# CET – Annotated Questionnaire (Wave 95)

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| *Note: The questions below are the proposed questions for the 95th 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.* |

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

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**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF Q1/Q2**

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

**Item #:** Q1

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**hhs\_trust**: How much do you trust the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) to provide you with accurate information about the coronavirus or COVID?

**Variable Label:** hhs\_trust: Trust in HHS

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Not at all |
| 2 | Not very much |
| 3 | A fair amount |
| 4 | A great deal |
| 99 | I am not familiar with HHS |
| -99 | Refused |

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

**Item #:** Q2

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

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

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

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Not at all |
| 2 | Not very much |
| 3 | A fair amount |
| 4 | A great deal |
| 99 | I am not familiar with the CDC |
| -99 | Refused |

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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\_r:** Have you received your initial COVID vaccine series? *The initial COVID vaccine series could require one dose (i.e., Johnson & Johnson) or two doses (i.e., Pfizer, Moderna, Novavax).*

**Variable Label:** beh1\_cet\_r: Vaccination behavior

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 0 | No, I have not received my initial COVID vaccine series |
| 1 | Yes, but I have only received one dose out of the two required doses |
| 2 | Yes, I have received all of the required doses in my initial vaccine series |
| -99 | Refused |

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**//BASE: beh1\_cet\_r=1 or 2//**

**Item #:** Q4

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**vaccine\_id:** Which initial COVID vaccine did you receive?

**Variable Label:** vaccine\_id: Vaccine ID

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 2 | Johnson & Johnson/Janssen |
| 3 | Moderna |
| 4 | Pfizer-BioNTech |
| 6 | Novavax |
| 5 | Other |
| 99 | I do not remember |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid skip |

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**//BASE: beh1\_cet\_r=2 //**

Item #: Q5

**Question Type**:Single punch grid

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

**booster\_uptake7:** U.S. health officials and medical experts recommend additional COVID doses after the initial vaccine series (two doses of Pfizer, Moderna, or Novavax; or one dose of Johnson & Johnson).

Boosters are additional doses you may have received after your initial series. Boosters were available from August 2021 to the end of August 2022.

Updated vaccines are COVID vaccines reformulated to better target Omicron variants, sometimes called “updated boosters” or “bivalent boosters.” Updated vaccines became available in September 2022.

Have you received a COVID vaccine booster or updated vaccine?

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| booster\_uptake7\_1 | I have received one or more booster dose(s) (available August 2021-August 2022) | booster\_uptake7\_1: Booster |
| booster\_uptake7\_2 | I have received an updated vaccine (available starting September 2022) | booster\_uptake7\_2: Updated vaccine |

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

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**//BASE: beh1\_cet\_r=2//**

**Item #:** Q6

**Question Type**:Dropdown menu

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

**last\_dose:** Approximately when did you receive your **most recent** COVID vaccine, booster, or updated vaccine dose? If you do not remember the exact date, give your best guess.

**Variable Label:** last\_dose: Date of most recent dose

Participants select date from range: December 1, 2020 to present

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**//BASE: beh1\_cet\_r=2 and last\_dose before September 1, 2022 //**

**Item #:** Q7

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**booster\_likely\_v4:** What is the likelihood that you will get an updated COVID vaccine?

*Updated vaccines are COVID vaccines reformulated to better target Omicron variants, sometimes called “updated boosters” or “bivalent boosters.” Updated vaccines became available in September 2022.*

**Variable Label:** booster\_likely\_v4: updated vaccine uptake likelihood

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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\_r=2 and last\_dose before September 1, 2022 //**

**Item #:** Q8

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**boost\_when:** How soon will you get an updated COVID vaccine?

**Variable Label:** boost\_when: Wait to get vaccinated

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

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**//BASE: boost\_when = 1 or 2 //**

**Item #:** Q9

**Question Type**:Multi punch

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

**beh4a:** For each of the following statements, is this a reason why you have not yet gotten an updated COVID vaccine, or not?

*Updated vaccines are COVID vaccines reformulated to better target Omicron variants, sometimes called “updated boosters” or “bivalent boosters.” Updated vaccines became available in September 2022.*

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: Randomize variables in grid//**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| BEH4a\_3 | I first want to know if the updated vaccines are effective. | BEH4a\_3: Confirm effectiveness |
| BEH4a\_9 | I want to make sure it is safe for people like me. | BEH4a\_9: Confirm safety |
| BEH4a\_13 | I want to wait until more is known about the long-term effects of the updated vaccines. | BEH4a\_13: Long-term effects |
| BEH4a\_18 | I don’t want to keep getting COVID vaccines. | BEH4a\_18: Don’t want more shots |
| BEH4a\_22 | I don’t think an updated COVID vaccine is necessary. | BEH4a\_22: Not needed |
| BEH4a\_31 | I am waiting until there is another surge in cases to get an updated vaccine. | BEH4a\_31: Waiting for another surge |
| BEH4a\_11 | Other [TEXT BOX] [ANCHOR] | BEH4a\_11: Reasons for waiting - Other |

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

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

**Item #:** Q10

**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 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\_r=0 OR -99//**

**Item #:** Q11

**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

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

**// Page Break //**

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

**Item #:** Q12

**Question Type**:Multi punch

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

**parent2:** 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** |
| 2 | 6 months to 4 years old |
| 3 | 5 to 11 years old |
| 4 | 12 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: parent2=2-4//**

**Item #:** Q13

**Question Type**:Single punch grid

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

**kid\_vax:** Children ages 6 months and older are eligible to get Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-authorized vaccines to prevent COVID. Has your child(ren) in the following age group(s) received their initial COVID vaccine series?

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

\*Children ages 6 months–4 years old who received a Pfizer vaccine have **3 doses** included in their initial vaccine series. Children ages 5–17 years old who received a Pfizer vaccine, or children of any age who received a Moderna vaccine, have **2 doses** included in their initial vaccine series.

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| kid\_vax\_2 | 6 months to 4 years old [ONLY SHOW IF parent2=2] | kid\_vax\_2: 6mo to 4yo |
| kid\_vax\_3 | 5 to 11 years old [ONLY SHOW IF parent2=3] | kid\_vax\_3: 5 to 11yo |
| kid\_vax\_4 | 12 to 17 years old [ONLY SHOW IF parent2=4] | kid\_vax\_4: 12 to 17yo |

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| --- | --- |
| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 0 | No, has not received their initial COVID vaccine series. |
| 1 | Yes, has started **but not yet finished** their initial COVID vaccine series.\* |
| 2 | Yes, has received **all** of the required shots in their initial COVID vaccine series.\* |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid skip |

**// Page Break //**

**//BASE: parent=2-4//**

**Item #:** Q14

**Question Type**:Single punch grid

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

**kid\_vax\_likely:** COVID vaccines have been authorized for children as young as 6 months old. How likely are you to get your child(ren) in the following age group(s) vaccinated?

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

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: PIPE 2-4 responses from parent//**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| kid\_vax\_likely\_2 | 6 months to 4 years old [ONLY SHOW IF kid\_vax\_2=0 or -99] | kid\_vax\_likely\_2: 6mo to 4yo |
| kid\_vax\_likely\_3 | 5 to 11 years old [ONLY SHOW IF kid\_vax\_3=0 or -99] | kid\_vax\_likely\_3: 5 to 11yo |
| kid\_vax\_likely\_4 | 12 to 17 years old [ONLY SHOW IF kid\_vax\_4=0 or -99] | kid\_vax\_likely\_4: 12 to 17yo |

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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 |

**// Page Break //**

**//BASE: parent=2-4//**

**Item #:** Q15

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**kid\_vax\_when:** How soon will you get your child(ren) in the following age group(s) a COVID vaccine?

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

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| kid\_vax\_when\_2 | 6 months to 4 years old [ONLY SHOW IF kid\_vax\_2=0 or -99] | kid\_vax\_when\_2: 6mo to 4yo |
| kid\_vax\_when\_3 | 5 to 11 years old [ONLY SHOW IF kid\_vax\_3=0 or -99] | kid\_vax\_when\_3: 5 to 11yo |
| kid\_vax\_when\_4 | 12 to 17 years old [ONLY SHOW IF kid\_vax\_4=0 or -99] | kid\_vax\_when\_4: 12 to 17yo |

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

**// Page Break //**

**//BASE: parent=2-4//**

**Item #:** Q16

**Question Type**:Single punch grid

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

**kid\_vax\_con:** How concerned are you about your child(ren) in the following age groups having any side effects from a COVID vaccine?

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

**//PROGRAMMING NOTE: PIPE 2-4 responses from parent//**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| kid\_vax\_con\_2 | 6 months to 4 years old [ONLY SHOW IF kid\_vax\_2=0 or -99] | kid\_vax\_con\_2: 6mo to 4yo |
| kid\_vax\_con\_3 | 5 to 11 years old [ONLY SHOW IF kid\_vax\_3=0 or -99] | kid\_vax\_con\_3: 5 to 11yo |
| kid\_vax\_con\_4 | 12 to 17 years old [ONLY SHOW IF kid\_vax\_4=0 or -99] | kid\_vax\_con\_4: 12 to 15yo |

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Not at all concerned |
| 2 | Slightly concerned |
| 3 | Somewhat concerned |
| 4 | Very concerned |
| -99 | Refused |
| -100 | Valid skip |

**// Page Break //**

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

**Question Type**:Text

**msg\_w95\_intro:** We are interested in your opinion about the following message.

**More than 32 million children have received a COVID vaccine dose, and 25 million children have received an initial series.**

**//BASE: parent=2-4//**

**Item #:**Q17  
**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**msg\_w95\_conv:** How convincing is this **to you personally** as a reason to get a COVID vaccine for your child?

**Variable Label:** msg\_w95\_conv: Convincingness

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Not at all convincing |
| 2 | Not too convincing |
| 3 | Somewhat convincing |
| 4 | Very convincing |
| 5 | Extremely convincing |
| -99 | Refused |

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

**Item #:** Q18

**Question Type**:Single punch

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

**msg\_w95\_believ:** How believable is this message?

**Variable Label:** msg\_w95\_believ:Believability

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Not at all believable |
| 2 | Not too believable |
| 3 | Somewhat believable |
| 4 | Very believable |
| 5 | Extremely believable |
| -99 | Refused |

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

**Item #:**Q19

**Question type:**Single punch

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

**msg\_w95\_diff:**How difficult was it to understand this message?

**Variable Label:** msg\_w95\_diff:Difficulty understanding

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Not at all difficult |
| 2 | Not too difficult |
| 3 | Somewhat difficult |
| 4 | Very difficult |
| 5 | Extremely difficult |
| -99 | Refused |

**//BASE: kid\_vax\_2-4 = 0 or 99//**

**Item #:** Q20

**Question type:**Single punch

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

**msg\_w95\_likely:** How likely are you to get a COVID vaccine for your child after reading this message?

**Variable Label:** msg\_w95\_vax: Likelihood to vax child

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| **Value** | **Value Label** |
| 1 | Not at all likely |
| 2 | Not too likely |
| 3 | Somewhat likely |
| 4 | Very likely |
| 5 | Extremely likely |
| -99 | Refused |

**// Page Break //**

**// PROGRAMMING NOTE: RANDOMIZE ORDER OF FOLLOWING QUESTIONS //**

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

**Item #:**Q21  
**Question Type**:Single punch grid

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

**ptn\_w95\_1:** We are interested in your opinion of a few messages about COVID.

For the below message, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements:

**Even if you’re vaccinated, COVID immunity can decrease over time. Staying up to date on vaccines increases your protection from severe COVID illness.**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| ptn\_w95\_share\_1 | I would share the information in the message with a friend or family member who wants to know more about COVID vaccines. | ptn\_w95\_share\_1: Would share message |
| ptn\_w95\_motiv\_1 | This message is a convincing reason to get an updated COVID vaccine. | ptn\_w95\_effect\_1: Reason to get vax |
| ptn\_w95\_diff\_1 | This message was difficult to understand. | ptn\_w95\_diff\_1: Difficult to understand |
| ptn\_w95\_believ\_1 | This message was believable. | ptn\_w95\_believ\_1: Believable |

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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 //**

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

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

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

**ptn\_w95\_2:** We are interested in your opinion of a few messages about COVID.

For the below message, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements:

**Data shows that more than 230 million people have safely gotten a COVID vaccine.**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| ptn\_w95\_share\_2 | I would share the information in the message with a friend or family member who wants to know more about COVID vaccines. | ptn\_w95\_share\_2: Would share message |
| ptn\_w95\_motiv\_2 | This message is a convincing reason to get an updated COVID vaccine. | ptn\_w95\_effect\_2: Reason to get vax |
| ptn\_w95\_diff\_2 | This message was difficult to understand. | ptn\_w95\_diff\_2: Difficult to understand |
| ptn\_w95\_believ\_2 | This message was believable. | ptn\_w95\_believ\_2: Believable |

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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 //**

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

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

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

**ptn\_w95\_3:** We are interested in your opinion of a few messages about COVID.

For the below message, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements:

**If you’re over 50 and you get COVID, you have a higher risk of hospitalization or death. Serious vaccine side effects are rare, and most are mild and short-lived.**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| ptn\_w95\_share\_3 | I would share the information in the message with a friend or family member who wants to know more about COVID vaccines. | ptn\_w95\_share\_3: Would share message |
| ptn\_w95\_motiv\_3 | This message is a convincing reason to get an updated COVID vaccine. | ptn\_w95\_effect\_3: Reason to get vax |
| ptn\_w95\_diff\_3 | This message was difficult to understand. | ptn\_w95\_diff\_3: Difficult to understand |
| ptn\_w95\_believ\_3 | This message was believable. | ptn\_w95\_believ\_3: Believable |

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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 //**

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

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

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

**ptn\_w95\_4:** We are interested in your opinion of a few messages about COVID.

For the below message, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements:

**Getting vaccinated is safer than facing COVID unprotected. Infection can lead to long COVID, which can last for weeks or months.**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| ptn\_w95\_share\_4 | I would share the information in the message with a friend or family member who wants to know more about COVID vaccines. | ptn\_w95\_share\_4: Would share message |
| ptn\_w95\_motiv\_4 | This message is a convincing reason to get an updated COVID vaccine. | ptn\_w95\_effect\_4: Reason to get vax |
| ptn\_w95\_diff\_4 | This message was difficult to understand. | ptn\_w95\_diff\_4: Difficult to understand |
| ptn\_w95\_believ\_4 | This message was believable. | ptn\_w95\_believ\_4: Believable |

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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 //**

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

**Item #:**Q25  
**Question Type**:Single punch grid

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

**ptn\_w95\_5:** We are interested in your opinion of a few messages about COVID.

For the below message, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements:

**COVID vaccination is a safer path to protection. While you can get temporary immunity from having COVID, the infection carries risks that vaccines don’t, like severe COVID illness and long COVID. Get increased protection and lower your risk with a free updated COVID vaccine.**

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| **Variable Name** | **Variable Text** | **Variable Label** |
| ptn\_w95\_share\_5 | I would share the information in the message with a friend or family member who wants to know more about COVID vaccines. | ptn\_w95\_share\_5: Would share message |
| ptn\_w95\_motiv\_5 | This message is a convincing reason to get an updated COVID vaccine. | ptn\_w95\_effect\_5: Reason to get vax |
| ptn\_w95\_diff\_5 | This message was difficult to understand. | ptn\_w95\_diff\_5: Difficult to understand |
| ptn\_w95\_believ\_5 | This message was believable. | ptn\_w95\_believ\_5: Believable |

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