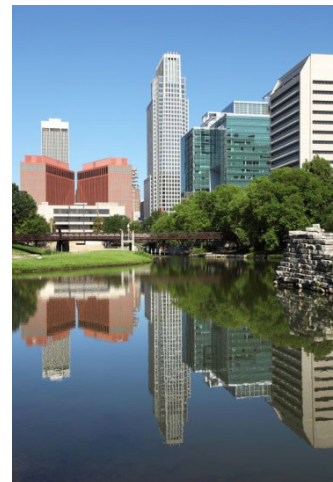


# NASIS

## Nebraska Annual Social Indicators Survey

Bureau of Sociological Research  
University of Nebraska-Lincoln



***We need your help to learn about how  
Nebraskans think, feel, and live.***

***Researchers from the University of Nebraska and  
across the state are counting on your help to learn about a variety of issues.  
Your responses will help shape program and policy development  
in Nebraska now and into the future.***

## Household Make-Up

1. Including yourself, how many people total live in your household?

Total number of people

2. How many children age 18 and younger live in your household?

children (age 18 and younger)

3. Including yourself, how many of the people living in your household are adults age 19 or over?

adults (age 19 and older)

4. Are you the adult (age 19 or over) in your household with the next birthday after July 1, 2024?

- ☐ Yes → Please continue.  
☐ No → Please have the adult in your household who will have the next birthday after July 1, 2024 complete the survey.

## Life in Nebraska

5. Overall, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with living in Nebraska?

- ☐ Very satisfied  
☐ Somewhat satisfied  
☐ Neutral  
☐ Somewhat dissatisfied  
☐ Very dissatisfied

6. All in all, do you think things in Nebraska are generally headed in the right direction or the wrong direction?

- ☐ Right direction  
☐ Wrong direction  
☐ Unsure

7. All in all, do you think things in the country as a whole are generally headed in the right direction or the wrong direction?

- ☐ Right direction  
☐ Wrong direction  
☐ Unsure

## About Your Household

8. Is your house, apartment or mobile home...

- ☐ Owned by you or someone in this household with a mortgage or loan (Include home equity loans.)  
☐ Owned by you or someone in this household free and clear (without a mortgage or loan)  
☐ Rented  
☐ Occupied without payment of rent  
☐ Other, specify:

9. What is your current marital or relationship status?

- ☐ Married  
☐ Not married, but living with a partner (cohabiting)  
☐ Never married  
☐ Divorced  
☐ Widowed  
☐ Separated

10. Please indicate the category that describes your total family income in the last 12 months.

- ☐ Less than \$10,000  
☐ \$10,000 to \$34,999  
☐ \$35,000 to \$49,999  
☐ \$50,000 to \$75,000  
☐ \$75,000 to \$99,999  
☐ \$100,000 to \$149,999  
☐ \$150,000 to \$199,999  
☐ \$200,000 or more

11. During the past 12 months, how much difficulty have you had paying your bills?

- ☐ A great deal of difficulty  
☐ Quite a bit of difficulty  
☐ Some difficulty  
☐ A little difficulty  
☐ No difficulty at all

12. Overall, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with your current financial situation?

- ☐ Very satisfied  
☐ Satisfied  
☐ Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied  
☐ Dissatisfied  
☐ Very dissatisfied

## About Yourself

13. What year were you born?

14. What is your current gender?

- ☐ Male  
☐ Female  
☐ I use a different term:

15. Which of the following best represents how you think of yourself?

- ☐ Lesbian or gay  
☐ Straight, that is not gay or lesbian  
☐ Bisexual  
☐ I use a different term:

16. Were you born in Nebraska, another state, or a foreign country?

- ☐ Nebraska  
☐ Another state  
☐ Foreign country

17. Are you still living in the same residence as you were 2 years ago?

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

18. Do you live on a farm, in open country but not on a farm, or in a town or city?

- ☐ Farm  
☐ Open country, but not a farm  
☐ Town or city

19. What is your zip code?

20. What is your race and/or ethnicity? (Select all that apply.)

- ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native  
☐ Asian  
☐ Black or African American  
☐ Hispanic or Latino  
☐ Middle Eastern or North African  
☐ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  
☐ White

21. What is the highest degree you have attained?

- ☐ No diploma  
☐ High School Diploma/GED  
☐ Some college, but no degree  
☐ Technical/Associate/Junior College (2 yr, LPN)  
☐ Bachelor's Degree (4 yr, BA, BS, RN)  
☐ Graduate or professional degree (Masters, PhD, MD, JD)

22. Do you typically work full-time, part-time, go to school, keep house, or something else? (Select all that apply.)

- ☐ Working full-time (35 hours or more)  
☐ Working part-time (less than 35 hours)  
☐ Have a job, but not at work (due to illness, vacation, or strike)  
☐ Unemployed, laid off, looking for work  
☐ Retired  
☐ In school  
☐ Keeping house  
☐ Disabled  
☐ Other, specify:

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23. How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with your job?

- ☐ Very satisfied  
☐ Satisfied  
☐ Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied  
☐ Dissatisfied  
☐ Very dissatisfied

24. In general, how would you describe your political views?

- ☐ Very liberal  
☐ Liberal  
☐ Middle-of-the-road  
☐ Conservative  
☐ Very conservative  
☐ Other, specify:

25. In general, what do you consider yourself politically?

- ☐ Democrat  
☐ Republican  
☐ Independent  
☐ Other, specify:

**26. Who did you vote for in the 2024 Presidential Election?**

- ☐ Harris  
☐ Trump  
☐ Other, specify:

- ☐ Did not vote

**27. Would you say that your overall health and well-being is excellent, good, fair or poor?**

- ☐ Excellent  
☐ Good  
☐ Fair  
☐ Poor

**28. Do you consider yourself to be Protestant, Catholic, Jewish, Muslim, or something else?**

- ☐ Protestant (for example, Baptist, Methodist, Lutheran, Presbyterian, etc.)  
☐ Catholic  
☐ Jewish  
☐ Muslim  
☐ Mormon/Latter-day Saints  
☐ Atheist  
☐ Agnostic  
☐ Nothing in particular  
☐ Other, specify:

**29. Would you describe yourself as a born again or evangelical Christian, or not?**

- ☐ Yes, born again or evangelical Christian  
☐ No

**30. How often do you attend religious services?**

- ☐ Several times a week  
☐ Once a week  
☐ Nearly every week  
☐ About once a month  
☐ Several times a year  
☐ About once a year  
☐ Less than once a year  
☐ Never

**31. In general, how much do your religious or spiritual beliefs influence your daily life?**

- ☐ Very much  
☐ Quite a bit  
☐ Some  
☐ A little  
☐ None  
☐ Doesn't apply, not religious or spiritual

**32. Do you have internet access at home, including through a cellular signal?**

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No → **Go to #36**

**33. Do you have each of the following types of internet access at home?**

|  | Yes                   | No                    |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| a. Dial-up internet service                                    | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| b. Higher speed broadband service (DSL, cable, or fiber optic) | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| c. Internet through cellular service                           | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

**34. How dependable is your internet service at home?**

- ☐ Very dependable  
☐ Mostly dependable  
☐ Somewhat dependable  
☐ A little dependable  
☐ Not dependable at all

**35. How fast or slow is your internet service at home?**

- ☐ Very fast  
☐ Somewhat fast  
☐ Somewhat slow  
☐ Very slow

**36. Do you have...**

- ☐ A smartphone  
☐ Both a cell phone and a smartphone  
☐ A cell phone, but not a smartphone  
☐ None

37. During the past 4 weeks (28 days), how much of the time did you feel:

|  | All of the time       | Most of the time      | Some of the time      | A little of the time  | None of the time      |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| a. So sad, nothing could cheer you up? | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| b. Nervous?                            | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| c. Restless or fidgety?                | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| d. Hopeless?                           | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| e. That everything was an effort?      | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| f. Worthless?                          | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| g. Lonely?                             | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

38. Please use the space below to provide any comments or feedback.

39. Would you like to be contacted about future research opportunities?

- ☐ Yes → Please tell us about yourself so we know how best to contact you in the future.  
☐ No → Go to End

40. What is your name?

First name:

Last name:

41. What is your telephone number, including area code, which would be the best number for us to call?

Phone: (  )  -

42. Can we text you at the phone number above for future research opportunities?

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

43. What is your email address?

Email:

@

If you would like to be removed from our list of potential research participants in the future, please let us know at [bosr@unl.edu](mailto:bosr@unl.edu) or 402-472-3672.

**Thank you!**

We greatly appreciate the time you have taken to complete this survey. For your convenience, please use the postage-paid return envelope included in your survey packet to return your questionnaire.

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