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Field Dates: June 15 – June 21, 2022

Sample: 1,000 Respondents

Margin of Error: 3.5%

YouGov interviewed 1131 Massachusetts respondents who were then matched down to a sample of 1000 to produce the final dataset. The respondents were matched to a sampling frame on gender, age, race, and education. The frame was constructed by stratified sampling from the full 2019 American Community Survey (ACS) 1-year sample with selection within strata by weighted sampling with replacements (using the person weights on the public use file).

The matched cases were weighted to the sampling frame using propensity scores. The matched cases and the frame were combined and a logistic regression was estimated for inclusion in the frame. The propensity score function included age, gender, race/ethnicity, and years of education. The propensity scores were grouped into deciles of the estimated propensity score in the frame and post-stratified according to these deciles. The weights were then post-stratified on 2016 and 2020 Presidential vote choice, own/rent, gender, age, race, and education to produce the final weight.

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Roe Decision (N=1,000)

Recent reporting indicates that the U.S. Supreme Court is about to overturn *Roe v. Wade*, the landmark decision that established a woman's right to choose to have an abortion. This decision would allow individual states to pass laws banning abortion. Do you think that the Supreme Court *should* overturn *Roe v. Wade*?

Yes, the Supreme Court should overturn Roe v. Wade	24%
No, the Supreme Court should not overturn Roe v. Wade	63%
Don't Know	14%

Roe Impact on Vote (N=1,000)

Recent reporting indicates that the U.S. Supreme Court is about to overturn *Roe v. Wade*, the landmark decision that established a woman's right to choose to have an abortion. Will this decision increase, decrease, or have no impact on your likelihood of turning out to vote in the 2022 midterm elections?

Increase	36%
Decrease	7%
No Impact	56%

Roe Impact on Engagement (N=1,000)

Since hearing the news about the U.S. Supreme Court's impending decision to overturn Roe v. Wade, have you done any of the following in direct response to this news? Please select all that apply.

Attended local political meetings (such as school board or city council)	5%
Put up a political sign (such as a lawn sign or bumper sticker)	5%
Worked for a candidate or campaign	3%
Attended a political protest, march or demonstration	6%
Contacted a public official	11%
Donated money to a candidate, campaign, or political organization	19%
None of these	71%

Federal Law (N=1,000)

Do you think Congress should...

pass a law making abortion illegal in all 50 states.	9%
pass a law making abortion legal in all 50 states.	56%
pass no law and leave it up to each state to decide whether abortion should be	35%
legal or illegal within its borders.	