

YouGov / Oxfam GB Survey Results

Sample Size: 1814 Adults in UK
Fieldwork: 26th - 27th April 2020

	Vote in 2019 GE			EU Ref 2016		Gender		Age				Social Grade		Region							
	Total	Con	Lab	Lib Dem	Remain	Leave	Male	Female	18-24	25-49	50-64	65+	ABC1	C2DE	London	Rest of South	Midlands / Wales	North	Scotland	Northern Ireland	
Weighted Sample	1814	595	439	158	673	713	883	931	198	756	439	421	1034	780	210	593	388	424	151	47	
Unweighted Sample	1814	658	483	177	802	748	839	975	143	764	427	480	1071	743	187	638	380	417	139	53	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Thinking about the UK Government's priorities, do you think care work is or is not valued highly enough?

Is valued highly enough	11	20	8	3	6	15	12	10	14	11	11	10	11	11	10	10	12	13	9	8
Is not valued highly enough	78	72	87	94	88	77	75	81	60	76	83	86	80	76	81	79	77	74	84	88
Don't know	11	9	6	4	6	9	13	9	25	13	7	4	9	13	9	11	11	13	8	4

Thinking generally about social care workers, do you think they are paid too much, too little, or is the current amount about right?

They are paid too much	1	2	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	0
They are paid about the right amount	12	19	7	11	11	16	12	13	8	12	11	17	12	12	8	12	14	13	12	16
They are not paid enough	70	64	82	80	78	66	69	71	63	69	75	70	72	67	76	67	69	68	75	78
Don't know	17	16	10	10	11	16	18	16	29	18	13	12	15	20	14	20	16	18	12	6

Should governments spend more or less on social security benefits for the following groups of people, or should they keep spending about the same?

People on low incomes who care for those who are sick or disabled

Spend more	63	53	74	75	71	58	64	61	61	59	67	65	61	64	71	58	61	60	78	65
Keep spending about the same	25	40	15	20	21	33	24	26	13	25	27	30	28	21	18	30	27	24	14	24
Spend less	2	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	2	2	2	0	1	2	1	1	3	2	0	4
Don't know	11	6	10	4	8	7	9	12	24	14	5	5	9	13	11	11	10	14	7	7

Parents who work on very low incomes

Spend more	49	36	67	50	57	43	47	50	47	47	52	49	47	51	56	42	51	47	57	65
Keep spending about the same	36	52	21	42	32	45	37	34	21	34	39	43	39	32	30	42	32	36	26	26
Spend less	4	4	2	0	2	3	6	2	12	4	2	2	4	3	2	4	5	4	8	2
Don't know	12	7	10	8	9	9	10	14	20	16	7	6	10	14	12	11	12	13	10	7

Disabled people who cannot work

Spend more	43	31	58	50	49	40	43	42	37	41	50	42	42	45	51	39	41	40	59	44
Keep spending about the same	40	58	27	40	39	48	40	40	25	38	40	50	43	36	33	46	39	40	24	45
Spend less	4	4	3	1	1	4	6	4	12	5	3	2	5	4	0	5	6	4	7	4
Don't know	13	7	12	9	11	9	11	14	26	16	7	6	11	15	15	10	13	16	10	7

Retired people

Spend more	29	28	29	24	26	36	29	30	14	28	36	33	23	38	25	28	29	28	43	39
Keep spending about the same	49	61	48	47	52	50	50	49	44	44	50	60	56	40	49	54	50	48	35	47
Spend less	9	5	10	20	12	5	12	7	19	11	7	3	10	8	12	7	10	9	11	7
Don't know	12	6	13	10	10	8	10	14	24	16	7	4	11	14	14	10	10	15	11	7

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Single parents																				
Spend more	24	11	36	24	29	16	23	25	31	28	21	16	22	27	35	20	21	23	30	35
Keep spending about the same	49	62	44	50	50	56	49	49	30	44	56	60	51	46	41	55	49	47	42	48
Spend less	12	18	6	14	7	16	15	10	13	10	13	16	13	11	8	11	15	12	15	8
Don't know	15	9	15	13	13	11	13	17	27	18	11	9	14	17	17	14	15	17	13	9
Unemployed people																				
Spend more	18	7	33	13	23	12	20	17	27	17	20	14	15	23	24	14	17	19	26	23
Keep spending about the same	45	51	41	53	49	46	45	45	25	41	48	58	48	41	43	49	43	40	44	50
Spend less	23	33	13	23	17	32	24	23	24	25	22	22	26	20	18	25	27	23	18	19
Don't know	14	9	13	10	11	11	12	15	23	17	10	7	12	16	15	12	13	17	12	9