

Pain Survey

Frequency Report
Field Dates: 12-06-07 to 12-13-07

Percentages shown are weighted; n's are unweighted (Except for demographics)
Percentages and n's for demographics are unweighted



	<u>ALL</u>
Number Answering	1484
Experienced ANY pain in last 12 months	72%
Experienced pain on day of interview	42%
Experienced any qualifying pain in last 12 months	54%
Experienced any qualifying chronic pain in the last 12 months	20%
Experienced any qualifying long term recurrent pain in last 12 months	38%
Experienced any qualifying short term acute pain in last 12 months	27%
Experienced pain caused by a strain in last 12 months	24%
Experienced pain caused by a sprain in last 12 months	9%
Experienced pain caused by a contusion in last 12 months	15%
Experienced pain caused by a strain, sprain, OR contusion in last 12 months	31%

Note: Respondents completed the rest of the survey about their most recent strain, sprain, or contusion. If they experienced no strains, sprains, or contusions in the past 12 months they answered the survey about their other most recent pain.

Q8. Where did you experience this pain?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Feet	20%	29%	18%	19%	18%	10%	44%	25%	23%
Ankles	15%	19%	16%	12%	14%	7%	51%	8%	17%
Calf	8%	16%	6%	8%	7%	7%	3%	13%	9%
Knees	29%	36%	35%	19%	27%	25%	30%	22%	35%
Thigh	10%	16%	3%	15%	9%	10%	-	21%	8%
Hips	16%	31%	19%	6%	13%	14%	1%	9%	24%
Lower back	40%	55%	46%	25%	36%	49%	12%	19%	43%
Upper back	15%	20%	17%	10%	14%	23%	1%	11%	12%
Pelvis	5%	8%	7%	2%	5%	2%	-	6%	9%
Neck	16%	17%	20%	12%	16%	24%	6%	7%	14%
Shoulders	22%	25%	25%	18%	22%	25%	21%	17%	21%
Elbows	6%	3%	8%	4%	6%	5%	-	8%	7%
Wrists	12%	14%	17%	5%	11%	9%	9%	11%	15%
Arms	9%	12%	7%	9%	8%	8%	-	18%	8%
Hands	13%	17%	15%	9%	12%	11%	6%	14%	16%
Other	3%	4%	4%	3%	3%	1%	-	9%	4%

Q9. How would you rate the severity of this pain?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
1-2 (1=No pain at all)	2%	-	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	1%
3-4	24%	7%	24%	30%	27%	30%	9%	33%	18%
5-6	35%	29%	40%	31%	36%	34%	43%	29%	35%
7-8	34%	48%	32%	30%	31%	30%	37%	31%	39%
9-10 (10=The worse pain imaginable)	6%	15%	2%	5%	4%	5%	10%	4%	7%
Mean	5.9	6.9	5.8	5.6	5.7	5.6	6.4	5.5	6.2

Q10. To deal with this pain, did you:

(Multiple responses accepted; total may exceed 100%)

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
See your regular primary care physician (or nurse practitioner)	29%	50%	32%	16%	24%	23%	28%	19%	38%
See a pain doctor or clinic	7%	22%	6%	1%	4%	3%	8%	2%	12%
See a chiropractor	11%	12%	15%	7%	11%	18%	7%	7%	7%
Go to an emergency room	4%	4%	3%	5%	4%	3%	4%	5%	4%
Go to a walk-in clinic	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	5%	1%	0%
See an orthopedist/orthopedic surgeon (vol.)	8%	19%	7%	3%	5%	3%	14%	10%	9%
See a neurologist/neuro surgeon (vol.)	2%	7%	1%	0%	1%	1%	-	-	3%
See a podiatrist (vol.)	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	10%	-	1%
See a physical therapist (vol.)	2%	2%	3%	-	2%	4%	-	-	1%
See a rheumatologist (vol.)	1%	1%	2%	-	1%	1%	-	-	2%
Other (<1% per mention)	4%	5%	4%	2%	3%	1%	-	5%	5%
None of the above	50%	20%	45%	70%	57%	57%	47%	61%	41%

(SKIP IF NONE OF THE ABOVE ON Q10)

Q11. Before seeing a doctor regarding your pain, had you been trying to deal with the pain on your own?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	347	126	137	84	221	102	23	37	185
Yes	80%	78%	85%	71%	81%	86%	71%	54%	83%
No - went right away	20%	22%	15%	29%	19%	14%	29%	46%	17%

(SKIP IF NONE OF THE ABOVE ON Q10)

Q12. Did you discuss with your doctor the issue of pain medication side effects?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	347	126	137	84	221	102	23	37	185
Yes	61%	73%	64%	42%	57%	61%	43%	49%	67%
No	37%	25%	36%	51%	41%	38%	51%	46%	31%
Not sure	2%	2%	0%	6%	2%	1%	6%	4%	2%

(SKIP IF NONE OF THE ABOVE ON Q10)

Q13. Which of the following, if any, are reasons you did not see a doctor?

RANDOMIZE LIST

(Multiple responses accepted; total may exceed 100%)

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	306	26	113	167	280	126	22	51	107
I decided that the pain would resolve itself within a few days	49%	7%	25%	72%	52%	55%	36%	71%	34%
The pain was not severe enough to justify seeing a doctor	46%	6%	35%	59%	49%	53%	37%	59%	31%
Decided to "tough it out" and deal with the pain	42%	33%	43%	41%	42%	38%	60%	48%	39%
Decided to treat the pain in other ways	38%	19%	42%	37%	39%	45%	46%	21%	36%
I felt that a doctor would not offer much help for this pain problem	37%	35%	36%	39%	38%	43%	38%	31%	34%
Seeing a doctor costs too much	30%	39%	31%	29%	30%	34%	40%	32%	23%
Seeing a doctor was too much trouble	21%	13%	25%	20%	22%	25%	22%	22%	17%
Expected a doctor to recommend medication, which I prefer to avoid unless absolutely necessary	11%	15%	19%	6%	11%	10%	8%	3%	18%
None of these	7%	23%	10%	2%	5%	5%	-	-	13%

Q14. How did you treat your pain [IF SAW DOCTOR ON Q10, INSERT: either before or after you seeing a doctor?]

(Multiple responses accepted; total may exceed 100%)

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Ice pack or other cold compress	37%	39%	39%	33%	36%	40%	67%	47%	26%
Heating pad or other warm compress	40%	46%	47%	30%	39%	50%	31%	25%	38%
Bandage wrap	13%	11%	13%	13%	13%	7%	50%	16%	10%
Non-prescription oral medications, such as aspirin, acetaminophen, ibuprofen, etc.	68%	72%	69%	65%	67%	69%	77%	51%	72%
Non-prescription cream, gel, or ointment	22%	37%	23%	15%	19%	21%	25%	19%	24%
Non-prescription pain patch applied to the skin	8%	17%	9%	4%	7%	10%	8%	1%	10%
Prescription oral medication	25%	50%	23%	16%	20%	20%	22%	21%	31%
Prescription pain patch applied to the skin	2%	5%	3%	0%	2%	3%	-	1%	3%
Physical therapy or exercises	25%	45%	27%	14%	21%	26%	26%	11%	29%
Acupuncture or massage	9%	12%	11%	6%	8%	13%	8%	2%	8%
Chiropractor	10%	17%	13%	4%	9%	16%	1%	5%	9%
Herbal or homeopathic methods	7%	7%	9%	5%	7%	6%	17%	4%	7%
Bed rest, or elevated/avoided using the injured body part	29%	32%	28%	28%	28%	28%	54%	22%	28%
Other way(s)	9%	12%	9%	7%	8%	5%	11%	8%	12%
Did not treat the pain at all	8%	4%	5%	12%	8%	7%	3%	18%	5%

Q14 SUMMARY

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Took non-prescription oral medications	68%	72%	69%	65%	67%	69%	77%	51%	72%
Took prescription oral medications	25%	50%	23%	16%	20%	20%	22%	21%	31%
Used prescription pain patch applied to the skin	2%	5%	3%	0%	2%	3%	-	1%	3%
Used any prescription medications	25%	51%	23%	16%	20%	20%	22%	21%	32%
Took non-prescription oral medications but no prescription medications	52%	37%	56%	55%	55%	54%	59%	43%	52%

Q15. In terms of how completely this method(s) relieved your pain, were you:

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Very satisfied	20%	7%	11%	35%	22%	24%	23%	30%	11%
Somewhat satisfied	53%	47%	60%	48%	54%	53%	51%	53%	53%
Not very satisfied	21%	30%	23%	14%	19%	19%	22%	12%	25%
Not at all satisfied	7%	17%	5%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	11%

Q16a. Approximately how many days of work did you miss in the last 12 months due to this pain?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
0 days	77%	70%	77%	79%	78%	80%	64%	68%	79%
1-4 days	13%	3%	11%	18%	15%	12%	23%	21%	9%
5 days or more	10%	27%	12%	3%	8%	8%	13%	11%	12%
Does not apply (removed from percentaging)	30%	44%	25%	29%	27%	27%	23%	26%	36%

Q16b. Approximately how many days of school did you miss in the last 12 months due to this pain?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
0 days	92%	87%	92%	95%	93%	90%	100%	86%	95%
1-4 days	6%	-	8%	4%	6%	8%	-	5%	5%
5 days or more	2%	13%	-	1%	0%	3%	-	8%	-
Does not apply (removed from percentaging)	75%	81%	74%	74%	74%	76%	66%	73%	76%

Q17. On the days of work or school that you did not miss, how much did the pain affect your productivity?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Very much	12%	26%	10%	11%	10%	12%	15%	8%	14%
Somewhat	39%	43%	43%	32%	38%	41%	45%	40%	35%
Not very much	32%	23%	35%	32%	34%	30%	28%	32%	36%
Not at all	17%	7%	12%	25%	18%	18%	12%	20%	16%
Does not apply (do not work or attend school) (removed from percentaging)	33%	49%	28%	30%	29%	31%	22%	25%	38%

Q18. How much did the pain disrupt the following activities for you:

RANDOMIZE ROWS

Q18a. Participating in recreational activities or sporting events

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Not at all	19%	9%	15%	28%	21%	15%	5%	31%	21%
Not very much	13%	7%	15%	14%	15%	15%	3%	12%	14%
Somewhat	25%	13%	28%	28%	28%	27%	27%	30%	22%
Very much	43%	71%	42%	31%	37%	43%	65%	27%	44%
Does not apply (removed from percentaging)	16%	16%	15%	18%	16%	18%	10%	21%	15%

Q18b. Running errands or leaving the house

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Not at all	28%	19%	24%	37%	30%	27%	18%	38%	27%
Not very much	24%	20%	30%	19%	25%	24%	12%	23%	26%
Somewhat	29%	28%	29%	28%	29%	31%	35%	25%	26%
Very much	19%	33%	17%	16%	17%	18%	35%	13%	20%
Does not apply (removed from percentaging)	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	0%	-	3%	1%

Q18c. Taking care of your home and doing chores

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Not at all	17%	10%	13%	25%	18%	17%	14%	19%	17%
Not very much	21%	13%	23%	23%	23%	24%	9%	31%	18%
Somewhat	37%	34%	43%	32%	38%	35%	42%	39%	38%
Very much	25%	44%	21%	21%	21%	25%	35%	12%	27%
Does not apply (removed from percentaging)	0%	-	1%	0%	1%	0%	-	2%	0%

Q18d. Taking care of yourself and other family members

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Not at all	29%	17%	27%	36%	31%	28%	25%	39%	27%
Not very much	26%	18%	32%	25%	28%	29%	12%	26%	27%
Somewhat	29%	31%	31%	25%	29%	30%	38%	27%	28%
Very much	16%	34%	10%	14%	12%	13%	26%	8%	18%
Does not apply (removed from percentaging)	2%	-	2%	3%	2%	1%	5%	5%	1%

Q18e. Traveling

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Not at all	40%	21%	38%	53%	44%	39%	34%	50%	39%
Not very much	19%	15%	22%	16%	19%	22%	6%	10%	21%
Somewhat	25%	28%	30%	17%	24%	27%	33%	27%	22%
Very much	16%	35%	9%	14%	12%	13%	26%	12%	18%
Does not apply (removed from percentaging)	15%	11%	10%	22%	15%	18%	4%	20%	12%

Q18f. Attending public events, like a concert, play, or sports event

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Not at all	39%	19%	38%	52%	44%	42%	31%	48%	36%
Not very much	20%	17%	26%	16%	21%	22%	14%	24%	20%
Somewhat	20%	23%	22%	16%	19%	21%	25%	15%	20%
Very much	20%	41%	15%	17%	16%	16%	30%	13%	24%
Does not apply (removed from percentaging)	15%	7%	11%	21%	16%	17%	18%	25%	8%

[IF NO OTC ORAL AND NO PRESCRIPTION MEDS]

Q19. Why did you avoid taking non-prescription oral pain medications?

RANDOMIZE ROWS

(Multiple responses accepted; total may exceed 100%)

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	145	20	52	73	125	58	9	32	46
Decided that the pain would resolve itself within a few days	41%	8%	28%	59%	45%	46%	46%	49%	28%
Don't like taking pills/capsules	40%	47%	50%	31%	39%	34%	44%	34%	53%
Want to avoid becoming dependent on medications	32%	30%	46%	21%	33%	29%	40%	28%	39%
Want to avoid side effects of medications	31%	37%	46%	16%	30%	39%	43%	13%	29%
Didn't want to take a general medication for pain in a specific part of my body	17%	19%	26%	9%	17%	18%	-	13%	22%
Not sure if medications are safe	15%	23%	24%	5%	14%	17%	-	9%	19%
Believed that medication would not work well	12%	27%	15%	7%	10%	10%	15%	-	22%
Some pain medications make me feel sleepy and non energetic	10%	7%	13%	8%	10%	5%	-	11%	18%
Might interact with other medications I take	8%	17%	7%	7%	7%	6%	-	9%	13%
Afraid of needing to take higher and higher doses of medication	7%	9%	9%	6%	7%	8%	15%	5%	7%
Medication costs too much	7%	35%	5%	3%	4%	4%	9%	2%	14%
Oral pain medications upset my stomach	7%	6%	9%	6%	7%	4%	29%	-	12%
Afraid of cardiac safety issues	6%	-	8%	6%	7%	3%	29%	2%	8%
Other reason(s)	13%	29%	16%	8%	11%	17%	-	6%	16%

[IF NO PRESCRIPTION MEDS]

Q20. Why did you avoid taking prescription pain medication?

RANDOMIZE ROWS

(Multiple responses accepted; total may exceed 100%)

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	481	78	191	212	403	184	35	67	195
Non-prescription medication works well enough	37%	19%	34%	44%	39%	43%	19%	45%	30%
Decided that the pain would resolve itself within a few days	36%	9%	23%	56%	40%	41%	31%	58%	23%
Did not want to see a doctor to get a prescription	31%	24%	27%	37%	32%	36%	30%	39%	24%
Want to avoid side effects of medications	26%	32%	32%	19%	25%	25%	24%	21%	29%
Medication costs too much	23%	22%	24%	22%	23%	25%	20%	25%	20%
Don't like taking pills/capsules	21%	16%	25%	19%	22%	21%	35%	25%	18%
Some pain medications make me feel sleepy and non energetic	18%	20%	21%	14%	18%	20%	20%	13%	18%
Want to avoid getting addicted to medications	16%	17%	20%	11%	16%	16%	13%	9%	19%
Not sure if medications are safe	11%	13%	16%	5%	10%	10%	8%	5%	14%
Afraid of needing to take higher and higher doses of medication	10%	18%	13%	5%	9%	8%	14%	2%	14%
Might interact with other medications I take	8%	13%	10%	5%	7%	8%	3%	8%	10%
Didn't want to take a general medication for pain in a specific part of my body	8%	2%	11%	7%	9%	10%	-	6%	9%
Oral pain medications upset my stomach	7%	5%	9%	5%	7%	5%	10%	4%	10%
Afraid of cardiac safety issues	6%	8%	6%	4%	5%	3%	7%	3%	9%
Believed that medication would not work well	5%	8%	6%	4%	5%	3%	2%	2%	10%
Other reasons	17%	28%	18%	13%	16%	14%	19%	13%	22%

Q21. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

RANDOMIZE ROWS

Q21a. Short term acute pain, if left untreated, can become long term chronic pain

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Strongly disagree	2%	8%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	4%
Somewhat disagree	23%	12%	23%	28%	25%	23%	15%	35%	21%
Somewhat agree	56%	53%	59%	54%	57%	58%	51%	45%	59%
Strongly agree	18%	27%	16%	17%	17%	17%	33%	19%	16%

Q21b. Aches and pains are a normal part of aging

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Strongly disagree	3%	8%	3%	2%	2%	2%	5%	3%	5%
Somewhat disagree	13%	17%	11%	12%	12%	16%	10%	6%	13%
Somewhat agree	66%	60%	69%	65%	67%	66%	65%	75%	63%
Strongly agree	18%	15%	17%	21%	19%	16%	20%	16%	20%

Q21c. People take too many pills these days

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Strongly disagree	2%	4%	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	2%
Somewhat disagree	6%	11%	5%	5%	5%	4%	6%	7%	8%
Somewhat agree	44%	49%	45%	41%	43%	42%	46%	45%	46%
Strongly agree	48%	35%	48%	53%	50%	52%	49%	47%	44%

Q21d. If I take a prescription pain medication, there is a good chance I may become addicted to it

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Strongly disagree	27%	21%	23%	35%	29%	31%	31%	31%	22%
Somewhat disagree	36%	26%	39%	38%	38%	35%	36%	44%	34%
Somewhat agree	30%	40%	30%	25%	27%	29%	29%	22%	33%
Strongly agree	7%	13%	8%	3%	6%	5%	4%	4%	11%

Q21e. Minor sprains, strains, and bruises should be treated by a doctor

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Strongly disagree	27%	22%	27%	30%	28%	29%	32%	23%	27%
Somewhat disagree	53%	49%	51%	56%	53%	53%	41%	57%	52%
Somewhat agree	16%	23%	19%	11%	15%	15%	21%	18%	17%
Strongly agree	4%	5%	4%	3%	3%	3%	7%	2%	4%

Q21f. Most pain will go away naturally with enough time and rest

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Strongly disagree	10%	26%	9%	4%	6%	6%	3%	7%	16%
Somewhat disagree	25%	32%	26%	21%	24%	20%	34%	24%	28%
Somewhat agree	55%	39%	55%	63%	59%	63%	58%	60%	46%
Strongly agree	10%	3%	11%	12%	11%	11%	5%	10%	10%

RANDOMLY ASSIGN EITHER 22a or 22b

Q22a. Thinking generally, how interested would you be in a prescription medication for pain and inflammation that comes in a skin patch - it would deliver medication through the skin directly to the area that hurts for twelve hours, rather than going through the rest of the body like oral medications.

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	316	64	131	121	252	117	23	39	137
Very interested	37%	54%	29%	39%	34%	34%	24%	35%	43%
Somewhat interested	46%	38%	49%	46%	48%	50%	53%	47%	41%
Not very interested	9%	5%	14%	5%	10%	11%	10%	4%	9%
Not at all interested	8%	3%	7%	10%	8%	5%	13%	14%	7%

Q22b. Thinking generally, how interested would you be in a prescription medication for pain and inflammation that comes in a skin patch - it would deliver an ibuprofen or Motrin-like medication through the skin directly to the area that hurts for twelve hours, rather than going through the rest of the body like oral medications

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	337	88	119	130	249	111	22	49	155
Very interested	31%	35%	30%	29%	30%	30%	53%	34%	27%
Somewhat interested	42%	40%	41%	44%	43%	41%	21%	46%	45%
Not very interested	17%	8%	19%	19%	19%	21%	13%	15%	15%
Not at all interested	10%	16%	10%	8%	9%	8%	13%	6%	13%

Q23. Which type of prescription medication for pain and inflammation do you think you would prefer?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
A skin patch applied to the skin	54%	47%	52%	58%	55%	54%	54%	55%	53%
Pills or capsules	34%	36%	32%	35%	33%	34%	30%	36%	34%
A shot or injection	4%	7%	4%	2%	3%	4%	6%	2%	4%
None of the above	9%	10%	12%	5%	8%	8%	10%	7%	10%

[IF PATCH]

Q24. Why would you prefer a patch?

RANDOMIZE ROWS

(Multiple responses accepted; total may exceed 100%)

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	343	74	130	139	269	127	22	41	153
Treating pain and inflammation directly where it hurts might be more effective	86%	86%	83%	87%	85%	87%	88%	84%	84%
Continual delivery of medication throughout the day	71%	74%	73%	69%	71%	70%	83%	73%	70%
Treating pain and inflammation directly where it hurts would decrease the effect of medication on the rest of my body	71%	76%	70%	70%	70%	71%	96%	71%	67%
Medication is not delivered through the stomach	53%	64%	54%	47%	51%	48%	71%	41%	58%
Easier	52%	48%	53%	53%	53%	56%	40%	58%	49%
Fewer pills/capsules to worry about	52%	50%	55%	50%	53%	55%	37%	56%	51%
More likely to remember replacing a patch every 12 hours than taking pills/capsules	28%	27%	29%	27%	28%	24%	32%	37%	28%
Might be less addictive	28%	43%	28%	22%	25%	28%	12%	15%	35%
Pills/capsules might conflict with other oral medications I take	23%	29%	23%	21%	22%	25%	34%	11%	24%
Other reason(s)	3%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	-	3%	4%

Demographics show unweighted percentages and n's

Q25. In what year were you born? (AGE)

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
18-29	11%	5%	12%	14%	13%	11%	16%	22%	8%
30-39	9%	6%	9%	10%	9%	10%	11%	9%	7%
40-49	25%	21%	25%	26%	26%	29%	29%	20%	22%
50-64	33%	36%	31%	33%	32%	30%	31%	34%	35%
65 and over	23%	32%	23%	17%	20%	20%	13%	15%	29%

Note: Final data were weighted by age to correct for over representation of older Americans

Q26. Gender

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Male	42%	53%	36%	41%	39%	44%	40%	35%	42%
Female	58%	47%	64%	59%	61%	56%	60%	65%	58%

Q27. Which one of the following best describes your marital status?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Single, never married	17%	11%	17%	20%	18%	15%	24%	25%	14%
Married	59%	61%	60%	56%	58%	62%	58%	44%	61%
Living with partner	6%	7%	4%	7%	6%	4%	4%	11%	5%
Separated	1%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	2%	-	1%
Divorced	11%	11%	11%	12%	12%	13%	9%	13%	10%
Widowed	6%	9%	6%	4%	5%	4%	2%	7%	8%
Decline to answer	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	-	-	1%

Q28. In which state, province or territory do you currently reside? (REGION)

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
East	24%	18%	26%	25%	25%	21%	24%	33%	23%
Midwest	23%	24%	23%	23%	23%	25%	22%	25%	22%
South	30%	32%	28%	30%	29%	34%	20%	20%	30%
West	23%	26%	23%	22%	23%	20%	33%	22%	25%

Q29. Which one of the following BEST describes your employment status?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Employed full time	42%	29%	45%	47%	46%	44%	51%	49%	37%
Employed part time	7%	8%	8%	6%	7%	7%	9%	7%	7%
Self-employed	9%	7%	10%	10%	10%	12%	4%	10%	8%
Not employed, but looking for work	2%	3%	1%	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%
Not employed and not looking for work	4%	7%	2%	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%	4%
Retired	26%	39%	22%	22%	22%	23%	22%	17%	32%
Student	3%	1%	5%	3%	4%	2%	-	8%	3%
Homemaker	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	7%	4%	3%	5%
Decline to answer	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	-	-	2%

Q30. What best describes your level of education?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Less than 9th grade	0%	-	-	0%	0%	0%	-	-	-
Some high school	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%
High school graduate or equivalent	16%	25%	11%	15%	13%	13%	13%	11%	20%
Some college	28%	29%	33%	21%	27%	24%	20%	28%	32%
Associate degree	12%	11%	13%	12%	13%	14%	18%	11%	11%
Bachelor's degree	22%	15%	21%	28%	24%	23%	31%	25%	19%
Graduate or professional degree	20%	19%	20%	21%	21%	24%	18%	23%	17%
Decline to answer	1%	-	0%	1%	1%	0%	-	-	1%

Q31. Do you currently have health insurance coverage?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Yes	87%	87%	88%	86%	87%	86%	82%	89%	87%
No	13%	13%	12%	14%	13%	14%	18%	11%	13%

Q32. Which one of the following best describes you?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Caucasian/White	91%	93%	93%	88%	91%	90%	89%	89%	93%
Black/African American	3%	1%	2%	5%	3%	3%	4%	5%	2%
Hispanic/Latino	0%	1%	-	-	-	0%	-	-	-
Asian, Indian Subcontinent or Pacific Islander	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	-	-	1%
American Indian or Alaskan Native	1%	2%	-	1%	1%	0%	4%	2%	0%
Decline to answer	4%	3%	3%	5%	4%	4%	2%	5%	4%

Q33. Which one of the following ranges includes your total yearly household income before taxes?

	Pain Type					Pain Cause			
	ALL	Chronic	Recurrent	Acute	Recurrent & Acute	Strain	Sprain	Contusion	Other
Number Answering	653	152	250	251	501	228	45	88	292
Under \$15,000	7%	11%	7%	5%	6%	4%	11%	6%	10%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	9%	11%	9%	9%	9%	10%	4%	7%	10%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	11%	14%	12%	8%	10%	10%	11%	9%	12%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	12%	11%	14%	12%	13%	11%	9%	11%	14%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	15%	15%	14%	16%	15%	17%	11%	19%	13%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	9%	6%	10%	11%	10%	12%	9%	6%	8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	8%	5%	6%	12%	9%	7%	9%	15%	7%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%
\$200,000 and up	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	1%	2%	1%	0%
Decline to answer	26%	24%	26%	26%	26%	27%	31%	24%	24%