



TOPLINE & METHODOLOGY

Axios/Ipsos Survey: Abortion Attitudes/Alabama Supreme Court

Conducted by Ipsos using KnowledgePanel®
A survey of the American general population (ages 18+)

Interview dates: February 23-25, 2024

Number of interviews: 1,020

Number of Republican interviews: 291

Number of Democrat interviews: 324

Number of independent interviews: 301

Margin of error: +/- 3.3 percentage points at the 95% confidence level for all respondents

Margin of error: +/- 6.0 percentage points at the 95% confidence level for Republicans

Margin of error: +/- 5.8 percentage points at the 95% confidence level for Democrats

Margin of error: +/- 5.9 percentage points at the 95% confidence level for independents

NOTE: All results show percentages among all respondents, unless otherwise labeled. Reduced bases are unweighted values.

NOTE: * = less than 0.5%, - = no respondents, N/A = not applicable

Annotated Questionnaire:

1. How familiar, if at all, are you with the following?

Total Familiar Summary

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
A ruling by the Alabama Supreme Court that frozen embryos are people and people can be held legally responsible for destroying them	45%	34%	65%	42%
Former President Donald Trump considering supporting a nationwide ban on abortion at 16 weeks of pregnancy [Base: Half Sample]	40%	32%	53%	40%
A reported plan to push for a nationwide ban on abortion at 16 weeks of pregnancy [Base: Half Sample]	40%	31%	61%	34%
Some states considering bans on emergency contraceptives, also known as Plan B	38%	24%	60%	35%
A non-binary teen in Oklahoma dying following an alleged beating in a school bathroom	27%	14%	44%	23%





TOPLINE & METHODOLOGY

1_1. How familiar, if at all, are you with the following? A ruling by the Alabama Supreme Court that frozen embryos are people and people can be held legally responsible for destroying them

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
Very familiar	22%	11%	39%	21%
Somewhat familiar	23%	24%	26%	21%
Heard of it, but that's it	25%	32%	17%	25%
Never heard of this	29%	33%	18%	31%
Skipped	1%	*	-	1%
Familiar (Net)	45%	34%	65%	42%
Not familiar (Net)	54%	66%	35%	57%

1_2. **[Base: Half Sample]** How familiar, if at all, are you with the following? Former President Donald Trump considering supporting a nationwide ban on abortion at 16 weeks of pregnancy

	Total Split A (N=509)	Republican (N=138)	Democrat (N=171)	Independent (N=154)
Very familiar	17%	7%	28%	17%
Somewhat familiar	23%	25%	26%	23%
Heard of it, but that's it	24%	27%	21%	24%
Never heard of this	35%	40%	26%	34%
Skipped	1%	*	-	2%
Familiar (Net)	40%	32%	53%	40%
Not familiar (Net)	59%	67%	47%	58%

1_3. **[Base: Half Sample]** How familiar, if at all, are you with the following? A reported plan to push for a nationwide ban on abortion at 16 weeks of pregnancy

	Total Split B (N=511)	Republican (N=153)	Democrat (N=153)	Independent (N=147)
Very familiar	14%	4%	29%	12%
Somewhat familiar	26%	27%	32%	22%
Heard of it, but that's it	34%	41%	27%	37%
Never heard of this	26%	28%	12%	29%
Skipped	*	-	-	-
Familiar (Net)	40%	31%	61%	34%
Not familiar (Net)	60%	69%	39%	66%





TOPLINE & METHODOLOGY

1_4. How familiar, if at all, are you with the following? Some states considering bans on emergency contraceptives, also known as Plan B

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
Very familiar	13%	5%	27%	10%
Somewhat familiar	25%	19%	33%	25%
Heard of it, but that's it	31%	40%	25%	32%
Never heard of this	30%	36%	16%	31%
Skipped	1%	*	-	1%
Familiar (Net)	38%	24%	60%	35%
Not familiar (Net)	61%	76%	40%	64%

1_5. How familiar, if at all, are you with the following? A non-binary teen in Oklahoma dying following an alleged beating in a school bathroom

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
Very familiar	11%	3%	21%	8%
Somewhat familiar	16%	10%	23%	15%
Heard of it, but that's it	19%	22%	17%	20%
Never heard of this	53%	64%	39%	55%
Skipped	1%	*	-	1%
Familiar (Net)	27%	14%	44%	23%
Not familiar (Net)	72%	86%	56%	75%

2. Based on what you may know or feel, how much do you support or oppose the following?

Total Support Summary

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
My state banning gender-affirming medical care for transgender youth	41%	66%	16%	44%
A nationwide ban on abortion at 16 weeks of pregnancy	40%	71%	14%	39%
Considering frozen embryos as people and holding those who destroy them legally responsible	31%	49%	17%	30%
My state banning emergency contraceptives, also known as Plan B	19%	36%	7%	18%





TOPLINE & METHODOLOGY

2_1. Based on what you may know or feel, how much do you support or oppose the following?
Considering frozen embryos as people and holding those who destroy them legally responsible

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
Strongly support	12%	18%	4%	12%
Somewhat support	19%	31%	12%	18%
Somewhat oppose	21%	25%	14%	23%
Strongly oppose	45%	23%	68%	44%
Skipped	3%	3%	2%	3%
Support (Net)	31%	49%	17%	30%
Oppose (Net)	66%	49%	82%	67%

2_2. Based on what you may know or feel, how much do you support or oppose the following? A nationwide ban on abortion at 16 weeks of pregnancy

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
Strongly support	19%	36%	3%	19%
Somewhat support	21%	35%	11%	20%
Somewhat oppose	17%	15%	17%	17%
Strongly oppose	41%	13%	68%	42%
Skipped	2%	1%	2%	2%
Support (Net)	40%	71%	14%	39%
Oppose (Net)	57%	28%	85%	59%

2_3. Based on what you may know or feel, how much do you support or oppose the following? My state banning emergency contraceptives, also known as Plan B

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
Strongly support	8%	13%	3%	8%
Somewhat support	12%	23%	4%	10%
Somewhat oppose	22%	31%	12%	23%
Strongly oppose	55%	31%	80%	55%
Skipped	3%	2%	1%	3%
Support (Net)	19%	36%	7%	18%
Oppose (Net)	77%	62%	92%	79%





TOPLINE & METHODOLOGY

2_4. Based on what you may know or feel, how much do you support or oppose the following? My state banning gender-affirming medical care for transgender youth

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
Strongly support	25%	46%	7%	24%
Somewhat support	17%	21%	8%	20%
Somewhat oppose	20%	18%	20%	21%
Strongly oppose	35%	14%	63%	33%
Skipped	3%	2%	1%	3%
Support (Net)	41%	66%	16%	44%
Oppose (Net)	56%	32%	83%	53%

3. Do you personally know anyone who has ever...

Total Yes Summary

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
Had a miscarriage	69%	75%	66%	67%
Had an abortion	48%	44%	53%	49%
Used in vitro fertilization (IVF) to try and conceive a baby	35%	39%	40%	33%

3_1. Do you personally know anyone who has ever... Had a miscarriage

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
<i>[Show if female]</i> Yes, I have	13%	16%	12%	11%
<i>[Show if female]</i> Yes, I know someone	26%	29%	27%	23%
<i>[Show if male]</i> Yes	30%	29%	27%	33%
No	28%	22%	31%	30%
Prefer not to answer	2%	3%	2%	2%
Skipped	1%	-	*	1%
Yes (Net – all respondents)	69%	75%	66%	67%



TOPLINE & METHODOLOGY

3_2. Do you personally know anyone who has ever... Had an abortion

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
<i>[Show if female]</i> Yes, I have	9%	7%	10%	8%
<i>[Show if female]</i> Yes, I know someone	18%	19%	22%	16%
<i>[Show if male]</i> Yes	21%	17%	21%	25%
No	48%	53%	45%	48%
Prefer not to answer	3%	4%	2%	2%
Skipped	1%	-	-	1%
Yes (<i>Net – all respondents</i>)	48%	44%	53%	49%

3_3. Do you personally know anyone who has ever... Used in vitro fertilization (IVF) to try and conceive a baby

	Total (N=1,020)	Republican (N=291)	Democrat (N=324)	Independent (N=301)
<i>[Show if female]</i> Yes, I have	3%	2%	4%	3%
<i>[Show if female]</i> Yes, I know someone	17%	19%	21%	13%
<i>[Show if male]</i> Yes	16%	18%	14%	17%
No	62%	59%	58%	64%
Prefer not to answer	2%	2%	2%	2%
Skipped	1%	-	-	1%
Yes (<i>Net – all respondents</i>)	35%	39%	40%	33%

4. **[Asked if they, or someone they know, have had an abortion]** Thinking of the person, or people, you know who have had an abortion, did they have to cross state lines for their abortion care or procedure?

	Total (N=501)	Republican (N=129)	Democrat (N=176)	Independent (N=150)
Yes	6%	6%	7%	5%
No	90%	89%	90%	92%
Prefer not to answer	4%	4%	3%	2%
Skipped	1%	1%	-	1%



TOPLINE & METHODOLOGY

About the Study

This Axios/Ipsos poll was conducted February 23-25, 2024, by Ipsos using the probability-based KnowledgePanel®. This poll is based on a nationally representative probability sample of 1,020 adults age 18 or older. The sample includes 291 Republicans, 324 Democrats, and 301 independents.

The survey was conducted using KnowledgePanel, the largest and most well-established online probability-based panel that is representative of the adult U.S. population. Our recruitment process employs a scientifically developed addressed-based sampling methodology using the latest Delivery Sequence File of the USPS – a database with full coverage of all delivery points in the U.S. Households invited to join the panel are randomly selected from all available households in the U.S. Persons in the sampled households are invited to join and participate in the panel. Those selected who do not already have internet access are provided a tablet and internet connection at no cost to the panel member. Those who join the panel and who are selected to participate in a survey are sent a unique password-protected log-in used to complete surveys online. As a result of our recruitment and sampling methodologies, samples from KnowledgePanel cover all households regardless of their phone or internet status and findings can be reported with a margin of sampling error and projected to the general population. KnowledgePanel members receive a per survey incentive, usually the equivalent of \$1 (though for some it is \$2) in points, that can be redeemed for cash or prizes. No prenotification email for this study was sent prior to field. Panelists receive a unique login to the survey and are only able to complete it one time. One reminder email was sent for this study.

The data for the total sample were weighted to adjust for gender by age, race/ethnicity, education, Census region, metropolitan status, and household income. Party ID benchmarks are from recent multi-night ABC News polls. The demographic benchmarks came from the 2023 March Supplement of the Current Population Survey (CPS).

- Gender (Male, Female) by Age (18–29, 30–44, 45-59 and 60+)
- Race/Hispanic Ethnicity (White Non-Hispanic, Black Non-Hispanic, Other, Non-Hispanic, Hispanic, 2+ Races, Non-Hispanic)
- Education (Less than High School, High School, Some College, Bachelor or higher)
- Census Region (Northeast, Midwest, South, West)
- Metropolitan status (Metro, non-Metro)
- Household Income (Under \$25,000, \$25,000-\$49,999, \$50,000-\$74,999, \$75,000-\$99,999, \$100,000-\$149,999, \$150,000+)
- Party ID (Democrat, Republican, Independent, Something else)

The margin of sampling error is plus or minus 3.3 percentage points at the 95% confidence level, for results based on the entire sample of adults. The margin of sampling error takes into account the design effect, which was 1.17. For Republicans, the margin of sampling error is plus or minus 6.0 percentage points at the 95% confidence level. The design effect for Republicans is 1.10. For Democrats, the margin of sampling error is plus or minus 5.8 percentage points at the 95% confidence level. The design effect for Democrats is 1.12. For independents, the margin of sampling error is plus or minus 5.9 percentage points at the 95% confidence level. The design effect for independents is 1.09. The margin of sampling error is

2020 K Street, NW, Suite 410
Washington DC 20006
+1 202 463-7300

Contact: **Mallory Newall**
Vice President, US, Public Affairs
Email: mallory.newall@ipsos.com
Tel: +1 202 374-2613

GAME CHANGERS





TOPLINE & METHODOLOGY

higher and varies for results based on sub-samples. Sampling error is only one potential source of error. There may be other unmeasured non-sampling error in this or any poll. In our reporting of the findings, percentage points are rounded off to the nearest whole number. As a result, percentages in a given table column may total slightly higher or lower than 100%. In questions that permit multiple responses, columns may total substantially more than 100%, depending on the number of different responses offered by each respondent.

For more information on this news release, please contact:

Mallory Newall
Vice President, US
Public Affairs
+1 202 374-2613
mallory.newall@ipsos.com





TOPLINE & METHODOLOGY

About Ipsos

Ipsos is one of the largest market research and polling companies globally, operating in 90 markets and employing over 18,000 people.

Our passionately curious research professionals, analysts and scientists have built unique multi-specialist capabilities that provide true understanding and powerful insights into the actions, opinions and motivations of citizens, consumers, patients, customers or employees. We serve more than 5000 clients across the world with 75 business solutions.

Founded in France in 1975, Ipsos is listed on the Euronext Paris since July 1st, 1999. The company is part of the SBF 120 and the Mid-60 index and is eligible for the Deferred Settlement Service (SRD).

ISIN code FR0000073298, Reuters ISOS.PA, Bloomberg IPS:FP www.ipsos.com

