CET – Annotated Questionnaire (Wave 24)

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| *Note: The questions below are the proposed questions for the twenty-third 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 24 only or are being asked again to update data on a variable of interest. We will be fielding the Misinformation module, and new questions are FDA approvals/vaccine requirements, vaccination completion, awareness and effect of GBS being added to J&J label, affect of needle fear on vaccine uptake, and the vaccine booster uptake.*  *ASPA will provide OMB with updates to the questionnaire for subsequent Waves.* |

Standard Questions

Modular Questions

One-Time or Repeat Questions Being Asked Again to Update Data

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

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**//BASE: All respondents//**

**Item #:** Q1

**Question type:** Single punch

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

**cdc\_fam:** How familiar are you with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)?

**Variable Label:** cdc\_fam: Familiarity with CDC

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

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**//BASE: cdc\_fam= 2, 3, 4, OR -99//**

**Item #:** Q2

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**cdc\_trust**. How much trust do you have in the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to provide you with accurate information about the coronavirus or COVID-19?

**Variable Label:** cdc\_trust: Trust in CDC

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| **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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**//BASE: All respondents//**

**Item #:** Q3

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**beh1\_cet**. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-authorized vaccines to prevent COVID-19 are now available at no cost. Have you received a COVID-19 vaccine?

**Variable Label:** beh1: Vaccination behavior

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| **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 |

**// Page Break //**

**//BASE: beh1\_cet =0 OR -99//**

**Item #:** Q4

**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

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Very unlikely |
| 2 | Somewhat unlikely |
| 3 | Neither likely nor unlikely |
| 4 | Somewhat likely |
| 5 | Very likely |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid Skip |

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**//BASE: beh1\_cet =0 OR -99//**

**Item #:** Q5

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**beh2a\_cet\_2**. How likely would you be to get a COVID-19 vaccine if the following were to occur?

**Variable Label:** beh2a\_cet\_2: Vaccination follow-ups

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: Randomize response options//**

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |  |
| beh2a\_cet\_req | A COVID-19 vaccine is required (by your employer, school, local government, etc.) | beh2a\_cet\_req: Vaccine required |
| beh2a\_cet\_app | A COVID-19 vaccine has full approval from the FDA. | beh2a\_cet\_app: FDA approved |

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Very unlikely |
| 2 | Somewhat unlikely |
| 3 | Neither likely nor unlikely |
| 4 | Somewhat likely |
| 5 | Very likely |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid Skip |

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**//BASE: beh1\_cet =1//**

**Item #:** Q6

**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

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| **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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**//BASE: beh1\_cet =0 OR -99//**

**Item #:** Q7

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**beh3a\_cet**. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-authorized vaccines to prevent COVID-19 are 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

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| **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 |

**// Page Break //**

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: beh1\_cet =1//**

**Item #:** Q8

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**beh3b\_cet**. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-authorized vaccines to prevent COVID-19 are 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

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| **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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**//BASE: beh2b\_cet=1-4 OR beh3b\_cet=2-3//**

**Item #:** Q9

**Question Type**:Open end

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

**second\_dose\_reasons**. Please explain why you are not sure you will, or do not intend to, complete vaccination?

**Variable Label:** second\_dose\_reasons: Open-ended reasons for not completing vaccination

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**//BASE beh3a\_cet =2//**

**Item #:** Q10-Q12

**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 BEH4\_1\_CET-BEH4\_10\_CET**

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| **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\_12\_cet | I want to know if the vaccines are effective at preventing COVID-19 in the short-term. | beh4\_12\_cet: Short-term effectiveness |
| beh4\_13\_cet | I want to know if the vaccines are effective at preventing COVID-19 in the long-term (i.e., whether booster shots will be required). | beh4\_13\_cet: Long-term effectiveness |
| beh4\_14\_cet | I do not trust the vaccines. | beh4\_14\_cet: Lack of trust |
| beh4\_15\_cet | I do not think I am at risk of getting COVID-19. | beh4\_15\_cet: Lack of COVID-19 concern |
| beh4\_16\_cet | I want to know if the vaccines are effective at protecting people from COVID-19 variants. | beh4\_16\_cet: Effectiveness against variants |
| 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 develop any side effects. | beh4\_8\_cet: Side 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 |

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

**// Page Break //**

**//BASE: All respondents//**

**Item #:** Q13

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**vaccine\_attitudes**. How do you feel about vaccines, in general?

**Variable Label:** vaccine\_attitudes: CDC vaccine attitude question

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | 1 – Very negative |
| 2 | 2 – |
| 3 | 3 – |
| 4 | 4 – |
| 5 | 5 – |
| 6 | 6 – |
| 7 | 7 – Very positive |
| -99 | Refused |

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**Item #:** Q14-Q17

**Question Type**:Single punch 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\_22. Split grid across four pages (every 5 questions) //**

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| 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\_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 |
| misinform\_7 | COVID-19 vaccines will alter my DNA. | misinform\_7: Alter DNA |
| 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 |
| misinform\_16 | People who have received a COVID-19 vaccine can spread or “shed” the virus to unvaccinated people | misinform\_16: Vaccine shedding |
| misinform\_17 | Many people have died from the COVID-19 vaccines. | misinform\_17: Vaccine causes deaths |
| misinform\_18 | COVID-19 vaccines can cause infertility. | misinform\_18: Infertility |
| misinform\_19 | Getting a COVID-19 vaccine while pregnant can cause a miscarriage. | misinform\_19: Miscarriage |
| misinform\_20 | COVID-19 vaccines can make people magnetic. | misinform\_20: Magnetic |
| misinform\_21 | The federal government and the CDC cannot mandate or require anyone to get a COVID-19 vaccine. | misinform\_21: Government cannot mandate vaccines |
| misinform\_22 | COVID-19 vaccines do not actually protect vaccinated people from being infected with COVID-19. | misinform\_22: Do not prevent infection |

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Strongly disagree |
| 2 | Disagree |
| 3 | Neither agree nor disagree |
| 4 | Agree |
| 5 | Strongly agree |
| 6 | Don’t know |
| -99 | Refused |

**// Page Break //**

**//BASE: All respondents//**

**Item #:** Q18

**Question Type**:Multi punch

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

**parent**. Are you the parent of a child or children in the following age groups?

**Variable Label:** parent: Parent of children in following age groups

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Younger than 6 months old |
| 2 | 6 months to <2 years old |
| 3 | 2 to 5 years old |
| 4 | 6 to 11 years old |
| 5 | 12 to 15 years old |
| 6 | 16 to 17 years old |
| 99 | None of the above, I do not have children in those age groups [EXCLUSIVE] |
| -99 | Refused |

**// Page Break //**

**//BASE: Parent= 5-6//**

**Item #:** Q19

**Question Type**:Single punch grid

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

**child\_vaxxed\_2**. Has your child(ren) in the following age group(s) received a COVID-19 vaccine?

*Note: If you have more than one child in the same age group, please answer for at least one of them.*

**Variable Label:** child\_vaxxed\_2: Child vaccinated

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: PIPE 5 AND/OR 6 responses from parent//**

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |  |
| child\_vaxxed\_2\_5 | 12 to 15 years old | child\_vaxxed\_5: 12 to 15 years old |
| child\_vaxxed\_2\_6 | 16 to 17 years old | child\_vaxxed\_6: 16 to 17 years old |
| -99 | Refused |  |

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

**// Page Break //**

**//BASE: All respondents//**

**Item #:** Q20

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**booster**. Scientists are still studying whether booster shots for the COVID-19 vaccines will be necessary. If booster shots are necessary for COVID-19 vaccines to maintain full protection against the virus, and they are completely free of cost and readily available, what is the likelihood that you will get a COVID-19 vaccine booster?

**Variable Label:** booster: Booster uptake single question

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

**// Page Break //**

**//BASE: All respondents//**

**Item #:** Q21

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**needle\_fear**. Are you afraid of needles?

**Variable Label:** needle\_fear: Fear of needles

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| --- | --- |
| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |
| -99 | Refused |

**// Page Break //**

**// BASE: needle\_fear=1 and see note on needle\_fear\_eff5//**

**Item #:**Q22  
**Question Type**:Single punch grid

**// Soft Prompt: “We would like your response to this question.”//**   
**needle\_fear\_eff**

Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following questions.

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF SUBITEMS IN THE GRID.//**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| needle\_fear\_eff1 | My fear of needles made me initially hesitant to get a COVID-19 vaccine. | needle\_fear\_eff1: Initially hesitant |
| needle\_fear\_eff2 | My fear of needles made me hesitant to get a two-shot mRNA vaccine. | needle\_fear\_eff2: Hesitant to get two-shot vaccine |
| needle\_fear\_eff3 | My fear of needles makes me less likely to get other required vaccines (e.g., annual flu vaccine). | needle\_fear\_eff3: Less likely to get other vaccines |
| needle\_fear\_eff4 | When I get a vaccine, I make sure to let the medical staff know I am afraid of needles so they can make accommodations. | needle\_fear\_eff4: Staff makes accommodations |
| needle\_fear\_eff5 | My fear of needles is a major reason I have not gotten a COVID-19 vaccine. [ONLY SHOW IF BEH1\_CET= 0 OR 99] | needle\_fear\_eff5: Reason for not getting vaccinated |

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

**// Page Break //**

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: Generate a\_b\_test variable. Randomly assign 50% of respondents to a\_b\_test=1 (labeled “99 deaths”), randomly assign other 50% to a\_b\_test=2 (labeled “9 out of 10 deaths”).//**

**// BASE: All respondents, except see notes on ptn\_w24\_6 & ptn\_w24\_7//**

**Item #:**Q23-Q24  
**Question Type**:Single punch grid

**// Soft Prompt: “We would like your response to this question.”//**   
**ptn\_w24**

We are interested in your opinion of a few messages about COVID-19 vaccination.

For each of the below messages, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statement:

**“I would share the information in the message with a friend or family member who wants to know more about COVID-19 vaccines.”**

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF SUBITEMS IN THE GRID.//**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| ptn\_w24\_1 | There’s even more value in getting a COVID-19 vaccine now because of how fast the new Delta variant is spreading in the United States. | ptn\_w23\_1: Delta spreading |
| ptn\_w24\_2 | COVID-19 vaccines are highly effective at protecting you from the Delta variant. | ptn\_w23\_2: Highly effective against Delta |
| ptn\_w24\_3 | For both younger and older adults, the risk for serious health problems is higher from COVID than from any risk from the vaccines. | ptn\_w23\_3: Risk higher from virus |
| ptn\_w24\_4 | Even if you’ve already had COVID-19, getting vaccinated will help protect you from getting sick with COVID again and spreading it to others. | ptn\_w23\_4: Vaccination prevents spread |
| ptn\_w24\_5 | COVID vaccines do not cause female or male fertility problems. | ptn\_w23\_5: Do not cause fertility problems |
| ptn\_w24\_6 | 99 out of 100 deaths from COVID-19 are unvaccinated individuals. [ONLY SHOW IF A\_B\_TEST=1] | ptn\_w23\_6: 99 deaths |
| ptn\_w24\_7 | 9 out of 10 deaths from COVID-19 are unvaccinated individuals. [ONLY SHOW IF A\_B\_TEST=2] | ptn\_w23\_7: 9 out of 10 deaths |

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