

1. Hinckley | Prison

Do you think that people who are insane and commit violent crimes should be sent to prison or should they be committed to psychiatric institutions?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Sent to prison	21%	21%	20%	33%	30%	17%	5%	17%	23%	44%	15%
Committed to psychiatric institutions	65%	65%	66%	57%	51%	65%	88%	67%	66%	51%	68%
Not sure	14%	14%	14%	10%	19%	18%	8%	16%	11%	5%	18%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (482)	100% (517)	100% (175)	100% (248)	100% (391)	100% (185)	100% (703)	100% (121)	100% (114)	100% (61)

	Party ID (3 category)			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Sent to prison	21%	16%	21%	27%	22%	28%	14%	7%	12%	20%	27%	20%
Committed to psychiatric institutions	65%	69%	65%	60%	66%	62%	69%	66%	75%	65%	59%	66%
Not sure	14%	15%	14%	13%	12%	10%	17%	27%	13%	16%	15%	13%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (999)	100% (370)	100% (375)	100% (254)	100% (488)	100% (263)	100% (128)	100% (120)	100% (188)	100% (247)	100% (344)	100% (220)

2. Hinckley | Release

If someone is committed to a psychiatric institution because they committed a violent crime, do you think that they should or should be released once they are deemed to no longer be a threat to society?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Should be released	21%	26%	15%	37%	20%	18%	11%	21%	12%	19%	39%
Should not be released	49%	40%	57%	33%	53%	51%	55%	50%	45%	58%	26%
Not sure	31%	33%	28%	29%	27%	31%	34%	29%	43%	23%	34%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(481)	(515)	(173)	(246)	(392)	(185)	(700)	(122)	(113)	(61)

	Party ID (3 category)				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Should be released	21%	25%	20%	16%	20%	20%	19%	24%	23%	21%	19%	20%
Should not be released	49%	42%	49%	58%	48%	53%	47%	45%	45%	49%	50%	51%
Not sure	31%	33%	31%	26%	32%	27%	34%	31%	32%	30%	31%	29%
Totals	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
(Unweighted N)	(996)	(370)	(374)	(252)	(486)	(263)	(128)	(119)	(185)	(246)	(345)	(220)

3. Hinckley | Reagan

How much do you know about the attempted assassination of Ronald Reagan by John Hinckley?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
A lot	31%	40%	24%	8%	20%	42%	49%	34%	35%	22%	17%
A little	53%	49%	57%	59%	53%	52%	50%	55%	44%	57%	44%
Nothing	11%	8%	15%	25%	21%	3%	1%	8%	14%	18%	24%
Not sure	4%	3%	5%	8%	7%	2%	0%	3%	7%	2%	14%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (482)	100% (516)	100% (174)	100% (247)	100% (392)	100% (185)	100% (703)	100% (121)	100% (113)	100% (61)

	Party ID (3 category)				Family Income (3 category)				Census Region			
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
A lot	31%	29%	34%	31%	28%	33%	38%	35%	25%	33%	31%	37%
A little	53%	51%	52%	58%	53%	57%	51%	47%	57%	49%	53%	54%
Nothing	11%	15%	9%	10%	14%	9%	6%	10%	14%	16%	9%	8%
Not sure	4%	4%	6%	1%	5%	1%	5%	8%	4%	2%	7%	2%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (368)	100% (376)	100% (254)	100% (489)	100% (261)	100% (128)	100% (120)	100% (186)	100% (247)	100% (345)	100% (220)

4. Hinckley | Hinckley Release

Do you approve or disapprove of the decision to release John Hinckley from psychiatric care?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Strongly approve	5%	7%	2%	9%	3%	4%	3%	3%	7%	2%	18%
Somewhat approve	15%	18%	12%	12%	16%	16%	14%	17%	11%	8%	7%
Somewhat disapprove	27%	27%	26%	28%	27%	24%	30%	27%	17%	32%	33%
Strongly disapprove	32%	30%	35%	19%	27%	41%	38%	33%	35%	35%	15%
Not sure	22%	18%	25%	33%	27%	16%	15%	19%	31%	22%	27%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (480)	100% (514)	100% (172)	100% (247)	100% (391)	100% (184)	100% (700)	100% (121)	100% (113)	100% (60)

	Party ID (3 category)			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Strongly approve	5%	4%	6%	2%	5%	4%	4%	6%	7%	4%	5%	2%
Somewhat approve	15%	22%	13%	9%	16%	13%	19%	10%	20%	12%	12%	18%
Somewhat disapprove	27%	23%	24%	37%	21%	32%	33%	30%	29%	31%	27%	20%
Strongly disapprove	32%	25%	34%	39%	37%	33%	29%	19%	22%	36%	31%	41%
Not sure	22%	26%	23%	14%	22%	18%	14%	35%	23%	18%	24%	19%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (994)	100% (366)	100% (376)	100% (252)	100% (486)	100% (262)	100% (126)	100% (120)	100% (185)	100% (246)	100% (343)	100% (220)

5. Hinckley | Release Ever

Do you think that someone who has tried to assassinate a president should ever be eligible for release?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Should be eligible for release	22%	28%	16%	37%	20%	20%	13%	23%	21%	17%	25%
Should never be released	55%	49%	61%	40%	53%	62%	61%	55%	53%	62%	39%
Not sure	23%	23%	24%	23%	27%	18%	26%	22%	26%	20%	36%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (483)	100% (514)	100% (174)	100% (247)	100% (391)	100% (185)	100% (702)	100% (122)	100% (113)	100% (60)

	Party ID (3 category)			Family Income (3 category)				Census Region				
	Total	Democrat	Independent	Republican	Under \$50K	\$50-100K	\$100K or more	Prefer not to say	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
Should be eligible for release	22%	22%	27%	14%	23%	22%	22%	20%	25%	23%	20%	21%
Should never be released	55%	47%	54%	68%	54%	60%	53%	47%	50%	57%	56%	55%
Not sure	23%	32%	19%	18%	23%	18%	25%	33%	25%	20%	23%	24%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (370)	100% (375)	100% (252)	100% (488)	100% (262)	100% (127)	100% (120)	100% (187)	100% (246)	100% (344)	100% (220)

Interviewing Dates	July 27 - 29, 2016
Target population	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
Sampling method	Respondents were selected from YouGov's opt-in Internet panel using sample matching. A random sample (stratified by gender, age, race, education, voter registration, political ideology, party identification, geographic region, and voter registration) was selected from the 2014 American Community Study. Voter registration and party identification were imputed from the November 2014 Current Population Survey Registration and Voting Supplement.
Weighting	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on gender, age, race, education, political ideology, geographic region and voter registration. The weights range from 0.102 to 6.048, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 1.123.
Number of respondents	1000
Margin of error	± 4.7% (adjusted for weighting)
Survey mode	Web-based interviews
Questions not reported	20 questions not reported.