

Interviews with 1,035 adult Americans conducted by telephone by ORC International on December 16-19, 2013. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 3 percentage points.

The sample also includes 950 interviews among registered voters (plus or minus 3 percentage points)

The sample includes 733 interviews among landline respondents and 302 interviews among cell phone respondents.
21. As you may know, a bill that makes major changes to the country's health care system became law in 2010. Based on what you have read or heard about that legislation, do you generally favor or generally oppose it?
22. (IF OPPOSE) Do you oppose that legislation because you think its approach toward health care is too liberal, or because you think it is not liberal enough?

|  | RESULTS FROM QUESTION 21 ONLY |  |  | RESULTS FROMQUESTIONS 21 AND 22 COMBINED |  |  |  |
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|  | $\underline{\text { Favor }}$ | Oppose | No opinion | $\begin{gathered} \text { Favor } \\ \text { (from Q. 21) } \end{gathered}$ | Oppose, too <br> liberal | Oppose, not liberal enough | $\underset{\substack{\text { No } \\ \text { opinion* }}}{\text { nen }}$ |
| Dec. 16-19, 2013 | 35\% | 62\% | $3 \%$ | 35\% | 43\% | 15\% | 8\% |
| Nov. 18-20, 2013 | 40\% | 58\% | 2\% | 40\% | 41\% | 14\% | 5\% |
| Oct. 18-20, 2013 | 41\% | 56\% | 3\% | 41\% | 38\% | 12\% | 9\% |
| Sept. 27-29, 2013 | 38\% | 57\% | 4\% | 38\% | 39\% | 11\% | 13\% |
| May 17-18, 2013 | 43\% | 54\% | 3\% | 43\% | 35\% | 16\% | 7\% |
| Nov. 16-18, 2012 | 42\% | 51\% | 6\% | 42\% | 37\% | 9\% | 11\% |
| May 29-31, 2012 | 43\% | 51\% | 6\% | 43\% | 34\% | 13\% | 10\% |
| Mar. 24-25, 2012 | 43\% | 50\% | 7\% | 43\% | 37\% | 10\% | 10\% |
| Nov. 18-20, 2011 | 38\% | 56\% | 6\% | 38\% | 37\% | 14\% | 10\% |
| June 3-7, 2011 | 29\% | 56\% | 5\% | 39\% | 36\% | 14\% | 10\% |
| Mar. 11-13, 2011 | 37\% | 59\% | 5\% | 37\% | 43\% | 13\% | 7\% |
| Dec. 17-19, 2010 | 43\% | 54\% | 3\% | 43\% | 37\% | 13\% | 7\% |
| Aug. 6-10, 2010 | 40\% | 56\% | 4\% | 40\% | 41\% | 13\% | 6\% |
| Mar. 19-21, 2010 | 39\% | 59\% | 2\% | 39\% | 43\% | 13\% | 5\% |

*No opinion column for the combined results for Questions 9 and 10 includes all respondents who gave no opinion on either Question 21 or Question 22.

QUESTION WORDING PRIOR TO AUGUST 2010: As you may know, the U.S. House of Representatives and the U.S. Senate are trying to pass final legislation that would make major changes in the country's health care system. Based on what you have read or heard about that legislation, do you generally favor it or generally oppose it?

QUESTION WORDING FOR AUGUST AND DECEMBER 2010: As you may know, a bill that makes major changes to the country's health care system became law earlier this year. Based on what you have read or heard about that le gislation, do you generally favor or generally oppose it?

QUESTION WORDING FOR MARCH AND JUNE 2011: As you may know, a bill that makes major changes to the country's health care system became law last year. Based on what you have read or heard about that legislation, do you generally favor or generally oppose it?
23. From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and your family will, in general, be better off, worse off, or about the same when the provisions of the health care law take effect next year?

|  | Dec. 16-19 <br> $\underline{2013}$ | Sept. 27-29 <br> $\underline{2013}$ | Sept. 21-23 <br> $\underline{2010}$ | Mar. 25-28 | Mar. 19-21 |
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|  | $\underline{2010}$ | $\underline{2010}$ |  |  |  |
| Better off | $16 \%$ | $17 \%$ |  | $18 \%$ |  |
| Worse off | $42 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $19 \%$ |
| About the same | $40 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $47 \%$ |
| No opinion | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $33 \%$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

QUESTION WORDING SEPT 2013: From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and your family would, in general, be better off, worse off or about the same when the provisions of the health care law take effect?

QUESTION WORDING FOR 2010: From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and your family would, in general, be better off, worse off or about the same if it becomes law?

## FOR COMPARISON

## CNN/OPINION RESEARCH CORPORATION AND CNN/TIME TRENDS

|  | Better off | Worse off | About the same | No opinion |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\underline{\text { CNN/ORC }}$ - |  |  |  |  |
| 2009 Sept. 11-13 | 21\% | 35\% | 43\% | 1\% |
| 2009 Aug. 28-31 | 21\% | 28\% | 40\% | * |
| 2009 June 26-28 | 20\% | $35 \%$ | 44\% | 1\% |
| CNN/TIME |  |  |  |  |
| 1994 Aug 17-18 | 20\% | 31\% | 45\% | 4\% |
| 1994 July | 15\% | 31\% | 50\% | 4\% |
| 1994 Jan | 18\% | 29\% | 50\% | 3\% |
| 1993 Oct | 20\% | 29\% | 48\% | 3\% |
| 1993 Sept | 20\% | 21\% | 57\% | 2\% |

24. From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and members of your family will or will not be able to receive care from the same doctors you see now?

| Dec. 16-19 | June 26-28 |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\underline{2013}$ | $\underline{2009}$ |

Would be able to receive care
from same doctors
$61 \% \quad 65 \%$
Would not be able to receive care from same doctors
No opinion $35 \% \quad 31 \%$

## $4 \%$

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QUESTION WORDING FOR 2009: From what you know of those health care reforms, do you think you and members of your family would or would not be able to receive care from the same doctors you see now?
25. And from what you know of that legislation, do you think the amount you pay for medical care will increase, decrease, or remain the same?
$\left.\begin{array}{lcccc} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Dec. 16-19 } \\ \underline{2013}\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { Sept. 11-13 } \\ \\ \\ \\ \text { Increase }\end{array} & \underline{2009} & \underline{2009}\end{array}\right)$

QUESTION WORDING FOR 2009: From what you know of the health care reforms which the Administration is working on, do you think the amount you pay for medical care would increase, decrease, or remain the same?

## CNN/TIME TRENDS

|  | Increase | Decrease | Remain the same | No opinion |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1994 Mar 2-3 |  |  |  |  |
| 1994 Jan 17-18 | $70 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| 1993 Oct 28 | $59 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $24 \%$ | $6 \%$ |
| 1993 Sept 23 | $58 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $11 \%$ |
| 1993 Sept 8-9 | $61 \%$ | $9 \%$ | $25 \%$ | $5 \%$ |

## METHODOLOGY

A total of 1035 adults were interviewed by telephone nationwide by live interviewers calling both landline and cell phones. All respondents were asked questions concerning basic demographics, and the entire sample was weighted to reflect national Census figures for gender, race, age, education, region of country, and telephone usage. Among the entire sample, $33 \%$ described themselves as Democrats, $24 \%$ described themselves as Republicans, and $43 \%$ described themselves as Independents or members of another party

Crosstabs on the following pages only include results for subgroups with enough unweighted cases to produce a sampling error of $+/-8.5$ percentage points or less. Some subgroups represent too small a share of the national population to produce crosstabs with an acceptable sampling error. Interviews were conducted among these subgroups, but results for groups with a sampling error larger than $+/-8.5$ percentage points are not displayed and instead are denoted with "N/A".

CNN/ORC International Poll -- December 16 to 19, 2013
Question 21
As you may know, a bill that makes major changes to the country's health care system became law in 2010. Based on what you have read or heard about that legislation, do you generally favor or generally oppose it?

Base $=$ Total Sample


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Question 21/22
Q. 21 As you may know, a bill that makes major changes to the country's health care system became law in 2010. Based on what you have read or heard about that legislation, do you generally favor or generally oppose it?
Q. 22 Do you oppose that legislation because you think its approach toward health care is too liberal or because you think it is not liberal enough?

Base = Total Sample


* percentage less than 1\%

CNN/ORC International Poll -- December 16 to 19, 2013
Question 23
From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and your family will, in general, be better off, worse off, or about the same when the provisions of the health care law take effect next year?

Base $=$ Total Sample
Better off
Worse off
About the same
No opinion

Better off
Worse off
About the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Better off
Worse off
About the same
No opinion
Sampling Error

Better off
Worse off
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Better off
Worse off
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No opinion
Sampling Error

| Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| $16 \%$ | $18 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $24 \%$ |
| $42 \%$ | $43 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $52 \%$ | $22 \%$ |
| $40 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $44 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $52 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-6.5$ |


|  | $18-$ | $35-$ | $50-$ |  | Under | 50 and |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Total | 34 | 49 | 64 | $65+$ | 50 | Older |
| ---- | ---- | ---- | ---- | ---- | ---- | ----- |
| $16 \%$ | $22 \%$ | $13 \%$ | $14 \%$ | $12 \%$ | $17 \%$ | $13 \%$ |
| $42 \%$ | $32 \%$ | $49 \%$ | $41 \%$ | $50 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $45 \%$ |
| $40 \%$ | $45 \%$ | $38 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $37 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $39 \%$ |
| $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $*$ | $4 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $3 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-8.0$ | $+/-7.0$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-5.5$ | $+/-4.0$ |

* percentage less than 1\%

CNN/ORC International Poll -- December 16 to 19, 2013
Question 24
From what you know of that legislation, do you think you and members of your family will or will not be able to receive care from the same doctors you see now?

Base = Total Sample

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| Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | -------- |
| $61 \%$ | $61 \%$ | $61 \%$ | $55 \%$ | $73 \%$ |
| $35 \%$ | $35 \%$ | $36 \%$ | $40 \%$ | $25 \%$ |
| $4 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $3 \%$ | $4 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-6.5$ |

* percentage less than 1\%

CNN/ORC International Poll -- December 16 to 19, 2013
Question 25
And from what you know of that legislation, do you think the amount you pay for medical care will increase, decrease, or remain the same?

Base $=$ Total Sample

|  | Total | Men | Women | White | Non-White |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | ---: | :---: | ---: |
|  | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | --------- |
| Increase | $63 \%$ | $64 \%$ | $62 \%$ | $70 \%$ | $48 \%$ |
| Decrease | $7 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $7 \%$ | $6 \%$ | $10 \%$ |
| Remain the same | $28 \%$ | $26 \%$ | $30 \%$ | $23 \%$ | $39 \%$ |
| No opinion | $2 \%$ | $2 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $1 \%$ | $2 \%$ |
| Sampling Error | $+/-3.0$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-4.5$ | $+/-3.5$ | $+/-6.5$ |

Sampling Error

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Sampling Error

* percentage less than 1\%


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