

		OVERAL L	GENDER		AGE CATEGORIES				AGE AND GENDER			
		Overall	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+	Men age 18-49	Women age 18-49	Men age 50+	Women age 50+
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	377	377	125	180	219	225	201	177	173	198
How much confidence do you have in the criminal justice system here in Massachusetts, which consists of the police, the courts, probation, parole, and prisons ...?	A lot of confidence	32%	32%	32%	28%	32%	31%	36%	32%	31%	32%	34%
	Some confidence	43%	42%	45%	42%	42%	46%	43%	42%	44%	43%	45%
	A little confidence	15%	17%	14%	25%	15%	13%	10%	16%	18%	17%	9%
	No confidence at all	7%	9%	5%	4%	7%	7%	8%	9%	4%	9%	7%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	1%	4%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	0%	5%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW MUCH CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM	A lot / some confidence	75%	73%	77%	70%	74%	77%	79%	73%	75%	74%	79%
	A little / no confidence	22%	25%	19%	29%	22%	21%	18%	25%	22%	26%	16%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	1%	4%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	0%	5%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
How safe from crime do you feel in your neighborhood?	Very safe	67%	67%	68%	67%	70%	67%	66%	69%	70%	64%	66%
	Somewhat safe	27%	28%	27%	26%	27%	28%	29%	25%	26%	32%	28%
	Not too safe	3%	3%	3%	6%	2%	3%	3%	4%	4%	2%	3%
	Not at all safe	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	%	2%	2%
	Don't know / Refused	%	0%	%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD?	Yes	95%	95%	94%	93%	97%	94%	95%	93%	96%	97%	94%
	No	5%	5%	5%	7%	3%	6%	5%	7%	4%	3%	6%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	0%	%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
Which do you think should be a top priority for dealing with crime?	Prevention, such as education and youth programs	41%	36%	47%	42%	53%	38%	35%	38%	53%	34%	41%
	Rehabilitation, such as education and job training for prisoners	25%	26%	24%	35%	20%	22%	24%	27%	23%	23%	24%
	Punishment, such as longer sentences and more prisons	8%	8%	7%	7%	3%	8%	12%	7%	4%	11%	10%
	Enforcement, such as putting more police officers on the streets	22%	24%	20%	12%	21%	27%	24%	24%	18%	24%	22%
	Don't know / Refused	4%	5%	3%	4%	2%	5%	6%	4%	3%	7%	4%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194

		OVERAL	PARTY REGISTRATION			PARTY AND GENDER					RACE	
		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Unenrolled / Other	Democrat men	Democrat women	Republicans	Independent men	Independent women	White / Caucasian	All others
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	268	78	408	116	152	78	217	191	599	114
How much confidence do you have in the criminal justice system here in Massachusetts, which consists of the police, the courts, probation, parole, and prisons ...?	A lot of confidence	32%	34%	33%	31%	37%	31%	33%	31%	30%	35%	23%
	Some confidence	43%	43%	46%	43%	38%	47%	46%	41%	45%	43%	41%
	A little confidence	15%	15%	10%	16%	17%	13%	10%	17%	15%	13%	24%
	No confidence at all	7%	6%	9%	7%	5%	7%	9%	10%	4%	6%	8%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	5%	2%	3%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW MUCH CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM	A lot / some confidence	75%	77%	79%	74%	75%	78%	79%	72%	75%	78%	64%
	A little / no confidence	22%	21%	19%	23%	22%	19%	19%	27%	20%	20%	32%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	5%	2%	3%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
How safe from crime do you feel in your neighborhood?	Very safe	67%	68%	79%	65%	71%	66%	79%	62%	67%	71%	53%
	Somewhat safe	27%	24%	18%	31%	22%	26%	18%	32%	29%	26%	33%
	Not too safe	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	3%	2%	2%	8%
	Not at all safe	2%	3%	0%	2%	3%	3%	0%	2%	1%	1%	6%
	Don't know / Refused	%	0%	0%	%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	%	0%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD?	Yes	95%	93%	97%	95%	93%	92%	97%	95%	96%	97%	86%
	No	5%	7%	3%	4%	7%	8%	3%	5%	3%	3%	14%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	0%	0%	%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	%	0%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
Which do you think should be a top priority for dealing with crime?	Prevention, such as education and youth programs	41%	47%	34%	40%	41%	51%	34%	35%	45%	40%	45%
	Rehabilitation, such as education and job training for prisoners	25%	32%	26%	20%	34%	30%	26%	22%	18%	25%	23%
	Punishment, such as longer sentences and more prisons	8%	3%	15%	9%	6%	2%	15%	9%	8%	8%	5%
	Enforcement, such as putting more police officers on the streets	22%	15%	24%	26%	17%	12%	24%	26%	26%	22%	24%
	Don't know / Refused	4%	4%	0%	5%	2%	5%	0%	8%	3%	5%	2%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126

		OVERALL	EDUCATION LEVEL				INCOME RANGES				INCOME RANGES	
		Overall	High School or less	Some college, no degree	College graduate (BA/BS)	Advanced degree	Less than \$25k	\$25-\$75k	\$75-\$150k	More than \$150k	Less than \$75k	More than \$75k
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	158	189	259	139	89	208	228	131	297	359
How much confidence do you have in the criminal justice system here in Massachusetts, which consists of the police, the courts, probation, parole, and prisons ...?	A lot of confidence	32%	34%	25%	36%	34%	34%	27%	36%	37%	30%	36%
	Some confidence	43%	35%	49%	45%	49%	37%	43%	45%	43%	41%	44%
	A little confidence	15%	17%	18%	13%	11%	17%	18%	15%	13%	18%	14%
	No confidence at all	7%	11%	6%	5%	3%	8%	8%	3%	7%	8%	5%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	4%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%	1%	1%	3%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW MUCH CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM	A lot / some confidence	75%	68%	74%	81%	83%	71%	71%	81%	80%	71%	80%
	A little / no confidence	22%	28%	24%	18%	14%	25%	26%	18%	20%	26%	19%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	4%	2%	2%	3%	3%	3%	1%	1%	3%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
How safe from crime do you feel in your neighborhood?	Very safe	67%	64%	58%	73%	78%	67%	54%	70%	87%	59%	76%
	Somewhat safe	27%	28%	34%	25%	21%	24%	37%	27%	12%	33%	22%
	Not too safe	3%	4%	4%	2%	1%	5%	4%	2%	1%	4%	2%
	Not at all safe	2%	3%	4%	0%	0%	3%	5%	%	1%	4%	%
	Don't know / Refused	%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD?	Yes	95%	92%	92%	98%	99%	91%	91%	97%	98%	91%	98%
	No	5%	7%	8%	2%	1%	9%	9%	3%	2%	9%	2%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
Which do you think should be a top priority for dealing with crime?	Prevention, such as education and youth programs	41%	32%	35%	49%	54%	27%	46%	45%	46%	40%	45%
	Rehabilitation, such as education and job training for prisoners	25%	23%	27%	25%	26%	25%	23%	29%	24%	24%	27%
	Punishment, such as longer sentences and more prisons	8%	12%	7%	6%	3%	11%	6%	8%	3%	8%	6%
	Enforcement, such as putting more police officers on the streets	22%	30%	25%	16%	13%	33%	21%	16%	22%	25%	18%
	Don't know / Refused	4%	3%	5%	5%	3%	4%	3%	3%	5%	4%	3%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340

		OVERALL	REGIONS				FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD ?		YOU / FAM VICTIM OF CRIME?		CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM?	
		Overall	Western / Central MA	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs	Yes	No	Yes	No	A lot / some	A little / none
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	190	119	249	196	717	36	368	379	575	160
How much confidence do you have in the criminal justice system here in Massachusetts, which consists of the police, the courts, probation, parole, and prisons ...?	A lot of confidence	32%	33%	30%	32%	32%	33%	22%	26%	38%	43%	0%
	Some confidence	43%	48%	40%	46%	38%	44%	27%	47%	40%	57%	0%
	A little confidence	15%	13%	18%	14%	17%	14%	30%	19%	12%	0%	69%
	No confidence at all	7%	5%	12%	6%	8%	6%	19%	6%	7%	0%	31%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	2%	1%	2%	5%	3%	2%	2%	4%	0%	0%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW MUCH CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM	A lot / some confidence	75%	81%	70%	78%	70%	77%	49%	73%	78%	100%	0%
	A little / no confidence	22%	18%	29%	20%	25%	20%	50%	26%	18%	0%	100%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	1%	2%	5%	3%	2%	2%	4%	0%	0%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
How safe from crime do you feel in your neighborhood?	Very safe	67%	67%	63%	72%	64%	71%	0%	62%	72%	73%	49%
	Somewhat safe	27%	29%	30%	23%	29%	29%	0%	31%	24%	23%	40%
	Not too safe	3%	3%	2%	4%	4%	0%	62%	5%	2%	2%	7%
	Not at all safe	2%	1%	4%	1%	3%	0%	38%	3%	1%	1%	5%
	Don't know / Refused	%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	%	%	0%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD?	Yes	95%	97%	93%	95%	93%	100%	0%	93%	96%	96%	88%
	No	5%	3%	6%	5%	7%	0%	100%	7%	3%	3%	12%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	%	%	0%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
Which do you think should be a top priority for dealing with crime?	Prevention, such as education and youth programs	41%	44%	30%	42%	46%	42%	40%	40%	42%	43%	31%
	Rehabilitation, such as education and job training for prisoners	25%	25%	22%	22%	31%	25%	13%	28%	23%	24%	30%
	Punishment, such as longer sentences and more prisons	8%	5%	11%	10%	5%	7%	14%	6%	8%	6%	13%
	Enforcement, such as putting more police officers on the streets	22%	20%	32%	24%	15%	21%	32%	21%	23%	24%	18%
	Don't know / Refused	4%	6%	5%	4%	3%	4%	2%	4%	4%	3%	7%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165

		OVERAL L	VIEW OF DRUG USE		RAISE LARCENY THRESHOLD		YOU / FAM HAD PHYSICAL HARM FROM CRIME?	
		Overall	Crime	Health problem	Favor	Oppose	Yes	No
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	175	497	458	265	188	177
How much confidence do you have in the criminal justice system here in Massachusetts, which consists of the police, the courts, probation, parole, and prisons ...?	A lot of confidence	32%	38%	29%	34%	28%	25%	26%
	Some confidence	43%	36%	47%	45%	41%	43%	52%
	A little confidence	15%	12%	17%	15%	15%	21%	15%
	No confidence at all	7%	12%	5%	4%	12%	8%	5%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW MUCH CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM	A lot / some confidence	75%	74%	76%	79%	69%	68%	78%
	A little / no confidence	22%	24%	22%	19%	27%	29%	20%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
How safe from crime do you feel in your neighborhood?	Very safe	67%	64%	69%	71%	63%	57%	67%
	Somewhat safe	27%	29%	26%	23%	32%	33%	28%
	Not too safe	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	6%	3%
	Not at all safe	2%	5%	1%	2%	2%	4%	2%
	Don't know / Refused	%	0%	0%	%	0%	0%	0%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD?	Yes	95%	93%	95%	94%	95%	90%	95%
	No	5%	7%	5%	5%	5%	10%	5%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	0%	0%	%	0%	0%	0%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
Which do you think should be a top priority for dealing with crime?	Prevention, such as education and youth programs	41%	24%	46%	47%	35%	39%	43%
	Rehabilitation, such as education and job training for prisoners	25%	12%	31%	28%	20%	30%	23%
	Punishment, such as longer sentences and more prisons	8%	19%	3%	4%	14%	5%	8%
	Enforcement, such as putting more police officers on the streets	22%	39%	16%	19%	27%	22%	20%
	Don't know / Refused	4%	6%	3%	3%	4%	3%	6%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170

		OVERAL	GENDER		AGE CATEGORIES				AGE AND GENDER			
		Overall	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+	Men age 18-49	Women age 18-49	Men age 50+	Women age 50+
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	377	377	125	180	219	225	201	177	173	198
... Which is the best way for judges to sentence convicted offenders?	Require judges to sentence some offenders to prison for a minimum period of time	8%	10%	7%	4%	8%	10%	10%	10%	4%	10%	9%
	Have judges use sentencing guidelines while still having some discretion	46%	41%	50%	41%	46%	52%	43%	40%	52%	42%	49%
	Let judges decide the punishment each time on a case by case basis	41%	43%	39%	53%	42%	32%	41%	47%	41%	39%	36%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	6%	4%	2%	4%	7%	6%	3%	2%	9%	5%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
In your opinion, should using drugs be treated more as a crime or more as a health problem?	More as a crime	24%	23%	24%	21%	12%	26%	35%	18%	17%	30%	32%
	More as a health problem	66%	64%	67%	72%	77%	62%	55%	68%	76%	58%	58%
	Both / Neither / It depends	9%	11%	8%	7%	9%	10%	9%	11%	7%	11%	9%
	Don't know / Refused	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	3%	0%	2%	1%
Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194	
... Do you think there are too many people in prison in Massachusetts, not enough people in prison, or is the number of people in prison about right?	Too many	42%	42%	43%	49%	44%	41%	38%	44%	44%	38%	42%
	Not enough	10%	9%	11%	11%	7%	11%	13%	9%	10%	10%	13%
	About the right amount	23%	26%	20%	20%	21%	22%	26%	23%	20%	30%	18%
	Don't know / Refused	25%	23%	26%	19%	28%	26%	23%	24%	26%	22%	27%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users.	Prison	51%	52%	50%	47%	47%	55%	52%	49%	51%	54%	49%
	Treatment	37%	37%	37%	38%	41%	35%	36%	39%	35%	35%	40%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	9%	11%	14%	9%	9%	10%	9%	12%	10%	10%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	%	1%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a car on the street to commit theft.	Prison	48%	52%	45%	59%	48%	50%	39%	52%	51%	50%	39%
	Treatment	40%	35%	45%	30%	40%	41%	47%	34%	40%	36%	50%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	11%	9%	9%	12%	8%	10%	12%	8%	10%	10%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	1%	2%	%	1%	3%	1%	1%	4%	1%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194

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		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Unenrolled / Other	Democrat men	Democrat women	Republicans	Independent men	Independent women	White / Caucasian	All others
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	268	78	408	116	152	78	217	191	599	114
... Which is the best way for judges to sentence convicted offenders?	Require judges to sentence some offenders to prison for a minimum period of time	8%	6%	8%	10%	5%	7%	8%	13%	6%	8%	12%
	Have judges use sentencing guidelines while still having some discretion	46%	43%	54%	46%	35%	49%	54%	42%	50%	48%	33%
	Let judges decide the punishment each time on a case by case basis	41%	44%	33%	41%	49%	40%	33%	42%	39%	39%	50%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	7%	5%	4%	11%	3%	5%	3%	4%	5%	5%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
In your opinion, should using drugs be treated more as a crime or more as a health problem?	More as a crime	24%	16%	35%	26%	16%	16%	35%	23%	29%	24%	22%
	More as a health problem	66%	73%	55%	63%	71%	75%	55%	64%	63%	64%	70%
	Both / Neither / It depends	9%	11%	6%	9%	13%	9%	6%	10%	7%	10%	8%
	Don't know / Refused	1%	0%	4%	2%	0%	0%	4%	3%	1%	2%	0%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
... Do you think there are too many people in prison in Massachusetts, not enough people in prison, or is the number of people in prison about right?	Too many	42%	56%	28%	37%	54%	57%	28%	39%	34%	42%	42%
	Not enough	10%	6%	19%	12%	3%	7%	19%	10%	13%	10%	11%
	About the right amount	23%	20%	30%	23%	27%	15%	30%	23%	22%	23%	22%
	Don't know / Refused	25%	19%	23%	29%	15%	21%	23%	28%	30%	25%	24%
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PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users.	Prison	51%	45%	63%	52%	47%	44%	63%	51%	53%	51%	54%
	Treatment	37%	42%	28%	35%	44%	41%	28%	36%	35%	37%	36%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	10%	9%	11%	6%	14%	9%	11%	10%	10%	8%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	0%	2%	3%	1%	0%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a car on the street to commit theft.	Prison	48%	37%	64%	52%	39%	36%	64%	55%	49%	47%	56%
	Treatment	40%	50%	32%	36%	45%	53%	32%	32%	41%	41%	36%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	12%	1%	10%	13%	11%	1%	11%	9%	10%	5%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	0%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
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UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	158	189	259	139	89	208	228	131	297	359
... Which is the best way for judges to sentence convicted offenders?	Require judges to sentence some offenders to prison for a minimum period of time	8%	12%	8%	7%	4%	13%	10%	6%	8%	11%	6%
	Have judges use sentencing guidelines while still having some discretion	46%	35%	42%	52%	60%	34%	43%	47%	61%	40%	52%
	Let judges decide the punishment each time on a case by case basis	41%	46%	44%	37%	34%	44%	42%	43%	30%	43%	38%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	7%	5%	4%	2%	8%	4%	4%	2%	6%	3%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
In your opinion, should using drugs be treated more as a crime or more as a health problem?	More as a crime	24%	26%	31%	20%	17%	29%	22%	23%	21%	24%	22%
	More as a health problem	66%	62%	60%	68%	76%	64%	65%	70%	68%	65%	69%
	Both / Neither / It depends	9%	11%	8%	11%	4%	7%	11%	6%	9%	10%	7%
	Don't know / Refused	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	0%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
... Do you think there are too many people in prison in Massachusetts, not enough people in prison, or is the number of people in prison about right?	Too many	42%	42%	36%	40%	53%	47%	42%	42%	48%	43%	44%
	Not enough	10%	12%	14%	9%	4%	17%	10%	11%	6%	13%	9%
	About the right amount	23%	26%	22%	20%	22%	16%	23%	23%	27%	20%	25%
	Don't know / Refused	25%	20%	28%	31%	21%	20%	25%	24%	19%	24%	22%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users.	Prison	51%	55%	55%	49%	43%	48%	50%	55%	51%	49%	54%
	Treatment	37%	36%	31%	38%	45%	40%	35%	36%	41%	37%	38%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	7%	13%	10%	11%	11%	14%	8%	5%	13%	7%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a car on the street to commit theft.	Prison	48%	49%	50%	50%	41%	42%	48%	52%	43%	46%	49%
	Treatment	40%	41%	41%	37%	46%	51%	40%	39%	44%	43%	41%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	9%	9%	11%	11%	6%	9%	8%	11%	8%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	1%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340

		OVERALL	REGIONS				FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD ?		YOU / FAM VICTIM OF CRIME?		CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM?	
			Overall	Western / Central MA	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs	Yes	No	Yes	No	A lot / some
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	190	119	249	196	717	36	368	379	575	160
... Which is the best way for judges to sentence convicted offenders?	Require judges to sentence some offenders to prison for a minimum period of time	8%	9%	7%	9%	7%	8%	15%	9%	8%	7%	15%
	Have judges use sentencing guidelines while still having some discretion	46%	41%	49%	51%	42%	47%	33%	52%	40%	48%	37%
	Let judges decide the punishment each time on a case by case basis	41%	43%	39%	37%	45%	41%	45%	35%	47%	40%	43%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	7%	5%	3%	5%	5%	7%	4%	5%	5%	6%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
In your opinion, should using drugs be treated more as a crime or more as a health problem?	More as a crime	24%	25%	31%	25%	16%	23%	30%	22%	26%	23%	26%
	More as a health problem	66%	65%	55%	65%	74%	66%	64%	68%	64%	66%	66%
	Both / Neither / It depends	9%	8%	11%	9%	9%	9%	6%	9%	9%	9%	8%
	Don't know / Refused	1%	1%	4%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%	%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
... Do you think there are too many people in prison in Massachusetts, not enough people in prison, or is the number of people in prison about right?	Too many	42%	44%	32%	38%	52%	42%	49%	46%	39%	40%	51%
	Not enough	10%	11%	17%	8%	8%	10%	26%	10%	10%	9%	15%
	About the right amount	23%	21%	24%	28%	17%	23%	13%	18%	27%	27%	11%
	Don't know / Refused	25%	25%	27%	26%	23%	25%	12%	25%	23%	24%	23%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users.	Prison	51%	48%	58%	57%	42%	50%	61%	45%	56%	50%	52%
	Treatment	37%	38%	27%	34%	45%	38%	28%	40%	34%	37%	36%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	11%	14%	7%	12%	10%	9%	12%	8%	11%	10%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a car on the street to commit theft.	Prison	48%	50%	59%	49%	39%	47%	67%	47%	50%	47%	54%
	Treatment	40%	40%	30%	43%	44%	41%	29%	41%	40%	41%	36%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	8%	9%	8%	14%	10%	0%	10%	9%	10%	7%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	2%	%	3%	2%	4%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165

		OVERAL L	VIEW OF DRUG USE		RAISE LARCENY THRESHOLD		YOU / FAM HAD PHYSICAL HARM FROM CRIME?	
		Overall	Crime	Health problem	Favor	Oppose	Yes	No
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	175	497	458	265	188	177
... Which is the best way for judges to sentence convicted offenders?	Require judges to sentence some offenders to prison for a minimum period of time	8%	15%	7%	6%	14%	10%	8%
	Have judges use sentencing guidelines while still having some discretion	46%	38%	49%	49%	42%	48%	57%
	Let judges decide the punishment each time on a case by case basis	41%	42%	39%	41%	42%	39%	31%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	5%	5%	5%	3%	3%	4%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
In your opinion, should using drugs be treated more as a crime or more as a health problem?	More as a crime	24%	100%	0%	19%	33%	17%	26%
	More as a health problem	66%	0%	100%	75%	51%	73%	62%
	Both / Neither / It depends	9%	0%	0%	6%	14%	9%	10%
	Don't know / Refused	1%	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%
Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170	
... Do you think there are too many people in prison in Massachusetts, not enough people in prison, or is the number of people in prison about right?	Too many	42%	24%	52%	52%	28%	51%	40%
	Not enough	10%	21%	7%	6%	19%	11%	10%
	About the right amount	23%	30%	20%	21%	27%	17%	20%
	Don't know / Refused	25%	25%	21%	21%	26%	20%	30%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users.	Prison	51%	74%	41%	44%	63%	39%	53%
	Treatment	37%	17%	47%	44%	25%	42%	39%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	7%	11%	10%	10%	17%	6%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a car on the street to commit theft.	Prison	48%	67%	41%	42%	59%	45%	48%
	Treatment	40%	28%	48%	47%	30%	43%	40%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	10%	5%	9%	9%	10%	10%	11%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	0%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170

		OVERAL L	GENDER		AGE CATEGORIES				AGE AND GENDER			
		Overall	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+	Men age 18-49	Women age 18-49	Men age 50+	Women age 50+
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	377	377	125	180	219	225	201	177	173	198
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a home to commit burglary.	Prison	64%	68%	61%	61%	66%	67%	61%	65%	65%	69%	57%
	Treatment	24%	21%	27%	27%	21%	23%	26%	22%	24%	21%	29%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	11%	10%	11%	11%	12%	8%	12%	11%	10%	9%	12%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	%	1%	1%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users while carrying a knife or a gun.	Prison	71%	74%	68%	74%	61%	75%	73%	74%	64%	74%	72%
	Treatment	18%	15%	21%	15%	26%	14%	17%	16%	23%	14%	19%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	9%	8%	10%	9%	8%	8%	8%	10%	10%	6%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	3%	1%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Very effective	46%	42%	50%	43%	51%	43%	45%	42%	53%	40%	47%
	Fairly effective	40%	42%	38%	45%	40%	38%	39%	44%	39%	40%	37%
	Not too effective	6%	7%	4%	6%	5%	4%	7%	6%	3%	7%	6%
	Not really effective at all	5%	6%	4%	3%	3%	8%	5%	6%	2%	8%	6%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	3%	3%	2%	1%	6%	3%	2%	2%	5%	4%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Very effective	58%	56%	60%	59%	63%	54%	56%	56%	65%	55%	54%
	Fairly effective	35%	36%	33%	36%	31%	38%	33%	37%	30%	35%	37%
	Not too effective	3%	3%	3%	1%	2%	2%	4%	3%	1%	2%	4%
	Not really effective at all	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	4%	3%	1%	1%	5%	3%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Very effective	19%	18%	20%	10%	23%	17%	23%	17%	18%	19%	21%
	Fairly effective	22%	21%	23%	26%	18%	23%	23%	20%	22%	23%	22%
	Not too effective	24%	26%	22%	30%	25%	20%	23%	25%	25%	26%	20%
	Not really effective at all	31%	30%	31%	33%	31%	32%	26%	33%	31%	26%	30%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	5%	5%	1%	3%	8%	5%	4%	3%	6%	7%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194

		OVERAL	PARTY REGISTRATION			PARTY AND GENDER					RACE	
		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Unenrolled / Other	Democrat men	Democrat women	Republicans	Independent men	Independent women	White / Caucasian	All others
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	268	78	408	116	152	78	217	191	599	114
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a home to commit burglary.	Prison	64%	57%	76%	66%	62%	54%	76%	68%	65%	65%	63%
	Treatment	24%	31%	14%	22%	25%	35%	14%	20%	24%	23%	29%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	11%	11%	10%	11%	11%	10%	10%	11%	10%	11%	7%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users while carrying a knife or a gun.	Prison	71%	69%	78%	71%	72%	66%	78%	74%	68%	70%	78%
	Treatment	18%	19%	12%	18%	16%	22%	12%	16%	21%	18%	15%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	10%	7%	8%	10%	11%	7%	9%	7%	9%	7%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	4%	3%	0%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Very effective	46%	56%	34%	43%	53%	57%	34%	38%	48%	46%	48%
	Fairly effective	40%	34%	46%	42%	35%	33%	46%	46%	39%	41%	34%
	Not too effective	6%	4%	6%	7%	4%	3%	6%	8%	6%	5%	9%
	Not really effective at all	5%	5%	7%	5%	5%	4%	7%	6%	5%	5%	5%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	2%	7%	3%	2%	3%	7%	3%	3%	3%	5%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Very effective	58%	66%	52%	54%	65%	68%	52%	52%	56%	58%	58%
	Fairly effective	35%	27%	41%	38%	28%	26%	41%	40%	36%	35%	32%
	Not too effective	3%	2%	1%	3%	3%	1%	1%	3%	4%	3%	2%
	Not really effective at all	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	4%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	4%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Very effective	19%	17%	26%	18%	16%	18%	26%	17%	19%	18%	21%
	Fairly effective	22%	18%	21%	25%	19%	17%	21%	23%	27%	22%	20%
	Not too effective	24%	25%	22%	24%	22%	28%	22%	29%	19%	26%	16%
	Not really effective at all	31%	37%	23%	28%	40%	35%	23%	26%	29%	29%	39%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	3%	8%	6%	4%	2%	8%	5%	6%	5%	4%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126

		OVERAL	EDUCATION LEVEL				INCOME RANGES				INCOME RANGES	
		Overall	High School or less	Some college, no degree	College graduate (BA/BS)	Advanced degree	Less than \$25k	\$25-\$75k	\$75-\$150k	More than \$150k	Less than \$75k	More than \$75k
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	158	189	259	139	89	208	228	131	297	359
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a home to commit burglary.	Prison	64%	67%	65%	63%	61%	58%	62%	70%	67%	61%	69%
	Treatment	24%	22%	26%	22%	28%	28%	28%	20%	24%	28%	21%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	11%	11%	9%	12%	11%	14%	9%	8%	8%	11%	8%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	0%	1%	3%	0%	0%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users while carrying a knife or a gun.	Prison	71%	76%	73%	67%	67%	64%	69%	73%	78%	67%	75%
	Treatment	18%	15%	14%	20%	24%	25%	18%	17%	15%	20%	16%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	7%	11%	8%	8%	9%	10%	8%	5%	9%	7%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	4%	2%	2%	3%	2%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Very effective	46%	46%	44%	44%	51%	44%	45%	49%	47%	45%	49%
	Fairly effective	40%	36%	41%	41%	43%	37%	39%	41%	39%	38%	40%
	Not too effective	6%	6%	6%	8%	1%	5%	7%	5%	7%	6%	6%
	Not really effective at all	5%	8%	5%	4%	3%	9%	4%	3%	5%	6%	4%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	4%	4%	3%	1%	5%	4%	2%	1%	5%	2%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Very effective	58%	53%	58%	60%	63%	52%	60%	64%	58%	57%	62%
	Fairly effective	35%	37%	34%	35%	31%	37%	31%	31%	38%	33%	33%
	Not too effective	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	Not really effective at all	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	3%	4%	1%	2%	4%	1%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	4%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Very effective	19%	26%	26%	12%	7%	18%	21%	16%	11%	20%	14%
	Fairly effective	22%	25%	22%	22%	17%	22%	22%	20%	21%	22%	21%
	Not too effective	24%	24%	21%	26%	25%	27%	21%	27%	22%	23%	25%
	Not really effective at all	31%	21%	25%	34%	48%	28%	31%	30%	42%	30%	35%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	4%	6%	6%	3%	4%	4%	6%	3%	4%	5%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340

		OVERALL	REGIONS				FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD ?		YOU / FAM VICTIM OF CRIME?		CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM?	
		Overall	Western / Central MA	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs	Yes	No	Yes	No	A lot / some	A little / none
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	190	119	249	196	717	36	368	379	575	160
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a home to commit burglary.	Prison	64%	62%	75%	66%	58%	63%	79%	64%	65%	64%	65%
	Treatment	24%	24%	18%	24%	28%	25%	14%	24%	24%	24%	26%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	11%	11%	7%	9%	14%	11%	6%	11%	11%	11%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users while carrying a knife or a gun.	Prison	71%	71%	74%	75%	64%	71%	73%	68%	74%	72%	69%
	Treatment	18%	17%	18%	14%	24%	18%	18%	21%	15%	17%	21%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	8%	6%	9%	10%	9%	7%	9%	8%	9%	8%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	4%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Very effective	46%	46%	42%	44%	51%	46%	46%	46%	46%	47%	46%
	Fairly effective	40%	44%	42%	38%	37%	40%	33%	41%	39%	42%	32%
	Not too effective	6%	2%	6%	8%	5%	5%	10%	5%	6%	5%	8%
	Not really effective at all	5%	5%	8%	6%	3%	5%	7%	5%	6%	4%	11%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	4%	1%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	3%	3%	4%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Very effective	58%	58%	57%	52%	67%	59%	49%	59%	57%	59%	54%
	Fairly effective	35%	34%	36%	40%	28%	34%	34%	35%	35%	36%	30%
	Not too effective	3%	4%	3%	2%	1%	2%	6%	1%	4%	2%	6%
	Not really effective at all	2%	2%	2%	4%	1%	2%	4%	2%	2%	1%	6%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	7%	3%	2%	2%	4%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Very effective	19%	15%	26%	19%	17%	18%	25%	14%	23%	16%	27%
	Fairly effective	22%	24%	22%	22%	19%	22%	26%	19%	25%	25%	11%
	Not too effective	24%	26%	27%	24%	20%	24%	22%	28%	20%	25%	23%
	Not really effective at all	31%	28%	22%	30%	39%	31%	24%	33%	28%	29%	35%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	5%	3%	5%	5%	5%	2%	6%	4%	5%	5%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165

		OVERAL	VIEW OF DRUG USE		RAISE LARCENY THRESHOLD		YOU / FAM HAD PHYSICAL HARM FROM CRIME?	
		Overall	Crime	Health problem	Favor	Oppose	Yes	No
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	175	497	458	265	188	177
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Break into a home to commit burglary.	Prison	64%	79%	58%	61%	71%	60%	68%
	Treatment	24%	15%	28%	26%	20%	26%	22%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	11%	6%	12%	11%	9%	12%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	0%	1%	1%	%	2%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
PRISON OR TREATMENT FOR DRUG ADDICT WHO: Sell drugs to other users while carrying a knife or a gun.	Prison	71%	84%	64%	67%	78%	65%	70%
	Treatment	18%	10%	23%	22%	12%	23%	20%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	5%	10%	8%	8%	10%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Very effective	46%	41%	50%	52%	37%	50%	42%
	Fairly effective	40%	35%	40%	40%	39%	39%	44%
	Not too effective	6%	9%	4%	3%	11%	3%	7%
	Not really effective at all	5%	10%	3%	3%	9%	5%	5%
	Don't know / Refused	3%	5%	3%	2%	4%	3%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME:Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Very effective	58%	44%	65%	64%	49%	65%	52%
	Fairly effective	35%	41%	31%	31%	38%	28%	42%
	Not too effective	3%	6%	2%	1%	5%	1%	1%
	Not really effective at all	2%	6%	1%	2%	4%	3%	3%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Very effective	19%	33%	13%	15%	24%	13%	14%
	Fairly effective	22%	31%	18%	16%	31%	16%	22%
	Not too effective	24%	17%	27%	25%	22%	28%	29%
	Not really effective at all	31%	14%	38%	39%	17%	36%	32%
	Don't know / Refused	5%	6%	4%	4%	6%	7%	3%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170

		OVERAL L	GENDER		AGE CATEGORIES				AGE AND GENDER			
		Overall	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+	Men age 18-49	Women age 18-49	Men age 50+	Women age 50+
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	377	377	125	180	219	225	201	177	173	198
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Very effective	64%	61%	66%	69%	70%	52%	66%	62%	71%	58%	61%
	Fairly effective	28%	30%	26%	24%	27%	36%	23%	29%	26%	31%	26%
	Not too effective	4%	5%	3%	5%	2%	4%	5%	6%	1%	4%	6%
	Not really effective at all	3%	2%	3%	1%	%	5%	4%	3%	1%	2%	5%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%	4%	2%	0%	1%	4%	3%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Very effective	59%	56%	61%	64%	62%	53%	56%	58%	64%	53%	57%
	Fairly effective	30%	32%	29%	30%	30%	33%	28%	30%	32%	33%	26%
	Not too effective	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	2%	7%	4%	1%	4%	6%
	Not really effective at all	6%	7%	5%	3%	3%	9%	7%	7%	3%	7%	8%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	%	1%	3%	2%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Effective	86%	84%	88%	88%	91%	81%	85%	86%	93%	81%	84%
	Not effective	11%	13%	9%	9%	8%	13%	12%	12%	5%	15%	12%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	3%	2%	1%	6%	3%	2%	2%	5%	4%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Effective	93%	92%	93%	96%	94%	92%	89%	94%	95%	90%	91%
	Not effective	5%	5%	5%	3%	6%	3%	7%	5%	4%	5%	6%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	1%	1%	4%	3%	1%	1%	5%	3%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Effective	41%	39%	42%	35%	41%	40%	46%	37%	41%	42%	43%
	Not effective	55%	56%	53%	63%	56%	52%	49%	59%	56%	51%	50%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	5%	5%	1%	3%	8%	5%	4%	3%	6%	7%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Effective	91%	91%	92%	93%	97%	88%	88%	92%	97%	89%	86%
	Not effective	7%	7%	6%	7%	3%	8%	9%	8%	2%	7%	11%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%	4%	2%	0%	1%	4%	3%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Effective	89%	88%	90%	93%	93%	87%	84%	89%	96%	86%	83%
	Not effective	10%	11%	9%	6%	6%	11%	14%	11%	3%	11%	14%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	%	1%	3%	2%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194

		OVERL	PARTY REGISTRATION			PARTY AND GENDER					RACE	
		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Unenrolled / Other	Democrat men	Democrat women	Republicans	Independent men	Independent women	White / Caucasian	All others
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	268	78	408	116	152	78	217	191	599	114
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Very effective	64%	68%	59%	62%	67%	69%	59%	59%	65%	64%	61%
	Fairly effective	28%	24%	34%	28%	29%	21%	34%	30%	27%	28%	27%
	Not too effective	4%	3%	3%	5%	1%	5%	3%	7%	3%	3%	8%
	Not really effective at all	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Very effective	59%	63%	52%	57%	57%	68%	52%	56%	58%	58%	58%
	Fairly effective	30%	27%	30%	32%	31%	24%	30%	33%	31%	31%	27%
	Not too effective	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%
	Not really effective at all	6%	5%	11%	5%	6%	4%	11%	6%	5%	5%	9%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Effective	86%	90%	80%	85%	89%	90%	80%	84%	87%	87%	82%
	Not effective	11%	8%	13%	12%	9%	7%	13%	14%	10%	10%	14%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	7%	3%	2%	3%	7%	3%	3%	3%	5%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Effective	93%	93%	93%	92%	92%	94%	93%	92%	92%	93%	91%
	Not effective	5%	4%	3%	6%	5%	4%	3%	6%	6%	5%	5%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	4%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Effective	41%	35%	48%	43%	34%	35%	48%	40%	46%	41%	41%
	Not effective	55%	62%	45%	52%	62%	63%	45%	55%	48%	54%	55%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	3%	8%	6%	4%	2%	8%	5%	6%	5%	4%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Effective	91%	93%	93%	90%	96%	90%	93%	89%	92%	92%	88%
	Not effective	7%	5%	6%	8%	3%	7%	6%	9%	7%	6%	10%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Effective	89%	90%	82%	89%	88%	92%	82%	89%	89%	89%	85%
	Not effective	10%	9%	15%	9%	11%	8%	15%	10%	9%	9%	13%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	1%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126

		OVERAL	EDUCATION LEVEL				INCOME RANGES				INCOME RANGES	
		Overall	High School or less	Some college, no degree	College graduate (BA/BS)	Advanced degree	Less than \$25k	\$25-\$75k	\$75-\$150k	More than \$150k	Less than \$75k	More than \$75k
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	158	189	259	139	89	208	228	131	297	359
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Very effective	64%	63%	67%	62%	64%	74%	57%	66%	63%	62%	65%
	Fairly effective	28%	24%	26%	31%	31%	12%	33%	28%	33%	26%	30%
	Not too effective	4%	5%	5%	3%	3%	6%	7%	2%	1%	7%	2%
	Not really effective at all	3%	5%	1%	2%	2%	5%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	2%	0%	3%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Very effective	59%	58%	56%	56%	65%	64%	53%	60%	61%	57%	60%
	Fairly effective	30%	26%	33%	34%	29%	22%	35%	30%	33%	30%	31%
	Not too effective	4%	5%	5%	3%	3%	3%	5%	2%	1%	5%	2%
	Not really effective at all	6%	9%	5%	4%	3%	7%	6%	5%	5%	6%	5%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	5%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Effective	86%	82%	86%	86%	95%	81%	84%	90%	86%	83%	89%
	Not effective	11%	14%	10%	11%	5%	14%	11%	8%	13%	12%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	4%	4%	3%	1%	5%	4%	2%	1%	5%	2%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Effective	93%	90%	92%	94%	94%	89%	90%	95%	96%	90%	95%
	Not effective	5%	7%	4%	4%	5%	7%	7%	4%	4%	7%	4%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	4%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Effective	41%	51%	47%	34%	24%	40%	43%	36%	33%	42%	35%
	Not effective	55%	45%	47%	61%	73%	55%	52%	57%	65%	53%	60%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	4%	6%	6%	3%	4%	4%	6%	3%	4%	5%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Effective	91%	87%	92%	93%	95%	85%	90%	94%	96%	88%	95%
	Not effective	7%	10%	6%	5%	5%	11%	10%	4%	4%	10%	4%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	2%	0%	3%	1%	2%	0%	2%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Effective	89%	84%	89%	91%	93%	85%	88%	91%	93%	87%	92%
	Not effective	10%	14%	9%	7%	6%	10%	11%	8%	6%	11%	7%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	5%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340

		OVERALL	REGIONS				FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD ?		YOU / FAM VICTIM OF CRIME?		CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM?	
		Overall	Western / Central MA	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs	Yes	No	Yes	No	A lot / some	A little / none
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	190	119	249	196	717	36	368	379	575	160
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Very effective	64%	63%	57%	61%	73%	64%	70%	67%	60%	64%	63%
	Fairly effective	28%	25%	36%	32%	20%	28%	12%	25%	30%	30%	21%
	Not too effective	4%	6%	3%	3%	3%	4%	11%	3%	5%	3%	8%
	Not really effective at all	3%	4%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	2%	4%	2%	5%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	4%	2%	1%	1%	4%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Very effective	59%	59%	53%	57%	63%	59%	45%	60%	56%	59%	58%
	Fairly effective	30%	28%	35%	33%	25%	30%	38%	29%	31%	32%	25%
	Not too effective	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	7%	3%	5%	3%	7%
	Not really effective at all	6%	7%	8%	5%	5%	6%	10%	6%	6%	5%	9%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Effective	86%	89%	84%	83%	88%	86%	78%	87%	86%	88%	78%
	Not effective	11%	7%	14%	14%	8%	10%	17%	10%	11%	9%	19%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	4%	1%	3%	3%	3%	5%	3%	3%	3%	4%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Effective	93%	91%	93%	91%	95%	93%	84%	93%	92%	95%	84%
	Not effective	5%	6%	5%	6%	3%	5%	9%	4%	6%	3%	12%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	7%	3%	2%	2%	4%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Effective	41%	40%	48%	41%	36%	40%	51%	32%	48%	42%	38%
	Not effective	55%	55%	49%	54%	59%	55%	46%	62%	48%	54%	57%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	5%	3%	5%	5%	5%	2%	6%	4%	5%	5%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Effective	91%	88%	93%	92%	93%	92%	82%	93%	90%	94%	84%
	Not effective	7%	10%	5%	6%	5%	6%	14%	5%	9%	5%	12%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	4%	2%	1%	1%	4%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Effective	89%	88%	88%	90%	89%	89%	82%	89%	88%	91%	83%
	Not effective	10%	11%	12%	9%	9%	9%	18%	9%	11%	8%	16%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	0%	2%	1%	2%	1%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165

		OVERAL L	VIEW OF DRUG USE		RAISE LARCENY THRESHOLD		YOU / FAM HAD PHYSICAL HARM FROM CRIME?	
		Overall	Crime	Health problem	Favor	Oppose	Yes	No
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	175	497	458	265	188	177
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Very effective	64%	54%	69%	68%	55%	68%	67%
	Fairly effective	28%	30%	25%	28%	30%	24%	26%
	Not too effective	4%	9%	2%	2%	8%	4%	3%
	Not really effective at all	3%	5%	2%	1%	5%	1%	3%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Very effective	59%	45%	65%	62%	51%	63%	57%
	Fairly effective	30%	37%	27%	30%	31%	26%	34%
	Not too effective	4%	4%	3%	3%	6%	3%	2%
	Not really effective at all	6%	13%	4%	4%	10%	5%	7%
	Don't know / Refused	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Doing more to prepare inmates for release from prison by gradually moving them to a lower security level in prison, to work-release programs, to half-way houses and the like	Effective	86%	76%	91%	92%	76%	89%	86%
	Not effective	11%	20%	7%	6%	20%	8%	12%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	5%	3%	2%	4%	3%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Connecting prisoners nearing the end of their sentence with community groups that can offer them services and support after their release	Effective	93%	85%	95%	96%	87%	93%	94%
	Not effective	5%	12%	3%	3%	9%	4%	4%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Requiring all prisoners to serve out their entire sentence with no chance of early release	Effective	41%	64%	31%	32%	55%	29%	36%
	Not effective	55%	30%	65%	65%	39%	63%	61%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	6%	4%	4%	6%	7%	3%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with job training so they can find work after they are released	Effective	91%	84%	94%	96%	85%	92%	93%
	Not effective	7%	15%	4%	3%	13%	5%	5%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
HOW EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING CRIME: Providing prisoners with education so they can earn a degree and find work after they are released	Effective	89%	82%	92%	92%	82%	89%	90%
	Not effective	10%	17%	7%	7%	16%	9%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170

		OVERAL L	GENDER		AGE CATEGORIES				AGE AND GENDER			
		Overall	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+	Men age 18-49	Women age 18-49	Men age 50+	Women age 50+
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	377	377	125	180	219	225	201	177	173	198
As you may know, deaths from heroin and other opiate drugs have risen sharply in recent years. In response to this, should Massachusetts focus more on...	Sending as many drug dealers as possible to prison	28%	32%	24%	20%	23%	31%	33%	29%	20%	34%	28%
	Investing more money in drug treatment programs and facilities	62%	57%	67%	69%	71%	57%	57%	61%	73%	53%	61%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	10%	8%	11%	5%	11%	7%	8%	7%	11%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	3%	1%	%	1%	2%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Strongly favor	35%	33%	36%	25%	37%	35%	39%	32%	35%	35%	37%
	Somewhat favor	25%	25%	26%	28%	28%	22%	25%	29%	26%	20%	26%
	Somewhat oppose	13%	13%	13%	25%	13%	8%	10%	15%	15%	9%	10%
	Strongly oppose	23%	25%	21%	19%	17%	31%	21%	21%	19%	30%	22%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	4%	4%	2%	6%	4%	5%	3%	4%	6%	5%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Favor	60%	58%	62%	54%	64%	57%	64%	61%	61%	55%	63%
	Oppose	36%	38%	34%	44%	30%	39%	31%	36%	35%	39%	32%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	4%	4%	2%	6%	4%	5%	3%	4%	6%	5%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
After release from prison, some people are charged supervision fees or court fees. ... Should they be responsible for paying these fees if they do not earn enough money to afford the payments?	Yes they should	43%	41%	45%	38%	47%	46%	38%	43%	45%	37%	44%
	No they should not	50%	52%	48%	54%	44%	47%	56%	48%	47%	57%	50%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	5%	5%	4%	6%	5%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%	3%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	3%	2%	4%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	35%	38%	32%	30%	38%	29%	39%	36%	29%	41%	33%
	Somewhat favor	27%	28%	27%	28%	28%	34%	20%	27%	30%	28%	24%
	Somewhat oppose	15%	14%	16%	18%	15%	9%	19%	12%	19%	15%	13%
	Strongly oppose	21%	19%	22%	18%	18%	26%	20%	23%	16%	15%	27%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	1%	4%	6%	1%	2%	2%	2%	5%	%	3%
	Total	388	192	196	65	101	111	109	107	92	85	102

		OVERAL	PARTY REGISTRATION			PARTY AND GENDER					RACE	
		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Unenrolled / Other	Democrat men	Democrat women	Republicans	Independent men	Independent women	White / Caucasian	All others
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	268	78	408	116	152	78	217	191	599	114
As you may know, deaths from heroin and other opiate drugs have risen sharply in recent years. In response to this, should Massachusetts focus more on...	Sending as many drug dealers as possible to prison	28%	22%	33%	30%	22%	21%	33%	34%	27%	28%	30%
	Investing more money in drug treatment programs and facilities	62%	71%	59%	57%	67%	74%	59%	54%	61%	62%	63%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	6%	6%	11%	9%	4%	6%	11%	11%	9%	7%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	0%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Strongly favor	35%	41%	37%	30%	36%	45%	37%	29%	32%	34%	37%
	Somewhat favor	25%	30%	20%	24%	29%	31%	20%	25%	22%	27%	20%
	Somewhat oppose	13%	8%	14%	15%	11%	7%	14%	14%	16%	12%	16%
	Strongly oppose	23%	17%	29%	26%	19%	15%	29%	28%	24%	24%	20%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	4%	0%	5%	6%	3%	0%	4%	6%	4%	7%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Favor	60%	71%	57%	54%	64%	76%	57%	54%	53%	60%	57%
	Oppose	36%	25%	43%	41%	30%	21%	43%	42%	40%	36%	36%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	4%	0%	5%	6%	3%	0%	4%	6%	4%	7%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
After release from prison, some people are charged supervision fees or court fees. ... Should they be responsible for paying these fees if they do not earn enough money to afford the payments?	Yes they should	43%	37%	61%	43%	37%	37%	61%	40%	46%	42%	46%
	No they should not	50%	57%	34%	49%	57%	57%	34%	52%	45%	52%	44%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	5%	3%	5%	5%	2%	4%	5%	6%	5%	4%	5%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	0%	3%	4%	2%	0%	2%	4%	2%	5%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	35%	49%	20%	29%	55%	44%	20%	34%	25%	34%	39%
	Somewhat favor	27%	21%	27%	31%	15%	26%	27%	33%	28%	29%	16%
	Somewhat oppose	15%	12%	20%	15%	11%	13%	20%	14%	17%	16%	13%
	Strongly oppose	21%	15%	33%	22%	17%	14%	33%	18%	25%	19%	27%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	0%	3%	2%	3%	0%	1%	5%	2%	6%
	Total	388	128	42	218	56	71	42	111	107	301	74

		OVERALL	EDUCATION LEVEL				INCOME RANGES				INCOME RANGES	
		Overall	High School or less	Some college, no degree	College graduate (BA/BS)	Advanced degree	Less than \$25k	\$25-\$75k	\$75-\$150k	More than \$150k	Less than \$75k	More than \$75k
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	158	189	259	139	89	208	228	131	297	359
As you may know, deaths from heroin and other opiate drugs have risen sharply in recent years. In response to this, should Massachusetts focus more on...	Sending as many drug dealers as possible to prison	28%	36%	28%	24%	18%	26%	28%	28%	24%	28%	27%
	Investing more money in drug treatment programs and facilities	62%	52%	62%	66%	75%	62%	61%	62%	67%	61%	64%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	10%	9%	9%	6%	10%	8%	9%	7%	9%	8%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Strongly favor	35%	28%	33%	36%	44%	33%	29%	42%	39%	30%	41%
	Somewhat favor	25%	25%	22%	29%	26%	32%	26%	22%	28%	28%	24%
	Somewhat oppose	13%	14%	13%	12%	10%	10%	15%	12%	10%	14%	11%
	Strongly oppose	23%	27%	30%	19%	16%	21%	27%	22%	21%	25%	21%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	6%	2%	4%	5%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Favor	60%	53%	55%	65%	69%	65%	55%	63%	67%	58%	65%
	Oppose	36%	41%	43%	31%	26%	31%	42%	34%	30%	38%	33%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	6%	2%	4%	5%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
After release from prison, some people are charged supervision fees or court fees. ... Should they be responsible for paying these fees if they do not earn enough money to afford the payments?	Yes they should	43%	55%	46%	33%	32%	48%	42%	41%	39%	44%	40%
	No they should not	50%	39%	44%	59%	61%	38%	50%	54%	59%	46%	56%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%	7%	5%	4%	1%	6%	3%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	5%	3%	3%	6%	3%	2%	1%	4%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	35%	29%	35%	40%	38%	35%	35%	33%	42%	35%	36%
	Somewhat favor	27%	31%	20%	26%	33%	28%	28%	29%	27%	28%	28%
	Somewhat oppose	15%	11%	16%	19%	12%	18%	11%	17%	10%	14%	14%
	Strongly oppose	21%	27%	25%	13%	16%	16%	24%	19%	19%	21%	19%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	5%	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	Total	388	127	85	104	67	61	106	112	58	167	170

		OVERALL	REGIONS				FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD ?		YOU / FAM VICTIM OF CRIME?		CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM?	
		Overall	Western / Central MA	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs	Yes	No	Yes	No	A lot / some	A little / none
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	190	119	249	196	717	36	368	379	575	160
As you may know, deaths from heroin and other opiate drugs have risen sharply in recent years. In response to this, should Massachusetts focus more on...	Sending as many drug dealers as possible to prison	28%	28%	36%	30%	20%	28%	25%	24%	31%	25%	35%
	Investing more money in drug treatment programs and facilities	62%	63%	52%	57%	74%	62%	66%	63%	61%	64%	57%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	7%	10%	11%	7%	9%	7%	12%	6%	9%	6%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Strongly favor	35%	30%	36%	31%	42%	35%	25%	36%	33%	35%	34%
	Somewhat favor	25%	29%	18%	29%	22%	25%	36%	23%	28%	28%	19%
	Somewhat oppose	13%	12%	14%	14%	12%	13%	9%	11%	14%	12%	13%
	Strongly oppose	23%	24%	26%	24%	20%	23%	27%	27%	19%	20%	31%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	5%	5%	2%	5%	4%	2%	3%	6%	4%	3%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Favor	60%	59%	55%	60%	64%	60%	61%	60%	61%	63%	53%
	Oppose	36%	36%	40%	38%	31%	36%	37%	38%	33%	33%	44%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	5%	5%	2%	5%	4%	2%	3%	6%	4%	3%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
After release from prison, some people are charged supervision fees or court fees. ... Should they be responsible for paying these fees if they do not earn enough money to afford the payments?	Yes they should	43%	42%	56%	43%	35%	42%	48%	43%	43%	43%	44%
	No they should not	50%	49%	37%	50%	58%	50%	40%	50%	50%	49%	51%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	5%	6%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	5%	4%	5%	3%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	8%	3%	3%	3%	2%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	35%	38%	33%	32%	37%	35%	36%	43%	28%	35%	37%
	Somewhat favor	27%	27%	30%	30%	23%	28%	9%	29%	25%	28%	23%
	Somewhat oppose	15%	15%	14%	13%	16%	15%	11%	8%	21%	16%	10%
	Strongly oppose	21%	18%	23%	24%	18%	20%	43%	18%	24%	18%	27%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	0%	2%	6%	3%	0%	1%	3%	3%	3%
	Total	388	108	53	134	92	371	15	183	201	299	79

		OVERAL L	VIEW OF DRUG USE		RAISE LARCENY THRESHOLD		YOU / FAM HAD PHYSICAL HARM FROM CRIME?	
		Overall	Crime	Health problem	Favor	Oppose	Yes	No
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	175	497	458	265	188	177
As you may know, deaths from heroin and other opiate drugs have risen sharply in recent years. In response to this, should Massachusetts focus more on...	Sending as many drug dealers as possible to prison	28%	58%	14%	21%	40%	20%	28%
	Investing more money in drug treatment programs and facilities	62%	34%	77%	72%	47%	66%	59%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	9%	7%	7%	6%	12%	12%	12%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Strongly favor	35%	27%	39%	58%	0%	36%	37%
	Somewhat favor	25%	20%	29%	42%	0%	27%	19%
	Somewhat oppose	13%	15%	11%	0%	35%	10%	12%
	Strongly oppose	23%	34%	16%	0%	65%	24%	30%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	3%	4%	0%	0%	3%	2%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
... Do you favor or oppose a proposal to raise the felony threshold in Massachusetts to \$1,500?	Favor	60%	47%	68%	100%	0%	63%	56%
	Oppose	36%	50%	27%	0%	100%	33%	42%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	3%	4%	0%	0%	3%	2%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
After release from prison, some people are charged supervision fees or court fees. ... Should they be responsible for paying these fees if they do not earn enough money to afford the payments?	Yes they should	43%	59%	36%	37%	53%	45%	41%
	No they should not	50%	35%	56%	56%	40%	45%	54%
	Both / neither / depends (not read)	5%	5%	5%	4%	5%	7%	3%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	3%	3%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	35%	21%	41%	39%	30%	47%	39%
	Somewhat favor	27%	16%	30%	30%	23%	27%	30%
	Somewhat oppose	15%	28%	10%	14%	16%	6%	11%
	Strongly oppose	21%	34%	16%	15%	29%	19%	18%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	0%	4%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	Total	388	94	250	215	149	96	85

		OVERAL	GENDER		AGE CATEGORIES				AGE AND GENDER			
		L										
		Overall	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+	Men age 18-49	Women age 18-49	Men age 50+	Women age 50+
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	377	377	125	180	219	225	201	177	173	198
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Support	62%	66%	59%	58%	66%	63%	59%	63%	60%	69%	57%
	Oppose	35%	33%	38%	35%	33%	35%	39%	35%	35%	31%	40%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	1%	4%	6%	1%	2%	2%	2%	5%	%	3%
	Total	388	192	196	65	101	111	109	107	92	85	102
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	42%	44%	40%	49%	38%	43%	38%	46%	39%	39%	41%
	Somewhat favor	23%	18%	27%	23%	30%	16%	26%	20%	29%	18%	25%
	Somewhat oppose	14%	14%	15%	10%	20%	14%	14%	15%	14%	14%	16%
	Strongly oppose	17%	20%	15%	16%	12%	21%	19%	18%	14%	23%	16%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	4%	3%	3%	1%	6%	2%	2%	4%	6%	2%
Total	366	171	195	67	92	103	98	93	103	73	92	
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Support	65%	62%	67%	71%	68%	60%	64%	66%	68%	57%	66%
	Oppose	32%	34%	30%	25%	31%	34%	34%	33%	27%	36%	32%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	4%	3%	3%	1%	6%	2%	2%	4%	6%	2%
	Total	366	171	195	67	92	103	98	93	103	73	92
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Strongly favor	55%	52%	59%	65%	52%	49%	60%	52%	56%	52%	62%
	Somewhat favor	29%	31%	27%	25%	30%	32%	24%	31%	30%	29%	23%
	Somewhat oppose	6%	6%	6%	7%	7%	7%	4%	6%	7%	7%	4%
	Strongly oppose	8%	10%	6%	3%	9%	9%	9%	9%	5%	10%	7%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	4%
Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194	
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Support	84%	82%	86%	90%	82%	81%	84%	83%	86%	81%	85%
	Oppose	14%	16%	12%	9%	16%	16%	14%	15%	13%	17%	11%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	2%	4%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Strongly favor	28%	35%	23%	15%	34%	31%	29%	34%	22%	35%	23%
	Somewhat favor	24%	28%	19%	27%	19%	25%	24%	26%	18%	32%	20%
	Somewhat oppose	16%	14%	18%	27%	16%	11%	14%	16%	21%	12%	15%
	Strongly oppose	27%	19%	34%	29%	27%	23%	29%	20%	33%	17%	36%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	4%	6%	1%	4%	9%	5%	4%	5%	4%	7%
Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194	

		OVERAL	PARTY REGISTRATION			PARTY AND GENDER					RACE	
		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Unenrolled / Other	Democrat men	Democrat women	Republicans	Independent men	Independent women	White / Caucasian	All others
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	268	78	408	116	152	78	217	191	599	114
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Support	62%	70%	48%	60%	70%	70%	48%	67%	53%	63%	55%
	Oppose	35%	27%	52%	37%	28%	27%	52%	32%	42%	35%	40%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	0%	3%	2%	3%	0%	1%	5%	2%	6%
	Total	388	128	42	218	56	71	42	111	107	301	74
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	42%	44%	25%	44%	48%	42%	25%	42%	45%	42%	44%
	Somewhat favor	23%	24%	20%	23%	13%	32%	20%	23%	23%	21%	32%
	Somewhat oppose	14%	14%	25%	12%	15%	13%	25%	14%	11%	16%	6%
	Strongly oppose	17%	12%	29%	18%	20%	7%	29%	18%	19%	18%	15%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	5%	2%	2%	4%	6%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%
Total	366	130	41	195	55	75	41	99	96	308	51	
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Support	65%	68%	44%	67%	61%	74%	44%	65%	69%	63%	76%
	Oppose	32%	27%	54%	31%	36%	20%	54%	31%	30%	34%	21%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	5%	2%	2%	4%	6%	2%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	Total	366	130	41	195	55	75	41	99	96	308	51
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Strongly favor	55%	64%	50%	51%	64%	65%	50%	47%	55%	55%	57%
	Somewhat favor	29%	26%	33%	29%	27%	26%	33%	33%	26%	29%	26%
	Somewhat oppose	6%	3%	6%	7%	5%	2%	6%	7%	8%	6%	4%
	Strongly oppose	8%	4%	10%	10%	4%	3%	10%	11%	9%	8%	10%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	3%
Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126	
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Support	84%	91%	83%	80%	90%	91%	83%	80%	81%	84%	84%
	Oppose	14%	7%	16%	17%	9%	6%	16%	18%	17%	14%	14%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	1%	2%	3%	2%	3%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Strongly favor	28%	18%	43%	32%	27%	11%	43%	35%	29%	29%	28%
	Somewhat favor	24%	20%	21%	26%	27%	15%	21%	30%	23%	25%	17%
	Somewhat oppose	16%	19%	11%	15%	14%	23%	11%	15%	15%	17%	13%
	Strongly oppose	27%	38%	18%	22%	29%	44%	18%	16%	29%	25%	38%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	5%	8%	4%	3%	7%	8%	5%	4%	5%	5%
Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126	

		OVERAL	EDUCATION LEVEL				INCOME RANGES				INCOME RANGES	
		Overall	High School or less	Some college, no degree	College graduate (BA/BS)	Advanced degree	Less than \$25k	\$25-\$75k	\$75-\$150k	More than \$150k	Less than \$75k	More than \$75k
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	158	189	259	139	89	208	228	131	297	359
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Support	62%	60%	55%	65%	71%	63%	63%	61%	68%	63%	64%
	Oppose	35%	38%	41%	32%	28%	34%	35%	36%	29%	35%	34%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	5%	3%	1%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%
	Total	388	127	85	104	67	61	106	112	58	167	170
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	42%	46%	40%	34%	50%	32%	40%	47%	42%	37%	45%
	Somewhat favor	23%	22%	20%	27%	22%	26%	34%	19%	17%	32%	18%
	Somewhat oppose	14%	11%	15%	18%	13%	17%	9%	17%	21%	11%	19%
	Strongly oppose	17%	18%	24%	14%	14%	23%	14%	14%	17%	17%	15%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	2%	7%	1%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
Total	366	118	84	96	67	45	108	108	62	154	170	
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Support	65%	68%	59%	61%	71%	58%	74%	66%	59%	69%	63%
	Oppose	32%	29%	39%	33%	27%	40%	23%	31%	38%	28%	34%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	2%	7%	1%	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%
	Total	366	118	84	96	67	45	108	108	62	154	170
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Strongly favor	55%	56%	55%	55%	55%	66%	52%	56%	52%	57%	55%
	Somewhat favor	29%	25%	30%	29%	34%	20%	31%	30%	33%	27%	31%
	Somewhat oppose	6%	5%	8%	6%	5%	4%	6%	7%	6%	5%	7%
	Strongly oppose	8%	14%	5%	6%	4%	8%	8%	5%	8%	8%	6%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340	
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Support	84%	80%	85%	84%	89%	87%	83%	86%	85%	84%	86%
	Oppose	14%	18%	13%	13%	9%	12%	14%	12%	14%	13%	13%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Strongly favor	28%	37%	32%	25%	14%	22%	32%	28%	29%	29%	28%
	Somewhat favor	24%	19%	23%	29%	25%	22%	23%	23%	24%	23%	24%
	Somewhat oppose	16%	13%	20%	11%	24%	17%	16%	16%	17%	17%	17%
	Strongly oppose	27%	27%	20%	29%	32%	33%	24%	29%	24%	27%	27%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	4%	5%	6%	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340

		OVERALL	REGIONS				FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD ?		YOU / FAM VICTIM OF CRIME?		CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM?	
		Overall	Western / Central MA	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs	Yes	No	Yes	No	A lot / some	A little / none
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	190	119	249	196	717	36	368	379	575	160
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Support	62%	64%	63%	61%	60%	63%	46%	72%	53%	63%	60%
	Oppose	35%	34%	37%	37%	34%	35%	54%	27%	44%	35%	37%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	0%	2%	6%	3%	0%	1%	3%	3%	3%
	Total	388	108	53	134	92	371	15	183	201	299	79
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	42%	43%	28%	42%	49%	42%	46%	46%	37%	37%	54%
	Somewhat favor	23%	18%	34%	24%	20%	23%	32%	18%	28%	26%	18%
	Somewhat oppose	14%	12%	16%	17%	13%	15%	8%	15%	14%	16%	7%
	Strongly oppose	17%	26%	20%	14%	13%	18%	11%	18%	17%	17%	18%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	1%	3%	4%	5%	3%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%
Total	366	84	60	119	103	342	24	176	187	269	86	
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Support	65%	61%	62%	66%	69%	64%	77%	65%	65%	63%	72%
	Oppose	32%	38%	36%	30%	26%	33%	19%	32%	31%	33%	25%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	1%	3%	4%	5%	3%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	Total	366	84	60	119	103	342	24	176	187	269	86
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Strongly favor	55%	52%	57%	53%	60%	55%	60%	57%	53%	55%	59%
	Somewhat favor	29%	27%	27%	31%	29%	29%	26%	28%	30%	30%	23%
	Somewhat oppose	6%	8%	6%	6%	4%	6%	0%	7%	5%	6%	6%
	Strongly oppose	8%	9%	11%	9%	4%	8%	15%	6%	9%	7%	11%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	4%	1%	2%	2%	2%	0%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165	
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Support	84%	79%	83%	84%	90%	84%	85%	85%	83%	85%	82%
	Oppose	14%	17%	16%	14%	8%	14%	15%	13%	15%	13%	17%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	4%	1%	2%	2%	2%	0%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Strongly favor	28%	30%	37%	29%	21%	29%	25%	30%	28%	28%	32%
	Somewhat favor	24%	23%	19%	28%	22%	23%	30%	23%	25%	27%	13%
	Somewhat oppose	16%	15%	15%	18%	15%	16%	13%	15%	17%	17%	12%
	Strongly oppose	27%	27%	25%	20%	37%	27%	21%	27%	26%	24%	38%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	5%	4%	6%	5%	5%	10%	6%	4%	4%	5%
Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165	

		OVERAL L	VIEW OF DRUG USE		RAISE LARCENY THRESHOLD		YOU / FAM HAD PHYSICAL HARM FROM CRIME?	
		Overall	Crime	Health problem	Favor	Oppose	Yes	No
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	175	497	458	265	188	177
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 5 years to 3 years. Would you support or oppose this legislation?	Support	62%	37%	71%	69%	53%	75%	69%
	Oppose	35%	63%	25%	29%	45%	25%	29%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	0%	4%	2%	2%	1%	2%
	Total	388	94	250	215	149	96	85
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Strongly favor	42%	28%	49%	44%	35%	50%	43%
	Somewhat favor	23%	12%	27%	26%	18%	22%	14%
	Somewhat oppose	14%	14%	13%	12%	20%	10%	19%
	Strongly oppose	17%	41%	9%	15%	24%	14%	22%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	5%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%
Total	366	84	246	237	120	90	85	
... One proposal would reduce the waiting period before they can seal their records from 10 years to 7 years . Would you favor or oppose this legislation?	Support	65%	40%	76%	70%	53%	72%	56%
	Oppose	32%	55%	22%	27%	44%	24%	41%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	5%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%
	Total	366	84	246	237	120	90	85
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Strongly favor	55%	46%	60%	59%	50%	58%	55%
	Somewhat favor	29%	25%	28%	29%	29%	27%	30%
	Somewhat oppose	6%	10%	4%	6%	6%	6%	7%
	Strongly oppose	8%	15%	5%	4%	14%	7%	5%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170	
Would you favor or oppose providing judges with the ability to grant supervised medical release to a prisoner who is terminally ill or incapacitated, so that they can be moved to a hospital, nursing home, or hospice?	Support	84%	72%	89%	88%	79%	85%	85%
	Oppose	14%	26%	9%	10%	19%	13%	13%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Strongly favor	28%	49%	22%	22%	40%	28%	32%
	Somewhat favor	24%	21%	23%	25%	23%	22%	24%
	Somewhat oppose	16%	11%	17%	18%	12%	11%	18%
	Strongly oppose	27%	17%	33%	31%	20%	32%	22%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	2%	5%	4%	5%	6%	4%
Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170	

		OVERAL	GENDER		AGE CATEGORIES				AGE AND GENDER			
		Overall	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+	Men age 18-49	Women age 18-49	Men age 50+	Women age 50+
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	377	377	125	180	219	225	201	177	173	198
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Support	52%	63%	42%	42%	53%	57%	53%	60%	41%	67%	42%
	Oppose	43%	33%	52%	57%	43%	35%	43%	36%	55%	28%	51%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	4%	6%	1%	4%	9%	5%	4%	5%	4%	7%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
In Massachusetts, when most inmates get out of prison, do you think they are...	LESS likely to commit new crime because theyve learned their lesson or been rehabilitated	27%	28%	26%	31%	23%	28%	25%	32%	24%	22%	26%
	MORE likely to commit new crime because theyve been hardened by their experience	53%	54%	52%	51%	54%	51%	56%	51%	52%	59%	53%
	Don't know / Refused	20%	18%	22%	18%	22%	21%	19%	17%	24%	20%	20%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
Have you or a member of your immediate family ever been a victim of a crime?	Yes	48%	53%	42%	43%	49%	61%	36%	55%	42%	53%	42%
	No	51%	46%	56%	55%	51%	38%	63%	45%	55%	46%	58%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	%	2%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	3%	1%	1%
	Total	754	363	391	132	193	214	207	200	195	157	194
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Physical harm or stress	Yes	52%	51%	53%	41%	58%	53%	50%	56%	46%	44%	59%
	No	47%	48%	47%	58%	42%	45%	50%	44%	53%	53%	41%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%	1%	3%	0%
	Total	359	194	165	57	94	130	76	109	83	83	81
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Emotional harm or stress	Yes	82%	78%	87%	80%	83%	81%	86%	79%	83%	77%	91%
	No	17%	21%	13%	20%	17%	18%	14%	21%	17%	20%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%
	Total	359	194	165	57	94	130	76	109	83	83	81
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Financial harm or stress	Yes	69%	68%	70%	73%	70%	63%	73%	70%	70%	65%	69%
	No	30%	31%	30%	27%	29%	35%	27%	30%	29%	33%	31%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	%	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	3%	0%
	Total	359	194	165	57	94	130	76	109	83	83	81
Was the crime reported to the police?	Yes	90%	88%	92%	88%	95%	86%	92%	89%	92%	88%	92%
	No	10%	11%	8%	12%	5%	13%	8%	11%	8%	11%	8%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Total	359	194	165	57	94	130	76	109	83	83	81

		OVERAL	PARTY REGISTRATION			PARTY AND GENDER					RACE	
		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Unenrolled / Other	Democrat men	Democrat women	Republicans	Independent men	Independent women	White / Caucasian	All others
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	268	78	408	116	152	78	217	191	599	114
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Support	52%	38%	64%	58%	54%	26%	64%	65%	52%	54%	44%
	Oppose	43%	57%	28%	37%	43%	67%	28%	30%	44%	41%	51%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	5%	8%	4%	3%	7%	8%	5%	4%	5%	5%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
In Massachusetts, when most inmates get out of prison, do you think they are...	LESS likely to commit new crime because theyve learned their lesson or been rehabilitated	27%	25%	32%	26%	26%	25%	32%	28%	25%	27%	27%
	MORE likely to commit new crime because theyve been hardened by their experience	53%	53%	56%	53%	53%	53%	56%	55%	50%	53%	53%
	Don't know / Refused	20%	22%	11%	21%	21%	22%	11%	17%	25%	20%	20%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
Have you or a member of your immediate family ever been a victim of a crime?	Yes	48%	41%	45%	52%	42%	40%	45%	60%	45%	49%	42%
	No	51%	57%	55%	47%	56%	58%	55%	40%	54%	51%	56%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	2%	0%	1%	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	1%	2%
	Total	754	258	83	413	111	146	83	210	203	609	126
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Physical harm or stress	Yes	52%	61%	49%	48%	59%	63%	49%	50%	45%	48%	71%
	No	47%	38%	47%	52%	39%	37%	47%	50%	55%	51%	29%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	4%	%	2%	0%	4%	0%	1%	1%	0%
	Total	359	106	37	216	47	59	37	125	91	297	53
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Emotional harm or stress	Yes	82%	82%	80%	83%	78%	85%	80%	78%	89%	82%	84%
	No	17%	17%	16%	17%	20%	15%	16%	22%	11%	17%	16%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	4%	0%	2%	0%	4%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Total	359	106	37	216	47	59	37	125	91	297	53
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Financial harm or stress	Yes	69%	80%	64%	64%	77%	82%	64%	66%	62%	68%	76%
	No	30%	19%	32%	36%	21%	17%	32%	34%	38%	32%	24%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	4%	0%	2%	1%	4%	0%	0%	1%	0%
	Total	359	106	37	216	47	59	37	125	91	297	53
Was the crime reported to the police?	Yes	90%	93%	91%	89%	91%	94%	91%	88%	90%	90%	94%
	No	10%	6%	9%	11%	7%	6%	9%	12%	10%	10%	5%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	1%	0%	0%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
	Total	359	106	37	216	47	59	37	125	91	297	53

		OVERALL	EDUCATION LEVEL				INCOME RANGES				INCOME RANGES	
		Overall	High School or less	Some college, no degree	College graduate (BA/BS)	Advanced degree	Less than \$25k	\$25-\$75k	\$75-\$150k	More than \$150k	Less than \$75k	More than \$75k
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	158	189	259	139	89	208	228	131	297	359
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Support	52%	56%	55%	54%	39%	44%	55%	51%	53%	51%	52%
	Oppose	43%	40%	39%	40%	56%	51%	41%	45%	42%	44%	44%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	4%	5%	6%	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
In Massachusetts, when most inmates get out of prison, do you think they are...	LESS likely to commit new crime because theyve learned their lesson or been rehabilitated	27%	33%	24%	26%	19%	31%	30%	21%	28%	30%	24%
	MORE likely to commit new crime because theyve been hardened by their experience	53%	49%	56%	53%	58%	45%	51%	60%	56%	49%	58%
	Don't know / Refused	20%	17%	21%	21%	23%	25%	19%	19%	17%	21%	18%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
Have you or a member of your immediate family ever been a victim of a crime?	Yes	48%	41%	50%	54%	47%	44%	46%	52%	52%	46%	52%
	No	51%	58%	48%	46%	53%	54%	54%	47%	48%	54%	47%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	2%	%	0%	2%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%
	Total	754	245	169	200	134	106	215	220	121	321	340
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Physical harm or stress	Yes	52%	57%	50%	48%	51%	63%	59%	46%	42%	60%	44%
	No	47%	42%	49%	52%	47%	37%	39%	54%	57%	38%	55%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	1%	2%	%
	Total	359	101	84	108	64	47	99	114	63	146	177
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Emotional harm or stress	Yes	82%	80%	86%	82%	81%	89%	86%	81%	73%	87%	78%
	No	17%	18%	14%	18%	17%	11%	13%	19%	25%	12%	21%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	%
	Total	359	101	84	108	64	47	99	114	63	146	177
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Financial harm or stress	Yes	69%	71%	75%	67%	59%	75%	73%	66%	65%	73%	65%
	No	30%	27%	25%	33%	40%	25%	26%	34%	34%	26%	34%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	%
	Total	359	101	84	108	64	47	99	114	63	146	177
Was the crime reported to the police?	Yes	90%	92%	88%	91%	88%	93%	87%	89%	94%	89%	91%
	No	10%	8%	12%	9%	11%	7%	13%	10%	6%	11%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	%
	Total	359	101	84	108	64	47	99	114	63	146	177

		OVERALL	REGIONS				FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD ?		YOU / FAM VICTIM OF CRIME?		CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM?	
		Overall	Western / Central MA	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs	Yes	No	Yes	No	A lot / some	A little / none
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	190	119	249	196	717	36	368	379	575	160
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Support	52%	53%	56%	57%	43%	52%	55%	52%	53%	55%	45%
	Oppose	43%	42%	40%	37%	52%	43%	34%	42%	44%	41%	50%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	5%	4%	6%	5%	5%	10%	6%	4%	4%	5%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
In Massachusetts, when most inmates get out of prison, do you think they are...	LESS likely to commit new crime because theyve learned their lesson or been rehabilitated	27%	31%	29%	28%	20%	27%	18%	22%	31%	30%	18%
	MORE likely to commit new crime because theyve been hardened by their experience	53%	48%	55%	55%	55%	53%	65%	53%	54%	50%	65%
	Don't know / Refused	20%	22%	16%	17%	25%	20%	17%	25%	15%	20%	17%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
Have you or a member of your immediate family ever been a victim of a crime?	Yes	48%	49%	49%	49%	44%	47%	68%	100%	0%	46%	56%
	No	51%	50%	50%	50%	56%	52%	32%	0%	100%	53%	43%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	Total	754	192	114	254	195	713	39	359	388	568	165
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Physical harm or stress	Yes	52%	54%	53%	47%	56%	50%	69%	52%	0%	49%	59%
	No	47%	45%	45%	52%	44%	49%	31%	47%	0%	51%	38%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	2%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	3%
	Total	359	95	56	124	85	333	27	359	0	261	92
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Emotional harm or stress	Yes	82%	88%	86%	83%	73%	83%	72%	82%	0%	81%	87%
	No	17%	10%	14%	17%	27%	16%	28%	17%	0%	19%	11%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	3%
	Total	359	95	56	124	85	333	27	359	0	261	92
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Financial harm or stress	Yes	69%	72%	74%	64%	69%	68%	76%	69%	0%	68%	71%
	No	30%	26%	26%	35%	31%	31%	24%	30%	0%	32%	26%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	2%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	3%
	Total	359	95	56	124	85	333	27	359	0	261	92
Was the crime reported to the police?	Yes	90%	94%	86%	90%	90%	90%	87%	90%	0%	89%	92%
	No	10%	6%	14%	10%	9%	9%	13%	10%	0%	11%	7%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	0%	0%	0%	1%	%	0%	%	0%	0%	1%
	Total	359	95	56	124	85	333	27	359	0	261	92

		OVERAL L	VIEW OF DRUG USE		RAISE LARCENY THRESHOLD		YOU / FAM HAD PHYSICAL HARM FROM CRIME?	
		Overall	Crime	Health problem	Favor	Oppose	Yes	No
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	175	497	458	265	188	177
... Do you favor or oppose the use of solitary confinement in Massachusetts prisons?	Support	52%	69%	44%	47%	63%	50%	56%
	Oppose	43%	29%	50%	49%	32%	44%	40%
	Don't Know / Refused	5%	2%	5%	4%	5%	6%	4%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
In Massachusetts, when most inmates get out of prison, do you think they are...	LESS likely to commit new crime because theyve learned their lesson or been rehabilitated	27%	35%	25%	24%	30%	21%	24%
	MORE likely to commit new crime because theyve been hardened by their experience	53%	52%	55%	58%	49%	54%	53%
	Don't know / Refused	20%	14%	20%	18%	21%	26%	23%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
Have you or a member of your immediate family ever been a victim of a crime?	Yes	48%	44%	49%	47%	50%	100%	100%
	No	51%	56%	50%	52%	48%	0%	0%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	1%	%	2%	0%	0%
	Total	754	178	496	452	270	186	170
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Physical harm or stress	Yes	52%	41%	56%	55%	46%	100%	0%
	No	47%	58%	43%	44%	53%	0%	100%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	1%	1%	%	2%	0%	0%
	Total	359	78	244	214	136	186	170
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Emotional harm or stress	Yes	82%	82%	84%	82%	82%	95%	70%
	No	17%	18%	15%	18%	16%	5%	30%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	0%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%
	Total	359	78	244	214	136	186	170
YOU / FAMILY EXPERIENCE: Financial harm or stress	Yes	69%	71%	69%	71%	65%	68%	71%
	No	30%	29%	30%	28%	33%	32%	29%
	Don't Know / Refused	1%	0%	1%	%	2%	%	0%
	Total	359	78	244	214	136	186	170
Was the crime reported to the police?	Yes	90%	93%	89%	89%	93%	92%	88%
	No	10%	7%	11%	11%	7%	8%	11%
	Don't Know / Refused	%	0%	%	0%	0%	0%	%
	Total	359	78	244	214	136	186	170

		OVERAL	GENDER		AGE CATEGORIES				AGE AND GENDER			
		Overall	Male	Female	18 to 29	30 to 44	45 to 59	60+	Men age 18-49	Women age 18-49	Men age 50+	Women age 50+
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	377	377	125	180	219	225	201	177	173	198
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the response from law enforcement when the crime was reported to police?	Satisfied	67%	66%	69%	66%	65%	73%	66%	67%	67%	65%	73%
	Dissatisfied	26%	26%	25%	24%	26%	22%	30%	26%	25%	26%	24%
	Don't Know / Refused	7%	8%	6%	10%	9%	5%	4%	8%	8%	8%	3%
	Total	324	172	152	50	89	112	70	97	76	73	75
Was the person who committed the crime found by law enforcement?	Yes	53%	50%	56%	54%	61%	45%	56%	53%	57%	46%	57%
	No	43%	46%	40%	42%	35%	50%	42%	42%	39%	51%	40%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	4%	2%	5%	4%	3%	3%
	Total	324	172	152	50	89	112	70	97	76	73	75
Was the person who committed the crime punished in any way such as prison, probation, or community service?	Yes	70%	68%	72%	52%	86%	71%	58%	72%	77%	60%	67%
	No	21%	21%	20%	33%	8%	17%	35%	18%	11%	27%	28%
	Don't Know / Refused	10%	11%	8%	15%	6%	12%	8%	10%	12%	13%	5%
	Total	173	87	86	27	54	51	39	51	43	34	43
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the sentence or punishment?	Satisfied	66%	68%	65%	81%	57%	73%	69%	59%	64%	89%	65%
	Dissatisfied	29%	27%	31%	19%	35%	24%	27%	34%	33%	11%	29%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	4%	4%	0%	7%	3%	3%	7%	3%	0%	6%
	Total	121	59	62	14	47	36	23	37	33	20	29
Did the criminal justice system provide assistance to help you or your family member recover from the crime?	Yes	19%	18%	21%	30%	23%	18%	10%	24%	23%	11%	19%
	No	78%	79%	76%	64%	74%	79%	88%	71%	74%	89%	78%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	3%	3%	6%	3%	3%	2%	6%	3%	0%	3%
	Total	359	194	165	57	94	130	76	109	83	83	81
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied the help provided to recover from the crime?	Satisfied	88%	88%	87%	95%	78%	88%	100%	87%	84%	92%	91%
	Dissatisfied	10%	9%	10%	0%	22%	9%	0%	13%	12%	0%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	2%	2%	5%	0%	3%	0%	0%	4%	8%	0%
	Total	70	35	34	17	21	23	8	26	19	9	15

		OVERAL	PARTY REGISTRATION			PARTY AND GENDER					RACE	
		Overall	Democrat	Republican	Unenrolled / Other	Democrat men	Democrat women	Republicans	Independent men	Independent women	White / Caucasian	All others
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	268	78	408	116	152	78	217	191	599	114
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the response from law enforcement when the crime was reported to police?	Satisfied	67%	65%	67%	68%	57%	72%	67%	68%	68%	68%	61%
	Dissatisfied	26%	31%	21%	24%	36%	27%	21%	24%	24%	24%	37%
	Don't Know / Refused	7%	3%	12%	8%	6%	1%	12%	8%	8%	8%	2%
	Total	324	99	34	191	43	55	34	110	81	266	50
Was the person who committed the crime found by law enforcement?	Yes	53%	57%	44%	53%	46%	66%	44%	56%	49%	53%	62%
	No	43%	39%	49%	44%	51%	30%	49%	40%	49%	44%	36%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	4%	7%	3%	3%	4%	7%	4%	2%	3%	2%
	Total	324	99	34	191	43	55	34	110	81	266	50
Was the person who committed the crime punished in any way such as prison, probation, or community service?	Yes	70%	73%	63%	69%	76%	71%	63%	66%	75%	68%	76%
	No	21%	15%	31%	22%	13%	16%	31%	24%	19%	22%	14%
	Don't Know / Refused	10%	12%	6%	9%	11%	13%	6%	10%	6%	10%	10%
	Total	173	56	15	102	20	36	15	62	40	140	31
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the sentence or punishment?	Satisfied	66%	77%	60%	61%	75%	79%	60%	65%	55%	65%	69%
	Dissatisfied	29%	18%	40%	34%	18%	18%	40%	31%	39%	31%	23%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	4%	0%	5%	7%	3%	0%	4%	6%	4%	8%
	Total	121	41	9	70	15	26	9	40	30	96	24
Did the criminal justice system provide assistance to help you or your family member recover from the crime?	Yes	19%	15%	28%	20%	14%	15%	28%	19%	22%	16%	36%
	No	78%	84%	70%	76%	83%	84%	70%	78%	74%	80%	62%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%	1%	2%	3%	4%	3%	2%
	Total	359	106	37	216	47	59	37	125	91	297	53
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied the help provided to recover from the crime?	Satisfied	88%	94%	84%	87%	100%	89%	84%	90%	83%	85%	100%
	Dissatisfied	10%	6%	16%	10%	0%	11%	16%	7%	13%	12%	0%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	0%	0%	4%	0%	0%	0%	3%	4%	3%	0%
	Total	70	15	11	44	7	9	11	24	20	48	19

		OVERALL	EDUCATION LEVEL				INCOME RANGES				INCOME RANGES	
		Overall	High School or less	Some college, no degree	College graduate (BA/BS)	Advanced degree	Less than \$25k	\$25-\$75k	\$75-\$150k	More than \$150k	Less than \$75k	More than \$75k
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	158	189	259	139	89	208	228	131	297	359
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the response from law enforcement when the crime was reported to police?	Satisfied	67%	73%	64%	65%	70%	55%	67%	69%	75%	63%	71%
	Dissatisfied	26%	19%	32%	28%	23%	41%	21%	29%	17%	28%	24%
	Don't Know / Refused	7%	9%	5%	7%	7%	4%	13%	2%	8%	10%	4%
	Total	324	92	74	98	56	44	86	101	59	130	161
Was the person who committed the crime found by law enforcement?	Yes	53%	69%	51%	44%	44%	62%	63%	48%	46%	63%	47%
	No	43%	27%	46%	54%	49%	38%	30%	51%	52%	32%	51%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	3%	3%	2%	6%	0%	8%	1%	2%	5%	2%
	Total	324	92	74	98	56	44	86	101	59	130	161
Was the person who committed the crime punished in any way such as prison, probation, or community service?	Yes	70%	68%	76%	68%	72%	83%	66%	68%	78%	71%	72%
	No	21%	25%	19%	20%	15%	17%	25%	15%	16%	22%	15%
	Don't Know / Refused	10%	7%	5%	13%	13%	0%	10%	17%	6%	6%	13%
	Total	173	64	38	43	25	27	54	49	27	81	76
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the sentence or punishment?	Satisfied	66%	55%	72%	71%	80%	56%	68%	74%	60%	63%	68%
	Dissatisfied	29%	42%	25%	22%	20%	40%	25%	23%	40%	31%	30%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	3%	3%	7%	0%	4%	7%	3%	0%	6%	2%
	Total	121	44	29	30	18	23	36	33	21	58	55
Did the criminal justice system provide assistance to help you or your family member recover from the crime?	Yes	19%	27%	21%	16%	9%	24%	20%	19%	14%	21%	17%
	No	78%	71%	78%	78%	87%	74%	79%	78%	80%	77%	79%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	2%	1%	6%	3%	2%	1%	3%	6%	1%	4%
	Total	359	101	84	108	64	47	99	114	63	146	177
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied the help provided to recover from the crime?	Satisfied	88%	92%	80%	87%	100%	68%	92%	96%	83%	84%	92%
	Dissatisfied	10%	8%	11%	13%	0%	32%	0%	4%	17%	11%	8%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	0%	9%	0%	0%	0%	8%	0%	0%	5%	0%
	Total	70	27	17	17	6	11	20	22	9	31	31

		OVERALL	REGIONS				FEEL SAFE IN NEIGHBORHOOD ?		YOU / FAM VICTIM OF CRIME?		CONFIDENCE IN SYSTEM?	
		Overall	Western / Central MA	Southeast MA	Outer Boston Suburbs	Boston / Inner Suburbs	Yes	No	Yes	No	A lot / some	A little / none
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	190	119	249	196	717	36	368	379	575	160
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the response from law enforcement when the crime was reported to police?	Satisfied	67%	68%	59%	71%	67%	68%	54%	67%	0%	75%	49%
	Dissatisfied	26%	26%	30%	23%	27%	24%	46%	26%	0%	19%	41%
	Don't Know / Refused	7%	6%	11%	6%	6%	7%	0%	7%	0%	6%	10%
	Total	324	89	48	111	76	301	23	324	0	233	85
Was the person who committed the crime found by law enforcement?	Yes	53%	57%	51%	53%	51%	53%	54%	53%	0%	55%	49%
	No	43%	39%	46%	45%	43%	43%	42%	43%	0%	43%	45%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	4%	3%	2%	6%	4%	4%	4%	0%	2%	6%
	Total	324	89	48	111	76	301	23	324	0	233	85
Was the person who committed the crime punished in any way such as prison, probation, or community service?	Yes	70%	75%	62%	73%	64%	69%	81%	70%	0%	72%	65%
	No	21%	19%	28%	21%	17%	21%	12%	21%	0%	20%	24%
	Don't Know / Refused	10%	6%	10%	6%	19%	10%	7%	10%	0%	8%	11%
	Total	173	50	25	59	39	160	12	173	0	128	42
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the sentence or punishment?	Satisfied	66%	58%	79%	58%	84%	66%	66%	66%	0%	71%	51%
	Dissatisfied	29%	36%	11%	39%	13%	29%	34%	29%	0%	25%	44%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	5%	10%	2%	3%	5%	0%	4%	0%	4%	5%
	Total	121	38	15	43	25	110	10	121	0	92	27
Did the criminal justice system provide assistance to help you or your family member recover from the crime?	Yes	19%	22%	19%	14%	24%	19%	25%	19%	0%	22%	13%
	No	78%	74%	81%	82%	72%	78%	75%	78%	0%	74%	87%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	4%	0%	4%	4%	3%	0%	3%	0%	4%	0%
	Total	359	95	56	124	85	333	27	359	0	261	92
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied the help provided to recover from the crime?	Satisfied	88%	96%	80%	76%	94%	87%	100%	88%	0%	89%	82%
	Dissatisfied	10%	4%	12%	20%	6%	11%	0%	10%	0%	10%	11%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	0%	8%	4%	0%	3%	0%	2%	0%	1%	7%
	Total	70	21	10	18	21	63	7	70	0	57	12

		OVERAL	VIEW OF DRUG USE		RAISE LARCENY THRESHOLD		YOU / FAM HAD PHYSICAL HARM FROM CRIME?	
				Health problem				
		Overall	Crime		Favor	Oppose	Yes	No
UNWEIGHTED COUNT	Unweighted count	754	175	497	458	265	188	177
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the response from law enforcement when the crime was reported to police?	Satisfied	67%	68%	66%	68%	66%	71%	65%
	Dissatisfied	26%	28%	27%	25%	28%	25%	28%
	Don't Know / Refused	7%	4%	7%	7%	6%	5%	7%
	Total	324	72	217	189	126	171	150
Was the person who committed the crime found by law enforcement?	Yes	53%	52%	55%	51%	57%	68%	38%
	No	43%	45%	42%	46%	39%	29%	59%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%
	Total	324	72	217	189	126	171	150
Was the person who committed the crime punished in any way such as prison, probation, or community service?	Yes	70%	75%	68%	68%	72%	72%	65%
	No	21%	17%	22%	22%	20%	22%	17%
	Don't Know / Refused	10%	8%	9%	11%	8%	6%	18%
	Total	173	38	120	97	71	115	57
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied with the sentence or punishment?	Satisfied	66%	65%	70%	77%	54%	67%	64%
	Dissatisfied	29%	35%	25%	17%	43%	29%	31%
	Don't Know / Refused	4%	0%	5%	6%	3%	4%	5%
	Total	121	28	82	65	52	83	37
Did the criminal justice system provide assistance to help you or your family member recover from the crime?	Yes	19%	16%	18%	19%	20%	23%	15%
	No	78%	83%	78%	77%	78%	73%	82%
	Don't Know / Refused	3%	1%	4%	4%	1%	4%	3%
	Total	359	78	244	214	136	186	170
Were you satisfied or dissatisfied the help provided to recover from the crime?	Satisfied	88%	87%	87%	86%	90%	88%	91%
	Dissatisfied	10%	0%	13%	12%	7%	10%	9%
	Don't Know / Refused	2%	13%	0%	2%	3%	2%	0%
	Total	70	12	44	41	28	43	26