

#### **Toplines Report**

Optimus Nationwide Adults April 11, 2020 – April 18, 2020

#### **Coronavirus Survey**

1) How worried are you about the possibility that you or your family members may contract coronavirus?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Very Worried	32.4%	33.2%
Somewhat Worried	37.8%	40%
Not Too Worried	21%	21.4%
Not Worried At All	8.2%	4.9%
Someone In My Family Is Already Infected	0.6%	0.5%

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Adults					
Very Worried	27.4%	32.2%	29.7%	31.4%	32.4%
Somewhat Worried	39.2%	44%	44.4%	40.8%	37.8%
Not Too Worried	24%	16.8%	19.7%	21.9%	21%
Not Worried At All	9.1%	6.1%	5.9%	5.5%	8.2%
Someone In My Family Is Already Infected	0.3%	0.8%	0.4%	0.4%	0.6%
Likely Voters					
Very Worried	29.9%	33.2%	30.5%	31.4%	33.2%
Somewhat Worried	40.3%	43.1%	42.8%	41.4%	40%
Not Too Worried	22%	18.5%	20.7%	22%	21.4%
Not Worried At All	7.5%	4.6%	5.6%	4.8%	4.9%
Someone In My Family Is Already Infected	0.4%	0.6%	0.4%	0.5%	0.5%

#### 2) Have you changed your daily routine or future plans due to coronavirus concerns?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Yes Changing Routines Or Plans	82.8%	88.5%
No Not Changing Routines Or Plans	17.2%	11.5%

	03-28-20	04-04-20	04-11-20	04-14-20	04-18-20
Adults					
Yes Changing Routines Or Plans	80%	86%	82%	81.1%	82.8%
No Not Changing Routines Or Plans	20%	14%	18%	18.9%	17.2%
Likely Voters					
Yes Changing Routines Or Plans	85.7%	89.9%	86.9%	86.2%	88.5%
No Not Changing Routines Or Plans	14.3%	10.1%	13.1%	13.8%	11.5%

### 3) Has your work situation changed due to the coronavirus outbreak?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Working From Home	20.7%	22.2%
Laid Off	12.8%	11.8%
Hours Cut Back	8.5%	9.8%
Hours Increased	4.5%	3.7%
Switched Jobs	1.4%	0.9%
Other Change	7.8%	8.3%
Not Changed	42.6%	42.1%
Changed But Now Back To	1.7%	1.2%
Normal		

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Adults					
Working From Home	19.6%	22.4%	21.9%	22%	20.7%
Laid Off	11.1%	11.4%	12.3%	12.7%	12.8%
Hours Cut Back	10%	7.8%	10.5%	9.2%	8.5%
Hours Increased	2.9%	2.1%	2.3%	2%	4.5%
Switched Jobs	1.3%	1.3%	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%
Other Change	8.7%	9.3%	8.4%	8.3%	7.8%
Not Changed	45.3%	43.9%	42.5%	43.1%	42.6%
Changed But Now Back To Normal	1.1%	1.8%	0.8%	1.2%	1.7%
Likely Voters					
Working From Home	21.5%	21.9%	23.7%	23.6%	22.2%
Laid Off	9.8%	11.6%	11.6%	12.6%	11.8%
Hours Cut Back	8.3%	7.6%	10.7%	10.4%	9.8%
Hours Increased	3%	2.1%	1.9%	2.7%	3.7%
Switched Jobs	0.6%	1.8%	1.2%	1%	0.9%
Other Change	9.3%	9.3%	8%	7.9%	8.3%
Not Changed	46.8%	44.7%	41.9%	40.3%	42.1%
Changed But Now Back To Normal	0.7%	0.9%	1.1%	1.3%	1.2%

### 4) In general, do you approve or disapprove of Congress' handling of the coronavirus outbreak?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Strongly Approve	8.5%	10.4%
Somewhat Approve	41.6%	42.2%
Somewhat Disapprove	30.1%	30.4%
Strongly Disapprove	19.9%	17.1%

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Adults					
Strongly Approve	10.9%	11.6%	10.3%	10.3%	8.5%
Somewhat Approve	40.3%	39%	41.8%	42%	41.6%
Somewhat Disapprove	27.4%	31.9%	33.6%	31.7%	30.1%
Strongly Disapprove	21.5%	17.5%	14.2%	16%	19.9%
Likely Voters					
Strongly Approve	10.1%	13.1%	11.3%	11.5%	10.4%
Somewhat Approve	38.1%	40%	45.3%	45.1%	42.2%
Somewhat Disapprove	28.6%	29.4%	28.8%	28.6%	30.4%
Strongly Disapprove	23.2%	17.5%	14.6%	14.9%	17.1%

## 5) And in general, do you approve or disapprove of your governor's handling of the coronavirus outbreak?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Strongly Approve	28.8%	34.5%
Somewhat Approve	41.5%	41.3%
Somewhat Disapprove	16.6%	14%
Strongly Disapprove	13.2%	10.3%

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Adults					
Strongly Approve	26.9%	28.9%	31.1%	31.7%	28.8%
Somewhat Approve	43.4%	41.6%	38.8%	39.2%	41.5%
Somewhat Disapprove	17.1%	18.6%	20.2%	17.4%	16.6%
Strongly Disapprove	12.6%	10.9%	9.9%	11.6%	13.2%
Likely Voters					
Strongly Approve	30.3%	34.3%	36.5%	36.9%	34.5%
Somewhat Approve	43.1%	41.2%	38.6%	38.2%	41.3%
Somewhat Disapprove	14.8%	15.7%	15.4%	14.3%	14%
Strongly Disapprove	11.7%	8.8%	9.6%	10.6%	10.3%

### 6) Have you watched the daily White House coronavirus briefings over the past week?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Yes	59.5%	64.9%
No	40.5%	35.1%

	04-04-20	04-11-20	04-14-20	04-18-20
Adults				
Yes	63.6%	58.4%	55.3%	59.5%
No	36.4%	41.6%	44.7%	40.5%
Likely Voters				
Yes	68%	64.6%	63.2%	64.9%
No	32%	35.4%	36.8%	35.1%

### 7) How useful do you find the daily White House coronavirus briefings?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Very Useful	26.6%	32%
Somewhat Useful	39.5%	36.9%
Not Very Useful	22.4%	18.3%
Not Useful At All	11.6%	12.9%

	04-04-20	04-11-20	04-14-20	04-18-20
Adults				
Very Useful	29.9%	25.7%	27.1%	26.6%
Somewhat Useful	42.1%	42.3%	38.1%	39.5%
Not Very Useful	19.5%	21%	24.5%	22.4%
Not Useful At All	8.5%	11%	10.4%	11.6%
Likely Voters				
Very Useful	32.3%	30%	31.5%	32%
Somewhat Useful	39.4%	39.1%	36.2%	36.9%
Not Very Useful	19.2%	19.1%	21.9%	18.3%
Not Useful At All	9.1%	11.9%	10.4%	12.9%

# Combined Survey 8) In general, do you approve or disapprove of President Donald Trump's handling of the coronavirus outbreak?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Strongly Approve	20.6%	25.8%
Somewhat Approve	27.7%	23.8%
Somewhat Disapprove	17.5%	13.7%
Strongly Disapprove	34.2%	36.7%

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Adults					
Strongly Approve	23.2%	21.8%	21.3%	21.4%	20.6%
Somewhat Approve	27.5%	24.8%	25.8%	24%	27.7%
Somewhat Disapprove	18.8%	21.9%	19%	19.4%	17.5%
Strongly Disapprove	30.5%	31.4%	34%	35.2%	34.2%
Likely Voters					
Strongly Approve	27.3%	27.2%	26.7%	26.3%	25.8%
Somewhat Approve	24.8%	22.3%	24.1%	23.1%	23.8%
Somewhat Disapprove	15%	15.6%	15.1%	14.2%	13.7%
Strongly Disapprove	33%	34.9%	34.1%	36.5%	36.7%

### 9) How would you rate the economic conditions in this country today?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Excellent	6%	6.5%
Good	18.5%	17.9%
Only Fair	35%	35.1%
Poor	40.5%	40.4%

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Adults					
Excellent	7.2%	6.8%	5.2%	5.1%	6%
Good	23.5%	22.2%	19.2%	19%	18.5%
Only Fair	34.3%	35.2%	37.5%	36.2%	35%
Poor	35%	35.8%	38.1%	39.6%	40.5%
Likely Voters					
Excellent	8.4%	8.3%	5.7%	5.8%	6.5%
Good	25.8%	22.3%	20.6%	20.4%	17.9%
Only Fair	30.5%	32.9%	36.5%	35.4%	35.1%
Poor	35.3%	36.5%	37.1%	38.3%	40.4%

## 10) Do you expect the US economy to improve, get worse, or stay about the same over the next month?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Improve	21.1%	24.6%
Get Worse	47.1%	47.8%
Stay About The Same	22.6%	21.2%
Dont Know	9.2%	6.3%

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Adults					
Improve	17.3%	18.1%	19.5%	20.9%	21.1%
Get Worse	57.6%	57.3%	54.3%	49.8%	47.1%
Stay About The Same	16.6%	16.7%	18.5%	20.2%	22.6%
Dont Know	8.5%	7.9%	7.7%	9.2%	9.2%
Likely Voters					
Improve	21.3%	19.3%	24%	24.7%	24.6%
Get Worse	56%	58.5%	53%	50.1%	47.8%
Stay About The Same	15.8%	16.4%	17.8%	19.1%	21.2%
Dont Know	6.8%	5.9%	5.1%	6.2%	6.3%

# Political Survey 11) Would you say things in this country are generally headed in the right direction or off on the wrong track?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Generally Headed In The	32.6%	32.9%
Right Direction		
Off On The Wrong Track	53.6%	57.4%
Not Sure	13.7%	9.7%

	03-28-20	04-04-20	04-11-20	04-14-20	04-18-20
Adults					
Generally Headed In The Right Direction	29.6%	31.3%	29%	30.8%	32.6%
Off On The Wrong Track	57.7%	53.3%	55.3%	54.4%	53.6%
Not Sure	12.7%	15.4%	15.7%	14.9%	13.7%
Likely Voters					
Generally Headed In The Right Direction	35.8%	37.6%	36.6%	36.3%	32.9%
Off On The Wrong Track	53.1%	53.6%	53.7%	54.2%	57.4%
Not Sure	11.1%	8.8%	9.7%	9.5%	9.7%

### 12) Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Strongly Approve	21.1%	25.5%
Somewhat Approve	22.6%	20.1%
Somewhat Disapprove	20.5%	14.4%
Strongly Disapprove	35.8%	40%

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Adults					
Strongly Approve	21.9%	20.9%	20.5%	21.7%	21.1%
Somewhat Approve	22.1%	23.5%	22.6%	19.9%	22.6%
Somewhat Disapprove	19.1%	16.8%	18.3%	19%	20.5%
Strongly Disapprove	36.9%	38.7%	38.7%	39.4%	35.8%
Likely Voters					
Strongly Approve	27.3%	26.1%	27.1%	26.7%	25.5%
Somewhat Approve	19.9%	20.3%	21.1%	19.2%	20.1%
Somewhat Disapprove	15.4%	12.1%	13%	12.1%	14.4%
Strongly Disapprove	37.4%	41.4%	38.8%	42%	40%

## 13) If the 2020 presidential election were being held today between Republican Donald Trump and Democrat Joe Biden, for whom would you vote?

	All Adults	Likely Voters	
Donald Trump	35%	44.3%	
Joe Biden	42.8%	52.2%	
I Would Not Vote	22.2%	3.5%	

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Adults					
Donald Trump	35%	34.8%	32.4%	31.7%	35%
Joe Biden	43.2%	43.3%	44.9%	45.5%	42.8%
I Would Not Vote	21.8%	21.9%	22.7%	22.8%	22.2%
Likely Voters					
Donald Trump	42.8%	43.8%	43.3%	42.1%	44.3%
Joe Biden	51.1%	50.2%	52.8%	53.9%	52.2%
I Would Not Vote	6.1%	6%	4%	4%	3.5%

## 14) If the election for U.S. Congress were being held today, for whom would you vote in the district where you live?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
The Democratic Party Can-	39.3%	45.8%
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The Republican Party Can-	29.1%	38%
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Other	1.9%	1.9%
Not Sure	14.2%	13.2%
I Would Not Vote	15.5%	1.1%

	03-28-20	04-04-20	04-11-20	04-14-20	04-18-20
Adults					
The Democratic Party Candidate	39.6%	40.1%	37.2%	39.5%	39.3%
The Republican Party Candidate	28.9%	29.3%	28.8%	27.8%	29.1%
Other	2.5%	2.5%	2.5%	2.4%	1.9%
Not Sure	12.9%	13%	15.1%	16.2%	14.2%
I Would Not Vote	16.1%	15.1%	16.5%	14.2%	15.5%
Likely Voters					
The Democratic Party Candidate	47%	46.5%	43.8%	46.8%	45.8%
The Republican Party Candidate	36.6%	37.5%	37%	35.3%	38%
Other	1.8%	3%	3.1%	3.1%	1.9%
Not Sure	13.9%	12.4%	15.5%	14%	13.2%
I Would Not Vote	0.7%	0.6%	0.7%	0.8%	1.1%

### 15) In your opinion, what is the most important political issue facing the United States today?

	All Adults	Likely Voters
Jobs And Unemployment	14.4%	13.7%
The Economy	25.1%	27.8%
Gun Policy	3.6%	3%
Climate Change	7.7%	8%
Health Care	25.7%	26.7%
Immigration	8%	7.9%
Foreign Affairs	1.7%	1.7%
Taxes	3.8%	2.6%
A Different Political Issue	9.9%	8.7%

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Adults					
Jobs And Unemployment	8.1%	11.9%	12.9%	14.4%	14.4%
The Economy	21.2%	26.6%	23.2%	23.3%	25.1%
Gun Policy	3.1%	3.2%	3.3%	4.6%	3.6%
Climate Change	6.6%	6.1%	6.3%	7.4%	7.7%
Health Care	33.1%	27.3%	30.7%	28.1%	25.7%
Immigration	10.5%	8.3%	6.7%	6.1%	8%
Foreign Affairs	3.4%	3.1%	1.2%	1.5%	1.7%
Taxes	2.7%	2%	2.3%	2%	3.8%
A Different Political Issue	11.3%	11.4%	13.3%	12.6%	9.9%
Likely Voters					
Jobs And Unemployment	7.3%	10.2%	12%	12.7%	13.7%
The Economy	23.5%	27.1%	28.2%	27.6%	27.8%
Gun Policy	3.5%	3.1%	3%	3.2%	3%
Climate Change	7.1%	8%	6.8%	7.9%	8%
Health Care	33.7%	29.2%	30.9%	28.7%	26.7%
Immigration	11.1%	9.2%	8.6%	7.8%	7.9%
Foreign Affairs	2.1%	2.5%	1.2%	1.6%	1.7%
Taxes	2.5%	2.3%	2.1%	2.1%	2.6%
A Different Political Issue	9.2%	8.3%	7%	8.2%	8.7%