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# New England Renters Survey

## Survey Methodology and Topline Results

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N = 800 households

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### Methodology in Brief

YouGov interviewed 956 renters from Connecticut (CT), Massachusetts (MA), and Rhode Island (RI) who were then matched down to a sample of 800 to produce the final dataset. The respondents were matched to a sampling frame on gender, age, race, and education. The sampling frame is a politically representative CT, MA, and RI subset of "modeled frame" of US adults, based upon the American Community Survey (ACS) public use microdata file, public voter file records, the 2020 Current Population Survey (CPS) Voting and Registration supplements, the 2020 National Election Pool (NEP) exit poll, and the 2020 CES surveys, including demographics and 2020 presidential vote.

The matched cases were weighted to the sampling frame using propensity scores. The matched cases and the frame were combined and a logistic regression was estimated for inclusion in the frame. The propensity score function included age, gender, race/ethnicity, years of education, and region. The propensity scores were grouped into deciles of the estimated propensity score in the frame and poststratified according to these deciles.

The weights were then post-stratified on a two-way stratification of race (4-categories), and education (4-categories), a four-way stratification of gender, age (4-categories), race (4-categories), and education (4-categories), and two-way stratification of gender, and age (4-categories), to produce the final weight.

Throughout this report, respondents are grouped into three income categories based on their self-reported annual family income. Low income refers to households earning less than \$50,000 per year; middle income refers to households earning between \$50,000 and \$99,999; and high income refers to households earning \$100,000 or more. Each survey question is presented for the full sample as well as separately for these three income groups, allowing for comparisons across the income distribution.

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## Survey Questions

Question 1: Which of the following best describes the type of housing that you currently live in?

Building type	All		Race		Income		
	All	Wtd	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Apartment building	57.3	57.0	54.9	60.6	56.0	55.3	63.2
Single family home or duplex	32.6	31.4	33.9	30.8	29.4	39.6	30.7
Mobile home or camper	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.0	0.6
Government or nonprofit managed subsidized	5.6	6.6	5.9	5.2	9.0	2.1	2.5
Other	4.0	4.6	4.8	2.8	5.0	3.0	3.1

*Note:* Percentage of respondents.

Table 1: Type of building

Question 2: How many years have you been living in this apartment/housing unit?

Years in residence	All		Race		Income		
	All	Wtd	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
1 year or less	22.0	22.5	22.3	21.5	19.7	24.7	23.9
1 to 3 years	27.8	25.3	28.6	26.5	24.9	29.8	31.9
3 to 10 years	31.5	32.0	29.5	34.5	33.3	30.2	28.8
More than 10 years	18.8	20.3	19.6	17.5	22.1	15.3	15.3

*Note:* Percentage of respondents.

Table 2: Residence length

Question 3: How many children under the age of 18 live with you?

Amount of children	All		Race		Income		
	All	Wtd	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
No children	75.0	81.9	64.9	74.4	75.3	76.1	
1 child	12.5	9.7	16.6	13.2	13.6	9.2	
More than 1 child	12.5	8.4	18.5	12.4	11.1	14.7	

*Note:* Percentage of respondents.

Table 3: Children under age of 18

Question 4: Every year landlords and management have to make decisions about how they spend their budget. Would you be interested in working with other residents and the management to determine how much to spend and what issues to prioritize for maintenance and other expenditures?

Interest level	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Definitely	29.6	25.3	35.5	29.1	32.6	27.1
Probably	22.9	22.1	23.8	21.1	25.9	23.4
Possibly	25.0	25.6	24.3	24.9	23.7	27.1
Probably not	14.1	15.9	11.7	15.7	11.1	14.0
Definitely not	8.3	11.1	4.7	9.2	6.7	8.4

*Note:* Percentage of respondents.

Table 4: Interest in determining apartment budget

Question 5: Every year landlords and management have to make decisions about how they spend their budget. Would you be interested in helping determine how much to spend and what issues to prioritize in your residence?

Interest level	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Definitely	38.9	38.0	40.2	33.9	40.9	47.1
Probably	21.5	25.8	14.7	19.8	24.7	19.6
Possibly	24.5	23.9	25.5	25.6	23.7	23.5
Probably not	11.3	8.6	15.7	13.2	9.7	9.8
Definitely not	3.8	3.7	3.9	7.4	1.1	0.0

*Note:* Percentage of respondents.

Table 5: Interest in determining residence budget

## Experiences with Neighbors

Question 6: Thinking of your neighbors, would you say you know...

Knowledge level	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
All of them	5.3	5.3	5.2	6.0	5.5	3.1
Most of them	24.6	23.2	26.8	25.6	21.7	26.4
Some of them	57.3	57.7	56.6	56.7	57.4	58.3
None of them	12.9	13.9	11.4	11.7	15.3	12.3

*Note:* Percentage of respondents.

Table 6: Knowledge of neighbors

Question 7: In general, how often would you say you do the following with any of your neighbors?

Activity	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Face to face conversation	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4
Talk to the phone	1.5	1.3	1.7	1.6	1.4	1.5
Exchange emails or text messages	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.7
Have parties or get-together	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5
Talk about community problems and how to solve them	1.8	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8
Provide help or assistance	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1

Note: Mean value of response, which go from "Never or almost never" (1) to "Always or almost always" (4).

Table 7: Activities with neighbors

Question 8: Do you participate in any neighborhood or community groups?

Participation	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	25.3	21.9	30.2	23.4	26.4	28.2
No	74.8	78.1	69.8	76.6	73.6	71.8

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 8: Neighborhood participation

Question 9: Are you a member of any neighborhood or community social media groups (i.e. Facebook, NextDoor, etc.)?

Social media group participation	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	45.0	47.8	40.9	41.5	51.1	44.8
No	55.0	52.2	59.1	58.5	48.9	55.2

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 9: Neighborhood social media groups

Question 10: Would you feel comfortable leaving a set of keys with any of your neighbors in case of an emergency?

Key decision	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	36.4	38.5	33.2	35.8	35.3	39.3
Maybe	30.0	30.5	29.2	24.6	37.4	32.5
No	33.6	30.9	37.5	39.6	27.2	28.2

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 10: Leaving keys with neighbors

Question 11: As far as you know, how many of your neighbors are the same race or ethnicity as you?

Options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
All of them	6.1	7.8	3.7	7.5	4.7	4.9
Most of them	32.1	40.4	20.0	29.9	33.6	35.6
Some of them	54.1	48.2	62.8	55.7	53.2	51.5
None of them	7.6	3.6	13.5	7.0	8.5	8.0

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 11: Ethnicity of neighbors

Question 12: Thinking of the diversity of your neighborhood, would you prefer that it was:

Diversity preference	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
More racially and ethnically diverse than it currently is	22.4	19.2	27.1	21.6	24.7	20.9
About as racially and ethnically diverse than it currently is	64.1	69.9	55.7	63.9	62.1	67.5
Less racially and ethnically diverse than it currently is	13.5	10.9	17.2	14.4	13.2	11.7

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 12: Diversity of neighborhood

Question 13: In general, how strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Statements	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
I am part of the community in my area	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7
I have a strong support system nearby	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.8
Public officials do not care much about what people like me to	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.7
People like me do not have any say about what the government	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.6

Note: Mean value of response, which go from "Strongly disagree" (1) to "Strongly agree" (4).

Table 13: Local opinions

Question 14: How often do politics and government seem so complicated that you can't really understand what's going on?

<b>Complexity frequency</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>Race</b>		<b>Income</b>		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Always or almost always	10.0	9.5	10.8	11.4	7.7	9.8
Often	23.1	20.4	27.1	23.9	20.9	24.5
Occasionally	39.3	36.4	43.4	36.8	46.0	35.6
Never or almost never	27.6	33.7	18.8	27.9	25.5	30.1

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 14: Complexity of politics

Question 15: How well do you understand the important political issues facing our country?

<b>Level of understanding</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>Race</b>		<b>Income</b>		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Extremely or very well	27.1	30.3	22.5	25.9	26.0	31.9
Moderately well	42.9	44.6	40.3	40.8	45.1	44.8
Slightly well	23.8	18.7	31.1	25.9	24.3	17.8
Not well at all	6.3	6.3	6.2	7.5	4.7	5.5

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 15: Understanding of important political

## Access to Services

Question 16: Which best describes your access to a car?

<b>Level of access</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>Race</b>		<b>Income</b>		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
I own or lease a car	59.8	67.6	48.3	48.8	72.8	68.1
A member of my household owns or leases a car	11.3	8.2	15.7	10.9	12.3	10.4
I have access to a car, but it is not owned or leased by a household member	6.3	4.4	8.9	9.0	3.8	3.1
I do not have access to a car	22.8	19.8	27.1	31.3	11.1	18.4

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 16: Car Access

Question 17: How reliable is the car you have access to?

Reliability level	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Very reliable	72.7	75.6	67.9	62.7	78.5	84.2
Somewhat reliable	23.9	21.0	28.7	31.9	19.1	15.0
Somewhat unreliable	2.9	3.4	2.1	4.7	1.9	0.8
Very unreliable	0.5	0.0	1.3	0.7	0.5	0.0

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 17: Reliability of car

Question 18: In thinking of where you live, are you satisfied with the location?

Satisfaction	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	80.8	80.6	80.9	75.6	84.3	88.3
No	19.3	19.4	19.1	24.4	15.7	11.7

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 18: Satisfaction with living location

Question 19: Thinking about where you live, how difficult would you say it is for you to access the following amenities:

Services	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Public transport	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.1
Recreational areas	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.4
Grocery stores	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.4
K-12 schools	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3
Hospitals, doctors, and health care facilities	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.3
Childcare	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.9
Banks	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3

Note: Mean value of response, which go from Extremely difficult (1) to Extremely easy (4).

Table 19: Access to amenities

Question 20: Would you move to a different home if you could?

Options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	47.0	44.8	50.2	49.3	46.8	41.7
Maybe	39.8	39.8	39.7	37.1	41.3	44.2
No	13.3	15.4	10.2	13.7	11.9	14.1

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 20: Desire to move

Question 20a: You said you would like to move, which of the following best describes where you would like your new home?

Moving options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
A different home in the same neighborhood	36.9	34.6	40.1	33.1	35.7	47.9
A home in a different neighborhood	63.1	65.4	59.9	66.9	64.3	52.1

*Note:* Percentage of respondents. This question was asked to those that answered "Yes" or "Maybe" in question 20.

Table 21: Desire to move location

Question 20 and 20a crosstab

Desire to move	Different home, same neighborhood	Different home and neighborhood	Total (N)
Yes	98 (26.1%)	278 (73.9%)	376
Maybe	158 (49.7%)	160 (50.3%)	318
Total	256 (36.9%)	438 (63.1%)	694

*Note:* Counts with row percentages in parentheses.

Table 22: Follow-up housing plans by desire to move

## Experience with Management

Question 21: Which of the following best describes the management of your residence?

Management options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Management company	37.8	36.2	40.0	34.1	35.7	49.7
Single person or landlord	54.1	55.8	51.7	54.5	59.1	46.0
Government or Nonprofit agency	6.1	5.7	6.8	9.2	3.0	3.1
Other	2.0	2.3	1.5	2.2	2.1	1.2

*Note:* Percentage of respondents.

Table 23: Residence management

Question 22: How satisfied are you with the following aspects of your residence?

Residence aspects	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Condition of floors, walls, and ceilings	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.8	3.0	3.0
Quality of plumbing	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1
Pest control	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.8	3.1	3.0
Privacy	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.2
Protection against dampness and mold	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.0
Security	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.1
Cost of utilities	2.7	2.8	2.6	2.8	2.6	2.8
Lighting	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.0
Overall appearance	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1
Quality of repairs	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.0
Timeliness of repairs	2.9	3.0	2.7	2.8	2.9	3.0
Upkeep of common spaces	3.0	3.1	2.9	2.9	3.1	3.1
Soundproofing	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6
Water safety	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.1
Electrical system	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2
Heating and air conditioning	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.0

*Note:* Mean value of response, which go from "Extremely dissatisfied" (1) to "Extremely satisfied" (4).

Table 24: Satisfaction with residence

Question 23: Would you be interested in volunteering your time and labor to help maintain your residence (for example, cleaning and/or painting common areas, fixing normal issues with plumbing, or other normal upkeep of the residence)? complex?

Options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
No	26.0	28.4	22.5	26.4	21.3	31.9
Yes, if I paid for my time and labor by my landlord	39.3	37.1	42.5	38.3	44.7	33.7
Yes, if the materials were provided by my landlord, but I would not need to be paid	15.3	15.2	15.4	15.9	14.0	15.3
I would volunteer to help in whatever way I could	8.3	6.1	11.4	9.2	6.4	8.6
I currently help maintain my residence	11.3	13.3	8.3	10.2	13.6	10.4

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 25: Interest in volunteering for residence

Question 24: How often would you say the management of your residence listens to your concerns?

Frequency options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Always or almost always	26.5	28.6	23.4	24.1	30.2	27.0
Often	28.6	28.8	28.3	26.1	29.8	33.1
Occasionally	34.6	32.8	37.2	37.6	31.1	32.5
Never or almost never	10.3	9.7	11.1	12.2	8.9	7.4

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 26: Management listen to concerns

Question 25: How satisfied are you with the following aspects of the management of your residence

Management aspects	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Involvement	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.0
Response rate	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0
Enforcement of rules and regulations	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9
Professionalism	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1
Friendliness	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.3

Note: Mean value of response, which go from "Extremely dissatisfied" (1) to "Extremely satisfied" (4).

Table 27: Satisfaction with management

Question 26: Thinking about your interactions with the management of your residence, would you say that you have been generally treated fairly or unfairly?

Options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Fairly	85.1	86.7	82.8	81.1	85.1	95.1
Unfairly	14.9	13.3	17.2	18.9	14.9	4.9

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 28: Treatment from management

## Experiences with Discrimination and Safety

Question 27: Thinking about your own experience while living in your current residence, have you ever personally experienced discrimination or been treated unfairly while you were...

Experience	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Interacting with neighbors	18.9	14.5	25.2	22.9	18.3	9.8
Interacting with police	16.4	11.6	23.4	19.7	14.9	10.4
Receiving services from a plumber, car me	11.8	9.9	14.5	14.2	11.5	6.1
Interacting with your building management	18.5	15.2	23.4	22.4	20.0	6.7
Interacting with school officials	10.9	6.9	16.6	14.2	9.8	4.3
Shopping	21.0	16.4	27.7	24.6	20.0	13.5
Visiting a doctor or healthcare facility	19.1	16.6	22.8	23.1	17.0	12.3

Note: Percentage of affirmative respondents.

Table 29: Discrimination at current residence

Question 28: Do you believe that doctors, EMS, and nurses in your area treat you with respect and dignity?

Answer	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	89.0	88.4	89.8	86.8	90.2	92.6
No	11.0	11.6	10.2	13.2	9.8	7.4

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 30: Treatment from healthcare staff

Question 29: Thinking about where you live, how would you describe the safety of the following activities?

Activity	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Walking alone during the day	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8
Walking alone at night	2.1	2.2	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.3
Walking with friends/family at any time	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.7
Exercising	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.7
Children at play	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.5

Note: Mean value of response, which go from "Not at all safe" (1) to "Very safe" (3).

Table 31: Local activity safety

Question 30: Overall, how would you describe the seriousness of crime in the area where you live?

Serious level	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Very serious	11.9	8.2	17.2	17.9	6.8	4.3
Somewhat serious	38.4	34.5	44.0	44.0	35.3	28.8
Not at all serious	49.8	57.3	38.8	38.1	57.9	66.9

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 32: Seriousness of crime

Question 31: Have you been a victim of crime in your current neighborhood?

Answer	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	13.1	13.3	12.9	16.2	12.3	6.7
No	86.9	86.7	87.1	83.8	87.7	93.3

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 33: Victim of crime

Question 32: How effective do you think the following groups have been at protecting your community from crime?

Group	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Local law enforcement	3.0	3.1	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.2
Current laws	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.8	3.0	3.1
Public security	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.8
Private security	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.9	2.9
Neighborhood watch groups	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.9

Note: Mean value of response, which go from "Not effective at all" (1) to "Very effective" (4).  
Mean excludes those that responded "No basis to judge" (5).

Table 34: Effectiveness of crime prevention

Question 33: Please indicate whether you agree or disagree with the following statements:

Statement	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
I trust local police will treat me with dignity and respect	3.0	3.1	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1
The local police make me feel safe	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.1
The neighbors make me feel safe	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.2

Note: Mean value of response, which go from "Strongly disagree" (1) to "Strongly agree" (4).

Table 35: Trust in local police

Question 34: Which would you prefer to see in your area?

Options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
A larger police presence	22.5	19.4	27.1	27.6	19.6	14.1
A smaller police presence	13.5	12.4	15.1	13.4	15.7	10.4
I would like the police presence to remain the same	64.0	68.2	57.8	59.0	64.7	75.5

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 36: Police in your area

Question 35: Have you done any of the following to protect yourself from crime in your community?

Options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Installed an outside camera and/or video doorbell	28.7	22.3	38.2	29.1	31.1	24.5
Used a phone application to monitor crime	31.8	28.4	36.6	33.3	33.2	25.8
Worked with neighbors to identify or prevent crime	23.5	21.5	26.5	24.6	23.8	20.2
Written or spoken to local officials about crime	14.2	11.2	18.8	16.2	13.2	11.0
Written or spoken to local law enforcement about crime	17.6	15.2	21.2	20.4	14.0	16.0
Purchased a firearm	9.4	6.7	13.2	10.0	11.1	5.5

Note: Percentage of affirmative respondents.

Table 37: Protect yourself from crime

## Opinions on Cost and Experiences with Prior Housing

Question 36: In your opinion, the cost of acquiring or renting your current housing can best be described as...

Affordability options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Very affordable	20.4	20.4	20.3	23.9	17.0	16.6
Somewhat affordable	42.8	40.4	46.2	42.8	44.7	39.9
Somewhat unaffordable	24.0	26.5	20.3	20.6	24.7	31.3
Very unaffordable	12.9	12.6	13.2	12.7	13.6	12.3

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 38: Cost of housing

Question 44: How much of your income goes towards paying rent?

Percentage group	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Less than 10%	4.8	3.4	6.8	5.0	3.0	6.7
10-20%	12.3	10.7	14.5	10.7	10.6	18.4
20-30%	28.3	30.9	24.3	25.1	30.2	33.1
30-50%	35.5	36.0	34.8	33.1	40.9	33.7
Over 50%	19.3	18.9	19.7	26.1	15.3	8.0

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 39: Income used for rent

Question 45: How often do you struggle to make rent payments?

Struggle level	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Always or almost always	11.3	10.5	12.3	15.7	10.2	1.8
Ofter	13.1	12.6	13.8	16.4	8.9	11.0
Occasionally	32.1	31.2	33.5	34.6	31.9	26.4
Never or almost never	43.5	45.7	40.3	33.3	48.9	60.7

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 40: Struggle to make rent payments

Question 37: Does the cost of your current housing make it hard to afford other basic needs (such as food or healthcare)?

<b>Rent burden effect frequency</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>Race</b>		<b>Income</b>		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Always or almost always	13.6	13.3	14.2	19.4	11.5	2.5
Often	19.3	20.2	17.8	20.6	19.1	16.0
Occasionally	37.4	34.7	41.2	36.1	40.0	36.8
Never or almost never	29.8	31.8	26.8	23.9	29.4	44.8

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 41: Effect of housing cost on other needs

Question 38: How safe do you feel from being evicted from your current residence due to not being able to afford rent?

<b>Eviction safety level</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>Race</b>		<b>Income</b>		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Very safe	42.4	46.1	37.0	37.8	42.1	54.3
Somewhat safe	33.3	34.5	31.5	33.1	35.7	30.2
Somewhat unsafe	13.5	10.3	18.2	15.9	12.3	9.3
Not at all safe	10.8	9.1	13.3	13.2	9.8	6.2

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 42: Safety from eviction

Question 39: Have you ever moved residences because of any of the following?

<b>Moving reason</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>Race</b>		<b>Income</b>		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Poor conditions	36.4	34.1	39.7	39.3	33.2	33.7
The way you were treated	26.0	25.3	27.1	30.3	20.9	22.7
Relations with neighbors	17.9	18.5	16.9	18.2	14.9	21.5
Relations with management	25.3	24.6	26.2	27.6	23.0	22.7
Feeling unsafe in or outside the home	24.3	22.3	27.1	28.4	18.7	22.1

Note: Percentage of affirmative respondents.

Table 43: Reasons for moving residence

Question 40: Have you ever applied for housing assistance from the government such as a Section 8 housing voucher?

options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	33.4	28.2	40.9	50.2	18.3	13.5
No	66.6	71.8	59.1	49.8	81.7	86.5

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 44: Housing assistance

Question 41: Are you currently on a wait list for a voucher?

options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	29.3	32.1	26.5	32.7	20.9	14.3
No	56.8	57.5	56.1	53.5	65.1	71.4
Unsure	13.9	10.4	17.4	13.9	14.0	14.3

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 45: Voucher wait list

Question 42: Have you ever used a housing voucher to acquire a rental unit?

options	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Yes	38.7	34.3	43.2	41.6	30.2	28.6
No	61.3	65.7	56.8	58.4	69.8	71.4

Note: Percentage of respondents.

Table 46: Voucher for rental unit

Question 43: According to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, which the US has signed, everyone has the right to adequate housing. What should the right to adequate housing in the United States include?

Housing rights components	All	Race		Income		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Eviction protection	58.4	54.5	64.0	63.9	54.9	49.7
Housing with access	54.9	53.9	56.3	54.0	57.4	53.4
Privacy	67.6	72.2	60.9	65.2	70.6	69.3
Housing decision participation	44.6	47.6	40.3	45.3	42.1	46.6
Safe utilities	78.3	82.1	72.6	72.6	83.0	85.3
Affordable housing	83.3	86.5	78.5	84.6	81.7	82.2
None	4.1	4.0	4.3	5.5	2.6	3.1

Note: Percentage of affirmative respondents.

Table 47: Right to adequate housing

Question 46: How often do you feel lonely?

<b>Lonely level</b>	<b>All</b>	<b>Race</b>		<b>Income</b>		
	All	W	NW	Low income	Mid income	High income
Always or almost always	8.4	7.6	9.5	10.4	6.8	5.5
Often	18.8	19.6	17.5	24.4	13.2	12.9
Occasionally	43.9	45.3	41.8	39.8	48.9	46.6
Never or almost never	29.0	27.6	31.1	25.4	31.1	35.0

*Note:* Percentage of respondents.

Table 48: Feeling lonely