SURVEY METHODOLOGY

The Cato Institute Health Care Survey was conducted by the Cato Institute in collaboration with YouGov who fielded the survey. YouGov collected responses online from two surveys between February 22 to 23, 2017. The first survey interviewed 1,152 American respondents aged 18 and older, with a margin of error of +/- 2.93 percentage points, which adjusts for the impact of weighting. The second survey interviewed 1,103 American respondents aged 18 and older, with a margin of error of +/- 2.85 percentage points, which adjusts for the impact of weighting. The margin of error for items used in half-samples is approximately +/- 5.1 percentage points. This does not include other sources of non-sampling error, such as selection bias in panel participation or response to a particular survey. Questions and responses were randomized when feasible.

YouGov conducted the surveys online with its proprietary Web-enabled survey software. Restrictions are put in place to ensure that only the people selected and contacted by YouGov are allowed to participate. Respondents were selected to be representative of the U.S. adult population and weighted to match the gender, age, race, education (based on Census estimates from the 2014 American Community Survey) and 2016 presidential vote.