

1. Heard about Ebola outbreak

How much, if anything, have you heard about the recent outbreak of the Ebola virus in western Africa?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| I have heard a lot | 73% | 76% | 70% | 60% | 66% | 79% | 89% | 73% | 69% | 80% |
| I have heard a little | 23% | 20% | 26% | 34% | 29% | 18% | 11% | 22% | 27% | 19% |
| I have heard nothing at all | 1% | 1% | 1% | 4% | 0% | 0% | — | 1% | 1% | 1% |
| Don't know | 2% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 4% | 2% | — | 3% | 3% | 0% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (997) | 100% (475) | 100% (522) | 100% (168) | 100% (294) | 100% (373) | 100% (162) | 100% (347) | 100% (398) | 100% (252) |

| | Race | | | Family Income | | | Region | | | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| I have heard a lot | 73% | 77% | 68% | 60% | 67% | 75% | 87% | 79% | 73% | 73% | 69% |
| I have heard a little | 23% | 21% | 24% | 33% | 29% | 23% | 10% | 17% | 24% | 24% | 27% |
| I have heard nothing at all | 1% | 1% | 3% | 2% | 2% | 1% | 0% | 3% | 2% | 0% | 1% |
| Don't know | 2% | 1% | 5% | 6% | 3% | 1% | 2% | 1% | 2% | 2% | 3% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (997) | 100% (747) | 100% (116) | 100% (134) | 100% (345) | 100% (324) | 100% (192) | 100% (188) | 100% (217) | 100% (377) | 100% (215) |

2. Ebola likely to spread to US

How likely do you think it is that the Ebola outbreak in western Africa could spread to the United States?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Very likely | 26% | 26% | 26% | 16% | 33% | 27% | 24% | 23% | 28% | 26% |
| Fairly likely | 27% | 25% | 29% | 34% | 22% | 26% | 30% | 21% | 26% | 39% |
| Not very likely | 34% | 35% | 33% | 38% | 31% | 36% | 31% | 39% | 33% | 28% |
| Not likely at all | 8% | 11% | 5% | 9% | 7% | 8% | 9% | 12% | 7% | 4% |
| Don't know | 5% | 2% | 7% | 3% | 7% | 3% | 6% | 5% | 6% | 4% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (475) | 100% (521) | 100% (168) | 100% (295) | 100% (370) | 100% (163) | 100% (347) | 100% (397) | 100% (252) |

| | Race | | | Family Income | | | Region | | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Very likely | 26% | 28% | 21% | 18% | 25% | 23% | 29% | 34% | 29% | 21% | 23% |
| Fairly likely | 27% | 27% | 34% | 23% | 27% | 29% | 23% | 19% | 25% | 32% | 28% |
| Not very likely | 34% | 33% | 32% | 40% | 35% | 33% | 35% | 33% | 34% | 34% | 35% |
| Not likely at all | 8% | 9% | 2% | 7% | 7% | 8% | 13% | 11% | 7% | 7% | 9% |
| Don't know | 5% | 2% | 10% | 12% | 5% | 6% | 1% | 3% | 5% | 6% | 4% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (746) | 100% (117) | 100% (133) | 100% (344) | 100% (324) | 100% (192) | 100% (187) | 100% (217) | 100% (376) | 100% (216) |

3. Ebola exaggerated or not

Generally speaking, when outbreaks of disease are reported around the world (e.g. Ebola, SARS, bird flu, etc.), which of the following comes closer to your view...?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID | | |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Stories like these are usually exaggerated and most can be ignored | 24% | 27% | 21% | 32% | 25% | 21% | 18% | 23% | 26% | 22% |
| Stories like these are real and most should be taken seriously | 66% | 63% | 69% | 53% | 63% | 72% | 76% | 67% | 64% | 71% |
| Don't know | 10% | 10% | 10% | 16% | 12% | 6% | 6% | 10% | 11% | 8% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (997) | 100% (475) | 100% (522) | 100% (168) | 100% (292) | 100% (373) | 100% (164) | 100% (346) | 100% (399) | 100% (252) |

| | Race | | | Family Income | | | Region | | | | |
|--|------------|------------|------------|---------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Stories like these are usually exaggerated and most can be ignored | 24% | 25% | 21% | 23% | 22% | 25% | 29% | 23% | 20% | 29% | 21% |
| Stories like these are real and most should be taken seriously | 66% | 67% | 67% | 63% | 67% | 67% | 63% | 69% | 73% | 61% | 66% |
| Don't know | 10% | 8% | 12% | 14% | 11% | 7% | 8% | 8% | 7% | 10% | 13% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (997) | 100% (747) | 100% (115) | 100% (135) | 100% (346) | 100% (323) | 100% (192) | 100% (189) | 100% (217) | 100% (376) | 100% (215) |

4. Compulsory screening

Do you think there should or should not be compulsory scanning (such as temperature checks) of people arriving in the United States from countries in Africa affected by Ebola?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID | | |
|----------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------|-------------|------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Should | 83% | 82% | 85% | 79% | 78% | 87% | 89% | 77% | 84% | 92% |
| Should not | 7% | 9% | 5% | 12% | 9% | 3% | 5% | 9% | 6% | 6% |
| Don't know | 10% | 9% | 11% | 10% | 13% | 10% | 6% | 14% | 11% | 2% |
| Totals | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| (Unweighted N) | (996) | (475) | (521) | (167) | (293) | (373) | (163) | (346) | (398) | (252) |

| | Race | | | Family Income | | | Region | | | | |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|----------|-------|--------|-----------|---------|-------|-------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Should | 83% | 86% | 77% | 78% | 82% | 83% | 84% | 84% | 81% | 84% | 84% |
| Should not | 7% | 6% | 8% | 8% | 8% | 7% | 7% | 5% | 9% | 6% | 6% |
| Don't know | 10% | 8% | 16% | 14% | 10% | 10% | 9% | 11% | 10% | 10% | 10% |
| Totals | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| (Unweighted N) | (996) | (745) | (117) | (134) | (346) | (322) | (193) | (189) | (216) | (376) | (215) |

5. Total ban

And do you think there should or should not be a total ban on people entering the United States from counties in Africa affected by Ebola?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Should | 53% | 58% | 49% | 45% | 48% | 60% | 57% | 41% | 53% | 69% |
| Should not | 32% | 30% | 33% | 35% | 36% | 26% | 31% | 44% | 29% | 20% |
| Don't know | 15% | 13% | 18% | 21% | 16% | 13% | 12% | 16% | 18% | 11% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (474) | 100% (522) | 100% (168) | 100% (294) | 100% (371) | 100% (163) | 100% (346) | 100% (397) | 100% (253) |

| | Race | | | Family Income | | | Region | | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Should | 53% | 57% | 40% | 47% | 55% | 52% | 55% | 55% | 52% | 52% | 53% |
| Should not | 32% | 32% | 27% | 32% | 29% | 35% | 35% | 30% | 31% | 30% | 36% |
| Don't know | 15% | 11% | 34% | 21% | 16% | 13% | 10% | 14% | 17% | 18% | 11% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (746) | 100% (116) | 100% (134) | 100% (344) | 100% (323) | 100% (193) | 100% (188) | 100% (217) | 100% (375) | 100% (216) |

6. Approve of federal Ebola spending on Africa

Do you approve or disapprove of the US government spending money specifically to try and stop the spread of Ebola in Africa?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID | | |
|----------------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------|-------------|------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Approve | 69% | 70% | 68% | 70% | 65% | 67% | 76% | 81% | 67% | 56% |
| Disapprove | 15% | 19% | 11% | 13% | 14% | 19% | 10% | 6% | 16% | 25% |
| Don't know | 16% | 12% | 21% | 17% | 21% | 14% | 14% | 13% | 17% | 19% |
| Totals | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| (Unweighted N) | (998) | (476) | (522) | (167) | (295) | (372) | (164) | (348) | (397) | (253) |

| | Race | | | Family Income | | | Region | | | | |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|---------------|----------|-------|--------|-----------|---------|-------|-------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Approve | 69% | 69% | 68% | 69% | 71% | 68% | 68% | 76% | 65% | 67% | 69% |
| Disapprove | 15% | 16% | 11% | 12% | 13% | 14% | 16% | 12% | 11% | 17% | 18% |
| Don't know | 16% | 15% | 21% | 19% | 16% | 18% | 17% | 11% | 23% | 16% | 13% |
| Totals | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% |
| (Unweighted N) | (998) | (747) | (117) | (134) | (347) | (323) | (193) | (188) | (216) | (378) | (216) |

7. Concern about US

How concerned, if at all, are you that there will be a large number of Ebola cases in the United States in the next 12 months?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Very concerned | 21% | 19% | 23% | 15% | 23% | 26% | 16% | 19% | 23% | 20% |
| Fairly concerned | 33% | 30% | 36% | 34% | 32% | 29% | 39% | 25% | 31% | 47% |
| Not very concerned | 30% | 32% | 27% | 31% | 26% | 31% | 31% | 34% | 29% | 25% |
| Not at all concerned | 12% | 16% | 9% | 13% | 12% | 12% | 13% | 16% | 12% | 7% |
| Don't know | 4% | 2% | 6% | 7% | 6% | 2% | 1% | 6% | 5% | 1% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (474) | 100% (522) | 100% (167) | 100% (294) | 100% (371) | 100% (164) | 100% (347) | 100% (398) | 100% (251) |

| | Race | | | | Family Income | | | Region | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Very concerned | 21% | 19% | 24% | 30% | 25% | 19% | 17% | 21% | 19% | 23% | 20% |
| Fairly concerned | 33% | 34% | 29% | 29% | 31% | 35% | 31% | 34% | 33% | 34% | 28% |
| Not very concerned | 30% | 30% | 29% | 25% | 28% | 32% | 34% | 25% | 33% | 24% | 38% |
| Not at all concerned | 12% | 14% | 6% | 9% | 10% | 12% | 16% | 15% | 10% | 13% | 11% |
| Don't know | 4% | 3% | 11% | 7% | 5% | 3% | 3% | 5% | 4% | 5% | 3% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (996) | 100% (747) | 100% (115) | 100% (134) | 100% (347) | 100% (322) | 100% (191) | 100% (188) | 100% (217) | 100% (376) | 100% (215) |

8. Concern about family

How concerned, if at all, are you that you or someone in your family will contract Ebola?

| | Gender | | | Age | | | | Party ID | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | Male | Female | 18-29 | 30-44 | 45-64 | 65+ | Democrat | Independent | Republican |
| Very concerned | 15% | 15% | 14% | 18% | 17% | 12% | 11% | 17% | 14% | 11% |
| Fairly concerned | 15% | 12% | 18% | 15% | 15% | 16% | 12% | 12% | 15% | 20% |
| Not very concerned | 33% | 30% | 36% | 31% | 33% | 31% | 42% | 29% | 34% | 37% |
| Not at all concerned | 32% | 37% | 27% | 30% | 28% | 36% | 33% | 36% | 32% | 26% |
| Don't know | 5% | 5% | 5% | 6% | 6% | 5% | 2% | 5% | 5% | 6% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (997) | 100% (475) | 100% (522) | 100% (167) | 100% (294) | 100% (373) | 100% (163) | 100% (347) | 100% (398) | 100% (252) |

| | Race | | | Family Income | | | Region | | | | |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | Total | White | Black | Hispanic | Under 40 | 40-80 | 80+ | Northeast | Midwest | South | West |
| Very concerned | 15% | 10% | 25% | 26% | 20% | 10% | 6% | 22% | 11% | 13% | 16% |
| Fairly concerned | 15% | 15% | 17% | 13% | 16% | 15% | 14% | 15% | 19% | 14% | 12% |
| Not very concerned | 33% | 34% | 33% | 27% | 31% | 36% | 37% | 24% | 35% | 36% | 32% |
| Not at all concerned | 32% | 37% | 19% | 21% | 27% | 33% | 40% | 37% | 30% | 29% | 35% |
| Don't know | 5% | 3% | 6% | 13% | 6% | 6% | 3% | 2% | 5% | 7% | 5% |
| Totals (Unweighted N) | 100% (997) | 100% (745) | 100% (117) | 100% (135) | 100% (346) | 100% (323) | 100% (193) | 100% (188) | 100% (216) | 100% (378) | 100% (215) |