

**PEW RESEARCH CENTER
WAVE 113 AUGUST 2022
FINAL TOPLINE
August 1-14, 2022
N=7,647**

ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PREVIOUSLY RELEASED**ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS HELD FOR FUTURE RELEASE****ASK ALL:**

IMMVAL Thinking about the issue of immigration, how important of a goal should each of the following be for immigration policy in the United States? **[RANDOMIZE ITEMS]**

	<u>Very important</u>	<u>Somewhat important</u>	<u>Not too important</u>	<u>Not at all important</u>	<u>No answer</u>
a. Taking in civilian refugees from countries where people are trying to escape violence and war					
Aug 1-14, 2022	28	45	19	8	1
Sep 3-15, 2019	32	40	18	8	1
Nov 29-Dec 12, 2016	29	32	21	16	2
b. Increasing deportations of immigrants currently in the country illegally					
Aug 1-14, 2022	29	28	28	14	2
Sep 3-15, 2019	28	26	29	16	1
Nov 29-Dec 12, 2016	29	29	24	17	1
Aug 16-Sept 12, 2016	34	29	22	13	2
c. Establishing a way for most immigrants currently in the country illegally to stay here legally					
Aug 1-14, 2022	25	35	22	17	1
Sep 3-15, 2019	33	34	18	15	1
Nov 29-Dec 12, 2016	28	34	20	17	1
Aug 16-Sept 12, 2016	31	32	18	18	2
d. Increasing security along the United States-Mexico border to reduce illegal crossings					
Aug 1-14, 2022	44	29	19	7	1
TREND FOR COMPARISON: Increasing security along the U.S.-Mexico border to reduce illegal crossings					
Sep 3-15, 2019	40	28	21	10	1
NO ITEM e-h					
i. Allowing immigrants who came to the country illegally as children to remain in the United States and apply for legal status.					
Aug 1-14, 2022	36	36	17	10	1
Nov 29- Dec 12, 2016	36	36	16	10	2
Aug 16-Sept 12, 2016	37	37	14	11	1

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NO ITEM j						
k.	Making it easier for United States citizens or legal residents to sponsor a family member to immigrate to the United States. Aug 1-14, 2022	25	42	23	9	1

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ASK ALL:

PARTY In politics today, do you consider yourself a...

ASK IF INDEP/SOMETHING ELSE OR REFUSED [PARTY=3,4 OR refused]:

PARTYLN As of today do you lean more to...¹

BASED ON BOTH ATP AND KP SAMPLE:

<u>Republican</u>	<u>Democrat</u>	<u>Independent</u>	<u>Something else</u>	<u>No answer</u>	<i>Lean Rep</i>	<i>Lean Dem</i>
27	31	26	14	2	16	20

¹ PARTY and PARTYLN asked of ATP panelists in a prior wave. Knowledge Panel members asked PARTY and PARTYLN in this survey