

**1. Right to an Attorney | Has a Right to Silence**

If someone is arrested by the police, do they or do they not have the right to remain silent and not answer police questions?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
They do have the right to remain silent	88%	87%	89%	85%	87%	92%	85%	89%	88%	79%	92%
They do NOT have the right to remain silent	7%	9%	5%	10%	8%	4%	7%	6%	4%	12%	7%
Not sure	5%	4%	6%	5%	6%	4%	7%	5%	8%	8%	1%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (480)	100% (517)	100% (173)	100% (246)	100% (400)	100% (178)	100% (723)	100% (117)	100% (92)	100% (65)

	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
They do have the right to remain silent	88%	88%	89%	85%	87%	94%	83%	84%	88%	87%	89%	88%
They do NOT have the right to remain silent	7%	5%	7%	9%	8%	4%	11%	5%	6%	8%	7%	6%
Not sure	5%	7%	4%	6%	5%	2%	6%	10%	6%	6%	4%	6%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (382)	100% (395)	100% (220)	100% (479)	100% (258)	100% (122)	100% (138)	100% (162)	100% (214)	100% (398)	100% (223)

**2. Right to an Attorney | Has a Right to Attorney**

If someone is arrested by the police, do they or do they not have the right to an attorney?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
They do have the right to an attorney	91%	89%	93%	80%	91%	95%	98%	93%	92%	84%	92%
They do NOT have the right to an attorney	4%	5%	3%	11%	4%	1%	0%	3%	1%	8%	6%
Not sure	5%	6%	4%	9%	5%	4%	2%	4%	7%	9%	2%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (479)	100% (518)	100% (173)	100% (245)	100% (401)	100% (178)	100% (723)	100% (119)	100% (91)	100% (64)

	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
They do have the right to an attorney	91%	93%	90%	91%	90%	95%	92%	89%	87%	96%	92%	91%
They do NOT have the right to an attorney	4%	3%	4%	5%	5%	4%	3%	1%	2%	2%	5%	3%
Not sure	5%	5%	6%	3%	5%	1%	6%	10%	11%	2%	3%	5%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (384)	100% (393)	100% (220)	100% (478)	100% (257)	100% (122)	100% (140)	100% (163)	100% (213)	100% (397)	100% (224)

**3. Right to an Attorney | Importance - Remain Silent**

How important do you think the right to remain silent is?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very important	66%	67%	64%	45%	65%	76%	69%	68%	61%	61%	62%
Somewhat important	21%	18%	25%	34%	22%	16%	17%	21%	24%	16%	33%
Not very important	6%	7%	6%	16%	7%	1%	4%	5%	8%	11%	0%
Not at all important	3%	5%	0%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	8%	1%
Not sure	4%	3%	5%	2%	4%	4%	7%	4%	5%	4%	4%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (481)	100% (519)	100% (173)	100% (248)	100% (401)	100% (178)	100% (724)	100% (119)	100% (92)	100% (65)

  

	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
Very important	66%	63%	72%	58%	65%	69%	58%	68%	58%	62%	72%	67%
Somewhat important	21%	21%	20%	25%	19%	25%	33%	16%	26%	27%	16%	22%
Not very important	6%	9%	4%	6%	8%	4%	1%	8%	8%	3%	7%	5%
Not at all important	3%	2%	1%	8%	5%	0%	2%	1%	1%	5%	3%	3%
Not sure	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	2%	6%	7%	8%	3%	3%	3%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (1,000)	100% (385)	100% (395)	100% (220)	100% (480)	100% (258)	100% (122)	100% (140)	100% (163)	100% (214)	100% (399)	100% (224)

**4. Right to an Attorney | Importance - Right to Attorney**

How important do you think the right to an attorney is?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Very important	79%	76%	82%	66%	77%	87%	82%	80%	79%	77%	79%
Somewhat important	14%	13%	14%	19%	15%	9%	15%	13%	18%	13%	12%
Not very important	3%	6%	1%	8%	3%	2%	0%	4%	1%	1%	2%
Not at all important	2%	2%	1%	5%	2%	0%	—	1%	0%	5%	4%
Not sure	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	4%	2%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (992)	100% (479)	100% (513)	100% (171)	100% (247)	100% (399)	100% (175)	100% (718)	100% (119)	100% (90)	100% (65)

  

	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
Very important	79%	82%	81%	71%	78%	80%	82%	79%	68%	83%	84%	80%
Somewhat important	14%	14%	11%	19%	14%	15%	10%	14%	21%	10%	12%	12%
Not very important	3%	2%	3%	4%	4%	2%	2%	4%	4%	5%	1%	4%
Not at all important	2%	1%	2%	3%	3%	2%	—	0%	2%	0%	2%	2%
Not sure	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	1%	6%	3%	5%	2%	2%	2%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (992)	100% (379)	100% (394)	100% (219)	100% (476)	100% (258)	100% (122)	100% (136)	100% (161)	100% (214)	100% (394)	100% (223)

**5. Right to an Attorney | Look Guilty**

If someone is arrested and refuses to answer questions without having an attorney, do you think this does or does not make them look guilty?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Does make them look guilty	32%	32%	32%	35%	31%	31%	32%	34%	31%	24%	24%
Does NOT make them look guilty	49%	50%	48%	41%	50%	52%	51%	49%	46%	58%	42%
Not sure	19%	18%	20%	24%	19%	17%	17%	17%	23%	19%	34%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (480)	100% (518)	100% (171)	100% (248)	100% (401)	100% (178)	100% (722)	100% (119)	100% (92)	100% (65)

  

	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
Does make them look guilty	32%	29%	29%	40%	35%	30%	37%	22%	31%	35%	31%	31%
Does NOT make them look guilty	49%	49%	53%	42%	44%	54%	52%	54%	49%	46%	52%	48%
Not sure	19%	22%	17%	17%	21%	16%	12%	23%	20%	19%	17%	21%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (384)	100% (395)	100% (219)	100% (480)	100% (257)	100% (122)	100% (139)	100% (163)	100% (214)	100% (398)	100% (223)

**6. Right to an Attorney | Innocent**

If you were arrested for a crime which you did NOT commit, would you answer questions from the police, or would you remain silent?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
I would answer police questions	38%	40%	35%	39%	42%	35%	38%	39%	34%	42%	28%
I would remain silent	39%	40%	38%	39%	31%	47%	35%	38%	58%	28%	40%
Not sure	23%	20%	26%	22%	28%	18%	27%	24%	8%	30%	32%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (480)	100% (517)	100% (172)	100% (246)	100% (401)	100% (178)	100% (723)	100% (117)	100% (92)	100% (65)

	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
I would answer police questions	38%	40%	28%	52%	42%	36%	34%	30%	30%	38%	40%	41%
I would remain silent	39%	43%	42%	27%	39%	39%	35%	42%	43%	44%	36%	36%
Not sure	23%	17%	30%	20%	19%	25%	30%	28%	27%	17%	24%	23%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (384)	100% (393)	100% (220)	100% (478)	100% (258)	100% (122)	100% (139)	100% (162)	100% (213)	100% (398)	100% (224)

**7. Right to an Attorney | Guilty**

If you were arrested for a crime which you did commit, would you answer questions from the police or would you remain silent?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
I would answer police questions	23%	24%	21%	35%	27%	13%	21%	20%	35%	31%	16%
I would remain silent	58%	59%	58%	44%	50%	71%	62%	62%	54%	43%	55%
Not sure	19%	17%	21%	21%	24%	16%	17%	18%	12%	26%	29%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (480)	100% (517)	100% (173)	100% (246)	100% (401)	100% (177)	100% (722)	100% (118)	100% (92)	100% (65)

	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
I would answer police questions	23%	29%	15%	27%	29%	20%	5%	19%	20%	19%	25%	23%
I would remain silent	58%	52%	64%	57%	55%	63%	66%	54%	60%	66%	56%	54%
Not sure	19%	18%	21%	16%	15%	17%	28%	28%	19%	15%	19%	22%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (997)	100% (382)	100% (395)	100% (220)	100% (478)	100% (258)	100% (121)	100% (140)	100% (162)	100% (214)	100% (397)	100% (224)

**8. Right to an Attorney | Find a Lawyer**

If you were arrested, would you know how to find a lawyer to represent you?

	Gender			Age (4 category)				Race (4 category)			
	Total	Male	Female	Under 30	30-44	45-64	65+	White	Black	Hispanic	Other
Yes	51%	48%	54%	37%	47%	63%	51%	55%	41%	48%	37%
No	29%	27%	31%	39%	29%	23%	30%	27%	32%	28%	43%
Not sure	19%	25%	15%	24%	24%	14%	19%	17%	27%	24%	20%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (481)	100% (517)	100% (173)	100% (247)	100% (400)	100% (178)	100% (724)	100% (118)	100% (91)	100% (65)

	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
Yes	51%	53%	45%	60%	50%	47%	66%	52%	45%	56%	51%	53%
No	29%	27%	35%	22%	29%	37%	17%	24%	34%	27%	27%	29%
Not sure	19%	20%	20%	18%	20%	16%	17%	24%	21%	17%	21%	18%
Totals (Unweighted N)	100% (998)	100% (383)	100% (395)	100% (220)	100% (479)	100% (258)	100% (122)	100% (139)	100% (163)	100% (214)	100% (398)	100% (223)

<b>Interviewing Dates</b>	September 8 - 9, 2016
<b>Target population</b>	U.S. citizens, aged 18 and over.
<b>Sampling method</b>	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.
<b>Weighting</b>	The sample was weighted using propensity scores based on gender, age, race, education, political ideology, geographic region and voter registration. The weights range from 0.106 to 6.38, with a mean of one and a standard deviation of 1.155.
<b>Number of respondents</b>	1000
<b>Margin of error</b>	± 4.7% (adjusted for weighting)
<b>Survey mode</b>	Web-based interviews
<b>Questions not reported</b>	20 questions not reported.