

Do you think abortion should be legal in Canada under any circumstances, legal only under certain circumstances, or illegal in all circumstances?



	Canada	GENDER		AGE			REGION					VOTE IN 2021 ELECTION			
		Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	BC	Alberta	SK / MB	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic	Liberal	Conserv.	NDP
Abortion should be legal under any circumstances	46%	44%	49%	52%	41%	46%	48%	37%	37%	45%	54%	50%	54%	36%	60%
Abortion should be legal only under certain circumstances	35%	37%	33%	30%	40%	37%	36%	40%	41%	35%	30%	39%	33%	44%	29%
Abortion should be illegal in all circumstances	7%	10%	5%	7%	7%	8%	7%	12%	10%	8%	5%	5%	7%	11%	5%
Not sure	11%	9%	13%	12%	12%	10%	9%	12%	11%	13%	12%	6%	6%	9%	7%

	Jan. 2013	Jul. 2019	Sept. 2020	Apr. 2022	Aug. 2024	Change
Abortion should be legal under any circumstances	47%	46%	48%	44%	46%	2
Abortion should be legal only under certain circumstances	41%	43%	36%	37%	35%	-2
Abortion should be illegal in all circumstances	7%	5%	8%	10%	7%	-3
Not sure	5%	6%	8%	9%	11%	2

In Canada, abortions are provided on request to Canadian citizens and permanent residents, and are funded by the health care system. Which of these statements comes closer to your own point of view?

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	Canada	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	BC	Alberta	SK / MB	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic	Liberal	Conserv.	NDP
The health care system should fund abortions whenever they are requested	46%	43%	48%	48%	43%	45%	51%	38%	40%	42%	52%	44%	52%	40%	58%
The health care system should only fund abortions in the event of medical emergencies	36%	38%	33%	35%	34%	38%	34%	36%	40%	39%	31%	39%	33%	40%	35%
The health care system should not fund abortions at all	7%	9%	6%	6%	8%	8%	7%	12%	10%	6%	7%	8%	6%	11%	3%
Not sure	11%	10%	13%	10%	15%	9%	8%	14%	11%	12%	11%	9%	8%	9%	4%

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The health care system should fund abortions whenever they are requested	43%	46%	3
The health care system should only fund abortions in the event of medical emergencies	42%	36%	-6
The health care system should not fund abortions at all	7%	7%	0
Not sure	8%	11%	3

Which of the following statements comes closest to your own point of view?



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	Canada	Male	Female	18-34	35-54	55+	BC	Alberta	SK / MB	Ontario	Quebec	Atlantic	Liberal	Conserv.	NDP	
There is no point in re-opening a debate about abortion in Canada right now	58%	62%	54%	59%	52%	61%	66%	54%	64%	54%	61%	50%	63%	58%	68%	
A debate about abortion is long overdue in Canada, and the discussion should be re-opened	23%	24%	21%	23%	24%	21%	16%	19%	19%	26%	23%	29%	22%	24%	22%	
Not sure	20%	14%	25%	18%	23%	18%	17%	28%	17%	20%	17%	21%	15%	18%	10%	

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There is no point in re-opening a debate about abortion in Canada right now	59%	53%	58%	53%	58%	5	
A debate about abortion is long overdue in Canada and the discussion should be re-opened	30%	37%	25%	26%	23%	-3	
Not sure	11%	10%	17%	21%	20%	-1	