



Connecticut Residents Agree Across Party Lines

	Total	Republican	Democrat	Neither
The US health care system needs to change	80%	73%	81%	85%

Major reasons for rising health care costs

	Total	Republican	Democrat	Neither
Drug companies charging too much money	81%	73%	83%	84%
Hospitals charging too much money	74%	71%	72%	77%
Insurance companies charging too much money	74%	66%	78%	77%

Government should take action

	Total	Republican	Democrat	Neither
Show what a fair price would be for specific procedures	95%	93%	96%	96%
Authorize the Attorney General to take legal action to prevent price gouging or unfair prescription drug price hikes	94%	92%	94%	96%
Make it easy to switch insurers if a health plan drops your doctor	94%	94%	94%	95%
Require drug companies to provide advanced notice of price increases and information to justify those increases?	93%	88%	95%	95%
Set standard payment to hospitals for specific procedures	89%	82%	92%	91%
Set standard prices for drugs to make them affordable	89%	85%	92%	92%

% refers to those who agree or strongly agree