

MARCH 2021 SURVEY**COVID-19 PANDEMIC 1 YEAR IN**

74% say pandemic life has increased their use of technology

70% have or know someone who has tested positive for COVID-19

62% are afraid of getting COVID-19

85% think that different areas of the country are less concerned about COVID-19

42% say the southeast is the least concerned about COVID-19?

25% would stop being friends with someone if they knowingly exposed them to COVID-19

VACCINE

68% will get the COVID-19 vaccine as soon as they are eligible to do so

21% have or know someone who has received the COVID-19 vaccine and still got COVID-19

36% would take whatever vaccine they could get if given a choice

28% would prefer the Johnson & Johnson 1 dose vaccine if given the choice

39% would line jump to get the COVID-19 vaccine sooner if they had the opportunity to do so

Of the **14%** already vaccinated, **4%** jumped the line to do so

41% still won't feel comfortable indoors without a mask even if everyone is vaccinated

54% will still get tested for COVID-19 once vaccinated

RESUMING LIFE

62% have apprehensions about life "returning to normal"

39% say there are things about "pandemic life" that they will miss

29% are most looking forward to hanging out with friends and family

22% are most looking forward to not having to wear a mask

19% are most looking forward to going on vacation

MARCH 2020 VS MARCH 2021

41% would think twice about seeking medical care for COVID-19 due to cost; up **5%** from March 2020.

77% are familiar with telemedicine; a **26%** increase from March 2020.

47% have used telemedicine during the COVID-19 pandemic; a **422%** increase since March 2020.

40% feel that telemedicine visits are as good as "in-person" doctor office visits; a **14%** increase in confidence since March 2020.

69% think you should be able to text your doctor directly; essentially unchanged from March 2020.

METHODOLOGY: *healthinsurance.com*

National Survey of 1,000 Adults

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Margin of Sampling Error: +/- 3.1 percentage points (for full sample)

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