

**2025 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL  
WAVE 163 FEBRUARY 2025  
FINAL TOPLINE  
FEBRUARY 10-17, 2025  
TOTAL N=5,097**

**Note: All numbers are percentages unless otherwise noted. Percentages less than 0.5% are replaced by an asterisk (\*). Rows/columns may not total 100% due to rounding. The questions presented below are part of a larger survey conducted on the American Trends Panel. The other questions on this survey are held for future release.**

**"No answer" includes web respondents who do not answer the question as well as telephone respondents who refuse to answer or who say they don't know how to answer. In cases where "not sure" was offered as an explicit option to web and telephone respondents, the "no answer" category includes only web skips and telephone refusals.**

**This survey was conducted primarily online, with some interviews conducted by live telephone. This topline shows the programming language for online administration. For details on how questions were slightly modified for phone administration, visit the questionnaire.**

**American Trends Panel surveys conducted between October 2016 and June 2024 were conducted fully online (with tablets and data plans provided to adults without home internet).**

**PN = Programming note**

	<b>Sample size</b>	<b>Margin of error at 95% confidence level</b>
U.S. adults	5,097	+/- 1.6 percentage points

**TRANSGEND6**

**ASK ALL<sup>1</sup>:**

**[ PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5/5-1; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION AND ROTATION IN DATA FILE ]**

Here are some current laws and policies that are either in place or being considered in the U.S. related to transgender issues.

Would you favor or oppose laws or policies that do each of the following?

	<u>Strongly favor</u>	<u>Favor</u>	Neither favor nor <u>oppose</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>No answer</u>
a. Protect transgender individuals from discrimination in jobs, housing, and public spaces such as restaurants and stores						
Feb 10-17, 2025	31	25	27	6	10	1
May 16-22, 2022	37	27	25	5	6	*

<sup>1</sup> A subset of W163 respondents (n=284) were asked this question as part of a different survey conducted in January 2025 (W160). Their answers were combined with those of W163 respondents who did not complete W160 to calculate this total finding.

**QUESTION TRANSGEND6 CONTINUED ...**

	<u>Strongly favor</u>	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Neither favor nor oppose</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>Strongly oppose</u>	<u>No answer</u>
<b>ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1) [n=2,565]:</b>						
b. Require transgender individuals to use public bathrooms that match the sex they were assigned at birth, not the gender they identify with						
Feb 10-17, 2025 <sup>2</sup>	36	12	25	12	14	1
May 16-22, 2022	26	14	28	14	16	1
c. Make it illegal for public school districts to teach about gender identity in elementary schools						
Feb 10-17, 2025	35	12	19	14	20	1
May 16-22, 2022	29	12	21	14	23	1
<b>ASK IF FORM 1 (X_FORM=1) [n=2,565]:</b>						
d. Require that transgender athletes compete on teams that match the sex they were assigned at birth, not the gender they identify with						
Feb 10-17, 2025 <sup>3</sup>	49	17	19	7	8	1
May 16-22, 2022	41	17	24	9	8	1
e. Require health insurance companies to cover medical care for gender transitions						
Feb 10-17, 2025	10	12	25	17	36	1
May 16-22, 2022	12	15	28	17	27	1
f. Make it illegal for health care professionals to provide someone younger than 18 with medical care for a gender transition						
Feb 10-17, 2025	42	14	17	12	14	1
May 16-22, 2022	31	15	22	13	17	1

<sup>2</sup> In 2025, this item was asked of a random half of the sample, while a slightly different wording was used for the other half for experimental purposes only.

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PARTY In politics today, do you consider yourself a:

**ASK IF INDEP/SOMETHING ELSE (PARTY=3,4) OR MISSING [n=2,025]:**

PARTYLN As of today do you lean more to...<sup>4</sup>

<u>Republican</u>	<u>Democrat</u>	<u>Independent</u>	<u>Something else</u>	<u>No answer</u>	<u>Lean Rep</u>	<u>Lean Dem</u>
28	29	29	13	1	20	18

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<sup>4</sup> PARTY and PARTYLN asked in a prior survey.