

YouGov / Spark Inside Survey Results

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Fieldwork: 17th - 19th September 2021

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	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	
Weighted Sample	1717	582	426	155	637	680	834	883	187	716	414	400	979	738	206	577	373	414	148
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	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

Which of the following statements comes closest to your view?

Young black men are generally treated worse by society than other young men of different ethnic backgrounds	48	29	74	66	70	27	43	53	66	51	44	39	55	39	64	46	48	44	45
Young black men are generally treated better by society than other young men of different ethnic backgrounds	5	9	2	4	2	8	8	3	7	6	4	5	5	6	3	5	7	6	2
Young black men are generally treated no differently by society than other young men of different ethnic backgrounds	27	42	13	15	14	44	31	24	12	26	31	33	25	30	20	27	24	33	29
Don't know	19	20	10	15	14	21	18	20	15	18	21	23	15	25	13	22	20	17	23

What impact, if any, do you think experiences of racism can have on a young person's mental health and wellbeing?

A large, negative impact	64	53	83	76	81	51	55	72	64	71	63	53	69	57	68	64	62	61	71
A small, negative impact	17	27	9	12	12	25	21	13	13	13	20	24	16	18	18	18	16	17	12
TOTAL NEGATIVE IMPACT	81	80	92	88	93	76	76	85	77	84	83	77	85	75	86	82	78	78	83
No impact at all	4	5	2	3	2	6	5	3	4	4	4	5	3	5	2	2	5	7	3
A small, positive impact	2	2	0	2	1	1	2	1	4	1	1	2	2	2	0	3	2	1	0
A large, positive impact	2	2	1	2	1	2	3	1	4	1	1	1	2	1	3	2	1	2	0
TOTAL POSITIVE IMPACT	4	4	1	4	2	3	5	2	8	2	2	3	4	3	3	5	3	3	0
Don't know	12	11	4	6	4	15	14	9	11	10	12	16	8	17	8	11	14	12	15

Thinking about all the different priorities that prisons face right now, which of the following, if any, would you say are the most important to prioritise?

Please choose up to three.

Rehabilitating prisoners	62	60	70	67	73	56	62	61	61	61	62	61	69	52	65	67	56	58	60
Educating prisoners	41	43	46	45	46	40	41	41	41	41	39	43	43	38	44	43	37	43	36
Keeping prisons safe	39	45	34	47	39	43	40	38	32	38	40	45	41	37	36	43	39	35	42
Prisoners' mental wellbeing	34	27	47	41	47	24	29	39	39	33	34	35	38	30	41	36	34	30	34
Prisoners' physical wellbeing	14	13	16	19	15	14	16	12	18	12	15	16	15	14	16	17	13	11	12
Keeping costs low	12	16	8	6	8	17	13	11	3	12	14	12	10	14	10	11	12	14	8
family liaison support	9	10	9	7	10	10	7	12	8	7	11	14	8	11	9	11	7	9	12
Other	3	5	3	1	3	4	4	2	3	2	5	2	3	3	4	2	3	3	1
None of the above	3	4	2	2	2	5	3	4	3	3	3	4	3	4	5	3	3	4	4
Don't know	10	7	8	7	6	10	10	11	14	12	9	7	8	14	6	9	15	10	14

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Taking into account all the different priorities in the prison system, do you think there should or should not be specific support for mental health and wellbeing as a way to try and reduce prisoners' reoffending?

Should be specific support for mental health and wellbeing	72	68	83	86	85	63	68	75	73	73	71	69	77	65	79	74	68	68	71
Should not be specific support for mental health and wellbeing	12	16	6	5	6	17	14	9	12	10	11	16	11	14	9	10	14	14	12
Don't know	17	16	12	9	9	19	18	16	15	17	18	15	13	22	12	15	18	18	18

How effective, if at all, do you think mental health and wellbeing services in prisons are in reducing the chance of prisoners' reoffending when they are released?

Very effective	5	2	7	9	7	3	5	5	9	6	4	3	6	4	8	5	4	6	3
Fairly effective	20	18	23	23	25	16	15	25	26	21	17	19	21	18	24	20	22	16	23
TOTAL EFFECTIVE	25	20	30	32	32	19	20	30	35	27	21	22	27	22	32	25	26	22	26
Not very effective	25	33	25	17	23	28	27	24	30	20	26	32	27	24	30	25	26	25	20
Not at all effective	12	14	8	9	10	14	14	10	5	12	14	13	11	13	9	10	12	15	12
TOTAL NOT EFFECTIVE	37	47	33	26	33	42	41	34	35	32	40	45	38	37	39	35	38	40	32
Don't know	38	33	36	42	35	39	39	36	30	42	38	33	35	40	29	40	36	38	43