## How closely have you followed these events of the past week? Very Closely

The latest updates regarding COVID-19 vaccines 34% The latest developments concerning COVID-19

infections and deaths in the United States 64% 31%

The recent surge of migrants at the southern border of the United States 55% 22%

The murder of 8 people in Atlanta-area massage therapy spas 51%

20%

39%

A QUICK M-I COVID-19 UPDATE

introducing to increase restrictions on voting 48% 19% The ongoing debates regarding eliminating the filibuster in the U.S. Senate 45%

Recent legislation several U.S. states are

18%

The beginning of the NCAA Men's Basketball Tournament (March Madness) 29% 12%

How concerned are you currently about these issues? **Total Concerned** Very Concerned Elected officials of the United States The continuing impact of government that have been known to disinformation on society support or promote conspiracy theories 82% 69% 48% 36% Your household's finances being negatively Future threats of violent events in the U.S. caused by domestic terrorists impacted as a result of the ongoing pandemic **79**% 67% 44% 33% The increase in violence and discrimination in the United States against Asian people Contracting the Coronavirus **75**% 66% 40% 36% Shortages of the Matters related to racial equality in the United States COVID-19 vaccine 71% 63% 36% 31% States reopening businesses and lifting mask mandates too soon, resulting in a spike in coronavirus cases 70%

Have not received it yet but will as Already received at least one dose/ soon as its available to them currently registered on waiting list

Will likely get the vaccine eventually, but

prefer to wait until more evidence of safety

As the COVID pandemic continues to stabilize, which of these types of places/services do you anticipate going to or using in the next month or two?

and effectiveness is available

Dining establishments (Net) **52%** Indoor restaurants **37**% 32% Outdoor restaurants **51%** Stores (for in-store shopping) Hair/nail salons/barbershops/ 29% tattoo/massage parlors A large event (Net) 25% A large OUTSIDE event, such as a **17**% sporting event, concert or festival 16% A large event INSIDE an arena or public building, such as a concert, sporting event, or convention

Movie theaters Staying at a hotel Gyms/fitness centers **17**% Flying on an airplane **15%** Bars/Clubs **14%** Leisure establishments such as bowling alleys and arcades Public transportation such 11% as trains or buses

> restaurant/ bar/club

An INDOOR arena, such as those used

hockey, or concerts

for basketball,

A smaller indoor

theater, such as

those used for plays or comedy shows

Do not plan to receive it/generally

do not believe in getting vaccines

for anything

states are allowing for increased capacity at places that have been closed or limited to the public. At what capacity level would you feel comfortable attending each of these types of venues today? \*Mean Score Summary (Rounded to the nearest whole number)

Would you say that you

better off or worse off

a year ago?

Better off

Worse off

(and your household) are

financially than you were

The same

An increasing number of

arena, such as a baseball, football, or soccer stadium

> recreational space, such as an arcade or bowling alley

A movie

theater

Now looking ahead-do you think that a year from now you (and your household) will be better off financially, worse off, or about the same as now?

Better off

The same

Worse off Looking ahead, which would you

months we'll have good times financially, or bad times? Good times A mix of both [This represents a

for you/your household to:

Very Good

Very/Somewhat Good

are saving now

Save more than you

Key

**53%** 

38%

14%

29% 9%

States as a whole-do you think

that during the next twelve

Now turning to business

conditions in the United

6% increase over one month ago

**Bad times** 

prosperity Somewhat more instability than

prosperity

in the next month

Mostly periods

of economic

instability

About equal parts Mostly periods Somewhat more of economic prosperity than prosperity and instability instability

say is the most likely economic scenario for the United States

during the next five years or so?

Buy large home appliances (refrigerator, dishwasher, washer/dryer, stove/oven) in the next month

## 19% 9% Buy furniture and home decor Make extra or lump sum payments to

28%

28% 8%

Do you think now is a good or bad time in terms of economic stability

pay off or pay down outstanding debt 44% 17% Invest more for retirement than you are now

TV, computer, tablet in the next month 31% 9% Researching/booking a vacation or travel for an event in the next month

Buy major home electronics such as a

of US Adults have already received or expect to

[One month ago the 'very/somewhat' net was

**24%**, so interest in travel is on the rise]

Buy a new car in the next month 25% 9% Make or begin planning a large home improvement/ வு renovation projects in the next month 25% 9%

Of those who have already received or plan to receive the latest stimulus check, they plan to: 40% Invest it

receive a stimulus check/direct deposit by the end of March

from the newly passed American Rescue Plan Act of 2021.

Save it 13% Use it to buy groceries for your household 33% Purchase electronics items such as a 11% television, computer or cell phone Use it to pay for household utilities/other 31% household bills Purchase furniture/home décor 8% Pay down credit card debt 31% 8% Purchase large home appliances (refrigerator, dishwasher, washer/dryer, Use it for housing payments (mortgage, rent) 20% stove/oven 14% Purchase everyday items for your home/ Put it towards a vacation, trip, fun activities 8% houseware, small appliances 5% Use it for home improvements/renovations 14% Donate it



\*Among General Population

Net approval rating (approve-disapprove)



[Up **3%** in the

Neither approve nor disapprove

Net approval rating

(approve-disapprove)

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**Approve** 

Neither approve nor disapprove

**Approve** last month]

Disapprove



Disapprove