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GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SERIES: HEALTH AND HEALTHCARE

-- FINAL TOPLINE --

Results are based on telephone interviews conducted November 15-18, 2012 with a random sample of –1,015— adults, aged 18+, living in all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia.

For results based on the total sample of national adults, one can say with 95% confidence that the margin of error is ±3 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –515— men, the maximum margin of sampling error is ±5 percentage points.

For results based on the sample of –500— women, the maximum margin of sampling error is ±6 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 includes a minimum quota of 400 cell phone respondents and 600 landline respondents per 1,000 respondents, with additional minimum quotas among landline respondents by region. Landline numbers are chosen at random among listed telephone numbers, cell phone numbers are selected using random-digit dial methods. Landline respondents are chosen at random within each household on the basis of which member had the most recent birthday.

Samples are weighted by gender, age, race, Hispanic ethnicity, education, region, adults in the household, population density and phone status (cell phone only/landline only/both, having an unlisted landline number, and being cell phone mostly). Demographic weighting targets are based on the March 2011 Current Population Survey figures for the age 18+ U.S. population. 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.

17.   *(Asked of those with private health insurance)* Who pays the cost of premiums on your health insurance? Do you or someone in your household pay the total cost, does an employer pay the total cost, or is the cost shared between the employer and you or someone in your household?

BASED ON --499-- ADULTS WITH PRIVATE HEALTH INSURANCE; ±6 PCT PTS

	Self/ household pays all	Employer pays all	Costs are shared	None/other (vol.)	No opinion
2012 Nov 15-18	22	10	64	3	1
2011 Nov 3-6	21	15	63	1	*
2010 Nov 4-7	25	10	61	3	2
2009 Nov 5-8	25	12	60	2	2
2008 Nov 13-16	19	15	64	1	1
2007 Nov 11-14	18	15	64	2	1
2006 Nov 9-12	20	15	62	2	*
2005 Nov 7-10	18	14	65	2	1
2004 Nov 7-10	18	17	64	1	*
2003 Nov 3-5	23	16	59	2	*
2002 Nov 11-14	21	19	57	2	1
2001 Nov 8-11	19	24	54	2	1

18.   *(Asked of those who pay all or part of their health insurance premiums)* Over the past year, has the amount YOU paid for your family's health insurance – [ROTATED: gone up a lot, gone up a little, not changed, gone down a little, (or) gone down a lot]?

BASED ON --431-- ADULTS WHO PAY ALL OR PART OF THEIR HEALTH PREMIUMS; ±6 PCT PTS

	Gone up a lot	Gone up a little	Not changed	Gone down a little	Gone down a lot	No opinion
2012 Nov 15-18	29	42	22	4	1	2
2011 Nov 3-6	29	44	21	2	1	4
2010 Nov 4-7	29	48	18	2	1	3
2009 Nov 5-8	25	47	26	1	*	1
2008 Nov 13-16	24	48	22	3	1	2
2007 Nov 11-14	26	43	26	2	1	3
2006 Nov 9-12	29	46	19	3	1	3
2005 Nov 7-10	28	46	23	2	*	1
2004 Nov 7-10	28	48	17	5	1	1
2003 Nov 3-5	31	43	23	*	1	2

22.   Are you generally satisfied or dissatisfied with the total cost you pay for your health care?

	Satisfied	Dissatisfied	No opinion
2012 Nov 15-18	59	39	2
2011 Nov 3-6	60	38	2
2010 Nov 4-7	58	40	2
2009 Nov 5-8	62	36	2
2008 Nov 13-16	58	39	3
2007 Nov 11-14	57	39	4
2006 Nov 9-12	54	42	4
2005 Nov 7-10	57	41	2
2004 Nov 7-10	58	41	1
2003 Nov 3-5	57	41	2
2002 Nov 11-14	58	39	3
2001 Nov 8-11	64	33	3