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#### Report

#### Second Street Health Care Omni Report November 24 2022









## METHODOLOGY

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1,522 Canadians, 18+.



Completed between November 18 and November 20, 2022, using Leger's online panel.



No margin of error can be associated with a non-probability sample (i.e. a web panel in this case). For comparative purposes, though, a probability sample of 1,522 respondents would have a margin of error of ±2.5%, 19 times out of 20.

#### Leger's online panel

Leger's online panel has more than 400,000 members nationally and has a retention rate of 90%.

#### Quality control

Stringent quality assurance measures allow Leger to achieve the high-quality standards set by the company. As a result, its methods of data collection and storage outperform the norms set by WAPOR (The World Association for Public Opinion Research). These measures are applied at every stage of the project: from data collection to processing, through to analysis. We aim to answer our clients' needs with honesty, total confidentiality, and integrity. Also, poll aggregator *338Canada.com* gave Leger the highest rating among all polling firms in Canada for the accuracy of its studies. (See https://338canada.com/pollster-ratings.htm.)

## DETAILED RESULTS

Half of Canadians agree that surgeons, after having hit their limit of time in the public system, should be allowed to use their free time to work at private clinics.

SHOULD SURGEONS BE ALLOWED TO WORK IN PRIVATE CLINICS?			Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	BC	AB	MB/SK	ON	QC	Atlantic	West	East		
			Unweighted n =	778	744	385	551	586	151	128	125	608	410	100	404	1118	
Yes			52%		54%	50%	46%	52%	55%	54%	45%	61%	46%	58%	61%	52%	52%
No		23%			25%	20%	25%	21%	23%	24%	26%	17%	24%	22%	18%	23%	23%
Don't know		25%			21%	30%	28%	27%	22%	22%	29%	23%	30%	20%	20%	25%	26%

Q1: When the government limits a surgeon's time in the public system, should the surgeon, after having used all of the time provided, be allowed to use their free time to work at a private clinic that charges patients for private surgeries? Base: All respondents (n=1522)

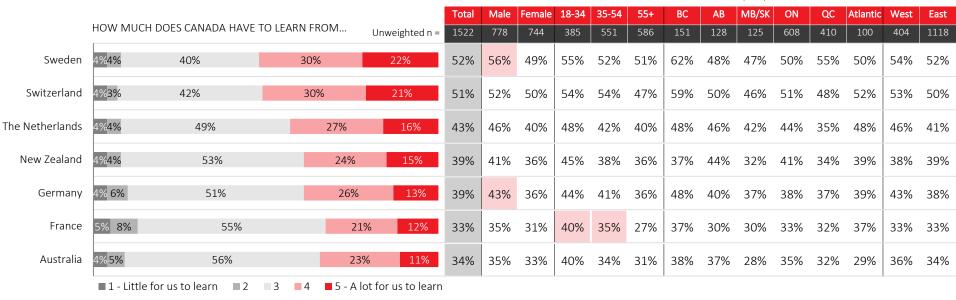
Three-in-five Canadians feel that Canada should keep its public health care system but allow patients to pay for surgery at local private clinics if they cannot get timely care in the public system.

			Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	BC	AB	MB/SK	ON	QC	Atlantic	West	East
	STATEMENT THAT BEST REPRESENTS VIEW:	Unweighted n =	778	744	385	551	586	151	128	125	608	410	100	404	1118
Canada should keep our public health care system, but allow patients to use their own money, or their extended health insurance, to pay for surgery at local private clinics if they cannot get timely care in the public system.		62%	61%	64%	60%	67%	60%	72%	62%	61%	54%	72%	60%	66%	61%
Canada should keep our public health care system and not allow patients to use their own money or insurance to pay for surgery at local private clinics if they don't want to use the public system, even when the wait lists exceed the maximum acceptable time.	24%		27%	22%	25%	21%	27%	19%	27%	24%	31%	14%	26%	23%	25%
Don't know	14%		12%	15%	15%	12%	14%	9%	11%	15%	15%	14%	14%	11%	15%
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Q2. Thinking about health care choices in Canada, which statement best represents your view? Base: All respondents (n=1522)

Significantly higher.

Canadians believe we have a lot to learn from the health care systems in Sweden and Switzerland when it comes to improving outcomes in the Canadian system.



Q3. Thinking about health care systems in other countries, using a scale from 1 to 5, please indicate which country do you think has the most lessons for Canada when it comes to improving our system's outcomes, with 1 indicating 'little for us to learn', and 5 indicating 'a lot for us to learn' from this country. Base: All respondents (n=1522)

A LOT FOR US TO LEARN (4+5):

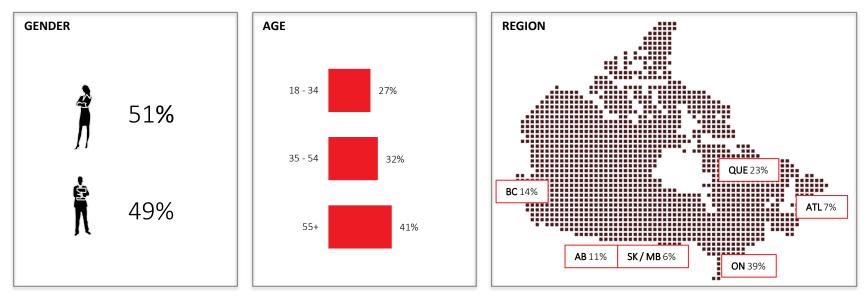
Significantly higher.



### **RESPONDENT PROFILE**

#### Respondent profile

Base: All (n=1522)



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■ <\$40k ■ \$40 - <\$80k ■ \$80k+ ■ Refusal

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