

Checklist for AAPOR TI

Survey: Nevada Poll

| TI Disclosure Elements | Answers |
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| 1. Who sponsored the TI Research and who conducted it. If different from the sponsor, the original sources of funding will also be disclosed. | Emerson College |
| 2. The exact wording and presentation of questions and response options whose results are reported. This includes preceding interviewer or respondent instructions and any preceding questions that might reasonably be expected to influence responses to the reported results. | See Below |
| 3. A definition of the population under study and its geographic location. | Registered Voters in the U.S. |
| 4. Dates of data collection. | February 19-20, 2019 |
| 5. A description of the sampling frame(s) and its coverage of the target population, including mention of any segment of the target population that is not covered by the design. This may include, for example, exclusion of Alaska and Hawaii in U.S. surveys; exclusion of specific provinces or rural areas in international surveys; and exclusion of non-panel members in panel surveys. If possible the estimated size of non-covered segments will be provided. If a size estimate cannot be provided, this will be explained. If no frame or list was utilized, this will be indicated. | Aristotle voter file of 1,607,015 registered voters with landlines and cell phones, and a random sample of 29,971 drawn. The online sample was of 60 registered voters supplied by MTurk |
| 6. The name of the sample supplier, if the sampling frame and/or the sample itself was provided by a third party. | Aristotle, LLC MTurk |
| 7. The methods used to recruit the panel or participants, if the sample was drawn from a pre-recruited panel or pool of respondents. | MTurk uses opt in panels and not online ads to recruit participants |
| 8. A description of the sample design, giving a clear indication of the method by which the respondents were selected, recruited, intercepted or otherwise contacted or encountered, along with any eligibility requirements and/or oversampling. If quotas were used, the variables defining the quotas will be reported. If a within-household selection procedure was used, this will be described. The description of the sampling frame and sample design will include sufficient detail to determine whether the respondents were selected using probability or non-probability methods. | See #5 |
| 9. Method(s) and mode(s) used to administer the survey (e.g., CATI, CAPI, ACASI, IVR, mail survey, web survey) and the language(s) offered. | IVR, Online, SMS to Online |

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| <p>10. Sample sizes (by sampling frame if more than one was used) and a discussion of the precision of the findings. For probability samples, the estimates of sampling error will be reported, and the discussion will state whether or not the reported margins of sampling error or statistical analyses have been adjusted for the design effect due to weighting, clustering, or other factors. Disclosure requirements for non-probability samples are different because the precision of estimates from such samples is a model-based measure (rather than the average deviation from the population value over all possible samples). Reports of non-probability samples will only provide measures of precision if they are accompanied by a detailed description of how the underlying model was specified, its assumptions validated and the measure(s) calculated. To avoid confusion, it is best to avoid using the term “margin of error” or “margin of sampling error” in conjunction with non-probability samples.</p> | <p>The sample consisted of registered voters, n=425, with a Credibility Interval (CI) similar to a poll’s margin of error (MOE) of +/- 4.7 percentage points.</p> <p>A screening question was asked if the voter was registered. If the respondent said they were not registered, they were eliminated from the sample.</p> |
| <p>11. A description of how the weights were calculated, including the variables used and the sources of weighting parameters, if weighted estimates are reported.</p> | <p>The data was weighted by education, gender, age, mode, party registration, ethnicity, and region based on 2016 turnout modeling. 2016 vote magnitude was used but new voters were included based on their actual sample (14.8%) and was based on Aristotle Voter turnout modeling</p> |
| <p>12. If the results reported are based on multiple samples or multiple modes, the preceding items will be disclosed for each. Reviewer: Type NA if not applicable.</p> | <p>N/A</p> |
| <p>13. Contact for obtaining more information about the study.</p> | <p>emersonpolling@emerson.edu</p> |

Survey (online)

1. To start, can you please tell me your gender?

Male

Female

2. What is your party registration?

Not registered to vote

Democrat

Republican

Independent/other (end)

3. How likely are you to vote in the Democratic Caucus on February 22?

Not likely (end)

Somewhat likely (end)

Very likely (go to 5)

I already voted in the Democratic Caucus

4. Who did you vote for in the early Democratic Caucus? (randomize)

Tulsi Gabbard (go to 8)

Joe Biden (go to 8)

Bernie Sanders (go to 8)

Elizabeth Warren (go to 8)

Pete Buttigieg (go to 8)

Amy Klobuchar (go to 8)

Tom Steyer (go to 8)

Someone Else (go to 8)

5. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support? (randomize)

Tulsi Gabbard

Joe Biden

Bernie Sanders

Elizabeth Warren

Pete Buttigieg

Amy Klobuchar

Tom Steyer

Someone Else

6. Will you definitely vote for your candidate or is there at least a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

I will definitely vote for this candidate

There's a chance I could change my mind and vote for someone else

7. During the Caucus, if your candidate does not reach viability, which of the following candidates would be your second choice?

Joe Biden

Bernie Sanders

Elizabeth Warren

Pete Buttigieg
Amy Klobuchar
Tom Steyer
I would leave the caucus

8. Who did you vote for in the Democratic Caucus in 2016?

Hillary Clinton
Bernie Sanders
Someone Else
Did not vote in this primary

9. For statistical purposes only, can you please tell me your ethnicity?

Hispanic or Latino of any race
White or Caucasian
Black or African American
Asian
Other or multiple races

10. What is your age range?

18-29 years
30-49 years
50-64 years
65 or more years

11. What is the highest level of education you have attained?

High school or less
Some college
College graduate
Postgrad or higher

12. When it comes to deciding for whom you will vote for president, which one of the following is the single most important issue in deciding for whom you will vote (randomized)

The economy
Impeachment
Social issues
Health care
Immigration
Gun control
Foreign policy and terrorism
The environment
Education

13. Do you think the legalization of recreational marijuana in Nevada has made people more likely to use other drugs, has made people less likely to use other drugs or has not had an impact either way?

More drug use

Less drug use

No impact

14. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Steve Sisolak is doing as Governor?

Approve

Disapprove

Neutral or no opinion

15. Would you support or oppose an amendment to the Nevada State Constitution recognizing marriage as between couples regardless of gender?

I would support this amendment

I would oppose this amendment

Neutral or no opinion

16. Which of these statements best reflects your views on water usage in Southern Nevada?

We need to conserve more

We are using the right amount

17. Which congressional district do you live in?

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Nevada%27s_congressional_districts#/media/File:Nevada_Congressional_Districts,_13th_Congress.tif

1st: Rep. Dina Titus

2nd: Rep. Mark Amodei

3rd: Rep Susie Lee

4th: Rep Steven Horsford

Survey (IVR)

1. To start, can you please tell me your gender?

Press 1 for Male

Press 2 for Female

2. What is your party registration?

Press 1 for Not registered to vote

Press 2 for Democrat

Press 3 for Republican (end)

Press 4 for Independent/other (end)

3. How likely are you to vote in the Democratic Caucus on February 22?

Press 1 for Not Likely (end)

Press 2 for Somewhat Likely (end)

Press 3 for Very Likely (go to 5)

Press 4 for I already voted in the Democratic Caucus

4. Who did you vote for in the early Democratic Caucus?

Press 1 for Tulsi Gabbard (go to 8)

Press 2 for Joe Biden (go to 8)

Press 3 for Bernie Sanders (go to 8)

Press 4 for Elizabeth Warren (go to 8)

Press 5 for Pete Buttigieg (go to 8)

Press 6 for Amy Klobuchar (go to 8)

Press 7 for Tom Steyer (go to 8)

Press 8 for Someone Else (go to 8)

5. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support?

Press 1 for Tulsi Gabbard

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Press 8 for Someone Else

5b. Of the following Democratic candidates for President, who would you be most likely to support?

Press 1 for Pete Buttigieg

Press 2 for Elizabeth Warren

Press 3 for Tulsi Gabbard

Press 4 for Joe Biden
Press 5 for Amy Klobuchar
Press 6 for Tom Steyer
Press 7 for Bernie Sanders
Press 8 for someone else

6. Will you definitely vote for your candidate or is there at least a chance you could change your mind and vote for someone else?

Press 1 for I will definitely vote for this candidate
Press 2 for There's a chance I could change my mind and vote for someone else

7. During the Caucus, if your candidate does not reach viability, which of the following candidates would be your second choice?

Press 1 for Joe Biden
Press 2 for Bernie Sanders
Press 3 for Elizabeth Warren
Press 4 for Pete Buttigieg
Press 5 for Amy Klobuchar
Press 6 for Tom Steyer
Press 7 for I would leave the caucus

8. Who did you vote for in the Democratic Primary in 2016?

Press 1 for Hillary Clinton
Press 2 for Bernie Sanders
Press 3 for Someone Else
Press 4 for Did not vote in this primary

9. For statistical purposes only, can you please tell me your ethnicity?

Press 1 for Hispanic or Latino of any race
Press 2 for White or Caucasian
Press 3 for Black or African American
Press 4 for Asian
Press 5 for Other or multiple races

10. What is your age range?

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Press 2 30-49 years
Press 3 for 50-64 years
Press 4 for 65 or more years

11. What is the highest level of education you have attained?

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- Press 2 for Some college
- Press 3 for College graduate
- Press 4 for Postgrad or higher

12. When it comes to deciding for whom you will vote for president, which one of the following is the single most important issue in deciding for whom you will vote (randomized)

- Press 1 for The economy
- Press 2 for Impeachment
- Press 3 for Social issues
- Press 4 for Health care
- Press 5 for Immigration
- Press 6 for Gun control
- Press 7 for Foreign policy and terrorism
- Press 8 for The environment
- Press 9 for Education

13. Do you think the legalization of recreational marijuana in Nevada has made people more likely to use other drugs, has made people less likely to use other drugs or has not had an impact either way?

- Press 1 for More drug use
- Press 2 for Less drug use
- Press 3 for No impact

14. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Steve Sisolak is doing as Governor?

- Press 1 for Approve
- Press 2 for Disapprove
- Press 3 Neutral or no opinion

15. Would you support or oppose an amendment to the Nevada State Constitution recognizing marriage as between couples regardless of gender?

- Press 1 for I would support this amendment
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16. Which of these statements best reflects your views on water usage in Southern Nevada?

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Press 2 for We are using the right amount