

COVID 19 SOCIAL IMPACTS: PRELIMINARY FINDINGS ON VACCINES AND BORDERS

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DESCRIPTIVE RESULTS WAVE 1 (N=7543)



Canada

n = 2759 (36.6%)



United States

n = 3277 (43.4%)



Mexico

n = 1507 (20.0%)

n = 500 participants yet to be recruited

INTRODUCTION TO THE PROJECT

- Dr. Lori Wilkinson (Sociology and Criminology)
- Dr. Kiera Ladner (Political Science)
- Dr. Jack Jedwab (Association for Canadian Studies)

Mixed methods:

Phase 1- Over 12 months between 6 and 8 Surveys (each with approximately N=7 500)

Phase 2 – Qualitative interviews with 150-500 “hard to access” groups varying across the 3 countries (e.g. First Nations on reserve, refugees)

Sample sizes by group in Canada, the United States and Mexico

Sample Size	Canada	United States	Mexico
White	1026	1382	197
Hispanic/Latin American	143	445	1218
Black (African American)	301	448	
Asian or Asian American/Chinese	227	595	
Indigenous/Aboriginal/ First Nations	615	287	
South Asian	152		
Other	295	120	92
Total	2759	3277	1507

Mexicans were most likely to report a willingness to take the COVID-19 vaccine when it became available with Americans saying they were the least likely to do so

When it becomes available to the population, do you intend to get vaccinated against COVID-19/Coronavirus?

	Total	Men	Women
Canada	53.2%	58.4%	49.4%
United States	44.1%	54.3%	35.5%
Mexico	72.1%	75.9%	68.4%

In all three countries the oldest cohorts expressed a greater willingness to take the vaccine

When it becomes available to the population, do you intend to get vaccinated against COVID-19/Coronavirus?

	Between 18 and 24	Between 25 and 34	Between 35 and 44	Between 45 and 54	Between 55 and 64	Between 65 and 74
Canada	53.2%	46.7%	46.4%	47.7%	58.7%	68.3%
United States	42.4%	49.1%	38.9%	38.7%	40.9%	50.4%
Mexico	68.1%	74.2%	75.4%	66.5%	73.0%	83.3%

Those least afraid of getting COVID-19 were the least likely to show a willingness to get vaccinated in all three countries

When it becomes available to the population, do you intend to get vaccinated against COVID-19/Coronavirus?

	Catching COVID-19/Coronavirus yourself – In regard to COVID-19/Coronavirus, are you afraid of...?			
	Very afraid	Somewhat afraid	Not very afraid	Not afraid at all
Canada	62.2%	58.2%	47.2%	25.6%
United States	55.6%	46.8%	37.4%	22.1%
Mexico	82.9%	72.2%	56.3%	50.4%



Those least likely to know someone were the least likely to say they would get vaccinated in all three countries

When it becomes available to the population, do you intend to get vaccinated against COVID-19/Coronavirus?

	Someone in your close family or friends catching COVID-19/Coronavirus - In regard to COVID-19/Coronavirus, are you afraid of...?			
	Very afraid	Somewhat afraid	Not very afraid	Not afraid at all
Canada	62.5%	54.7%	40.0%	32.4%
United States	55.1%	45.1%	35.5%	21.6%
Mexico	80.2%	68.4%	57.2%	42.9%

When it becomes available to the population, do you intend to get vaccinated against COVID-19/Coronavirus?

	Travel to work Do you currently feel safe or not engaging in the following activities?	
	YES	NO
Canada	52.1%	54.6%
United States	43.8%	46.5%
Mexico	71.2%	73.3%

Concerns over travel to work had little bearing on whether people intended to get vaccinated in all three countries

Mexicans and Canadians both feel it is unsafe to cross into neighboring border as do Americans but to a lesser degree

Unsafe Crossing the boarder into the neighboring country

	Canada	United States	Mexico
White	88	70	73
Hispanic/Latin American	79	64	89
Black (African American)	82	73	
Asian or Asian American/Chinese	91	78	
Indigenous/Aboriginal/ First Nations	83	67	
South Asian	82		
Total	85	71	86



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