

ASPA COVID-19 PUBLIC EDUCATION CAMPAIGN

A campaign to increase vaccine acceptance and reinforce basic prevention measures



CET – Annotated Questionnaire (Wave 6)

Note: The questions below are the proposed questions for the sixth 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 6 only. This week, we have added questions that address current perceptions of the COVID-19 pandemic and returning to pre-pandemic activities.

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 hhs_fam = 1, SKIP TO pandem_percep//

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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

Question Type: Grid

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

pandem_percep. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements in regard to the COVID-19 pandemic?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|
| pandem_percep_1 | The number of COVID-19 cases per day in the U.S. will decline over the coming months. | pandem_percep_1: Cases Decline |
| pandem_percep_2 | There will be another spike in COVID-19 cases in the U.S. before the end of 2021. | pandem_percep_2: Spike in Cases |
| pandem_percep_3 | The number of people I know personally that were diagnosed with COVID-19 in 2021 has decreased. | pandem_percep_3: Know Personally |
| pandem_percep_4 | I feel better about the COVID-19 pandemic today than I did in 2020. | pandem_percep_4: Feel Better |
| pandem_percep_5 | I am less concerned about getting diagnosed with COVID-19 today than I was in 2020. | pandem_percep_5: Less Concerned |

| 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 #: Q4-Q6

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 |
| 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 |

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| 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 #: Q7

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 BEH1_CET=0 OR -99//

Item #: Q8

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 |

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//PROGRAMMING NOTE: DISPLAY IF BEH1_CET=1//

Item #: Q9

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 BEH1_CET=0 OR -99//

Item #: Q10

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 BEH1_CET=1//

Item #: Q11

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 |

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| | 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 BEH3b_CET =2//

Item #: Q12-Q14

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 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 |

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| 00 | Refused |
| 100 | Valid skin |

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Item #: Q15

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 watch_pub_vacc = 1 //

Item #: Q16-Q17

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 health care worker(s) | type_pub_vacc_3: 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, | type_pub_vacc_8: Influencer |

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| | athlete, or other “influencer” | |
| type_pub_vacc_8 | Other | type_pub_vacc_9: Other |

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

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

Item #: Q18-Q19

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. Anthony Fauci) | type_pub_vacc_4: Doctor |
| 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 |

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//PROGRAMMING NOTE: IF BEH1_CET=0 OR -99 THEN 25% shown jj_effect_mild, 25% shown jj_effect_severe, 25% shown jj_dose, 25% shown jj_variants//

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Item #: Q20

Question Type: Single punch

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

jj_effect_mild. The Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine was just authorized for use by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The Johnson & Johnson vaccine is 66% percent effective at preventing mild to moderate cases of COVID-19. If the Johnson & Johnson vaccine were offered to you immediately and at no cost, how likely would you be to get the vaccine?

Variable Label: vacc_total: Vaccine likelihood with actual vaccine total

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-----------------------|
| 1 | 1 – Not at all likely |
| 2 | 2 – |
| 3 | 3 – |
| 4 | 4 – Moderately likely |
| 5 | 5 – |

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| 6 | 6 – |
| 7 | 7 – Extremely likely |
| -99 | Refused |

Item #: Q21

Question Type: Single punch

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

jj_effect_severe. The Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine was just authorized for use by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The Johnson & Johnson vaccine is 85% percent effective at preventing severe cases of COVID-19. If the Johnson & Johnson vaccine were offered to you immediately and at no cost, how likely would you be to get the vaccine?

Variable Label: vacc_total: Vaccine likelihood with actual vaccine total

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-----------------------|
| 1 | 1 – Not at all likely |
| 2 | 2 – |
| 3 | 3 – |
| 4 | 4 – Moderately likely |
| 5 | 5 – |
| 6 | 6 – |
| 7 | 7 – Extremely likely |
| -99 | Refused |

Item #: Q22

Question Type: Single punch

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

jj_dose. The Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine was just authorized for use by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The Johnson & Johnson vaccine only requires one dose. If the Johnson & Johnson vaccine were offered to you immediately and at no cost, how likely would you be to get the vaccine?

Variable Label: vacc_total: Vaccine likelihood with actual vaccine total

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-----------------------|
| 1 | 1 – Not at all likely |
| 2 | 2 – |
| 3 | 3 – |
| 4 | 4 – Moderately likely |

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| 5 | 5 – |
| 6 | 6 – |
| 7 | 7 – Extremely likely |
| -99 | Refused |

Item #: Q23

Question Type: Single punch

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

jj_variants. The Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine was just authorized for use by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). The Johnson & Johnson vaccine was tested in countries with emerging COVID-19 variants and is equally effective against new COVID-19 variants in the United States, Brazil, and South Africa. If the Johnson & Johnson vaccine were offered to you immediately and at no cost, how likely would you be to get the vaccine?

Variable Label: vacc_total: Vaccine likelihood with actual vaccine total

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-----------------------|
| 1 | 1 – Not at all likely |
| 2 | 2 – |
| 3 | 3 – |
| 4 | 4 – Moderately likely |
| 5 | 5 – |
| 6 | 6 – |
| 7 | 7 – Extremely likely |
| -99 | Refused |

Item #: Q24

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 |

