

# JUNE 2018 EXIT POLL: NEW JERSEY PRIMARY

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1. **[REPUBLICAN PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY]** Who did you vote for to become the Republican nominee for Senate? (check one)

- Brian Goldberg       Bob Hugin  
 I wrote in another candidate       I did not vote

2. **[DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY]** Who did you vote for to become the Democratic nominee for Senate? (check one)

- Bob Menendez       Lisa McCormick  
 I wrote in another candidate       I did not vote

3. Do you approve or disapprove of the job Donald Trump is doing as President?

- Strongly approve       Somewhat disapprove  
 Somewhat approve       Strongly disapprove

4. For each group below, please tell us if you think the group has been better off or worse off under the 2010 health reform law.

You and your family

- Better off       Worse off       No difference

The community where you live

- Better off       Worse off       No difference

Whites

- Better off       Worse off       No difference

Blacks

- Better off       Worse off       No difference

Hispanics

- Better off       Worse off       No difference

5. As you may know, a health reform bill was signed into law in 2010. Given what you know about the health reform law, do you have a generally favorable or generally unfavorable opinion of it?

- Very favorable       Somewhat unfavorable  
 Somewhat favorable       Very unfavorable

6. A recent study found that the number of adults without health insurance has increased this year to 15%, with Republicans much more likely to be uninsured than Democrats. How would you feel about increased federal spending to increase the number of adults with insurance?

- Strongly favor       Somewhat oppose  
 Somewhat favor       Strongly oppose

7. How personally responsible should adults be for obtaining their health insurance?

- Very responsible       Slightly responsible  
 Somewhat responsible       Not at all responsible

8. Have you, or someone you know, struggled with drug abuse and addiction? (check all that apply)

- You, yourself       A spouse or romantic partner  
 Your child       A family member  
 A close friend       An acquaintance  
 A neighbor       No one

9. Who should be most responsible for reducing drug abuse and addiction in the United States? (check ONE)

- The federal government       Pharmaceutical companies  
 State and local government       Individuals  
 Community groups

10. In the last year, have you contacted a public official about addressing drug abuse and addiction in your community?

- Yes       No

11. Should access to Narcan, which reverses the deadly effects of heroin overdoses be:

- Publicly funded using tax revenue       Privately funded by individuals

12. Please tell us if you agree or disagree with the following statements:

A. "The state of New Jersey can reduce its annual spending by 40% without a major impact on services."

- Agree strongly       Disagree somewhat  
 Agree somewhat       Disagree strongly

B. "These days, I am afraid that the American way of life is threatened by immigrants."

- Disagree strongly       Agree somewhat  
 Disagree somewhat       Agree strongly

C. "Generations of slavery and discrimination have created conditions that make it difficult for blacks to work their way out of the lower class."

- Disagree strongly       Agree somewhat  
 Disagree somewhat       Agree strongly

D. "I personally have a responsibility to share my religious beliefs with others."

- Agree strongly       Disagree somewhat  
 Agree somewhat       Disagree strongly

13. President Trump has made many statements about groups, including blacks and immigrants. Which comes closer to your view:

- The President should speak his mind even if it offends people  
 The President should avoid comments that may offend people

14. Are you:  Male  Female  Other

15. Your race/ethnicity: (check all that apply)

- Asian       White  
 Black/African American       Hispanic  
 Other

16. Highest educational level **completed**: (check one)

- Some grade school       2-year college  
 8th grade       4-year college  
 High school diploma/GED       Post-graduate

17. Do you call yourself an Evangelical or Born-Again Christian?

- Yes       No

18. Year you were born: 1973