



**Conducted by the
University of New Hampshire
Survey Center**

Interviews with 309 adults in New Hampshire who say they plan to vote in the Democratic presidential primary conducted on June 6-10. The margin of sampling error for results based on the total sample is plus or minus 6 percentage points.

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6. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) Have you definitely decided who you will vote for in the New Hampshire primary, are you leaning toward someone, or do you have no idea who you'll vote for?

	<u>June</u> <u>2007</u>
Definitely decided	8%
Leaning toward someone	43%
No idea who you'll vote for	48%

7. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) I'm going to read you the names of the candidates who are either running or considering running for the Democratic nomination. If the Democratic primary for president were held today, which of the following would you support for the Democratic nomination -- Joe Biden, Hillary Clinton, Chris Dodd, John Edwards, Al Gore, Mike Gravel, Dennis Kucinich, Barack Obama, Bill Richardson or someone else? (RANDOM ORDER)

	<u>June</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>March/April</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>February</u> <u>2007</u>
Clinton	36%	27%	35%
Obama	22%	20%	21%
Edwards	12%	21%	16%
Gore	12%	11%	8%
Richardson	10%	4%	1%
Biden	4%	2%	3%
Kucinich	1%	1%	1%
Dodd	*	1%	*
Gravel	*	*	0
Someone else	2%	*	0
No opinion	1%	12%	14%

8. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) Who is your second choice? (LIST READ AGAIN ONLY IF RESPONDENT ASKED FOR IT)

	JUNE, 2007	
	FIRST CHOICE (Question 7)	SECOND CHOICE (Question 8)
Clinton	36%	21%
Obama	22%	22%
Edwards	12%	17%
Gore	12%	9%
Richardson	10%	5%
Biden	4%	4%
Kucinich	1%	3%
Dodd	*	5%
Gravel	*	0%
Someone else	2%	1%
No second choice	--	6%
No opinion	1%	7%

QUESTIONS 7 AND 8 COMBINED

IF GORE WERE NOT IN THE RACE
June, 2007

Clinton	39%
Obama	24%
Edwards	14%
Richardson	11%
Biden	5%
Kucinich	2%
Dodd	*
Gravel	*
Someone else	3%
No opinion	2%

NOTE: FIGURES FOR HORSE RACE WITHOUT GORE NOT AVAILABLE FROM EARLIER POLLS.

Now I'm going to read you a few phrases which describe the candidates, and for each one, tell me who you think that phrase best describes, regardless of who you are voting for. Please feel free to name a candidate even if you may not be voting for that person. (RANDOM ORDER)

9. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) Which Democratic candidate do you think is the strongest leader?

June, 2007

Clinton	48%
Gore	12%
Obama	12%
Biden	6%
Edwards	6%
Richardson	4%
Kucinich	*
Dodd	0
Gravel	0
No opinion	12%

10. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) Which Democratic candidate do you think is most willing to take an unpopular position on an issue if they think it is the right position?

June, 2007

Clinton	20%
Obama	18%
Kucinich	12%
Edwards	10%
Biden	8%
Gore	8%
Richardson	5%
Dodd	2%
Gravel	1%
Someone else	2%
No opinion	15%

11. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) Which Democratic candidate do you think is the most believable?

June, 2007

Obama	25%
Clinton	20%
Edwards	14%
Gore	10%
Richardson	10%
Kucinich	5%
Biden	4%
Dodd	2%
Gravel	0
No opinion	11%

12. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) Which Democratic candidate do you think is most likeable?

June, 2007

Obama	40%
Edwards	20%
Clinton	14%
Gore	9%
Richardson	6%
Biden	2%
Dodd	1%
Kucinich	1%
Gravel	0
No opinion	8%

13. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) Which Democratic candidate do you think has the best chance of beating the Republican nominee in the general election next November?

June, 2007

Clinton	37%
Obama	15%
Gore	12%
Edwards	10%
Biden	3%
Richardson	3%
Kucinich	*
Dodd	*
Gravel	0
Someone else	1%
No opinion	20%

SUMMARY TABLE FOR QUESTIONS 9-13

	<u>Clinton</u>	<u>Obama</u>	<u>Edwards</u>
Strongest leader	48%	12%	6%
Best chance of beating the Republican nominee in the general election next November	37%	15%	10%
Most believable	20%	25%	14%
Most willing to take an unpopular position on an issue if they think it is the right position	20%	18%	10%
Most likeable	14%	40%	20%

22. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) There are many issues facing the candidates in the election for president. In your opinion, which one issue is MOST IMPORTANT to YOUR VOTE in the presidential primary? Which is next most important? What is the third most important?

	1 st <u>Resp.</u>	2 nd <u>Resp.</u>	3 rd <u>Resp.</u>	<u>COMBINED*</u>
War in Iraq	57%	14%	8%	76%
Health care	8%	31%	20%	53%
Economy	8%	12%	15%	31%
Foreign policy	5%	2%	2%	9%
Climate change / environment	4%	7%	6%	14%
Education	3%	5%	12%	17%
Abortion	2%	1%	2%	5%
Medicare/prescription drugs	1%	1%	1%	3%
Social Security	1%	2%	4%	6%
Terrorism	1%	0	1%	2%
Illegal immigration	1%	5%	5%	10%
Gas / energy prices	1%	1%	2%	3%
Budget deficit	*	*	5%	5%
Employment/jobs	*	2%	2%	4%
Taxes	*	3%	1%	4%
Homeland security	*	3%	1%	4%
Electing a Democrat	*	1%	0	1%
Gay marriage	*	1%	*	2%
Morality	0	1%	1%	2%
Gun control	0	*	0	*
Other	4%	7%	8%	17%
No opinion	4%	1%	4%	8%

*Multiple responses possible. Percentages sum to more than 100%.

FIRST RESPONSE ONLY

	<u>June</u> <u>2007</u>	<u>March/April</u> <u>2007</u>
War in Iraq	57%	39%
Health care	8%	21%
Economy	8%	11%
Foreign policy	5%	7%
Education	3%	4%
Budget deficit	*	2%

23. (DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY VOTERS ONLY:) As you may know, the Democratic presidential candidates debated on TV this past Sunday night. Did you watch or listen to all of that debate, most of that debate, some of that debate, only a few minutes of that debate, or did you not watch or listen to any part of that debate?

June
2007

All of it	19%
Most of it	12%
Some of it	15%
Only a few minutes of it	11%
Did not watch debate	43%