

# YouGov Survey: Homelessness and Health



Sample 1000 U.S. Adult Citizens  
 Conducted November 30 - December 4, 2022  
 Margin of Error ±3.5%

## 1. How much discrimination do you think the following people face in America today?

	A great deal	A fair amount	Not much	None at all
Wealthy people	9%	20%	32%	40%
Middle-class people	13%	40%	37%	9%
Poor people	44%	35%	16%	6%
People who are homeless	54%	30%	10%	6%

## 2. How serious of a problem do you think homelessness is in the United States?

A very serious problem	58%
A somewhat serious problem	29%
A minor problem	10%
Not a problem	1%
Not sure	3%

## 3. How serious of a problem do you think homelessness is in your local community?

A very serious problem	27%
A somewhat serious problem	32%
A minor problem	25%
Not a problem	9%
Not sure	7%

## 4. When should local governments have the power to force the following treatment for someone who has been diagnosed as mentally ill, even if the person does not consent?

	In any circumstance	Only when they are a danger to themselves or others	Only when they are a danger to themselves	Only when they are a danger to others	In no circumstance	Not sure
Outpatient treatment	16%	44%	9%	11%	8%	13%
Hospitalization	15%	51%	7%	10%	6%	11%

## 5. Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Eric Adams?

Very favorable	5%
Somewhat favorable	15%
Somewhat unfavorable	11%
Very unfavorable	12%
Not sure	58%

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<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	November 30 - December 4, 2022
<b>Target population</b>	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
<b>Sampling method</b>	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2019 American Community Survey.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted according to gender, age, race, education, 2020 election turnout and Presidential vote, baseline party identification, and current voter registration status. Demographic weighting targets come from the 2019 American Community Survey. Baseline party identification is the respondent's most recent answer given prior to March 15, 2022, and is weighted to the estimated distribution at that time (33% Democratic, 28% Republican). The weights range from 0.288 to 5.651, with a mean of 1 and a standard deviation of 0.513.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 3.5% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	67 questions not reported.

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## 1A. How Much Are Groups Discriminated Against — Wealthy people

How much discrimination do you think the following people face in America today?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A great deal	9%	11%	7%	11%	11%	7%	6%	9%	7%	*	*
A fair amount	20%	23%	16%	22%	33%	11%	15%	21%	14%	*	*
Not much	32%	28%	35%	26%	26%	34%	39%	33%	23%	*	*
None at all	40%	38%	42%	40%	29%	48%	41%	37%	56%	*	*
Totals	101%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(974)	(436)	(538)	(193)	(222)	(330)	(229)	(697)	(117)	(91)	(69)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A great deal	9%	7%	7%	13%	6%	11%	6%	9%	15%	8%	8%	8%	11%
A fair amount	20%	15%	23%	20%	15%	19%	17%	18%	28%	21%	16%	22%	19%
Not much	32%	27%	29%	40%	27%	43%	32%	31%	27%	35%	28%	30%	36%
None at all	40%	50%	40%	28%	52%	27%	45%	41%	30%	37%	48%	40%	35%
Totals	101%	99%	99%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	101%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(974)	(317)	(388)	(269)	(365)	(322)	(401)	(254)	(216)	(176)	(199)	(364)	(235)

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## 1B. How Much Are Groups Discriminated Against — Middle-class people

How much discrimination do you think the following people face in America today?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A great deal	13%	15%	11%	10%	15%	14%	14%	15%	16%	*	*
A fair amount	40%	40%	41%	47%	44%	39%	32%	39%	44%	*	*
Not much	37%	36%	39%	31%	30%	37%	51%	40%	30%	*	*
None at all	9%	9%	9%	11%	11%	10%	3%	7%	10%	*	*
Totals	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(971)	(435)	(536)	(193)	(220)	(329)	(229)	(694)	(117)	(91)	(69)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A great deal	13%	7%	13%	20%	8%	21%	14%	12%	12%	19%	12%	15%	8%
A fair amount	40%	45%	41%	35%	44%	37%	39%	39%	43%	38%	35%	40%	48%
Not much	37%	40%	36%	37%	41%	35%	38%	38%	37%	32%	42%	39%	34%
None at all	9%	8%	10%	8%	6%	7%	9%	11%	9%	11%	11%	6%	10%
Totals	99%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(971)	(316)	(387)	(268)	(365)	(322)	(400)	(253)	(215)	(175)	(199)	(362)	(235)

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## 1C. How Much Are Groups Discriminated Against — Poor people

How much discrimination do you think the following people face in America today?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A great deal	44%	37%	51%	43%	43%	46%	43%	42%	62%	*	*
A fair amount	35%	37%	33%	34%	35%	34%	36%	38%	25%	*	*
Not much	16%	18%	13%	12%	18%	13%	20%	16%	8%	*	*
None at all	6%	8%	4%	11%	4%	6%	2%	5%	5%	*	*
Totals	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%	101%	101%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(972)	(436)	(536)	(193)	(222)	(328)	(229)	(696)	(116)	(91)	(69)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A great deal	44%	54%	38%	41%	59%	33%	52%	39%	35%	42%	42%	45%	47%
A fair amount	35%	32%	38%	34%	33%	37%	29%	38%	44%	35%	36%	35%	33%
Not much	16%	10%	16%	21%	8%	23%	14%	16%	16%	15%	15%	16%	17%
None at all	6%	4%	8%	5%	1%	7%	5%	8%	5%	8%	7%	5%	4%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%
Unweighted N	(972)	(317)	(388)	(267)	(365)	(321)	(400)	(253)	(216)	(176)	(199)	(363)	(234)

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**1D. How Much Are Groups Discriminated Against — People who are homeless**

How much discrimination do you think the following people face in America today?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A great deal	54%	48%	60%	52%	49%	56%	58%	54%	67%	*	*
A fair amount	30%	30%	29%	29%	32%	26%	33%	31%	22%	*	*
Not much	10%	14%	7%	11%	11%	11%	7%	11%	5%	*	*
None at all	6%	8%	4%	8%	8%	6%	3%	5%	6%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	101%	101%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(972)	(435)	(537)	(193)	(222)	(328)	(229)	(697)	(116)	(91)	(68)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A great deal	54%	63%	53%	44%	70%	40%	60%	48%	48%	52%	58%	52%	56%
A fair amount	30%	24%	31%	35%	21%	39%	26%	28%	38%	30%	25%	32%	31%
Not much	10%	8%	10%	14%	6%	14%	7%	16%	10%	12%	11%	10%	8%
None at all	6%	5%	6%	6%	2%	7%	7%	8%	4%	6%	7%	6%	5%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(972)	(317)	(388)	(267)	(365)	(320)	(400)	(253)	(216)	(175)	(199)	(364)	(234)

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**2. U.S. Problem with Homelessness**

How serious of a problem do you think homelessness is in the United States?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A very serious problem	58%	51%	64%	45%	45%	67%	68%	58%	66%	*	*
A somewhat serious problem	29%	31%	28%	32%	35%	25%	28%	31%	19%	*	*
A minor problem	10%	15%	5%	17%	16%	4%	4%	8%	12%	*	*
Not a problem	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	*	*
Not sure	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	3%	0%	2%	2%	*	*
Totals	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	*	*
Unweighted N	(973)	(435)	(538)	(191)	(223)	(330)	(229)	(696)	(115)	(91)	(71)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A very serious problem	58%	65%	52%	57%	66%	58%	66%	56%	44%	52%	63%	55%	61%
A somewhat serious problem	29%	27%	30%	31%	25%	33%	22%	33%	40%	31%	29%	31%	25%
A minor problem	10%	6%	13%	10%	8%	7%	7%	9%	13%	12%	5%	11%	11%
Not a problem	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%
Not sure	3%	2%	4%	2%	1%	2%	4%	1%	2%	4%	3%	3%	2%
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(973)	(316)	(387)	(270)	(363)	(324)	(400)	(253)	(219)	(176)	(197)	(365)	(235)

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### 3. Local Problem with Homelessness

How serious of a problem do you think homelessness is in your local community?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A very serious problem	27%	27%	27%	22%	33%	29%	23%	25%	34%	*	*
A somewhat serious problem	32%	29%	34%	35%	33%	28%	32%	32%	31%	*	*
A minor problem	25%	29%	22%	30%	27%	21%	25%	27%	18%	*	*
Not a problem	9%	9%	8%	5%	5%	12%	11%	10%	4%	*	*
Not sure	7%	6%	8%	8%	2%	9%	8%	7%	12%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	99%	99%	101%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(974)	(434)	(540)	(190)	(225)	(329)	(230)	(697)	(114)	(92)	(71)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A very serious problem	27%	36%	23%	21%	34%	22%	33%	22%	21%	23%	22%	26%	36%
A somewhat serious problem	32%	30%	32%	34%	32%	31%	30%	30%	35%	30%	29%	34%	32%
A minor problem	25%	22%	27%	27%	22%	28%	20%	31%	32%	28%	27%	25%	23%
Not a problem	9%	4%	9%	15%	6%	13%	10%	10%	6%	11%	12%	9%	5%
Not sure	7%	8%	9%	4%	6%	5%	7%	7%	6%	9%	9%	7%	4%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	101%	100%
Unweighted N	(974)	(318)	(387)	(269)	(366)	(323)	(400)	(253)	(219)	(177)	(199)	(364)	(234)



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**4A. Interventions for Homeless People — Outpatient treatment**

When should local governments have the power to force the following treatment for someone who has been diagnosed as mentally ill, even if the person does not consent?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
In any circumstance	16%	15%	17%	21%	18%	13%	13%	14%	29%	*	*
Only when they are a danger to themselves or others	44%	40%	49%	27%	36%	51%	60%	47%	38%	*	*
Only when they are a danger to themselves	9%	11%	6%	17%	10%	6%	4%	8%	8%	*	*
Only when they are a danger to others	11%	13%	9%	16%	13%	8%	8%	11%	8%	*	*
In no circumstance	8%	8%	7%	6%	10%	8%	5%	7%	4%	*	*
Not sure	13%	13%	12%	13%	14%	14%	10%	13%	12%	*	*
Totals	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	*	*
Unweighted N	(969)	(431)	(538)	(191)	(223)	(327)	(228)	(692)	(115)	(92)	(70)

	Total	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
In any circumstance	16%	16%	12%	21%	16%	14%	17%	14%	18%	15%	17%	16%	15%
Only when they are a danger to themselves or others	44%	49%	41%	43%	54%	49%	40%	50%	44%	37%	44%	45%	49%
Only when they are a danger to themselves	9%	12%	6%	8%	9%	6%	7%	9%	10%	9%	9%	8%	9%
Only when they are a danger to others	11%	9%	12%	12%	8%	12%	13%	10%	12%	14%	8%	9%	15%
In no circumstance	8%	5%	10%	8%	6%	9%	8%	6%	7%	9%	9%	9%	3%

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		Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Not sure	13%	10%	18%	8%	8%	11%	15%	11%	9%	15%	13%	13%	9%
Totals	101%	101%	99%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(969)	(315)	(387)	(267)	(364)	(320)	(398)	(253)	(216)	(172)	(199)	(364)	(234)

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**4B. Interventions for Homeless People — Hospitalization**

When should local governments have the power to force the following treatment for someone who has been diagnosed as mentally ill, even if the person does not consent?

	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)				
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
In any circumstance	15%	16%	15%	25%	18%	10%	11%	13%	23%	*	*
Only when they are a danger to themselves or others	51%	46%	55%	34%	40%	59%	66%	53%	42%	*	*
Only when they are a danger to themselves	7%	9%	5%	14%	9%	4%	2%	6%	9%	*	*
Only when they are a danger to others	10%	12%	8%	12%	13%	8%	9%	11%	7%	*	*
In no circumstance	6%	6%	6%	6%	7%	7%	3%	6%	7%	*	*
Not sure	11%	11%	10%	9%	12%	12%	8%	10%	13%	*	*
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	99%	100%	99%	99%	101%	*	*
Unweighted N	(971)	(435)	(536)	(192)	(225)	(326)	(228)	(693)	(115)	(92)	(71)

	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
In any circumstance	15%	12%	14%	22%	13%	15%	15%	13%	19%	12%	18%	15%	16%
Only when they are a danger to themselves or others	51%	56%	48%	49%	61%	55%	48%	56%	51%	48%	48%	50%	56%
Only when they are a danger to themselves	7%	8%	5%	7%	6%	4%	8%	4%	6%	9%	5%	8%	4%
Only when they are a danger to others	10%	11%	9%	11%	10%	11%	10%	13%	12%	13%	9%	7%	15%
In no circumstance	6%	5%	7%	6%	4%	7%	7%	6%	2%	4%	10%	8%	2%

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Not sure	11%	8%	17%	5%	5%	10%	12%	8%	10%	14%	10%	12%	7%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	102%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(971)	(316)	(386)	(269)	(364)	(322)	(398)	(253)	(219)	(175)	(199)	(363)	(234)

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**5. Eric Adams Favorability**

Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Eric Adams?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very favorable	5%	7%	3%	7%	8%	3%	1%	4%	8%	*	*
Somewhat favorable	15%	16%	14%	23%	15%	9%	16%	14%	21%	*	*
Somewhat unfavorable	11%	14%	8%	14%	17%	7%	7%	10%	4%	*	*
Very unfavorable	12%	15%	9%	8%	9%	15%	14%	13%	6%	*	*
Not sure	58%	48%	67%	48%	51%	66%	62%	60%	61%	*	*
Totals	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	*	*
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	Party ID			2020 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region				
	Total	Dem	Ind	Rep	Biden	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Very favorable	5%	8%	1%	6%	6%	5%	3%	3%	11%	8%	3%	4%	5%
Somewhat favorable	15%	24%	10%	11%	25%	8%	12%	17%	18%	20%	9%	15%	16%
Somewhat unfavorable	11%	10%	13%	8%	8%	10%	10%	12%	13%	17%	5%	11%	10%
Very unfavorable	12%	7%	9%	21%	5%	24%	8%	13%	14%	14%	11%	11%	12%
Not sure	58%	52%	66%	54%	56%	53%	67%	54%	44%	41%	72%	59%	56%
Totals	101%	101%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
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