

**2024 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
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FINAL QUESTIONNAIRE
NOVEMBER 12 – 17, 2024**

Note: The questions presented below are part of a larger survey conducted on the American Trends Panel. For all questions, the 98 ("don't know" in phone mode) and 99 (refusal in phone mode and no answer in web mode) codes are combined in the data for analytical purposes.

PN = Programming note

**TXT: WSO
ASK IF WEB (XCHANNEL=1):**

Welcome! We are glad to have you as a member of the American Trends Panel. The survey should take about 15 minutes for most people to complete.

Before you begin the survey, here are some things to note.

NAVIGATING:

- Do not use the browser's back button or browser menus while taking the survey. To move from page to page, use the navigation buttons at the bottom of each screen as you move through the survey. Use "BACK" to go back to an earlier question. Use "NEXT" to go to the next question.
- Do not have your survey link open in two different browsers and/or devices at the same time.

ANSWERING QUESTIONS:

- Your answers will be used for research purposes only. You are not required to answer any question you do not wish to answer.
- Please answer each question by selecting the item or category that best describes your response. If you wish to skip a question, please click or tap the "NEXT" button.
- To select responses in questions with buttons, click on the button beside your response. If a question asks for a text response, click in the box, and begin typing.

FINISH LATER:

If you start taking the survey and need to return later to finish it, you may do so. When you wish to resume, just click the link in your email or text message. It will take you to the last question you answered.

Please click or tap the Next button below to begin your survey.

CATI INTRODUCTION

Voicemail Message

[PN: LEAVE VOICEMAIL TWICE, THE FIRST AND SECOND TIME A CALL GOES TO VOICEMAIL FOR LL OR CELL; SET FOR CALLBACK]

Hello, I am calling on behalf of Pew Research Center's American Trends Panel. This is NOT a sales call. We will try to reach you again. Or you can give us a call back at 1-800-314-8847 to take your survey at a time that is convenient for you.

QUE: CS1**ASK IF CATI (XCHANNEL=2):**

Hello, my name is _____ calling on behalf of Pew Research Center's American Trends Panel. This is NOT a sales call. This call may be monitored or recorded for quality assurance.

May I please speak to [**PN: INSERT PANELIST NAME; IF NO PANELIST NAME INSERT** "the member of this household who joined the American Trends Panel"]?

(READ IF PERSON ON PHONE ASKS THE PURPOSE OF CALL: [PN: INSERT PANELIST NAME; IF NO PANELIST NAME INSERT: "An adult at this number"] joined the American Trends Panel. We are reaching out to them for their next survey opportunity.)

- 1 Respondent already on the phone
- 2 Respondent coming to phone
- 3 Respondent is unavailable
- 99 Refused

[**PN: IF CS1=1,2, CONTINUE**]

[**PN: IF CS1=3, GET NAME AND SET FOR CALLBACK**]

[**PN: IF CS1=99, THANK AND TERMINATE – RECORD AS 'CS1-SCREENING REFUSAL' AND SET FOR REFUSAL CONVERSION (CODE 40) (SET AS UNRESOLVED)**]

[**PN: CS1 TERMINATION TEXT:** "Thank you for your time. Have a good day/evening."]

QUE: CS1T**ASK IF RESPONDENT IS ON PHONE OR COMING TO PHONE (CS1=1,2):**

[**PN: IF RESPONDENT CAME TO PHONE (CS1=2), INSERT TEXT AS SHOWN**]

[**PN: IF CS1=2 INSERT** "Hello, my name is _____ calling on behalf of Pew Research Center's American Trends Panel. This is NOT a sales call. This call may be monitored or recorded for quality assurance."] Thank you for being a valued member of the American Trends Panel.

- 1 Continue
- 99 Refusal

[**PN: IF CS1T=1, CONTINUE**]

[**PN: IF CS1T=99, THANK AND TERMINATE – RECORD AS 'CS1T-SCREENING REFUSAL' AND SET FOR REFUSAL CONVERSION (CODE 42) (SET AS UNRESOLVED)**]

[**PN: CS1T TERMINATION TEXT:** "Thank you for your time. Have a good day/evening."]

QUE: PUBBEHAVE2

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ASK ALL:**[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-5/5-1; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]**

How often do you see people behaving rudely when you go out in public these days?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Almost always
 - 2 Often
 - 3 Sometimes
 - 4 Rarely
 - 5 Never
 - 98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know
 - 99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank
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QUE: PUBBEHAVE3

{new}

ASK ALL:**[PN: ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS 1-4/4-1; INCLUDE ROTATION IN DATA FILE]**

How easy or difficult is it for you to know what's appropriate to do in public these days?

[PN: IF CATI:] (READ LIST)

- 1 Very easy
- 2 Somewhat easy
- 3 Somewhat difficult
- 4 Very difficult
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank

BAT: PUBLICACTS

{new}

ASK ALL:**[PN: RANDOMIZE ITEMS ACROSS TWO SCREENS; ROTATE RESPONSE OPTIONS IN SAME ORDER AS PUBBEHAVE2; INCLUDE RANDOMIZATION AND ROTATION IN DATA FILE]****[PN: SHOW "READ FOR FIRST ITEM" AND "READ FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS" ON THE FIRST SCREEN; ON THE FIRST SCREEN, BETWEEN THE QUESTION TEXT AND THE GRID, INCLUDE AN INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTION: "[INTERVIEWER NOTE: QUESTION CONTINUES ON NEXT PAGE]"; ONLY SHOW "READ FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS" ON THE SECOND SCREEN]****[PN: IF WEB:]** Do you think the following kinds of public behavior are...**[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR FIRST ITEM:]** How acceptable are each of the following kinds of public behavior? First, **(INSERT ITEM)**. Do you think this kind of public behavior is **(READ LIST)****[PN: IF CATI: READ FOR SUBSEQUENT ITEMS:]** Next... **(INSERT ITEM)**. **(READ AS NECESSARY: Do you think this kind of public behavior is (READ LIST))****BATTERY ITEMS:**

- a Playing music out loud
- b Cursing out loud
- c Visibly displaying swear words, such as on a T-shirt or sign
- d Taking a photo or video of someone without asking permission
- e **[PN: IF CATI:]** Wearing headphones or earbuds while talking to someone in person, for example, a shopkeeper **[PN: IF WEB:]** Wearing headphones or earbuds while talking to someone in person (e.g., a shopkeeper)
- f Bringing a pet into an indoor space like a grocery store or shop
- g **[PN: IF CATI:]** Bringing a child into a place that's typically for adults, for example, a bar or upscale restaurant **[PN: IF WEB:]** Bringing a child into a place that's typically for adults (e.g., a bar or upscale restaurant)
- h Smoking around other people

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

- 1 Always acceptable
- 2 Usually acceptable
- 3 Sometimes acceptable
- 4 Rarely acceptable
- 5 Never acceptable
- 98 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Don't know
- 99 **[PN: IF CATI:]** (DO NOT READ) Refused / **[PN: IF WEB:]** Web blank

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PREVIOUSLY RELEASED**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE**
