

**2021 PEW RESEARCH CENTER'S AMERICAN TRENDS PANEL
WAVE 86 MARCH SURVEY
MARCH 15 – 28, 2021¹**

ASK ALL:

SATIS

All in all, are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the way things are going in this country today?

- 1 Satisfied
- 2 Dissatisfied

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☐ Satisfied

☐ Dissatisfied

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ASK ALL:

PERSFIN

How would you rate your own personal financial situation? Would you say you are in...

- 1 Excellent shape
- 2 Good shape
- 3 Only fair shape
- 4 Poor shape

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☐ Poor shape

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ASK ALL:

PERSFNCB

A year from now, do you expect that the financial situation of you and your family will be...

- 1 Better
- 2 Worse
- 3 About the same as now

¹ Open-end responses are excluded from public datasets to protect the confidentiality of ATP panelists

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☐ Better

☐ Worse

☐ About the same as now

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ASK ALL:

FINKIDS

Do you think in their lifetime, your children will be...

- 1 Better off financially than you
- 2 About the same financially as you
- 3 Less well-off financially than you
- [space]**
- 4 Do not have children

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☐ Better off financially than you

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☐ Less well-off financially than you

☐ Do not have children

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ASK ALL:

HISP

Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican or Cuban?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

[PROGRAMMING NOTE: ADD STANDARD SOFT PROMPT IF THIS QUESTION IS SKIPPED WITHOUT A RESPONSE BEING ENTERED. SCREEN OUT IF NOT HISPANIC OR REFUSED TO ANSWER]

⚠ We would like to have your answer to this question.

Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican or Cuban?

☐ Yes

☐ No

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ASK ALL:

SELFNAT

Where were you born?

- 1 Puerto Rico
- 2 United States
- 3 In another country **[TEXT BOX]**

Where were you born?

☐ Puerto Rico

☐ United States

☐ In another country

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ASK ALL:

AFROLATINO

Do you consider yourself to be Afro-Latino, Afro-Latina or Afro-Caribbean, or not?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

Do you consider yourself to be Afro-Latino, Afro-Latina or Afro-Caribbean, or not?

☐ Yes

☐ No

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ASK ALL:

POL1JB Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as President?

- 1 Approve
- 2 Disapprove

Do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president?

☐ Approve

☐ Disapprove

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ASK IF ANSWERED POL1JB (POL1JB=1,2):

POL1JBSTR Do you **[IF POL1JB=1: approve; IF POL1JB=2: disapprove]** of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as President...

- 1 Very strongly
- 2 Not so strongly

Do you approve of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president...

☐ Very strongly

☐ Not so strongly

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Do you disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president...

☐ Very strongly

☐ Not so strongly

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ASK ALL:

ST.2 As far as you know, do you think the immigration system in this country... **[RANDOMLY DISPLAY RESPONSES 1-4 OR 4-1]**

- 1 Requires no changes
- 2 Requires only minor changes
- 3 Requires major changes
- 4 Needs to be completely rebuilt

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- ☐ Requires major changes
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ASYLUMHA_MOD

How much, if anything, have you heard about the increase in the number of children and families seeking asylum at the United States border with Mexico?

- 1 A lot
- 2 A little
- 3 Nothing at all

How much, if anything, have you heard about the increase in the number of children and families seeking asylum at the United States border with Mexico?

- ☐ A lot
- ☐ A little
- ☐ Nothing at all

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BRDERJOB_MOD

How would you rate the job the United States government is doing dealing with the increased number of children and families seeking asylum at the United States border with Mexico?

- 1 Very good job
- 2 Somewhat good job
- 3 Somewhat bad job
- 4 Very bad job

How would you rate the job the United States government is doing dealing with the increased number of children and families seeking asylum at the United States border with Mexico?

- ☐ Very good job
- ☐ Somewhat good job
- ☐ Somewhat bad job
- ☐ Very bad job

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ASK ALL:

IMMVAL

Thinking about the issue of immigration, how important of a goal should each of the following be for immigration policy in the United States? **[RANDOMIZE]**

NO ITEM a

- b. Increasing deportations of immigrants currently in the country illegally
- c. Establishing a way for most immigrants currently in the country illegally to stay here legally
- d. Increasing security along the United States-Mexico border to reduce illegal crossings

NO ITEM e-f

- g. Encouraging more highly skilled individuals from around the world to immigrate and work in the United States
- h. Establishing stricter policies to prevent people who enter the country legally from overstaying their visas and remaining in the United States illegally
- i. Allowing immigrants who came to the country illegally as children to remain in the United States and apply for legal status
- j. Restricting immigration from countries with high COVID infection rates
- k. Making it easier for United States citizens or legal residents to sponsor a family member to immigrate to the United States

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Very important goal
- 2 Somewhat important goal
- 3 Not too important goal
- 4 Not at all important goal

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Encouraging more highly skilled individuals from around the world to immigrate and work in the United States

- ☐ Very important goal
- ☐ Somewhat important goal
- ☐ Not too important goal
- ☐ Not at all important goal

Establishing a way for most immigrants currently in the country illegally to stay here legally

- ☐ Very important goal
- ☐ Somewhat important goal
- ☐ Not too important goal
- ☐ Not at all important goal

Increasing security along the United States-Mexico border to reduce illegal crossings

- ☐ Very important goal
- ☐ Somewhat important goal
- ☐ Not too important goal
- ☐ Not at all important goal

Increasing deportations of immigrants currently in the country illegally

- ☐ Very important goal
- ☐ Somewhat important goal
- ☐ Not too important goal
- ☐ Not at all important goal

Establishing stricter policies to prevent people who enter the country legally from overstaying their visas and remaining in the United States illegally

- ☐ Very important goal
- ☐ Somewhat important goal
- ☐ Not too important goal
- ☐ Not at all important goal

Restricting immigration from countries with high COVID infection rates

- ☐ Very important goal
- ☐ Somewhat important goal
- ☐ Not too important goal
- ☐ Not at all important goal

Making it easier for United States citizens or legal residents to sponsor a family member to immigrate to the United States

- ☐ Very important goal
- ☒ Somewhat important goal
- ☐ Not too important goal
- ☐ Not at all important goal

Allowing immigrants who came to the country illegally as children to remain in the United States and apply for legal status

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- ☐ Not at all important goal

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ASK ALL:

WORRYDPORT Regardless of your own immigration or citizenship status, how much, if at all, do you worry that you, a family member, or a close friend could be deported?

- 1 A lot
- 2 Some
- 3 Not much
- 4 Not at all

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☐ Not at all

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[RANDOMIZE LAN1, LAN2 AND LAN3, LAN4 IN BLOCKS. RANDOMIZE BLOCKS ONLY—KEEP LAN 1 AND LAN2 IN THAT ORDER WITHIN BLOCK AND SAME WITH LAN3 AND LAN4. SHOW LAN1 AND LAN2 ON SAME SCREEN AND LAN3 AND LAN4 ON SAME SCREEN]

ASK ALL:

LAN1 How well, if at all, would you say you can carry on a conversation in SPANISH, both understanding and speaking?

- 1 Very well
- 2 Pretty well
- 3 Just a little
- 4 Not at all

ASK ALL:

LAN2 How well, if at all, would you say you can read a newspaper or book in SPANISH?

- 1 Very well
- 2 Pretty well
- 3 Just a little
- 4 Not at all

How well, if at all, would you say you can carry on a conversation in SPANISH, both understanding and speaking?

☐ Very well
☐ Pretty well
☐ Just a little
☐ Not at all

How well, if at all, would you say you can read a newspaper or book in SPANISH?

☐ Very well
☐ Pretty well
☐ Just a little
☐ Not at all

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ASK ALL:

LAN3

How well, if at all, would you say you can carry on a conversation in ENGLISH, both understanding and speaking?

- 1 Very well
- 2 Pretty well
- 3 Just a little
- 4 Not at all

ASK ALL:

LAN4

How well, if at all, would you say you can read a newspaper or book in ENGLISH?

- 1 Very well
- 2 Pretty well
- 3 Just a little
- 4 Not at all

How well, if at all, would you say you can carry on a conversation in ENGLISH, both understanding and speaking?

☐ Very well
☐ Pretty well
☐ Just a little
☐ Not at all

How well, if at all, would you say you can read a newspaper or book in ENGLISH?

☐ Very well
☐ Pretty well
☐ Just a little
☐ Not at all

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ASK ALL:

HISPSIT

Compared with 1 year ago, do you think the situation of Hispanics in this country today is...

- 1 Better
- 2 Worse
- 3 About the same

Compared with 1 year ago, do you think the situation of Hispanics in this country today is...

☐ Better
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☐ About the same

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ASK ALL:

HISPDISCR

Here are a few things that some Hispanics in the United States have experienced. Please indicate whether or not each of the following has happened to you in the past 12 months. **[RANDOMIZE A-I]**

- a. Someone expressed support for you because you are Hispanic
- b. Been called offensive names because you are Hispanic
- c. **[ASK ITEM C OF SPANISH SPEAKERS ONLY (LAN1=1-3)]**: Been criticized for speaking Spanish in public
- d. Someone made a remark that you should go back to your home country
- e. Personally experienced discrimination or been treated unfairly by someone who is also Hispanic
- f. Personally experienced discrimination or been treated unfairly because of your Hispanic background, by someone who is not Hispanic
- g. Been unfairly stopped by police
- h. People acted as if they thought you were not smart
- i. Feared for your personal safety

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Yes, has happened
- 2 No, has not happened

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Been criticized for speaking Spanish in public

- ☐ Yes, has happened
- ☐ No, has not happened

Personally experienced discrimination or been treated unfairly by someone who is also Hispanic

- ☐ Yes, has happened
- ☐ No, has not happened

Someone made a remark that you should go back to your home country

- ☐ Yes, has happened
- ☐ No, has not happened

People acted as if they thought you were not smart

- ☐ Yes, has happened
- ☐ No, has not happened

Been called offensive names because you are Hispanic

- ☐ Yes, has happened
- ☐ No, has not happened

Personally experienced discrimination or been treated unfairly because of your Hispanic background, by someone who is not Hispanic

- ☐ Yes, has happened
- ☐ No, has not happened

Been unfairly stopped by police

- ☐ Yes, has happened
- ☐ No, has not happened

Someone expressed support for you because you are Hispanic

- ☐ Yes, has happened
- ☐ No, has not happened

Feared for your personal safety

- ☐ Yes, has happened
- ☐ No, has not happened

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ASK IF BORN OUTSIDE OF THE US (SELFNAT=3):

USVSC001 How would you rate each of the following when comparing the United States to the country you came from? **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS]**

a. Treatment of the poor

NO ITEM b

c. The strength of family ties

d. The opportunity to get ahead

e. The way immigrants are treated

f. The conditions for raising children

g. Access to healthcare services

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

1 Better in the United States

2 Better in the country you came from

3 About the same

How would you rate each of the following when comparing the United States to the country you came from?

Treatment of the poor

☐ Better in the United States

☐ Better in the country you came from

☐ About the same

The conditions for raising children

☐ Better in the United States

☐ Better in the country you came from

☐ About the same

The way immigrants are treated

☐ Better in the United States

☐ Better in the country you came from

☐ About the same

The strength of family ties

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in the country you came from
- ☐ About the same

The opportunity to get ahead

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in the country you came from
- ☐ About the same

Access to healthcare services

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in the country you came from
- ☐ About the same

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ASK IF BORN IN PUERTO RICO (SELFNAT=1):

USVSCO02 How would you rate each of the following when comparing the United States to Puerto Rico? **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS]**

- a. Treatment of the poor
- NO ITEM b**
- c. The strength of family ties
- d. The opportunity to get ahead
- e. The way immigrants are treated
- f. The conditions for raising children
- g. Access to healthcare services

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Better in the United States
- 2 Better in Puerto Rico
- 3 About the same

How would you rate each of the following when comparing the United States to Puerto Rico?

The strength of family ties

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in Puerto Rico
- ☐ About the same

The conditions for raising children

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in Puerto Rico
- ☐ About the same

The opportunity to get ahead

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in Puerto Rico
- ☐ About the same

Treatment of the poor

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in Puerto Rico
- ☐ About the same

The way immigrants are treated

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in Puerto Rico
- ☐ About the same

Access to healthcare services

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in Puerto Rico
- ☐ About the same

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ASK IF BORN IN US OR REFUSED SELF NAT (SELF NAT=2,99):

USVSC003 How would you rate each of the following when comparing the United States to the country your parents or Hispanic ancestors came from? **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS]**

- a. Treatment of the poor
- NO ITEM b**
- c. The strength of family ties
- d. The opportunity to get ahead
- e. The way immigrants are treated
- f. The conditions for raising children
- g. Access to healthcare services

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Better in the United States
- 2 Better in the country your parents or ancestors came from
- 3 About the same

How would you rate each of the following when comparing the United States to the country your parents or Hispanic ancestors came from?

The strength of family ties

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in the country your parents or ancestors came from
- ☐ About the same

The conditions for raising children

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in the country your parents or ancestors came from
- ☐ About the same

The opportunity to get ahead

- ☐ Better in the United States
- ☐ Better in the country your parents or ancestors came from
- ☐ About the same

Treatment of the poor

☐ Better in the United States

☐ Better in the country your parents or ancestors came from

☐ About the same

The way immigrants are treated

☐ Better in the United States

☐ Better in the country your parents or ancestors came from

☐ About the same

Access to healthcare services

☐ Better in the United States

☐ Better in the country your parents or ancestors came from

☐ About the same

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ASK IF FOREIGN-BORN (SELFNAT=3):

MIGUSAGAIN1 If you could do it again, would you... ?

- 1 Come to the United States
- 2 Stay in the country where you were born
- 3 Move to a different country

If you could do it again, would you... ?

☐ Come to the United States

☐ Stay in the country where you were born

☐ Move to a different country

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ASK IF BORN IN PUERTO RICO (SELFNAT=1)

MIGUSAGAIN2. If you could do it again, would you... ?

- 1 Leave Puerto Rico for the United States
- 2 Stay in Puerto Rico
- 3 Move to a different country

If you could do it again, would you... ?

☐ Leave Puerto Rico for the United States

☐ Stay in Puerto Rico

☐ Move to a different country

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ASK IF FORM 1 (FORM=1):

RACESURV7 How often, if ever, does race or race relations come up in your conversations with family and friends?

- 1 Often
2 Sometimes
3 Rarely
4 Never

How often, if ever, does race or race relations come up in your conversations with family and friends?

☐ Often

☐ Sometimes

☐ Rarely

☐ Never

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ASK IF FORM 2 (FORM=2):

RACESURV7_MOD How often, if ever, does discrimination based on race or skin color come up in your conversations with family and friends?

- 1 Often
2 Sometimes
3 Rarely
4 Never

How often, if ever, does discrimination based on race or skin color come up in your conversations with family and friends?

☐ Often

☐ Sometimes

☐ Rarely

☐ Never

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ASK ALL:

RACATTN

In general, how much attention do you think is paid to race and racial issues in our country these days? **[RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2 WITH 3 ALWAYS LAST; USE SAME ORDER OF RESPONSES FOR RACATTN]**

- 1 Too much attention
- 2 Too little attention
- 3 About the right amount of attention **[ANCHOR]**

In general, how much attention do you think is paid to race and racial issues in our country these days?

☐ Too much attention

☐ Too little attention

☐ About the right amount of attention

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ASK ALL:

RACEATTN

In general, how much attention do you think is paid to race and racial issues in our country concerning each of the following groups these days? **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS A-C. RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 2 WITH 3 ALWAYS LAST; USE SAME ORDER OF RESPONSES FOR RACATTN]**

- a. Black people
- b. Hispanic people
- c. Asian people

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Too much attention
- 2 Too little attention
- 3 About the right amount of attention **[ANCHOR]**

In general, how much attention do you think is paid to race and racial issues in our country concerning each of the following groups these days?

Hispanic people

- ☐ Too much attention
- ☐ Too little attention
- ☐ About the right amount of attention

Asian people

- ☐ Too much attention
- ☐ Too little attention
- ☐ About the right amount of attention

Black people

- ☐ Too much attention
- ☐ Too little attention
- ☐ About the right amount of attention

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ASK ALL:

RACESURV21_MOD

When you were growing up, how often, if ever, did your family talk to you about challenges you might face because of your race or ethnicity?

- 1 Often
- 2 Sometimes
- 3 Rarely
- 4 Never

When you were growing up, how often, if ever, did your family talk to you about challenges you might face because of your race or ethnicity?

- ☐ Often
- ☐ Sometimes
- ☐ Rarely
- ☐ Never

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ASK ALL:

DISCRPROB

As far as you know, how big of a problem is discrimination based on race or skin color in the United States today?

- 1 A very big problem
- 2 A moderately big problem
- 3 A small problem
- 4 Not a problem at all

As far as you know, how big of a problem is discrimination based on race or skin color in the United States today?

- ☐ A very big problem
- ☐ A moderately big problem
- ☐ A small problem
- ☐ Not a problem at all

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ASK IF BORN IN PUERTO RICO (SELFNAT=1):

DISCR001 As far as you know, how does discrimination based on race or skin color in Puerto Rico compare to discrimination based on race or skin color in the U.S.? Are things in Puerto Rico generally...

- 1 Better
- 2 Worse
- 3 About the same
- [space]**
- 4 Discrimination based on race or skin color is not an issue in Puerto Rico

As far as you know, how does discrimination based on race or skin color in Puerto Rico compare to discrimination based on race or skin color in the U.S.? Are things in Puerto Rico generally...

- ☐ Better
- ☐ Worse
- ☐ About the same
- ☐ Discrimination based on race or skin color is not an issue in Puerto Rico

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ASK IF BORN IN ANOTHER COUNTRY (SELFNAT=3):

DISCR002 As far as you know, how does discrimination based on race or skin color in your home country compare to discrimination based on race or skin color in the U.S.? Are things in your home country generally...

- 1 Better
- 2 Worse
- 3 About the same
- [space]**
- 4 Discrimination based on race or skin color is not an issue in my home country

As far as you know, how does discrimination based on race or skin color in your home country compare to discrimination based on race or skin color in the U.S.? Are things in your home country generally...

- ☐ Better
- ☐ Worse
- ☐ About the same
- ☐ Discrimination based on race or skin color is not an issue in my home country

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ASK ALL:

RACESURV5_MOD

Overall, how does each of the following affect the ability of Hispanics to get ahead in our country these days? **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS ACROSS TWO SCREENS; RANDOMIZE RESPONSE ORDER 1-4 AND 4-1 WITH OPTION 5 ALWAYS LAST]**

- a. Living in the United States legally
- b. Living in the United States without documentation
- c. Having a college degree
- d. Not having a college degree
- e. Having a lighter skin color
- f. Having a darker skin color
- g. Being a man
- h. Being a woman

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Helps a lot
- 2 Helps a little
- 3 Hurts a little
- 4 Hurts a lot
- 5 Neither helps nor hurts **[ANCHOR]**

Overall, how does each of the following affect the ability of Hispanics to get ahead in our country these days?

Living in the United States without documentation

- ☐ Helps a lot
- ☐ Helps a little
- ☐ Hurts a little
- ☐ Hurts a lot
- ☐ Neither helps nor hurts

Having a darker skin color

- ☐ Helps a lot
- ☐ Helps a little
- ☐ Hurts a little
- ☐ Hurts a lot
- ☐ Neither helps nor hurts

Having a college degree

- ☐ Helps a lot
- ☐ Helps a little
- ☐ Hurts a little
- ☐ Hurts a lot
- ☐ Neither helps nor hurts

Being a man

- ☐ Helps a lot
- ☐ Helps a little
- ☐ Hurts a little
- ☐ Hurts a lot
- ☐ Neither helps nor hurts

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Overall, how does each of the following affect the ability of Hispanics to get ahead in our country these days?

Not having a college degree

- ☐ Helps a lot
- ☐ Helps a little
- ☐ Hurts a little
- ☐ Hurts a lot
- ☐ Neither helps nor hurts

Being a woman

- ☐ Helps a lot
- ☐ Helps a little
- ☐ Hurts a little
- ☐ Hurts a lot
- ☐ Neither helps nor hurts

Living in the United States legally

- ☐ Helps a lot
- ☐ Helps a little
- ☐ Hurts a little
- ☐ Hurts a lot
- ☐ Neither helps nor hurts

Having a lighter skin color

- ☐ Helps a lot
- ☐ Helps a little
- ☐ Hurts a little
- ☐ Hurts a lot
- ☐ Neither helps nor hurts

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[RANDOMIZE RACESURV36 AND RACESURV36_MOD, DISPLAY IN SAME SCREEN]

ASK ALL:

RACESURV36 How often, if ever, do you hear a Hispanic friend or family member make comments or jokes that might be considered racist or racially insensitive about people who are not Hispanic?

- 1 Often
- 2 Sometimes
- 3 Rarely
- 4 Never

ASK ALL:

RACESURV36_MOD

How often, if ever, do you hear a Hispanic friend or family member make comments or jokes that might be considered racist or racially insensitive about other Hispanics?

- 1 Often
- 2 Sometimes
- 3 Rarely
- 4 Never

How often, if ever, do you hear a Hispanic friend or family member make comments or jokes that might be considered racist or racially insensitive about people who are not Hispanic?

- ☐ Often
- ☐ Sometimes
- ☐ Rarely
- ☐ Never

How often, if ever, do you hear a Hispanic friend or family member make comments or jokes that might be considered racist or racially insensitive about other Hispanics?

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- ☐ Rarely
- ☐ Never

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ASK ALL:

COVID_FUT

Thinking about the problems the country is facing from the coronavirus outbreak, do you think... **[RANDOMIZE]**

- 1 The worst is behind us
- 2 The worst is still to come

Thinking about the problems the country is facing from the coronavirus outbreak, do you think...

- ☐ The worst is behind us
- ☐ The worst is still to come

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**ASK ALL:
FINANCES**

Since the coronavirus outbreak began in February 2020, have any of the following happened to you? **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS A-H; SPLIT OVER TWO SCREENS]**

- a. Had trouble paying for medical care for yourself or your family
- b. Had problems paying your rent or mortgage
- c. Had trouble paying your bills

NO ITEM d

- e. Gotten food from a food bank or charitable organization
- f. Received government food assistance, such as SNAP benefits
- g. Received unemployment benefits
- h. Lost your health insurance

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Yes, has happened to me since February 2020
- 2 No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Since the coronavirus outbreak began in February 2020, have any of the following happened to you?

Had problems paying your rent or mortgage

- ☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020
- ☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Received unemployment benefits

- ☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020
- ☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Gotten food from a food bank or charitable organization

- ☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020
- ☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Lost your health insurance

- ☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020
- ☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

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Had trouble paying for medical care for yourself or your family

☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Received government food assistance, such as SNAP benefits

☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Had trouble paying your bills

☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

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[RANDOMIZE COVIDHELP1 & COVIDHELP2]

ASK ALL:

COVHELP1 Since February 2020, have you done any of the following as a result of the coronavirus outbreak? **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS A-D; USE SAME ORDER FOR COVHELP2]**

- a. Helped friends or relatives by delivering groceries, running errands or caring for their children
- b. Volunteered or made a donation through a charitable organization
- c. Sent or loaned money to friends or relatives in the United States
- d. Sent or loaned money to friends or relatives in another country

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

- 1 Yes, have done this since February 2020
- 2 No, have not done this since February 2020

Since February 2020, have you done any of the following as a result of the coronavirus outbreak?

Helped friends or relatives by delivering groceries, running errands or caring for their children

☐ Yes, have done this since February 2020

☐ No, have not done this since February 2020

Sent or loaned money to friends or relatives in another country

☐ Yes, have done this since February 2020

☐ No, have not done this since February 2020

Sent or loaned money to friends or relatives in the United States

☐ Yes, have done this since February 2020

☐ No, have not done this since February 2020

Volunteered or made a donation through a charitable organization

☐ Yes, have done this since February 2020

☐ No, have not done this since February 2020

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ASK ALL:

COVHELP2

Since February 2020, have any of the following happened to you as a result of the coronavirus outbreak? **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS A-D; USE SAME ORDER FOR COVHELP1]**

- a. Received help from friends or relatives who delivered groceries, ran errands or cared for your children
- b. Received help or financial aid from a charitable organization
- c. Received or borrowed money from friends or relatives in the United States
- d. Received or borrowed money from friends or relatives in another country

RESPONSE CATEGORIES:

- 1 Yes, has happened to me since February 2020
- 2 No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Since February 2020, have any of the following happened to you as a result of the coronavirus outbreak?

Received help from friends or relatives who delivered groceries, ran errands or cared for your children

☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Received or borrowed money from friends or relatives in another country

☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Received or borrowed money from friends or relatives in the United States

☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

Received help or financial aid from a charitable organization

☐ Yes, has happened to me since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened to me since February 2020

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ASK ALL:

CVDECON13 Since the coronavirus outbreak began in February 2020, have any of the following happened to you personally? **[DISPLAY ITEMS IN ORDER]**

- a. Been laid off or lost a job
- b. Had to take a cut in pay due to reduced hours or demand for your work
- c. Been furloughed or temporarily laid off

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Yes, has happened since February 2020
- 2 No, has not happened since February 2020
- [space]**
- 3 Not applicable (have not been employed since February 2020)

Since the coronavirus outbreak began in February 2020, have any of the following happened to you personally?

Been laid off or lost a job

☐ Yes, has happened since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened since February 2020

☐ Not applicable (have not been employed since February 2020)

Had to take a cut in pay due to reduced hours or demand for your work

☐ Yes, has happened since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened since February 2020

☐ Not applicable (have not been employed since February 2020)

Been furloughed or temporarily laid off

☐ Yes, has happened since February 2020

☐ No, has not happened since February 2020

☐ Not applicable (have not been employed since February 2020)

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ASK ALL:

CVDECON14 What about other people currently living in your household? Since the coronavirus outbreak began in February 2020, has ANYONE ELSE in your immediate household...
[DISPLAY ITEMS IN ORDER]

- a. Been laid off or lost a job
- b. Had to take a cut in pay due to reduced hours or demand for their work
- c. Been furloughed or temporarily laid off

RESPONSE OPTIONS:

- 1 Yes, has happened since February 2020
- 2 No, has not happened since February 2020
- [space]**
- 3 Not applicable

What about other people currently living in your household? Since the coronavirus outbreak began in February 2020, has ANYONE ELSE in your immediate household...

Been laid off or lost a job

- ☐ Yes, has happened since February 2020
- ☐ No, has not happened since February 2020
- ☐ Not applicable

Had to take a cut in pay due to reduced hours or demand for their work

- ☐ Yes, has happened since February 2020
- ☐ No, has not happened since February 2020
- ☐ Not applicable

Been furloughed or temporarily laid off

- ☐ Yes, has happened since February 2020
- ☐ No, has not happened since February 2020
- ☐ Not applicable

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ASK ALL:

COVID_WORK_SIT_MOD

Which of these options best describes your work situation since February 2020 when the coronavirus outbreak began?

- 1 I have mostly or entirely worked from home
- 2 I haven't been able to work from home, but my primary job didn't require me to have much contact with other people
- 3 I haven't been able to work from home and my primary job required frequent contact with other people (e.g., at a construction site, in a grocery store or a health clinic)
- [space]**
- 4 I have not had a job during the pandemic

Which of these options best describes your work situation since February 2020 when the coronavirus outbreak began?

- ☐ I have mostly or entirely worked from home
- ☐ I haven't been able to work from home, but my primary job didn't require me to have much contact with other people
- ☐ I haven't been able to work from home and my primary job required frequent contact with other people (e.g., at a construction site, in a grocery store or a health clinic)
- ☐ I have not had a job during the pandemic

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ASK ALL:

COVID_SELF Since February 2020, have you done or experienced the following?

- a. Been vaccinated to protect you from COVID-19
- b. Been pretty sure you have had COVID-19 even though you have not been officially diagnosed
- c. Tested positive for having COVID-19

NO ITEM d

- e. Tested positive for having antibodies to COVID-19

RESPONSE OPTIONS

- 1 Yes, I have
- 2 No, I have not

Since February 2020, have you done or experienced the following?

Been vaccinated to protect you from COVID-19

☐ Yes, I have

☐ No, I have not

Been pretty sure you have had COVID-19 even though you have not been officially diagnosed

☐ Yes, I have

☐ No, I have not

Tested positive for having COVID-19

☐ Yes, I have

☐ No, I have not

Tested positive for having antibodies to COVID-19

☐ Yes, I have

☐ No, I have not

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ASK ALL:

COVTOLL Have you had a family member or close friend living in the United States or another country who has been hospitalized or died as a result of having COVID-19?

- 1 Yes, someone living in the United States
- 2 Yes, someone living in another country
- 3 Yes, both in the United States and in another country
- 4 Neither

Have you had a family member or close friend living in the United States or another country who has been hospitalized or died as a result of having COVID-19?

- ☐ Yes, someone living in the United States
- ☐ Yes, someone living in another country
- ☐ Yes, both in the United States and in another country
- ☐ Neither

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ASK IF FOREIGN BORN (SELFNAT=3):

COVLEAV Since the coronavirus outbreak started in February 2020, have you thought about leaving the United States to move back to your home country or another country?

- 1 Yes, thought about leaving the United States for my home country
- 2 Yes, thought about leaving the United States for another country
- 3 No, have not thought about leaving the United States

Since the coronavirus outbreak started in February 2020, have you thought about leaving the United States to move back to your home country or another country?

- ☐ Yes, thought about leaving the United States for my home country
- ☐ Yes, thought about leaving the United States for another country
- ☐ No, have not thought about leaving the United States

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ASK ALL:

CHILD_LT12 Are you the parent or guardian of any children under the age of 12 who live in your household?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

Are you the parent or guardian of any children under the age of 12 who live in your household?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

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ASK ALL:

PARENTK12

Are you the parent or guardian of any children who are in elementary, middle or high school and who live in your household?

- 1 Yes, one child
- 2 Yes, two or more children
- 3 No

Are you the parent or guardian of any children who are in elementary, middle or high school and who live in your household?

☐ Yes, one child

☐ Yes, two or more children

☐ No

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ASK IF CHILD UNDER 12 IN HH (CHILD_LT12=1):

CVCHILDCARE

How easy or difficult has it been for you to handle childcare responsibilities during the coronavirus outbreak? **[SHOW RESPONSE OPTIONS IN REVERSE ORDER FOR RANDOM HALF OF SAMPLE]**

- 1 Very easy
- 2 Somewhat easy
- 3 Somewhat difficult
- 4 Very difficult

How easy or difficult has it been for you to handle childcare responsibilities during the coronavirus outbreak?

☐ Very easy

☐ Somewhat easy

☐ Somewhat difficult

☐ Very difficult

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DISPLAY ON SEPARATE SCREEN IF HAS SCHOOL AGED CHILDREN (PARENTK12 = 1,2):

Now thinking about your children who are in elementary, middle or high school...

Now thinking about your children who are in elementary, middle or high school...

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ASK IF PARENT OF SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN (PARENTK12 = 1,2):

INSTRUCTION1_MOD What best describes the type of instruction your child(ren) have gotten since the school year started?

- 1 In-person instruction only
- 2 Online instruction only
- 3 A mix of in-person and online instruction
- 4 My child(ren) is/are being homeschooled

[DISPLAY IF HAVE MORE THAN ONE SCHOOL-AGED CHILD (PARENTK12=2)]

- 5 Different situations for different children

What best describes the type of instruction your child(ren) have gotten since the school year started?

☐ In-person instruction only
☐ Online instruction only
☐ A mix of in-person and online instruction
☐ My child(ren) is/are being homeschooled
☐ Different situations for different children

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ASK IF PARENT OF SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN AND NOT HOMESCHOOLED (INSTRUCTION1 = 1,2,3,5):

COVIDSCHL4_MOD How concerned, if at all, are you that your children have fallen behind in school as a result of any disruptions caused by the coronavirus outbreak?

- 1 Very concerned
- 2 Somewhat concerned
- 3 Not too concerned
- 4 Not at all concerned

How concerned, if at all, are you that your children have fallen behind in school as a result of any disruptions caused by the coronavirus outbreak?

☐ Very concerned
☐ Somewhat concerned
☐ Not too concerned
☐ Not at all concerned

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ASK ALL:

RACESURV56 How would most people describe you, if, for example, they walked past you on the street? Would they say you are... **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS 1-6]**

- 1 White
- 2 Hispanic or Latino
- 3 Black or African American
- 4 Asian or Asian American
- 5 Native American or Indigenous (the native peoples of the Americas such as Mayan, Quechua or Taino)
- 6 Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- 7 Mixed race or multiracial
- 8 Other **[TEXT BOX]**

How would most people describe you, if, for example, they walked past you on the street? Would they say you are...

☐ Hispanic or Latino
☐ Native American or Indigenous (the native peoples of the Americas such as Mayan, Quechua or Taino)
☐ Asian or Asian American
☐ White
☐ Black or African American
☐ Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
☐ Mixed race or multiracial
☐ Other

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ASK ALL:

OPENRACE In your own words, if you could describe your race or origin in any way you wanted, how would you describe yourself?

[TEXT BOX]

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[DISPLAY TEXT ON SAME SCREEN WITH MOTHERNAT AND FATHERNAT]

These last few questions are about characteristics of your household. These will be used for research purposes only. For more information about our work studying the Hispanic/Latino population in the United States, click [here](#).

ASK ALL:

MOTHERNAT Where was your MOTHER born?

- 1 Puerto Rico
- 2 United States
- 3 In another country **[TEXT BOX]**

ASK ALL:

FATHERNAT Where was your FATHER born?

- 1 Puerto Rico
- 2 United States
- 3 In another country **[TEXT BOX]**

These last few questions are about characteristics of your household. These will be used for research purposes only. For more information about our work studying the Hispanic/Latino population in the United States, click [here](#).

Where was your MOTHER born?

- ☐ Puerto Rico
- ☐ United States
- ☐ In another country

Where was your FATHER born?

- ☐ Puerto Rico
- ☐ United States
- ☐ In another country

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KNOWUNAUTH Do you personally know someone who either came to the country illegally or is currently residing here without the documentation?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

Do you personally know someone who either came to the country illegally or is currently residing here without the documentation?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

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ASK IF NOT A CITIZEN OR REFUSED TO ANSWER:

GREENCARD² Earlier you said you are not a citizen of the United States. Do you have a green card or have you been approved for one?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

Earlier you said you are not a citizen of the United States. Do you have a green card or have you been approved for one?

☐ Yes

☐ No

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Some people say their skin color shapes their experiences. The goal of this research is to understand the ways in which appearance affects your daily life experiences and the way people in our country perceive you.

ASK ALL:

CLRSHAPES From what you know, how much do you think that skin color shapes your daily life experiences?

- 1 A lot
- 2 Some
- 3 Not much
- 4 Not at all

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ASK ALL:

SKINCLR

Which of these most closely matches your own skin color, even if none of them is exactly right? (If this question makes you uncomfortable, you may skip it.) **[RANDOMLY DISPLAY IMAGES IN ORDER 1-10 OR 10-1]**



² This question is not included in public data to help protect the confidentiality of respondents.

Enter 1 – 10

[NUMERIC FIELD. ANSWERS > 10 ARE OUT OF RANGE]

Which of these most closely matches your own skin color, even if none of them is exactly right? (If this question makes you uncomfortable, you may skip it.)



Enter 1 – 10

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