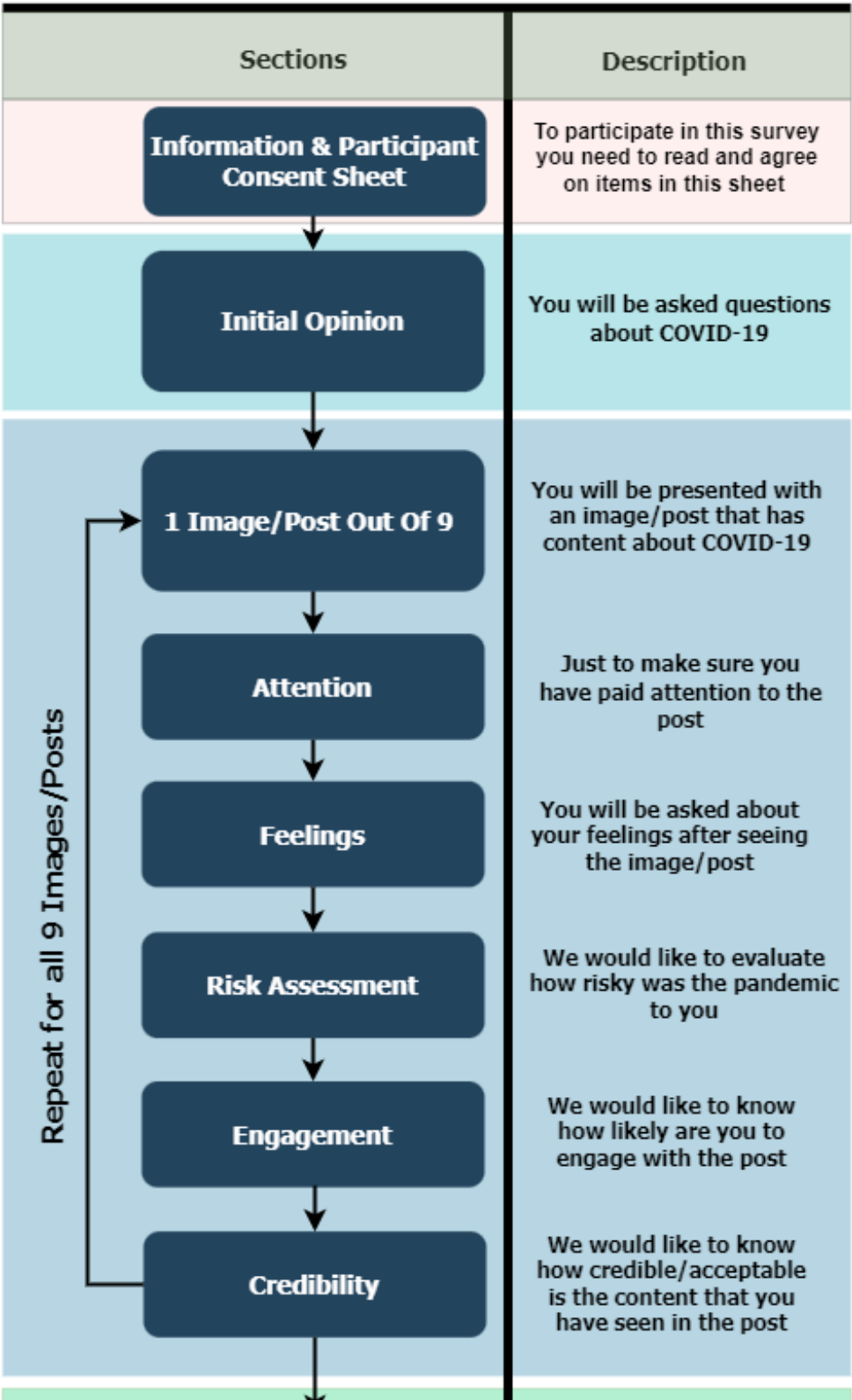


Survey Map

This survey is collecting data from you concerning the personal risk associated with browsing mobile-size social media posts about Covid-19. All questions are in the form of multiple-choice.







**Sleepy/Apathetic**

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 **Excited**

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

No control Completely in control

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>No anxiety at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very high anxiety</b>

	1	2	3	4	5	
No risk at all	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Very high risk

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1 2 3 4 5

No dread at all Very high dread



Response	1	2	3	4	5
No dread at all					
Very high dread					

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Very unlikely</b>						<b>Very likely</b>



...tells the whole story *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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...is accurate *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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...is unbiased *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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... demonstrates concern about public interest *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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...is sensationalized *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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...is immoral *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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## Image/Post

Please have a detailed look at the following image/post and tick 'I am done' when you finish:

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☐ I am done

## Attention test

Which colors were presented in the last picture? \*

- ☐ Red and Blue/Gey
- ☐ Yellow and Red
- ☐ Black and White
- ☐ Purple and Pink

# Feelings







Rate how positive or negative this post made you feel, ranging from 'sad' to 'happy':

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9








Sad ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ Happy

Rate how energetic this post made you feel, ranging from 'sleepy/apathetic' to 'excited/energetic' : \*




1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8      9

Sleepy/Apathetic                                                Excited

Rate how in control of the situation this post made you feel, ranging from 'no control' to 'completely in control': \*



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6



7

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9

**No  
control**

☐☐☐☐☐☐☐☐☐

**Completely  
in control**

## Risk Assessment

After seeing this news post, how much anxiety do you feel in regards to the COVID-19 pandemic?\*

1

2

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4

5

**No anxiety  
at all**

☐☐☐☐☐

**Very high  
anxiety**

After seeing the news post, how big of a risk do you think the COVID-19 pandemic poses to you or your family?\*

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**No risk at  
all**

☐☐☐☐☐

**Very high  
risk**

Where 'dread' means to be in terror of, or fear intensely, how much do you dread the COVID-19 pandemic after seeing this news post?

\*

1

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4

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**No dread  
at all**

☐☐☐☐☐

**Very high  
dread**

After seeing the news post, what do you think is your likelihood of infection?\*

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**Very  
unlikely**

☐☐☐☐☐

**Very likely**

After seeing the news post, how harmful do you think it would be if you got infected?\*

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**Not  
harmful at  
all**

☐☐☐☐☐

**Very  
harmful**



## Engagement

**Are you likely to... (check where applicable)?\***

- ☐ Share the post
- ☐ Read the post
- ☐ Comment on the post
- ☐ Ignore the post

- ☐ Share the post
- ☐ Read the post
- ☐ Comment on the post
- ☐ Ignore the post

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- ☐ Comment on the post
- ☐ Ignore the post

Credibility

... can be trusted \*

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Strongly disagree

Strongly agree

...separates facts from opinion \*

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Strongly disagree

Strongly agree

...is factual \*

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Strongly disagree

Strongly agree

...tells the whole story \*

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Strongly disagree

Strongly agree

...is accurate \*

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Strongly disagree

Strongly agree

Strongly disagree      1      2      3      4      5      Strongly agree

Strongly disagree      1      2      3      4      5      Strongly agree

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Strongly agree</b>

[illegible]

Strongly disagree      1      2      3      4      5      Strongly agree

1 2 3 4 5

Strongly disagree Strongly agree

A horizontal Likert scale ranging from 1 to 5. The scale is labeled "Strongly disagree" on the far left and "Strongly agree" on the far right. Five circular markers are positioned below the numbers 1 through 5.

[illegible]

1 2 3 4 5

Strongly disagree Strongly agree

Strongly disagree      1      2      3      4      5      Strongly agree

...is unbiased \*

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4

5

Strongly disagree

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Strongly agree

...is fair \*

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Strongly disagree

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Strongly agree

... demonstrates concern about public interest \*

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Strongly disagree

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Strongly agree

...is sensationalized \*

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Strongly disagree

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Strongly agree

...is immoral \*

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Strongly disagree

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Strongly agree

Image/Post

Please have a detailed look at the following image/post and tick 'I am done' when you finish:

\*

☐ I am done

Attention test

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## Feelings

Rate how positive or negative this post made you feel, ranging from 'sad' to 'happy':

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1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Sad ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ Happy

Rate how energetic this post made you feel, ranging from 'sleepy/apathetic' to 'excited/energetic' : \*

**Sleepy/Apathetic**

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 **Excited**

Rate how in control of the situation this post made you feel, ranging from 'no control' to 'completely in control': \*

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

No control Completely in control

## Risk Assessment

After seeing this news post, how much anxiety do you feel in regards to the COVID-19 pandemic?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>No anxiety at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very high anxiety</b>

After seeing the news post, how big of a risk do you think the COVID-19 pandemic poses to you or your family?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>No risk at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very high risk</b>

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Where ‘dread’ means to be in terror of, or fear intensely, how much do you dread the COVID-19 pandemic after seeing this news post?

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	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>No dread at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very high dread</b>

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After seeing the news post, what do you think is your likelihood of infection?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Very unlikely</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very likely</b>

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After seeing the news post, how harmful do you think it would be if you got infected?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Not harmful at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very harmful</b>

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## Engagement

Are you likely to... (check where applicable)?\*

- ☐ Share the post
  - ☐ Read the post
  - ☐ Comment on the post
  - ☐ Ignore the post
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## Credibility

... can be trusted \*

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Strongly agree

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Strongly agree

... demonstrates concern about public interest \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Strongly agree</b>

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...is sensationalized \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Strongly agree</b>

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...is immoral \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Strongly agree</b>

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## Image/Post

Please have a detailed look at the following image/post and tick 'I am done' when you finish:

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☐ I am done

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## Attention test






For what amount of time did the picture advice you to wash hands? \*

- ☐ 10 seconds
  - ☐ 20 seconds
  - ☐ 40 seconds
  - ☐ 60 seconds
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## Feelings

Rate how positive or negative this post made you feel, ranging from 'sad' to 'happy':






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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Sad	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>				<input type="radio"/>	Happy

Rate how energetic this post made you feel, ranging from 'sleepy/apathetic' to 'excited/energetic': \*

														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Sleepy/Apathetic	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>				<input type="radio"/>	Excited

Rate how in control of the situation this post made you feel, ranging from 'no control' to 'completely in control': \*

														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
No control	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>				<input type="radio"/>	Completely in control

## Risk Assessment

After seeing this news post, how much anxiety do you feel in regards to the COVID-19 pandemic?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
No anxiety at all	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Very high anxiety

After seeing the news post, how big of a risk do you think the COVID-19 pandemic poses to you or your family?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
No risk at all	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Very high risk

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After seeing the news post, what do you think is your likelihood of infection?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Very unlikely</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very likely</b>

After seeing the news post, how harmful do you think it would be if you got infected?\*

1 2 3 4 5

Not harmful at all Very harmful

## Engagement

**Are you likely to... (check where applicable)?\***

- ☐ Share the post
- ☐ Read the post
- ☐ Comment on the post
- ☐ Ignore the post

## Credibility

... can be trusted \*

[illegible]



...separates facts from opinion \*

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Strongly disagree

☐

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Strongly agree

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Strongly disagree

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Strongly agree

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Strongly agree

... demonstrates concern about public interest \*

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Strongly disagree

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Strongly agree

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Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree

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# Happy



**Not harmful at all**

1                  2                  3                  4                  5

**Very harmful**

- ☐ Share the post
- ☐ Read the post
- ☐ Comment on the post
- ☐ Ignore the post

[illegible][illegible][illegible]

...tells the whole story *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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...is accurate *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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...is fair *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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## Image/Post

Please have a detailed look at the following image/post and tick 'I am done' when you finish:

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☐ I am done

## Attention test

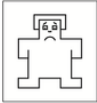
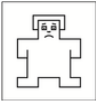
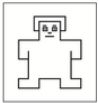
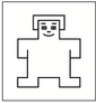
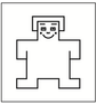
What was the rightmost recommendation in the last picture?

- ☐ Wash your hands
- ☐ Keep your distance
- ☐ Wear a face covering






## Feelings

Rate how positive or negative this post made you feel, ranging from '**sad**' to '**happy**':






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Sad	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>					Happy

Rate how energetic this post made you feel, ranging from '**sleepy/apathetic**' to '**excited/energetic**': \*

															
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Sleepy/Apathetic		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>				Excited	

Rate how in control of the situation this post made you feel, ranging from '**no control**' to '**completely in control**': \*

														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
No control	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>					Completely in control

## Risk Assessment

After seeing this news post, how much anxiety do you feel in regards to the COVID-19 pandemic?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>No anxiety at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very high anxiety</b>

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After seeing the news post, how big of a risk do you think the COVID-19 pandemic poses to you or your family?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>No risk at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very high risk</b>

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Where 'dread' means to be in terror of, or fear intensely, how much do you dread the COVID-19 pandemic after seeing this news post?

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	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>No dread at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very high dread</b>

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After seeing the news post, what do you think is your likelihood of infection?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Very unlikely</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very likely</b>

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After seeing the news post, how harmful do you think it would be if you got infected?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Not harmful at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very harmful</b>

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## Engagement

Are you likely to... (check where applicable)?\*

- ☐ Share the post
- ☐ Read the post
- ☐ Comment on the post
- ☐ Ignore the post

Credibility

... can be trusted \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree

...separates facts from opinion \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree

...is factual \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree

...tells the whole story \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree

...is accurate \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree



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Strongly disagree

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Strongly agree

... demonstrates concern about public interest \*

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...is sensationalized \*

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Strongly disagree

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Strongly agree

Image/Post

Please have a detailed look at the following image/post and tick 'I am done' when you finish:

\*

☐ I am done

Attention test

- ☐ February and April
- ☐ October and December
- ☐ January and September

Rate how positive or negative this post made you feel, ranging from 'sad' to 'happy':

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○ ○

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Sleepy/Apathetic Excited

**No control**

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

**Completely in control**

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>No anxiety at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very high anxiety</b>

After seeing the news post, how big of a risk do you think the COVID-19 pandemic poses to you or your family?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>No risk at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very high risk</b>

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After seeing the news post, what do you think is your likelihood of infection?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Very unlikely</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very likely</b>

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After seeing the news post, how harmful do you think it would be if you got infected?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Not harmful at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Very harmful</b>

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## Engagement

Are you likely to... (check where applicable)?\*

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  - ☐ Read the post
  - ☐ Comment on the post
  - ☐ Ignore the post
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## Credibility

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Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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...is unbiased *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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...is fair *	1	2	3	4	5	
Strongly disagree	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Strongly agree
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... demonstrates concern about public interest \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Strongly agree</b>

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...is sensationalized \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Strongly agree</b>

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...is immoral \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Strongly agree</b>

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## Image/Post

Please have a detailed look at the following image/post and tick 'I am done' when you finish:

\*

☐ I am done

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## Attention test






Which country was referred to by the chart in the last picture? \*

- ☐ UK
  - ☐ US
  - ☐ Australia
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## Feelings

Rate how positive or negative this post made you feel, ranging from 'sad' to 'happy':






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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Sad	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>				<input type="radio"/>	Happy

Rate how energetic this post made you feel, ranging from 'sleepy/apathetic' to 'excited/energetic': \*

														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
Sleepy/Apathetic	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>				<input type="radio"/>	Excited

Rate how in control of the situation this post made you feel, ranging from 'no control' to 'completely in control': \*

														
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9					
No control	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>				<input type="radio"/>	Completely in control

## Risk Assessment

After seeing this news post, how much anxiety do you feel in regards to the COVID-19 pandemic?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
No anxiety at all	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Very high anxiety

After seeing the news post, how big of a risk do you think the COVID-19 pandemic poses to you or your family?\*

	1	2	3	4	5	
No risk at all	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Very high risk

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After seeing the news post, what do you think is your likelihood of infection?\*

After seeing the news post, how harmful do you think it would be if you got infected?\*

## Engagement

**Are you likely to... (check where applicable)?\***

## Credibility

... can be trusted \*

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Strongly agree



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<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Strongly agree</b>

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# Happy



Not harmful at all

1 2 3 4 5

Very harmful

- ☐ Share the post
- ☐ Read the post
- ☐ Comment on the post
- ☐ Ignore the post

[illegible][illegible]

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Strongly disagree</b>						<b>Strongly agree</b>

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# Demographic Information and Internet Usage Habits

**Your Age: \***

**Your Gender: \***

- ☐ Male
- ☐ Female

**What is the highest degree or education level you have completed:\***

- ☐ High School
- ☐ Bachelor's degree
- ☐ Master's degree
- ☐ Ph.D or higher
- ☐ Prefer not to say
- ☐ None

**Which of the following social media do you use? \***

- ☐ Facebook
- ☐ Instagram
- ☐ Twitter
- ☐ YouTube
- ☐ LinkedIn
- ☐ Other - Write In (Required)

\*

**How many hours per day do you spend on social media? \***

What is your main source of news about the world? \*

- ☐ Television
- ☐ News websites
- ☐ Social media
- ☐ Newspaper
- ☐ Podcasts
- ☐ Radio
- ☐ Other - Write In (Required)

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How active are you on social media through commenting, sharing, liking or posting content? \*

	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>Not active at all</b>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<b>Extremely active</b>

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Thank You!

Thank you for taking our survey. Your response is very important to us.

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