





16. *(Asked of a half sample)* When a person has a disease that cannot be cured and is living in severe pain, do you think doctors should or should not be allowed by law to assist the patient to commit suicide if the patient requests it?

**BASED ON -513-- NATIONAL ADULTS IN FORM B**

	<u>Should</u>	<u>Should not</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2020 May 1-13	61	37	2
2019 May 1-12	61	38	1
2018 May 1-10	65	34	1
2017 May 3-7	67	30	3
2016 May 4-8	66	29	6



Unweighted n	1028	Male	Female	White	Non-white	18-34	35-54	55+	College Grad	Some College	HS Grad or Less	Republican	Independent	Democrat	Conservative	Moderate	Liberal
Weighted n		537	491	760	246	201	272	536	460	358	204	321	361	319	365	390	249

**GALLUP POLL SOCIAL SURVEY  
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Public Release Data**

**QN18: Living Will BY Total + Gender + Race I + Age + Education + Party I.D. + Ideology**

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	Weighted n	1028	509	519	673	334	295	313	403	348	292	383	287	381	323	347	376	274
Yes, do		458	215	243	354	91	54	128	259	191	144	120	150	139	154	174	182	91
		45%	42%	47%	53%	27%	18%	41%	64%	55%	49%	31%	52%	37%	48%	50%	48%	33%
No, do not		563	292	271	317	240	237	182	143	156	147	260	136	241	166	173	194	179
		55%	57%	52%	47%	72%	80%	58%	36%	45%	50%	68%	47%	63%	51%	50%	52%	65%
(DK)/(Refused)		7	3	4	2	4	4	3	0	1	2	3	1	1	4	1	0	4
		1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%