

## Public Opinion Polling: Certificate of Need Laws

n=400, online panel, registered voters, January 2-4, 2022



**Are West Virginians worried about their health care?**

**50%**

Have Had Some Trouble  
Accessing Health Care

**58%**

Are Concerned They May Have Trouble  
Accessing Health Care in the Future



**Are West Virginians supportive of Certificate of Need repeal?**

After being educated on Certificate of Need laws, voters' opinion  
of Certificate of Need laws changes significantly.

### Support of repeal increases

**61%**

Support Repeal  
Overall

**+31%**

With Rural Voters

**+24%**

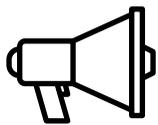
With Low Income Voters

**+28%**

With Democrats

**+32%**

With Republicans



**How motivated are West Virginians to take action?**

**60%**

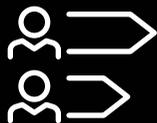
Support a Bill  
to Repeal

**46%**

Would Sign a  
Petition to Repeal

**46%**

Would Send an Email  
to Lawmakers to Repeal



### Who are our respondents?

55% make less than \$50,000 per year  
54% live in rural areas

35% are Republicans  
31% are Democrats  
27% are Independents