Coronavirus







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N=1,000 Adults

Credibility Interval: +3.53%

Key Themes



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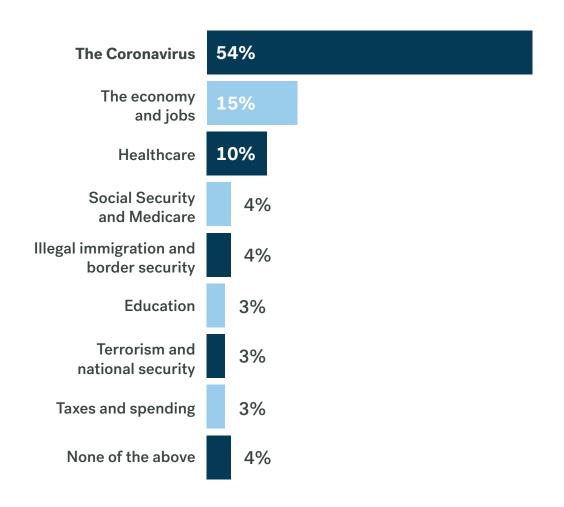
Pressing Issues





54%

believe the coronavirus is the most important issue facing the country.



- **78%**

are worried they or someone in their immediate family might catch the coronavirus.





Women and seniors have slightly elevated levels of concern.

	WORRIED	NOT WORRIED
GENDER		
Men	69%	22%
Women	78%	20%
AGE		
Ages 18 to 34	71%	20%
Ages 35 to 44	72%	18%
Ages 45 to 54	72%	22%
Ages 55 to 64	80%	20%
Ages 65+	76%	24%
PARENTS		
Moms	73%	22%
Dads	71%	26%





Americans across the country feel a level of concern.

	WORRIED	NOT WORRIED
HOTSPOTS		
Hotspot states	75%	19%
Non-hotspot states	73%	21%
REGIONS		
Northeast	74%	21%
Midwest	78%	19%
South	74%	22%
West	70%	20%
HEALTH CONDITION		
Has a chronic condition	76%	14%
Does not have a chronic condition	72%	26%
HEALTHCARE WORKERS		
Yes	69%	14%
No	75%	22%





Personal Impact







45%

personally, or someone in their household have, had a change in their employment status due to the coronavirus.

Of those,

26%

Lost their health insurance

- 15% Yes, lost their job
- 12% Yes, someone else in their household lost their job
- 15% Yes, had their salary or wages cut
- 10% Yes, someone else in their household had salary or wages cut
- 55% No, did not have a change in employment status

28%

personally have, or knows someone who has been, infected with the coronavirus.

- 4% Yes, they have been infected
- 2% Yes, someone else in their household has been infected
- 23% Yes, someone outside of their household has been infected
- 72% No, does not know anyone who has been infected

* Multiple responses accepted



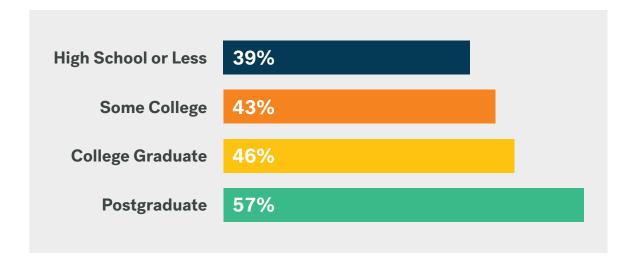


The virus is affecting people across the socioeconomic spectrum.

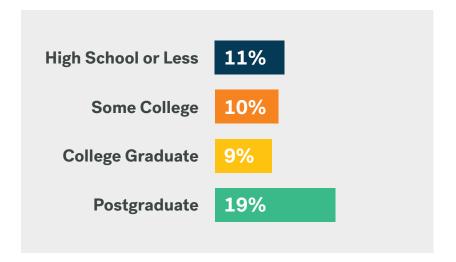
10%

of those with private health insurance say they have lost their health insurance.

The percentage of people who had a **change of employment status** by education level.



The percentage of people who **lost their health insurance** by education level.







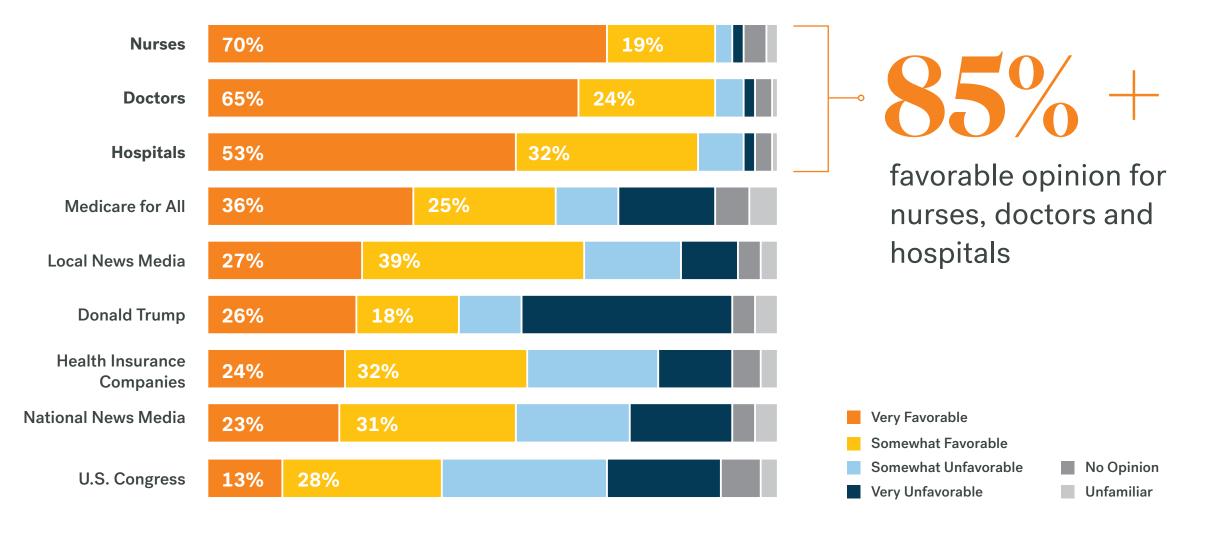
Trust + Opinions





Healthcare providers and hospitals are the most trusted sources of information on critical healthcare issues.

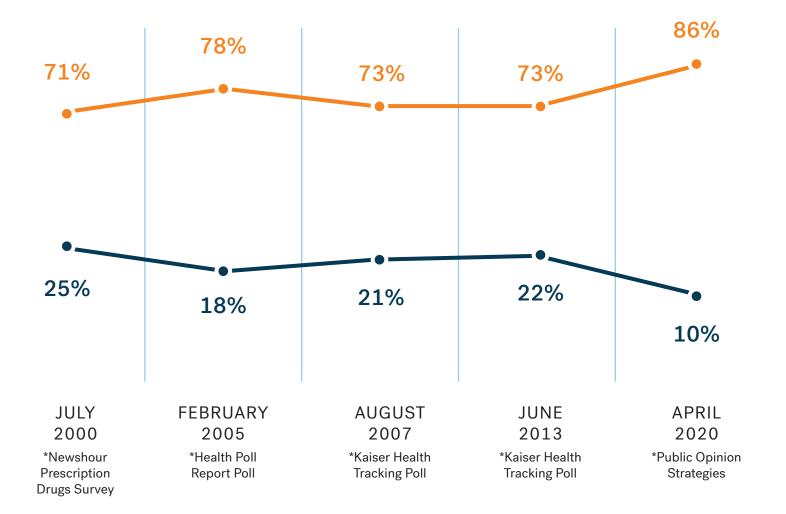
Ranked by favorability







Hospitals rating has spiked above its normally high favorable rating.



FAVORABLE RATINGS FOR HOSPITALS

91% Seniors

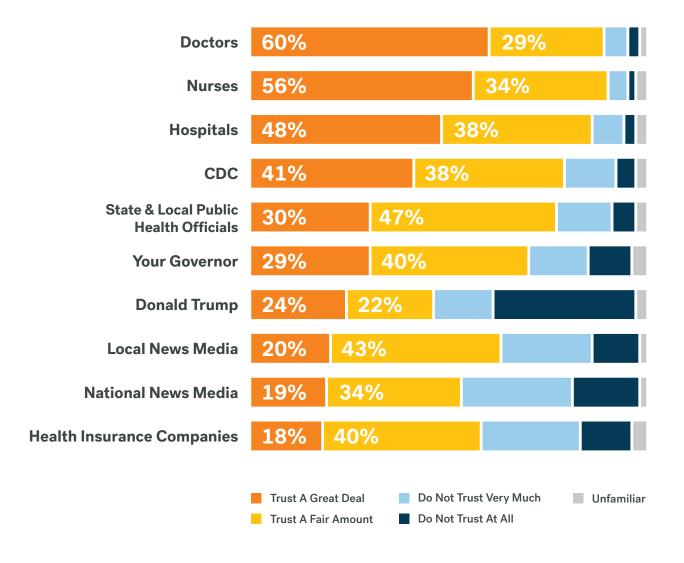
87% Women

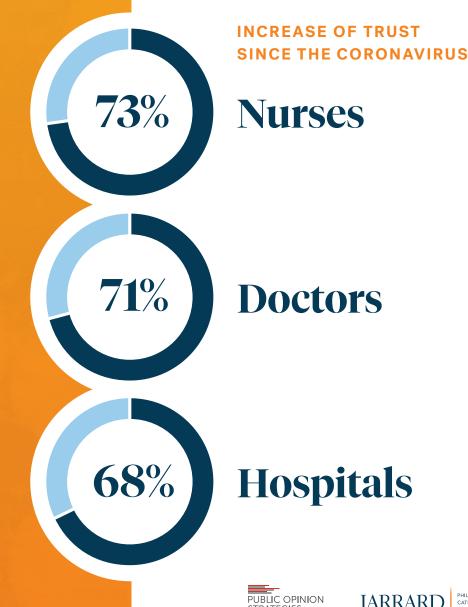
82% Moms





Ranked by trust on critical healthcare issues





Seniors, women and moms pay significant attention to healthcare issues and have a lot of faith in hospitals.



TRUST INCREASED FOR HOSPITALS Seniors Women Moms



Safety





51%

rated their feelings of safety in a healthcare facility as a 5 or lower on a 10-point scale.



Women express less confidence in healthcare facility safety.

	MEAN SCORE		MEAN SCORE		MEAN SCORE
GENDER		AGE		ETHNICITY	
Men	6.0	18 to 34	5.0	White	5.4
Women	4.8	35 to 44	5.5	Black	5.1
		45 to 54	5.6	Hispanic	5.2
		55 to 64	5.3		
		65+	5.9		
TOTAL MEAN SCORE 5.4					





Even those who work, or have a family member who works, in healthcare have a mean score below 6.

MEAN SCORE

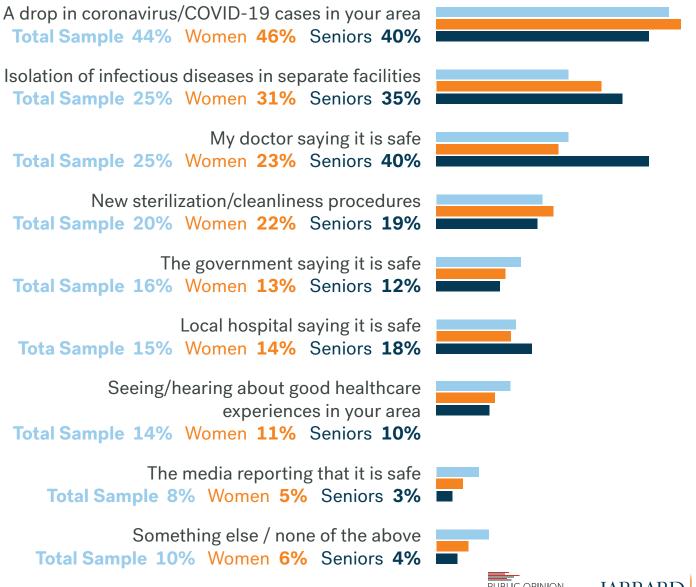
HEALTHCARE HOUSEHOLD		
Yes, total household	5.8	
Yes, self	5.9	
No	5.3	
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Regardless of how safe you feel today,

what are the most important things you could hear that would make you feel more safe going to a hospital, urgent care facility or other medical facility as a patient?





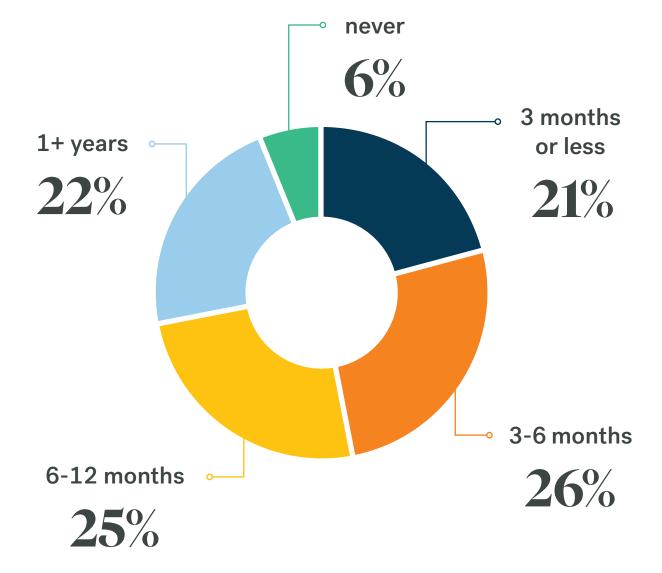


Electives





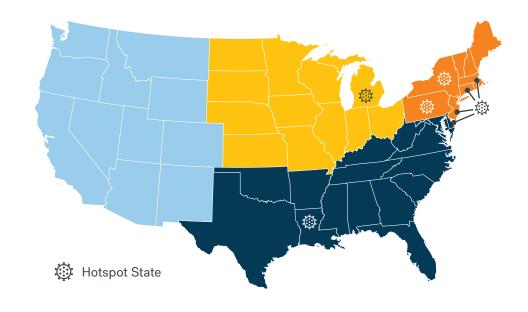
There is a lot of uncertainty about when life will return to "normal."







Doesn't matter if you're in a hotspot state or not, the "return to normal" timeframe is pretty similar across the country.



	WEST	MIDWEST	SOUTH	NORTHEAST	нотѕрот	NON-HOTSPOT
3 Months or Less	24%	20%	17%	24%	22%	22%
3-6 Months	32%	24%	23%	27%	27%	27%
6-12 Months	20%	25%	28%	26%	26%	26%
1+ Years	20%	25%	28%	20%	21%	21%
Never	6%	7%	8%	3%	8%	8%



There is no consensus on when people will return to healthcare facilities.

Schedule a routine visit in your doctor's office.





DAYS







MONTHS







Schedule an elective procedure in a hospital.



IMMEDIATELY



1-30

DAYS

2-3 **MONTHS**

17%



4-6 **MONTHS**



7-11 **MONTHS**



A YEAR OR LONGER



NEVER AGAIN

Schedule an elective procedure in a non-hospital medical facility, like an outpatient medical center.



IMMEDIATELY



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19%

4-6 **MONTHS**

7-11 **MONTHS**



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Men are more likely to schedule an elective procedure in a hospital quickly.

Seniors and women may wait a little longer.

	WITHIN 30 DAYS	2-6 MONTHS	7 MONTHS OR LONGER
GENDER			
Men	33%	39%	23%
Women	14%	36%	45%
AGE			
Ages 18 to 34	29%	29%	34%
Ages 35 to 44	36%	41%	20%
Ages 45 to 54	20%	51%	25%
Ages 55 to 64	13%	35%	48%
Ages 65+	9%	42%	47%
ETHNICITY			
White	20%	37%	38%
Black	35%	35%	25%
Hispanic	25%	42%	30%





When thinking about scheduling an elective procedure in a hospital,

those in healthcare households express a willingness to schedule more quickly, but even among this audience, less than half plan to come back within 30 days and even 20% think it will be 7 months or longer.

	WITHIN 30 DAYS	2-6 MONTHS	7 MONTHS OR LONGER	
HOUSEHOLDS				
Healthcare households	43%	31%	20%	
Non-healthcare households	17%	40%	39%	
HOTSPOTS				
Hotspot states	25%	34%	41%	
Non-hotspot states	22%	39%	34%	







55%

have delayed or skipped medical care since the coronavirus spread in the United States. Of the 55% who delayed or skipped an elective procedure, reasons cited were:

Hospital canceled or postponed procedure

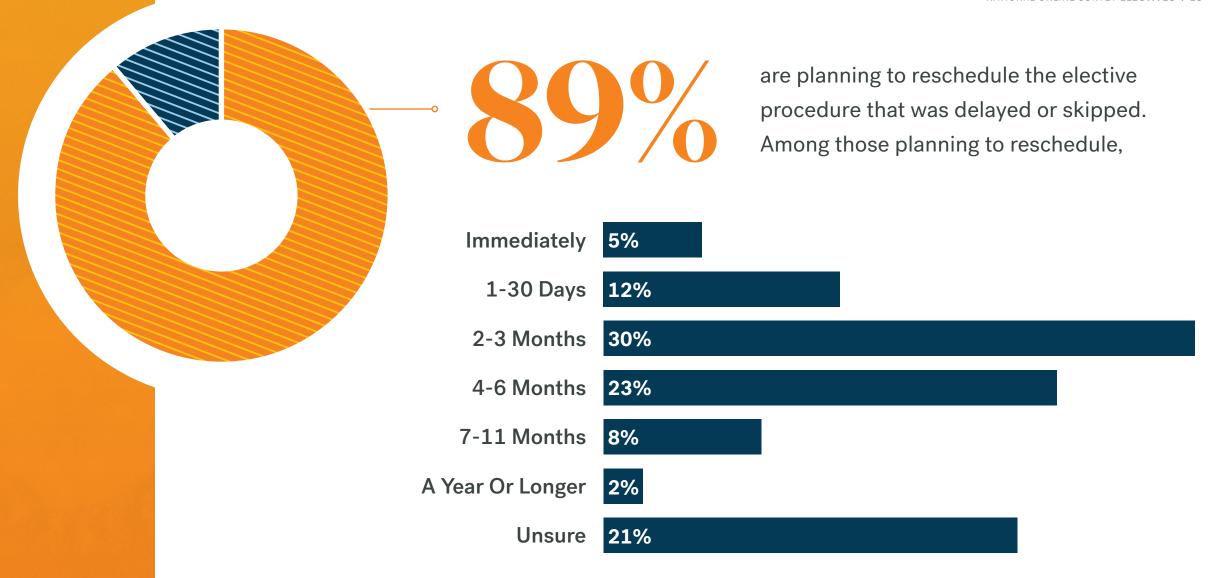
Did not feel safe going to the hospital or medical facility

20% Loss of income

Change of insurance













45%

did not delay or skip medical care since the coronavirus spread in the United States. Of the 45% who did not delay or skip medical care, the following were rated as potential obstacles in seeking treatment for a future elective medical procedure in a hospital.

42% Feeling unsafe in a hospital setting

Loss of employment or income

 $8^{0}/_{0}$ Change of insurance





The Future of Care





Telehealth

Providers conduct medical exams or consultations through video chat, phone calls and messaging.

29%

have used telehealth for a medical exam or consultation.

Of the 29%,

89%

Were satisfied with their telehealth experience

11%

Were not satisfied with their telehealth experience





Telehealth

Providers conduct medical exams or consultations through video chat, phone calls and messaging.

- 71%

have never received a medical exam or consultation via a telehealth appointment.

Of the 71%,

61%

Would consider using telehealth

51%

Are more likely to consider using telehealth following the coronavirus pandemic





Middle-aged Americans are more likely to consider using telehealth,

while those over 55 are less likely.

	YES, WOULD CONSIDER
GENDER	
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Women	60%
AGE	
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ETHNICITY	
White	63%
African American	48%
Hispanic	63%





Home Recovery Care

Hospital-level care provided by doctors and other medical providers in your home (in person or through telehealth) for medical conditions, like Congestive Heart Failure, COPD, pneumonia and more.

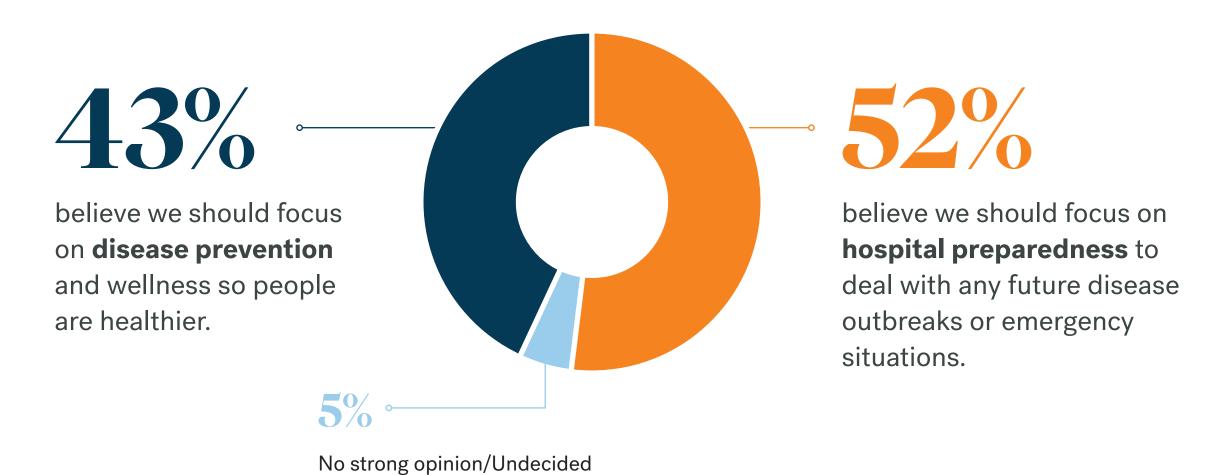
80%

would likely use home recovery care if it was covered by their insurance.





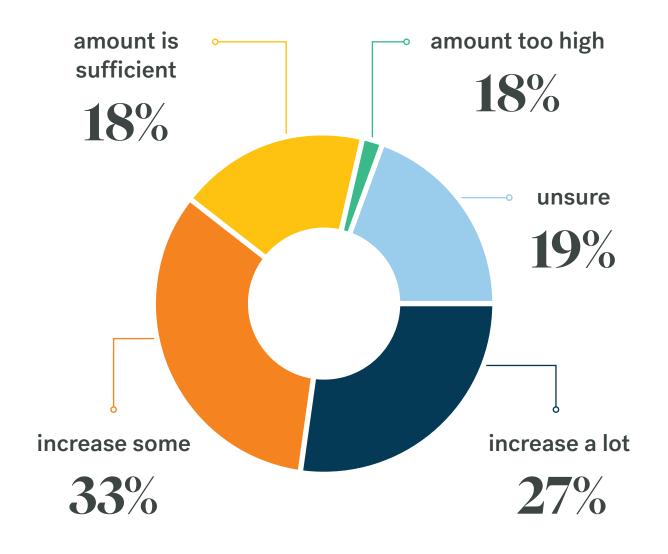
Americans are split on the focus of healthcare in the future.







Based on what was included in the first stimulus package, Americans believe hospitals require more funding.







Today,

the coronavirus appears to have people more focused on their overall health moving forward. 83%

intend to live a healthier lifestyle - like eating healthier and exercising more - moving forward into the future.





Demographics





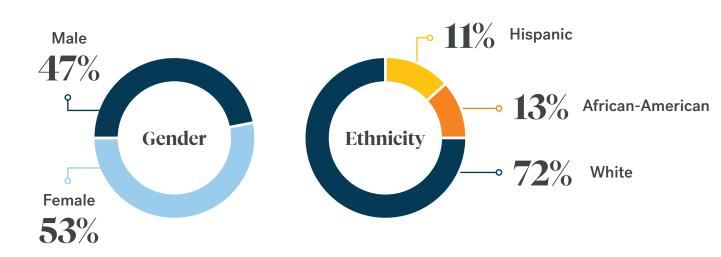
Midwest

21%

Northeast

21%

Demographics





Age

31%	18 - 34
19%	35 - 44
16%	45 - 54
18%	55 - 64
17%	65 +



Education

28% High School or Less

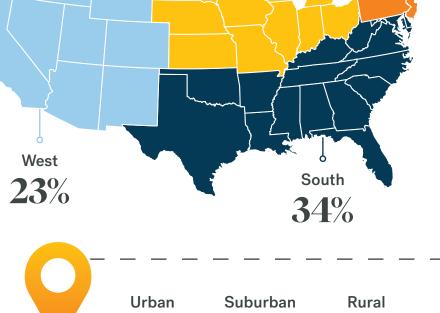
25% Some College

31% College Graduate

16% Post Graduate



34%



38%



48%



12%

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