# **Topline**



Kaiser Family Foundation
2009 Survey of Americans on HIV/AIDS

#### **Methodology**

The Kaiser Family Foundation *Survey of Americans on HIV/AIDS* was designed and analyzed by researchers at the Kaiser Family Foundation led by Mollyann Brodie, Ph.D., including Elizabeth Hamel, Jennifer Kates and Sasha Buscho. The survey was conducted by telephone between January 26 and March 8, 2009, among a nationally representative random sample of 2,554 adults ages 18 and older. Telephone interviews conducted by landline (N=1,951) and cell phone (N=603, including 214 who had no landline telephone) were carried out in English and Spanish by Princeton Survey Research Associates. The survey includes oversamples of African American and Latino respondents as well as respondents ages 18-29. Results for all groups have been weighted to reflect their actual distribution in the nation.

The margin of sampling error for the overall survey is plus or minus 3 percentage points. For results based on random half samples, the margin of sampling error is plus or minus 4 percentage points; for random quarter samples it is plus or minus 6 percentage points. For results based on other subgroups, the margin of sampling error may be higher. Note that sampling error is only one of many potential sources of error in this or any other public opinion poll.

#### Please note:

- o Percentages may not always add up to 100% due to rounding.
- o "Vol." indicates that a response was volunteered by the respondent, not offered as an explicit choice.
- o Portions of this survey have been held for future release.
- o Trends in this document come from surveys listed on the last page.

1. What do you think is the MOST urgent health problem facing this nation TODAY? (OPEN-ENDED; DO NOT READ RESPONSE CATEGORIES. WAIT FOR REPLY BEFORE PROBE) Is there another health problem you think is almost as urgent? (RECORD UP TO 3 RESPONSES)

#### Based on Form 1 random half sample

3/09		4/06	5/04	6/02	10/00	10/97	12/95
28	Cancer	34	35	27	35	38	27
18	Health insurance/The uninsured	10	12	18	9	9	n/a
17	Health care – cost	14	17	19	10	10	16
14	Heart disease	18	16	8	11	16	11
14	Lack of good nutrition/junk	13	16	5	2	2	n/a
	foods/obesity/weight disorder <sup>1</sup>						
9	Health care – access	5	5	9	4	5	11
8	Diabetes	10	8	5	4	2	n/a
6	AIDS or HIV	17	21	17	26	38	44
3	Elderly <sup>2</sup>	3	2	7	4	2	4
2	Smoking	5	4	3	2	3	n/a
2	Hunger/Malnutrition	1	1	1	n/a	n/a	n/a
1	Drugs	5	3	5	2	5	4
1	Sexually transmitted diseases	3	2	1	n/a	n/a	n/a
1	Pollution/Global warming/Environment	1	2	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
9	Other	12 <sup>3</sup>	12	16	16	14	15
10	Don't know/Refused	8	7	9	9	8	8
(n=1320)		(1269)	(1470)	(682)	(1320)	(1205)	(1511)

Note: Total exceeds 100% due to multiple responses

QUESTION 2 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE.

READ: Next I'd like your opinions about a particular health problem - HIV and AIDS...

3. Thinking about the way the problem of HIV/AIDS affects the United States today, do you think the problem is ABOUT THE SAME as it has been, that the U.S. today is MAKING PROGRESS in this area, or that the U.S. today is LOSING GROUND?

#### Based on Form 1 random half sample

3/09		<u>4/06</u>	5/04	6/02	10/97	12/95
18	About the same	22	13	20	14	15
45	U.S. making progress	40	47	49	52	32
22	U.S. losing ground	29	36	26	27	48
14	Don't know/Refused	10	5	6	7	5
(n=1320)		(1269)	(1470)	(682)	(1205)	(1511)

QUESTION 4 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This item called "Obesity" in trends from 5/04 and earlier.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> This item called "Senior citizens care" in trends from 5/04 and earlier.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The *Other* category includes "Avian/Bird Flu" responses for 4/06 trend.

5. Thinking about the way the problem of AIDS is affecting YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY today, do you think AIDS is a MORE urgent problem for your community than it was a few years ago, a LESS urgent problem, is it ABOUT THE SAME, or has AIDS NEVER been a problem in your community?

3/09		4/06	10/00	10/97	12/95
17	More Urgent	23	23	19	23
12	Less Urgent	10	10	14	11
31	About the Same	34	30	11	18
29	Never been a problem	23	26	41	38
10	Don't know/Refused	10	11	15	10

6. Bearing in mind the different ways people can be infected with HIV—how concerned are you PERSONALLY about becoming infected with HIV? Are you (READ)<sup>4</sup>

3/09		4/06	<u>5/04</u>	6/02	10/00	10/97	<u>12/95</u>
13	Very concerned	15	17	18	19	24	22
12	Somewhat concerned	14	14	15	18	17	18
23	Not too concerned	22	25	21	22	21	22
50	Not at all concerned	49	44	46	39	38	38
*	Already have AIDS/HIV (VOL.)	*	*	*	*	n/a	n/a
1	Don't know/Refused	*	*	1	*	*	*

7. Do you, yourself, have any sons or daughters aged 21 years or younger?

<u>3/09</u>		<u>4/06</u>	<u>5/04</u>	<u>10/00</u>	<u> 10/97</u>
41	Yes	40	42	43	43
59	No	60	58	57	57
*	Don't know/Refused	*	*	*	*

8. How concerned are you about a son or daughter becoming infected with HIV? Are you (READ)

#### Based on parents of children age 21 or younger

3/09		4/06	<u>5/04</u>	10/00	10/97
33	Very concerned	32	36	44	52
23	Somewhat concerned	28	32	27	21
24	Not too concerned	21	17	15	16
19	Not at all concerned	19	14	14	11
0	Son or daughter already have AIDS/HIV (VOL.)	*	0	n/a	n/a
1	Don't know/Refused	1	*	1	*
(n=946)		(978)	(1238)	(1146)	(541)

<sup>4</sup> Trend questions from 5/04 through 10/97 read "Bearing in mind the different ways people can be infected with HIV, that virus that causes AIDS..." Trend question for 12/95 read "Bearing in mind the different ways people can get AIDS, how concerned are you, personally, about getting AIDS?"

9. As I read each of the following, please tell me if, as far as you know, a person can become infected with HIV this way or not. (First/Next) how about...(INSERT ITEMS - RANDOMIZE). READ FOR FIRST ITEM AND THEN AS NECESSARY: Can a person become infected with HIV this way, or not?

	Yes	<u>No</u>	DK/Ref.
a. Sharing a drinking glass	<u></u>		
3/09	20	73	7
4/06	16	77	6
5/04	19	76	6
10/00	15	77	7
b. Touching a toilet seat			
3/09	12	83	5
4/06	10	84	6
5/04	12	82	6
10/00	10	84	6
c. Swimming in a pool with someone who is HIV positive			
3/09	7	86	7

10. Please tell me whether you think each of the following statements about HIV and AIDS is true or false - OR if you don't know whether it's true or false. (First/Next)...(INSERT ITEMS -RANDOMIZE a-d). (READ FOR FIRST ITEM AND THEN AS NECESSARY: Do you think this statement is true or false?)

The second secon	<u>True</u>	<u>False</u>	DK/Ref.
<ul> <li>There are drugs available which can lengthen the lives of people who have HIV and AIDS</li> </ul>			
3/09	88	6	6
4/06	87	6	7
5/04	88	5	7
10/00	86	6	7
10/97 <sup>5</sup>	86	6	8
12/95	75	14	11
b. A pregnant woman who has HIV can take certain drugs to reduce the risk of her baby being born infected			
3/09	45	27	28
4/06	44	26	29
5/04	43	28	29
10/00	43	28	29
10/97 <sup>6</sup>	49	20	31
12/95 <sup>7</sup>	30	36	34
c. There is a vaccine available to prevent people from becoming infected with HIV			
3/09	9	76	15
d. Magic Johnson has been cured of AIDS	Ū	. 0	.0
3/09	9	73	18
Item e based on Form 1 random half sample	J	70	10
e. There is no cure for AIDS at present			
3/09 (n=1320)	82	13	5
4/06 (1269)	86	10	4
5/04 (1470)	90	7	3
10/00 <i>(1320)</i>	89	8	3 3
10/97 (1205)	86	11	3
Item f based on Form 2 random half sample			
f. There are drugs available that can cure HIV and AIDS	10	ρo	7
3/09 (1234) 4/06 (1248)	10 10	83 81	7
5/04 <i>(1432)</i>	7	86	9 7
10/00 <i>(1363)</i>	<i>7</i> 5	88	<i>7</i> 8
10/00 (1303)	ວ	00	0

QUESTIONS 11 - 29 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE.

 $^{5}$  10/97 and 12/95 trend items used variant wording: "There are drugs available to treat AIDS or the AIDS virus that can lengthen the life of a person infected with AIDS." <sup>6</sup> 10/97 trend item used variant wording: "A pregnant woman who has the AIDS virus can take certain steps to

reduce the risk of her baby being born infected."

7 12/95 trend item used variant wording: "A pregnant woman who has the AIDS virus can reduce the risk of her baby

being born infected by taking certain drugs."

**READ:** Thinking about people with HIV in the U.S....

30. As far as you know, has the HIV epidemic had a greater impact, a smaller impact, or about the same impact on African Americans as it has on whites in the United States?

#### Based on Form 1 random half sample (n=1,320)

3/09

- 56 Greater impact
- 2 Smaller impact
- 27 About the same impact
- 15 Don't know/Refused

READ: Now, thinking about the HIV/AIDS epidemic in the United States specifically...

31. In general, do you think the federal government spends TOO MUCH money on HIV/AIDS, TOO LITTLE money on HIV/AIDS or ABOUT THE RIGHT amount? (READ AND ROTATE 1-2, ALWAYS READ 3 LAST)?

## Based on Form 1A random quarter sample

3/09		<u>4/06</u>	<u>5/04</u>	10/00	<u> 10/97</u>
5	Too much money on HIV/AIDS	7	5	5	8
50	Too little money on HIV/AIDS	63	52	55	51
28	Or about the right amount	17	36	25	32
17	Don't know/Refused	14	8	15	9
(n=649)		(1269)	(1470)	(1320)	(598)

32. Compared with the amount of money the federal government spends on other health problems, such as heart disease and cancer, do you think federal spending on HIV/AIDS is too HIGH, too LOW, or ABOUT RIGHT?

# Based on Form 1B random quarter sample

3/09		<u>4/06</u>	5/04	6/02	10/00
7	Too high	7	6	11	8
35	Too low	48	42	29	43
36	About right	24	40	42	30
23	Don't know/Refused	21	12	18	19
(n=671)		(1248)	(1432)	(720)	(1363)

33. In general, do you think that spending more money on HIV/AIDS PREVENTION in the United States will lead to meaningful progress in slowing the epidemic, OR that spending more money won't make much difference?

#### Based on Form 1A random quarter sample

3/09		<u>4/06</u>	<u>5/04</u>
60	Lead to meaningful progress	62	57
31	Won't make much difference	30	34
2	Depends (VOL.)	5	3
8	Don't know/Refused	4	7
(n=649)		(1269)	(2902)

34. In general, do you think that spending more money on HIV/AIDS TREATMENT in the U.S. will lead to meaningful progress in slowing the epidemic, OR that spending more money won't make much difference?

#### Based on Form 1B random quarter sample (n=671)

3/09

- 48 Lead to meaningful progress
- 38 Won't make much difference
- 3 Depends (VOL.)
- 10 Don't know/Refused
- 35. Now thinking about the effectiveness of condoms. In your opinion how effective are condoms, if used correctly, at preventing HIV/AIDS? Are they... (READ)?

#### Based on Form 1 random half sample

3/09		<u>4/06</u>
42	Very effective	44
42	Somewhat effective	41
7	Not too effective	6
3	Not effective at all	2
5	Don't know/Refused	6
(n=1320)		(2517)

READ: On another topic...

36. During the last year, how much, if anything, have you personally seen, heard, or read about the problem of AIDS (INSERT ITEMS a AND b – ROTATE, ALWAYS READ ITEM "c" LAST)? Have you heard a lot, some, only a little, or nothing at all?

# Based on Form 1 random half sample

a. In the United States		A lot	<u>Some</u>	Only a little	Nothing at all	DK/ <u>Ref.</u>	(n)
a. In the office offices	3/09	14	31	42	12	*	(1320)
	5/04	34	36	24	4	1	(2902)

ITEMS B - C HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE.

QUESTIONS 37 - 45 HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE.

46. Have you, personally, ever donated money to an HIV or AIDS-related charity, or not?

## Based on Form 1 random half sample (n=1,320)

3/09

36 Yes

60 No

4 Don't know/Refused

**READ TO ALL:** Now, switching topics... I'd like to ask you some questions about where you find health information.

47. Now, turning to your own sources of information about HIV and AIDS. Thinking about everything you know about HIV/AIDS, does this information mainly come from things you've seen and heard from (READ & ROTATE ITEMS 1-5), or some other source?

#### 3/09

- 62 The media, such as radio, television, newspapers, and the Internet
- 13 Your doctor or other health professionals
- 12 School
  - 5 Your friends and family
- 1 Your church or other religious institution
- 5 Some other source
- 1 Medical professional/work in health care (vol.)
- 1 Don't know/Refused
- 48. Would you say most of the information you have about HIV/AIDS comes from radio, television, newspapers, the Internet, or some other form of media? (ALLOW ONLY ONE RESPONSE)

# Based on those who say most of their information about HIV/AIDS comes from the media (n=1,464)

#### 3/09

- 47 Television
- 20 Internet
- 18 Newspapers
- 4 Radio
- 6 Some other form of media
- 3 All equally (VOL.)
- 2 Don't know/Refused

#### 47/48 Combo table based on total

#### 3/09

- 62 Media (NET)
  - 29 Television
  - 12 Internet
  - 11 Newspapers
  - 3 Radio
  - 7 Media, unspecified
- 13 Doctor or other health professionals
- 12 School
- 5 Friends and family
- 1 Church or other religious institution
- 1 Medical professional/work in health care
- 5 Some other source
- 5 Some other source
- 1 Don't know/Refused

# **READ:** On another topic...

49. Please tell me which, if any, of the following you would like to have more information about. (First/Next), would you like to have more information about...(INSERT ITEMS, RANDOMIZE)?

		<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	DK/Ref.
a. Where to go to get tested for HIV				
	3/09	24	75	1
	4/06	35	64	1
b. The different kinds of HIV tests available				
	3/09	33	66	*
	4/06	44	55	2
c. How to bring up the topic of getting an HIV test with your p	artner			
	3/09	21	78	1
	4/06	31	67	2
d. How to know whether you should get tested for HIV or not				
, ,	3/09	28	71	1
e. How to ask your health care provider for an HIV test				
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	3/09	22	78	*

50. Have you ever talked with a doctor or health care provider about HIV or AIDS?

3/09		<u>4/06</u>	<u>5/04</u>	10/00	10/97
38	Yes	38	38	30	31
62	No	61	62	70	69
*	Don't know/Refused	1	*	*	*

51. Have you ever talked with a partner about HIV or AIDS?

3/09

45 Yes

54 No

\* Don't know/Refused

52. As far as you know, when you visit your doctor for a routine physical or annual exam, is it STANDARD PRACTICE to perform a test for HIV, or do you HAVE TO ASK your doctor to perform this test?

3/09		<u>4/06</u>	5/04	10/00
13	Standard practice	13	17	15
72	Have to ask	70	67	68
15	Don't know/Refused	17	16	17

53. If you were to be tested for HIV, do you think it would make people you know think [ROTATE ORDER OF MORE/LESS: (less) of you, think (more) of you], or would it make no difference in how people you know think of you?

3/09		<u>4/06</u>
16	Less of you	21
7	More of you	9
69	Make no difference	62
1	Some less, some more (VOL.)	1
7	Don't know/Refused	6

**READ:** Next, just to describe the people taking part in the survey...

- D1. (Interviewer: RECORD RESPONDENT'S SEX)
  - 49 Male
  - 51 Female
- D2. What is your religion Protestant, Roman Catholic, Jewish, some other religion, or no religion?
- D3. Do you think of yourself as Christian, or not?
- D4. Do you happen to be a born-again or Evangelical Christian, or not?
  - 54 Total Protestant/Christian
    - 26 Evangelical
    - 27 Non-evangelical
  - 25 Roman Catholic
  - 2 Jewish
  - 1 Mormon
  - \* Orthodox Church
  - 3 Other religion
  - 14 No religion/Atheist/Agnostic
  - 1 Don't know/Refused
- D5. In politics today, do you consider yourself a [ROTATE: Republican, Democrat/Democrat, Republican], an Independent, or what?
  - 23 Republican
  - 38 Democrat
  - 28 Independent
    - 7 Or what? (INTERVIEWER: INCLUDE 'OTHER' AND 'NONE' HERE)
  - 5 Don't know/Refused
- D6. Would you say your views in most political matters are liberal, moderate, or conservative?
  - 23 Liberal
  - 34 Moderate
  - 37 Conservative
  - 7 Don't know/Refused

- D7. Are you currently married, living with a partner, divorced, separated, widowed, or have you never been married?
  - 50 Married
  - 7 Living with a partner
  - 10 Divorced
  - 3 Separated
  - 8 Widowed
  - 21 Never been married
    - 1 Don't know/Refused
- D8. What is the LAST grade or class that you COMPLETED in school? (DO NOT READ)
  - 4 None, or grade 1-8
  - 10 High school incomplete (grades 9-11)
  - 34 High school graduate (grade 12 or GED certificate)
  - 3 Technical, trade or vocational school AFTER high school
  - 23 Some college, no four-year degree (includes associate degree)
  - 16 College graduate (B.S., B.A., or other four-year degree)
  - 11 Post-graduate or professional schooling after college (e.g., toward a Master's degree or Ph.D; law or medical school)
    - \* Refused
- D9. What is your age? [ENTER AGE] / ASK IF REFUSED:
- D9a. Could you please tell me if you are between the ages of (READ)
  - 21 18-29
  - 37 30-49
  - 26 50-64
  - 16 65 or older
    - \* Refused
- D10. Are you, yourself, of Hispanic or Latino background, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Latin American background?
- D11. What is your race? Are you white, black, Asian, or some other race? IF R SAYS "HISPANIC" OR "LATINO" ASK: Do you consider yourself a WHITE Hispanic/Latino or a BLACK Hispanic/Latino?
  - 71 White, non-Hispanic
  - 11 Black, non-Hispanic
  - 11 Hispanic
  - 4 Asian
  - 2 Other/Mixed race (VOL)
  - 1 Undesignated
- D12. Last year, that is in 2008, what was your total family income from all sources, BEFORE taxes? Just stop me when I get to the right category. (READ)
  - 14 Less than \$20,000
  - 14 \$20.000 to under \$30.000
  - 12 \$30,000 to under \$40,000
  - 9 \$40,000 to under \$50,000
  - 15 \$50,000 to under \$75,000
  - 10 \$75,000 to under \$100,000
  - 13 \$100,000 or more
  - 5 Don't know
  - 8 Refused

**READ:** I have just a few more questions. Let me remind you that this is a completely confidential interview and that there are no right or wrong answers...

D15. In general, how comfortable would you be, personally, (INSERT ITEMS - RANDOMIZE) – very comfortable, somewhat comfortable, somewhat UNcomfortable, or very UNcomfortable?

	Comfortable		Uncomfortable			
	Very	Somewhat	Somewhat	Very	DK/Ref.8	
Working with someone who has HIV or AIDS						
3/09	11	20	15	0	1	
	44	29	_	8	4	
4/06	41	30	13	8	8	
5/04	35	35	18	10	3	
10/00	33	35	20	8	4	
10/97	32	33	21	12	2	
b. Having a roommate who is HIV-positive						
3/09	27	26	22	20	5	
4/06	25	27	20	19	9	
Item c based on parents of children age						
21 or younger						
c. If your children had a teacher who was HIV-positive						
3/09 ( <i>n</i> =946)	34	29	18	17	2	
4/06 (n=978)	29	33	18	12	7	
d. Having your food prepared by someone who is HIV-positive						
3/09	21	25	24	27	4	

D16. Do you personally know anyone who now has AIDS, has died from AIDS, or has tested positive for HIV?

3/09		<u>4/06</u>	<u>5/04</u>	10/00	10/97	12/95
43	Yes	42	44	43	35	39
56	No	54	55	56	65	61
1	Don't know/Refused	4	1	1	*	*

D17. Is that a family member, a close friend, an acquaintance or co-worker, or someone else?

Based on those who know anyone who has AIDS/died from AIDS/tested positive for HIV (n=1,239)

3/09

23 Family member

26 Close friend

39 Acquaintance or co-worker

12 Someone else

1 Don't know/Refused

13

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Includes volunteered response "Does not apply".

#### D16/D17 Combo table based on total

3/09

- 43 Yes, know someone who has AIDS, died from AIDS, or tested positive for HIV
  - 10 Family member
  - 11 Close friend
  - 17 Acquaintance or co-worker
  - 5 Someone else
  - \* Don't know/Refused
- 56 No, don't know anyone who has AIDS, died from AIDS, or tested positive for HIV
- 1 Don't know/Refused
- D18. Has a doctor or other health care provider ever suggested that you be tested for HIV, or not?

3/09

17 Yes

82 No

- 1 Don't know/Refused
- D19. Have you, yourself, ever been tested for HIV?
- D20. Was that in the past 12 months, or not?

<u>3/09</u>	<u>4/06</u>	<u>5/04</u>	<u>10/00</u>	<u>10/97</u>	<u> 12/95</u>
47 Total Yes	48	48	43	38	37
16 Yes, in past 12 months	19	20	17	16	16
30 Yes, but not in the past 12 months	29	28	26	22	21
51 No, never tested	46	50	55	60	61
2 Don't know/Refused	6	2	2	2	2

D21. The last time you were tested for HIV, did you go to a doctor or clinic *specifically* to get an HIV test, or did you decide to get an HIV test as part of another health visit, such as a routine check-up?

#### Based on those who have ever been tested for HIV (n=1,318)

3/09

- 26 Specifically to get an HIV test
- 69 As part of another health visit
  - 5 Don't know/Refused
- D22. The last time you were tested for HIV, how did you know the test was being done? Did you ASK to be tested for HIV, did the doctor or nurse TELL YOU this test was being done, or was it your IMPRESSION that the test was a routine part of the exam?

# Based on those who have ever been tested for HIV

<u>3/09</u>		<u>4/06</u>	<u>5/04</u>	<u>10/00</u>
45	Asked to be tested	51	44	45
26	Doctor/Nurse told me	24	26	27
25	Under the impression it was a routine	18	23	22
	part of the exam			
2	Tested as part of blood donation/blood	5	5	3
	drive (VOL.)			
2	Don't know/Refused	3	2	3
(n=1318)		(1224)	(1529)	(1271)

# D23. And did you get your test results, or not?

# Based on those tested for HIV in past 12 months

3/09		<u>4/06</u>
89	Yes	83
11	No	16
*	Don't know/Refused	1
(n=521)		(493)

D24. As I read each of the following, please tell me if this is a reason why you decided to get tested for HIV, or not. How about (INSERT ITEMS - RANDOMIZE, ALWAYS READ ITEM "e" LAST). READ FIRST TIME, AND AS NECESSARY: Is this a reason you decided to get tested for HIV, or not?

# Based on those who have ever been tested for HIV (n=1,318)

		<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	DK/Ref.
You were concerned that you might be infected	3/09	21	79	1
b. Your doctor or other health care provider suggested you get tested			-	
	3/09	26	73	1
c. A partner suggested or asked that you get tested	3/09	9	90	1
d. It's something you do every year	3/09	27	73	1
e. It just seemed like a good idea	3/09	65	34	1

D25. As I read each of the following, please tell me if this is a reason why you have not been tested for HIV. (First/Next) ... (INSERT ITEMS – RANDOMIZE) READ AFTER EVERY ITEM: Is this a reason you haven't been tested for HIV, or not?

#### Based on those who have never been tested for HIV

	Yes	<u>No</u>	DK/Ref.	(n)
a. You don't like needles or giving blood				
3/09	8	91	1	(1236)
4/06	8	90	2	(1133)
5/04	9	90	1	(1318)
10/00	9	90	1	(1353)
b. You don't think you're at risk				, ,
3/09	69	29	2	(1236)
4/06	61	38	2	(1133)
5/04	72	27	1	(1318)
10/00	73	27	1	(1353)
c. You worry about confidentiality				,
3/09	5	94	1	(1236)
4/06	13	85	2	(1133)
5/04	6	93	1	(1318)
10/00	8	92	*	(1353)
d. You're afraid you'll test positive				,
3/09	2	97	1	(1236)
4/06	3	96	1	(1133)
5/04	2	97	1	(1318)
10/00	2	97	*	(1353)
e. You don't know where to go to get tested				,
3/09	6	93	2	(1236)
4/06	10	88	2	(1133)
5/04	6	93	1	(1318)
10/00	6	94	1	(1353)
f. Your doctor never recommended it				(/
3/09	27	70	3	(1236)
4/06	21	77	2	(1133)
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D26. Has a doctor or other health care provider ever suggested that you be tested for any other sexually transmitted diseases besides HIV, or not?

3/09 11 Yes 88 No

1 Don't know/Refused

D27. Have you, yourself, ever been tested for any other sexually transmitted diseases besides HIV, or not?

3/09

27 Yes

72 No

1 Don't know/Refused

#### TREND INFORMATION

4/06 trends from Kaiser Family Foundation 2006 *Survey of Americans on HIV/AIDS* conducted 3/24-4/18/2006. N=2,517 national adults, age 18 or older.

5/04 trends from Kaiser Family Foundation 2004 *Survey of Americans on HIV/AIDS* conducted 3/15-5/11/2004. N=2,902 national adults, age 18 and older.

10/03 trends from Kaiser Family Foundation *September/October 2003 Health Poll Report Survey* conducted 10/3-10/5/2003. N=1,206 national adults, age 18 and older.

6/02 trends from Kaiser Family Foundation 2002 *Survey of Americans on HIV/AIDS* conducted 6/13-23/2002. N=1,402 national adults, age 18 and older.

10/00 trends from Kaiser Family Foundation 2000 *Survey of Americans on HIV/AIDS* conducted 8/14-10/26/2000. N=2,683 national adults, age 18 and older.

10/97 trends from Kaiser Family Foundation *Public Knowledge and Attitudes about HIV/AIDS Survey* conducted 9/17-10/19/1997. N=1,205 national adults, age 18 and older.

3/97 trends from Washington Post/Kaiser Family Foundation/Harvard University *Entitlements Survey* conducted 3/13-23/1997. N=1,309 national adults, age 18 or older.

12/95 trends from Kaiser Family Foundation *Survey of Americans on AIDS/HIV* conducted 11/27-12/17/1995. N=1,511 national adults, age 18 and older.



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