

GALLUP NEWS SERVICE

**GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SERIES:
WORK AND EDUCATION**

-- FINAL TOPLINE --

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July 30-August 12, 2020

Results are based on telephone interviews conducted July 30-August 12, 2020 with a random sample of –1,031—adults, ages 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. For results based on this sample of national adults, the margin of sampling error is ± 4 percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

For results based on the sample of –529—adults who are employed full- or part-time, the maximum margin of sampling error is ± 5 percentage points.

Interviews are conducted with respondents on landline telephones and cellular phones, with interviews conducted in Spanish for respondents who are primarily Spanish-speaking. Each sample of national adults includes a minimum quota of 70% cell phone respondents and 30% landline respondents, with additional minimum quotas by time zone within region. Landline and cell phone telephone numbers are selected using random digit dial methods. Gallup obtained sample for this study from Dynata. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member has the next birthday.

Samples are weighted to correct for unequal selection probability, non-response, and double coverage of landline and cell users in the two sampling frames. They are also weighted to match the national demographics of gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, population density, and phone status (cell phone-only/landline only/both and cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2018 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the January-June 2019 National Health Interview Survey. Population density targets are based on the 2010 census. All reported margins of sampling error include the computed design effects for weighting.

In addition to sampling error, question wording and practical difficulties in conducting surveys can introduce error or bias into the findings of public opinion polls. For questions about how this survey was conducted, please contact galluphelp@gallup.com.

14. *(Asked of adults who are employed full or part-time)* Have you ever telecommuted, that is, worked from your home using a computer to communicate for your job?

BASED ON --529-- ADULTS EMPLOYED FULL OR PART-TIME

	<u>Yes, have</u>	<u>No, have not</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2020 Jul 30-Aug 12	49	50	*
2019 Oct 1-31	42	58	*
2015 Aug 5-9	37	63	*
2008 Aug 7-10	30	69	1
2006 Aug 7-10	32	68	*
1995 Oct 13-16 ^	9	91	*

^ U.S. News and World Report/CNN/Gallup Poll.

15. *(Asked of those who have telecommuted to work)* If there are 20 workdays in a typical month, about how many days out of 20 would you telecommute from home instead of going into your workplace?

BASED ON --280--WORKERS WHO HAVE TELECOMMUTED; ±7 PCT PTS

	<u>None</u>	<u>One- Five</u>	<u>Six- Ten</u>	<u>Eleven- Fifteen</u>	<u>Sixteen- Twenty</u>	<u>No opinion</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Median</u>
2020 Jul 30-Aug 12	16	20	9	5	49	1	11.9	15
2019 Oct 1-31	20	49	9	6	15	1	5.8	2
2015 Aug 5-9	23	45	6	5	19	2	6.4	3
2008 Aug 7-10	23	49	9	3	11	5	5.1	3
2006 Aug 7-10	17	48	8	7	16	3	6.3	3

COMBINED RESULTS (Q.14/15): BASED ON ADULTS EMPLOYED FULL OR PART-TIME

	<u>None</u>	<u>One- Five</u>	<u>Six- Ten</u>	<u>Eleven- Fifteen</u>	<u>Sixteen- Twenty</u>	<u>No opinion</u>	<u>Mean</u>	<u>Median</u>
2020 Jul 30-Aug 12	58	10	5	3	24	*	5.8	0
2019 Oct 1-31	67	20	4	3	6	*	2.4	0
2015 Aug 5-9	72	17	2	2	7	1	2.3	0
2008 Aug 7-10	77	15	3	1	3	2	1.5	0
2006 Aug 7-10	74	15	2	2	5	1	2.0	0

16. *(Asked of adults who are employed full or part-time)* Which of the following best describes your work situation in the past few weeks during your normal working hours? Did you work --[entirely from home, mostly from home, about equally from home and at a location outside your home, mostly at a location outside your home, entirely at a location outside your home]?

BASED ON --529-- ADULTS EMPLOYED FULL OR PART-TIME

	<u>2020 Jul 30-Aug 12</u>
Entirely from home	26
Mostly from home	8
About equally from home and a location outside your home	4
Mostly at a location outside your home	8
Entirely at an location outside your home	51
No opinion	2

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QN14: Telecommute BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology

		Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology			
		Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	529	317	212	359	160	134	225	163	282	152	92	150	214	157	184	195	138
	Weighted n	568	321	247	365	196	172	259	133	229	153	184	147	234	176	184	217	153
Yes, have		280	132	149	182	92	81	121	75	175	62	42	71	105	99	79	109	90
		49%	41%	60%	50%	47%	47%	47%	57%	76%	41%	23%	48%	45%	56%	43%	50%	59%
No, have not		285	190	95	180	104	91	135	57	55	91	140	76	128	74	105	108	60
		50%	59%	39%	49%	53%	53%	52%	43%	24%	59%	76%	52%	55%	42%	57%	50%	40%
(DK)/(Refused)		3	-	3	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	-	-	3
		0%	-	1%	1%	-	-	1%	-	-	-	1%	-	-	1%	-	-	2%

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QN15_1: Days Telecommute (All Workers) + QN15_1MEAN + QN15_1MEAN BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology

		Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology			
		Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Weighted n	568	321	247	365	196	172	259	133	229	153	184	147	234	176	184	217	153
	Unweighted n	529	317	212	359	160	134	225	163	282	152	92	150	214	157	184	195	138
None		332	215	117	214	116	101	164	66	79	106	146	84	156	83	119	125	75
		58%	67%	47%	59%	59%	59%	63%	49%	34%	70%	79%	57%	67%	47%	65%	58%	49%
One to five		57	31	26	35	22	22	20	15	33	12	12	20	18	19	16	27	15
		10%	10%	11%	10%	11%	13%	8%	11%	15%	8%	6%	13%	8%	11%	9%	12%	10%
Six to ten		26	16	10	15	11	9	9	7	18	3	5	6	12	8	9	9	8
		5%	5%	4%	4%	6%	5%	3%	6%	8%	2%	3%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%	5%
Eleven to fifteen		15	4	10	8	6	7	4	4	12	3	-	3	5	6	5	5	4
		3%	1%	4%	2%	3%	4%	1%	3%	5%	2%	-	2%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%
Sixteen to twenty		137	54	83	90	42	32	63	39	85	28	22	33	43	58	34	50	51
		24%	17%	34%	25%	21%	19%	24%	29%	37%	18%	12%	23%	18%	33%	18%	23%	33%
No opinion		2	1	1	2	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	-
		0%	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-	1%	1%	-	-	1%	-	1%	1%	-	-
Mean		5.84	4.24	7.94	5.90	5.43	5.12	5.50	7.24	9.25	4.40	2.76	5.62	4.67	7.77	4.75	5.66	7.71
Median		0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	6.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	1.00

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QN16: Working Hours Situation BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology

		Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology			
		Total	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Total	Unweighted n	529	317	212	359	160	134	225	163	282	152	92	150	214	157	184	195	138
	Weighted n	568	321	247	365	196	172	259	133	229	153	184	147	234	176	184	217	153
Entirely from home		145	60	86	88	54	34	74	36	87	28	29	30	50	62	31	55	55
		26%	19%	35%	24%	28%	20%	29%	27%	38%	18%	16%	20%	21%	35%	17%	25%	36%
Mostly from home		47	19	27	25	19	11	12	22	27	8	11	13	16	17	13	21	11
		8%	6%	11%	7%	10%	7%	5%	16%	12%	5%	6%	9%	7%	10%	7%	10%	7%
About equally from home and at a location outside your home		24	15	9	16	7	8	9	6	13	9	3	4	11	9	7	6	12
		4%	5%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	5%	5%	6%	2%	3%	5%	5%	4%	3%	8%
Mostly at a location outside your home		48	28	20	31	16	21	18	8	20	14	13	21	17	8	20	20	7
		8%	9%	8%	9%	8%	12%	7%	6%	9%	9%	7%	14%	7%	5%	11%	9%	4%
Entirely at a location outside your home		292	198	95	193	98	96	143	51	76	91	124	70	140	78	103	115	66
		51%	62%	38%	53%	50%	56%	55%	39%	33%	60%	68%	48%	60%	44%	56%	53%	43%
(DK)/(Refused)		12	1	10	11	1	-	3	9	6	2	3	9	1	2	9	0	2
		2%	0%	4%	3%	1%	-	1%	7%	3%	2%	2%	6%	0%	1%	5%	0%	1%