

**NATIONAL ONLINE SURVEY OF REGISTERED VOTERS  
NOVEMBER 2-4, 2016**

A. Are you at least 18 years of age?

YES ..... 1  
NO ..... THANK AND CLOSE

B. Are you registered to vote?

YES ..... 1  
NO ..... THANK AND CLOSE

D5. Please select the state in which you reside: SELECTED FROM DROPDOWN MENU.

C. How likely are you to vote in the election for President and Congress this year:

ALREADY VOTED ABSENTEE/EARLY .....28%  
ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN .....53%  
VERY LIKELY .....13%  
SOMEWHAT LIKELY .....4%  
NOT TOO LIKELY .....2%  
WON'T SAY .....1%

D. And in politics today, do you consider yourself to be (ROTATE: a Republican, an independent, or a Democrat)?

REPUBLICAN.....30%  
INDEPENDENT .....29%  
DEMOCRAT .....37%  
WON'T SAY .....5%

1. Among the following issues, which two are most important to you in deciding your vote for Congress:  
(ALLOW TWO CHOICES)

JOBS AND THE ECONOMY .....52%  
NATIONAL SECURITY AND TERRORISM .....36%  
HEALTH CARE ACCESS AND COST .....36%  
BUDGET ISSUES LIKE THE DEFICIT AND DEBT .....16%  
MORAL ISSUES LIKE GAY RIGHTS AND ABORTION .....13%  
ENTITLEMENT PROGRAMS LIKE SOCIAL SEC AND MEDICARE ....18%  
IMMIGRATION REFORM .....9%  
INTERNATIONAL TRADE AGREEMENTS .....2%  
DON'T KNOW .....2%

*Note: Percentages exceed 100 percent because two responses were allowed.*

Note: Percentages may not equal 100 percent due to rounding.  
Results are based on 1,000 weighted respondents, with a margin of error of ±3.1 percent.

2. Which of the following best describes your current health insurance coverage:

PRIVATE INSURANCE PAID FOR BY AN EMPLOYER.....	45%	GO TO Q.3
PRIVATE INSURANCE THAT YOU PAY FOR YOURSELF .....	14%	GO TO Q.3
MEDICARE FOR SENIORS .....	16%	GO TO Q.3
MEDICAID FOR LOW-INCOME PEOPLE .....	11%	GO TO Q.3
REDUCED PREMIUM COVERAGE THROUGH A STATE OR FEDERAL EXCHANGE THROUGH AFFORDABLE CARE ACT .....	5%	GO TO Q.3
DO NOT CURRENTLY HAVE COVERAGE .....	6%	GO TO Q.4
WON'T SAY .....	2%	GO TO Q.4

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3. Do you currently have prescription drug coverage as part of your health insurance coverage?

HAVE COVERAGE .....	90%
DO NOT HAVE COVERAGE .....	7%
WON'T SAY .....	4%

*Note: Results based on 916 respondents with health insurance coverage.*

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3a. And are you satisfied or dissatisfied with that prescription drug coverage?

SATISFIED .....	80%
DISSATISFIED .....	14%
NO OPINION/WON'T SAY .....	7%

*Note: Results based on 821 respondents with prescription drug coverage.*

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4. Would you say that the amount drug companies charge for prescription drugs is reasonable, or are the costs too high?

REASONABLE .....	23%
TOO HIGH .....	73%
DON'T KNOW .....	4%

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5. Which of the following best describes how much of a problem the cost of prescription drugs is for you and your family:

VERY SERIOUS PROBLEM .....	19%
SOMEWHAT SERIOUS PROBLEM .....	27%
NOT TOO SERIOUS PROBLEM .....	33%
NOT A PROBLEM AT ALL .....	20%
DON'T KNOW .....	1%

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6. Which of the following groups do you blame MOST for high drug costs: (RANDOMIZE: drug companies, health insurance companies, pharmacy benefit managers, federal government)?

DRUG COMPANIES .....	55%
HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANIES .....	14%
PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS .....	7%
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT .....	19%
DON'T KNOW .....	6%

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7. In order to address higher drug costs, would you prefer that health insurance plans: (ROTATE: increase premiums for everyone to spread out the costs, or increase out-of-pocket costs for people taking the drugs)?

INCREASE PREMIUMS .....	32%
INCREASE OUT-OF-POCKET COSTS .....	27%
DON'T KNOW .....	41%

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8. Some expensive drugs have higher out-of-pocket costs for consumers. Is that more (ROTATE: the fault of drug companies for raising prices, or the fault of health insurance companies for raising out-of-pocket costs)?

DRUG COMPANIES .....	63%
HEALTH INSURANCE COMPANIES .....	24%
DON'T KNOW .....	13%

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9. As you may know, health plans and large companies hire pharmacy benefit managers to negotiate discounts from drug companies. Which comes closer to your view about discounts negotiated on prescription drugs: (ROTATE: the discounts force drug companies to raise their prices, or the discounts are necessary to ensure expensive drugs are affordable)?

DISCOUNTS FORCE HIGHER PRICES .....	22%
DISCOUNTS NEC. TO ENSURE AFFORDABILITY .....	61%
DON'T KNOW .....	18%

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D1. What is your age?

18 TO 29 .....	19%
30 TO 44 .....	27%
45 TO 64 .....	38%
65 AND OLDER .....	15%
WON'T SAY .....	1%

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D2. How many prescription drugs do you take on a monthly basis? (CODED FROM RESPONSE)

ZERO .....	24%
ONE .....	23%
TWO TO THREE .....	32%
FOUR TO FIVE .....	13%
SIX OR MORE .....	8%
WON'T SAY .....	1%

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D3. What is your employment status?

EMPLOYED FULL TIME .....	50%
EMPLOYED PART TIME .....	16%
NOT EMPLOYED, LOOKING FOR WORK .....	8%
NOT EMPLOYED, NOT LOOKING, RETIRED .....	25%
WON'T SAY .....	2%

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D4. What do you consider to be your race? Are you White, Black/ African American, Hispanic, Asian or some other Race?

HISPANIC .....	10%
WHITE .....	73%
BLACK/AFRICAN-AMERICAN .....	12%
ASIAN .....	3%
OTHER .....	1%
WON'T SAY .....	1%

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D6. Are you:

MALE .....	47%
FEMALE .....	53%

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