

Personally, did you perceive the ruling by the Supreme Court last June 9, which in effect allows for private health insurance in the province of Quebec very favourably, somewhat favourably, somewhat unfavourably or very unfavourably?

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Very favourably	37%
Somewhat favourably	46%
Somewhat unfavourably	12%
Very unfavourably	6%
Top2Box	82%
Low2Box	18%

Generally, would you say that you completely agree, somewhat agree, somewhat disagree or completely disagree with the following statements:

Agreement with: The consequences of the Supreme Court ruling will be to pave the way for a two-tiered health care system.

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Completely agree	28%
Somewhat agree	47%
Somewhat disagree	19%
Completely disagree	6%
(DK/NS)	1%
Top2Box	75%
Low2Box	24%

Agreement with: The consequences of the Supreme Court ruling will be to encourage the exodus of doctors toward private practice.

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Completely agree	12%
Somewhat agree	34%
Somewhat disagree	43%
Completely disagree	12%
(DK/NS)	1%
Top2Box	46%
Low2Box	54%

Agreement with: The consequences of the Supreme Court ruling will be to reduce the availability of services in the public sector.

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Completely agree	8%
Somewhat agree	21%
Somewhat disagree	38%
Completely disagree	32%
(DK/NS)	2%
Top2Box	29%
Low2Box	70%

Agreement with: The consequences of the Supreme Court ruling will be to encourage the growth of private medical clinics.

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Completely agree	41%
Somewhat agree	50%
Somewhat disagree	8%
Completely disagree	2%
Top2Box	91%
Low2Box	10%

Agreement with: The consequences of the Supreme Court ruling will be to increase the overall cost of public spending on healthcare in your province.

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Completely agree	14%
Somewhat agree	26%
Somewhat disagree	37%
Completely disagree	24%
Top2Box	40%
Low2Box	61%

Agreement with: The consequences of the Supreme Court ruling will be to reduce waiting lists by increasing the supply of services.

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Completely agree	37%
Somewhat agree	44%
Somewhat disagree	13%
Completely disagree	5%
(DK/NS)	1%
Top2Box	81%
Low2Box	18%

Agreement with: Most of my patients either won't qualify for insurance or won't be able to afford private health insurance.

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Completely agree	26%
Somewhat agree	32%
Somewhat disagree	31%
Completely disagree	11%
(DK/NS)	1%
Top2Box	58%
Low2Box	42%

Which of the following statements most closely resembles your own personal opinion?

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
The recent decision by the Supreme Court is a good thing because it will allow individuals choice and the ability to control their own healthcare.	75%
The recent decision by the Supreme Court is a bad thing because it will ultimately weaken the public health system that so many people rely on.	25%

Which of the following statements most closely resembles your own personal opinion.

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Canadian governments have failed to provide adequate resources to the health system and the result has been long wait times and now the Supreme Court's decision.	31%
The health system has had sufficient resources but it has been poorly managed and that is why we have long wait times and the Supreme Court's decision.	21%
The long wait times and the Supreme Court's decision are the result of growing demand for healthcare caused by an ageing population, longer life expectancy and new advances in medicine and treatments.	49%

Do you think that Canada's current health care system, where core services are funded by governments but there is no commitment of timely access to services, does a very good, somewhat good, somewhat poor or very poor job of ensuring positive health outcomes for Canadians?

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Very good	4%
Somewhat good	46%
Somewhat poor	36%
Very poor	15%
Top2Box	49%
Low2Box	51%

Do you think that a health care system, where core services are funded by governments and which includes a commitment of timely access to services backed by adequate new resources, would do a very good, somewhat good, somewhat poor or very poor job of ensuring positive health outcomes for Canadians?

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Very good	31%
Somewhat good	57%
Somewhat poor	12%
Very poor	2%
Top2Box	87%
Low2Box	13%

Do you think that a health care system, where core services are funded by governments and which includes the option for individuals to either purchase private insurance for, or pay out of pocket for core services if they so choose would do a very good, somewhat good, somewhat poor or very poor job of ensuring positive health outcomes for Canadians?

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
Very good	33%
Somewhat good	49%
Somewhat poor	14%
Very poor	5%
(DK/NS)	1%
Top2Box	81%
Low2Box	18%

Which of these two systems do you think would ensure the best health outcomes for Canadians?

	Total
Base: All respondents	200
A health care system, where core services are funded by governments and which includes a commitment of timely access to services backed by adequate new resources.	47%
A health care system, where core services are funded by governments and which includes the option for individuals to either purchase private insurance for, or pay out of pocket for core services.	53%
(DK/NS)	1%