

## American Viewpoint Survey – March 12-16, 2022

- On a scale of 1 to 10, where one means that you are not at all enthusiastic and ten means that you are extremely enthusiastic, how enthusiastic are you about voting in the November election for Congress and other state and local offices?
  - % who rate their enthusiasm a 10
    - 56%, Republican
    - 33%, Independent
    - 41%, Democrat
- Do you feel that things in this country are generally going in the right direction, or do you feel things have gotten off on the wrong track?
  - Total
    - 29%, Right Direction (15% strongly, 14% not strongly)
    - 68%, Wrong Track (54% strongly, 14% not strongly)
    - 2%, Don't Know
  - Republican
    - 6%, Right Direction
    - 92%, Wrong Track
  - Democrat
    - 60%, Right Direction
    - 36%, Wrong Track
- In the November election for Congress, are you more likely to vote for a candidate who will be a check and balance to the Biden Administration and Democrats in Congress, OR a candidate who will help the Biden Administration and Democrats in Congress pass their agenda?
  - Total
    - 49%, Check and Balance (42% strongly, 7% not strongly)
    - 35%, Pass Biden Agenda (27% strongly, 8% not strongly)
    - 9%, Neither/Both
    - 3%, Don't Know
  - Republican
    - 81%, Check and Balance
    - 7%, Pass Biden Agenda
- Do you approve OR disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as President?
  - Total
    - 44%, Approve (16% strongly, 28% not strongly)
    - 53%, Disapprove (43% strongly, 10% not strongly)
- If the November election for Congress were held today, would you be voting for the Republican candidate OR the Democratic candidate?
  - Total
    - 45%, Republican candidate
      - 33% Definitely
    - 45%, Democratic candidate
      - 29% Definitely

- 7%, Don't Know
  - +1%, GOP Advantage
- Seniors
  - 48%, Republican candidate
  - 44%, Democratic candidate
  - 5%, Don't Know
  - +4%, GOP Advantage
- Latino
  - 36%, Republican candidate
  - 44%, Democratic candidate
  - 15%, Don't Know
  - -8%, GOP Advantage
- Republican
  - 95%, Republican candidate
  - 2%, Democratic candidate
  - 3%, Don't Know
  - +93%, GOP Advantage
- Independent
  - 40%, Republican candidate
  - 40%, Democratic candidate
  - 14%, Don't Know
  - +0%, GOP Advantage
- Democrat
  - 4%, Republican candidate
  - 95%, Democratic candidate
  - 1%, Don't Know
  - -90%, GOP Advantage
- Very Conservative
  - 90%, Republican candidate
  - 6%, Democratic candidate
  - 4%, Don't Know
  - +84%, GOP Advantage
- Non-College Ed.
  - 50%, Republican candidate
  - 41%, Democratic candidate
  - 8%, Don't Know
  - +9%, GOP Advantage
- College Ed. Women
  - 36%, Republican candidate
  - 56%, Democratic candidate
  - 4%, Don't Know
  - -20%, GOP Advantage
- Suburban Women
  - 41%, Republican candidate

- 50%, Democratic candidate
    - 5%, Don't Know
    - -9%, GOP Advantage
  - Middle Class
    - 55%, Republican candidate
    - 37%, Democratic candidate
    - 5%, Don't Know
    - +18%, GOP Advantage
  - Parents
    - 51%, Republican candidate
    - 37%, Democratic candidate
    - 6%, Don't Know
    - +14%, GOP Advantage
  - Employer Provided Insurance
    - 44%, Republican candidate
    - 46%, Democratic candidate
    - 6%, Don't Know
    - -1%, GOP Advantage
  - Trump Not 2018
    - 90%, Republican candidate
    - 3%, Democratic candidate
    - 5%, Don't Know
    - +87%, GOP Advantage
  - Battleground CD Ind. Men
    - 43%, Republican candidate
    - 38%, Democratic candidate
    - 17%, Don't Know
    - +5%, GOP Advantage
  - Battleground CD Ind. Women
    - 52%, Republican candidate
    - 28%, Democratic candidate
    - 16%, Don't Know
    - +23%, GOP Advantage
- I would now like to read you several issues the President and Congress could address and have you tell me if each is very important, somewhat important, not too important or not at all important in deciding your vote for Congress.
  - The Economy
    - 78%, Very Important
    - 19%, Somewhat Important
    - 2%, Not too important
    - 2%, Not at all important
  - Rising Prices and Inflation
    - 74%, Very Important
    - 20%, Somewhat Important

- 5%, Not too important
    - 1%, Not at all important
  - National Security and Foreign Affairs
    - 69%, Very Important
    - 23%, Somewhat Important
    - 5%, Not too important
    - 2%, Not at all important
  - Crime and Public Safety
    - 63%, Very Important
    - 28%, Somewhat Important
    - 7%, Not too important
    - 1%, Not at all important
  - Education
    - 62%, Very Important
    - 28%, Somewhat Important
    - 7%, Not too important
    - 2%, Not at all important
  - Health Insurance Costs and Coverage
    - 59%, Very Important
    - 31%, Somewhat Important
    - 7%, Not too important
    - 1%, Not at all important
  - Prescription Drug Prices
    - 51%, Very Important
    - 34%, Somewhat Important
    - 10%, Not too important
    - 3%, Not at all important
  - Illegal Immigration
    - 49%, Very Important
    - 26%, Somewhat Important
    - 16%, Not too important
    - 7%, Not at all important
  - COVID
    - 38%, Very Important
    - 33%, Somewhat Important
    - 15%, Not too important
    - 13%, Not at all important
- Now having heard about both plans, do you prefer the Democrats' plan OR the Republicans' plan to address prescription drug pricing? Do you feel strongly about that?
  - Dem plan: Democrats in Congress have proposed a plan that would allow the Secretary of Health and Human Services to negotiate lower prices for some of the most expensive drugs for Medicare Part D and B. The drugs subject to what proponents call negotiation are those that have been on the market for several years without competition, but also account for a significant portion of Medicare

drug spending. Negotiated prices would be capped, with a lower maximum negotiated price for drugs that have been on the market longer.

- GOP plan: Republicans in Congress have proposed a plan to reduce the cost of pharmaceutical medicines. It would speed up the development of generic drugs and increase competition, focus on eliminating wasteful spending, increase drug pricing transparency for consumers, set an annual maximum on seniors' out-of-pocket drug costs, and preserve America's drug innovation pipeline and private sector so we are not dependent on foreign countries.
  - Total
    - 44%, GOP Plan
    - 34%, Democrat Plan
    - 15%, Neither/Both
    - 5%, Don't know
  - Seniors
    - 45%, GOP Plan
    - 37%, Democrat Plan
  - Republican
    - 86%, GOP Plan
    - 6%, Democrat Plan
  - Very conservative
    - 83%, GOP Plan
    - 9%, Democrat Plan
  - Independent
    - 39%, GOP Plan
    - 29%, Democrat Plan
  - Democrat
    - 12%, GOP Plan
    - 67%, Democrat Plan

*Methodology:*

PhRMA commissioned American Viewpoint to conduct a survey of likely voters nationwide with an oversample in battleground districts across the country. Interviews were conducted March 12th-16th, 2022. There was an oversample to achieve n=500 interviews in Battleground CDs. These were defined by using Cook Political Ratings and included all Lean GOP/DEM and Toss Up Districts. Due to Florida and New Hampshire not having finalized districts, estimations were included based off the latest proposed maps. The margin of error for the National sample (n=1000) is +/-3.1% at the 95% confidence level. The margin of error for the Battleground sample (n=500) is +/-4.4% at the 95% confidence level. The margin of error among sub-groups is greater. Approximately 43% of interviews were conducted with a cell phone sample of those who cannot be reached on a landline, with 24% conducted on a landline. The remaining 33% of interviews were conducted online. There was an 85% match to the file, both asked for by name on phone or matched back to the voter file on the online panel.