Mississippi Voters on Abortion Access

A majority of Mississippians oppose the Supreme Court decision in Dobbs v. JWHO to overturn Roe v. Wade.

Only 18% of Mississippians think abortion should be illegal in all cases. 81% of Mississippians think abortion should be legal in some form—and 52% think abortion should be legal in all cases.

The majority of Mississippians believe women should have the choice to have an abortion up to 16 weeks into pregnancy.

84% of Mississippians believe individuals have the general right to privacy in making decisions related to their bodies.*

71% of Mississippians do not view emergency contraception such as IUDs and Plan B as methods of abortion.

Contraception

83% of Mississippians oppose criminal prosecutions or investigations of women for possibly having an abortion.

Criminalization

The vast majority of Mississippians believe the Legislature is failing to invest in the well-being of women and children.

Legislative Agenda

76% support extending Mississippi’s postpartum Medicaid coverage from 60 days to 12 months.

76% support expanding Medicaid to provide health insurance to low-income Mississippians.

87% support the Legislature funding health department offices in each county.

*Survey conducted by Blueprint Polling July 2022