A Survey on Issues that Impact Idaho’s Hispanic/Latino Adults Age 45 and Older

AFFORDABLE HOUSING
Affordable housing is a priority issue for Hispanic/Latino adults in Idaho age 45+

77% Find having affordable housing in their community extremely or very important

41% Are concerned about their ability to pay monthly rent or mortgage payments in the coming years

Over two-thirds (69%) believe elected leaders should place a very high or fairly high priority on affordable housing

BROADBAND
Idaho’s Hispanic/Latino residents age 45+ are more concerned than white residents about having affordable high-speed internet

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TELEHEALTH
Idaho’s Hispanic/Latino adults age 45+ are interested in telehealth

84% Find being able to pay for prescription drugs extremely or very important

72% Are interested in using telehealth services for themselves or a loved one if needed

46% Used telehealth in the past year, most (88%) of those who utilized it feeling comfortable using the service

Of those interested, Hispanic/Latino adults in Idaho age 45+ want to use telehealth services for the following:

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<td>To discuss a new medical issue</td>
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<td>To get help providing care to a loved one</td>
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<td>For diagnosing an illness</td>
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1 % “extremely important” or “very important”
2 % “extremely interested”, “very interested”, or “somewhat interested”
3 % “extremely comfortable”, “very comfortable”, or “somewhat comfortable”
### Fast Facts of the 45-Plus

#### Age
- 45 to 49: 28%
- 50 to 64: 48%
- 65+: 24%

#### Education
- Some college or less: 69%
- 4-year college degree: 16%
- Post-graduate study or degree: 15%

#### Gender
- Female: 49%
- Male: 50%

#### Caregiver Status
- Current: 20%
- Past: 51%

#### Political Views
- Conservative: 38%
- Moderate: 32%
- Liberal: 13%

#### Political Party
- Republican: 40%
- Democrat: 26%
- Libertarian: 6%

#### Employment
- Full-time: 54%
- Part-time: 8%
- Retired: 30%

#### Annual Household Income
- Less than $50,000: 34%
- $50,000 to less than $100,000: 37%
- $100,000+: 25%

#### Race/Ethnicity
- Hispanic/Latino: 100%
- White/Caucasian: 70%
- American Indian/Alaska Native: 4%
- Black/African American: 2%
- Other: 20%

#### Marital Status
- Married/living with partner: 63%
- Divorced/separated: 22%
- Widowed: 7%
- Never married: 8%

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