

# ASPA COVID-19 PUBLIC EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

A campaign to increase vaccine acceptance and reinforce basic prevention measures



## CET – Annotated Questionnaire (Wave 4)

*Note: The questions below are the proposed questions for the fourth 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 4 only. This week we have added questions that examine concerns about COVID-19 virus variants, and knowledge of and preferences for vaccine candidates.*

*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

// Page Break //

Item #: Q3

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 #: Q4

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

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 //**

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q4=0 OR -99//**

**Item #:** Q5

**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
5	Very likely
-99	Refused
-100	Valid Skip

**// Page Break //**

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q4=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

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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**// Page Break //**

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q4=0 OR -99//**

**Item #: Q6**

**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

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: DISPLAY IF Q4=1//**

**Item #: Q7**

**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

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

**// Page Break //**

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q6=2//**

**Item #: Q8-Q10**

**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**

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 develop any problems.	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

Value	Value Label
0	No
1	Yes
00	Refused
100	Valid skip

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**Item #:** Q11-Q12

**Question Type:** Multi-Punch Grid

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

**vacc\_type\_know.** There are two COVID-19 vaccines currently authorized by the FDA, and more will likely be authorized soon. Please tell us what you know about the different COVID-19 vaccines.

**Variable Label:** vacc\_type\_know: Knowledge of vaccine types

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE vacc\_type\_know\_1-vacc\_type\_know\_7//**

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RESPONDENTS CAN SELECT MULTIPLE OPTIONS FOR 1-4.  
 OPTION 5 (DON'T KNOW) SHOULD BE EXCLUSIVE.//

Variable Name	Variable Text	Variable Label
vacc_type_know_1	Is a one-dose vaccine	vacc_type_know_1: Vaccine knowledge: One dose
vacc_type_know_2	Side effects are milder than with other vaccines	vacc_type_know_2: Vaccine knowledge: Milder side effect
vacc_type_know_3	Is effective at preventing COVID-19	vacc_type_know_3: Vaccine knowledge: Effective at prevention
vacc_type_know_4	Is effective at reducing the symptoms of COVID-19	vacc_type_know_4: Vaccine knowledge: Effective at reducing symptoms
vacc_type_know_5	Has been authorized by the FDA	vacc_type_know_5: Vaccine knowledge: Authorized
vacc_type_know_6	Is now being used to vaccinate people in the United States	vacc_type_know_6: Vaccine knowledge: Now in use
vacc_type_know_7	Is effective at reducing the symptoms of all COVID-19 variants	vacc_type_know_7: Vaccine knowledge: Effective against variants

Value	Value Label
1	Pfizer BioNTech
2	Moderna
3	Johnson & Johnson
4	AstraZeneca
5	Don't know
99	Refused

Value	Value Label
0	Not selected
1	Selected

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//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q4=0 or -99//

Item #: Q13

Question Type: Grid (exclusive options)

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

vacc\_choice. Please rank the following in your decision to get a COVID-19 vaccine.

Variable Label: vacc\_choice: Factors on vaccine choice

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE vacc\_choice\_1-vacc\_choice5//

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: MAKE EACH COLUMN EXCLUSIVE, SO EACH RESPONSE OPTION CAN ONLY BE SELECTED ONCE.//

Variable Name	Variable Text	Variable Label
vacc_choice_1	Only having to take one dose	vacc_choice_1: One dose
vacc_choice_2	Side effects are milder than with other vaccines	vacc_choice_2: Side effects
vacc_choice_3	Effectiveness at preventing COVID-19	vacc_choice_3: General effectiveness
vacc_choice_4	Effectiveness at reducing the symptoms of all COVID-19 variants	vacc_choice_4: Variant effectiveness
vacc_choice_5	Getting the vaccine as soon as possible	vacc_choice_5: Getting soon

Value	Value Label
1	1 Least important
2	2
3	3
4	4
5	5 Most important
00	Refused
100	Valid skip

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Item #: Q14

Question Type: Single punch

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

vacc\_type\_diff. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: There are major differences between the vaccine candidates (e.g., Pfizer-BioNTech, Moderna).

Variable Label: vacc\_type\_diff: Perceived differences in vaccines

Value	Value Label
1	Strongly disagree
2	Disagree
3	Neither agree nor disagree

4	Agree
5	Strongly agree
-99	Refused

**// Page Break //**

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF Q4=0 or -99//**

**Item #:** Q15

**Question Type:** Single punch

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

**vacc\_pref.** If you were able to get any COVID-19 vaccine, which vaccine would you prefer to get?

**Variable Label:** vacc\_pref: Vaccine preference

Value	Value Label
1	Pfizer-BioNTech
2	Moderna
3	Johnson & Johnson
4	AstraZeneca
5	Other
6	I do not have a vaccine preference
-99	Refused
-100	Valid skip

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY wait\_vacc IF Q4=0 or -99.//**

**Item #:** Q16

**Question Type:** Grid

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

**wait\_vacc.** How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

**Variable Label:** wait\_vacc: Wait for Vaccine Type or Doses

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE wait\_vacc\_type & wait\_vacc\_dose**

Variable Name	Variable Text	Variable Label
wait_vacc_type	I would wait longer to get vaccinated if it meant getting my preferred vaccine type.	wait_vacc_type: Wait for Preferred Type
wait_vacc_dose	I would wait longer to get vaccinated if it meant getting a vaccine with only one dose.	wait_vacc_dose: Wait for Preferred Doses

Value	Value Label
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1	Strongly disagree
2	Disagree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Agree
5	Strongly agree
-99	Refused
-100	Valid skip

**// Page Break //**

**Item #: Q17**

**Question Type:** Single punch

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

**variant\_concern:** How concerned are you about new COVID-19 virus variants (e.g., B117 – the U.K. strain, B1351 – the South African strain)?

**Variable Label:** variant\_concern: Concern about COVID-19 variants

Value	Value Label
1	Not at all concerned
2	Not too concerned
3	Somewhat concerned
4	Very concerned
-99	Refused

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY wait\_vacc IF Q4=0 or -99.//**

**Item #: Q18**

**Question Type:** Single punch

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

**variant\_concern:** How has the news about new COVID-19 variants impacted your likelihood to get vaccinated?

**Variable Label:** variant\_concern: Concern about COVID-19 variants

Value	Value Label
1	Greatly decreases my likelihood to get vaccinated
2	Decreases my likelihood to get vaccinated
3	Does not impact my likelihood to get vaccinated
4	Increases my likelihood to get vaccinated
5	Greatly increases my likelihood to get vaccinated
-99	Refused

-100	Valid skip