



CET – Annotated Questionnaire (Wave 55)

Note: The questions below are the proposed questions for the fifty-fifth 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 this wave only or are being asked again to update data on a variable of interest. We will be fielding questions about reasons for not getting vaccinated or boosted, perceptions of side effects, the Omicron BA.2 variant, COVID risk factors, and preventive behavior.

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." //

beh1_cet_r. Have you received a COVID-19 vaccine?

Variable Label: beh1_cet_r: 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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//BASE: beh1_cet_r=1 or 2//

Item #: Q2

Question Type: Single punch

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

vaccine_id. Which COVID-19 vaccine did you receive?

Variable Label: vaccine_id: Vaccine ID

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|---------------------------|
| 2 | Johnson & Johnson/Janssen |
| 3 | Moderna |
| 4 | Pfizer-BioNTech |
| 5 | Other |

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|------|-------------------|
| 99 | I do not remember |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid skip |

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//BASE: beh1_cet_r=2//

Item #: Q3

Question Type: Dropdown menu

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

fully_vacc_month. In which month were you considered fully vaccinated (i.e., two weeks after your final COVID-19 vaccine dose)? Final vaccine dose refers to either the second dose of the Pfizer or Moderna vaccine, or the single dose of the Johnson & Johnson vaccine. Please do not consider booster shots for this question. If you do not remember the specific month, give your best guess.

Variable Label: fully_vacc_month: Month of vaccination

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-----------------|
| 1 | December, 2020 |
| 2 | January, 2021 |
| 3 | February, 2021 |
| 4 | March, 2021 |
| 5 | April, 2021 |
| 6 | May, 2021 |
| 7 | June, 2021 |
| 8 | July, 2021 |
| 9 | August, 2021 |
| 10 | September, 2021 |
| 11 | October, 2021 |
| 12 | November, 2021 |
| 13 | December, 2021 |
| 14 | January, 2022 |
| 15 | February, 2022 |
| 16 | March, 2022 |
| -99 | Refused |

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//BASE: beh1_cet_r=2//

Item #: Q4

Question Type: Single punch

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

booster_uptake3. U.S. health officials and medical experts now recommend COVID-19 vaccine booster shots for people 5 months after their second dose of an mRNA vaccine (Pfizer-BioNTech and Moderna) or 2 months after their dose of the Johnson & Johnson vaccine. Have you received a COVID-19 vaccine booster shot?

Variable Label: booster_uptake3: Booster uptake – January guidance

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

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//BASE: (booster_uptake3=0 & vaccine_id=2 & fully_vacc_month=1-14) OR
(booster_uptake3=0 & vaccine_id=3-4 & fully_vacc_month=1-11) //

Item #: Q5

Question Type: Single punch

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

booster_elig_uptake3. You are currently eligible to receive a COVID-19 vaccine booster shot. What is the likelihood that you will get one?

Variable Label: booster_elig_uptake3: Booster uptake likelihood – eligible adults

| 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: (booster_uptake3=0 & vaccine_id=2 & fully_vacc_month=15-16) OR
(booster_uptake3=0 & vaccine_id=3-4 & fully_vacc_month=12-16)//

Item #: Q6

Question Type: Single punch

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

booster_likely_v2. What is the likelihood that you will get a COVID-19 vaccine booster shot when eligible?

Variable Label: booster_likely_v2: Booster uptake likelihood – not yet eligible

| 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_r=0 OR -99//

Item #: Q7

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 |

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|------|-----------------|
| 4 | Somewhat likely |
| 5 | Very likely |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid Skip |

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//BASE: beh1_cet_r=0 OR -99//

Item #: Q8

Question Type: Single punch

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

beh3a_cet_r. How soon will you get vaccinated?

Variable Label: beh3a_cet_r: 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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//BASE beh1_cet_r=0 OR -99//

Item #: Q9-Q10

Question Type: Multi punch, limit to five options

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

beh4_3. Which of the following reasons describe why you have not gotten a COVID vaccine?
Please select up to five of your top reasons.

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE options //

| Variable Name | Variable Text |
|---------------|---|
| 1 | I am worried the vaccine is unsafe. |
| 2 | I am worried about short-term side effects. |
| 3 | I am worried about long-term side effects. |
| 4 | I think more research on the vaccines should be conducted. |
| 5 | I do not trust the vaccines. |
| 6 | I do not think I am at risk of getting COVID. |
| 7 | I think the threat of COVID is overblown. |
| 8 | I am suspicious of the government's motives when it comes to encouraging the public to get vaccinated. |
| 9 | I am suspicious of the pharmaceutical companies' motives when it comes to encouraging the public to get vaccinated. |
| 10 | I think the development of the vaccines was rushed. |
| 11 | I am concerned about the ingredients in the vaccines. |
| 12 | I think the vaccines are ineffective at preventing COVID. |
| 13 | I have religious or moral objections to getting vaccinated. |
| 14 | I do not trust the information I am getting about the vaccines. |
| 15 | I have already had COVID and do not think I need the vaccine. |
| 16 | I have had a severe allergic reaction to one or more of the ingredients in the vaccines. |
| 17 | My doctor recommended that I not get vaccinated. |

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//BASE: booster_elig_uptake3=1-3 OR booster_likely_v2=1-3//

Item #: Q11

Question Type: Multi punch, limit to three options

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

booster_n. Why are you unlikely to, or "neither likely nor unlikely," to get a COVID-19 vaccine booster shot?

Please select up to three of your top reasons.

Variable Label: booster_n: Reasons unlikely to get a booster shot

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: randomize response options//

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|--|
| 1 | I am still debating whether I need to get it. |
| 2 | I think it is unnecessary. |
| 3 | I doubt that booster shots are effective at preventing severe illness from COVID. |
| 4 | I am concerned about side effects. |
| 5 | It is unclear how many booster shots we will end up needing and I do not want to keep getting doses. |
| 6 | I think I am still protected from COVID-19 by the initial dose(s) of the vaccine. |
| 7 | I think I am still protected from COVID-19 because of natural immunity. |
| 8 | I am healthy and not concerned about COVID-19. |
| 9 | I do not trust the information I am getting from government authorities about booster shots. |
| 10 | I do not trust the information I am getting from doctors about booster shots. |
| 11 | I want to wait for more research to be conducted. |
| 12 | Other (please specify) [TEXT ENTRY] [ANCHOR] |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid skip |

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//BASE: All respondents//

Item #: Q12

Question Type: Single punch

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

ba2_aware. True or false: A new variant of the COVID-19 virus, the BA.2 Omicron variant, is rapidly spreading across the U.S.

Variable Label: ba2_aware: Awareness of BA.2 Omicron variant

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|--------------|
| 1 | True |
| 2 | False |
| 99 | I don't know |
| -99 | Refused |

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//BASE: All respondents//

Item #: Q13

Question Type:

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

side_effects_oe. What short-term and long-term side effects of a COVID vaccine are you most worried about, if any?

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| side_effects_oe1 | Short-term side effects [TEXT ENTRY] | side_effects_oe1: Short-term side effects |
| side_effects_oe2 | Long-term side effects [TEXT ENTRY] | side_effects_oe2: Long-term side effects |

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/// PROGRAMMING NOTE: CREATE VARIABLE "exp_1." Randomly assign 50% of all respondents to exp_1 = 1 (label "no numbers") and other 50% to exp_1 = 2 (label "numbers" ///

// BASE: All Respondents //

Item #: Q14

Question Type: Grid

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

msg_exp1. We are interested in your opinion about this message.

[PIPE TEXT IF exp_1=1: Studies show that many adult COVID survivors have symptoms for months after they have had COVID.]

[PIPE TEXT IF exp_1=2: Studies show that about 1 of every 3 adult COVID survivors have symptoms for months after they have had COVID.]

After reading this message, how strongly do you agree or disagree with the statements below?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: randomize variables in grid//

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|---------------|--|---|
| msg_exp1_1 | I would share this message with a friend or family member. | msg_exp1_1: Share with friend or family |
| msg_exp1_2 | This message was believable. | msg_exp1_2: Believable |
| msg_exp1_3 | This message was difficult to understand. | msg_exp1_3: Difficult to understand |
| msg_exp1_4 | This message makes me more likely to get a COVID vaccine. [ONLY SHOW IF beh1_cet_r=0 OR -99] | msg_exp1_4: More likely to get vaccine |
| msg_exp1_5 | This message makes me more likely to get a COVID booster. [ONLY SHOW IF booster_uptake3=0] | msg_exp1_5: More likely to get booster |

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-------------------|
| 1 | Strongly disagree |

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|-----|----------------------------|
| 2 | Somewhat disagree |
| 3 | Neither agree nor disagree |
| 4 | Somewhat agree |
| 5 | Strongly agree |
| -99 | Refused |

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/// PROGRAMMING NOTE: CREATE VARIABLE “exp_2.” Randomly assign 50% of all respondents to exp_2 = 1 (label “no numbers”) and other 50% to exp_2 = 2 (label “numbers” ///

// BASE: All Respondents //

Item #: Q15

Question Type: Grid

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

msg_exp2. We are interested in your opinion about this message.

[PIPE TEXT IF exp_2=1: People who are unvaccinated are much more likely to need hospital care if they get COVID than people who are vaccinated and boosted.]

[PIPE TEXT IF exp_2=2: People who are unvaccinated are 9 times more likely to need hospital care if they get COVID than people who are vaccinated and boosted.]

After reading this message, how strongly do you agree or disagree with the statements below?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: randomize variables in grid//

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|---------------|--|---|
| msg_exp2_1 | I would share this message with a friend or family member. | msg_exp2_1: Share with friend or family |
| msg_exp2_2 | This message was believable. | msg_exp2_2: Believable |
| msg_exp2_3 | This message was difficult to understand. | msg_exp2_3: Difficult to understand |
| msg_exp2_4 | This message makes me more likely to get a COVID vaccine. [ONLY SHOW IF beh1_cet_r=0 OR -99] | msg_exp2_4: More likely to get vaccine |
| msg_exp2_5 | This message makes me more likely to get a COVID booster. [ONLY SHOW IF booster_uptake3=0] | msg_exp2_5: More likely to get booster |

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|----------------------------|
| 1 | Strongly disagree |
| 2 | Somewhat disagree |
| 3 | Neither agree nor disagree |
| 4 | Somewhat agree |
| 5 | Strongly agree |

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| -99 | Refused |
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/// PROGRAMMING NOTE: CREATE VARIABLE “exp_3.” Randomly assign 50% of all respondents to exp_3 = 1 (label “no numbers”) and other 50% to exp_3 = 2 (label “numbers” ///

// BASE: All Respondents //

Item #: Q16

Question Type: Grid

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

msg_exp3. We are interested in your opinion about this message.

[PIPE TEXT IF exp_3=1: Adults who are vaccinated but not boosted are much more likely to need hospital care if they get COVID than those who are vaccinated and boosted.]

[PIPE TEXT IF exp_3=2: Adults who are vaccinated but not boosted are 2 times more likely to need hospital care if they get COVID than those who are vaccinated and boosted.]

After reading this message, how strongly do you agree or disagree with the statements below?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: randomize variables in grid//

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|---------------|--|---|
| msg_exp3_1 | I would share this message with a friend or family member. | msg_exp3_1: Share with friend or family |
| msg_exp3_2 | This message was believable. | msg_exp3_2: Believable |
| msg_exp3_3 | This message was difficult to understand. | msg_exp3_3: Difficult to understand |
| msg_exp3_4 | This message makes me more likely to get a COVID vaccine. [ONLY SHOW IF beh1_cet_r=0 OR -99] | msg_exp3_4: More likely to get vaccine |
| msg_exp3_5 | This message makes me more likely to get a COVID booster. [ONLY SHOW IF booster_uptake3=0] | msg_exp3_5: More likely to get booster |

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

// Page Break //

//BASE: All respondents//

Item #: Q17

Question Type: Single punch grid

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

covid_risk. When it comes to getting sick with COVID, how concerned are you personally about each of the following?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE variables in grid//

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|---------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| covid_risk_1 | Developing short-term COVID symptoms. | covid_risk_1: Short term symptoms |
| covid_risk_2 | Developing long-term COVID symptoms. | covid_risk_2: Long term symptoms |
| covid_risk_3 | Being hospitalized because of COVID. | covid_risk_3: Hospitalization |
| covid_risk_4 | Dying because of COVID. | Covid_risk_4: Death |
| covid_risk_5 | Infecting family or friends with COVID. | covid_risk_5: Infecting others |

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

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// BASE: All Respondents //

Item #: Q18

Question Type: Grid

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

risk_factors. When judging your personal risk of severe illness from COVID, how often do you consider the following factors?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: randomize variables in grid//

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|----------------|---|------------------------------------|
| risk_factors_1 | Cases in your area | risk_factors_1: Cases in your area |
| risk_factors_2 | Hospitalizations in your area | risk_factors_2: Hospitalizations |
| risk_factors_3 | Your age | risk_factors_3: Age |
| risk_factors_4 | Any health conditions you may have, such as high blood pressure, asthma, or obesity | risk_factors_4: Health conditions |
| risk_factors_5 | Whether or not you have been vaccinated | risk_factors_5: Vaccination status |
| risk_factors_6 | Whether or not you have gotten a booster shot | risk_factors_6: Booster status |
| risk_factors_7 | Other (please specify) [TEXT | risk_factors_7: Other |

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|-------------|
| 1 | Never |
| 2 | Rarely |
| 3 | Sometimes |
| 4 | Often |
| -99 | Refused |

// Page Break //

//BASE: All respondents//

Item #: Q19

Question Type: Single punch grid

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

curr_mask_beh. How often do you wear a mask in the following situations?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: randomize variables in grid//

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|-----------------|---|---|
| curr_mask_beh_1 | Indoors in a public place. | curr_mask_beh_1: Indoors in public |
| curr_mask_beh_2 | Outdoors in large crowds where you can't maintain six feet of distance from others. | curr_mask_beh_2: Outdoors in large crowds |
| curr_mask_beh_3 | When traveling on a plane, bus, train, or other form of public transportation. | curr_mask_beh_3: When traveling on public transit |
| curr_mask_beh_4 | When outdoors and at least six feet away from others. | curr_mask_beh_4: When outdoors and at least 6 feet away |
| curr_mask_beh_5 | When indoors with people in your household. | curr_mask_beh_5: Indoors with your household |
| curr_mask_beh_6 | When gathering indoors with others that you know are vaccinated. | curr_mask_beh_6: Indoors with other vaccinated people |
| curr_mask_beh_7 | Indoors at your place of work. | curr_mask_beh_7: Indoors at workplace |

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|----------------|
| 1 | Never |
| 2 | Rarely |
| 3 | Sometimes |
| 4 | Often |
| 5 | Always |
| 98 | Not applicable |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid skip |

// Page Break //

//BASE: curr_mask_beh_1-curr_mask_beh_6 = 2-4//

Item #: Q20

Question Type: Multi punch grid

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

beh12. When you wear a face mask, what type of face mask do you typically wear?

You can select more than one option.

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: randomize variables in grid//

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| beh12_1 | Cloth mask | beh12_1: Cloth mask |
| beh12_2 | Cloth mask with filter | beh12_2: Cloth mask with filter |
| beh12_8 | Respirator mask (e.g., N95, KN95) | beh12_8: Respirator mask |
| beh12_4 | Disposable surgical mask | beh12_4: Disposable surgical mask |
| beh12_5 | Neck gaiter or balaclava | beh12_5: Neck gaiter or balaclava |
| beh12_6 | Bandana | beh12_7: Bandana |
| beh12_7 | Other [text entry] [ANCHOR] | beh12_8: Other |

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

// Page Break //

//BASE: All respondents//

Item #: **Q21**

Question Type: Multi punch grid

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

surge. In the event of another surge in COVID cases, how likely would you be to do the following?

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: randomize variables in grid//

| Variable Name | Value Label | Variable Label |
|---------------|--|--------------------------------|
| surge_1 | Wear a mask in indoor public places | surge_1: Wear a mask |
| surge_2 | Social distance | surge_2: Social distance |
| surge_3 | Wash hands frequently | surge_3: Wash hands |
| surge_4 | Get a COVID vaccine [show if beh1_cet_r=0 OR -99] | surge_4: Get vaccinated |
| surge_5 | Get a COVID booster shot [Show if booster_uptake3=0] | surge_5: Get boosted |
| surge_6 | Take antiviral pills if infected | surge_6: Take antivirals |
| surge_7 | Isolate if infected with COVID | surge_7: Isolate if infected |
| surge_8 | Quarantine if exposed to COVID | surge_8: Quarantine if exposed |

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

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| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid Skip |

// Page Break //

//BASE: All respondents//

Item #: Q22

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

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|---|
| 1 | Younger than 6 months old |
| 2 | 6 months to <2 years old |
| 3 | 2 to 4 years old |
| 4 | 5 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 |

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//BASE: Parent=4-6//

Item #: Q23

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 Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| child_vaxxed_2_4 | 5 to 11 years old [ONLY SHOW IF parent=4] | child_vaxxed_2_4: 5 to 11 years old |
| child_vaxxed_2_5 | 12 to 15 years old [ONLY SHOW IF parent=5] | child_vaxxed_2_5: 12 to 15 years old |
| child_vaxxed_2_6 | 16 to 17 years old [ONLY SHOW IF parent=6] | child_vaxxed_2_6: 16 to 17 years old |

| 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 |

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| -100 | Valid skip |
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//BASE: child_vaxxed_2_5=2 AND/OR child_vaxxed_2_6=2//

Item #: Q24

Question Type: Single punch grid

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

child boosted. Has your child(ren) in the following age group(s) received a COVID-19 vaccine booster shot?

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

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|-----------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| child_boosted_5 | 12 to 15 years old [ONLY SHOW IF child_vaxxed_2_5=2] | child_boosted_5: 12 to 15 years old |
| child_boosted_6 | 16 to 17 years old [ONLY SHOW IF child_vaxxed_2_6=2] | child_boosted_6: 16 to 17 years old |

| Value | Value Label |
|-------|--|
| 0 | No, has not received a COVID-19 vaccine booster shot |
| 1 | Yes, has received a COVID-19 vaccine booster shot |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid skip |

// Page Break //

//BASE: All respondents//

Item #: Q25

Question Type: Single punch grid

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

ptn_w55. We are interested in your opinion of a few messages about COVID-19 vaccines or boosters.

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 or boosters."

//PROGRAMMING NOTE: randomize variables in grid//

| Variable Name | Variable Text | Variable Label |
|---------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| ptn_w55_1 | COVID vaccines help prevent severe illness, hospitalization, and death, and a booster gives you an extra layer of protection. | ptn_w55_1: Extra layer of protection |
| ptn_w55_2 | 50 million adults in the U.S. have not had a wellness exam in the last year. These adults may have undetected conditions such as high blood | ptn_w55_2: High blood pressure |

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| | pressure or diabetes, putting them at higher risk for severe COVID if they aren't vaccinated. | |
| ptn_w55_3 | Recent studies have found serious increases in the risk for many kinds of cardiovascular disease in COVID survivors, even in people who weren't hospitalized with COVID. | ptn_w55_3: Risk of cardiovascular disease |
| ptn_w55_4 | If you've had your COVID booster, you're better protected against COVID than vaccinated people who haven't gotten a booster. | ptn_w55_4: Booster is better |
| ptn_w55_5 | Most children recover from COVID without getting very sick—but just like adults, even healthy children can get seriously ill from COVID, and they can end up in the hospital. | ptn_w55_5: Even healthy kids |

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