

GALLUP NEWS SERVICE

JUNE WAVE 2

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12. For each of the following drugs, please say how much of a problem you think it is in your area - is it a crisis, a very serious problem but not a crisis, a somewhat serious problem, or not much of a problem?

SUMMARY:

<i>2016 Jun 14-23 Sorted by total "crisis/very serious"</i>	<u>Crisis</u>	<u>Very serious problem</u>	<u>Somewhat serious problem</u>	<u>Not much of a problem</u>	<u><i>Total crisis/ Very serious problem</i></u>
Prescription painkillers	14	30	28	24	44
Heroin	17	25	22	29	42
Cigarettes	10	23	33	33	33
Alcohol	8	24	35		

14. How much do you blame each of the following for the opioid problem - a lot, some, only a little, or not at all?

A. Doctors overprescribing painkillers to their patients

	<u>A lot</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2016 Jun 14-23	53	27	14	5	2

B. Patients demanding that they be given a prescription to ease their pain

	<u>A lot</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2016 Jun 14-23	47	29	16	5	3

C. The pharmaceutical industry encouraging doctors to use opioids

	<u>A lot</u>	<u>Some</u>	<u>Only a little</u>	<u>Not at all</u>	<u>No opinion</u>
2016 Jun 14-23	55	22	13	7	4

D. Lack of public kBT/F 503. Tc[)JTJETBT/F1 9QJETQ67 Tmf