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Respondent Data

Variable	Variable Label	Value	Value Label
p_smptyp	P_SMPTYP Sample type - Probability or non-probability sample	1	(1) Probability sample
		2	(2) Non-probability sample
gender	GENDER Gender	0	(0) Unknown
		1	(1) Male
		2	(2) Female
age7	AGE7 Age group (7 categories)	-1	(-1) Less than 18
		1	(1) 18-24
		2	(2) 25-34
		3	(3) 35-44
		4	(4) 45-54
		5	(5) 55-64
		6	(6) 65-74
		7	(7) 75+
age4	AGE4 Age group (4 categories)	-1	(-1) Less than 18
		1	(1) 18-29
		2	(2) 30-44
		3	(3) 45-59
		4	(4) 60+
age_group_r5	AGE_GROUP_R5 Age group (5 categories)	1	(1) 18-29
		2	(2) 30-39
		3	(3) 40-59
		4	(4) 60-64
		5	(5) 65+
racethnicity	RACETHNICITY Race/ethnicity (6 categories)	1	(1) White, non-Hispanic
		2	(2) Black, non-Hispanic
		3	(3) Other, non-Hispanic
		4	(4) Hispanic
		5	(5) 2+, non-Hispanic
		6	(6) Asian, non-Hispanic
raceth	RACETH Race/ethnicity (4 categories)	1	(1) White, non-Hispanic
		2	(2) Black, non-Hispanic
		3	(3) Hispanic
		4	(4) Other, non-Hispanic
education	EDUCATION Educational attainment (14 categories)	1	(1) No formal education
		2	(2) 1st, 2nd, 3rd, or 4th grade
		3	(3) 5th or 6th grade
		4	(4) 7th or 8th grade
		5	(5) 9th grade
		6	(6) 10th grade
		7	(7) 11th grade
		8	(8) 12th grade NO DIPLOMA
		9	(9) HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE - high school DIPLOMA or the equivalent (GED)
		10	(10) Some college, no degree

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		11	(11) Associate degree
		12	(12) Bachelors degree
		13	(13) Masters degree
		14	(14) Professional or Doctorate degree
educ4	EDUC4 Educational attainment (4 categories)	1	(1) No HS diploma
		2	(2) HS graduate or equivalent
		3	(3) Some college
		4	(4) BA or above
edu_r3	EDU_R3 Educational attainment (3 categories)	1	(1) High school or less
		2	(2) Some college or Associate degree
		3	(3) Bachelors or advanced degree
married	MARRIED Marital status (6 categories)	1	(1) Married
		2	(2) Widowed
		3	(3) Divorced
		4	(4) Separated
		5	(5) Never married
		6	(6) Living with partner
married2	MARRIED2 Marital status (2 categories)	1	(1) Married or living with partner
		2	(2) Not married or living with partner
employ	EMPLOY Employment status (7 categories)	1	(1) Working - as a paid employee
		2	(2) Working - self-employed
		3	(3) Not working - on temporary layoff from a job
		4	(4) Not working - looking for work
		5	(5) Not working - retired
		6	(6) Not working - disabled
		7	(7) Not working - other
employed	EMPLOYED Employment status (2 categories)	1	(1) Working
		2	(2) Not working
income	INCOME Household income (18 categories)	1	(1) Less than \$5,000
		2	(2) \$5,000 to \$9,999
		3	(3) \$10,000 to \$14,999
		4	(4) \$15,000 to \$19,999
		5	(5) \$20,000 to \$24,999
		6	(6) \$25,000 to \$29,999
		7	(7) \$30,000 to \$34,999
		8	(8) \$35,000 to \$39,999
		9	(9) \$40,000 to \$49,999
		10	(10) \$50,000 to \$59,999
		11	(11) \$60,000 to \$74,999
		12	(12) \$75,000 to \$84,999
		13	(13) \$85,000 to \$99,999
		14	(14) \$100,000 to \$124,999
		15	(15) \$125,000 to \$149,999
		16	(16) \$150,000 to \$174,999
		17	(17) \$175,000 to \$199,999

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Variable	Variable Label	Value	Value Label
		18	(18) \$200,000 or more
		98	(98) SKIPPED ON WEB
inc_r4	INC_R4 Household income (4 categories)	1	(1) \$9,999 or less
		2	(2) \$10,000 to \$14,999
		3	(3) \$15,000 to \$24,999
		4	(4) \$25,000 or more
		98	(98) SKIPPED ON WEB
internet	INTERNET Internet access	0	(0) Non-internet household
		1	(1) Internet Household
home_type	HOME_TYPE Housing type	1	(1) A one-family house detached from any other house
		2	(2) A one-family house attached to one or more houses
		3	(3) A building with 2 or more apartments
		4	(4) A mobile home or trailer
		5	(5) Boat, RV, van, etc.
surv_mode	SURV_MODE Survey Mode	1	(1) Phone interview
		2	(2) Web interview
language	LANGUAGE Spanish speaking household	1	(1) English
		2	(2) Spanish
dov_income	DOV_INCOME Above or below 125 FPL	1	(1) Below 125 FPL
		2	(2) Above 125 FPL
		3	(3) FPL Unknown
dov_region2	DOV_REGION2 California region	1	(1) Northern region counties: Butte, Colusa, Del Norte, Glenn, Humboldt, Lake, Lassen, Mendocino, Modoc, Nevada, Plumas,
		2	(2) Sacramento area counties: El Dorado, Placer, Sacramento, Sutter, Yolo, and Yuba.
		3	(3) Bay Area counties: Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Solano, an
		4	(4) Central Valley and Sierra counties: Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Merced,
		5	(5) Central Coast counties: Monterey, San Benito, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and Ventura.
		6	(6) Inland Empire counties: Imperial, Riverside, and San Bernardino
		7	(7) Los Angeles County
		8	(8) Orange County
		9	(9) San Diego County
s1	S1 Your household size (including you) is...	1	(1) One person
		2	(2) Two people
		3	(3) Three people
		4	(4) Four people
		5	(5) Five people
		6	(6) Six people
		7	(7) Seven people
		8	(8) Eight people
		9	(9) Nine people
		10	(10) Ten or more people
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
s2	S2 Please select the category that best describes your household's total income	1	(1) At or below \$15,613

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		2	(2) Above \$15,613
		3	(3) At or below \$21,137
		4	(4) Above \$21,137
		5	(5) At or below \$26,662
		6	(6) Above \$26,662
		7	(7) At or below \$32,187
		8	(8) Above \$32,187
		9	(9) At or below \$37,712
		10	(10) Above \$37,712
		11	(11) At or below \$43,237
		12	(12) Above \$43,237
		13	(13) At or below \$48,762
		14	(14) Above \$48,762
		15	(15) At or below \$54,287
		16	(16) Above \$54,287
		17	(17) At or below \$59,812
		18	(18) Above \$59,812
		19	(19) At or below \$65,337
		20	(20) Above \$65,337
		77	(77) DON'T KNOW
		98	(98) SKIPPED ON WEB
		99	(99) REFUSED
s3	S3 Are you or is any other member of your immediate household a parent or guardi	1	(1) Yes
		2	(2) No
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
s4	S4 At any time in the past 12 months, did you or anyone in your immediate househ	1	(1) Yes
		2	(2) No
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
s5	S5 Have you or has anyone in your immediate household ever served in the militar	1	(1) Yes, either me or someone in HH is active
		2	(2) Yes, but no one is currently active
		3	(3) No
s6_1	S6_1 Is anyone deaf or does anyone have serious difficulty hearing?	1	(1) Yes
		2	(2) No
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused

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s6_2	S6_2 Is anyone blind or does anyone have serious difficulty seeing even when wea	1	(1) Yes
		2	(2) No
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
s6_3	S6_3 Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, does anyone have ser	1	(1) Yes
		2	(2) No
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
s6_4	S6_4 Does anyone have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?	1	(1) Yes
		2	(2) No
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
s6_5	S6_5 Does anyone have difficulty dressing or bathing?	1	(1) Yes
		2	(2) No
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
s6_6	S6_6 Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, does anyone have dif	1	(1) Yes
		2	(2) No
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
s6_any	S6_any Any conditions in S6 series	0	(0) No disabilities
		1	(1) At least one disability
s7	S7 Do you or does someone in your household...	1	(1) Own your home
		2	(2) Rent your home with public assistance
		3	(3) Rent your home without public assistance
		4	(4) Have some other housing arrangements
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
sa_dm	SA_DM Sexual assault or domestic violence victim	0	(0) Not a victim
		1	(1) Sexual assault/domestic violence victim

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q41	Q41 To what extent do you think people like you have the ability to use the cour	1	(1) Not at all
		2	(2) Rarely
		3	(3) Some of the time
		4	(4) Most of the time
		5	(5) All of the time
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
q42	Q42 To what extent do you think people like you are treated fairly in the civil	1	(1) Not at all
		2	(2) Rarely
		3	(3) Some of the time
		4	(4) Most of the time
		5	(5) All of the time
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
q43	Q43 To what extent do you think the civil legal system can help people like you	1	(1) Not at all
		2	(2) Rarely
		3	(3) Some of the time
		4	(4) Most of the time
		5	(5) All of the time
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
neg_court	NEG_COURT Negative opinion of courts on Q41, Q42, and Q43	0	(0) did not have negative view on all three court perception items
		1	(1) had negative view on all three court perception items
probs_self_cat	PROBS_SELF_CAT Number of problems personally experienced (6 categories)	0	(0) 0
		1	(1) 1
		2	(2) 2-3
		4	(4) 4-5
		6	(6) 6-10
		10	(10) 11+
any_help	ANY_HELP Sought any type of help on at least one problem	0	(0) Did not seek any type of help
		1	(1) Sought any type of help
any_legal	ANY_LEGAL Sought legal help (online or not) on at least one problem	0	(0) Did not seek legal help
		1	(1) Sought legal help
got_any_legal	GOT_ANY_LEGAL Received legal help (online or not) on at least one problem	0	(0) Did not receive legal help

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		1	(1) Received legal help
any_legal_online	ANY_LEGAL_ONLINE Received legal help online on at least one problem	0	(0) Did not receive legal help online
		1	(1) Received legal help online
any_legal_prof	ANY_LEGAL_PROF Received legal help professionally on at least one problem	0	(0) Did not receive legal help online
		1	(1) Received legal help online
educ_any	EDUC_ANY Computed flag: at least one education issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
health_any	HEALTH_ANY Computed flag: at least one health issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
misc_any	MISC_ANY Computed flag: at least one misc issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
vet_any	VET_ANY Computed flag: at least one veterans' issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
disability_any	DISABILITY_ANY Computed flag: at least one disability issue experienced personal	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
employ_any	EMPLOY_ANY Computed flag: at least one employment issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
rental_any	RENTAL_ANY Computed flag: at least one rental issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
own_any	OWN_ANY Computed flag: at least one home owner issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
finance_any	FINANCE_ANY Computed flag: at least one financial issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
income_any	INCOME_ANY Computed flag: at least one income maintenance issue experienced pers	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
family_any	FAMILY_ANY Computed flag: at least one family issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
family_any_new	FAMILY_ANY_NEW Computed flag: at least one family issue experienced personally,	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
custodial_any	CUSTODIAL_ANY Computed flag: at least one custodial issue experienced personally	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category

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		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
immigration_any	IMMIGRATION_ANY Computed count: at least one immigration issue experienced perso	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
educ_any_hh	EDUC_ANY Computed flag: at least one education issue experienced by household	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
health_any_hh	HEALTH_ANY Computed flag: at least one health issue experienced by household	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
misc_any_hh	MISC_ANY Computed flag: at least one misc issue experienced by household	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
vet_any_hh	VET_ANY Computed flag: at least one veterans' issue experienced by household	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
disability_any_hh	DISABILITY_ANY Computed flag: at least one disability issue experienced by house	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
employ_any_hh	EMPLOY_ANY Computed flag: at least one employment issue experienced by household	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
rental_any_hh	RENTAL_ANY Computed flag: at least one rental issue experienced by household	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
own_any_hh	OWN_ANY Computed flag: at least one home owner issue experienced by household	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
finance_any_hh	FINANCE_ANY Computed flag: at least one financial issue experienced by household	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
income_any_hh	INCOME_ANY Computed flag: at least one income maintenance issue experienced by h	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
family_any_hh	FAMILY_ANY Computed flag: at least one family issue experienced by household	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
custodial_any_hh	CUSTODIAL_ANY Computed flag: at least one custodial issue experienced by househo	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
immigration_any_	IMMIGRATION_ANY Computed count: at least one immigration issue experienced by ho	0	(0) Did not experience any problem in this category
		1	(1) Experienced any problem in this category
q41_r3	<none>	1	(1) Not at all/Rarely
		2	(2) Some of the time

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		3	(3) All/Most of the time
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
q42_r3	<none>	1	(1) Not at all/Rarely
		2	(2) Some of the time
		3	(3) All/Most of the time
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
q43_r3	<none>	1	(1) Not at all/Rarely
		2	(2) Some of the time
		3	(3) All/Most of the time
		77	(77) Don't know
		98	(98) Skipped on web
		99	(99) Refused
urban	URBAN: Live in urban/rural area based on census tract	1	(1) Urban
		2	(2) Rural