

**Vaccines**  
**Angus Reid Institute**  
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**Some questions have been withheld for future release.**

Thank you for taking our survey today. We'd like to ask you some questions about you and your loved ones' health. Please note that all your answers will be kept confidential, and data will only be reported in aggregate with other respondents.

**QV1. [T, 2019]**

**Base=All**

**Multichoice**

First, we'd like to ask, do you have children? Please select the options below that apply to you.  
[MULTI-CHOICE ACCEPTABLE]

Yes, kid(s) between age 12 - 17 living with me  
Yes, kid(s) under 12 living with me  
Kid(s) between age 12 - 17, not living with me  
Kid(s) under 12 not living with me  
No children under 18

**QV5.**

**Base=All**

**Single choice grid**

As a general rule, do you think these vaccinations are effective at reducing the chances of catching these diseases for...?

The individual getting vaccinated  
The community as a whole

Very effective  
Mostly effective  
Not very effective  
Not at all effective

**[Text]**

Let's now consider the broader issue of childhood vaccinations. While the exact mix and timing of vaccinations recommended for children vary by province, for the purposes of this survey we are discussing all the commonly recommended vaccinations for children, for example, but not limited to: measles, mumps, rubella, whooping cough, diphtheria, chicken pox, tetanus, etc.

**QV6.**

**Base=All**

**Single choice**

There has been some debate about whether or not vaccinations should be mandatory, at least for a child to attend daycare or school with other kids or whether it should be the parent's choice.

What is your view on that?

Vaccinations should be mandatory  
Vaccinations should be the parent's choice  
Unsure

**QV7.**

**Base=All**

**Number scale 1 to 10**

Where do you fit on a 10-point scale where 10 is you would definitely get your children all vaccinations available without reservation, and 1 is I am really against vaccinating my children. Even if you don't have children, please let us know where you fall on the scale.

Pick anywhere on the scale that describes your view and any reservations you might have.

1 – I'm really against vaccinating my children  
10 – I would vaccinate my children without reservation

**QV8a. Top 3 are 2015/2019/2024**

**Base=All**

**Single choice grid**

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

[Randomize]

- [T] I believe there is a real risk of serious side effects from these vaccinations
- [T] People opposed to childhood vaccination are irresponsible
- [T] The science on vaccinations isn't quite clear
- [T] The human body doesn't need vaccines to build immunity
- [T] I'm afraid to bring up the topic of vaccines with friends and family
- [T] The anti-vaccine movement is going to end up with a lot of people getting sick unnecessarily
- Measles isn't as bad as people think it is

Strongly agree  
Moderately agree  
Moderately disagree  
Strongly disagree  
Not sure/can't say

**QV8b.**

**If Agree real risk of side effects in QV8a**

**Multi choice**

You've mentioned you feel there is a serious risk of side effects from vaccinations. Which of these vaccines do you feel are a risk to those taking them? Select any that you have concerns about:

[Randomize]

COVID-19

Influenza

Tetanus

Measles, mumps, rubella (MMR)

Hepatitis B

HPV

Chickenpox

Other, specify \_\_\_\_\_

[Fixed, Exclusive] All of them

[Fixed, Exclusive] Not sure/Can't say

**QV9.**

**Base=All**

**Single choice**

As you may or may not be aware, there are ongoing measles outbreaks in multiple provinces across the country. How closely have you been following this story?

Read/saw stories about it and discussed it with friends and family

Saw a story or two, and had the odd conversation about it

Just scanned/saw the headlines

Not read/seen anything at all

**QV10a.**

**Base=All**

**Single choice**

While the outbreak is believed to have started in New Brunswick, the bulk of the cases have been in Ontario and Alberta. How much confidence do you have in your own provincial government to handle a measles outbreak in your province?

A lot of confidence

A little confidence

No confidence at all

Not sure/ Can't say

**QV10b.**

**Base=AB and ON only**

**Grid**

Based on what you've read, seen or heard, do you believe the following have done too much, not enough, or the right amount in response to the measles outbreak?

[ON options]

The Ontario provincial government

The Ontario chief medical officer of health

Ontario Premier Doug Ford

[AB options]

The Alberta provincial government

The Alberta chief medical officer of health

Alberta Premier Danielle Smith

Too much

The right amount

Not enough

Not sure/ Can't say