Impact of COVID-19 in Murray



Full Response Rate n=42 29.2%

Full+Partial Response Rate n=44 30.6% Data collected between December 2020 through February 2021.

Compared to ONE YEAR AGO, how has COVID-19 impacted the following aspects of your life. Has it made it worse off, better off, or has it stayed about the same?

	Much	Somewhat	About	Somewhat	Much	
	Worse Off	Worse Off	the Same	Better Off	Better Off	<u>DNA/DNK</u>
Your physical health	7.0%	14.3%	65.7%	0.0%	0.6%	12.4%
Your mental health	7.0%	20.7%	59.3%	0.6%	0.0%	12.4%
Relationship with your spouse/partner	7.0%	10.7%	38.1%	27.6%	0.0%	16.5%
Your relationships with close family	10.4%	19.4%	31.4%	27.0%	0.6%	11.2%
Your relationships with close friends	11.0%	16.0%	37.6%	27.0%	0.0%	8.4%
Your housing situation	7.0%	0.0%	58.6%	20.6%	0.0%	13.8%
Your employment situation	27.0%	4.2%	44.9%	4.2%	0.6%	19.1%
Your personal financial situation	27.0%	13.2%	41.2%	4.2%	0.0%	14.3%

DNA = Does not apply. DNK = Do not know.

Based on what you see as the situation today, do you think IN THE NEXT YEAR COVID-19 will make life for you and others worse off, better off, or will it stay about the same?

	Much	Somewhat	About	Somewhat	Much
	Worse Off	Worse Off	the Same	Better Off	Better Off
You and your family	8.2%	47.8%	40.1%	3.9%	0.0%
People in your community	9.6%	52.3%	32.9%	5.3%	0.0%
People in Iowa	19.4%	44.4%	29.8%	6.4%	0.0%

Did any of the following HEALTH risks apply to YOU or someone in YOUR HOUSEHOLD?

_	Yes
Was tested for COVID-19	65.2%
Tested positive for COVID-19	3.4%
Had or currently have symptoms of COVID-19	3.4%
Was hospitalized for COVID-19	1.4%
Had or currently have a serious health condition	28.6%
Sought mental health services due to COVID-19	7.0%
Living or working where risk of getting COVID-19 is high	59.2%

Would you get a VACCINE to prevent COVID-19 if it were available today?

Definitely	Probably	Probably	Definitely
Not	Not	Yes	Yes
32.6%	12.6%	20.5%	34.3%

Percent showing signs of DEPRESSION (CES-D10): 22.5%
Percent showing signs of ANXIETY (GAD7): 10.1%

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How has COVID-19 impacted the FINANCIAL situation for YOUR HOUSEHOLD?

_	Yes
Had working hours reduced	21.9%
Taken a pay cut	38.3%
Had job benefits reduced	34.1%
Been laid off or lost a job	7.0%
Been unable to pay rent or mortgage	7.0%
Been unable to pay other bills	8.2%
Have medical debt related to COVID	7.0%
Used personal or retirement savings to make ends meet	15.2%
Had to take on other debt to make ends meet	43.9%

In your opinion, how have the following organizations HANDLED THE IMPACTS of COVID-19 in your community?

				Very	
	Poor Job	Fair Job	Good Job	Good Job	
Local hospitals, clinics, and health professionals	7.0%	17.7%	59.0%	16.3%	
Employers in protecting the health of their workers	27.5%	11.8%	55.1%	5.6%	
Local businesses in protecting the health of their customers	11.8%	18.5%	66.6%	3.1%	
Local community groups	10.7%	25.5%	53.1%	10.7%	
Local public schools	9.0%	25.2%	48.9%	16.9%	
Your local city and county government officials	10.2%	26.1%	61.2%	2.5%	
Iowa public health officials	7.6%	29.1%	53.1%	10.1%	
CDC / Centers for Disease Control	4.2%	59.0%	28.4%	8.5%	
Governor Reynolds and her administration	25.5%	16.2%	37.4%	20.8%	
President Trump and his administration	30.6%	9.0%	34.6%	25.9%	

How often do you TRUST the following SOURCES OF INFORMATION about COVID-19?

		Almost	Some of	Most of	All of the	
_	Never	never	the time	the time	time	
Your doctor or healthcare provider	0.0%	0.0%	21.1%	53.7%	25.3%	
Health or medical websites	7.6%	13.5%	60.4%	18.5%	0.0%	
News media	25.0%	34.9%	32.5%	6.4%	1.1%	
Social media	38.5%	53.1%	7.8%	0.6%	0.0%	
Public health officials	5.6%	2.0%	39.9%	44.7%	7.9%	
State and federal elected officials	39.4%	21.9%	27.2%	10.9%	0.6%	

What best describes how does the COVID-19 pandemic FEEL TO YOU?

_	<	<	Neutral	>	>	_
Local problem	2.0%	1.4%	10.4%	2.8%	83.5%	National problem
Close to me	19.9%	30.4%	43.5%	3.9%	2.3%	Far away from me
Spreading slowly	8.4%	0.0%	53.1%	4.2%	34.3%	Spreading fast
Responsibility of individuals	35.8%	9.6%	37.6%	8.4%	8.7%	Responsibility of government
Makes me feel passive	1.1%	2.0%	90.9%	4.8%	1.1%	Makes me feel defiant
Hyped by the media	45.8%	7.0%	23.6%	4.8%	18.8%	Not hyped by the media
People can't do anything about it	0.0%	9.6%	10.4%	20.1%	59.9%	People can do something about it