This RDD telephone survey was conducted from November 13 - 17, 2019 throughout the state of South Carolina.

Responses are reported for 768 self-identified likely Democratic primary voters with a margin of sampling error of \pm 4.8 percentage points, including the design effect. Margins of sampling error for subgroups are available upon request.

Surveys are conducted with live interviewers calling landlines and cell phones.

All data was collected and tabulated by the Quinnipiac University Poll.

METHODOLOGICAL DETAILS

Dual frame landline and cell phone samples are generated using Random Digit Dialing procedures by Survey Sampling International (SSI). Both the landline and cellular phone samples are stratified by Census division according to area code.

Landline numbers and cell phone numbers are scheduled for 4+ call attempts. When calling landlines interviewers ask to speak with the adult member of the household having the next birthday. Interviews are conducted on cell phones with both cell only and dual owner respondents. The complete land and cell sample is weighted to National Health Interview Survey estimates for [land only/cell only/dual owner] households.

Questions are asked as they appear in the release document. If a question is asked of a subset of the sample, a descriptive note is added in parentheses preceding the question. Questions are numbered as asked with additional questions found in successive releases.

This survey uses statistical weighting procedures to account for deviations in the survey sample from known population characteristics, which helps correct for differential survey participation and random variation in samples. The overall adult sample is weighted to recent Census data using a sample balancing procedure to match the demographic makeup of the population by county, gender, age, education and race.

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