

HuffPost: Facemasks
 June 30 - July 2, 2020 - 1000 US adult citizens



1. Favorability of mandatory facemasks

Would you favor or oppose a government rule in the area where you live requiring people to wear a face mask when they are in public around other people?

	Total	Registered voters		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Favor	63%	66%		59%	66%	63%	61%	59%	71%	62%	82%	58%	48%
Oppose	24%	24%		26%	22%	23%	22%	29%	19%	26%	8%	28%	27%
Not sure	13%	9%		15%	12%	15%	17%	13%	10%	13%	10%	14%	25%
Totals	100%	99%		100%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(774)		(481)	(517)	(234)	(171)	(386)	(207)	(714)	(101)	(111)	(72)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Favor	63%	86%	51%	51%	90%	43%	61%	73%	60%	65%	54%	65%	65%
Oppose	24%	11%	25%	38%	5%	44%	25%	18%	31%	27%	29%	21%	22%
Not sure	13%	3%	24%	10%	5%	13%	14%	10%	9%	8%	17%	14%	13%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(349)	(399)	(250)	(276)	(240)	(434)	(275)	(173)	(175)	(211)	(384)	(228)

2. Trump favorability of mandatory facemasks

Do you think President Trump favors or opposes government rules requiring people to wear a face mask when they are in public around other people?

	Total	Registered voters		Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes		Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Favors them	18%	19%		21%	16%	19%	26%	12%	20%	18%	18%	22%	15%
Opposes them	58%	61%		55%	61%	62%	45%	64%	58%	58%	61%	61%	48%
Not sure	24%	20%		25%	23%	19%	29%	25%	22%	24%	21%	17%	37%
Totals	100%	100%		101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(994)	(771)		(479)	(515)	(234)	(169)	(385)	(206)	(712)	(100)	(110)	(72)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Favors them	18%	14%	15%	28%	9%	30%	18%	18%	27%	24%	15%	20%	13%
Opposes them	58%	77%	51%	42%	83%	38%	60%	55%	61%	64%	58%	52%	62%
Not sure	24%	8%	33%	29%	8%	32%	22%	27%	12%	12%	27%	27%	24%
Totals	100%	99%	99%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%
Unweighted N	(994)	(347)	(398)	(249)	(275)	(239)	(431)	(275)	(173)	(172)	(212)	(382)	(228)

3. Democrat support for mandatory facemasks

How many Democrats do you think favor government rules requiring people to wear a face mask when they are in public around other people?

	Total	Registered voters	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Almost all favor them	40%	47%	40%	40%	32%	33%	46%	47%	37%	60%	38%	33%
Most favor them	25%	26%	24%	26%	28%	26%	21%	27%	27%	12%	25%	24%
Just some favor them	12%	10%	12%	12%	19%	13%	8%	9%	13%	8%	13%	8%
Almost none favor them	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	3%	4%	3%	4%	1%	1%	1%
Not sure	20%	13%	21%	19%	18%	26%	22%	13%	19%	18%	23%	32%
Totals	100%	99%	100%	101%	99%	101%	101%	99%	100%	99%	100%	98%
Unweighted N	(998)	(776)	(481)	(517)	(235)	(171)	(385)	(207)	(713)	(101)	(112)	(72)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Almost all favor them	40%	51%	30%	42%	54%	46%	37%	42%	48%	50%	35%	42%	33%
Most favor them	25%	30%	23%	22%	32%	19%	26%	25%	26%	20%	24%	26%	29%
Just some favor them	12%	10%	10%	17%	7%	15%	13%	13%	10%	12%	13%	10%	14%
Almost none favor them	3%	1%	2%	8%	0%	7%	3%	2%	6%	1%	6%	3%	2%
Not sure	20%	8%	35%	12%	8%	13%	21%	18%	11%	16%	22%	19%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	100%	101%
Unweighted N	(998)	(350)	(398)	(250)	(277)	(240)	(434)	(275)	(173)	(174)	(212)	(384)	(228)

4. Republican support for mandatory facemasks

How many Republicans do you think favor government rules requiring people to wear a face mask when they are in public around other people?

	Total	Registered voters	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Almost all favor them	8%	9%	9%	8%	9%	9%	5%	10%	7%	12%	10%	6%
Most favor them	21%	22%	22%	20%	15%	18%	20%	34%	22%	20%	24%	11%
Just some favor them	30%	34%	29%	31%	32%	27%	31%	29%	31%	25%	30%	26%
Almost none favor them	15%	17%	15%	16%	20%	15%	14%	12%	15%	17%	12%	18%
Not sure	26%	18%	26%	26%	25%	31%	30%	15%	25%	26%	24%	39%
Totals	100%	100%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(996)	(773)	(479)	(517)	(232)	(170)	(386)	(208)	(714)	(100)	(111)	(71)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Almost all favor them	8%	8%	5%	13%	6%	13%	7%	10%	9%	14%	6%	8%	4%
Most favor them	21%	15%	16%	37%	10%	34%	20%	21%	24%	14%	24%	25%	18%
Just some favor them	30%	39%	25%	24%	44%	26%	28%	31%	34%	27%	30%	28%	35%
Almost none favor them	15%	23%	12%	10%	27%	7%	17%	16%	13%	17%	15%	15%	14%
Not sure	26%	14%	43%	15%	14%	20%	28%	23%	19%	28%	26%	24%	28%
Totals	100%	99%	101%	99%	101%	100%	100%	101%	99%	100%	101%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(996)	(350)	(398)	(248)	(277)	(239)	(435)	(274)	(172)	(175)	(210)	(383)	(228)

5. Seriousness of COVID compared to President Trump

Which statement is most accurate about how your views compare to President Trump's on the coronavirus outbreak?

	Total	Registered voters	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Trump is taking it more seriously than I am	12%	13%	14%	10%	5%	14%	14%	13%	14%	4%	8%	18%
Trump is taking it about as seriously as I am	28%	30%	31%	26%	25%	30%	27%	32%	33%	6%	33%	17%
Trump is taking it less seriously than I am	49%	52%	43%	54%	56%	37%	51%	50%	45%	78%	41%	42%
Not sure	11%	5%	12%	10%	14%	19%	7%	4%	8%	11%	17%	23%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%	99%	100%	99%	99%	100%
Unweighted N	(997)	(774)	(479)	(518)	(233)	(171)	(385)	(208)	(714)	(101)	(110)	(72)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Trump is taking it more seriously than I am	12%	6%	10%	23%	4%	27%	11%	11%	17%	12%	15%	13%	8%
Trump is taking it about as seriously as I am	28%	9%	27%	57%	5%	60%	28%	25%	36%	34%	27%	29%	24%
Trump is taking it less seriously than I am	49%	83%	42%	15%	90%	11%	51%	54%	43%	48%	45%	47%	55%
Not sure	11%	2%	21%	6%	2%	3%	10%	10%	4%	7%	13%	11%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	101%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	101%	100%	100%	99%
Unweighted N	(997)	(349)	(398)	(250)	(277)	(240)	(433)	(275)	(173)	(174)	(210)	(384)	(229)

6. President Trump consistency of COVID messaging

Do you think President Trump has been consistent in what he says about the coronavirus outbreak, or do you think his message has changed at times?

	Total	Registered voters	Gender		Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
		Yes	Male	Female	18-29	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
His message has been consistent	30%	33%	36%	25%	24%	29%	35%	31%	33%	25%	23%	29%
His message has changed at times	56%	60%	50%	62%	59%	49%	56%	61%	56%	62%	58%	42%
Not sure	14%	7%	13%	14%	17%	21%	9%	8%	11%	13%	19%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	101%	100%	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Unweighted N	(998)	(774)	(479)	(519)	(235)	(170)	(385)	(208)	(714)	(100)	(112)	(72)

	Total	Party ID			2016 Vote		Family Income (3 category)			Census Region			
		Dem	Ind	Rep	Clinton	Trump	< \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K+	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
His message has been consistent	30%	19%	23%	57%	15%	57%	29%	27%	39%	30%	30%	34%	24%
His message has changed at times	56%	75%	54%	34%	83%	35%	57%	62%	55%	60%	54%	51%	63%
Not sure	14%	6%	22%	9%	2%	9%	15%	11%	6%	10%	16%	15%	12%
Totals	100%	100%	99%	100%	100%	101%	101%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	99%
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Interviewing Dates	June 30 - July 2, 2020
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	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 2016 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2016 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
Weighting	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, news interest, and 2016 Presidential vote. The weights range from 0.022 to 6.164, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.853.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 4.1% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	50 questions not reported.