



Annotated Questionnaire

Telephone interviews conducted with 807 registered voters by landline (70%) and cell phone (30%) between 8/18/18 and 8/28/18. All data have been weighted by age, gender, race/ethnicity, and geographic distribution according to July 2018 Indiana State Voter Registration Database statistics. These survey results have a 3.5% margin of error.

(ASK TO SPEAK WITH PERSON ON LIST) I'm calling from Alan Newman Research, a national public opinion polling firm. We are conducting a survey on issues of importance to people like you, and we'd really like to get your opinions on them. This survey is being conducted for research purposes only, and we promise that your name and individual opinions will be kept confidential.

(IF RESPONDENT MENTIONS THE "DO NOT CALL" LIST, SAY:) The Do Not Call List does not apply to survey research. While we certainly respect your right NOT to participate, I assure you that this interview is being conducted for research purposes only, and we hope that you will take advantage of this opportunity to express your opinions. We guarantee that your individual responses will be kept completely confidential, and that no one will try to sell you anything as a result of your participation.

Screener

S0. Gender. (DO NOT ASK.) Record respondent's gender.

%	n=807
47	1 Male
53	2 Female

S1. Have I reached you on a cell phone or a wired landline phone?

%	n=807
30	1 Cell phone
70	2 Wired landline phone
0	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

S2. Are you currently registered to vote?

%	n=807
100	1 Registered
0	2 Not registered [TERMINATE]
0	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ) [TERMINATE]

S3_A. For statistical purposes only, would you please tell me in what year were you born? _____ **[IF 1969 OR LATER, TERMINATE; CODED AS AGE]**

%	n=807
18	1 50-54
18	2 55-59
18	3 60-64
14	4 65-69
12	5 70-74
9	6 75-79
5	7 80-84
5	8 85+
1	9 Refused but before (DATE) 1968 (DO NOT READ)
0	99 <50 [TERMINATE]

Questionnaire

Q1. How likely are you to vote this November in the elections for U.S. Congress and other offices? Would you say you are...? **[READ LIST]**

%	n=807
81	1 Very likely
9	2 Fairly likely
5	3 Just somewhat likely
2	4 Not that likely
<1	5 Or will you not vote
3	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
<1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

Q2. For each of the following, please tell me whether you worry about this very often, somewhat often, from time to time or almost never? Do you worry about... [READ ITEMS/LIST] [RANDOMIZE ORDER OF Q2_A THROUGH Q2_G]

1 Very often %	2 Somewhat often %	3 From time to time %	4 Almost never worry %	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ) %	9 Refused (DO NOT READ) %	n=807
48	27	16	9	1	0	A. How divided America and Americans have become
43	26	18	13	1	0	B. Prices rising faster than your income
28	30	27	14	1	<1	C. The threat of terrorism in our country today
33	21	18	26	1	1	D. Not being able to afford the health care you need
17	14	21	43	3	2	E. Having to take care of an aging family member
26	16	12	40	3	3	F. Not being able to retire when you want to, due to financial reasons
27	28	24	20	2	<1	G. Paying too much in taxes

Q3. In general, do you approve or disapprove of the job President Donald Trump is doing?

%	n=807
50	1 Approve
39	2 Disapprove
10	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

[ROTATE ORDER OF Q4_A AND Q4_B]

Q4_A. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the job the Republicans in Congress are doing?

%	n=807
37	1 Approve
53	2 Disapprove
6	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
4	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

Q4_B. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the job the Democrats in Congress are doing?

%	n=807
25	1 Approve
65	2 Disapprove
5	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
5	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

POL-1. If the election was being held today, which one of the following candidates for U.S. Senator would you be most likely to vote for? [READ LIST] [RANDOMIZE ORDER OF 1-2]

%	n=807
38	1 Democrat, Joe Donnelley
35	2 Republican, Mike Braun
26	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

Financial Security and Retirement

FIN-1. In general, would you say the U.S. economy is... [READ LIST] [ROTATE DIRECTION OF 1-5]

%	n=807
20	1 Getting much stronger
34	2 Getting somewhat stronger
19	3 Staying the same
16	4 Getting somewhat weaker
7	5 Getting much weaker
4	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
<1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

FIN-2. In general, would you say Indiana's economy is... [READ LIST] [ROTATE DIRECTION OF 1-5]

%	n=807
13	1 Getting much stronger
32	2 Getting somewhat stronger
30	3 Staying the same
17	4 Getting somewhat weaker
4	5 Getting much weaker
4	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
0	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

TAR-1. Do you think that raising tariffs on aluminum, steel and other imports will hurt or help Indiana's economy? [READ LIST]

%	n=807
8	1 Strongly help
26	2 Somewhat help
33	3 Somewhat hurt
21	4 Strongly hurt
9	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
5	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

TAR-2. Which of the following comes closest to your view: [READ LIST]

%	n=807
65	1 Government should pursue more free-trade agreements to open additional markets to American-made goods and services.
21	2 Government should pursue tariffs and other barriers against competing products from other countries.
7	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
6	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

FIN-3. How would you describe your personal financial situation? Would you say you are... [READ LIST]

%	n=807
3	1 Rapidly increasing your wealth
21	2 Slowly getting ahead
35	3 Staying where you are
31	4 Struggling to keep up
8	5 Falling backward
1	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

FIN-4. Which of the following best describes your current employment status? Are you... [READ LIST]

%	n=807
44	1 Retired and not working
7	2 Retired and working at least part time
26	3 Employed full time
5	4 Employed part time
5	5 Not employed but looking for work
11	6 Not employed and not looking for work
<1	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
2	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

FIN-5a. **(IF FIN-4=Retired and not working)** How confident are you that you have enough money saved for retirement? [READ LIST]

%	n=351
21	1 Very confident
32	2 Somewhat confident
14	3 Not very confident
27	4 Not confident at all
5	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
2	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

FIN-5b. **(IF FIN-4#Retired and not working)** How confident are you that you will have enough money saved for retirement? [READ LIST]

%	n=456
11	1 Very confident
27	2 Somewhat confident
20	3 Not very confident
37	4 Not confident at all
3	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
2	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

Social Security and Medicare

SS-1. How important would you say Social Security is to people's financial security in retirement? Would you say it is... [READ LIST]

%	n=807
87	1 Very important
11	2 Somewhat important
1	3 Not very important
1	4 Not at all important
1	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
<1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

SS-2. According to projections in the latest Social Security Trustees' report, Social Security can pay full benefits for 16 years, but if nothing is done to make the program financially sound for the long term, benefits will be cut by nearly 25 percent starting in 2034. How soon, if at all, do you think the government should do something to strengthen Social Security for the future? Do you think they should do something... [READ LIST]

%	n=807
69	1 Immediately
15	2 Within the next 2 years
7	3 Within the next 5 years
3	4 Within the next 10 years
1	5 Within the next 15 years
2	6 Or not at all
<1	7 Some other timeframe (VOL)
4	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

MC-1. As you probably know, Medicare is the national health care program for people age 65 and older. How important would you say Medicare is to people's health in retirement? Would you say it is... [READ LIST]

%	n=807
93	1 Very important
5	2 Somewhat important
1	3 Not very important
<1	4 Not at all important
1	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
0	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

MC-2. Medicare is adequately funded today, but if changes are not made, it has been projected that by 2029 the program will not be able to fully pay for the hospital benefits it does now. Which, if any, of the following should Congress do to help put Medicare on stable ground for the future? Should they... [READ LIST] **[RANDOMIZE ORDER OF 1-5; ONE RESPONSE ONLY]**

%	n=807
24	1 Improve the coordination of patient care
3	2 Reduce hospital re-admissions
34	3 Reduce prescription drug costs
15	4 Reduce unnecessary tests and procedures
5	5 Put better use to technology
13	6 All of these (DO NOT READ)
2	7 None of these (DO NOT READ)
4	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
2	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

Prescription Drugs

RX-1. Currently, U.S. law bans people from buying prescription drugs from Canada or Europe. Some people believe that the laws should be changed to allow Americans to import lower priced prescription drugs from other countries as long as they are just as safe and effective as those bought in the U.S. Do you believe that people in the U.S. should be able to buy lower-priced drugs from Canada and Europe, or not?

%	n=807
83	1 Yes, should be legal
11	2 No, should not be legal
5	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
2	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

RX-2. Some drug companies with prescription patents take steps to prevent other drug companies from entering the market with less costly generic versions of their drugs. How strongly do you support or oppose legislation to prevent drug companies from trying to stop competitors from entering the market? Do you... [READ LIST]

%	n=807
35	1 Strongly support
16	2 Somewhat support
11	3 Somewhat oppose
28	4 Strongly oppose
10	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

RX-3. How much influence do you think prescription drug companies have over members of Congress? Would you say they have... [READ LIST]

%	n=807
64	1 A lot of influence
24	2 Some influence
3	3 Only a little influence
2	4 No influence at all
7	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
<1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

Healthcare

HC-1. Current law prohibits insurance companies from denying coverage or charging those with pre-existing conditions more for their health coverage. Some want to repeal this provision of current law because they believe those with pre-existing conditions cost more. Others believe it is unfair to discriminate against those with pre-existing conditions. Which statement do you agree with more? [READ LIST] **[RANDOMIZE ORDER OF 1-2]**

%	n=807
82	1 It is unfair to deny coverage or make those with pre-existing conditions pay more for their health care.
9	2 We should repeal protection for those with pre-existing conditions because it increases the cost of insurance.
9	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

HC-2. Current law allows insurance companies to charge up to three times more for health insurance for those over 50 years old. Some in Congress have proposed increasing this to allow insurance companies to charge up to five times or more for health insurance. Which of the following statements do you agree with more? [READ LIST] [RANDOMIZE ORDER OF 1-2]

%	n=807
9	1 Older Americans use more health care and it is not fair to raise premiums for everyone else.
83	2 Older people already pay more than younger people and increasing it from three to five times more would make insurance unaffordable for people who need it most.
8	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

HC-3. A recent rule change now allows insurance companies to expand short-term insurance policies from three months to one year of coverage. These plans designed to fill a gap in a persons' health coverage cost less, but insurance companies selling short-term plans are exempt from consumer protections and could deny coverage for someone with a pre-existing condition, charge older people five times or more than other people, and limit coverage for prescriptions and other conditions. Do you support or oppose expanding short-term policies that cost less but allow insurance companies to deny coverage to individuals with pre-existing conditions, charge older Americans 5 times more, and limit coverage for prescription drugs and other conditions? [READ LIST]

%	n=807
3	1 Strongly support
9	2 Somewhat support
22	3 Somewhat oppose
55	4 Strongly oppose
5	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
5	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

HC-4. Opioids are a group of drugs that include prescription pain killers as well as heroin. How concerned are you about heroin and opioid abuse in Indiana? Would you say you are... [READ LIST]

%	n=807
34	1 Extremely concerned
30	2 Very concerned
25	3 Somewhat concerned
9	4 Not at all concerned
3	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
<1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

HC-5. Do you think the amount of money the government spends on treatment programs for people who are addicted to opioids is too much, too little, or the right amount?

%	n=807
25	1 Too much
39	2 Too little
20	3 Right amount
9	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
8	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

Caregiving

CG-1. For this survey, I will use the phrase “family caregiver” to mean someone who provides unpaid care for an adult loved one who is ill, frail, elderly, or has a disability. This unpaid care may include assisting with personal needs like bathing and dressing, household chores, meals, shopping, transportation, managing finances or medical care. Are you currently a family caregiver, or providing UNPAID care to an adult loved one?

%	n=807
20	1 Yes, I currently provide care
78	2 No
2	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

CG-2. **(IF CG-1=No)** Have you been an unpaid family caregiver at any time in the past?

%	n=625
43	1 Yes, provided care in past
57	2 No
1	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
0	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

CG-3. **(IF CG-1=No)** How likely do you think it is that you will provide any caregiving or assistance on an unpaid basis for an adult loved one at some point in the future? Is it...? [READ LIST]

%	n=625
11	1 Extremely likely
14	2 Very likely
35	3 Somewhat likely
33	4 Not at all likely
6	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
<1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

CG-4. If you or a family member needed help when the basic tasks of life became difficult due to aging or illness, where would you prefer to receive that care or help? [READ LIST] [RANDOMIZE 1-4]

%	n=807
46	1 At home with assistance from a family caregiver
35	2 At home with assistance from paid, professional help
11	3 In an assisted living facility or group home
4	4 In a nursing home
3	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
2	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

CG-5. How strongly do you support or oppose providing an income tax credit to family caregivers who incur expenses for the care and support of an older family member living with them? [READ LIST]

%	n=807
60	1 Strongly support
26	2 Somewhat support
7	3 Neither support nor oppose (DO NOT READ)
2	4 Somewhat oppose
2	5 Strongly oppose
3	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
<1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

CG-6. How strongly do you support or oppose requiring employers to provide some paid leave to all employees, that can be used for family caregiving purposes? [READ LIST]

%	n=807
51	1 Strongly support
29	2 Somewhat support
9	3 Neither support nor oppose (DO NOT READ)
4	4 Somewhat oppose
3	5 Strongly oppose
4	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
<1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

Elections

Now I have some questions about this November's elections.

ELC-1. I'm going to mention some issues that voters might feel are important in helping them make their voting decisions this year. For you, how important are the candidates' positions on [ITEM]? Very important, somewhat important, not very important, or not at all important?

1 Very important %	2 Somewhat important %	3 Not very important %	4 Not at all important %	8 Not sure (DO NOT READ) %	9 Refused (DO NOT READ) %	n=807
66	30	2	1	1	<1	A. Jobs and the economy
51	34	9	3	3	<1	B. Helping people save for retirement
58	34	5	1	2	<1	C. Helping older people live independently
49	41	7	1	2	<1	D. Supporting family caregivers
43	39	12	3	2	1	E. Addressing opioid and drug addiction problems
81	15	2	<1	1	<1	F. Strengthening and reforming Social Security
77	18	4	<1	1	<1	G. Strengthening and reforming Medicare
76	20	2	1	1	<1	H. Addressing rising prescription drug costs
80	17	2	<1	1	1	I. Lowering healthcare costs
51	27	13	5	5	1	J. Nomination of a new Supreme Court justice

ELC-2. How do you get most of your news about elections and major issues? Do you get it mostly from...? [READ LIST] [ACCEPT MULTIPLE RESPONSES]

%	n=807
66	1 Local TV news
56	2 National TV news
32	3 Printed newspaper
22	4 Online newspaper
31	5 Online news sources
24	6 Friends and family
22	7 Radio
4	8 Twitter
19	9 Facebook
4	97 Other (VOL)
1	98 Not sure (DO NOT READ)
<1	99 Refused (DO NOT READ)

Demographics

Now I am going to ask you a few questions for statistical purposes only.

F1. What is the highest level of education that you completed? [DO NOT READ CHOICES]

%	n=807
<1	1 Grade school
3	2 Some high school
26	3 High school graduate (GED)
26	4 Some college, no degree
14	5 Associate's degree (2-year college degree)
17	6 Bachelor's degree (4-year degree)
2	7 Some postgraduate work, no degree
10	8 Master's degree
2	9 Doctoral or law degree (including PhD)
<1	99 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

F2. Are you currently single and never married, unmarried and living with a partner, married, separated, widowed, or divorced?

%	n=807
8	1 Single
4	2 Unmarried, living with partner
59	3 Married
1	4 Separated
11	5 Widowed
18	6 Divorced
<1	8 Other (VOL)
<1	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

F3. Are you (**IF MARRIED ADD: "or your spouse"**) a member of A-A-R-P?

%	n=807
42	1 Yes, AARP member
57	2 No, not AARP member
1	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

F4. Do you currently collect Social Security benefits?

%	n=807
51	1 Yes, collect Social Security benefits
48	2 No, do not collect benefits
1	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

F5. Do you currently have any health insurance coverage through Medicare?

%	n=807
46	1 Yes
53	2 No
1	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

F6. Are you an active or former military member?

%	n=807
15	1 Yes
85	2 No
<1	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

F7. Do you (**IF MARRIED: “or your spouse”**) have a parent or older relative living in your household?

%	n=807
7	1 Yes
93	2 No
<1	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

F8. What is your race—white, black or African American, Asian, or something else?

%	n=807
88	1 White
6	2 Black/African American
1	3 Asian
2	4 Hispanic (VOL)
2	5 Something else/ other
1	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

F9. Which of the following do you feel best describes your political perspective? [READ LIST]
[ROTATE ORDER]

%	n=807
15	1 Liberal or progressive
35	2 Moderate
43	3 Conservative
8	9 Not sure or refused (DO NOT READ)

F10. Do you think of yourself as **[INSERT 1-3, ROTATE ORDER]**, or something else?

%	n=807
26	1 A Democrat
26	2 An Independent
40	3 A Republican
3	4 Or, Something else
1	7 Other (DO NOT READ)
3	8 Not sure/ nothing (DO NOT READ)
1	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)

F11. Finally, if you added together the yearly income of all the members of your family who were living at home in 2017, would the total be...? [READ LIST]

%	n=807
18	1 Less than \$25,000
29	2 \$25,000 to less than \$50,000
19	3 \$50,000 to less than \$75,000
12	4 \$75,000 to less than \$100,000
11	5 \$100,000 to less than \$150,000
4	6 \$150,000 or more
2	8 Not sure/ nothing (DO NOT READ)
5	9 Refused (DO NOT READ)