Question 3: Do you feel you have enough information about the health reform law to understand how it will impact you personally, or not?

		YES, HAVE ENOUGH INFORMATION	NO, DO NOT HAVE ENOUGH INFORMA	TION DON'T KNOW	Count
Kentucky Residents		50.8%	46.8%	2.4%	1552
Sex	Male	54.1%	43.3%	2.6%	735
	Female	47.8%	50.0%	2.2%	817
Race	African - American	45.2%	53.3%	1.5%	114
	White	51.8%	45.9%	2.3%	1343
Age	18 to 29	42.3%	54.5%	3.2%	293
	30 to 45	45.3%	52.2%	2.5%	380
	46 to 64	61.8%	36.5%	1.6%	505
	65 and over	46.7%	50.7%	2.6%	339
Education	Less than high school	31.5%	63.9%	4.5%	240
	High school graduate	50.0%	48.3%	1.7%	524
	Some college	48.3%	49.0%	2.6%	458
	College graduate	69.4%	29.0%	1.6%	313
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	41.6%	54.6%	3.8%	316
•	Between 138% and 200% FPL	53.8%	44.0%	2.3%	234
	Above 200% FPL	58.8%	39.0%	2.2%	735
nsurance Status	Insured	53.0%	44.6%	2.4%	1357
	Not insured / Don't know	37.1%	60.2%	2.7%	184
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	58.4%	39.9%	1.6%	620
· ·	Good	45.8%	52.7%	1.5%	507
	Fair / Poor	45.7%	49.7%	4.5%	422
Registered to Vote	Yes	53.5%	44.2%	2.3%	1288
· ·	No	35.7%	61.3%	2.9%	255
Party Identification	Democrat	51.2%	46.7%	2.1%	601
,	Independent	43.0%	52.5%	4.5%	139
	Republican	53.5%	44.8%	1.7%	643
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	49.8%	49.3%	0.9%	315
0 , 0	Louisville Area	62.3%	35.6%	2.1%	318
	Northern Kentucky	50.8%	46.9%	2.3%	302
	Lexington Area	44.3%	52.9%	2.8%	311
	Appalachian ADDs	48.2%	47.6%	4.2%	307
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	51.4%	46.2%	2.3%	972
	R born in Appalachia only*	39.3%	60.7%		66
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	52.0%	47.3%	0.6%	210
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	50.3%	45.5%	4.2%	304
County Designation	Urban County	56.5%	41.9%	1.6%	517
	Suburban County	51.5%	45.6%	2.9%	338
	Rural, small city	46.2%	51.1%	2.7%	697

Question 4: Given what you know about the health reform law, do you have a generally favorable or a generally unfavorable opinion of it?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Cour
Kentucky Residents		17.0%	25.2%	15.6%	14.9%	27.3%	1500
Sex	Male	15.4%	26.1%	14.8%	20.4%	23.2%	714
	Female	18.4%	24.3%	16.3%	10.0%	31.0%	786
Race	African - American	24.4%	38.4%	8.6%	0.7%	28.0%	109
	White	16.5%	24.0%	16.8%	16.1%	26.6%	1302
Age	18 to 29	15.3%	31.4%	17.5%	4.5%	31.4%	282
<b>G</b>	30 to 45	13.8%	25.5%	15.9%	14.3%	30.5%	365
	46 to 64	16.8%	21.2%	18.3%	22.6%	21.0%	488
	65 and over	22.1%	26.9%	10.4%	12.3%	28.2%	331
Education	Less than high school	10.0%	21.1%	7.7%	11.1%	50.1%	230
	High school graduate	13.1%	23.9%	17.7%	17.3%	28.0%	509
	Some college	17.1%	26.8%	16.5%	13.0%	26.7%	441
	College graduate	28.3%	27.9%	17.3%	16.3%	10.2%	304
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	16.4%	30.3%	6.0%	7.1%	40.3%	308
roverty otatas	Between 138% and 200% FPL	19.8%	30.5%	16.0%	10.7%	23.0%	219
	Above 200% FPL	19.6%	25.8%	17.6%	20.7%	16.3%	715
nsurance Status	Insured	18.0%	26.1%	15.3%	14.7%	25.9%	1308
modranoe etatas	Not insured / Don't know	10.7%	19.8%	19.2%	17.3%	33.0%	181
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	18.3%	25.3%	20.6%	16.9%	18.9%	601
garrarar radiin radiing	Good	17.9%	26.0%	14.4%	13.2%	28.6%	493
	Fair / Poor	13.9%	24.2%	9.8%	14.2%	37.9%	403
Registered to Vote	Yes	17.9%	26.2%	17.2%	16.0%	22.8%	1259
, tog.ete.eu te vete	No	11.4%	19.4%	7.3%	9.6%	52.3%	234
Party Identification	Democrat	32.9%	32.6%	8.5%	3.5%	22.5%	586
<b>,</b>	Independent	14.2%	20.5%	16.3%	12.2%	36.7%	130
	Republican	5.2%	20.5%	22.3%	25.8%	26.1%	618
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	13.3%	23.9%	13.5%	16.2%	33.1%	300
gp.	Louisville Area	24.3%	27.9%	18.1%	10.4%	19.3%	315
	Northern Kentucky	15.1%	23.7%	13.9%	20.4%	27.0%	300
	Lexington Area	19.3%	27.8%	15.0%	14.7%	23.1%	292
	Appalachian ADDs	12.7%	22.3%	16.1%	17.3%	31.6%	296
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	17.0%	25.5%	14.3%	15.0%	28.2%	939
ppsdoman otatao	R born in Appalachia only*	26.3%	5.8%	38.1%	9.3%	20.5%	62
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	17.0%	29.9%	15.0%	17.4%	20.8%	205
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	14.8%	25.0%	15.4%	14.3%	30.5%	294
County Designation	Urban County	23.4%	28.4%	13.6%	12.4%	22.2%	503
	Suburban County	13.4%	25.6%	15.8%	16.1%	29.1%	328

Question 4: Given what you know about the health reform law, do you have a generally favorable or a generally unfavorable opinion of it?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Count
Enough Information About	Yes, Enough Information	24.7%	31.3%	16.8%	21.6%	5.7%	773
Affordable Care Act	No, Not Enough Information	8.9%	18.9%	14.5%	7.9%	49.8%	685
Personal Impact of the Health	Positive	52.0%	33.4%	2.4%	1.5%	10.7%	270
Reform Law	Negative	0.4%	8.4%	31.6%	48.4%	11.2%	271
	No Impact	13.5%	31.0%	16.9%	10.6%	27.9%	810
	Both Positive and Negative*	16.0%	23.4%	2.6%	8.4%	49.6%	13

Question 4 [COMBINED]: Given what you know about the health reform law, do you have a generally favorable or a generally unfavorable opinion of it?

		Very / Somewhat favorable	Very / Somewhat unfavorable	Don't Know	Count
Kentucky Residents		42.1%	30.6%	27.3%	1500
Sex	Male	41.5%	35.3%	23.2%	714
	Female	42.7%	26.3%	31.0%	786
Race	African - American	62.7%	9.3%	28.0%	109
	White	40.5%	32.9%	26.6%	1302
Age	18 to 29	46.6%	22.0%	31.4%	282
3	30 to 45	39.3%	30.2%	30.5%	365
	46 to 64	38.0%	40.9%	21.0%	488
	65 and over	49.0%	22.8%	28.2%	331
Education	Less than high school	31.1%	18.8%	50.1%	230
Eddodion	High school graduate	36.9%	35.1%	28.0%	509
	Some college	43.8%	29.5%	26.7%	441
	College graduate	56.2%	33.6%	10.2%	304
		30.276	33.0 %	10.270	304
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	46.7%	13.0%	40.3%	308
	Between 138% and 200% FPL	50.3%	26.7%	23.0%	219
	Above 200% FPL	45.4%	38.3%	16.3%	715
Insurance Status	Insured	44.1%	30.0%	25.9%	1308
ilisulatice Status	Not insured / Don't know	30.5%			
	Not insured / Don't know	30.5%	36.5%	33.0%	181
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	43.6%	37.5%	18.9%	601
	Good	43.8%	27.6%	28.6%	493
	Fair / Poor	38.2%	23.9%	37.9%	403
Registered to Vote	Yes	44.1%	33.1%	22.8%	1259
ŭ	No	30.8%	17.0%	52.3%	234
Party Identification	Democrat	65.5%	12.0%	22.5%	586
arty racritimodatori	Independent	34.7%	28.6%	36.7%	130
	Republican	25.8%	48.1%	26.1%	618
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	37.2%	29.7%	33.1%	300
Geographical Region	•	52.2%			300 315
	Louisville Area		28.5%	19.3%	
	Northern Kentucky	38.8%	34.2%	27.0%	300
	Lexington Area	47.1%	29.7%	23.1%	292
	Appalachian ADDs	35.0%	33.4%	31.6%	296
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	42.5%	29.3%	28.2%	939
	R born in Appalachia only*	32.1%	47.4%	20.5%	62
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	46.9%	32.3%	20.8%	205
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	39.8%	29.7%	30.5%	294
County Designation	Urban County	51.8%	26.1%	22.2%	503
county boolghadon	Suburban County	39.0%	31.9%	29.1%	328
		36.4%	33.3%	30.3%	669
	Rural, small city	30.4%	33.3%	30.3%	669

### Question 4 [COMBINED]: Given what you know about the health reform law, do you have a generally favorable or a generally unfavorable opinion of it?

		Very / Somewhat favorable	Very / Somewhat unfavorable	Don't Know	Count
Enough Information About	Yes, Enough Information	56.0%	38.3%	5.7%	773
Affordable Care Act	No, Not Enough Information	27.8%	22.4%	49.8%	685
Personal Impact of the	Positive	85.4%	3.9%	10.7%	270
Health Reform Law	Negative	8.8%	80.0%	11.2%	271
	No Impact	44.6%	27.5%	27.9%	810
	Both Positive and Negative*	39.4%	11.0%	49.6%	13

Question 5: Overall, which of the following statements would you say best describes the impact of the health reform law on you and your family personally...

		The health reform law has positively affected me and my family	The health reform law has negatively affected me and my family	The health reform law has not had an impact on me and my family	BOTH POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE (VOL.)	DON'T KNOW	Count
Kentucky Residents		17.6%	17.6%	54.8%	0.9%	9.1%	1546
Sex	Male	15.2%	18.2%	57.2%	1.1%	8.3%	733
	Female	19.8%	17.1%	52.6%	0.8%	9.8%	812
Race	African - American	32.3%	11.2%	46.4%		10.0%	112
	White	16.2%	18.4%	55.5%	1.0%	8.9%	1339
Age	18 to 29	17.5%	10.9%	63.5%	1.4%	6.6%	293
	30 to 45	16.3%	22.4%	50.6%	1.6%	9.2%	373
	46 to 64	19.7%	21.9%	52.1%	0.5%	5.8%	505
	65 and over	16.2%	11.2%	57.0%	0.0%	15.5%	339
Education	Less than high school	10.7%	13.1%	54.3%	1.7%	20.2%	236
	High school graduate	14.6%	18.3%	58.5%	0.7%	8.0%	522
	Some college	19.6%	17.8%	53.0%	1.4%	8.2%	459
	College graduate	24.0%	19.9%	51.8%	0.1%	4.2%	312
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	24.3%	12.6%	47.3%	1.5%	14.2%	310
•	Between 138% and 200% FPL	19.2%	19.2%	50.4%	2.0%	9.2%	235
	Above 200% FPL	17.1%	20.0%	58.7%	0.4%	3.9%	734
Insurance Status	Insured	18.7%	16.6%	54.7%	0.8%	9.2%	1351
	Not insured / Don't know	10.6%	26.1%	54.0%	1.1%	8.2%	183
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	14.2%	20.0%	59.2%	0.1%	6.5%	620
_	Good	20.1%	15.0%	56.6%	0.8%	7.5%	504
	Fair / Poor	19.7%	17.2%	45.8%	2.4%	14.9%	419
Registered to Vote	Yes	18.2%	19.3%	54.8%	1.0%	6.7%	1287
Ū	No	13.3%	9.5%	54.9%	0.8%	21.6%	251
Party Identification	Democrat	30.3%	8.9%	52.6%	0.6%	7.6%	601
•	Independent	15.7%	14.9%	49.6%	3.9%	15.8%	139
	Republican	6.4%	25.7%	60.4%	0.8%	6.6%	637
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	12.2%	15.9%	60.2%	1.3%	10.3%	311
5.	Louisville Area	29.3%	16.1%	47.4%	0.7%	6.5%	318
	Northern Kentucky	16.1%	19.5%	55.6%	0.3%	8.6%	302
	Lexington Area	16.6%	20.5%	55.3%		7.6%	312
	Appalachian ADDs	14.8%	19.4%	54.1%	1.8%	9.9%	303
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	17.4%	16.1%	56.2%	0.8%	9.5%	971
	R born in Appalachia only*	8.3%	13.1%	62.6%		16.0%	65
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	21.7%	22.8%	48.2%	1.3%	6.0%	210
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	17.2%	19.8%	53.1%	1.4%	8.5%	300

Question 5: Overall, which of the following statements would you say best describes the impact of the health reform law on you and your family personally...

		The health reform law has positively affected me and my family	The health reform law has negatively affected me and my family	The health reform law has not had an impact on me and my family	BOTH POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE (VOL.)	DON'T KNOW	Count
County Designation	Urban County	22.1%	13.1%	56.4%	0.3%	8.2%	517
	Suburban County	21.6%	20.3%	49.4%	0.4%	8.4%	338
	Rural, small city	12.2%	19.7%	56.2%	1.7%	10.2%	691
Enough Information About	Yes, Enough Information	24.0%	22.8%	51.0%	0.5%	1.8%	788
Affordable Care Act	No, Not Enough Information	11.1%	12.8%	58.9%	1.5%	15.7%	716
Support for Affordable	Very / Somewhat favorable	36.6%	3.8%	57.2%	0.8%	1.5%	630
Care Act	Very / Somewhat unfavorable	2.3%	47.4%	48.6%	0.3%	1.4%	459
Concern over Losing	Yes	35.1%	20.2%	36.6%	1.3%	6.8%	188
Coverage	No	16.1%	16.3%	58.3%	0.5%	8.8%	1139

Question 29a: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Medicare, the government health insurance program for seniors and for younger adults with long-term disabilities?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Count
Kentucky Residents		56.0%	23.7%	7.4%	7.0%	5.9%	1540
Sex	Male	55.1%	24.6%	7.9%	6.2%	6.2%	723
Sex	Female		23.0%	7.9% 6.9%	7.6%	5.6%	723 817
	remale	56.9%	23.0%	0.9%	7.0%	5.0%	817
Race	African - American	60.1%	17.2%	6.9%	6.7%	9.1%	112
	White	56.3%	24.5%	7.1%	6.9%	5.2%	1336
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Age	18 to 29	57.5%	24.5%	4.8%	2.9%	10.3%	288
	30 to 45	52.9%	23.6%	7.4%	9.3%	6.9%	373
	46 to 64	50.3%	26.2%	10.5%	8.2%	4.8%	503
	65 and over	68.3%	18.8%	4.4%	5.9%	2.5%	340
Education	Less than high school	52.4%	20.0%	5.6%	10.9%	11.1%	240
Ladodion	High school graduate	58.0%	22.1%	7.4%	7.0%	5.6%	521
	Some college	57.1%	22.1%	8.9%	5.9%	5.6%	452
	S S	54.0%	31.5%	6.2%	5.3%	3.0%	310
	College graduate	54.0%	31.5%	0.2%	5.3%	3.0%	310
overty Status	138% and below FPL	56.6%	18.4%	5.5%	11.2%	8.3%	309
•	Between 138% and 200% FPL	67.1%	17.8%	6.9%	4.8%	3.4%	235
	Above 200% FPL	56.6%	26.8%	7.7%	5.4%	3.6%	734
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nsurance Status	Insured	57.4%	23.5%	6.8%	7.5%	4.9%	1346
	Not insured / Don't know	48.3%	24.9%	10.5%	3.7%	12.6%	183
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	56.0%	27.1%	8.1%	3.7%	5.1%	613
Contract Floater Floater	Good	53.5%	24.3%	7.9%	5.5%	8.7%	503
	Fair / Poor	59.4%	18.1%	5.2%	13.5%	3.8%	421
Registered to Vote	Yes	56.9%	25.2%	6.9%	6.8%	4.2%	1283
	No	51.2%	16.2%	9.4%	7.9%	15.2%	249
Party Identification	Democrat	63.4%	22.8%	4.2%	4.8%	4.8%	599
rarty identification	Independent	53.4%	16.1%	12.7%	9.0%	8.8%	132
	Republican	54.4%	26.9%	7.9%	6.8%	4.1%	639
		O4.470	20.570	7.570	0.070	4.170	000
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	56.6%	22.7%	7.0%	7.3%	6.5%	309
	Louisville Area	50.9%	30.2%	8.7%	5.5%	4.7%	316
	Northern Kentucky	50.2%	26.3%	8.3%	7.8%	7.4%	301
	Lexington Area	51.9%	27.8%	6.0%	10.3%	3.9%	306
	Appalachian ADDs	64.6%	15.8%	7.0%	6.1%	6.4%	308
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Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	52.9%	26.9%	7.7%	7.3%	5.2%	964
	R born in Appalachia only*	77.9%	14.1%	0.7%	0.407	7.3%	64
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	55.0%	22.0%	8.6%	6.1%	8.3%	208
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	61.9%	16.9%	6.9%	8.1%	6.2%	305
County Designation	Urban County	53.2%	28.6%	7.9%	6.6%	3.7%	512
Committee of the contract of t	Suburban County	58.3%	23.7%	6.8%	6.7%	4.6%	338
	Rural, small city	57.0%	20.2%	7.2%	7.4%	8.2%	691

\*Note: Number of respondents is 75 or less. Additional caution should be taken when interpreting the findings of this subgroup because of the potential for larger variation.

\*\*Number of respondents is less than 10. Data omitted.

### Question 29a: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Medicare, the government health insurance program for seniors and for younger adults with long-term disabilities?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Count
Type of Health Insurance	Employer - Based Health Insurance	51.6%	27.1%	8.8%	6.0%	6.4%	545
	Medicare / Medicaid	66.5%	15.8%	5.5%	8.5%	3.7%	608
	Plan Purchased Yourself*	58.9%	30.6%	2.7%	6.5%	1.3%	61
	Other	40.4%	40.3%	7.9%	5.5%	6.0%	113
Concern over Losing Coverage	Yes	54.4%	23.3%	7.1%	11.8%	3.4%	186
	No	58.0%	23.6%	6.9%	6.8%	4.6%	1139

Question 29a [COMBINED]: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Medicare, the government health insurance program for seniors and for younger adults with long-term disabilities?

		Favor	Oppose	Don't Know	Count
Kentucky Residents		79.8%	14.3%	5.9%	1540
Sex	Male	79.6%	14.1%	6.2%	723
	Female	79.9%	14.5%	5.6%	817
Race	African - American	77.3%	13.6%	9.1%	112
	White	80.8%	14.0%	5.2%	1336
Age	18 to 29	82.0%	7.7%	10.3%	288
3	30 to 45	76.5%	16.7%	6.9%	373
	46 to 64	76.5%	18.8%	4.8%	503
	65 and over	87.2%	10.3%	2.5%	340
Education	Less than high school	72.4%	16.5%	11.1%	240
	High school graduate	80.1%	14.4%	5.6%	521
	Some college	79.6%	14.8%	5.6%	452
	College graduate	85.5%	11.5%	3.0%	310
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	75.0%	16.7%	8.3%	309
	Between 138% and 200% FPL	84.9%	11.6%	3.4%	235
	Above 200% FPL	83.3%	13.0%	3.6%	734
nsurance Status	Insured	80.8%	14.3%	4.9%	1346
modranoo otatao	Not insured / Don't know	73.3%	14.2%	12.6%	183
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	83.1%	11.8%	5.1%	613
eneral Health Rating	Good	77.9%	13.4%	8.7%	503
	Fair / Poor	77.5%	18.7%	3.8%	421
Registered to Vote	Yes	82.1%	13.7%	4.2%	1283
rtogistorou to voto	No	67.5%	17.3%	15.2%	249
Party Identification	Democrat	86.2%	9.0%	4.8%	599
· <b>,</b> ·	Independent	69.5%	21.7%	8.8%	132
	Republican	81.3%	14.7%	4.1%	639
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	79.3%	14.3%	6.5%	309
3 1 3	Louisville Area	81.1%	14.2%	4.7%	316
	Northern Kentucky	76.5%	16.1%	7.4%	301
	Lexington Area	79.7%	16.4%	3.9%	306
	Appalachian ADDs	80.4%	13.1%	6.4%	308
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	79.9%	14.9%	5.2%	964
	R born in Appalachia only*	92.0%	0.7%	7.3%	64
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	77.0%	14.7%	8.3%	208
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	78.8%	15.0%	6.2%	305
County Designation	Urban County	81.7%	14.5%	3.7%	512
, ,	Suburban County	81.9%	13.5%	4.6%	338
	Rural, small city	77.2%	14.6%	8.2%	691

\*Note: Number of respondents is 75 or less. Additional caution should be taken when interpreting the findings of this subgroup because of the potential for larger variation.

\*\*Number of respondents is less than 10. Data omitted.

# Question 29a [COMBINED]: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Medicare, the government health insurance program for seniors and for younger adults with long-term disabilities?

		Favor	Oppose	Don't Know	Count
Type of Health Insurance	Employer - Based Health Insurance	78.7%	14.8%	6.4%	545
	Medicare / Medicaid	82.3%	14.0%	3.7%	608
	Plan Purchased Yourself*	89.5%	9.2%	1.3%	61
	Other	80.7%	13.4%	6.0%	113
Concern over Losing Coverage	Yes	77.6%	18.9%	3.4%	186
	No	81.7%	13.8%	4.6%	1139

Question 29b: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Medicaid, the government health insurance and long-term care program for certain low-income adults and children?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Count
Kentucky Residents		43.8%	30.3%	9.7%	8.0%	8.2%	1533
Sex	Male	39.0%	32.4%	9.4%	8.2%	10.9%	720
COX	Female	48.1%	28.4%	10.0%	7.7%	5.7%	813
Race	African - American	49.9%	27.1%	9.7%	3.3%	10.0%	111
	White	43.7%	30.3%	10.0%	8.2%	7.9%	1331
Age	18 to 29	38.7%	36.8%	7.4%	7.0%	10.1%	289
	30 to 45	45.4%	28.2%	12.0%	7.5%	6.9%	374
	46 to 64	44.5%	29.4%	9.7%	8.5%	7.8%	500
	65 and over	46.9%	28.0%	9.5%	7.7%	8.0%	337
Education	Less than high school	47.7%	16.9%	14.5%	8.0%	12.9%	240
	High school graduate	41.9%	30.2%	9.0%	9.8%	9.2%	522
	Some college	46.6%	32.3%	9.1%	6.2%	5.8%	446
	College graduate	40.0%	37.5%	8.4%	7.7%	6.3%	310
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	54.8%	20.1%	10.2%	7.5%	7.4%	310
	Between 138% and 200% FPL	55.3%	24.5%	11.9%	6.1%	2.2%	233
	Above 200% FPL	38.1%	36.4%	8.6%	9.0%	8.0%	733
Insurance Status	Insured	45.9%	29.3%	9.5%	7.5%	7.7%	1342
	Not insured / Don't know	29.8%	37.6%	9.3%	11.7%	11.7%	183
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	35.2%	35.9%	10.1%	9.6%	9.1%	610
_	Good	48.0%	28.8%	8.5%	5.7%	9.1%	500
	Fair / Poor	51.7%	23.4%	10.8%	8.4%	5.7%	421
Registered to Vote	Yes	45.2%	30.4%	9.8%	7.5%	7.1%	1278
	No	36.4%	29.3%	9.5%	10.7%	14.1%	248
Party Identification	Democrat	59.4%	25.0%	8.1%	2.3%	5.2%	597
•	Independent	38.6%	26.7%	16.1%	8.4%	10.2%	137
	Republican	34.8%	34.1%	10.5%	11.6%	9.0%	635
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	40.2%	30.4%	9.3%	10.1%	10.0%	311
	Louisville Area	41.6%	31.3%	10.9%	7.8%	8.4%	315
	Northern Kentucky	40.1%	33.6%	9.8%	9.4%	7.0%	297
	Lexington Area	40.7%	33.9%	12.1%	6.2%	7.1%	305
	Appalachian ADDs	51.1%	27.1%	7.7%	7.3%	6.7%	304
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	41.1%	31.3%	10.2%	9.3%	8.1%	963
	R born in Appalachia only*	51.6%	20.1%	3.8%	12.5%	11.9%	63
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	44.6%	28.5%	10.0%	6.4%	10.5%	207
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	50.6%	30.3%	9.5%	3.7%	6.0%	301
County Designation	Urban County	40.9%	33.2%	8.9%	8.8%	8.1%	509
	Suburban County	49.6%	28.3%	8.6%	8.3%	5.2%	335
	Rural, small city	43.2%	29.1%	10.9%	7.2%	9.7%	689

### Question 29b: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Medicaid, the government health insurance and long-term care program for certain low-income adults and children?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Count
Type of Health Insurance	Employer - Based Health Insurance	36.0%	35.8%	10.9%	8.8%	8.5%	543
	Medicare / Medicaid	57.1%	22.4%	8.4%	5.6%	6.5%	609
	Plan Purchased Yourself*	47.9%	29.9%	4.5%	8.6%	9.2%	61
	Other	33.1%	37.5%	13.9%	9.2%	6.3%	110
Concern over Losing Coverage	Yes	49.8%	22.8%	15.6%	7.2%	4.6%	189
	No	45.7%	30.4%	8.7%	7.6%	7.6%	1132

Question 29b [COMBINED]: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Medicaid, the government health insurance and long-term care program for certain low-income adults and children?

		Favor	Oppose	Don't Know	Count
Kentucky Residents		74.1%	17.7%	8.2%	1533
Sex	Male	71.4%	17.7%	10.9%	720
	Female	76.5%	17.8%	5.7%	813
Race	African - American	77.0%	13.0%	10.0%	111
	White	74.0%	18.1%	7.9%	1331
Age	18 to 29	75.5%	14.4%	10.1%	289
ŭ	30 to 45	73.6%	19.5%	6.9%	374
	46 to 64	74.0%	18.2%	7.8%	500
	65 and over	74.9%	17.2%	8.0%	337
Education	Less than high school	64.6%	22.5%	12.9%	240
	High school graduate	72.1%	18.8%	9.2%	522
	Some college	78.9%	15.3%	5.8%	446
	College graduate	77.6%	16.1%	6.3%	310
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	74.9%	17.7%	7.4%	310
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	Above 200% FPL	74.4%	17.6%	8.0%	733
Insurance Status	Insured	75.2%	17.0%	7.7%	1342
nourance otatus	Not insured / Don't know	67.4%	21.0%	11.7%	183
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	71.1%	19.7%	9.1%	610
General Health Rating	Good	76.8%	14.1%	9.1%	500
	Fair / Poor	75.1%	19.2%	5.7%	421
Registered to Vote	Yes	75.6%	17.3%	7.1%	1278
registered to vote	No	65.7%	20.2%	14.1%	248
Party Identification	Democrat	84.4%	10.4%	5.2%	597
Faity Identification	Independent	65.3%	24.5%	10.2%	137
	Republican	68.9%	22.1%	9.0%	635
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	70.6%	19.4%	10.0%	311
Seographical Negion	Louisville Area	70.0%	18.7%	8.4%	315
	Northern Kentucky	73.7%	19.3%	7.0%	297
	Lexington Area	74.7%	18.2%	7.1%	305
	Appalachian ADDs	78.2%	15.1%	6.7%	304
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	72.4%	19.5%	8.1%	963
Appaiaoman Otatus	R born in Appalachia only*	72.4%	16.3%	11.9%	63
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	71.6%	16.4%	10.5%	207
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	80.8%	13.2%	6.0%	301
County Designation	Urban County	74.1%	17.8%	8.1%	509
County Designation	Suburban County	74.1% 77.9%	16.9%	5.2%	335
	Rural, small city	77.9% 72.3%	18.1%	9.7%	689

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## Question 29b [COMBINED]: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of Medicaid, the government health insurance and long-term care program for certain low-income adults and children?

		Favor	Oppose	Don't Know	Count
Type of Health Insurance	Employer - Based Health Insurance	71.8%	19.7%	8.5%	543
	Medicare / Medicaid	79.5%	14.0%	6.5%	609
	Plan Purchased Yourself*	77.8%	13.1%	9.2%	61
	Other	70.6%	23.1%	6.3%	110
Concern over Losing Coverage	Yes	72.6%	22.8%	4.6%	189
9	No	76.1%	16.3%	7.6%	1132

Question 29c: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of private health insurance plans that people get THROUGH THEIR JOBS?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Coun
Kentucky Residents		44.4%	32.2%	8.4%	7.6%	7.4%	1528
Sex	Male	43.4%	34.5%	7.8%	8.2%	6.1%	718
	Female	45.3%	30.2%	8.9%	7.1%	8.5%	811
Race	African - American	50.3%	24.8%	7.4%	5.4%	12.2%	110
	White	45.1%	32.7%	7.8%	7.8%	6.6%	1325
Age	18 to 29	34.7%	40.7%	6.2%	8.3%	10.1%	282
	30 to 45	36.2%	34.1%	12.7%	10.8%	6.2%	375
	46 to 64	47.8%	30.0%	10.2%	7.2%	4.9%	498
	65 and over	57.3%	26.3%	2.9%	4.3%	9.2%	339
Education	Less than high school	37.8%	30.3%	9.1%	4.6%	18.2%	237
	High school graduate	47.5%	32.8%	7.0%	7.0%	5.8%	514
	Some college	45.7%	30.1%	8.9%	9.6%	5.7%	451
	College graduate	42.7%	35.0%	9.5%	8.7%	4.1%	310
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	38.2%	29.9%	6.3%	10.8%	14.8%	305
•	Between 138% and 200% FPL	40.5%	29.8%	10.9%	11.7%	7.1%	233
	Above 200% FPL	50.7%	31.8%	7.8%	6.6%	3.1%	732
Insurance Status	Insured	46.9%	31.2%	8.3%	7.0%	6.6%	1334
	Not insured / Don't know	27.6%	38.4%	8.4%	12.7%	12.9%	183
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	45.3%	32.5%	8.5%	8.4%	5.3%	611
_	Good	43.3%	33.7%	8.9%	4.9%	9.2%	495
	Fair / Poor	44.5%	30.2%	7.1%	9.9%	8.3%	420
Registered to Vote	Yes	45.3%	32.2%	7.8%	8.3%	6.5%	1276
-	No	41.0%	31.0%	11.7%	4.6%	11.7%	245
Party Identification	Democrat	39.5%	33.8%	10.1%	7.5%	9.0%	585
	Independent	43.8%	30.3%	7.1%	11.3%	7.5%	137
	Republican	50.6%	32.4%	6.9%	5.7%	4.4%	639
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	41.3%	33.3%	7.2%	9.2%	9.0%	307
	Louisville Area	45.9%	31.0%	10.5%	6.0%	6.6%	317
	Northern Kentucky	42.5%	33.2%	10.3%	7.4%	6.6%	297
	Lexington Area	51.7%	28.7%	9.3%	6.8%	3.5%	298
	Appalachian ADDs	41.7%	35.0%	6.1%	9.1%	8.1%	307
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	44.6%	32.6%	8.4%	7.7%	6.8%	958
	R born in Appalachia only*	42.9%	41.6%	2.1%	2.1%	11.2%	60
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	38.2%	29.3%	13.3%	10.4%	8.8%	210
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	48.5%	31.3%	6.1%	6.7%	7.4%	300
County Designation	Urban County	43.8%	36.7%	8.5%	6.7%	4.3%	499
	Suburban County	48.5%	29.4%	7.8%	8.5%	5.9%	336
	Rural, small city	42.9%	30.3%	8.6%	7.9%	10.3%	693

Question 29c: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of private health insurance plans that people get THROUGH THEIR JOBS?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Count
Type of Health Insurance	Employer - Based Health Insurance	46.8%	33.4%	10.1%	6.4%	3.3%	545
	Medicare / Medicaid	49.4%	26.9%	5.9%	7.9%	10.0%	599
	Plan Purchased Yourself*	47.1%	32.8%	13.0%	5.2%	1.9%	61
	Other	31.1%	45.2%	10.7%	7.1%	5.9%	110
Concern over Losing Coverage	Yes	42.4%	35.4%	8.4%	11.1%	2.8%	187
	No	47.8%	30.8%	8.2%	6.4%	6.7%	1126

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Kentucky Residents		76.6%	16.0%	7.4%	1528
Sex	Male	77.9%	16.1%	6.1%	718
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Race	African - American	75.1%	12.8%	12.2%	110
	White	77.8%	15.7%	6.6%	1325
Age	18 to 29	75.4%	14.5%	10.1%	282
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	College graduate	77.8%	18.2%	4.1%	310
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	68.1%	17.1%	14.8%	305
•	Between 138% and 200% FPL	70.3%	22.6%	7.1%	233
	Above 200% FPL	82.6%	14.4%	3.1%	732
Insurance Status	Insured	78.1%	15.3%	6.6%	1334
	Not insured / Don't know	66.0%	21.1%	12.9%	183
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• •	R born in Appalachia only*	84.6%	4.2%	11.2%	60
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	67.4%	23.7%	8.8%	210
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	79.8%	12.8%	7.4%	300
County Designation	Urban County	80.5%	15.2%	4.3%	499
, ,	Suburban County	77.9%	16.2%	5.9%	336
	Rural, small city	73.2%	16.5%	10.3%	693

#### Question 29c [COMBINED]: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of private health insurance plans that people get THROUGH THEIR JOBS?

		Favor	Oppose	Don't Know	Count
Type of Health Insurance	Employer - Based Health Insurance	80.2%	16.5%	3.3%	545
	Medicare / Medicaid	76.2%	13.8%	10.0%	599
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Question 29d: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of private health insurance plans that people purchase ON THEIR OWN?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Count
Kentucky Residents		30.0%	33.1%	14.1%	11.8%	11.0%	1528
Sex	Male	31.6%	35.1%	12.4%	10.8%	10.1%	723
	Female	28.6%	31.4%	15.7%	12.6%	11.7%	805
Race	African - American	27.2%	32.5%	19.6%	11.5%	9.2%	109
	White	30.2%	33.2%	13.6%	12.1%	10.9%	1327
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	30 to 45	24.1%	34.0%	16.7%	18.6%	6.7%	378
	46 to 64	31.1%	31.9%	13.6%	12.6%	10.7%	500
	65 and over	38.1%	32.0%	9.4%	8.0%	12.5%	333
Education	Less than high school	38.3%	25.7%	11.0%	11.6%	13.5%	238
	High school graduate	28.5%	33.0%	14.6%	10.2%	13.7%	515
	Some college	29.0%	35.2%	12.8%	13.3%	9.7%	455
	College graduate	26.8%	36.1%	17.7%	13.0%	6.5%	304
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	30.4%	25.2%	16.3%	15.4%	12.7%	312
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Insurance Status	Insured	30.0%	33.7%	14.7%	11.5%	10.1%	1334
	Not insured / Don't know	30.3%	28.5%	10.5%	13.4%	17.4%	184
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	29.5%	35.1%	14.1%	11.7%	9.7%	606
	Good	31.5%	35.3%	12.0%	9.0%	12.3%	501
	Fair / Poor	29.0%	28.0%	16.8%	14.8%	11.3%	418
Registered to Vote	Yes	30.3%	34.4%	13.8%	12.1%	9.3%	1274
	No	28.8%	25.7%	15.5%	10.2%	19.7%	246
Party Identification	Democrat	23.5%	34.9%	18.2%	13.2%	10.3%	592
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	Appalachian ADDs	32.6%	27.2%	13.1%	11.6%	15.5%	306
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	31.9%	33.5%	14.3%	11.5%	8.9%	953
	R born in Appalachia only*	23.7%	51.3%	6.7%	2.5%	15.9%	64
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	25.8%	24.6%	16.2%	14.5%	18.9%	210
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	28.3%	34.0%	13.9%	12.7%	11.1%	302
County Designation	Urban County	27.3%	36.9%	15.8%	11.0%	9.0%	507
	Suburban County	34.3%	29.4%	13.3%	12.7%	10.2%	335
	Rural, small city	29.9%	32.2%	13.3%	11.9%	12.8%	686

Question 29d: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of private health insurance plans that people purchase ON THEIR OWN?

		VERY FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE	SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE	VERY UNFAVORABLE	DON'T KNOW	Count
Type of Health Insurance	Employer - Based Health Insurance	26.6%	38.4%	13.6%	11.5%	10.0%	546
•	Medicare / Medicaid	31.6%	31.4%	14.2%	11.6%	11.1%	603
	Plan Purchased Yourself*	37.7%	24.4%	26.6%	8.7%	2.7%	60
	Other	31.0%	30.1%	17.0%	13.3%	8.7%	106
Concern over Losing Coverage	Yes	22.7%	27.4%	21.6%	17.2%	11.0%	189
	No	31.7%	35.0%	13.3%	10.7%	9.3%	1125

Question 29d [COMBINED]: In general, do you have a favorable or an unfavorable opinion of private health insurance plans that people purchase ON THEIR OWN?

		Favor	Oppose	Don't Know	Count
Kentucky Residents		63.1%	25.9%	11.0%	1528
Sex	Male	66.7%	23.2%	10.1%	723
	Female	59.9%	28.3%	11.7%	805
Race	African - American	59.7%	31.1%	9.2%	109
, tago	White	63.4%	25.8%	10.9%	1327
Age	18 to 29	59.7%	24.3%	16.0%	281
- 9-	30 to 45	58.1%	35.2%	6.7%	378
	46 to 64	63.0%	26.3%	10.7%	500
	65 and over	70.1%	17.4%	12.5%	333
Education	Less than high school	64.0%	22.5%	13.5%	238
	High school graduate	61.5%	24.8%	13.7%	515
	Some college	64.2%	26.1%	9.7%	455
	College graduate	62.9%	30.6%	6.5%	304
Poverty Status	138% and below FPL	55.6%	31.7%	12.7%	312
,	Between 138% and 200% FPL	63.8%	24.9%	11.3%	231
	Above 200% FPL	66.8%	25.1%	8.0%	732
Insurance Status	Insured	63.7%	26.2%	10.1%	1334
	Not insured / Don't know	58.8%	23.8%	17.4%	184
General Health Rating	Excellent / Very good	64.5%	25.8%	9.7%	606
_	Good	66.8%	21.0%	12.3%	501
	Fair / Poor	57.0%	31.7%	11.3%	418
Registered to Vote	Yes	64.7%	25.9%	9.3%	1274
· ·	No	54.5%	25.7%	19.7%	246
Party Identification	Democrat	58.3%	31.4%	10.3%	592
,	Independent	54.0%	30.2%	15.7%	138
	Republican	73.1%	18.3%	8.6%	638
Geographical Region	Western Kentucky	64.0%	24.4%	11.7%	308
<b>.</b>	Louisville Area	65.6%	27.1%	7.3%	314
	Northern Kentucky	61.6%	28.7%	9.6%	297
	Lexington Area	61.5%	29.5%	8.9%	302
	Appalachian ADDs	59.8%	24.7%	15.5%	306
Appalachian Status	R not Appalachian	65.4%	25.7%	8.9%	953
	R born in Appalachia only*	75.0%	9.1%	15.9%	64
	R's parent(s) born in Appalachia only	50.4%	30.7%	18.9%	210
	R and parent(s) both born in Appalachia	62.3%	26.6%	11.1%	302
County Designation	Urban County	64.2%	26.8%	9.0%	507
, ,	Suburban County	63.7%	26.0%	10.2%	335
	Rural, small city	62.1%	25.1%	12.8%	686

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Employer - Based Health Insurance	65.0%	25.0%	10.0%	546
Medicare / Medicaid	63.1%	25.9%	11.1%	603
Plan Purchased Yourself*	62.1%	35.3%	2.7%	60
Other	61.1%	30.2%	8.7%	106
Yes	50.2%	38.8%	11.0%	189
No	66.7%	24.0%	9.3%	1125
	Medicare / Medicaid Plan Purchased Yourself* Other Yes	Employer - Based Health Insurance 65.0% Medicare / Medicaid 63.1% Plan Purchased Yourself* 62.1% Other 61.1%  Yes 50.2%	Employer - Based Health Insurance       65.0%       25.0%         Medicare / Medicaid       63.1%       25.9%         Plan Purchased Yourself*       62.1%       35.3%         Other       61.1%       30.2%         Yes       50.2%       38.8%	Employer - Based Health Insurance 65.0% 25.0% 10.0%  Medicare / Medicaid 63.1% 25.9% 11.1%  Plan Purchased Yourself* 62.1% 35.3% 2.7%  Other 61.1% 30.2% 8.7%  Yes 50.2% 38.8% 11.0%