

ASPA COVID-19 PUBLIC EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

A campaign to increase vaccine acceptance and reinforce basic prevention measures



CET – Annotated Questionnaire

Note: The questions below are the proposed questions for the second wave of the Weekly Current Events Tracker (CET). Questions highlighted in yellow will be asked every week; questions highlighted in blue will be rotated into the survey on a monthly basis; and questions highlighted in green are meant to be asked in Wave 2 only. This week we have added questions that examine misinformation, perceptions about getting vaccines, and the influence of others getting a vaccine on an individual's intent to be vaccinated.

ASPA will provide OMB with updates to the questionnaire for subsequent Waves.

Standard Questions

Modular Questions

One-Time Questions

HHS Familiarity & Perceptions

For the next section we would like to talk about current events.

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Item #: Q1

Question type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

hhs_fam: How familiar are you with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)?

Variable Label: hhs_fam: Familiarity with HHS

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|---------------------|
| 1 | Not at all familiar |
| 2 | Slightly familiar |
| 3 | Moderately familiar |
| 4 | Very familiar |
| -99 | Refused |

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: IF Q1 = 1, SKIP TO Q3//

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Item #: Q2

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

hhs_trust. How much trust do you have in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to provide you with accurate information about the coronavirus or COVID-19?

Variable Label: hhs_trust: Trust in HHS

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|---------------|
| 1 | None at all |
| 2 | Not very much |
| 3 | A fair amount |
| 4 | A great deal |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid skip |

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Item #: Q3-Q5

Question Type: Grid

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

misinform. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE misinform_1 to misinform_15. Split grid across three pages (every 5 questions)

| | | |
|--------------------|---|--|
| misinform_1 | If someone has ever had a severe allergic reaction to any ingredient in a COVID-19 vaccine, they should not get that specific vaccine. | misinform_1: Vaccine allergies |
| misinform_2 | If someone gets COVID-19 and recovers, they don't need to get a COVID-19 vaccine. | misinform_2: Already had COVID-19 |
| misinform_3 | Getting a COVID-19 vaccine can give you COVID-19. | misinform_3: Give you COVID-19 |
| misinform_4 | People don't need to wear a mask after they get a COVID-19 vaccine. | misinform_4: Don't need mask |
| misinform_5 | In order to be authorized for use, the COVID-19 vaccines must go through extensive testing over three phases of clinical trials with thousands of participants. | misinform_5: Vaccines extensively tested |
| misinform_6 | The COVID-19 vaccines include microchips used to track people. | misinform_6: Microchips |

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|---------------------|---|---|
| misinform_7 | COVID-19 vaccines will alter my DNA. | misinform_7: Alter DNA |
| misinform_8 | COVID-19 vaccines can cause infertility or miscarriage. | misinform_8: Infertility or miscarriage |
| misinform_9 | Natural immunity is healthier and more effective than vaccine-induced immunity. | misinform_9: Natural immunity |
| misinform_10 | If everyone around me is immune, then I don't need to be vaccinated. | misinform_10: Everyone is immune |
| misinform_11 | Vaccines can cause autism. | misinform_11: Autism |
| misinform_12 | Once you receive the COVID-19 vaccine, you're immune for life. | misinform_12: Immune for life |
| misinform_13 | If I got the flu shot this year, I don't need a COVID-19 vaccine. | misinform_13: Flu shot |
| misinform_14 | COVID-19 vaccines can cause a short fever, headache, fatigue, sore arm or chills, especially after the second dose. Other reactions are extremely rare. | misinform_14: Minor side effects |
| misinform_15 | The COVID-19 virus is mutating. Early research is finding that the current vaccines can still protect against most of the new COVID-19 strains or variants. | misinform_15: Vaccines protect against variants |

| Value | Value Label |
|--------------|----------------------------|
| 1 | Strongly disagree |
| 2 | Disagree |
| 3 | Neither agree nor disagree |
| 4 | Agree |
| 5 | Strongly agree |
| -99 | Refused |

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Item #: Q6-Q7

Question Type: Grid

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

Wait_turn. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE wait_turn_1 to wait_turn_8. //

| | | |
|-------------|---|------------------------------------|
| wait_turn_1 | I should wait my turn to get a COVID-19 vaccine. | wait_turn_1: Wait turn |
| wait_turn_2 | Some people should be allowed to get a COVID-19 vaccine before others. | wait_turn_2: Distribution fairness |
| wait_turn_3 | If I can find a way to get a COVID-19 vaccine before it is my turn, I would do it. | wait_turn_3: Cut line |
| wait_turn_4 | I think that the way the COVID-19 vaccines have been distributed so far has been unfair. | wait_turn_4: Jealous of others |
| wait_turn_5 | I have seen a lot of people on my social media feed that have received a COVID-19 vaccine already. | wait_turn_5: Social media |
| wait_turn_6 | I think it is fair that celebrities, artists, musicians, athletes, and other "influencers" are getting COVID-19 vaccines early. | wait_turn_6: Fair for influencers |
| wait_turn_7 | I think it is fair that politicians are getting COVID-19 vaccines early. | wait_turn_7: Fair for politicians |

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|----------------------------|
| 1 | Strongly disagree |
| 2 | Disagree |
| 3 | Neither agree nor disagree |
| 4 | Agree |

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|-----|----------------|
| 5 | Strongly agree |
| -99 | Refused |

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Item #: Q8

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: “We would like your response to this question.” //

BEH1_CET. A Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-authorized vaccine to prevent COVID-19 is now available at no cost. Have you received a COVID-19 vaccine?

Variable Label: BEH1: Vaccination behavior

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|--|
| 0 | No, I have not received a COVID-19 vaccine |
| 1 | Yes, but I have only received one shot out of the two required shots |
| 2 | Yes, I have received all of the required shots |
| -99 | Refused |

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//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q8=0 OR -99//

Item #: Q9

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: “We would like your response to this question.” //

BEH2a_CET. What is the likelihood that you will get a COVID-19 vaccine?

Variable Label: BEH2a: Intention to get vaccinated

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Very unlikely |
| 2 | Somewhat unlikely |
| 3 | Neither likely nor unlikely |
| 4 | Somewhat likely |

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|-----|-------------|
| 5 | Very likely |
| -99 | Refused |

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//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q8=1//

Item #: Q10

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: “We would like your response to this question.” //

BEH2b CET. What is the likelihood that you will complete COVID-19 vaccination?

Variable Label: BEH2b_CET: Intention to complete vaccination

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Very unlikely |
| 2 | Somewhat unlikely |
| 3 | Neither likely nor unlikely |
| 4 | Somewhat likely |
| 5 | Very likely |
| -99 | Refused |

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//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q8=0 OR -99//

Item #: Q11

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: “We would like your response to this question.” //

BEH3a CET. A Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-authorized vaccine to prevent COVID-19 is now available at no cost. How soon will you get vaccinated? *For this question, assume there is enough vaccine so that everyone who wants it can get it.*

Variable Label: BEH3a_CET: Wait to get vaccinated

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|--|
| 1 | I will get a vaccine as soon as I can |
| 2 | I will wait to get a vaccine for one or more reasons |
| 3 | I will never get a COVID-19 vaccine |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid Skip |

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//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q8=1//

Item #: **Q12**

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

BEH3b_CET. A Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-authorized vaccine to prevent COVID-19 is now available at no cost. How soon will you get the second required dose? *For this question, assume there is enough vaccine so that everyone who wants it can get it.*

Variable Label: BEH3b_CET: Wait to complete vaccination

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|---|
| 1 | I will get the second required dose as soon as I can |
| 2 | I will wait to get the second required dose for one or more reasons |
| 3 | I will never get the second required COVID-19 dose |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid Skip |

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//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q11=2//

Item #: **Q13-Q15**

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

BEH4_CET. You responded that you will wait to get a COVID-19 vaccine. For each of the following statements, is this a reason why you would wait to get a COVID-19 vaccine? Select yes or no for each item.

Variable Label: BEH4_CET: Reasons: Waiting to get vaccinated

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE BEH3_1_CET-BEH3_10_CET

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|-------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| BEH4_1_CET | I will wait because of my age. | BEH4_1_CET: Age |
| BEH4_2_CET | I will wait because of my health status, allergies, or medical history. | BEH4_2_CET: Health |
| BEH4_3_CET | I want to know if the vaccine is effective first. | BEH4_3_CET: Confirm effectiveness |
| BEH4_4_CET | I am pregnant or expect to become pregnant. | BEH4_4_CET: Pregnant |
| BEH4_5_CET | I want to talk to my doctor first. | BEH4_5_CET: Talk to doctor first |
| BEH4_6_CET | I want to compare the effectiveness of the different vaccines. | BEH4_6_CET: Compare vaccines |
| BEH4_7_CET | I want to see if my friends and family get the vaccine. | BEH4_7_CET: Friends/family |
| BEH4_8_CET | I want to see if others who get the vaccine first | BEH4_8_CET: Side |

| | | |
|-------------|--|--------------------------------|
| | develop any problems. | effects |
| BEH4_9_CET | I want to make sure it is safe for people like me first. | BEH4_9_CET: Confirm safety |
| BEH4_10_CET | I want to hear from leaders in my community about the vaccine first. | BEH4_10_CET: Hear from leaders |
| BEH4_11_CET | Other | BEH4_11_CET: Other |

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-------------|
| 0 | No |
| 1 | Yes |
| -99 | Refused |
| 100 | Valid skin |

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Item #: Q16

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

watch_pub_vacc. Have you watched videos or seen pictures of someone else getting a COVID-19 vaccine?

Variable Label: watch_pub_vac: Watched public vaccination?

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-------------|
| 0 | No |
| 1 | Yes |
| -99 | Refused |

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//PROGRAMMING NOTE: SHOW IF Q16 = 1 //

Item #: Q17-Q18

Question Type: Grid

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

type_pub_vacc. Who did you see get vaccinated? Select all that apply.

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE type_pub_vacc_1 to type_pub_vacc_7. //

| | | |
|-----------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| type_pub_vacc_1 | Member(s) of the U.S. congress | type_pub_vacc_1: Congress |
| type_pub_vacc_2 | Local/state politician(s) | type_pub_vacc_2: Local politician |
| type_pub_vacc_3 | Doctor(s), nurse(s), or other | type_pub_vacc_3: |

| | | |
|-----------------|---|---|
| | health care worker(s) | Nurse/health care worker |
| type_pub_vacc_4 | Public health official(s) (e.g., Dr. Anthony Fauci) | type_pub_vacc_5: Public health official |
| type_pub_vacc_5 | President Biden | type_pub_vacc_6: President |
| type_pub_vacc_6 | Vice President Harris | type_pub_vacc_7: Vice President |
| type_pub_vacc_7 | A celebrity, artist, musician, athlete, or other “influencer” | type_pub_vacc_8: Influencer |
| type_pub_vacc_8 | Other | type_pub_vacc_9: Other |

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-------------|
| 0 | No |
| 1 | Yes |
| -99 | Refused |

// Page Break //

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: SHOW IF LEAST ONE ITEM FROM Q17/Q18=1. PIPE “YES” RESPONSES //

Item #: Q19-Q20

Question Type: Grid

// Soft Prompt: “We would like your response to this question.” //

imp_pub_vacc. Please consider how seeing the following people get vaccinated made you feel about getting a COVID-19 vaccine yourself. Did seeing these vaccinations make you more likely, less likely, or not affect whether you would get the vaccine?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: MATCH ORDER OF type_pub_vacc_1 to type_pub_vacc_8. //

| | | |
|----------------|---|---|
| imp_pub_vacc_1 | Member(s) of the U.S. congress | type_pub_vacc_1: Congress |
| imp_pub_vacc_2 | Local/state politician(s) | type_pub_vacc_2: Local politician |
| imp_pub_vacc_3 | Doctor(s), nurse(s), or other health care worker(s) | type_pub_vacc_3: Nurse/health care worker |
| imp_pub_vacc_4 | Public health official(s) (e.g., Dr. | type_pub_vacc_4: Doctor |

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|----------------|---|---------------------------------|
| | Anthony Fauci) | |
| imp_pub_vacc_5 | President Biden | type_pub_vacc_6: President |
| imp_pub_vacc_6 | Vice President Harris | type_pub_vacc_7: Vice President |
| imp_pub_vacc_7 | A celebrity, artist, musician, or other "influencer." | type_pub_vacc_8: Influencer |
| imp_pub_vacc_8 | Other | type_pub_vacc_9: Other |

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|---|
| 1 | Made me less likely to get the vaccine |
| 2 | Didn't affect whether I would get the vaccine |
| 3 | Made me more likely to get the vaccine |
| 99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid skip |

// Page Break //

Item #: Q21

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

vacc_trust. How much trust do you have that an FDA-authorized COVID-19 vaccine may be safe and effective for you to get?

Variable Label: vacc_trust: Trust in Safety of Vaccine

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|---------------|
| 1 | None at all |
| 2 | Not very much |
| 3 | A fair amount |
| 4 | A great deal |
| -99 | Refused |

// Page Break //

Item #: Q22

Question Type: Single punch

// Soft Prompt: "We would like your response to this question." //

vacc_off. How much do you trust U.S. federal public health officials to provide reliable information on COVID-19?

Variable Label: vacc_off: Confidence in U.S. public health officials

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|---------------|
| 1 | None at all |
| 2 | Not very much |
| 3 | A fair amount |
| 4 | A great deal |
| -99 | Refused |