

# Daily Survey: Monkeypox



Sample 1000 U.S. Adult Citizens  
Conducted August 4 - 7, 2022  
Margin of Error ±3.3%

## 1. Generally speaking, how prepared do you think the U.S. government is for another pandemic?

Very prepared	7%
Somewhat prepared	32%
Not too prepared	26%
Not prepared at all	27%
Not sure	8%

## 2. How closely are you following the news about monkeypox?

Very closely	12%
Somewhat closely	40%
Not very closely	34%
Not following at all	14%

## 3. How concerned are you about a monkeypox epidemic here in the United States?

Very concerned	18%
Somewhat concerned	35%
Not very concerned	28%
Not concerned at all	19%

## 4. How concerned are you about the COVID-19 pandemic here in the United States?

Very concerned	20%
Somewhat concerned	38%
Not very concerned	24%
Not concerned at all	17%

## 5. Which of these do you think is currently a greater threat to public health in the United States?

Monkeypox	9%
COVID-19	31%
Equally a threat	33%
Neither is a threat	18%
Not sure	10%

## 6. In terms of its response to the recent monkeypox outbreak, do you think the U.S. government is...

Not doing enough	35%
Doing about the right amount	28%
Doing too much	14%
Not sure	23%

7. Taking into consideration both your risk of contracting it and the seriousness of the illness, how worried are you personally about experiencing monkeypox?

Very worried	12%
Somewhat worried	26%
Not too worried	35%
Not worried at all	27%

8. Do you personally know anyone who has been diagnosed with monkeypox in 2022?

Yes	2%
No	92%
Not sure	5%

9. Who do you personally know who has been diagnosed with monkeypox?

Myself	26%
A family member	15%
A friend	42%
Someone else	44%
No one	8%
Prefer not to say	3%

10. Has your concern over monkeypox stopped you from going to any public places, including gyms, saunas, or on public transportation?

*Asked of people who say they are very worried, somewhat worried, or not too worried about experiencing monkeypox*

Yes	17%
No	72%
Not sure	10%

11. If they were widely available, would you get a vaccine for monkeypox?

Yes, I would	38%
No, I would not	34%
I've already received one	3%
Not sure	26%

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<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	August 4 - 7, 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 2018 American Community Study. Voter registration was imputed from the November 2018 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted based on gender, age, race, education, news interest, and 2020 Presidential vote (or non-vote). The weights range from 0.279 to 3.114, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 0.339.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 3.3% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	64 questions not reported.