IRB VERSION (5/21/09)

OHIO POLL #118 (OHIO HEALTH ISSUES POLL)

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I. INTRODUCTION: "Hello, this is ______ calling for the University of Cincinnati for the Ohio Poll. I am conducting an ANONYMOUS study of public opinion in Ohio. Approximately 800 adults from throughout Ohio will participate in this research study and I'd really appreciate your help and cooperation. In order to determine who to interview in your household, I need to speak to the adult 18 or older -- including yourself -- who had the most recent birthday. Would that be yourself or is it someone else?"

IF PERSON IS HESITANT, NOT INTERESTED, ETC:

- This is strictly a public opinion study, there are no right or wrong answers.
- We are interested in your opinions and experiences. If there are any questions you feel you cannot answer, we can skip them.
- This is your opportunity to give your opinions on what you like or dislike about your community and how to improve your community.
- All information collected from the respondent is kept strictly confidential.
- You can call collect to speak with one of the Directors of the Ohio Poll. Eric Rademacher or Kim Downing can be reached at (513) 556-5028.
 - A. (IF RESPONDENT) -- "Then you're the one I want to talk to." SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE
 - B. (IF SOMEONE ELSE) -- "May I speak to him/her please?"
 - (IF RESPONDENT IS NOT HOME) ASK -- "Could you suggest a convenient time for me to call back when I might be able to reach him/her?" GIVE SHIFT TIMES IF NECESSARY. GET FIRST NAME OF RESPONDENT.
 - C. (DON'T KNOW ALL BIRTHDAYS, ONLY SOME) ASK -- "Of the ones that you do know, who had the most recent birthday?"
 - IF RESPONDENT, INTERVIEW THAT PERSON. SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE.
 - IF SOMEONE ELSE, FOLLOW SAME PROCEDURE AS B.
 - D. DON'T KNOW ANY BIRTHDAYS OTHER THAN OWN. "Then you're the one I want to talk to." SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE.

FORM A

RECORD SEX OF RESPONDENT

	 MALE FEMALE DON'T KNOW
Q 1.	"First, please tell me in what county do you live?"
: :	
COU	NTY
"First	, I would like to ask you some questions about you and your community"
Q 2.	"Overall, how much impact do you think people like you can have in making your community a better place to live
	 No impact at all, a small impact, a moderate impact, or a big impact?"
	8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking") 9. NA/REFUSED
Q 3.	"How often do you have contact with family who do not live with you"
	 Daily, At least once a week, A few times per month, A few times per year, Once a year or less?"
	8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking") 9. NA/REFUSED
Q 4.	"How often do you have contact with friends and neighbors?
	 Daily, At least once a week, A few times per month, A few times per year, Once a year or less?"
	8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking") 9. NA/REFUSED

- Q 5. "Do you belong to any social, recreational, or special interest groups?"
 - 1. YES
 - 2. NO
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

"Thinking about financial issues . . ."

- Q 6. "Now, looking ahead -- do you think that a year from now you and your family will be better off financially . . . or worse off . . . or just about the same?"
 - 1. BETTER OFF FINANCIALLY
 - 2. WORSE OFF
 - 3. JUST ABOUT THE SAME
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 7. "And, how would you rate economic conditions in **your community** today ... (READ 1 TO 4)
 - 1. excellent,
 - 2. good,
 - 3. fair, or
 - 4. poor?"
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 8. "Right now, do you think that economic conditions in **your community** are getting better or getting worse?"
 - 1. GETTING BETTER
 - 2. GETTING WORSE
 - 7. STAYING ABOUT THE SAME (VOL.)
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

"Now I would like to ask you some questions about your health and the healthcare you receive."

"First ..."

- Q 9. "In general, would you say your health is . . . (READ 1 THRU 5) . . . (READ 1 THRU 5)
 - 1. excellent,
 - 2. very good,
 - 3. good,
 - 4. fair, or
 - 5. poor?"
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking . . . ")
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

"Next,"

- Q 10. "Do you have any kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as HMOs, or government plans such as Medicare or Medicaid?"
 - 1. YES
 - 2. NO **SKIPTO Q 13**
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) SKIPTO Q 13
 - 9. NA/REFUSED SKIPTO Q 13
- Q 11. "Which type of health insurance do you now have? Is it ... (READ NUMBERS 1 TO 7)
 - 1. A plan through your employer,
 - 2. A plan through your spouse's employer,
 - 3. A plan you purchased yourself,
 - 4. MEDICARE, the insurance program for people over 65 and some people with disabilities,
 - 5. MEDICAID, the insurance program for people with lower incomes, children and some people with disabilities, **SKIPTO Q 13**
 - 6. Both MEDICARE AND MEDICAID, or SKIPTO Q 13
 - 7. Do you get your health insurance from somewhere else?"
 [RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE]
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED
 - 0. INAP

[INTERVIEWER NOTE]: MEDICAID includes Healthy Families, Healthy Start, Disability Assistance; Medicaid waiver programs, Ohio Works First Cash Assistance, Medicaid for the Aged, Blind and Disabled, and Spenddown Medicaid. Medicaid waiver programs include Passport, Choices Waiver, Residential Facility Waiver or RFW, Individual Options or IO, Ohio Home Care Waiver, and Transition Waiver.

Medicaid also includes AMERIGROUP Community Care, Buckeye Community Health Plan, CareSource, Molina Healthcare, Paramount Advantage, Unison Health Plan, WellCare (Updated 5/09)]

Q 12. "Are you covered by MEDICAID, the state insurance assistance program that includes Healthy Families, Healthy Start; Disability Assistance; or Medicaid waiver programs?"

[IF ASKED, READ: Medicaid also includes Ohio Works First Cash Assistance, Medicaid for the Aged, Blind and Disabled, Spenddown Medicaid, and MBI WD. Medicaid waiver programs include Passport, Choices Waiver, Level One, Individual Options or IO, Ohio Home Care Waiver, and Transition Waiver.

Medicaid also includes AMERIGROUP Community Care, Buckeye Community Health Plan, CareSource, Molina Healthcare, Paramount Advantage, Unison Health Plan, WellCare (Updated 5/09)]

[IF RESPONDENT IS UNSURE ABOUT THE MEANING OF 'COVERED': "Are you enrolled in the program now?" or "Are you eligible to receive benefits now?"]

- 1. YES
- 2. NO
- 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
- 9. NA/REFUSED
- 0. INAP
- Q 13. "Not including yourself ... is there anyone else in your household who is NOT currently covered by health insurance?"
 - 1. YES
 - 2. NO
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 14. "Thinking about all of the people you consider to be members of your immediate and extended family that DO NOT live in your household ... is there anyone in your family that is NOT currently covered by health insurance?"

[INTERVIEWER NOTE: If the respondent asks, "WHAT ARE IMMEDIATE AND EXTENDED FAMILY MEMBERS?" respond "Whatever the term 'family' means to you."]

- 1. YES
- 2. NO
- 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
- 9. NA/REFUSED

[IF Q 10= 2; SKIPTO Q 16]

- Q 15. "Next ... during the past 12 months, was there any time that you did not have any health insurance or health care coverage?"
 - 1. YES
 - 2. NO
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED
 - 0. INAP

"Next ..."

Q 16. "Please tell me if you agree or disagree with the following statements ... first ...

[ROTATE A-C]

(IF AGREE): "Would you say that you <u>STRONGLY</u> agree or that you agree only <u>SOMEWHAT</u>?"

(IF DISAGREE): "Would you say that you $\underline{STRONGLY}$ disagree or that you disagree only $\underline{SOMEWHAT}$?"

(IF NEITHER, NOT SURE, DON'T KNOW): "Would you say that you lean a little more toward <u>AGREEING</u> or <u>DISAGREEING</u>?"

	Strongly Agree	Agree Somewhat	Lean <u>Agree</u>	Neither/ Not Sure/ <u>DK</u>	Lean <u>Disagree</u>	Disagree Somewhat	Strongly <u>Disagree</u>	<u>DK</u>	<u>NA</u>
a. The cost of health insurance that is paid by employers makes American businesses less competitive in the global marketplace.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
b. I get my money's worth from what I and my employer pay for healthcare.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
c. I would be willing to pay higher taxes so that everyone can have health insurance.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

"On another topic ..."

- Q 17. "In the past 12 months, was there a time when you or another member of your household needed medical care but did not get it, or delayed getting it BECAUSE OF THE COST?"
 - 1. YES
 - 2. NO
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 18. "In the past 12 months, was there a time when you or another member of your household needed dental care but did not get it, or delayed getting it BECAUSE OF THE COST?"
 - 1. YES
 - 2. NO
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

- Q 19. "In the past 12 months, was there a time when you or another member of your household needed to fill a prescription for medicine but did not fill it, or delayed filling it BECAUSE OF THE COST?"
 - 1. YES
 - 2. NO
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

"Next ..."

Q 20. "Over the last 12 months, have you had to change your way of life significantly in order to pay medical bills?"

[Interviewer note: this can include bills for another family member]

- 1. YES
- 2. NO
- 8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (**PROBE:** REREAD QUESTION)
- 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 21. "And how much would you say you currently owe on unpaid medical or healthcare bills? I will read some categories, please stop me when I get to yours ...

(READ NUMBERS1 TO 7)

- 1. I do not owe money on medical or healthcare bills (\$0.00),
- 2. I owe less than \$500 on medical or healthcare care bills,
- 3. I owe \$500-\$1,999,
- 4. I owe \$2,000-\$9,999,
- 5. I owe \$10,000-\$19,999,
- 6. I owe \$20,000-\$99,999, or
- 7. I owe \$100,000 or more on medical or healthcare bills."
- 8. DON'T KNOW (REREAD QUESTION)
- 9. NA/REFUSED

[IF Q 21 EQ 1, 8 or 9 SKIPTO Q 23]

Q 22. "Which of the following do you owe the most for:

(READ AND RANDOMIZE)

- 1. Prescription drugs
- 2. Doctors visits
- 3. Tests and diagnostic procedures
- 4. Emergency room visits
- 5. Outpatient treatment and procedures
- 6. In hospital stays or
- 7. Something else _____ (RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)
- 98. DON'T KNOW (REREAD QUESTION)
- 99. NA/REFUSED

"Now I would like to ask you some questions about your experiences with the economy."

"First ..."

Q 23. "Is the current economy a cause of stress in your life, or not?"

(IF YES) "Is it a cause of serious stress, or stress, but not serious?

- 1. YES, SERIOUS STRESS
- 2. YES, BUT NOT SERIOUS STRESS
- 3. NO
- 8. DON'T KNOW (**PROBE:** REREAD QUESTION)
- 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 24. "As a result of recent changes in the economy, have you or your family experienced any of the following problems, or not? First/next ... what about ... [INSERT ITEM] ...

IF YES ASK: "Was this a serious problem, or not?"

(PROBE DON'T KNOW: "Generally speaking ...")

[ROTATE ITEMS]

		YES SERIOUS PROBLEM	YES NOT SERIOUS PROBLEM	NO	DON'T KNOW	NA- REFUSED
A.	Problems paying for health care	1	2	3	8	9
B.	Problems paying for health insurance	1	2	3	8	9
C.	Problems paying for gas	1	2	3	8	9
D.	Problems getting a good-paying job	1	2	3	8	9
-	•	1	2	2	0	9
E.	Problems paying your rent or mortgage	1	2	3	8	9
F.	Losing money from your retirement account in the stock market	1	2	3	8	9
G.	Losing money in the stock market	1	2	3	8	9
H.	Problems with credit card debt or other personal debt					
I.	Problems paying for food	1	2	3	8	9

Q 25. "Next, have you or your family experienced any of the following [problems] in the past 12 months, or not? First/next ... what about ... [INSERT ITEM] ...

IF YES ASK: "Was this a serious problem, or not?"

(PROBE DON'T KNOW: "Generally speaking ...")

[ROTATE ITEMS]

		YES SERIOUS PROBLEM	YES NOT SERIOUS PROBLEM	NO	DON'T KNOW	NA- REFUSED
a.	A cut in pay	1	2	3	8	9
b.	A reduction or elimination of healthcare benefits	1	2	3	8	9
c.	A reduction or elimination of retirement contributions	1	2	3	8	9
d.	[A reduction or elimination of retirement income	1	2	3	8	9

"Next ... thinking about healthcare reform ..."

- Q 26. "Thinking about the next twelve months, do you think HEALTHCARE REFORM should be a TOP priority for President Obama and Congress, very important but not a top priority, somewhat important, or not that important?"
 - 1. A TOP PRIORITY
 - 2. VERY IMPORTANT BUT NOT A TOP PRIORITY
 - 3. SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT
 - 4. NOT THAT IMPORTANT
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (**PROBE:** REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 27. "And, would you say you are very optimistic, somewhat optimistic, somewhat pessimistic or very pessimistic that meaningful healthcare reform will be passed by Congress and approved by the President?"
 - 1. VERY OPTIMISTIC
 - 2. SOMEWHAT OPTIMISTIC
 - 3. SOMEWHAT PESSIMISTIC
 - 4. VERY PESSIMISTIC
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (**PROBE:** REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA /REFUSED

Q 28. "Now I am going to read a list of various elements of healthcare reform that are being considered by the President and Congress. Please tell me if you think this would significantly improve, improve, make worse or make significantly worse our current healthcare system.

"First/next what about ... [INSERT ITEM] ... do you think this would significantly improve, improve, make worse or make significantly worse our current healthcare system.?"

[PROBE DON'T KNOW: REREAD QUESTION]

	Significantly Improve	<u>Improve</u>	Make Worse	Make Significantly <u>Worse</u>	<u>DK</u>	NA
a. The option of an affordable public health plan that any American can opt-into	1	2	3	4	8	9
b. Changes in payment structure so that your main doctor is paid more to prevent and manage chronic illness rather than paid for every test or procedure.	1	2	3	4	8	9
c. Increasing the use of electronic medical records in patient care.	1	2	3	4	8	9
d. Allowing people who are unemployed and cannot afford health insurance to be eligible for a public health plan (like Medicaid or Medicare).	1	2	3	4	8	9
e. Having a national health plan in which all Americans would get their insurance from a single government plan.	1	2	3	4	8	9

[&]quot;Now I would like to ask you some questions about organ donation ..."

- Q 29. "Generally speaking, would you <u>want</u> to have one or more of your <u>organs</u> donated for a patient in need of an organ transplant if you were to die?"
 - 1. YES -- SKIP TO Q 30
 - 2. NO SKIP TO Q 31
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE) -- SKIP TO Q 32
 - 9. NA/REFUSED SKIP TO Q 32

Q 3	0. '	'What is	s the	main	reason	you	would	l want	to	have	your	organs,	tissue	or eyes	donated?	"
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(PROBE FOR SPECIFICS)		

- 98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking. . .")
- 99. NA/REFUSED
- 00. INAP

SKIP TO Q 32

Q 31. "What is the main reason you would <u>not</u> want your organs, tissue or eyes donated?"

(PROBE FOR SPECIFICS)

- 98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking. . .")
- 99. NA/REFUSED
- 00. INAP

Q 32. RANDOMLY ASSIGN EITHER VERSION A OR VERSION B

VERSION A

- A. "Have you granted permission for organ donation on your Ohio driver's license (or state ID card)?"
 - 1. YES, DRIVER'S LICENSE
 - 2. NO, HAVE NOT GRANTED PERMISSION -- SKIP TO Q 33
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) -- SKIP TO Q 33
 - 9. NA/REFUSED SKIP TO Q 33

VERSION B

- B. "Have you granted permission for organ donation on your Ohio driver's license (or state ID card) or don't you know?"
 - 1. YES, DRIVER'S LICENSE
 - 2. NO, HAVE NOT GRANTED PERMISSION
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

"Now I am going to mention some approaches society could take to address the problem of addiction to alcohol and other drugs. For each approach, please tell me how important you think it is to address the issue of addiction – very important, fairly important, not very important, or not at all important?"

- Q 33. "First ... how important do you think it is that society <u>Strengthen enforcement of current drug laws for people who use illegal drugs</u> . . .
 - 1. very important,
 - 2. fairly important,
 - 3. not very important, or
 - 4. not at all important?"
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (**PROBE:** REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

[&]quot;On another topic ..."

- Q 34. "And ... how important do you think it is that society <u>Increase the addiction treatment and recovery support services available to people who are seeking treatment</u> ...
 - 1. very important,
 - 2. fairly important,
 - 3. not very important, or
 - 4. not at all important?"
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (**PROBE:** REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

"Next ..." [ROTATE Q35 AND Q36]

Q 35. "Would you favor or oppose . . . replacing prison sentences with mandatory drug treatment and probation for people convicted of NONVIOLENT illegal_DRUG USE?

(IF FAVOR): "Would you say that you <u>STRONGLY</u> favor this, or that you favor it only <u>SOMEWHAT</u>?"

(IF OPPOSE): "Would you say that you <u>STRONGLY</u> oppose this, or that you oppose it only SOMEWHAT?"

(IF NEITHER, NOT SURE, DON'T KNOW): PROBE: REREAD QUESTION

- 1. STRONGLY FAVOR
- 2. FAVOR SOMEWHAT
- 3. OPPOSE SOMEWHAT
- 4. STRONGLY OPPOSE
- 8. DON'T KNOW (**PROBE:** REREAD QUESTION)
- 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 36. "Would you favor or oppose . . . replacing prison sentences with mandatory alcohol treatment and probation for people convicted of committing NONVIOLENT crimes under the influence of ALCOHOL?"

(IF FAVOR): "Would you say that you <u>STRONGLY</u> favor this, or that you favor it only SOMEWHAT?"

(IF OPPOSE): "Would you say that you <u>STRONGLY</u> oppose this, or that you oppose it only SOMEWHAT?"

(IF NEITHER, NOT SURE, DON'T KNOW): PROBE: REREAD QUESTION

- 1. STRONGLY FAVOR
- 2. FAVOR SOMEWHAT
- 3. OPPOSE SOMEWHAT
- 4. STRONGLY OPPOSE
- 8. DON'T KNOW (**PROBE:** REREAD QUESTION)
- 9. NA/REFUSED

"Now, a few final questions . . ."

- Q 37. "Not counting business lines, extension phones or cellular phones -- on how many different telephone numbers can your household be reached?"
 - 1. ONE **→ SKIP TO Q 39**
 - 2. TWO
 - 3. THREE
 - 4. FOUR
 - 5. FIVE
 - 6. SIX
 - 7. SEVEN
 - 8. EIGHT
 - 9. NINE
 - 10. TEN OR MORE
 - 98. DON'T KNOW (**PROBE**: REREAD QUESTION) → **SKIP TO Q 39**
 - 99. NA/REFUSED → SKIP TO Q 39
- Q 38. "How many of those (insert number) telephone numbers are used ONLY for electronic equipment--such as computers and fax machines . . . and never answered for personal calls?"

RECORD # ___ (ENTER NUMBER OF LINES)

- 96. NONE
- 98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
- 99. NA/REFUSED
- 0. INAP
- Q 39. "Last week . . . were you working full-time, part-time, going to school, keeping house, or what?" (CIRCLE ONE CODE ONLY. IF MORE THAN ONE RESPONSE, GIVE PREFERENCE TO <u>SMALLEST</u> [LOWEST] CODE NUMBER THAT APPLIES.)
 - 1. WORKING FULL-TIME
 - 2. WORKING PART-TIME
 - 3. WITH A JOB BUT NOT AT WORK BECAUSE OF TEMPORARY ILLNESS, VACATION, STRIKE
 - 4. UNEMPLOYED, LAID OFF, LOOKING FOR WORK
 - 5. DISABLED, TOO ILL TO WORK (PERMANENT)
 - 6. RETIRED
 - 7. IN SCHOOL
 - 8. KEEPING HOUSE
 - 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 40. "Next, are you currently married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?"
 - 1. MARRIED
 - 2. WIDOWED
 - 3. DIVORCED
 - 4. SEPARATED
 - 5. NEVER MARRIED (INCLUDING ANNULMENTS)
 - 6. PARTNERS NOT MARRIED (VOLUNTEERED)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

- Q 41. "What is the highest grade or year of school you completed?"
 - 1. NEVER ATTENDED SCHOOL OR ONLY ATTENDED KINDERGARTEN
 - 2. GRADES 1 THROUGH 8 (ELEMENTARY)
 - 3. GRADES 9 THROUGH 11 (SOME HIGH SCHOOL)
 - 4. GRADE 12 OR GED (HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE)
 - 5. COLLEGE 1 YEAR TO 3 YEARS (SOME COLLEGE OR TECHNICAL SCHOOL)
 - 6. COLLEGE 4 YEARS OR MORE (COLLEGE GRADUATE)
 - 7. ADVANCED DEGREE (PhD or MASTERS)
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 42. "<u>GENERALLY SPEAKING</u>, do you usually think of yourself as a <u>REPUBLICAN</u>, a <u>DEMOCRAT</u>, an <u>INDEPENDENT</u> or what?"

(IF REPUBLICAN): "Would you call yourself a <u>STRONG</u> Republican or a <u>NOT VERY STRONG</u> Republican?"

(IF DEMOCRAT): "Would you call yourself a <u>STRONG</u> Democrat or a <u>NOT VERY</u> STRONG Democrat?"

(IF INDEPENDENT, NO PREFERENCE, OR OTHER): "Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or to the Democratic party?"

- 1. STRONG DEMOCRAT
- 2. NOT VERY STRONG DEMOCRAT
- 3. INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO DEMOCRAT
- 4. INDEPENDENT--CLOSER TO NEITHER
- 5. INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO REPUBLICAN
- 6. NOT VERY STRONG REPUBLICAN
- 7. STRONG REPUBLICAN
- 9. OTHER / NA / REFUSED

Q 43. "We hear a lot of talk these days about liberals and conservatives. What about yourself—that is, in politics, do you <u>GENERALLY</u> think of yourself as a liberal, a moderate, or conservative?"

(IF LIBERAL): "Would you say you are <u>EXTREMELY</u> liberal, <u>FAIRLY</u> liberal, or just <u>SOMEWHAT</u> liberal?"

(IF CONSERVATIVE): "Would you say you are <u>EXTREMELY</u> conservative, <u>FAIRLY</u> conservative, or just <u>SOMEWHAT</u> conservative?"

(IF MODERATE, MIDDLE OF THE ROAD): "Would you say that you <u>LEAN</u> a little more toward the LIBERAL side or the CONSERVATIVE side?"

- 1. EXTREMELY LIBERAL
- 2. FAIRLY LIBERAL
- 3. SOMEWHAT LIBERAL
- 4. MODERATE--LEANS LIBERAL
- 5. MODERATE--LEANS NEITHER
- 6. MODERATE--LEANS CONSERVATIVE
- 7. SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE
- 8. FAIRLY CONSERVATIVE
- 9. EXTREMELY CONSERVATIVE
- 97. REFUSED
- 98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "In general . . . ")
- 99. NA

Q 44.	"What is your current age?"
	(RECORD EXACT NUMBER OF YEARS OLD E.G., 45)
	95. NINETY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER97. REFUSED (DO NOT PROBE)98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)99. NA

Q 45. "How many of the persons who <u>CURRENTLY</u> live in your household are under 18 years of age, including babies and small children?"

RECORD # ____

- 7. SEVEN OR MORE
- 8. NONE
- 9. NA/REFUSED
- Q 46. "Are you, yourself, of Hispanic origin or descent, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Spanish background?"
 - 1. YES
 - 2. NO
 - 8. DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT PROBE**)
 - 9. NA/REFUSED

	 BLACK/AFRICAN-AMERICA WHITE 	AN
	4. NATIVE AMERICAN5. ASIAN-PACIFIC ISLANDER	
	6. MULTI-RACIAL 7. OTHER (PROBE) 9. NA/REFUSED 0. INAP	(RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)
Q 48.		ar family received in 2008, not just from wages 9,200 or less, between \$39,200 and \$78,400, or
	1. \$39,200 OR LESS (SKIP TO Q 2. BETWEEN \$39,201 AND \$78,4 3. MORE THAN \$78,400 (SKIP 7	400 (SKIP TO Q 50)
	97. REFUSED (SKIP TO Q 52) 98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "A 99. NA (SKIP TO Q 52)	pproximately '') (SKIP TO Q 52)
	NOTE: INCOME SOURCES TO	BE INCLUDED:
	 Wages & Salaries Interest on Savings Dividends Social Security Pensions 	6. Welfare7. Unemployment Compensation8. Alimony9. Child Support
Q 49.	"Next, I will read some income can TO 9)	tegories, please stop me when I get to yours (READ 1
	1 \$10,400 or less 2 \$10,401 to \$14,000 3 \$14,001 to \$17,600 4 \$17,601 to \$21,200 5 \$21,201 to \$24,800 6 \$24,801 to \$28,400 7 \$28,401 to \$32,000 8 \$32,001 to \$35,600 9 \$35,601 to \$39,200?"	
	97. REFUSED 98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "A 99. NA 00. INAP	pproximately '')
	[SKIP TO SKIP TO Q 52]	

Q 47. "What is your race? Is it black, white, or some other race?"

- Q 50. "Next, I will read some income categories, please stop me when I get to yours . . . (READ 1 TO 6) . . .
 - 1. \$39,201 to \$42,400
 - 2. \$42,401 to \$49,600
 - 3. \$49,601 to \$56,800
 - 4. \$56,801 to \$64,000
 - 5. \$64,001 to \$71,200
 - 6. \$71,201 to \$78,400?"
 - 97. REFUSED
 - 98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Approximately . . . ")
 - 99. NA
 - 00. INAP

[SKIP TO SKIP TO Q 52]

- Q 51. "Next, I will read some income categories, please stop me when I get to yours . . . $(READ\ 1\ TO\ 4)$. . .
 - 1. \$78,400 to \$79,999
 - 2. \$80,000 to \$89,999
 - 3. \$90,000 to \$99,999
 - 4. \$100,000 or more?"
 - 97. REFUSED
 - 98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Approximately . . . ")
 - 99. NA
 - 00. INAP

Q 52.	"Some people are registered to vote and others are not. Are you <u>CURRENTLY</u> registered to vote at your <u>PRESENT</u> address?"
	1. YES 2. NO / DON'T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE) 9. NA/REFUSED
Q 53.	"INCLUDING YOURSELF, how many people aged 18 or older, CURRENTLY live in your household?"
	RECORD #
	8. EIGHT OR MORE 9. NA/DON'T KNOW/REFUSED
Q 54. "	And, can you please tell me your zip code?"
	(CODE EXACT ZIPCODE E.G., 45111)
	9998. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) 9999. NA/REFUSED
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	"That's all the questions I have You've been very helpful. Thank you for your cooperation. Goodbye."

INTERVIEWER SUPPLEMENT

Q 55. CIRCLE SEX OF RESPONDENT
 MALE FEMALE
Q 56. ENTER AREA CODE FROM CALL RECORD.
(216) (330) (419) (440) (513) (614)
(740) (937)
Q 57. RECORD CATI CODE
Q 58. RECORD NUMBER OF CALLS FOR THIS COMPLETION
Q 59. RECORD DATE INTERVIEW COMPLETED
(E.G. 6-10)
Q 60. RECORD YOUR INTERVIEWER NUMBER
Q 61. RECORD FINAL STATUS CODE
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