Delivery Sequence File of the USPS – a database with full coverage of all delivery points in the US. Households are randomly sampled from all available households in the U.S. All persons in selected households are invited to join and participate in KnowledgePanel. Ipsos provides selected households that do not already have internet access a tablet and internet connection at no cost to them. Those who join the panel and who are selected to participate in a survey are sent a unique password-protected log-in used to complete surveys online. As a result of our recruitment and sampling methods, samples from KnowledgePanel cover all households regardless of their phone or internet status and findings can be reported with a margin of sampling error and projected to the general population.

The study was conducted in English and Spanish.¹ The data were weighted to adjust for gender by age, race, education, Census region, metropolitan status, and household income. The demographic weighting benchmarks are from the 2019 March supplement of the U.S. Census Bureau's Current Population Survey (CPS). The weighting categories were as follows:

- Gender (Male/Female) by Age (18–29, 30–44, 45–59, and 60+)
- Race/Hispanic Ethnicity (White/Non-Hispanic, Black/Non-Hispanic, Other or 2+ Races/Non-Hispanic, Hispanic)
- Education (Less than High School, High School graduate, Some College, Bachelor and beyond)
- Census Region (Northeast, Midwest, South, West)
- Metropolitan status (Metro, non-Metro)
- Household Income (Under \$25,000, \$25,000-\$49,999, \$50,000-\$74,999, \$75,000-\$99,999, \$100,000-\$149,999, \$150,000+)

The margin of sampling error is plus or minus 3.3 percentage points at the 95% confidence level, for results based on the entire sample of adults. The margin of sampling error takes into account the design effect, which was 1.15. The margin of sampling error is higher and varies for results based on sub-samples. In our reporting of the findings, percentage points are rounded off to the nearest whole number. As a result, percentages in a given table column may total slightly higher or lower than 100%. In questions that permit multiple responses, columns may total substantially more than 100%, depending on the number of different responses offered by each respondent.

¹ Wave 1 was conducted in English only.



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