CBS News Poll
April 20-22, 2020

YouGov

Sample   2,112 Adults
Margin of Error   ±2.5%

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10. In its efforts against the coronavirus, do you feel the country is becoming:

More united	27%
More divided	42%
Not changed	31%

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12. Once the coronavirus is contained, do you feel day-to-day life in America - that is, the way people interact with each other, the way they work, the places they go and things they do – will:

Eventually return to normal, the way it was before the outbreak	46%
Be permanently changed and different from how it was before the outbreak	54%

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23. Although it is difficult to talk about, leaders and medical professionals have tried to estimate how many American lives will be lost due to coronavirus, as one way to measure how the national effort is going. When this is all over, what is the largest number of fatalities you think could still represent a successful effort by the U.S. against this outbreak?

There's already too many	41%
Under 50,000	13%
Between 50-100,000	23%
Between 100,000-200,000	11%
Between 200,000- one million	5%
More than that could still be a successful effort	6%

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33. When you see some Americans doing things in response to the outbreak, does seeing each of these things make you feel proud of how some Americans have responded, or not proud, or don't you think in those terms?

	Proud	Not proud	Neither
The way President Trump addresses the nation	33%	47%	20%
Medical doctors, nurses and first responders working	84%	6%	10%
Americans staying at home and social distancing	73%	9%	18%
Americans protesting stay-at-home orders	19%	62%	19%
Food service, store and transportation workers working	78%	7%	14%
The way Governors address their states	48%	19%	33%

40. From what you know, have there been confirmed cases of coronavirus in your community?

Many 27%
A few 46%
None 10%
Not sure 17%

41. When do you think the coronavirus will be contained in the U.S., to the point that most activities like social gatherings, workplaces, and sporting events can return to normal?

It is already 5%
In the next few weeks 15%
In the next few months 37%
In the next year 26%
Longer than that 11%
Never 6%

Other questions held for future release.

10. National Unity During Outbreak
In its efforts against the coronavirus, do you feel the country is becoming:

		Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
More united	27%	25%	29%	22%	28%	29%	28%	28%	23%	26%
More divided	42%	41%	43%	42%	43%	42%	42%	41%	39%	48%
Not changed	31%	33%	28%	36%	29%	29%	30%	31%	37%	26%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,107)	(1,025)	(1,081)	(454)	(528)	(711)	(414)	(1,350)	(256)	(330)

		Party ID			Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
More united	27%	27%	23%	35%	26%	26%	30%
More divided	42%	47%	42%	37%	47%	42%	37%
Not changed	31%	26%	35%	28%	27%	32%	33%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,107)	(652)	(677)	(538)	(569)	(918)	(617)

12. Return To Normal
Once the coronavirus is contained, do you feel day-to-day life in America - that is, the way people interact with each other, the way they work, the places they go and things they do – will:

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Eventually return to normal, the way it was before the outbreak	46%	49%	43%	57%	47%	41%	40%	45%	38%	51%
Be permanently changed and different from how it was before the outbreak	54%	51%	57%	43%	53%	59%	60%	55%	62%	49%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,106)	(1,026)	(1,080)	(454)	(528)	(709)	(415)	(1,350)	(255)	(331)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Eventually return to normal, the way it was before the outbreak	46%	34%	47%	57%	33%	45%	59%
Be permanently changed and different from how it was before the outbreak	54%	66%	53%	43%	67%	55%	41%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,106)	(651)	(675)	(541)	(569)	(917)	(616)

23. Number Of Fatalities

Although it is difficult to talk about, leaders and medical professionals have tried to estimate how many American lives will be lost due to coronavirus, as one way to measure how the national effort is going.   When this is all over, what is the largest number of fatalities you think could still represent a successful effort by the U.S. against this outbreak?

		Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
There's already too many	41%	34%	48%	35%	42%	45%	40%	40%	51%	37%
Under 50,000	13%	13%	12%	19%	11%	10%	14%	14%	9%	13%
Between 50-100,000	23%	28%	19%	21%	17%	25%	31%	26%	16%	21%
Between 100,000-200,000	11%	12%	10%	10%	14%	10%	9%	10%	10%	13%
Between 200,000- one million	5%	7%	4%	5%	7%	6%	3%	4%	7%	7%
More than that could still be a successful effort	6%	6%	7%	10%	9%	4%	3%	6%	7%	9%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,098)	(1,023)	(1,075)	(454)	(523)	(708)	(413)	(1,344)	(253)	(331)

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	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
There's already too many	41%	56%	40%	24%	58%	43%	21%
Under 50,000	13%	9%	14%	15%	9%	12%	18%
Between 50-100,000	23%	13%	27%	36%	15%	20%	37%
Between 100,000-200,000	11%	11%	7%	14%	9%	11%	12%
Between 200,000- one million	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%
More than that could still be a successful effort	6%	5%	7%	5%	4%	8%	6%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,098)	(651)	(669)	(538)	(569)	(914)	(611)

33A. Pride In American Response To Outbreak — The way President Trump addresses the nation
When you see some Americans doing things in response to the outbreak, does seeing each of these things make you feel proud of how some Americans have responded, or not proud, or don't you think in those terms?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Proud	33%	34%	32%	27%	30%	34%	42%	39%	11%	23%
Not proud	47%	46%	48%	47%	46%	47%	47%	42%	60%	57%
Neither	20%	20%	20%	26%	24%	19%	11%	18%	29%	20%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,107)	(1,026)	(1,082)	(455)	(527)	(712)	(414)	(1,352)	(256)	(331)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Proud	33%	8%	29%	73%	9%	24%	69%
Not proud	47%	81%	45%	13%	83%	46%	15%
Neither	20%	11%	26%	14%	8%	30%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,107)	(653)	(675)	(541)	(570)	(916)	(618)

33B. Pride In American Response To Outbreak — Medical doctors, nurses and first responders working

When you see some Americans doing things in response to the outbreak, does seeing each of these things make you feel proud of how some Americans have responded, or not proud, or don't you think in those terms?

		Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Proud	84%	82%	85%	72%	74%	91%	97%	87%	75%	79%
Not proud	6%	7%	5%	12%	10%	3%	0%	3%	9%	11%
Neither	10%	10%	10%	16%	16%	6%	3%	9%	16%	10%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,110)	(1,028)	(1,082)	(456)	(527)	(712)	(415)	(1,353)	(256)	(331)

		Party ID			Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Proud	84%	90%	82%	85%	88%	79%	87%
Not proud	6%	5%	5%	8%	7%	6%	4%
Neither	10%	5%	13%	7%	5%	14%	9%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,110)	(653)	(676)	(542)	(570)	(917)	(620)

33C. Pride In American Response To Outbreak — Americans staying at home and social distancing

When you see some Americans doing things in response to the outbreak, does seeing each of these things make you feel proud of how some Americans have responded, or not proud, or don't you think in those terms?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Proud	73%	69%	76%	60%	62%	79%	90%	76%	69%	69%
Not proud	9%	10%	8%	16%	12%	6%	3%	6%	9%	16%
Neither	18%	21%	16%	24%	26%	15%	7%	18%	22%	15%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,104)	(1,025)	(1,078)	(456)	(526)	(708)	(413)	(1,351)	(252)	(331)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Proud	73%	85%	68%	70%	82%	71%	67%
Not proud	9%	6%	9%	13%	9%	9%	10%
Neither	18%	9%	22%	17%	9%	20%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,104)	(650)	(674)	(541)	(567)	(915)	(618)

33D. Pride In American Response To Outbreak — Americans protesting stay-at-home orders
When you see some Americans doing things in response to the outbreak, does seeing each of these things make you feel proud of how some Americans have responded, or not proud, or don't you think in those terms?

		Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Proud	19%	24%	15%	16%	19%	21%	19%	19%	16%	17%
Not proud	62%	55%	67%	63%	57%	62%	65%	61%	64%	64%
Neither	19%	21%	18%	21%	24%	17%	16%	20%	20%	18%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
Weighted N	(2,104)	(1,028)	(1,076)	(454)	(526)	(709)	(415)	(1,353)	(253)	(329)

		Party ID			Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Proud	19%	10%	18%	32%	8%	14%	37%
Not proud	62%	81%	59%	46%	84%	62%	40%
Neither	19%	9%	23%	22%	8%	24%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,104)	(648)	(675)	(542)	(568)	(913)	(620)

33E. Pride In American Response To Outbreak — Food service, store and transportation workers working
When you see some Americans doing things in response to the outbreak, does seeing each of these things make you feel proud of how some Americans have responded, or not proud, or don't you think in those terms?

		Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Proud	78%	77%	79%	65%	65%	87%	95%	81%	72%	77%
Not proud	7%	8%	7%	13%	12%	4%	1%	5%	10%	11%
Neither	14%	15%	14%	22%	23%	9%	4%	14%	18%	12%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,105)	(1,027)	(1,078)	(452)	(527)	(710)	(415)	(1,351)	(255)	(329)

		Party ID			Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Proud	78%	86%	75%	81%	82%	73%	83%
Not proud	7%	6%	7%	7%	8%	8%	5%
Neither	14%	8%	18%	11%	10%	18%	12%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,105)	(649)	(674)	(542)	(566)	(917)	(619)

33F. Pride In American Response To Outbreak — The way Governors address their states
When you see some Americans doing things in response to the outbreak, does seeing each of these things make you feel proud of how some Americans have responded, or not proud, or don't you think in those terms?

	Total	Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Proud	48%	45%	51%	36%	41%	54%	60%	48%	51%	48%
Not proud	19%	20%	19%	28%	21%	16%	14%	18%	17%	22%
Neither	33%	35%	30%	36%	38%	30%	26%	34%	32%	30%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,104)	(1,027)	(1,076)	(454)	(525)	(710)	(415)	(1,348)	(256)	(330)

	Total	Party ID			Ideology		
		Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Proud	48%	61%	42%	44%	57%	48%	39%
Not proud	19%	13%	20%	27%	14%	17%	28%
Neither	33%	26%	38%	29%	29%	35%	33%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,104)	(650)	(675)	(539)	(566)	(916)	(618)

40. Confirmed Case In Community
From what you know, have there been confirmed cases of coronavirus in your community?

		Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
Many	27%	25%	29%	24%	27%	29%	27%	28%	20%	26%
A few	46%	47%	46%	46%	40%	46%	55%	51%	33%	41%
None	10%	11%	9%	14%	14%	7%	6%	8%	12%	12%
Not sure	17%	17%	16%	16%	19%	18%	12%	13%	34%	21%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%
Weighted N	(2,106)	(1,024)	(1,082)	(455)	(527)	(711)	(414)	(1,352)	(253)	(331)

		Party ID			Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
Many	27%	34%	27%	21%	36%	25%	21%
A few	46%	42%	50%	54%	41%	43%	56%
None	10%	6%	11%	12%	8%	11%	11%
Not sure	17%	18%	12%	13%	15%	21%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,106)	(651)	(676)	(539)	(568)	(916)	(618)

41. When Will Virus Be Contained

When do you think the coronavirus will be contained in the U.S., to the point that most activities like social gatherings, workplaces, and sporting events can return to normal?

		Gender		Age Group				Race/Ethnicity		
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic
It is already	5%	6%	5%	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%	5%	3%
In the next few weeks	15%	17%	13%	17%	13%	15%	14%	16%	11%	14%
In the next few months	37%	37%	36%	44%	35%	37%	32%	35%	40%	42%
In the next year	26%	22%	29%	18%	22%	28%	35%	27%	20%	25%
Longer than that	11%	10%	12%	6%	13%	12%	11%	11%	10%	10%
Never	6%	8%	5%	9%	11%	3%	2%	5%	14%	6%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,109)	(1,026)	(1,084)	(455)	(529)	(710)	(415)	(1,354)	(255)	(329)

		Party ID			Ideology		
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Liberal	Moderate	Conservative
It is already	5%	4%	5%	9%	3%	4%	11%
In the next few weeks	15%	6%	17%	24%	6%	13%	26%
In the next few months	37%	36%	34%	40%	36%	38%	37%
In the next year	26%	33%	27%	19%	36%	24%	18%
Longer than that	11%	15%	12%	5%	16%	11%	5%
Never	6%	6%	4%	3%	3%	10%	3%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Weighted N	(2,109)	(653)	(674)	(542)	(570)	(918)	(618)

HOW THE POLL WAS CONDUCTED AND THE MARGIN OF ERROR CALCULATED

April 23, 2020

The CBS News survey is conducted by YouGov using a nationally representative sample of 2,112 U.S. adult residents interviewed online between April 20-22, 2020.

This sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, and education based on the American Community Survey, conducted by the U.S. Bureau of the Census, as well as 2016 Presidential vote and registration status. Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in panel to be representative of all U.S residents. The weights range from 0.2 to 4.7, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.6.

The *margin of error* (a 95% confidence interval) for a sample percentage p based upon the entire sample is approximately 2.5%. It is calculated using the formula

$$\hat{p} \pm 100 \times \sqrt{\frac{1 + \mathsf{CV}^2}{n}}$$

where CV is the coefficient of variation of the sample weights and n is the sample size used to compute the proportion. This is a measure of sampling error (the average of all estimates obtained using the same sample selection and weighting procedures repeatedly). The sample estimate should differ from its expected value by less than margin of error in 95 percent of all samples. It does not reflect non-sampling errors, including potential selection bias in panel participation or in response to a particular survey.