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Axios_Ipsos Covid Diagnosis Poll

Conducted by Ipsos using the probability-based KnowledgePanel®
A survey of those who self-reported they had been diagnosed with COVID-19 (ages 18+)
Interview dates: December 4 - December 13, 2020

Number of interviews, adults: 319

Margin of error for the total sample: +/- 7.5 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. Have you tested positive for coronavirus or COVID-19?

	Total
Yes	100
No	-
Skipped	-

2. Approximately when in 2020 did you test positive for coronavirus?

	Total
February	1
March	9
April	12
May	5
June	11
July	26
August	13
September	8
October	9
November	4
December	1
Skipped	1

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3. How would you describe your coronavirus symptoms?

	Total
Very severe	16
Moderate	38
Mild	41
No symptoms	6
Skipped	-

4. Did you experience the following coronavirus symptoms?

Fever or chills Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	70
No	30
Skipped	-

Cough Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	57
No	43
Skipped	*

Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	48
No	50
Skipped	2

Fatigue Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	81
No	19
Skipped	-

Confusion or mental impairment Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	17
No	81
Skipped	2

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4. Did you experience the following coronavirus symptoms?

Muscle or body aches Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	71
No	27
Skipped	2

Headache Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	66
No	32
Skipped	3

Loss of smell or taste Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	75
No	25
Skipped	1

Sore throat Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	47
No	53
Skipped	1

Congestion or runny nose Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	51
No	48
Skipped	1

Nausea or vomiting Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	27
No	72
Skipped	1

Diarrhea Base: Experienced symptoms (n=295)	Total
Yes	37
No	63
Skipped	*

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6. Did you take, undergo, or receive the following treatments for coronavirus?

Isolation or quarantine within your home	Total
Yes	95
No	5
Skipped	-

Telehealth (phone or video) doctor visit	Total
Yes	40
No	60
Skipped	*

In-person doctor visit	Total
Yes	32
No	67
Skipped	1

Hospitalization	Total
Yes	10
No	89
Skipped	-

Chloroquine or hydroxychloroquine	Total
Yes	5
No	94
Skipped	1

Remdesivir or Veklury	Total
Yes	4
No	95
Skipped	*

Oxygen therapy	Total
Yes	8
No	90
Skipped	2

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7. Has contracting the coronavirus caused you to take the threat of the virus more or less seriously, or has it made no difference?

	Total
Much more seriously	35
Somewhat more seriously	19
No difference	31
Somewhat less seriously	10
Much less seriously	5
Skipped	-
Total more seriously (Net)	*54*
Total less seriously (Net)	*15*

8. How likely would you be to take a coronavirus vaccine once one is publicly available?

	Total
Very likely	35
Somewhat likely	28
Not very likely	21
Not at all likely	13
Skipped	2
Total likely (Net)	*63*
Total not likely (Net)	*35*

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QINS1. Below is a list of different kinds of health insurance. Which of the following is your primary source of insurance coverage?

	Total
Health insurance through your or someone else's employer or union	64
Medicare, a government plan that pays healthcare bills for people aged 65 or older and for some disabled people	9
Medicaid, or any state government medical assistance plan for those with lower incomes	9
Health insurance that you bought from the federal Health Insurance Marketplace, also known as Healthcare.gov, or a state-run Health Insurance Marketplace	4
Veteran's Affairs (VA), Department of Defense, or other military programs	2
Health insurance from some other source	3
I do not have any healthcare insurance/coverage	9
Skipped	-

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About the Study

This Axios/Ipsos Covid Diagnosis Poll was conducted December 4th to December 13th, 2020 by Ipsos using our KnowledgePanel®. This poll is based on 319 adults age 18 or older respondents who self-reported they had been diagnosed with COVID-19.

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. 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 KnowledgePanel profile among panelists who self-reported they had been diagnosised with COVID-19. 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 (High School graduate or less, Some College, Bachelor and beyond)
- Census Region (Northeast, Midwest, South, West)
- Metropolitan status (Metro, non-Metro)
- Household Income (Under $50,000, $50,000-$99,999, $100,000+)

Weights were trimmed at both extremes of the distribution. The margin of sampling error is plus or minus 7.5 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 1.86. 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.

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