

## Cuts Index Survey

### ONLINE Fieldwork : 10th - 12th June 2011

Absolutes/col percents

Table 1

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**Base: All respondents**

	Gender			Age						Social Class				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Weighted base	2005	982	1023	241	321	381	341	301	422	541	581	421	461	510	529	503	289	174

**I trust David Cameron to keep his word on the promises he has made about the NHS**

Agree	467	263	204	33	58	77	71	76	152	139	125	95	108	131	140	90	72	33
	23%	27%	20%	14%	18%	20%	21%	25%	36%	26%	21%	23%	23%	26%	27%	18%	25%	19%
Disagree	1132	541	591	147	195	228	199	171	193	299	320	241	273	275	261	310	166	121
	56%	55%	58%	61%	61%	60%	58%	57%	46%	55%	55%	57%	59%	54%	49%	62%	57%	69%
Don't know	406	178	228	60	68	76	71	55	76	103	137	85	81	103	128	103	51	20
	20%	18%	22%	25%	21%	20%	21%	18%	18%	19%	24%	20%	17%	20%	24%	20%	18%	12%

**The public sector spending cuts will not harm the NHS**

Agree	318	219	99	25	53	44	39	52	105	91	92	71	65	81	91	70	51	25
	16%	22%	10%	10%	16%	12%	11%	17%	25%	17%	16%	17%	14%	16%	17%	14%	18%	14%
Disagree	1320	612	708	168	207	272	243	200	230	361	380	279	299	336	319	353	184	128
	66%	62%	69%	70%	65%	71%	71%	66%	54%	67%	65%	66%	65%	66%	60%	70%	64%	74%
Don't know	368	152	215	48	61	65	58	48	87	89	110	71	98	93	120	80	54	21
	18%	15%	21%	20%	19%	17%	17%	16%	21%	16%	19%	17%	21%	18%	23%	16%	19%	12%

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<b><u>The Conservative Party's plans for the NHS are just a way to privatise parts of the health service</u></b>																		
Agree	1031	505	526	118	143	192	205	171	201	274	290	208	259	261	243	278	146	102
	51%	51%	51%	49%	45%	51%	60%	57%	48%	51%	50%	49%	56%	51%	46%	55%	51%	59%
Disagree	468	276	191	34	63	83	77	70	141	152	123	103	90	115	140	112	67	33
	23%	28%	19%	14%	20%	22%	22%	23%	33%	28%	21%	24%	19%	23%	27%	22%	23%	19%
Don't know	506	201	305	89	114	106	59	59	79	115	169	110	113	133	146	113	75	39
	25%	20%	30%	37%	36%	28%	17%	20%	19%	21%	29%	26%	24%	26%	27%	23%	26%	23%
<b><u>The NHS is safe in David Cameron's hands</u></b>																		
Agree	397	250	148	24	50	62	59	67	136	121	116	78	83	96	134	86	57	25
	20%	25%	14%	10%	15%	16%	17%	22%	32%	22%	20%	18%	18%	19%	25%	17%	20%	14%
Disagree	1076	516	560	137	155	219	201	171	193	282	303	225	265	256	244	302	159	114
	54%	53%	55%	57%	48%	58%	59%	57%	46%	52%	52%	53%	58%	50%	46%	60%	55%	66%
Don't know	532	217	315	79	116	100	81	63	93	138	162	119	113	158	152	115	73	34
	27%	22%	31%	33%	36%	26%	24%	21%	22%	25%	28%	28%	24%	31%	29%	23%	25%	20%
<b><u>The Government should scrap the current proposals for NHS reform and start from scratch</u></b>																		
Agree	986	487	499	88	120	178	198	180	222	267	279	206	234	247	216	271	152	101
	49%	50%	49%	37%	37%	47%	58%	60%	53%	49%	48%	49%	51%	48%	41%	54%	53%	58%
Disagree	378	241	137	36	65	69	51	47	110	116	109	83	69	96	120	75	55	31
	19%	25%	13%	15%	20%	18%	15%	16%	26%	21%	19%	20%	15%	19%	23%	15%	19%	18%
Don't know	640	255	386	116	136	134	92	73	90	158	193	132	158	166	193	158	82	42
	32%	26%	38%	48%	42%	35%	27%	24%	21%	29%	33%	31%	34%	33%	36%	31%	28%	24%

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Table 4

**Q5. Thinking about each of the following public services in your local area, do you think they have got better or worse over the past three months?**

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	Gender			Age						Social Class				Region				
	Total	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	AB	C1	C2	DE	South East	Mid-lands	North Eng-land	Wales & South West	Scot-land
Unweighted base	2005	1038	967	207	349	381	362	323	383	754	501	268	482	506	553	488	299	159
Weighted base	2005	982	1023	241	321	381	341	301	422	541	581	421	461	510	529	503	289	174
<b>Local state schools</b>																		
Better	119 6%	53 5%	66 6%	24 10%	21 6%	19 5%	30 9%	9 3%	16 4%	38 7%	20 3%	35 8%	26 6%	29 6%	32 6%	36 7%	14 5%	7 4%
Worse	427 21%	198 20%	229 22%	63 26%	82 25%	84 22%	79 23%	69 23%	51 12%	99 18%	134 23%	85 20%	109 24%	110 22%	115 22%	112 22%	41 14%	50 29%
No change	1459 73%	731 74%	728 71%	153 64%	218 68%	278 73%	232 68%	223 74%	355 84%	404 75%	427 73%	301 72%	326 71%	371 73%	382 72%	355 71%	234 81%	117 67%
<b>Local NHS services</b>																		
Better	103 5%	60 6%	43 4%	17 7%	12 4%	12 3%	10 3%	16 5%	35 8%	30 6%	29 5%	18 4%	26 6%	25 5%	21 4%	30 6%	17 6%	10 6%
Worse	760 38%	334 34%	427 42%	101 42%	141 44%	133 35%	151 44%	116 39%	119 28%	205 38%	216 37%	149 35%	190 41%	194 38%	180 34%	213 42%	102 35%	71 41%
No change	1142 57%	589 60%	553 54%	123 51%	167 52%	236 62%	180 53%	169 56%	268 63%	306 57%	336 58%	254 60%	245 53%	290 57%	328 62%	261 52%	170 59%	93 53%
<b>Local authority services such as libraries and waste collection</b>																		
Better	111 6%	49 5%	62 6%	20 8%	25 8%	15 4%	16 5%	18 6%	17 4%	26 5%	23 4%	33 8%	29 6%	20 4%	29 5%	36 7%	19 6%	7 4%
Worse	905 45%	438 45%	467 46%	108 45%	138 43%	173 46%	194 57%	133 44%	159 38%	251 46%	261 45%	174 41%	218 47%	215 42%	221 42%	254 51%	130 45%	85 49%
No change	989 49%	495 50%	494 48%	113 47%	158 49%	192 50%	131 38%	151 50%	246 58%	264 49%	297 51%	214 51%	214 46%	274 54%	279 53%	213 42%	141 49%	82 47%
<b>Local public transport</b>																		
Better	83 4%	51 5%	32 3%	24 10%	17 5%	12 3%	12 4%	11 4%	7 2%	25 5%	19 3%	22 5%	17 4%	21 4%	22 4%	24 5%	11 4%	5 3%
Worse	724 36%	351 36%	373 36%	101 42%	112 35%	154 40%	139 41%	98 32%	121 29%	178 33%	188 32%	173 41%	184 40%	152 30%	222 42%	196 39%	94 32%	60 35%
No change	1198 60%	580 59%	618 60%	116 48%	191 60%	214 56%	190 56%	192 64%	294 70%	338 62%	375 64%	226 54%	260 56%	337 66%	286 54%	283 56%	184 64%	109 63%