

**GALLUP NEWS SERVICE**

**GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SERIES:  
VALUES AND BELIEFS**

**-- FINAL TOPLINE --**

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Results are based on telephone interviews conducted May 3-18, 2021 with a random sample of –1,016—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  $\pm 4$  percentage points at the 95% confidence level.

For results based on the sample of –512—national adults in Form A, the margin of sampling error is  $\pm 5$  percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –504—national adults in Form B, the margins of sampling error is  $\pm 5$  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 2019 Current Population Survey figures for the aged 18 and older U.S. population. Phone status targets are based on the July-December 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](mailto:galluphelp@gallup.com).

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Turning now to the military,

21. Do you favor or oppose allowing openly transgender men and women to serve in the military?

	<u>Favor</u>	<u>Oppose</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2021 May 3-18	66	33	1
2019 May 15-30	71	26	2

22. Next, we have a question about policies for competitive sports that have separate teams for male and female athletes. Do you think transgender athletes – [ROTATED: should be able to play on sports teams that match their current gender identity (or) should only be allowed to play on sports teams that match their birth gender]?

	<u>Able to play on teams that match identity</u>	<u>Only on teams that match birth gender</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2021 May 3-18	34	62	4

Finally, thinking about something else,

29. Do you have any friends or relatives or co-workers who have told you, personally, that they are transgender?

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2021 May 3-18	31	69	*

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**QN21: Transgender Military Service 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	1016	545	471	753	246	194	279	532	459	319	235	317	348	322	387	333	272
	Weighted n	1016	500	516	669	331	271	327	406	359	285	370	291	352	338	356	351	281
Favor		668	284	384	421	241	200	216	247	267	185	216	125	230	296	149	255	257
		66%	57%	74%	63%	73%	74%	66%	61%	74%	65%	58%	43%	66%	87%	42%	73%	92%
Oppose		336	210	125	240	88	68	107	154	89	96	149	162	115	41	202	93	23
		33%	42%	24%	36%	27%	25%	33%	38%	25%	34%	40%	55%	33%	12%	57%	26%	8%
(DK)/(Refused)		12	5	6	9	2	3	4	4	3	4	5	5	6	1	5	3	1
		1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	0%

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**QN22: Transgender Athlete Policies 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	1016	545	471	753	246	194	279	532	459	319	235	317	348	322	387	333	272
	Weighted n	1016	500	516	669	331	271	327	406	359	285	370	291	352	338	356	351	281
Should be able to play on sports teams that match their current gender identity (or)		342	120	222	219	119	100	111	128	145	81	116	29	115	187	43	119	178
		34%	24%	43%	33%	36%	37%	34%	32%	40%	29%	31%	10%	33%	55%	12%	34%	63%
Should only be allowed to play on sports teams that match their birth gender (or)		632	361	271	426	196	157	210	258	205	193	232	249	223	137	301	219	90
		62%	72%	53%	64%	59%	58%	64%	64%	57%	68%	63%	86%	63%	41%	85%	62%	32%
(DK)/(Refused)		41	19	22	24	16	14	6	19	9	11	21	13	14	14	12	13	13
		4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	2%	5%	3%	4%	6%	5%	4%	4%	3%	4%	5%

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**QN29: Know a Transgender Person BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

		Total	Gender		Race I		Age			Education			Party I.D.			Ideology		
			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	1016	545	471	753	246	194	279	532	459	319	235	317	348	322	387	333	272
	Weighted n	1016	500	516	669	331	271	327	406	359	285	370	291	352	338	356	351	281
Yes		310	145	165	206	98	123	103	77	113	91	106	76	115	107	80	110	114
		31%	29%	32%	31%	29%	46%	32%	19%	32%	32%	29%	26%	33%	32%	22%	31%	41%
No		704	355	349	463	231	145	224	329	246	194	262	215	235	232	276	241	165
		69%	71%	68%	69%	70%	54%	68%	81%	68%	68%	71%	74%	67%	68%	78%	69%	59%
(DK)/(Refused)		2	1	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	2
		0%	0%	0%	-	1%	1%	-	-	-	-	0%	-	1%	-	-	-	1%